

# Proposed Project

## Rensselaer Engineered Fuels

### Fact Sheet

**The Rensselaer Engineered Fuels project has submitted a Permit Application to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation to construct and operate a Municipal Solid Waste Processing Facility at 36 Riverside Avenue, Rensselaer, NY.** As part of the application process, the surrounding community is being notified and given the opportunity to provide comments.

**What is the Rensselaer Engineered Fuels project?** The facility will use state of the art mechanical biological treatment (MBT) technology to convert waste into a solid recovered fuel (SRF) that is a marketable commodity substitute for coal. The project will reduce greenhouse gas emissions, reduce dependency on fossil fuels, minimize landfill dependency, and provide a productive use on a currently vacant industrial property and State Superfund Site.

**How might the project impact surrounding community?** The project intends to implement measures that reduce or eliminate impacts. The proposed project will result in a Municipal Solid Waste Processing Facility in an industrial zoned area. Following project construction, the primary potential impacts associated with ongoing operations include truck traffic, noise, and odor. The project is designed to mitigate potential impacts and comply with applicable regulations. If you are concerned about potential impacts, you may wish to get more information. See below to find out how to get more information.

**How can I participate in the project review process?** You may provide comments to be considered in the project permit review process. Comments may be given at a public meeting or in writing during the public comment period. Contact information is provided below to submit comments.

**Where can I get more information about the proposed project?**

Key documents relating to the proposed project will be stored at the following locations:

- Rensselaer City Hall, 62 Washington Street, Rensselaer, NY 12144
- Rensselaer Public Library, 676 East Street, Rensselaer, NY 12144

A public meeting will be held on **Thursday, March 26, 2020 at 4:00 PM** at the Rensselaer City Hall, 62 Washington Street Rensselaer, NY 12144.

Call or write to Rensselaer Engineered Fuels Project:

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**Who is responsible for reviewing the permit application?**

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

# **You are Invited to a Public Information Meeting about the Rensselaer Engineered Fuels Project**

**Rensselaer Engineering Fuels is a proposed Municipal Solid Waste Processing Facility to be located at 36 Riverside Ave., Rensselaer, NY. The facility is designed to process municipal solid waste (MSW) using a state of the art mechanical biological treatment (MBT) technology to produce a solid recovered fuel (SRF) that is a marketable commodity substitute for coal. The City of Rensselaer Planning Commission has approved the Site Plan and Special Use Permit for the proposed facility, and a Permit Application has been submitted to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.**

**Want to know more? Come to a meeting.**

**When:** Thursday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** City Hall, 62 Washington Street, City of Rensselaer, New York 12144

## **Your Attendance is Important.**

- Get information about the proposed project.
- Talk to project representatives.
- Have your questions answered.
- Learn about the opportunities for public comment on the permit application.

Questions are encouraged throughout the meeting. Time will also be set aside at the end of the meeting to answer any remaining questions.

For more information, contact:

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