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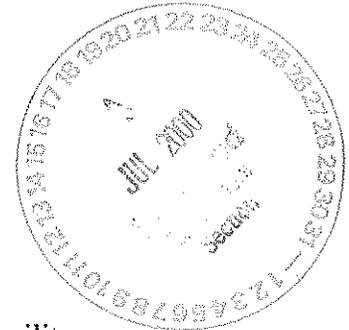
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10 July 2000

Mr Joe Sawyer, Jr  
General Services Director  
City of Goldsboro  
PO Drawer A  
Goldsboro, North Carolina 27533-9701



Subject: City of Goldsboro Composting Facility  
904 Brick Street  
Goldsboro, North Carolina

Dear Mr Sawyer,

On 7 July 2000 I visited the City of Goldsboro Yard Waste Composting Facility located at the City Transfer Station on Brick Street. During my site visit I noted several areas that needed some improvement for safer and more effective operation of this facility. Those observations are:

- 1) Working area needs to be compacted and defined.
- 2) Unloading zone needs to be defined.
- 3) Travel lanes (entry and exit) need to be defined.
- 4) Compost area needs to be better separated from the transfer facility.

Also, during my visit I observed material that, in accordance with your notification, is not allowed in your facility. Your notification states that you will only receive "leaves, grass clippings, small limbs 3" in diameter or less." I observed a number of limbs and tree trunks much larger than the specified 3" or less. This type of material needs to be removed promptly and disposed of at the City of Goldsboro LCID or some other facility that has been permitted to receive such material. Please remind your truck drivers not to dispose of unpermitted waste ( drink bottles, food wrappers, lunch bags, etc. ) at the composting facility.

Please address these issues as soon as possible. If you have any questions you may contact me at

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the Division of Waste Management Washington Regional Office, (252)946-6481, or by e-mail at ray.williams@ncmail.net. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Ray Williams  
Environmental Technician

cc: Mark Fry

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