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Division of Waste Management

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Secretary

1/20/2010

Mr. Greg Martin  
Bladen County Manager  
PO Box 14048  
Elizabethtown, NC 28337

Subject: Pre-Regulatory Landfill Sites in Bladen County

Dear Mr. Martin:

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacted Senate Bill 1492 which created a program to assess the public health and environmental hazards at landfill and dump sites that operated prior to 1983 and to develop and implement remedial action plans at sites requiring remediation. The Pre-Regulatory Landfill Unit (Unit) was created in the Inactive Hazardous Sites Branch (IHSB) to oversee these activities. The purpose of this letter is to make you aware of the sites identified in your county and to provide general guidance of relevant state statutes.

Based on the information obtained by the Unit, the sites listed below tentatively qualify under Senate Bill 1492.

<u>ID Number</u>	<u>Site Name</u>	<u>Site Address</u>
NONCD0000148	Bladenboro Refuse Disposal	West Bladen St, Bladenboro
NONCD0000147	Clarkton Refuse Disposal	Brown Marsh Rd, Clarkton
NONCD0000144	Dublin Refuse Dump	Rice Pond Rd, Dublin
NONCD0000145	Elizabethtown Refuse Disposal	Queen St, Elizabethtown
NONCD0000143	Tar Heel Refuse Disposal	Tar Heel Ferry Rd, Tar Heel
NONCD0000146	White Lake Refuse Dump	East Williams St, White Lake

Work at these sites may be performed using the Unit's resources or through local government actions. The Unit has prioritized the sites statewide based on their threat to public health and the environment and will perform assessments and implement remedial actions based on this priority. Local governments may opt to perform the work at any time under the guidance of the Unit. Reimbursement of local government costs may be available for assessments and remedial actions to abate an imminent hazard as funds are available. The conditions for reimbursement include approval of the assessment and remediation plan by the Unit and certified accounting of costs. A document, *IHSB Guidelines for Addressing Old Landfills & Dumps*, was developed to assist local governments and the Unit in this work. It is available on our web site, [http://wastenotnc.org/sfhome/IHSBRNCH\\_OldLandfills.HTM](http://wastenotnc.org/sfhome/IHSBRNCH_OldLandfills.HTM), for your review.

An additional purpose in notifying you of these sites is to provide information to assist in your responsibilities in the permitting of private drinking water wells. The General Assembly enacted

legislation which required local health departments to implement programs for the permitting, inspecting, and testing of private drinking water wells by July 1, 2008. State well construction standards in 15A NCAC 2C require a minimum horizontal separation of 500 feet between a water supply well and a landfill or disposal site. More precise location information for the sites in your county may be requested from the Unit.

If you are aware of additional sites, have additional information on the identified sites, or need further information, please contact me at (919) 508-8484.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'AS', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Aaron Shear, Hydrogeologist  
Pre-Regulatory Landfill Unit  
Inactive Hazardous Sites Branch  
Superfund Section

cc: Mr. Wayne Steward – Bladen County Health Director



## North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Dexter R. Matthews, Director

Division of Waste Management

Michael F. Easley, Governor  
William G. Ross Jr., Secretary

February 26, 2007

<SAL> <FIRST> <LAST>, County Manager  
County of <MUNICIPALITY>  
<ADDRESS>  
<TOWN>, North Carolina <ZIP>

Subject: Assessment, Cleanup, and Redevelopment of Old Landfill Sites Within Your Jurisdiction

Dear <SAL> <LAST>:

Governor Easley released his proposed budget February 22, 2007. Included in the budget is a specific item I believe should be of interest to you from a fiscal, environmental and public health protection perspective.

There are approximately 700 old landfills statewide and <LANDFILL#> old landfills in your local area that closed before the State permitting system became effective. These landfills are listed on the Old Landfill Sites portion of the Inactive Hazardous Sites Inventory maintained by the Superfund Section, Division of Waste Management. Any person, including local governments, that arranged for disposal or disposed of waste in the landfills may be held liable for the cleanup of the site. I have attached a report that identifies the location of known old landfill sites in <COUNTY NAME> County that may have closed prior to 1983 and thus qualify for the program described in this letter.

The Division has surveyed old landfills in 47 counties. The results of the survey indicate reason for concern about potential public health and safety impacts of these sites if they are not addressed. Seventy percent of the sites surveyed had a school, church, residence, day care or drinking water source within 1000 feet. The Division has found 102 old landfills that have a drinking water well within 500 feet. Thirteen of the landfills surveyed have residences built over the old landfill. The cost of assessment and cleanup of these old landfill sites can be as high as several million dollars.

Governor Easley's budget establishes a partnership between the State and local governments to both clean up the old landfill sites and provide funding for redevelopment of the sites. Many are in prime locations for redevelopment opportunities. The Governor's budget proposes to pay for cleanup and redevelopment of these sites through a surcharge on disposal of solid waste. The funding mechanism is a fair one. It is based on the idea that those who use solid waste disposal facilities should share responsibility for cleanup of sites used for solid waste disposal in the past that may have been lawful at the time, but did not meet standards that we now know are necessary to protect public health and safety.

The proposed \$2.00 per ton disposal surcharge would apply to residential, commercial, industrial, and construction and demolition debris type waste that is either disposed at a landfill or passes through a transfer station for disposal out-of-state. The State would use revenue from the surcharge to contract for cleanup of the old landfill sites and to provide grants to local government for redevelopment. The funds could also be used across the state to clean up other hazardous substance disposal sites that have no viable responsible party.

The only tool currently available to the State to ensure cleanup when it is needed is an enforcement action against those who owned, operated, or contributed to old landfills. The Governor's proposal would avoid placing an unreasonable

burden on any one local government and allow us to use our resources for actual cleanup rather than legal action. When old landfill sites were in use, North Carolina citizens, businesses, and industries benefited from their existence as a place to dispose of waste. The surcharge on waste disposal is a way for citizens, businesses, and industries to form a partnership for cleanup and redevelopment of these old landfill sites.

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If you have questions regarding the program for clean-up of old landfills, please contact Jack Butler, Chief of the Superfund Section, at [jack.butler@ncmail.net](mailto:jack.butler@ncmail.net) or call (919)508-8450.

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Dexter R. Matthews, Director

cc: David Thompson, NCACC  
Jack Butler, Chief – Superfund Section



## North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Dexter R. Matthews, Director

Division of Waste Management

Michael F. Easley, Governor  
William G. Ross Jr., Secretary

February 27, 2007

<SAL> <FIRST> <LAST>  
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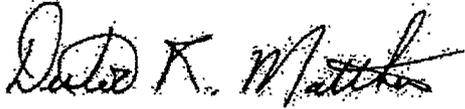
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Dexter R. Matthews, Director

cc: Ellis Hankins, NCLM  
Jack Butler, Chief – Superfund Section

The mailing list for these letters is filed in a folder in the first file cabinet drawer for the old landfill sites.

A statewide Old Landfill Inventory report is filed in a folder in the first file cabinet drawer for the old landfill sites.

Please supply information with asterisk only. If you have questions, contact Gordon Layton .



N. C. SOLID & HAZ WASTE BRANCH  
SOLID WASTE FACILITY MASTER

\* PERMIT NO: 09-01 PERMIT DATE 1 / 1 COUNTY CODE       
 \* FACILITY TYPE: S \*NAME: BLADEN COUNTY LANDFILL PHONE:      -       
 \* LOCATION. Street/State Rd: US. 701 South \* Town/comnty: Elizabethtown.  
 Latitude:      -      -      Longitude:      -      -     

	*PERMIT HOLDER	* PROPERTY OWNER
Type(P, I, C, S, F)	* <u>C</u>	* <u>C&amp;P</u>
Name:	* <u>BLADEN County (Douglas Evans)</u>	* <u>BLADEN County (26 acres)</u>
Street	* <u>P.O. Box 1048</u> <small>Co. mgr.</small>	* <u>P.O. Box 1048</u>
City, ST, Zip	* <u>Elizabethtown NC. 28337</u>	* <u>ELIZABETHTOWN N.C. 28337</u>
		* SEE Below
	* OPERATOR	* CONTACT PERSON (at landfill)
Name:	* <u>BLADEN Co. HEAVY Dept (Isaiah Guyton)</u>	* <u>A.W. Russ</u> <small>only!</small>
Street	* <u>P.O. Box 188 (Courier)</u>	* <u>P.O. Box 188 (Courier 426)</u>
City, ST, Zip	* <u>Elizabethtown NC. 28337</u>	* <u>Elizabethtown N.C. 28337</u>
Phone	* <u>919 - 862 - 2536</u>	* <u>919 - 862 - 4727</u>

CHARACTERISTICS. Operation Category:      ; Type:      ; Subtype:      Size:       
 Monitoring Well (Y/N):      ; Waste Type SW ; Inspection Freq:     

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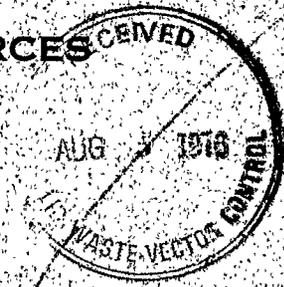
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S - Sanitary Landfill	P - Private	SW- Municipal--Non-Hazardous
D - Demolition Landfill	I - Industry	Solid Waste
TP- Treatment and Processing	C - County/City	F - Flyash
I - Incinerator	S - State	S - Sludge
T - Transfer	F - Federal	O - Other

NOTES: (1) Contact person is person at landfill and landfill number.  
 (2) If operator and property owner are same as permit holder, indicate with "Same."

\* Property Owner → joint ownership w/ JERRY HESTER  
 15 acres.  
 P.O. Box Town office  
 WHITE LAKE, N.C.

NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES

DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES  
SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE  
225 GREEN STREET  
WACHOVIA BUILDING — SUITE 206  
FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA 28301



August 3, 1976

Mr. S. E. Stevens, Jr.  
Chairman, County Commissioners  
Bladen County  
Council, North Carolina 28504

Dear Mr. Stevens:

I would like to thank you and your Board for giving us the opportunity to meet with you yesterday. I find the meeting was very worthwhile and I hope it was able to shed some light on the development of North Carolina's solid waste management program.

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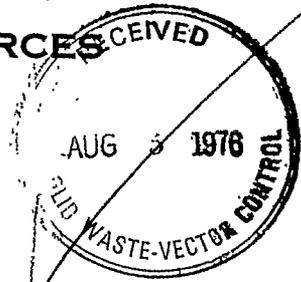
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District Sanitarian  
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cc: Mr. O. H. Strickland  
Mr. Calvin I. Wicker

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Council, North Carolina 28434  
C. H. R.

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TFD:jbr  
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**BLADEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

CAROLINE H. CALLISON, M.D.  
HEALTH DIRECTOR

ELIZABETHTOWN, N. C. 28337

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FEBRUARY 10, 1976



MR. JOHN R. CRUSE, R. S.  
SUPERVISING SANITARIAN  
SURRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
MOUNT AIRY, NORTH CAROLINA 27030

DEAR MR. CRUSE:

THIS LETTER IS IN REPLY TO YOUR REQUEST OF FEBRUARY 6 IN WHICH YOU ASKED THAT, "... YOU PLEASE FORWARD ME ALL THE INFORMATION YOU CAN ABOUT YOUR SOLID WASTE PROGRAM. HOW IT IS CARRIED OUT, WHO PICKS UP REFUSE, WHO OPERATES THE LANDFILLS, THE APPROXIMATE COST OF OPERATION, ETC?"

IT IS FELT THAT YOUR EFFORTS, AS WELL AS OURS WOULD BE MUCH MORE EFFECTIVE IF YOU WOULD VISIT OUR LANDFILL, FOR AS LONG AS YOU SEE FIT.

WE TRIED TO CONTACT YOU ON THREE DIFFERENT DAYS TO CONVEY THIS MESSAGE TO YOU, AND EXTEND OUR INVITATION, BUT WE CALLED WHEN YOU WERE OUT. WE WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO HAVE YOU VISIT OUR DEPARTMENT AT YOUR CONVIENCE, AND WE WILL GLADLY GIVE YOU ALL THE INFORMATION WE CAN RELATIVE TO OUR SOLID WASTE PROGRAM.

IT WOULD BE FINE IF YOU COULD LET US KNOW ABOUT TWO DAYS PRIOR TO THE DAY YOU MIGHT PLAN TO BE HERE. IF YOU CARE TO CALL, PLEASE LEAVE YOUR MESSAGE WITH MRS. STEPHENS IN THE SANITARIAN'S OFFICE.

VERY, TRULY YOURS,

*Calvin M. Wicker*  
CALVIN M. WICKER, SANITARIAN

CMW/DS

CC MR. USRY  
MR. DOVER

December 6, 1974

Mr. C. E. Stevens, Jr.  
Chairman, County Commissioners  
~~Bladen County~~  
Council, N. C. 28434

*JMR*  
Dear Mr. Stevens:

As Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Bladen County, this office would like to congratulate you, the members of your board and those members who have just retired from the board for such an outstanding solid waste management program.

Bladen has been a leader in establishing an excellent program designed for a rural county. Many counties have modeled their programs after the Bladen program. This office has used information and proven facts from your program to establish programs in other areas.

It would not be appropriate to speak of the success of the Bladen County program without a word of appreciation to Mr. Wicker for his many, many hours of devotion to this program.

Again let me congratulate everyone that has had a part in providing a solid waste collection and disposal program for the people of your County.

If at any time this office can be of assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely,

O. W. Strickland, Supervisor  
Solid Waste Management Unit  
Solid Waste & Vector Control Branch  
Sanitary Engineering Section

OWS/ct

cc: Mr. Terry Dover  
Each Commissioner  
Mr. Calvin M. Wicker

April 13, 1973

Mr. Calvin Wicker, R.S.  
Bladen County Health Department  
Post Office Box 188 *JR*  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina 28337

Dear Mr. Wicker:

I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank you for accepting a part on our program "Elements of Solid Waste Management." You are scheduled for Tuesday, May 15, 1973, at 1:00 P.M. for a thirty minute presentation on the Bladen County Solid Waste Program.

Pre-registration forms for you to attend all three days of this program are being handled by us in the Solid Waste and Vector Control Section. A copy of the complete program will be forwarded to you next week as well as suggested overnight accommodations. The meeting is being held at the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh.

Again, I appreciate your assistance and am looking forward to seeing you May 1, 1973, down at Elizabethtown.

Yours truly,

Jerry C. Perkins, Deputy Chief  
Solid Waste & Vector Control Section  
Sanitary Engineering Division

JCP:bm

Bladen  
LW

December 15, 1972

Mr. J. C. Shaw  
Superintendent Street & Water Department  
Town of Bladenboro  
Bladenboro, North Carolina 28320

Dear Mr. Shaw:

Your letter of December 11, 1972 requesting permission to use the old dump site for disposing of stumps, leaves, limbs, blocks, and bricks has been referred to us for answer.

Permission is granted provided access to the site is strictly controlled so that only the above listed items may be placed at the site.

I am asking Mr. Terry Dover, our solid waste consultant in the area, to make periodic inspections for compliance.

Sincerely yours,

O. W. Strickland, Program Chief  
Solid Waste Management Program  
Solid Waste & Vector Control Section  
Sanitary Engineering Division

OAS:elf

cc: Mr. Terry F. Dover  
Mr. Calvin Wicker

MAYOR  
C. B. HASBROUCK

CLERK  
BETTY BOWEN

# TOWN OF BLADENBORO

BLADENBORO, N. C.

December 11, 1972

COMMISSIONERS  
C. A. SHAW  
L. C. BRIDGER, JR.  
B. O. WARD  
D. H. BRIDGER, JR.

Mr. Sidney H. Usry, Chief  
Solid Waste & Vector Control Sec.  
Sanitary Engineering Division  
State Board of Health  
Raleigh, N. C. 27600

Dear Mr. Usry:

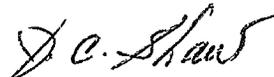
The Town of Bladenboro request permission to use old city dump  
for disposing of the following:

1. Stumps
2. Leaves
3. Limbs
4. Cement blocks and bricks

The city dump is under surveillance at all times.

Very truly yours,

TOWN OF BLADENBORO



J. C. Shaw  
Supt. Street & Water Dept.

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SANITARY ENGINEERING  
DIVISION

October 13, 1972

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Mr. Judson Johnson  
Southeastern Economic Development  
Commission  
P.O. Box 921  
Blizabethtown, NC 28337

OCT 18 1972

SANITARY ENGINEERING  
DIVISION

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Thank you for your letter of October 2, 1972, concerning collection and salvage of automobiles and metal appliances for recovery.

The Environmental Protection Agency encourages such projects as you describe in your letter. However, such projects require considerable or, at least, detailed planning to assure the most economical operation. State laws and local ordinances will play an important part in any such project and above all, a market for the material should be established prior to the beginning of operation.

By conducting a cost analysis on such a project you may well find the total operating expenditures exceed revenues from sales. However, some value should be placed upon cleaning up the blight in the area. Such a value can only be determined by you and your fellow citizens in the area.

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North Carolina State Board of Health  
P.O. Box 2091  
Raleigh, NC 27602

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Elmer G. Cleveland  
Chief

Solid Waste Management Branch

cc: Sidney Usry (with/cpy of incoming)

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*Bladen*  
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October 13, 1972

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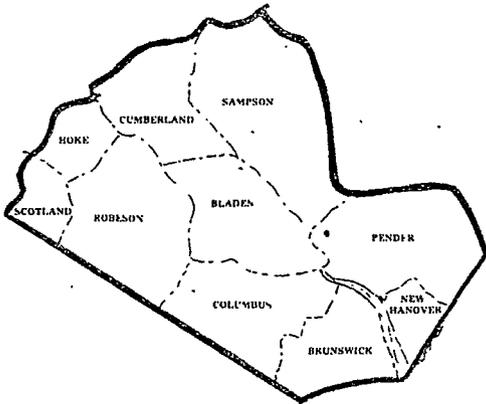
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*Southeastern Economic Development Commission*

*Elizabethtown, North Carolina - 28337*

*P. O. Box 921*

*862-2131*

October 2, 1972

Mr. Elmer Cleveland  
Environmental Protection Agency  
Solid Waste Management Office  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Dear Mr. Cleveland:

The Southeastern Economic Development Commission (SEDC) covers a ten-county area within the southeastern geographical region of North Carolina and includes three Council of Government (COG) Districts designated as "M", "N", and "O".

Our Commission experienced a vital rebirth in fiscal year 1972 with a turn-over in personnel of which the Executive Director, Larry Barnett, and myself came from Georgia.

Upon assuming our job responsibilities with the SEDC, Mr. Barnett and I started a survey throughout our District to find projects that would have a dynamic impact upon our area, and at the same time be of a great benefit to the area people. Several projects were given due consideration before we decided on the following: Our survey showed that the number of abandoned cars within our ten-county region well exceeded 20,000; and more derelict cars are being left at a rate greater than can be picked up and disposed of.

These cars are unsightly as well as instituting a definite health hazard. Insects, primarily anopheles mosquitos, vermine, and rodents are constantly breeding in and around these wrecks. Junk yards, upon completion of salvage, burn these cars to rid them of nonmetallic material (equivalent of open dump burning) and roadside abandoned cars constitute definite safety hazards. We have found that sanitary landfills are unequipped and incapable of handling car bodies as such. North Carolina state law dictates a forty-five (45) day waiting period before abandoned cars can be removed.

Our tentative proposal is to obtain first, a tilt, flat-bed truck equipped with a winch with which to pick up these cars and carry them to a central-disposal location. On site at this central location, junk salvage would first be stripped from the cars; then the bodies would be crushed and made ready for shipment to a nearby material reclamation smelting center, possibly Georgetown Steel Company, Georgetown, South Carolina. Another possibility might involve old delapidated refrigerators left intact with the doors capable of closing.

Mr. Elmer Cleveland

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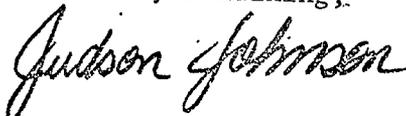
October 2, 1972

Off the cuff, a possible continuation of this project would be to grind up and recycle all glass and convert it into artificial sand (silicone) to fill in our eroding urban beaches (reference Dr. Michael Pilburn of Rutgers University--Natural History Magazine, April, 1972 issue). Whether it is economically feasible has not been determined at this point.

Mr. Cleveland, this letter might seem premature in that we do not have conclusive data at this point in time. I am writing you strictly to see the interest level of EPA and to find out your personal advice on such an operation. Please send any information that you might have in your office on the particular realm of solid waste that EPA is concerned in executing.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, I am

Sincerely remaining,



Judson Johnson

JJ/edg

May 26, 1972

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5-22-72 DATE

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FROM: Steve  
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Form No. SS-11

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BY

JOHN S. MELVIN  
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ADDRESS: Elizabethtown, North Carolina

PRODUCTS: Computers and Counters

DATE: July 31, 1970

PERSONS CONTACTED: Mr. Herbert Hanna, Plant Engineer  
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SEND REPORT TO: Mr. Herbert Hanna, Plant Engineer

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# VEEDER-ROOT

Veeder-Root Company/ Elizabethtown Division

Elizabethtown, North Carolina 28337/(919) 862-2511

April 18, 1972

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Re: this to get analysis.  
Cynthia [unclear] [unclear]*

*Called 1-24-72 121  
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Box 27687

Raleigh 27611

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Office of Water and Air Resources

GEORGE E. PICKETT, DIRECTOR  
TELEPHONE 829-3003

May 22, 1972

Mr. Herbert Hanna  
Veeder-Root Company  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina

SUBJECT: Wastewater Treatment Facilities  
Disposal of Sludge  
Veeder-Root Company  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina  
Bladen County

Dear Mr. Hanna:

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Sincerely yours,

Randall Kornegay, Analytical Chemist  
Central Regional Office  
Water Quality Division

Cc: Mr. T. F. Armstrong

RK/im

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Bladen  
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Environmental Sciences Analysis Report

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 Address: Tar Heel, N.C.  
 County: Bladen  
 Report to: Bill Meyer  
 Address: Solid Waste

Solid

Date Collected: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: 19 Dec Date Analyzed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Laboratory Number	Results In									
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June 21, 1978

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It is my hope that the program will continue to go forward and remain the excellent program that you wish it to be.

Please come by to see us when you are in Raleigh, and I will do the same when I am in your area.

Sincerely,

O. W. Strickland, Supervisor  
Solid Waste Management Unit  
Solid Waste & Vector Control Branch  
Sanitary Engineering Section

OWS/wss

cc: Mr. Terry F. Dover  
Mr. Steven L. Moffat  
Mr. Robert G. Roberts

*Blades*  
*L.R.*

January 21, 1972

Mr. Herbert Hanna  
Veeder Root Company  
Post Office Box 363  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina 28337

Dear Mr. Hanna:

In regard to your telephone request, I suggest that you write to Mr. Paul Ebert, United Auto Disposal Company, Drawer G, Kernersville, North Carolina 27284, as I understand they are planning to operate a facility for the reclamation of liquid waste. I am sure that they will provide you with the information regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Sanitary Engineering Division

SHU:bm

Veeder Root. \* Chem Content of Sludge

Ch. T	25 <sup>cc</sup> mg/g.	
Ch	25	
CaO	28	280 ppm
Ni	86	
Zn	60	

All of above would go into solution under  
acid conditions, if placed in lead fill it  
should be placed in 4" of egg. lime. and  
covered with "4" of same then the cell sealed.  
6706

*Bladen*  
*JHR*

December 30, 1970

Mr. Randolph Hendricks  
Planning Coordinator  
State Planning Division  
Department of Administration  
Raleigh, North Carolina

Re: CH No. 71-0348  
Solid Waste Disposal System  
Bladen County

Dear Mr. Hendricks:

We would recommend approval of this application.

Bladen County is in need of an adequate and sanitary solid waste disposal system and our staff has developed plans for a county-wide system which have been presented to the County Commissioners.

Very truly yours,

Marshall Staton, Director  
Sanitary Engineering Division

cc: Mr. B. Gene Barrett  
Mr. H. P. Eoll

~~JDF/kj~~

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION  
State Planning Division  
Clearinghouse and Information Center  
Raleigh, North Carolina 27602

NOTIFICATION REFERRAL

ACTION REQUESTED

*M. F.*  
RECEIVED

To: Name B. Gene Barrett, Planning Officer

Agency State Board of Health

Re: Clearinghouse Notification No. 71-0348

The attached Notification to Clearinghouse of Intent to Apply for Assistance is referred to you for review and comment in accordance with Project Notification and Review System procedures established under Bureau of the Budget Circular No. A-95.

RESPONSE REQUESTED BY December 31, 1970

In each response, please refer to the Clearinghouse Notification No. shown above. If your agency does not wish to submit written comments, you may respond by telephone.

It is recommended that you contact the applicant directly if your agency needs additional information on the proposed application, or if there are any questions which may be resolved in this way.

Please reply to: Randolph Hendricks, Planning Coordinator

State Planning Division

Telephone 829-4131

CIC Form # 2

4/70

*Plans presented to Commissioners - Approved by this agency*

**APPLICATION**

**FEDERAL ASSISTANCE FOR  
PUBLIC WORKS AND FACILITY  
TYPE PROJECTS**

(Please read the Instructions before completing this application. Submit application in original and one copy. Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

IA NO.	REFERRAL		
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AGENCIES ASSUMING JURISDICTION			
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1A. APPLICANT (Exact legal name or proposed name if not incorporated)  
 Elizabethtown Bladen North Carolina 28337  
 CITY OR TOWN (County) (State) (Zip code)

1B. TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (Check appropriate box)  
 STATE GOV. AGENCY  LOCAL GOV. UNIT  NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION  OTHER (Specify)

2. LOCALITIES TO BE SERVED

CITIES, TOWNS, OR AREAS (List separately)	COUNTY	POPULATION		
		TOTAL:	1968	CURRENT (Est.)
Bladen County	Bladen	28,881		
Elizabethtown	Bladen	1,625		(Entire County Population)
Bladenboro	Bladen	776		
Clarkton	Bladen	662		
Dublin	Bladen	366		
White Lake	Bladen	130		
Tar Heel	Bladen	95		

3. DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF PROPOSED PROJECT

A. DESCRIPTION  
 The Solid Waste Disposal Project is classified in two sections:  
 1. One or more Sanitary Land Fills to take care of the approximately 20,000 tons of waste produced annually in Bladen County. The Grant and Loan request is for equipment only. The sites will be provided by the County.  
 2. Equipment for a containerized system for collection of waste from the rural areas of the County.

B. PUBLIC INTEREST AND NECESSITY  
 The refuse collected by the six municipalities in Bladen County is presently being placed in six open dumps. Refuse from the rural areas is not collected and is disposed of by the individual family. Some is being buried but most is cluttering farms, woodlands, streams, and highways.  
 The project is needed to protect the health of the people of Bladen County and prevent the depreciation of the County's Environment.

C. PLANNING AGENCY (County, Multi-county, Regional, etc.)  
 REVIEWED BY PLANNING AGENCY (Attach comments)  NOT REVIEWED BY PLANNING AGENCY (If not, explain)

SOURCE OF FUNDS	C O M P O N E N T S				TOTAL (5)
	W A S T E		WATER (3)	OTHER (Describe in G. below) (4)	
	TREATMENT (1)	Disposal COLLECTION (2)			
A. FEDERAL GRANT REQUESTED	\$	\$ 35,600	\$	\$	\$
B. FEDERAL LOAN REQUESTED		44,000			
C. OTHER FEDERAL CONTRIBUTION					
D. STATE CONTRIBUTION					
E. APPLICANT CONTRIBUTION					
F. ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$	\$ 79,600	\$	\$	\$ 79,600

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5. OTHER FEDERAL ASSISTANCE - PREVIOUS OR PENDING

NAME OF AGENCY	TYPE OF ASSISTANCE	INDEBTEDNESS OUTSTANDING, IF ANY	AMOUNT REQUESTED

The applicant represents that the data in this application are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief and that the filing of this application has been duly authorized by the governing body of the applicant.

EXACT LEGAL (Corporate) NAME OF APPLICANT (If unincorporated, enter proposed name)

Bladen County

ATTEST (Signature of attesting officer)

*H. L. ...*

BY (Signature of authorized officer)

*J. S. Singletary*

TITLE

Secretary to the Board

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Chairman  
Bladen County Board of Commissioners

NOTE: Additional Information May Be Requested To Support This Application.

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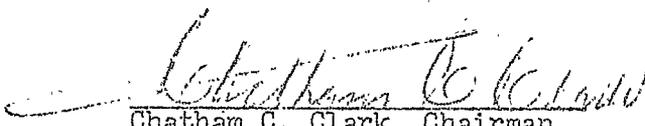
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WHEREAS, it is very important that an application be submitted to the Farmers Home Administration for funds to finance this project at the earliest possible date.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Bladen County Planning Board recommend that the Bladen County Board of Commissioners make an application to the Farmers Home Administration for a loan of \$44,000 and a grant of \$35,600 which represents the total maximum cost of the one landfill and containerized system. This application to be made with the understanding that the request will be amended to a lesser amount if it is found that a multi-landfill program, or combination of multi-landfill and containerized is more feasible.

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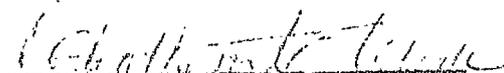
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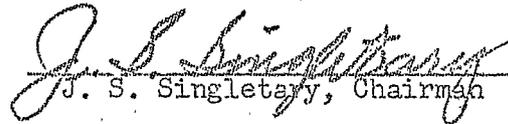
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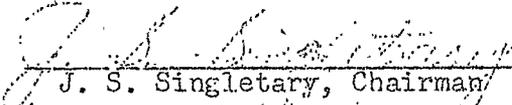
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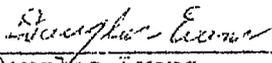
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May 8, 1970

Mr. D. L. Evans  
Clerk to the Board  
Bladen County Commissioners  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina 28337

Dear Mr. Evans:

In reply to your letter requesting assistance in the preparation of a solid waste disposal plan for Bladen County, I am requesting that Mr. Fred Wood visit the county and discuss the procedures and program with you. We shall be glad to provide you assistance in the establishment of a satisfactory program.

Very truly yours,

Sidney H. Uary, Chief  
Solid Waste and Vector Control Section  
Sanitary Engineering Division

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cc: Mr. Fred J. Wood

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# County of Bladen

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

D. L. EVANS, AUDITOR

Elizabethtown, North Carolina 28337

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State of North Carolina  
State Board of Health  
Sanitary Engineer Committee  
Raleigh, N. C.

SANITARY ENGINEERING  
DIVISION

Dear Sir:

The Bladen County Board of Commissioners request that your Committee send a survey team to Bladen County to make a study and recommendations pertaining to sanitary waste disposal needs of this county.

Sincerely,

*D. L. Evans*

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Clerk to the Board

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May 8, 1970

Mr. U. G. Fussell, Director  
Economic Development Council  
Elizabethtown, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Fussell:

In reply to a request from Mr. George Monaghan, I have made arrangements for Mr. Fred Wood, District Sanitarian, to attend the meeting scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on May 14 at Elizabethtown, North Carolina. Mr. Wood will be glad to discuss the solid waste program and the assistance that this agency might be able to provide in the preparation of a satisfactory program for Bladen County.

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