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Drew Yesmunt
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Via Email and U.S. Mail

Dear Mr. Yesmunt,

Delta Solid Waste Management Authority is writing in response to the Violation Letter dated June 25, 2024. An inspection of Delta County Landfill was performed on May 16, 2024 by Drew Yesmunt and Lauren Luce. Listed below are the response and corrections listed based on each alleged violation. Our job is to comply to state regulations and that is what we always strive to do, we have immediately initiated some new record keeping practices to help EGLE clearly see how asbestos is being handled at the Landfill.

In response to EUASBESTOS 40 CFR 61.154©; Special Condition III.1.c. A photo has been attached from Carolyn St. Cyr P.E. Senior Environmental Engineer EGLE, MMD. Ms. St. Cyr performed our regular quarterly inspection on May 15, 2024. As you can see by the photo our asbestos was covered the day before your arrival as we indicated at your inspection. We told you we were doing some grating to that area to create a better berm to protect the asbestos hole better and a couple of the bags became uncovered. We have also attached a photo showing the asbestos hole covered at the end of the day of your inspection May 16, 2024. Based on the evidence provided and our explanation we were not out of compliance as indicated and we are meeting the no visible emission requirement.

In response to the second violation under EUASBESTOS R 336.1213(3); Special Condition VI.4.b. The asbestos hole and the spread on the landfill are covered each night before closing with 6" of cover. To ensure we have adequate documentation to back this up, an electronic chart has been created. This chart is marked indicating the amount and type of cover placed after each asbestos load. A photo is also taken and filed attached to the scale ticket and asbestos waste manifest for said load.

DSWMA strives to always remain in compliance with regulations required and any additional requests in a timely manner. At this time, we believe that we have met all of the requirements to return to compliance, and in some instances the information states we were not out of compliance. If you need anything further or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,



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