Versado Gas Processors, LLC at 6 Desta Drive Suite 3300; Midland, TX 79705 has submitted an air quality operating permit application to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for an air quality operating permit for its Monument Gas Plant. The owner of this plant is Versado Gas Processors, LLC and operated by Targa Midstream Services LLC. The exact location of the facility is at latitude and longitude decimal degrees: 32.6105, -103.312139 Datum: WGS84. To aid in locating this facility, the approximate location is 2.8 Miles W of Monument in Lea County, NM. This application file has been assigned an Operating Permit Number P110-R3M1 and TEMPO Agency Interest ID No. 610.

Previously, the facility received an air quality construction permit and is in operation. The main purpose of the facility is to process natural gas through inlet separation, an amine system for acid gas removal (carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide), dehydration for water removal, and the separation of methane from natural gas liquids (NGL). This operating permit application is for a permit modification. Hence, per 20.2.70.401.C.(4) NMAC, this permitting action involves updating the Operating Permit to incorporate revisions in construction permits since the previous full Title V permit (issued Feb. 12, 2020). This incorporation will involve one significant revision (0110-M11) and several construction administrative and technical revisions (110-M11R1 thru M11R5).

The estimated maximum air pollutant emissions to the atmosphere, from this facility after the requested operating permit is issued, are as follows: Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) at 1012.8 tpy (-6.3); Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 290.8 tpy (-54.3); Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 132.7 tpy (-1.0); Sulfur Dioxide (SO2) at 372.9 tpy (-538.1); Particulate Matter 10 microns or less (PM10) at 27.7 tpy (NC); Particulate Matter 2.5 microns or less (PM2.5) at 15.2 tpy (NC); Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) at 14.7 tpy; and greenhouse gas (CO2e) at 125,606 tpy (-45.0). The facility is a major source of greenhouse gas emissions.

The NMED has conducted a preliminary review of the information submitted with the permit application. This review included evaluation of the emission rates and applicable requirements to determine compliance. The NMED has made a preliminary determination that this facility will comply with the requirements of Title 20, New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), Chapter 2, Parts 7, 61, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, and 77; 40 CFR 50; 40 CFR 60 Subparts A, G, KKK, and OOOOa; and 40 CFR 64; and the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act. Therefore, the preliminary intent of NMED is to issue the air quality operating permit on or before October 15, 2022.

Interested persons may obtain the draft operating permit, submit written comments, or request a public hearing on Operating Permit Number P110-R3M1 by contacting Joseph Kimbrell at the New Mexico Environment Department, Air Quality Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816, or by email at joseph.kimbrell@state.nm.us.

Written requests for public hearing must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Comments must be based on the requirements of the applicable state and federal air quality regulations and the Clean Air Act. Comments or hearing requests must be received within 30 days after the public notice is published.
Due to the public health emergency order, certain NMED offices are closed to the public. The permit application is currently available for review on the AQB Public Notices of Permitting Actions website www.env.nm.gov/air-quality/public-notices-of-permitting-actions/. The Department contact in Santa Fe is Joseph Kimbrell at 505-629-2718. 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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