

FACT SHEET

Republic Services Medical Waste Division

Application for Permit to Operate a Medical Waste Management Facility 3060 North Commerce Street, North Las Vegas, NV 89030

APN: 139-15-501-008 Zoned M-2 Industrial

FACILITY
OWNER and
OPERATOR

Republic Silver State Disposal, Inc. dba Republic Services of Southern Nevada

770 East Sahara Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89104

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SIZE:

This facility is approximately 208,216 square feet in area (43,009 square feet interior). The maximum storage capacity is approximately 167 cubic yards.

OPERATIONS:

To bring this Facility into compliance with the Health Authority's revised Solid Waste Management Authority regulations (adopted by the Board of Health in August 2015), Republic Silver State Disposal, Inc. is seeking a permit from the Southern Nevada Health District (SNHD) to operate a medical waste management facility. A medical waste management facility is a facility that collects, stores, transports, transfers, processes, treats and/or disposes of medical waste. Medical Waste means any Solid Waste that is generated in the diagnosis, treatment or immunization of human beings or animals, in research pertaining thereto, or in the production or testing of biologicals, excluding Hazardous Waste identified or listed under 40 CFR Part 261 or any Household Waste as defined in 40 CFR §261.4(b)(1) [Clark County Code Chapter 9.04.010(25)].

Medical waste is transported to this facility by the operator where this waste, other than chemotherapy waste, is sterilized using an autoclave. The waste is then compacted and stored in the compactor until it is loaded for transport. The compacted, sterilized waste is removed from the facility within 24 hours and transported to the APEX Regional Class I municipal solid waste landfill for final disposal. Chemotherapy waste is stored at the facility until it is loaded for transport to the APEX Regional Class I municipal solid waste landfill for final disposal. This facility operates Monday – Saturday from 6:00am to 10:00pm. The facility is not open to the public.

POINT OF CONTACT:

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PERMIT APPLICATION FILE: Available for review by appointment from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, at the SNHD Environmental Health Division at 280 South Decatur Blvd., Las Vegas, NV. Copies of documents may be requested for a nominal fee. For further information or to request accommodations for special viewing needs, contact Ms. Carol Cottam at (702) 759-0661 or by e-mail at cottam@snhdmail.org.