



## Public Health Update

### Solid Waste Management Authority Hearing Officer Administrative Hearing – October 14, 2021

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 October 14, 2021 the following cases were adjudicated:

#### I. MATTERS REQUIRING HEARING OFFICER ACTION

##### A. NOTICES OF VIOLATION WITH CONTESTED FACTS:

1. **Jose Ricardo Pineda-Reyes** – NOV #SW21-583/Z3- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about December 8, 2020; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the common area of 1105 North Jones Boulevard, Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada on or about December 8, 2020. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Jose Ricardo Pineda-Reyes in violation of 2) and imposed a penalty of \$500. Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$2,000 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

2. **Donnell Brown** – NOV #SW21-648/13- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about January 11, 2021; 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the property located at 1285 East Reno Avenue, Clark County, Nevada on or about January 11, 2021; and 3) disposing of, abandoning or dumping motor vehicle battery, motor vehicle tire or motor vehicle oil at a site which has not been issued a permit for that purpose on or about January 11, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Donnell Brown in violation and imposed a penalty of \$2,000 for each of 1) and 2) and a penalty of \$1,000 for 3). Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev.

3. **Scruffy to Fluffy LV LLC, Natalie Banks and Chad Banks** – NOV #SW22-004/Z3- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste

management authority on or about July 1, 2021; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the private right of way located in front of 3196 Santolina Drive, Clark County, Nevada on or about July 1, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Scruffy to Fluffy LV LLC, Natalie Banks and Chad Banks in violation and imposed a penalty of \$1,000 for each of 1) and 2). A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev.

4. **Wendy Berenice Nunez Medina** – NOV #SW21-757/32- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about February 17, 2021; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the public right of way located at the east side of Auto Street south of East Ann Road, Clark County, Nevada on or about February 17, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Wendy Berenice Nunez Medina in violation of 2) and imposed a penalty of \$500. Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$2,000 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

5. **Jorge Lopez-Garcia** – NOV #SW21-1075/32- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about May 11, 2021; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the property located at 4860 East Charleston Boulevard, Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada on or about May 11, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Jorge Lopez-Garcia in violation and imposed a penalty of \$1,000. Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev.

- B. NON-CONTESTED NOTICES OF VIOLATION: *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.*

1. **Pipe Maintenance Service, Inc.** – NOV #SW21-018/K5- For 1) operating or authorizing the operation of a Solid Waste Management Facility outside of the approved conditions of the Solid Waste Management Permit issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on or about June 4, 2020, July 8, 2020 and February 11, 2021; 2) failure to maintain a Solid Waste Management Facility in a neat and orderly fashion on or about June 4, 2020 and December 22, 2020; 3) failure to provide requested waste related records on or about March 13, 2021; and 4) failure to comply with the Order issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on July 10, 2020. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Pipe Maintenance e Service, Inc. in violation and imposed a penalty of \$3,000 for 1), a penalty of \$2,000 for 2), a penalty of \$1,000 for 3) and a penalty of \$1,500 for 4). A

Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev.

2. **Champion Recycling LLC** - NOV #SW21-849/67- For 1) operating or authorizing the operation of a Solid Waste Management Facility outside of the approved conditions of the Solid Waste Management Permit issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on or about March 16, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Champion Recycling LLC in violation and imposed a penalty of \$1,000. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nev.

3. **Ladonna Marie White** - NOV #SW21-1010/67- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about April 25, 2021; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the property located at 1555 Balzar Avenue, Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada on or about April 25, 2021. *(for possible action)*

Hearing officer found Ladonna Marie White in violation of 2) and imposed a penalty of \$500. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon a property other than a property designated or set aside for such purpose is ordered. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$2,000 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

C. NOTICES OF VIOLATION - FURTHER PROCEEDINGS:

None.