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February 19, 2020

VIA EMAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

Ms. Kaitlyn DeVries Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy State Office Building 350 Ottawa Avenue, NW, Unit 10 Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2341

Re: Generate Fremont Digester, LLC January 29, 2020 VN Response Permit to Install No.'s 378-08 and 378-08A

Dear Ms. DeVries:

In accordance with the January 29, 2020 Violation Notice from Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) – Air Quality Division (AQD), Burns & McDonnell has prepared this letter on behalf of Generate Fremont Digester, LLC (Generate Fremont Digester).

EGLE-AQD has issued the Violation Notice for failing to obtain a Permit to Install (PTI). While Generate Fremont Digester does operate under two PTI's, facility ownership and operational staff agree that a new PTI is warranted to adequately reflect current facility operations.

We understand that EGLE-AQD permitting staff are available on the afternoon of March 3rd to participate in a pre-permit application meeting. On behalf of Generate Fremont Digester, Burns & McDonnell is respectfully requesting confirmation of the pre-application meeting at EGLE-AQD's offices in Lansing on the afternoon of March 3, 2020. The following individuals will be attending the meeting on behalf of Generate Fremont Digester:

- Scott Martin
- Jeff Pfost
- Paul Collins
- Karl Crave

In the interim, Burns & McDonnell is currently working on the PTI application submittal. The draft application will be presented and discussed at the pre-application meeting with the goal of finalizing and submitting the application by or before March 15th.





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If there is anything that EGLE-AQD would like to discuss in advance of the meeting, please let us know. You can reach me at <u>samartin@burnsmcd.com</u> / 816-588-3278 / 816-822-3069.

Sincerely,

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Scott A. Martin Project Manager

cc: (via email only)

Ms. Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor, EGLE-AQD Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, EGLE Dr. Eduardo Olaguer, EGLE Mr. Christopher Ethridge, EGLE Ms. Heidi Hollenbach, EGLE Mr. Karl Crave, Fremont Digester