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NEW MATERIALS RECOVER FACILITY HANDLES PACKAGED GOODS RECYCLING

Abingdon, VA – MXI Environmental Services (MXI), a waste transportation and environmental services company, is pleased to announce the expansion of its Distilled Spirits Plant (DSP) that is located at 26319 Old Trail Road (State Road 879), Abingdon, VA. The DSP is co-located with the Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) operated by MXI and is capable of processing six gallons of material per minute. The facility is focused on recovery of ethanol from materials that would otherwise be considered hazardous waste. This expansion includes the addition of seven storage tanks, a state of the art control system and instillation of a Molecular Sieve that will dry ethanol that has been redistilled by MXI in its packed column.

“Expansion of this facility represents a significant additional commitment by MXI to its customers dispose of waste ethanol in an environmentally friendly way,” says Ron Potter, MXI’s president.

“Our expanded facility will continue to use MXI’s proprietary decontainerizing and recycling process. This is a totally packaged alternative to disposal of ethanol that has saved our customers hundreds of thousands of dollars.”

The facility can process a variety of wastes, including

- flush ethanol’s from bottling operations
- byproducts of ethanol from manufacturing operations
- alcohol in drums or totes
- bottled products containing alcohols
- packaged lotions, soaps, powders & other solids

MXI can also transport waste, including less than truckload quantities, from the customer facility on MXI-owned trucks.

If the ethanol is in consumer goods, when it is received at the MRF, it is staged in a secure warehouse until they are processed. “It’s important to many of our customers that we have this area under surveillance,” says Mr. Potter. “It prevents diversion of product to third tier markets and protect our customers’ brand images.”

Perfumes and other products containing ethyl alcohol (ethanol) are processed utilizing MXI’s proprietary equipment. Containers are crushed, and the alcohol-containing liquids are pumped off to into the expanded storage tank farm and then recycled at the DSP and dried for sale as a fuel stock.

MXI has been in business since 1960 when founder C.G. Potter started a small trucking operation out of the Erie Railroad ramp in Jersey City, NJ. He named the company Maumee Express after his hometown of Maumee, OH. Today the company has two divisions, Maumee Express, which handles hazardous and non-hazardous waste trucking, and MXI Environmental Services, which offer waste recycling, remediation and disposal services. The company is permitted for waste transport in 42 states and serves a nationwide customer base from its facilities in Abingdon, VA, Piscataway, NJ, Sumter SC and Fontana, CA. MXI also operates waste transfer stations at Piscataway (hazardous waste), Abingdon (hazardous and solid waste) Sumter (hazardous waste) and Fontana (hazardous waste). The MXI website www.mxinc.com has more information about MXI and a complete list of services.

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