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By: Angela Cassler Date: 10-24-14

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Tim Haaf
 Waste Management, Inc.
 Statewide RDF
 851 Robinson Road East
 Erie, PA 16509

Re: Statewide RDF
 Director's Authorization
 Approval
 Municipal Solid Waste Landfills
 Stark County
 MSWL019989

**Subject: Statewide Recycling and Disposal Facility (RDF), Stark County
 Approval to Continue Compliance Monitoring
 MWU-2R and MW5C-4**

Dear Mr. Haaf:

On June 25, 2014, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Division of Materials and Waste Management (DMWM), Northeast District Office (NEDO) received a document titled *2014 First Semiannual Corrective Measures Activities Report for the Statewide Recycling and Disposal Facility*, dated June 23, 2014, for the Statewide RDF (Facility) located in Stark County. This document was submitted by Eagon and Associates, Inc., on behalf of Waste Management Inc. This submittal included an alternate source demonstration for verified statistically significant increases (SSIs) in corrective measures wells MWU-2R and MW5C-4. Wells MWU-2R and MW5C-4 are currently in compliance monitoring under the Corrective Measures Plan (CMP) as approved on March 22, 2007.

According to the document, analysis of the ground water detection monitoring data indicated SSIs of ammonia in ground water samples at corrective measures well MWU-2R and arsenic at MW5C-4.

The owner or operator's demonstration, in accordance with the CMP, concluded that the verified SSIs are due to natural variation in ground water quality and/or a source other than the landfill and may continue to be evaluated as being below background. If the owner or operator does not receive approval to continue to evaluate ammonia at MWU-2R and arsenic at MW5C-4 as below background by November 7, 2014, which is 135 days from the date of notification, MWU-2R and MW5C-4 will need to be sampled for the Appendix II parameters contained in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10, and a new rate, extent, and concentration determination will need to be established.

Ohio EPA has reviewed the applicable information and concurs with the demonstration, which is included in the June 25, 2014, submittal for corrective measures wells MWU-2R and MW5C-4, that the SSIs detected in the ground water monitoring program are due to natural variation in ground water quality and/or a source other than the landfill. Therefore, in accordance with Section 9.2 of the owner or operator's approved CMP, the owner or operator is hereby authorized to continue monitoring and evaluating ammonia at MWU-2R and arsenic at MW5C-4 as being below background.

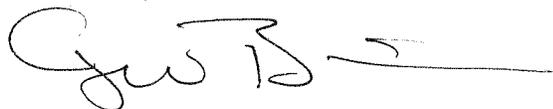
Should future or existing ground water sampling results indicate statistically significant changes in ground water monitoring parameters, the owner or operator will be required to either enter into assessment monitoring in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10(E) or obtain approval to remain in the compliance monitoring program.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to ORC Section 3745.04. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00, made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio." The Commission, in its discretion, may reduce the fee if by affidavit it is demonstrated that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
77 South High Street, 17th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Joshua Adams of Ohio EPA, DMWM, NEDO at (330) 963-1103 or joshua.adams@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,



Craig Butler, Director

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