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Carolyn St. Cyr, P.E.  
Dept. of Environmental Quality  
Upper Peninsula District Office  
1504 West Washington St.  
Marquette, MI 49855

Joe Scanlan  
Dept of Environmental Quality  
Upper Peninsula District Office  
1504 West Washington St.  
Marquette, MI 49855

Re: December 15, 2016 complaint/ Violation Notice

Dear John, Carolyn and Joe;

To begin with, I would like to straighten out some preliminary matters. The violation notice is written to Ever-Green Landfill. Ever-Green Landfill has never had any involvement with asbestos, and has never stored or disposed of any asbestos. While there have been complaints in the past that we were illegally disposing of asbestos at the landfill (complaints from the same individual), that has never occurred, and no asbestos has even been on landfill property. If we were disposing of it at the landfill, there wouldn't be two dumpsters and two enclosed box vans of the material on my property.

The asbestos material is what remained from Northwoods Environmental Industries, Inc. which ceased operation several years ago after approximately fifteen years in operation. During those approximately 15 years, we have had two dumpsters for aggregating waste at our shop. These were regularly picked up and disposed of at Waste Management. During that period, these were inspected on numerous occasions by both MDEQ and MiOSHA. Usually as a result of a complaint from the same complainant. At no time during these 15 years did anyone indicate that Northwoods could not store its waste that way, that it constituted Unauthorized disposal of waste, or that it constituted an unlicensed transfer station. Had any of that occurred Northwoods would have changed its operation and waste handling procedures.

Northwoods ran into trouble on those last two dumpsters. Waste Management came out to remove them, and while picking the first one up, a piece of metal the truck was hooked to broke and it couldn't be lifted. The second one was also too heavy (but nothing broke). They indicated that the dumpsters would need be half unloaded by hand to remove a significant amount of weight for them to come back. Waste from the final Northwoods jobs as it wrapped up operations was put in the two enclosed box vans which locked.

They were also removed to the mill property which was both fenced at gated as additional security.

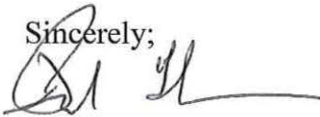
At about the same time our relations with Waste Management became impaired. Because I was one of the parties that purchased the former Stone Container Landfill, there was friction with them. Particularly after we secured one of their large contracts for ourselves. In addition the rates that they were charging me were about 2 ½ times more expensive than their competitor. In addition, Northwoods was out of business.

The waste sat without action for a period of time, partly because of the costs involved, partly because of the labor involved in unloading a dumpster, and partly because of the trucking and other arrangements removal would require. I understand the material was to be gotten rid of in a more expeditious manner, but that didn't occur.

Since that time progress has been slow. Late this summer the landfill (Wood Island) was having work done, roads were bad and we couldn't get a big truck in. Periods of rain and snow have complicated this. Also we must go by the schedule of the trucker who agreed to haul it for us as we have none to do it. In addition, the last time there the back dumper door on his trailer was damaged and it must be welded by an aluminum welder, which is hard to find and schedule around here.

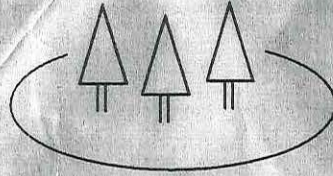
I enclose the 3 manifests for the material moved and disposed of. You will receive one additional manifest when the trucker can haul the last load which should be immediately after the door is fixed. Should you have additional questions, please feel free to contact me at (608)-386-0050.

Sincerely;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Patrick Tucker', written over a horizontal line.

Patrick Tucker

**WOOD ISLAND  
SANITARY LANDFILL**



PAID \$ 1589<sup>00</sup>  
LT# 2196

Wood Island  
M-28 East  
Wetmore, Mi

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09:39:38  
10/Oct/2016

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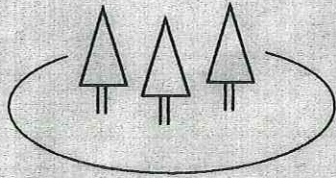
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CUSTOMER NAME NORTHWOODS Environmental  
INDUSTRIES, Inc  
ADDRESS Ontario  
WASTE ORIGIN Hamilton Ontario

WASTE DESCRIPTION SW Ashes  
#12 ASBESTOS  
PAID LT# 2196

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AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

# WOOD ISLAND SANITARY LANDFILL



PAID - C&#  
\$1188  
TOM

Wood Island  
M-26 East  
Wetmore, Mi

10454

TRUCK# 700

10:41:51  
17/Jan/2017

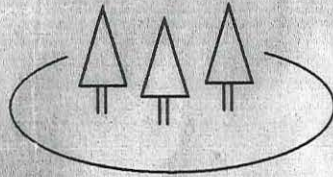
60840 lb GROSS  
35300 lb TARE  
25540 lb NET

#12

CUSTOMER NAME NORTHWOODS ENVIRONMENTAL  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
WASTE ORIGIN Ortonville, Mi  
WASTE DESCRIPTION SW Asbestos

[Signature]  
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

**WOOD ISLAND  
SANITARY LANDFILL**



*PAID*

*CV# 2232*

*1414*  

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*2600*

Wood Island  
M-28 East  
Westmore, MI

10450

TRUCK# 705

11:21:00  
17/Jan/2017

89060 1b GROSS  
58660 1b TARE  
30400 1b NET

CUSTOMER NAME NORTHWOODS SMITH

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

WASTE ORIGIN Ontario

WASTE DESCRIPTION SW Holes

*PAID*

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

# WASTE SHIPMENT RECORD/ASBESTOS MANIFEST

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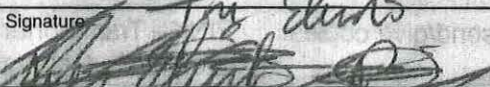
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|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1-A. Special Waste Profile Number  |  | NESHAP Notified<br><input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |  | WSR Number<br><b>80288</b>   |  | Elevation<br>North _____ East _____              |  |  |  |
| 1-B. Generator Name, Contact Name, and Complete Mailing Address (including Zip Code)<br><i>Northwoods Environmental<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>Ontonagon, MI 49953</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | 1-C. Generator's Phone Number                    |  |  |  |
| 1-D. Work Site Address<br><i>VARIED</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | 1-E. 24 Hour Emergency Response Telephone Number |  |  |  |
| 2. Operator's Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><i>Northwoods Environmental<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>Ontonagon, MI 49953</i>   |  |  |  |  |  | Operator's Phone Number                          |  |  |  |
| 3. Waste Disposal Site (WDS) Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><i>Wood Island Landfill E10081 M-25<br/>WETMORE, MI 49895</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | WDS Phone Number<br><i>(916) 387-2646</i>        |  |  |  |
| 4. Name and Address of Responsible Agency<br><i>State of Michigan, Region 1 Headquarters<br/>1990 US Highway 41 South, South Marquette, MI 49855</i>   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Description of Materials  |  |  |  |  |  | 6. Containers No. Type                           |  | 7. Total Quantity yd3                    |  |
| friable asbestos   |  |  |  | RQ, NA2212, Asbestos, 9, PGIII   |  |  |  |  |  |
| non-friable asbestos<br><i>Fibre Glass Windows/ceiling</i>   |  |  |  | Cat I <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cat II <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |  |  |  | <i>30 yds<br/>25,540 LBS<br/>\$1,150</i> |  |
| 8. Special Handling Instructions and Additional Information<br><i>24 HOUR NOTICE GIVEN PRIOR TO DISPOSAL MUST BE BURIED</i>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9. GENERATOR/OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATION: I hereby declare that the contents of this consignment are fully and accurately described above by proper shipping name and are classified, packed, marked, and labeled, and are in all respects in proper condition for transport by highway according to applicable international and government regulations. I hereby certify that the asbestos is not contaminated with hazardous, PCB, and/or any special waste. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><i>Patricia Tucker, Pres</i>   |  |  |  | Signature<br><i>[Signature]</i>  |  | Date<br><i>12/15/17</i>                          |  |  |  |
| 10. Transporter 1 Company Name<br><i>TNT Trucking</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | Driver Signature<br><i>[Signature]</i>           |  |  |  |
| Complete Mailing Address<br><i>M-64<br/>Ontonagon, MI 49953</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | Printed Name and Title<br><i>Pat</i>             |  |  |  |
| Telephone Number (including area code)<br><i>(506) 281-1674</i>  |  |  |  |  |  | Date<br><i>1-17-18</i>                           |  |  |  |
| 11. Transporter 2 Company Name   |  |  |  |  |  | Driver Signature                                 |  |  |  |
| Complete Mailing Address   |  |  |  |  |  | Printed Name and Title                           |  |  |  |
| Telephone Number (including area code)   |  |  |  |  |  | Date   |  |  |  |
| 12. Discrepancy Indication Space   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13. Waste Disposal Site Owner or Operator<br>Special Waste Approval is issued by signature in the case of a Generic Asbestos Approval.<br>Certification of receipt of asbestos materials covered by this manifest except as noted in Item 12.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><i>Wood Island Landfill</i>  |  |  |  | Signature<br><i>[Signature]</i>  |  | Date<br><i>1/17/18</i>                           |  |  |  |

# WASTE SHIPMENT RECORD/ASBESTOS MANIFEST

(See Reverse for Instructions)

|                            |            |
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| For Disposal Site Use Only |            |
| Elevation _____            |            |
| North _____                | East _____ |

|  |  |  |  |   |                         |
|--|--|--|--|---|-------------------------|
| Generator  | 1-A. Special Waste Profile Number  | NESHAP Notified<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO           | WSR Number<br><b>899503</b>  |   |                         |
|  | 1-B. Generator Name, Contact Name, and Complete Mailing Address (Including Zip Code)<br><b>NORTHWOODS ENVIRONMENTAL INDUSTRIES, INC.<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>Ontonagon, MI 49953</b>   |  |  | 1-C. Generator's Phone Number<br><b>(608) 388-0050</b>                    |                         |
|  | 1-D. Work Site Address<br><b>SAME</b>  |  |  | 1-E. 24 Hour Emergency Response Telephone Number<br><b>(906) 884-6155</b> |                         |
|  | 2. Operator's Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><b>NORTHWOODS ENVIRONMENTAL INDUSTRIES, INC.<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>Ontonagon, MI 49953</b>  |  |  | Operator's Phone Number<br><b>(608) 388-0050</b>                          |                         |
|  | 3. Waste Disposal Site (WDS) Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><b>Wood Island Landfill<br/>E10051 STATE Hwy M-28<br/>WETMORE, MI 49895</b>  |  |  | WDS Phone Number<br><del>(608) 388-0050</del><br><b>906-387-2641</b>      |                         |
|  | 4. Name and Address of Responsible Agency<br>State of Wisconsin, Department of Natural Resources, 1125 Military Avenue, Green Bay, WI 54307<br>State of Michigan; Region 1 Headquarters, 1990 US Highway 41 South, Marquette, MI 49855 |  |  |   |                         |
|  | 5. Description of Materials  |  |  | 6. Containers No. Type  | 7. Total Quantity yd3   |
|  | friable asbestos   |  |  | Asbestos, 9, NA2212, III, RQ  |                         |
|  | <b>MIXED WASTE</b>   |  |  |   | <b>40 yds</b>           |
|  | non-friable asbestos   |  |  | Cat I _____ Cat II _____  | <b>(LBS) 34180 LBS</b>  |
| 8. Special Handling Instructions and Additional Information<br><b>24 HOUR NOTICE GIVEN PRIOR TO DISPOSAL, MUST BE BURIED</b>   |  |  |  |   |                         |
| 9. GENERATOR/OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATION: I hereby declare that the contents of this consignment are fully and accurately described above by proper shipping name and are classified, packed, marked, and labeled, and are in all respects in proper condition for transport by highway according to applicable international and government regulations. I hereby certify that the asbestos is not contaminated with hazardous, PCB, and/or any special waste. |  |  |  |   |                         |
| Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><b>Patrick Tucker</b>  |  | Signature<br> |  | Date<br><b>Oct 1, 2016</b>  |                         |
| Transporter  | 10. Transporter 1 Company Name<br><b>TNT Trucking, Inc.</b>  |  | Driver Signature<br> |   |                         |
|  | Complete Mailing Address<br><b>M-64<br/>Ontonagon, MI</b>  |  | Printed Name and Title<br><b>TOM M PICOTTE</b>   |   |                         |
|  | Telephone Number (including area code)<br><b>(906) 281-1674</b>  |  | Date<br><b>10/10/16</b>  |   |                         |
|  | 11. Transporter 2 Company Name   |  | Driver Signature   |   |                         |
| Complete Mailing Address   |  | Printed Name and Title   |  |   |                         |
| Telephone Number (including area code)   |  | Date   |  |   |                         |
| Disposal Site  | 12. Discrepancy Indication Space   |  |  |   |                         |
|  | 13. Waste Disposal Site Owner or Operator<br><b>WOOD ISLAND LANDFILL - TROY EDWARDS (PS)</b>   |  |  |   |                         |
|  | Special Waste Approval is issued by signature in the case of a Generic Asbestos Approval. Certification of receipt of asbestos materials covered by this manifest except as noted in Item 12.  |  | Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><b>Troy Edwards</b>  |   | Date<br><b>10/10/16</b> |
| Signature<br>  |  | Date<br><b>10/10/16</b>  |  |   |                         |

WHITE - Disposal Site      CANARY - Generator      PINK - Transporter      GOLD - Generator

# WASTE SHIPMENT RECORD/ASBESTOS MANIFEST

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|--|--|--|--|---|--|---|--|--------------------------|--|
| 1-A. Special Waste Profile Number  |  | NESHAP Notified<br>YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |  | WSR Number<br><b>80290</b>  |  | Elevation _____<br>North _____ East _____ |  |                          |  |
| 1-B. Generator Name, Contact Name, and Complete Mailing Address (including Zip Code)<br><b>NORTHWOODS ENVIRONMENTAL<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>Ontonagon</b>  |  |  |  | 1-C. Generator's Phone Number<br><b>(906) 884-6155</b>                    |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 1-D. Work Site Address<br><b>VARIED</b>  |  |  |  | 1-E. 24 Hour Emergency Response Telephone Number<br><b>(906) 884-6155</b> |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 2. Operator's Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><b>NORTHWOODS ENVIRONMENTAL<br/>34495 US Hwy 45<br/>ONTONAGON, MI 49857</b>   |  |  |  | Operator's Phone Number<br><b>(906) 884-6155</b>                          |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 3. Waste Disposal Site (WDS) Name and Complete Mailing Address<br><b>Wood Island Landfill<br/>Westmore, MI 49895</b>   |  |  |  | WDS Phone Number<br><b>[REDACTED]</b>                                     |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 4. Name and Address of Responsible Agency<br><b>State of Michigan, Region 1 Headquarters<br/>1090 US Highway 41 South, South Marquette, MI 49855</b>   |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 5. Description of Materials  |  |  |  |   |  | 6. Containers<br>No. Type                 |  | 7. Total Quantity<br>yd3 |  |
| friable asbestos<br><b>Asbestos</b>  |  |  | RQ, NA2212, Asbestos, 9, PGIII   |   |  |   |  | 30 yds                   |  |
| non-friable asbestos<br><b>Floor Tile / windows</b>  |  |  | Cat I <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cat II <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |   |  |   |  | 30400                    |  |
| 8. Special Handling Instructions and Additional Information<br><b>24 HOUR NOTICE GIVEN PRIOR TO DISPOSAL, MUST BE BURIED</b>   |  |  |  |   |  |   |  | <b>\$1414</b>            |  |
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| Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><b>Patrick Tudor, Pres</b>   |  |  | Signature<br>  |   |  | Date<br><b>1/15/17</b>                    |  |                          |  |
| 10. Transporter 1 Company Name<br><b>TNT Trucking</b>  |  |  |  | Driver Signature<br>  |  |   |  |                          |  |
| Complete Mailing Address<br><b>M-64<br/>Ontonagon, MI</b>  |  |  |  | Printed Name and Title<br><b>Pro</b>                                      |  |   |  |                          |  |
| Telephone Number (including area code)<br><b>(906) 281-1614</b>  |  |  |  | Date<br><b>1-17-17</b>  |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 11. Transporter 2 Company Name   |  |  |  | Driver Signature  |  |   |  |                          |  |
| Complete Mailing Address   |  |  |  | Printed Name and Title  |  |   |  |                          |  |
| Telephone Number (including area code)   |  |  |  | Date  |  |   |  |                          |  |
| 12. Discrepancy Indication Space   |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |                          |  |
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| Printed/Typed Name and Title<br><b>Wood Island Landfill, MI</b>  |  |  | Signature<br>  |   |  | Date<br><b>1/17/17</b>                    |  |                          |  |

WHITE - Disposal Site

CANARY - Generator  
(To be mailed by Disposal Site)

PiNK - Transporter

GOLD - Generator  
(To be taken prior to disposal)