

## **New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Notice of Complete Application**

*Date:* 06/30/2026

*Applicant:* BUFFALO BIODIESEL INC  
225 Sawyer Ave  
Tonawanda, NY 14150

*Facility:* BUFFALO BIODIESEL INC  
225 SAWYER AVE  
TONAWANDA, NY 14150

*Application ID:* 9-1464-00118/00003

*Permits(s) Applied for:* 1 - Article 27 Title 7 Solid Waste Management

*Project is located:* in TONAWANDA in ERIE COUNTY

*Project Description:*

The Department has received and is accepting comments on an application for a Solid Waste Management Facility (SWMF) permit for the Buffalo Biodiesel, Inc. Tonawanda facility. The facility is currently operational and requires a SWMF permit to comply with the New York State Environmental Conservation Law. The facility converts used cooking oil and yellow grease into feedstock for biodiesel manufacturing. No increase in capacity is proposed.

The application is subject to Section 7(3) of the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act (CLCPA). The Department requested and reviewed a Disproportionate Burden Analysis (DBA).

Persons wishing to inspect the application and all other materials available to the Department (the "permitting authority") that are relevant to this permitting decision should contact the Department representative listed below. Many documents can be viewed and printed from the Buffalo Biodiesel, Inc. regulatory document repository: <https://buffalobiodiesel.com/regulatory/>

*Availability of Application Documents:*

Filed application documents, and Department draft permits where applicable, are available for inspection during normal business hours at the address of the contact person. To ensure timely service at the time of inspection, it is recommended that an appointment be made with the contact person.

*State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) Determination*

Project is an Unlisted Action and will not have a significant impact on the environment. A Negative Declaration is on file. A coordinated review was performed.

*SEQR Lead Agency* NYS Department of Environmental Conservation

*State Historic Preservation Act (SHPA) Determination*

The proposed activity is not subject to review in accordance with SHPA. The application type is exempt and/or the project involves the continuation of an existing operational activity.

*DEC Commissioner Policy 29, Environmental Justice and Permitting (CP-29)*

The proposed action is subject to CP-29.

*Availability For Public Comment*

Comments on this project must be submitted in writing to the Contact Person no later than 08/07/2026 or 30 days after the publication date of this notice, whichever is later.

*Contact Person*

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