



Solid Waste Management Authority
Hearing Officer Administrative Hearing
MEETING MINUTES

Southern Nevada Health District
280 South Decatur Boulevard, Las Vegas, Nevada 89107
Red Rock Trail Conference Room
9:00 AM – Thursday, January 9, 2025

SNHD STAFF PRESENT:

Donna Houston, Sr. EH Specialist
Edward Wynder, Associate General Counsel
Nancy Cadena, Admin. Specialist
Jennifer Luther, Sr. Admin. Assistant

Bruno Stephani, EH Supervisor
Andy Chaney, EH Supervisor
Jason Garcia, Sr. EH Specialist
Brittney Lewis, Sr. EH Specialist

PUBLIC PRESENT:

I. **CALL TO ORDER:**

The Hearing Officer, Henry Melton, called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

II. **PUBLIC COMMENT:** None

III. **MATTERS REQUIRING HEARING OFFICER ACTION:**

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR HEARING OFFICER MEETINGS

1. November 14, 2024 SWMA Hearing – *MINUTES APPROVED*

B. NOTICES OF VIOLATION WITH CONTESTED FACTS:

1. **Christine K. Mault** – NOV #SW25-178/C6- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority on or about August 31, 2024; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the vacant parcel located at the southwest corner of West Mountains Edge Parkway and South Fort Apache Road, Clark County, Nevada on or about August 31, 2024.

SNHD and the respondent reached a compromised settlement of the case. The details of the agreement were stated on the record and approved and ordered by Hearing Officer Melton. Hearing officer found Christine K. Mault in violation of 2) and imposed an administrative penalty of \$500. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon property other than property designated or set aside for such purpose. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$2,000 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

C. NON-CONTESTED NOTICES OF VIOLATION:

1. **Endurance Environmental Solutions, LLC** – NOV #SW25-236/C4- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about September 23, 2024; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the properties located at and adjacent to the I-15 northbound Public Right-of-Way between East Cheyenne Avenue and North Lamb Boulevard, North Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada on or about September 23, 2024.

The respondent did not contest the Notice of Violation, agreeing to the facts alleged and accepting the proposed penalty. Hearing Officer Melton found Endurance Environmental Solutions, LLC in violation of 1) and 2), and imposed an administrative penalty of \$2,000 for each violation for a total administrative penalty of \$4,000. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop operating a solid waste disposal site without a permit issued by the Solid Waste Management Authority at this location or anywhere else in Clark County, Nevada. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing, or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon property other than property designated or set aside for such purpose.

2. **Wen Hui Li** – NOV #SW25-245/C6- For 1) operating a disposal site in Clark County, Nevada, without a permit issued by the solid waste management authority on or about October 2, 2024; and 2) placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon the vacant parcel located southwest of South Lindell Road and West Ponderosa Way, Clark County, Nevada on or about October 2, 2024.

SNHD and the respondent reached a compromised settlement of the case. The details of the agreement were stated on the record and approved and ordered by Hearing Officer Melton. Hearing officer found Wen Hui Li in violation of 2) and imposed an administrative penalty of \$500. A Cease and Desist order is issued to stop placing, depositing or dumping or causing to be placed, deposited or dumped solid waste upon property other than property designated or set aside for such purpose. Failure to comply will result in the original penalty of \$2,000 as initially sought in the Notice of Violation.

D. NOTICES OF VIOLATION – FURTHER PROCEEDINGS:

None.

IV. REPORT TO HEARING OFFICER

None

V. Public Comment: None

VI. ADJOURNMENT – *ADJOURNED BY THE HEARING OFFICER AT 9:11 A.M.*