

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD REGARDING INITIAL MAJOR SOURCE  
OPERATION PERMIT ISSUANCE FOR A SCRAP CENTER LOCATED ON AN  
AUTOMOTIVE MANUFACTURING CAMPUS IN HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

Green Metals, Inc., (“GMI”) has applied to the City of Huntsville Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Management (DNREM) for initial issuance of a Major Source Operating Permit (MSOP). GMI is an existing scrap center, which is an On-Site Partner (OSP) to Mazda Toyota Manufacturing U.S.A. (MTMUS) and is located at 9000 Greenbrier Parkway NW #65 in Huntsville, Limestone County, Alabama, on the MTMUS Campus.

Although GMI alone would be a true minor source of air emissions for both Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) and Title V permitting, the facility was issued permits to construct and operate pursuant to the requirements PSD permitting, as it is part of the MTMUS Campus. The initial MTMUS Campus PSD permit application and associated air quality modeling included GMI, the other OSPs on the MTMUS Campus, and the main assembly plant (MTMUS JV Facility), as the Campus is under common control, and the OSPs provide services and products solely to facilities on the Campus. Any future modifications to the GMI facility (or any other Campus facility) must be viewed in conjunction with any other possible modifications on the MTMUS Campus for purposes of determining PSD applicability.

The main operations performed by GMI are the management and collection of waste and recyclable materials from various facilities on the MTMUS Campus. The potential emissions from GMI are primarily from the combustion of natural gas in HVAC equipment. Currently, there is no emergency support equipment associated with the facility owned and operated by GMI.

This permitting effort is solely to issue GMI its initial MSOP. No modifications to the operation of or the equipment at the facility are proposed. There are no New Source Performance Standards (NSPS) or National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAPs) currently applicable to GMI. There are no Best Available Control Technology (BACT) limitations currently imposed on the facility.

The proposed MSOP includes particulate matter and opacity emission limitations, as well as work practice, monitoring, reporting, and record-keeping requirements.

The links for the Statement of Basis, the Draft permit, and the permit application documents are as follows:

Statement of Basis – [GMI 2025 Statement of Basis – Initial MSOP Issuance](#)

Draft Permit - [GMI 2025 DRAFT Initial MSOP](#)

MSOP Application - [GMI Initial MSOP Application](#)

A public comment period, which begins upon publication of this Public Notice, has been established to give interested individuals an opportunity to provide additional information or comments. If significant comments are received, a hearing may be scheduled.

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Information regarding emissions, applicable air pollution control regulations, and emission controls is available at the DNREM offices or by contacting DNREM at (256) 427-5750. Any person wishing to provide written comments may do so by writing Darlene Elliott, Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Management, City of Huntsville, P.O. Box 308, Huntsville, Alabama, 35804. All comments must be received by 5:00 P.M. CST, February 20, 2025, or thirty (30) days from publication of this Notice, whichever is later.

The scope of this public comment period is limited to air pollution and its effects. Comments relative to site selection or economic and social impacts are not within the scope of this public comment period.