

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Public Notice

Proposed Revision of a Construction Permit for
Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC in Robinson

Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC has applied to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) to revise the construct permit for the Platformer Turnaround Project at its refinery located at Marathon Avenue in Robinson. In September 2002, Marathon was issued a permit for a project which entailed replacing catalyst and modifications to compressors in its Platformer Unit. Marathon is now requesting that Illinois EPA revise that construction permit to adjust actual emission levels in the permit for the existing heaters which effectively raises the emissions increase from the project. The project would trigger the federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) rules, 40 CFR 52.21.

Based on its review of the application, the Illinois EPA has made a preliminary determination that this project will comply with the applicable environmental regulations and has prepared a draft permit for public review.

The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on the application for this project. **Comments must be postmarked by midnight August 24, 2007.** If sufficient interest is expressed in this matter, a hearing may be held. Comments, questions and requests for information, should be directed to Brad Frost, Bureau of Air, Illinois EPA, P. O. Box 19506, Springfield, IL 62794-9506, phone 217/782-2113, TDD 217/782-9143.

Persons wanting more information may view the draft permit and project summary at www.epa.gov/region5/air/permits/ilonline.htm (please look under All Permit Records, State Construction Permits, New). These documents and the application may also be viewed at the Illinois EPA's offices at 2009 Mall Street in Collinsville, 618/346-5120 and 1340 N. Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). Copies of the documents will be made available upon request.