

**NOTICE OF THE PRELIMINARY DECISION TO ISSUE A
SIGNIFICANT AMENDMENT TO AN INDIVIDUAL AQUIFER PROTECTION PERMIT**

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Pursuant to Arizona Administrative Code, Title 18, Chapter 9, Article 1, the Director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality intends to issue an individual Aquifer Protection Permit to the following applicant(s):

Facility Name: Evergreen Maintenance Center

Significant Amendment to Aquifer Protection Permit No. P-105903

Permittee: Evergreen Maintenance Center, Inc.
Pinal Air Park
Marana, Arizona 85653

The site is located in Marana, Arizona, in Pinal County at 32° 30' 20" North Latitude and 111° 19' 00" West Longitude, in Township 10 South, Range 10 East, Section 33. The site currently occupied by the Evergreen Maintenance Center (EMC) and has been used as an aircraft facility since 1942. Site activities include maintenance, testing, and repair of commercial aircraft. A part of the operation consists of stripping and repainting aircraft. The aircraft paint stripping rack was placed in operation in 1988, and is currently used to wash and remove paint from aircraft. The significant amendment will include the following modifications:

1. The compliance schedule has been updated with compliance item completion dates.
2. The permit was been revised into the current boilerplate resulting in numerous format changes throughout the permit.
3. Alert Levels and Aquifer Quality Limits for the various volatile organic compounds in the permit have been revised and the soil gas monitoring requirements have been removed from the permit based on the results of the site characterization.
4. The Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology has been revised to incorporate the new process of storing the aircraft wash water for removal by a contractor to an approved disposal facility.
5. The compliance schedule has been revised to include discharge characterization and calculation of the alert levels for leak detection and recovery system liquid flow rate.

The draft permit and related documentation are available for public review, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at ADEQ, 1110 West Washington Street, Records Management Center, Phoenix, Arizona, 85007. In Phoenix, please call (602)771-4380 or e-mail RecordsCenter@azdeq.gov, 24 hours in advance to schedule an appointment to review the file.

Persons may submit comments or request a public hearing on the proposed action, in writing, to Steve Vevang, Project Manager, ADEQ, Groundwater Section, 1110 West Washington Street, MC5415B-3, Phoenix, AZ 85007 within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice. A public hearing request must include the reasons for such request.