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Mr. Robert Allen
Cherokee County – Solid Waste Director
10160 US Highway 19
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Subject: Financial Assurance Cost Estimate
Cherokee County MSW Landfill
Cherokee County, Permit #20-02, Document ID No. 12367

Mr. Allen:

The Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Section (Section) has completed review of your revised Financial Assurances Cost Estimate (DIN 12366). This document was submitted on your behalf by Municipal Engineering Services Company and was received by the Section on December 6, 2010.

This letter approves the financial assurance cost estimate in the amount of four million, seven hundred and eighty eight thousand, one hundred and forty two dollars (\$4,788,142), provided in the submittal. The break down of the financial assurance cost estimates are as follows:

Closure	Post-Closure Care	Potential Assessment and Corrective Action	Total
\$1,314,142	\$474,000	\$3,000,000	\$4,788,142

Please establish a financial assurance mechanism in the approved amount within 30 days of receipt of this letter. Contact Donald Herndon, Division Compliance Officer, at (919) 508-8502, or by email at donald.herndon@ncdenr.gov , if you should have any questions regarding the financial assurance mechanism.

If you should have any other questions regarding this matter please contact me at (828) 296-4703, or by email at allen.gaither@ncdenr.gov .

Sincerely,

Allen Gaither
Environmental Engineer

Cc: Mr. Wayne Sullivan – Municipal Engineering Services Company
Mr. Donald Herndon – SWS/RCO