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

Madison Metal Processing, LLC, ("MMP") 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). MMP is an existing steel center, which is an On-Site Partner (OSP) to Mazda Toyota Manufacturing U.S.A. (MTMUS) and is located at 9000 Greenbrier Parkway NW #55 in Huntsville, Limestone County, Alabama, on the MTMUS Campus.

Although MMP 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 MMP, 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 MMP 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 MMP are blanking of sheet metal for use at other facilities on the MTMUS Campus in the process of manufacturing automobiles. The potential emissions from MMP are primarily from the use of rust preventative oils and cleaners used in metal slitting and blanking, as well as the combustion of natural gas in HVAC equipment. Currently, there is no emergency support equipment associated with the facility owned and operated by MMP.

This permitting effort is solely to issue MMP 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 MMP. There are no Best Available Control Technology (BACT) limitations currently imposed on the facility.

The proposed MSOP includes volatile organic compound (VOC), particulate matter (PM), 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 - MMP 2025 Statement of Basis - Initial MSOP Issuance

Draft Permit - MMP 2025 DRAFT Initial MSOP

MSOP Application - MMP Initial MSOP Application

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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.

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 24, 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.