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## **METRO SPECIAL EXEMPTION PERMIT**

**ISSUED UNDER METRO CODE SECTION 5.02.160** 

No. SEP-178-17

#### PERMITEE:

Oregon Department of Agriculture

Plant Program Area

635 Capitol St. NE Ste 100

Salem, OR 97301-2532

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**ISSUED BY METRO:** 

Martha Bennett,

**Chief Operating Officer** 

1	NATURE OF WASTE COVERED BY PERMIT
	Yard debris and soil that is generated within, or has come in contact with yard debris
	from the emergency Japanese beetle quarantine area within Washington County.
	Eradication project area map included in Section 11.

2	CALENDAR YEAR TONNAGE ALLOCATION
	The permitee is authorized to transport to the disposal site listed in Section 3 up to 1,000 tons per calendar year of the waste described in Section 1.

# 3 DISPOSAL SITE The permitee is authorized to transport the waste described above in Section 1 to the following disposal site using the companies listed below to: Hillsboro Landfill 3205 SE Minter Bridge Road Hillsboro, OR 97123 This permit is issued on condition that the disposal facility named in this section is authorized to accept the type of waste described in Section 1. If Metro receives notice from the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality that this facility is not authorized to accept such waste, Metro may immediately terminate this permit pursuant to Section 8. Waste from the quarantine area may be delivered by the following companies on behalf of the Oregon Department of Agriculture: Walker Garbage Services 21845 NW Cherry Lane Hillsboro, OR 97124 Waste Management of Oregon 7227 NE 55<sup>th</sup> Avenue Portland, OR 97218 Washington County Drop Box 21435 NW Nicholas Ct. #2 Hillsboro, OR 97124 Aloha Garbage 20525 SW Blanton St. #A

Aloha, OR 97007

Hillsboro, OR 97124

Northwest Landscape Services 1800 NW Cornelius Pass Road

4	TERM OF PERMIT
	(a) The term of this permit will commence on June 1, 2017, and expire on December 31, 2018, unless terminated sooner under Section 8.
	(b) The Chief Operating Officer (COO) may extend the term of this permit if the COO determines that it is in the public interest and the conditions meet the criteria provided in Metro Code Section 5.02.160.

5	REPORTING OF ACCIDENTS AND CITATIONS
	The permitee must report to Metro any significant incidents (such as fires), accidents, and citations involving vehicles transporting the solid waste authorized by this permit.

7	REGIONAL SYSTEM FEE AND EXCISE TAX
	The yard debris and soil described in Section 1 that the permitee transports to the
	disposal site listed in Section 3 under authority of this permit is exempt from Metro's
	regional system fee as provided in Metro Code Section 5.02.160.

8	Additional Permit Conditions
	This permit is subject to the following conditions:
	(a) The permissive transport of yard debris and soil to the disposal site, listed in Section 3, authorized by this permit is subordinate to any subsequent decision by Metro to direct the yard debris and soil described in this permit to any other facility.
	(b) The COO may amend or terminate this permit in the event that the COO determines that:
	i. There has been sufficient change in any circumstances under which Metro issued this permit; or
	ii. Metro's solid waste system or the public will benefit from, and will be better served by, an order directing that the waste described in Section 1 be transferred to, and disposed of at, a facility other than the disposal site listed in Section 3.
	(c) This permit is, in addition to subsections (b)(i) through (b)(ii), above, subject to amendment, suspension, or termination pursuant to the Metro Code.
	(d) The permitee must not transfer or assign any right or interest in this permit without prior written notification to, and approval of, Metro.

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## 9 COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The permitee must fully comply with all applicable local, regional, state and federal laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, orders, and permits pertaining in any manner to this permit, including all applicable Metro Code provisions and administrative rules adopted pursuant to Chapter 5.05 whether or not those provisions have been specifically mentioned or cited herein. All conditions imposed on the collection and hauling of the permitee's solid waste by federal, state, regional or local governments or agencies having jurisdiction over solid waste generated by the permitee is deemed part of this permit as if specifically set forth herein.

### 10 INDEMNIFICATION

The permitee must defend, indemnify and hold harmless Metro, its elected officials, officers, employees, agents and representatives from any and all claims, demands, damages, causes of action, or losses and expenses, arising out of or related in any way to the issuance or administration of this permit or the transport and disposal of the solid waste covered by this permit. Expenses include, but are not limited to all attorneys' fees, whether incurred before any litigation is commenced, during any litigation or on appeal.

## 11 ERADICATION PROJECT AREA MAP

