

Public Health Update

Solid Waste Management Authority Hearing Officer Administrative Hearing – December 10, 2015

The Solid Waste Hearing Officer, under authority granted in Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 444.629, conducts monthly hearings to settle cases involving illegal dumping and other solid waste matters. At the December 10, 2015 hearing, the following cases were adjudicated:

I. MATTERS REQUIRING HEARING OFFICER ACTION

- A. NOTICES OF VIOLATION WITH CONTESTED FACTS:
- 1. **Bryan Knudsen** NOV #SW14-1513/H3- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about December 24, 2014; and 2) failure to comply with the Order issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on January 15, 2015. *(for possible action)*

Item continued to February 11, 2016 agenda.

2. Jose Aguirre Hernandez dba Jack's Mobile Car Wash – NOV #SW15-728/H3- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about June 9, 2015; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste consisting of waste water from a mobile car wash operation flowing into the storm gutter in the Public Right-of-Way at the corner of East Tropicana Avenue and continuing to the storm drain inlet at the corner of East Tropicana Avenue and Titanium Avenue, Clark County, Nevada on or about June 9, 2015. (*for possible action*)

Item continued to February 11, 2016 agenda.

3. **Ricardo C. Ramirez** – NOV #SW15-1098/C6- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about September 3, 2015; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the Public Right-of-Way located at West Topweed Avenue and North Drummond Road intersection, Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada on or about September 3, 2015. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Ricardo C. Ramirez in violation of 2) and imposed a penalty of \$500. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit from the solid waste management authority at this location or any

other in Clark County, Nev. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$1,800 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

4. **Eastland LLC** – NOV #SW15-288/C6- For failure to comply with the Order issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on March 12, 2015, with extension of the Order deadline extended to July 18, 2015. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Eastland LLC in violation and imposed a penalty of \$500. Corrective action of removal and proper disposal of waste is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit from the solid waste management authority at this location or any other in Clark County, Nev.

5. **Simple Environmental Services Group Corporation** – NOV #SW15-827/P9- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about July 7, 2015 and September 8, 2015; and 2) failure to comply with the Order issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on July 21, 2015. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Simple Environmental Services Group Corporation in violation and imposed a penalty of \$1,800 for 1) and a penalty of \$500 for 2). A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit from the solid waste management authority at this location or any other in Clark County, Nev.

B. <u>NON-CONTESTED NOTICES OF VIOLATION</u>: The Hearing Officer may approve or disapprove the agreed resolution. Upon disapproval of the agreed resolution, the Hearing Officer will set a date for the hearing of any such Notice of Violations.

None.

C. NOTICES OF VIOLATION - FURTHER PROCEEDINGS

None.

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