

INSPECTION REPORT

Inspection Entry Date/Time	6/19/2025 08:55 AM (CT)		Announced: Yes (tenants and related facilities)
Inspection Exit Date/Time	6/19/2025 09:23 AM (CT)		Access: Granted
Regulatory Program	RCRA		
Type of Inspection	Compliance Evaluation Inspection (CEI)		
Facility or Site Name	Environmental Earth-Wise		
Facility/Site Identifier	TXR000085717		
Facility/Site Physical Address	11020 North Highway 146		
City, State, Zip Code	Mont Belvieu, TX, 77523		
County/Borough	Chambers County		
Generator Status	Non-generator, Transporter only		
NAICS	562998		
Type of Operation	Environmental Earth Wise (EEW) offers waste transportation, tank cleaning, and line cleaning services.		
Geographic Coordinates	29.8483, -94.8951		
Additional Persons Participating in Inspection:			
Name	Title	Organization	Email
Andrew Swingler	Contractor	Eastern Research Group (ERG)	Andrew.Swingler@erg.com
Lead Inspector:			
Janosh Wolters	Janosh Wolters Digitally signed by Janosh Wolters Date: 2025.07.23 20:12:55 -04'00'		
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SECTION I – INTRODUCTION**Site Entry and Purpose of the Inspection**

The Port of Cedar Bayou and surrounding facilities were selected for inspection based on a regional initiative to evaluate facilities at ports receiving or transporting Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)--regulated hazardous wastes, and/or have an International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) Annex V Certificate of Adequacy (COA) issued by the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG).

This report is based on information supplied by the facility representatives, inspector observations, port-related facilities, and other records, including photographs taken, verbal or written statements made during or after the on-site inspection, and/or materials shown, demonstrated, or submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) during or after the on-site inspection. In addition, information gathered prior to or after the inspection from a review of EPA, State, and public records may be included in this report.

Attendees

Title/Organization	Name	Opening Conf.	Closing Conf.
Lead Inspector/ Contractor/ERG	Janosh Wolters	Yes	Yes
Chemical Engineer/ Contractor/ERG	Andrew Swinger	Yes	Yes
Environmental Earth-Wise/Operations Manager	Carter Fitzgerald	Yes	Yes
Environmental Earth-Wise/Waste Manager	Eric Tompkins	Yes	Yes

Facility General Description

Tenant/Area	Inspection Date	Process Description	Area of Concern
Environmental Earth Wise	6/19/2025	EEW provides waste transportation, tank cleaning, and line cleaning services. The facility does not have dock space and does not maintain a MARPOL COA.	No

SECTION II – OBSERVATIONS

Facility: Environmental Earth Wise			
Section: 2.1	Date: 6/19/2025, 08:55 AM	Contains AOC: No	Contains CBI: No
Lead Inspector: Janosh Wolters	Attendees: Carter Fitzgerald (Operations Manager) and Eric Tompkins (Waste Manager)		
EEW, located in Mont Belvieu, TX, operates as a hazardous waste transporter, tank cleaner, and line cleaning provider for clients across a wide array of industries. EEW primarily supports customers by travelling to client locations and conducting tank cleaning and line cleaning services. All customers are considered the generator due to EEW conducting all operations on generator sites. Additionally, EEW transports waste from client facilities directly to a disposal facility. Disposal facilities vary based on the location where services are provided. EEW disposal facilities include Clean Harbors, Veolia, and Republic Environmental. The facility is inland and does not operate any dock space. EEW does not store any customer waste or used oil on site. EEW is registered with the EPA as a transporter of hazardous waste under EPA ID TXR000085717. EEW is a non-generator of hazardous waste. After the opening conference, the inspection team observed EEW’s yard and maintenance shop. The maintenance shop is in the rear of the yard and is used for truck maintenance. Outside the maintenance shop, the inspection team observed one 250-gallon tote of used oil that was approximately ½ full. The used oil container was closed and labeled “Used Oil” (see Appendix 1 – Photo 1). EEW recycles used oil with Stream Environmental, which picks up the used oil as needed. At the time of the inspection, EEW was not accumulating any universal waste. Next, the inspection team walked through the yard that is used for parking trucks. The inspection team did not observe any waste being accumulated in the yard. The inspection team did not observe any areas of concern (AOCs) at the time of the inspection. However, further EPA review may change or add to their potential AOCs. A closing conference was conducted at approximately 9:20 AM with EEW personnel.			

SECTION III – RECORDS REVIEW

No RCRA-regulated records were reviewed during this focused on-site inspection.

SECTION IV – AREAS OF CONCERN

No AOCs were identified at the time of the inspection.

SECTION V – FOLLOW UP

Not Applicable

Communication Log

24 hours prior to the on-site inspection, Erin Young-Dahl from EPA Region 6 notified the facility that ERG would be performing a CEI at EEW.

SECTION VI – LIST OF APPENDICES

Appendix 1. Photograph Log

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PHOTOGRAPH LOG



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Photograph Log

Location: Environmental Earth-Wise		
City: Mont Belvieu	County/Parish: Chambers County	State: Texas



Photo No. 1

Photo File Name: DSCN8774.JPG

Date of Photo: 6/19/2025

Time of Photo: 0909 hrs.

Photographer: Janosh Wolters

Description: View of 250-gallon tote accumulating used oil. The container was approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ full and was labeled with the words "Used Oil." The 5-gallon containers on the left-hand side of the photo were empty. The 55-gallon containers on the right-hand side of the photo accumulated previously punctured and drained oil filters.