

10/5/98

**TIME LINE FOR PROCESSING OF TRIASSIC PARK  
HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT**

<u>ACTION</u>	<u>ESTIMATED COMPLETION TIME</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
Issue Notice of Administrative Completeness	November 1, 1998	
Simultaneous legal and engineering review	February 1999	Draft permit must be reviewed by NMED Office of General Counsel to ensure compliance with requirements of hazardous waste act and regulations; design must be reviewed by civil engineer to ensure compliance with technical requirements of hazardous waste regulations; estimated review time assumes draft permit and application are in reasonably good shape; major deficiencies may lengthen review time.
Issue Notice of Technical Completeness	March 1999	Technical completeness determination may be made following civil engineer's review; major deficiencies may lengthen time for determination
Issue Draft Permit	March 1999	After all comments of legal staff and civil engineer are incorporated a draft permit is issued if all requirements are met. (Unremedied inadequacies may result in notice of deficiency, which would extend time, and continued failure to remedy inadequacies may result in issuance of notice of intent to deny).
Public Comment Period	March 1- April 1999	NMED is required to issue a public notice that a Draft Permit or Notice of Intent to Deny has been prepared and is required to allow the public 45 days to review, comment and request a hearing

NMED Internal Review of Public Comments	June 1999	NMED will review public comments received and, if appropriate, revise the draft permit to address issues raised in the public comments.
Public Hearing	June 1999	If a timely request for public hearing is made and efforts to resolve the issues raised by the persons requesting the hearing are not successful, a public hearing will be held. At this time, NMED cannot predict the length of any required public hearing.
Submission of Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law	July 1999	Unless otherwise ordered by the hearing officer, any party may submit proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law and closing argument within thirty days after conclusion of the hearing.
Hearing Officer's Recommended Decision	August 1999	Unless otherwise ordered by the Secretary, the hearing officer issues a recommended decision within 30 days after the deadline for filing proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law.
Comment on Hearing Officer's Recommended Decision	September 1999	Parties are allowed fifteen days to comment on hearing officer's report; secretary may allow oral argument on Recommended Decision.
Secretary's Final Order	September 1999	The Secretary issues a final order no later than the earliest of 30 days after receipt of recommended decision, 60 days after close of hearing record, or 180 days after application is deemed complete.

Note: All times in this Time Line are estimated times. Actual completion time may vary due to a variety of factors, including the seriousness and complexity of any technical deficiencies identified.