NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND HEARING FOR THE DRAFT PERMIT DECISION FOR A MAJOR MODIFICATION OF A CLASS 4 LANDFILL FACILITY DRAFT PERMIT NO: 0290-S4-R2; AFIN: 72-00144

In accordance with provisions of Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APC&EC) Regulation No. 8.209 and 8.210, public notice is hereby given that the Division of Environmental Quality (DEQ) will be holding a public meeting and hearing on the preliminary decision to issue a draft permit for a solid waste disposal facility expansion for the Eco-Vista Class 4 landfill. The Eco-Vista Class 4 Landfill facility located at 2210 Waste Management Drive, Springdale, Washington County Arkansas.

The public hearing will be held at Springdale Senior Activity Wellness Center, 203 Park Street, Springdale, AR 72764 on November 2, 2022 from 5:00 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interested persons may make oral comments during the public hearing, although DEQ encourages submission of written comments, data, views or arguments to the DEQ regarding this draft permit decision. Other than the permit applicant, only those persons who submitted comments on the draft permit decision during the previously designated 30-day comment period, or who submit comments for the record at the public hearing shall have legal standing to appeal any final permitting decision made by the Director.

A final, written decision on this permit application will be prepared and issued by the DEQ after the public hearing provided for in this notice. The final decision will include a response to each issue raised during the public comment period, and will include an explanation of the rationale for any technical requirements or standards involved in making the final decision. Any person with legal standing in this matter may appeal the final decision to the APC&EC. Appeals must be in writing, must be filed within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of the final permit decision, and must conform to all of the requirements set forth in applicable laws and Regulations. General information on appeal procedures may be obtained by contacting the Department of Energy and Environment, Office of Chief Counsel by phone at (501) 682-0892, however, specific legal advice cannot be provided.

Dated this 13th day of October, 2022

Julie Linck, Chief Administrator Division of Environmental Quality