FINAL DETERMINATION

PERMITTEE

City of Tallahassee
300 South Adams Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

PERMITTING AUTHORITY

Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Waste Management/Air Resources Program
Northwest District
160 W. Government Street, Suite 308
Pensacola, Florida 32502-5740

PROJECT

Air Permit No. 0730113-004-AC
Minor Source Air Construction Permit
Thomas P. Smith Water Reclamation Facility

Construction of Flare No. 4 to serve as a waste gas burner system to Digester #4. The flare will be used as a waste gas burner for Digester #4 for combustion of digester gas during emergency situations when the digester gas cannot be combusted in Boiler No. 4, and for operational flexibility. The original application documents showed a shrouded flare but applicant later decided the flare will be an open flare as verified in an e-mail dated December 13, 2014 from Russell Wider of the City of Tallahassee.

NOTICE AND PUBLICATION

The Department distributed a draft minor source air construction permit package on February 3, 2014. The applicant published the Public Notice in the Tallahassee Democrat on February 5, 2014. The Department received the proof of publication on February 13, 2014. No requests for administrative hearings or requests for extensions of time to file a petition for administrative hearing were received.

COMMENTS

No comments on the Draft Permit were received from the public or the applicant.

CONCLUSION

The final action is to issue the permit with any minor changes, corrections and clarifications as described above.