

**NOTICE OF 30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR
PROPOSED BIOHAZARDOUS MEDICAL WASTE FACILITY PLAN APPROVAL
WM HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, INC.,
BIOHAZARDOUS MEDICAL WASTE STORAGE AND TRANSFER FACILITY
PIMA COUNTY, ARIZONA**

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has received a *Biohazardous Medical Waste Facility Plan Application* for the WM Healthcare Solutions, Inc. biohazardous medical waste storage and transfer facility. The proposed storage and transfer facility is located at 3824 N. Highway Drive, Tucson, AZ, 85705. **This notice commences a 30-day written public comment period from September 25, 2016, through October 25, 2016.**

Biohazardous medical waste is transferred from truck-to-trailer at the WM Healthcare Solutions, Inc. waste storage and transfer facility in Tucson, Arizona. The proposed plan allows the transfer of biohazardous medical waste from licensed biohazardous medical waste transport vehicles to a refrigerated trailer. The biohazardous medical waste is then transported to an ADEQ-approved facility for treatment or disposal.

The complete record is available at the ADEQ Phoenix Office at 1110 West Washington Street and may be reviewed from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding State holidays. To arrange an appointment to review this record at ADEQ, contact the ADEQ Records Center at (602) 771-4380.

ADEQ invites all interested parties to submit written comments concerning the proposed facility. All written comments must be signed by the person making the comments and include his/her name and address. **All comments must be submitted to ADEQ postmarked by the close of the public comment period on October 25th, 2016.** Submit comments to:

Lisa Kowalczyk
Solid/Hazardous Waste Section
Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
1110 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

ADEQ will review all written comments. If the Director finds a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, or that a hearing may clarify one or more issues involved in the permit approval, the Director will schedule a public hearing on this matter.

To request an auxiliary aid or service for accessible communication, please contact ADEQ at (602) 771-4791 or at HRhelp@azdeq.gov or dial 7-1-1 for TTY/TTD Services.