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Subject: RE: FW: Acceptance of Yard Waste

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Date: Fri, 15 Dec 2006 14:02:04 -0500

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Hi Toni,

Attached for your review is a revised transfer station operations plan with table of contents and cover page. New text is highlighted in yellow. The original document was provided by Bill Almes, now of Withers and Ravenel, who prepared the original plan for Almes & Associates in 2001.

Jeff Burrier of Brunswick Waste Management will provide a new letter today after 3 p.m. that includes all of the information you requested. I will fax it to you as soon as I receive it.

The temporary small-customer receipt area mentioned in 2.0 Waste Acceptance Criteria is a DWM-approved location next to the transfer station where citizen and small commercial yard waste customers have been depositing their yard waste since the compost facility fire in September. The City moves the waste to the compost facility by the end of each day for grinding and transport out. DWM has proposed allowing us to continue this process through 1/31/07 in a proposed settlement offer on our compliance offer.

Thank you and please let me know if you need anything further.

Regards,  
Julia

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**From:** Toni Wyche Jones [mailto:Toni.Wyche.Jones@ncmail.net]  
**Sent:** Friday, December 15, 2006 10:20 AM  
**To:** Mullen, Julia  
**Cc:** Haynesworth, Brian; Ed Mussler; Mary Whaley  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Acceptance of Yard Waste

Good morning, Julia,

Sorry for the all of the trouble with my email address! I did receive your messages, and I've been advised to work on this permit modification this morning. I'm currently drafting the permit which approves the modifications as proposed, but before I move forward, please address the following at your earliest convenience:

- 1) Please submit (via emailed .pdf or fax) the signed letter from Jeffery Burrier (General Manager of Brunswick Waste Management Landfill). Ensure the letter specifies not only that the facility is permitted to accept yard waste, but also specifies that the facility agrees to accept yard waste from the City of Durham Transfer Station.

2) Please submit, in its entirety, the final revised Operations Plan showing all of the proposed modifications.

In the meantime, I will draft the modified permit and submit it for signature today. Thank you for your assistance, and if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me!

**Toni Wyche Jones, EI**

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Mullen, Julia wrote:

Hi Toni,

After I left a phone message on this, I was able to access the contact list and find your correct e-mail address. Sorry about the confusion.

Regards,  
Julia

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**From:** Mullen, Julia  
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**To:** 'ed.mussler@ncmail.net'; 'toni.wyche@ncmail.net'  
**Cc:** Long, Donald; Haynesworth, Brian  
**Subject:** FW: Acceptance of Yard Waste

Hello Ed and Toni,

Attached please find a draft request to modify the City of Durham transfer station permit and operating plan to allow receipt of yard waste, mulch, and compost. This e-mail also forwards an e-mail with letter text from Jeffery Burrier of Brunswick Waste Management confirming that his Virginia facility is permitted to receive this material. In our proposed modification language, we address Mr. Burrier's heat concern. We very much appreciate your expedited review and will prepare the final modification request based upon your comments.

Regards,

Julia

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**From:** Jeff Burrier [<mailto:Jeff.Burrier@awin.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 07, 2006 9:52 AM  
**To:** Haynesworth, Brian  
**Cc:** Tookes, Christina; Long, Donald; Mullen, Julia  
**Subject:** Re: Acceptance of Yard Waste

As discussed, letter is attached. A signed copy is also being sent via fax. **SEE ATTACHED FAX (ATTACH 3 DOC 9)**

The only operational concern with the compost is that we make sure that the material does not get hot when exposed to air and that we eliminate the risk of fire. When you are ready, I would be more than happy to discuss potential procedures to minimize this risk.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Jeff Burrier  
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>>> "Haynesworth, Brian" <[Brian.Haynesworth@durhamnc.gov](mailto:Brian.Haynesworth@durhamnc.gov)> 12/6/2006 9:21 AM >>>  
Good Morning Jeff:

As you may be aware the City of Durham experienced a compost fire at its Yard Waste Facility during this past September. Since the fire has been extinguished (mid September), the City has been working with State of North Carolina regulators to properly permit the facility. As an alternative to continuing our yard waste collection and composting program, we are considering having the yard waste treated as MSW and sending it to your landfill. This could mean at a minimum, 15,000 addition tons of material per year.

In addition to modifications to our operating permit, the State requires that you provide us written approval that your landfill will accept our yard waste and that your landfill is properly permitted to accept yard waste. Jeff, can you provide us with this documentation? What questions or concern do you have with this direction the City of Durham is considering? Please contact me for further discussion. Thanks.

Brian

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