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Preliminary Determination for an Air Quality Permit for
XTO Energy Inc

XTO Energy Inc, 22777 Springwood Village Parkway, W4.6B.344, Spring, TX has submitted an air quality permit application to the Air Quality Bureau (AQB), New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for an air quality permit to construct Husky Gas Plant and Central Delivery Point. The application file has been assigned Permit No. PSD-8245 and TEMPO Agency Interest ID No. 38899. The exact location of the facility will be at latitude 32 degrees, 25 minutes, 21 seconds and longitude -103 degrees, 54 minutes, 5 seconds. To aid in locating this facility, the approximate location will be 14.3 miles northeast of Loving, NM, Eddy County. Driving directions: from Loving drive east on G Howard Rd for 1.5 miles, then left on Highway 387, drive 1.5 miles and turn right on NM 31, then drive 11.6 miles, turn right on Cimarron Rd., then drive 1.6 miles to the leased access road.

The proposed construction of this facility will be for a new gas processing plant and central delivery point with oil and natural gas liquids (NGL) stabilization. This facility will produce sales gas, Y-grade NGL, and various oil products. The facility will be designed for three cryogenic processing trains and four cogeneration turbines to provide power and auxiliary heat. In addition to natural gas and NGL the facility can process 200,000 barrels per day (BPD) of oil stabilization.

This is a Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit application submitted in accordance with 20.2.74 NMAC. The Air Quality Bureau (AQB) is notifying the public that the AQB’s preliminary determination, which includes the Best Available Control Technology (BACT) determination, draft permit, statement of basis, and modeling report is available for public review and comment. All comments must be submitted, in writing, to the AQB-NMED within 30 days from the date that this public notice is published in this newspaper (20.2.72.206.B(1) NMAC and 20.2.74.400.C NMAC). The written comments should refer to the company name, facility name, and application-permit number, or send a copy of this notice along with your comments.

Due to the public health emergency order, certain NMED offices are closed to the public. The permit application is available for review on the AQB Public Notices of Permitting Actions website www.env.nm.gov/air-quality/permit-applications-with-public-interest-public-meeting-or-public-hearing/ . For assistance with viewing this application contact Arianna Espinoza, at 505-476-4367 or arianna.espinoza@state.nm.us. All written comments on AQB-NMED’s preliminary determination should be submitted to the attention of Mr. James Nellessen at james.nellessen@state.nm.us or at Air Quality Bureau, New Mexico Environment Dept., 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816. The written comments shall state the nature of the issues raised and how it relates to the requirements of applicable state and federal air quality regulations and the Clean Air Act.

At present, the air quality permit issuance due date for this action is currently September 7, 2020. If the Department Secretary determines that a public hearing is required due to significant public interest, all persons shall have the opportunity to appear and submit written or oral comments at the hearing.

Total air pollutant emissions to the atmosphere are estimated to be approximately: Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) at 257 tons per year (tpy); Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 226 tpy; Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 742 tpy; Sulfur Dioxide (SO2) at 52 tpy; Particulate Matter (total) at 182 tpy, Particulate Matter 10
microns or less (PM10) at 176 tpy, Particulate Matter 2.5 microns or less (PM2.5) at 174 tpy, and greenhouse gas (CO2e) at 2,664,709 tpy. The facility is expected to consume PSD increments at the following rates (percent followed by pollutant, then averaging period). For Class II PSD increment: 60.4% of NO2 annual, 79.7% of PM10 24-hr, 42.9% of PM10 annual, 90.4% of PM2.5 24-hr, 81.3% of PM2.5 annual, 72.0% of SO2 24-hr significant impact level (SIL), and 55.0% of SO2 annual SIL. For Class I PSD the source was below the SILs for NO2, PM10, PM2.5, and SO2 (highs of 66.7% of PM2.5 24-hr and 63.3% of PM10 24-hr, and lows < 10% for PM10 annual and SO2 annual).

Questions or comments not intended to be part of the public record can be directed to Jim Nellessen and left by voicemail at 505-476-4315. General information about air quality and the permitting process can be found at the Air Quality Bureau’s web site. The regulations dealing with public participation in the permit review process are 20.2.72.206 NMAC and 20.2.74.400 NMAC. These regulations can be found in the “Permits” section of this web site. Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-5557.

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