

RENEWAL OF MODIFIED PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE

PERMITTEE: Honeyspot Recycling, LLC
FACILITY ADDRESS: 1410 Honeyspot Road Extension, Stratford, CT
PERMIT No. Permit No. 13801321-2026RMPCO

Pursuant to Section 22a-208a of the Connecticut General Statutes (“CGS”) and Section 22a-209-4 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (“RCSA”), a MODIFIED PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE (“Permit”) IS HEREBY REISSUED by the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection (“Commissioner”) to Honeyspot Recycling, LLC (“Permittee”) to construct and operate a solid waste volume reduction plant located at 1410 Honeyspot Road Extension, Stratford, Connecticut (“Facility”). The Permittee shall comply with all other conditions of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO issued on November 7, 2019 and the following amendments:

A. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. a. This Permit is based on and incorporates by reference pertinent and appropriate sections of documents and specifications submitted as part of Application No. 202305208, to renew the Permit to Construct and Operate, including:
 - i. Application form received on July 5, 2023.
 - ii. Operation and Management Plan (O&MP), revised January 2019, incorporated by reference per Application Form DEEP-SW-APP-106, Part VI: Documents to be Incorporated by Reference; and
 - iii. Engineering Drawings, Approval Date May 3, 2019, incorporated by reference per Application Form DEEP-SW-APP-106, Part VI: Documents to be Incorporated by Reference.
- b. The Permittee shall maintain at the Facility and have available for reference by Facility staff and inspection by the Commissioner:
 - i. All documents or copies of such documents submitted as Application No. 202305208 and any document submitted in support of said application, as well as other application(s) on which the Permit No. 13801321-MPCO was based, for the life of this Permit; and
 - ii. A copy of this Permit and the Facility’s Facility Plan which consists of the Operation and Management Plan and the engineered drawings which accurately describe the Facility and its operations.
- c. The Permittee shall for the life of this Renewal Authorization, provide to the Department notification within thirty (30) Days of any changes in the information provided as part or in support of the application on which this Permit was based. Any inaccuracies found in the information submitted by the Permittee may result in revocation, reissuance, or modification of this Permit and civil or criminal enforcement actions.

2. Condition No. A.1.a.ii. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO is no longer in effect and is replaced by the following:

“Operation and Management Plan (O&MP), Revised January 2019.”

3. **Condition No. A.1.a.iv.,v. and vi., respectively of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO are no longer in effect and are replaced by the following:**
 - iv. "A Site Plan prepared by Matthew N. Brown, P.E., Anchor Engineering Services, Inc., final revision date May 3, 2019, titled "Site Plan – Phase 1 Operations;"
 - v. "A Site Plan prepared by Matthew N. Brown, P.E., Anchor Engineering Services, Inc., final revision date May 3, 2019, titled "Site Plan – Phase 2 Operations;"
 - vi. "A Site Plan prepared by Matthew N. Brown, P.E., Anchor Engineering Services, Inc., final revision date May 3, 2019, titled "Site Plan – Phase 3 Operations."

B. AUTHORIZATION TO OPERATE

1. **Condition No. B.14.b. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO has been amended with the following text correction as follows:**

P.E. certified as-built drawings. As-built drawings shall be provided for all Facility improvements constructed in accordance with Condition No. B.10.a., b., and c, as such construction is completed.

2. **Condition No. B.14.c. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO has been amended with the following text correction as follows:**

A request for written authorization from the Commissioner to operate in accordance with Condition No. C.5. c. or d.

3. **Condition No. C.1.i. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO has been amended with the following text corrections respectively as follows:**

For Phase 1 operations: the Permittee is authorized to operate within the existing building as noted on the Site Plan prepared by Matthew N. Brown, P.E., Anchor Engineering Services, Inc., final revision date May 3, 2019, titled "Site Plan – Phase 1 Operations" and at the processing capacity as provided in Condition Nos. C.5.b. and C.6. *Storage Table-Phase 1*, of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO upon issuance of this Permit.

4. **Condition No. C.6.d. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO has been amended to include the following:**

"Or at DEEP.WEEDNotification@ct.gov."

5. **Condition No. C.6.k. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO has been amended to update the recovery rate as follows:**

Process loads of C&D waste and non-putrescible MSW that are not source separated loads of Recyclable Items. The Processing authorized through this Permit at the Facility shall consist of sorting and segregating for transfer from the Facility to recycling markets, Recyclable Items received (including inadvertently received Designated Recyclable Items) in loads of C&D and non-putrescible MSW. The Permittee shall maintain at least a forty percent (40%) rate of recovery of Recyclable Items not designated pursuant to Section 22a-241 of CGS ("non-Designated Recyclable

Items"). The Permittee shall make continuing efforts to increase the non-designated recycling rate during the term of this Permit.

As part of the quarterly reports required to be submitted by Condition No. C.11. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO, the Permittee shall document the percent recovery rate by weight of non-designated recyclable items and of Designated Recyclable Items achieved during the reporting period. Each year on or before sixty (60) days after the anniversary date of this Permit the Permittee shall submit to the Commissioner a report providing the percent recovery rate, by weight achieved during the previous year (year-end report).

In the event the percent recovery rate of non-designated recyclable items achieved is below that which is required, the Permittee shall document in the quarterly report and the year-end report the circumstances which resulted in the Permittee's inability to achieve the specific recovery rates listed in this condition. The year-end report shall also identify the measures the Permittee shall take and the actions the Permittee shall institute to achieve the specified recovery rates.

6. Condition No. C.9. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO is no longer in effect and is replaced by the following:

The Permittee shall prominently post and maintain a sign at the Facility entrance pursuant to 22a-209-10(3) of the RCSA that includes the Facility's name and the Department Permit number (Permit to Construct and Operate No. 13801321-MPCO and this Permit (13801321-2026RMPCO), respective issuance dates and expiration date. Such sign shall also include a phone number that provides the general public the ability to register questions or complaints twenty-four (24) hours per day. The Permittee shall maintain a log of all calls received and how such calls were addressed or resolved. In the event that the Permittee is not a Covered Electronics Recycler or partnered with one, the Permittee shall also post a sign in accordance with Section 22a-636 of the CGS.

7. Condition No. C.12. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO is no longer in effect and is replaced by the following:

The Permittee shall ensure that all Clean Wood received at the Facility is inspected for signs of the presence of the Asian Longhorn Beetle or Spotted Lanternfly (SLF). Signs indicating possible Asian Longhorn Beetle infestation can be found at the Department's webpage: <http://www.ct.gov/deep/alb>. Connecticut has a state-wide quarantine for SLF with regulated areas defined as towns with established populations as updated at <https://portal.ct.gov/CAES/CAPS/CAPS/Spotted-Lanternfly---SLF>.

- a. The Permittee shall ensure each load of Clean Wood is visually assessed for possible pest infestation as part of the on-site routine inspections.
- b. Any Clean Wood suspected of being infested by the Asian Longhorn Beetle or Spotted Lanternfly should be identified at the source of generation and managed in accordance with existing quarantine agreements that may exist, i.e., wood from the State of Massachusetts that enters Connecticut for receipt and processing.

c. If signs of infestation are observed:

Digital photos and careful identification notes must be provided to the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station (Deputy State Entomologist direct phone line: 203-974-8474; and e-mail CAES.StateEntomologist@ct.gov or for SLF ReportSLF@ct.gov).

- i. The infested Clean Wood shall be: segregated from other Clean Wood; marked as segregated; securely stored and kept reasonably intact.
- ii. Any handling activities (e.g. chipping and moving) shall be postponed until an investigator from, or designated by, the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, has examined the potentially infested Clean Wood.
- iii. Any truck load tickets and other documentation of deliveries shall note whether a pest infestation assessment has been conducted.

8. Condition No. C.14. of Permit No. 13801321-MPCO is no longer in effect and is replaced by the following:

The Permittee shall, no later than sixty (60) Days after the issuance date of this Permit establish for the Commissioner's benefit an acceptable financial assurance instrument and post the financial assurance with the Department in the amount of **\$493,794.00** as required by Section 22a-6(a)(7) of the CGS.

9. Condition No. C.24. Permit No. 13801321-MPCO is no longer in effect and is replaced by the following:

Permit to Construct and Operate No. 13801321-MPCO and Renewal of Permit to Construct and Operate No. 13801321-2026RMPCO, as amended herein, shall expire five (5) years from the issuance date of this renewal and may be revoked, suspended, modified, renewed, or transferred in accordance with applicable laws.

Issued on this _____ day of insert of, 2026.

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Jennifer L. Perry, P.E., Chief
Bureau of Materials Management and
Compliance Assurance

Application No. 202305208

Modified Permit to Construct and Operate No. 13801321-MPCO and;
Renewal of Permit to Construct and Operate No. 13801321-2026RMPCO

Permittee - e-Certified

City/Town Clerk - e-Certified

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