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July 26, 2016

Mr. Terry Worth
City of Graham Land Application Program
PO Box 357
Graham, NC 27253

Re: Yard Waste Notification – Alamance County
City of Graham Land Application Program – YWN01006

Dear Mr. Worth,

The Solid Waste Section has received your yard waste facility notification form. As long as your facility only processes and stores less than 6,000 cubic yards of the following materials on a quarterly basis, you can continue to operate by notifying the Section on an annual basis **by June 1st of each year**. If your composting activities grow in size to more than 6,000 cubic yards quarterly or exceed the 2 acre size limitation please contact the Solid Waste Section for assistance in obtaining a permit.

Facilities operating under notification shall only receive:

- a. Untreated and unpainted wood waste.
- b. "Silviculture Waste" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(41); waste materials produced from the care and cultivation of forest trees, including bark and woodchips.
- c. "Yard Trash" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(55); solid waste resulting from landscaping and yard maintenance such as brush, grass, tree limbs, and similar vegetative material.
- d. "Yard Waste" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(56); yard trash and land clearing debris to include stumps, limbs, leaves, grass, and untreated wood.

Facilities operating under notification are required to operate in accordance with 15 NCAC 13B .1406 and .1404(a)(1)-(10).

If you have questions or if we can be of any other assistance please do not hesitate to contact the Environmental Senior Specialist, John Patrone at 336-776-9673.

Sincerely,

Martin A. Gallagher, Environmental Supervisor
Composting & Land Application Branch

cc: John Patrone, Environmental Senior Specialist, Winston-Salem Regional Office
Deb Aja, Western District Supervisor, Asheville Regional Office
Central File, Solid Waste Section

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Pursuant to 15A NCAC 13B .1401(a), this provision applies to facilities that accept, store, or produce compost or mulch from yard waste.

Pursuant to 15A NCAC 13B .1402(g)(3), the owner or operator of any Type 1 Solid Waste (yard waste) facility which occupies less than two acres of land and processes and stores less than 6,000 cubic yards of material quarterly shall **submit this form to the Department by June 1st of each year.**

1. Facility Name: City of Graham Land Application Program Notification #: YWN-01-006

2. Physical Address of Facility		3. Primary Facility Contact Information	
Street 1: <u>3503 SwepsonvilleSaxapahaw Rd.</u>		Name: <u>Terry Worth</u>	
Street 2: _____		Contact's Title: <u>Public Works Director</u>	
City: <u>Graham</u>	County: <u>Alamance</u>	Phone: <u>(336) 570-6709</u>	Fax: <u>(336) 513-5595</u>
State: <u>North Carolina</u>	Zip: <u>27253</u>	Email: <u>tworth@cityofgraham.com</u>	
4. Property Owner Contact Information		5. Site Manager Contact Information	
Name: <u>City of Graham</u>		Name: <u>Timothy Covington</u>	
Phone: <u>(336) 570-6709</u>	Fax: <u>(336) 513-5595</u>	Phone: <u>(336) 570-6709</u>	Fax: <u>3365135595</u>
Email: <u>fmaness@cityofgraham.com</u>		Email: <u>tcovington@cityofgraham</u>	
Street 1: <u>PO Box 357</u>		Street 1: <u>PO Box 357</u>	
Street 2: _____		Street 2: _____	
City: <u>Graham</u>		City: <u>Graham</u>	
State: <u>North Carolina</u>	Zip: <u>27253</u>	State: <u>North Carolina</u>	Zip: <u>27253</u>

6. The land on which this facility is located is described in the deed recorded in:

Deed Book: _____ Page: _____ County: _____

For the following questions, please fill out based on your records for the period of June 1, 2015 to May 31, 2016.

7. What types of yard waste are accepted at this facility? (check all that apply)

- Land clearing debris Yard trash

Please indicate the specific materials accepted: (check all that apply)

- Stumps Whole trees Tree limbs Brush/shrubs Grass Leaves
 Branches Untreated wood Other yard trimmings
 Other (specify) _____

8. Provide the quarterly volumes of yard waste (cubic yards) for this facility:

Quarter	Cubic Yards Received	Cubic Yards Removed	Distribution of Removed Product
June 1 - August 31			
September 1 - November 30			
December 1 - February 29	3,000		
March 1 - May 31		3,000	To city natural areas, ballfields and local farmers
Total	3,000	3,000	

9. Describe the composting process to be used:

The description of the compost process must minimally include formation of windrows or annual turning of leaves (i.e. passive composting). If additional processing is done, explain briefly (e.g. usage of tub grinder, monthly aeration, etc.)

Leaves are windrowed into piles and we turn them two or more times quarterly to speed decomposition. Meeting the minimum pathogen reduction requirements, the temperature of atleast 131 degrees F is maintained for three days before distribution.

10. Describe the mulching process to be used:

The description of the mulching process must minimally include a description of the process, usage of a tub grinder, etc.

CERTIFICATION: To the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify the information provided in this notification is true, accurate, and complete. Furthermore, the facility will comply with the operational and setback requirements of Small Type 1 Compost (yard waste) facilities as outlined in .1406 and .1404(a)(1)-(10) of the Solid Waste Compost Rules.

Signature: **Terry M. Worth**

Digitally signed by Terry M. Worth
DN: cn=Terry M. Worth, o=City of Graham, ou=Public Works, email=tworth@cityofgraham.com, c=US
Date: 2016.04.22 10:41:21 -0400

Date: April 22, 2016

Name: Terry M. Worth

Title: Public Works Director

Phone Number: (336) 570-6709

Email: tworth@cityofgraham.com

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