

Requests the Department of Environmental Quality to give extra consideration to the views of the local officials and the surrounding community when deciding to issue certain landfill permits.

Requires DEQ to immediately take all necessary steps to initiate through its rule-making authority all measures to incorporate such local requirements into its industrial waste regulations under Title 33 of the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Requires that prior to the department issuing an order to commence operations, any industrial waste disposal facility permittee, except for any transfer station, provide the department with a written resolution or authorization from the appropriate municipal or parish governing authority where the facility will be located, dated within 180 days prior to such order and stating that the facility is in compliance with all existing local zoning and land use restrictions.

Requires that the department immediately take all necessary steps to implement such requirements into all industrial waste disposal permits which have not yet received an order to commence from the department.