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Re: Selection of interim actions evaluated in Interim Action and Evaluation Plan

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

Effective as of the date on this letter, pursuant to Order 5.C.4 of my March 28, 2007 Findings and Orders, I select the following interim actions recommended by Countywide Recycling and Disposal Facility (Countywide) to reduce odors and uncontrolled emissions at the Countywide landfill: all the items recommended in Table 3-3 of Countrywide's Interim Action and Evaluation Plan, submitted April 11, 2007, specifically, items 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. I find that these measures are technically feasible and potentially effective measures that can be implemented to further prevent nuisance odors and uncontrolled landfill gas emissions from being released from the Countywide facility prior to implementation of the comprehensive remedial action required by my March 28, 2007 Findings and Orders. I select these measures subject to the following conditions, none of which should prevent Countywide from proceeding with implementation of the measures:

1. For measure # 2, identify, within two weeks from the date of this letter, all wells where the new condensate pumps will be installed or relocated. Please describe a plan or schedule for identifying future wells in which Countywide will install or relocate condensate pumps.
2. For measure # 6, identify, within two weeks from the date of this letter, all wells that will be repaired or replaced. Please describe a plan or schedule for identifying future wells that Countywide will repair or replace.
3. For measure # 7, when will the areas of the intermediate cover that need to be repaired be identified? Please describe how soon repairs will be made after damage is identified.

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4. For measure #10, please also evaluate whether the TSC should be expanded to cover more than 30 acres.

5. Monthly reports should be submitted to summarize the progress made in implementing each of the recommended measures. Reports addressing the activities of the previous calendar month should be submitted by the 10th of each month.

Countywide shall implement the selected measures in accordance with the schedule set forth in Table 3-4 of Countywide's Interim Action and Evaluation Plan. The Director reserves the right to have Countywide evaluate or implement additional interim measures as such measures may be identified.

Nothing in this selection document is meant or shall be construed as approval by or agreement with all statements by Countywide in its Interim Action and Evaluation Plan, particularly regarding the nature and history of events at and around the landfill or regarding the nature, number or substance of, or motivation for, odor complaints.

I have given consideration to, and based my determination on, evidence relating to the technical feasibility and economic reasonableness of complying with this action and to evidence relating to conditions calculated to result from compliance with this action, and its relation to the benefits to the people of the State to be derived from such compliance in accomplishing the purposes of ORC Chapter 3704.

Sincerely,



Chris Korleski
Director

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