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SOLID WASTE SECTION

December 16, 2008

Mr. Jerry Mears
Buncombe County - Solid Waste Manager
85 Panther Branch Road
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Subject: Technical Review Letter
C&D Landfill Permit Modification
Buncombe County, Permit #11-07, Document ID No. 6316

Mr. Mears:

The Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Section (Section) has completed the technical review of the document titled *Buncombe County, North Carolina, Buncombe County Solid Waste Management Facility, C&D Landfill Permit Modification, Permit No. 11-07*. This application was submitted on your behalf by Camp, Dresser & McKee and was received by the Section on June 17, 2008. It has been determined that additional information is required for completing the technical review. Please provide the information requested below:

Closure Plan

1. Please submit a complete Construction Quality Assurance Plan in accordance with the requirements of 15A NCAC 13B.0541.

The Section has determined Closure and Post-closure Cost Estimates have been prepared in accordance with 15A NCAC 13B.0546(c)(1) and (c)(3), respectively, and are acceptable. However, to fully comply with the Financial Responsibility requirement you must contact Mr. Donald Herndon in the Field Operations Branch, (919) 508-8502, for approval of the mechanism for demonstrating Financial Assurance.

As a reminder, the current Permit to Operate for this facility expires on September 12, 2011. No later than March 12, 2011 the County must submit a Permit to Operate amendment application prepared in accordance with 15A NCAC 13B.0535. If the existing facility will reach capacity prior to this date the County must submit a Permit to Construct application in accordance with 15A NCAC 13B.0547(3). This application should be submitted at least 120 days prior to the expiration date of the effective Permit to Operate or at least 180 days prior to the date scheduled for constructing a new phase not approved in the effective Permit to Operate.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Allen Gaither', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Allen Gaither
Environmental Engineer

Cc: Kenton Yang – Camp, Dresser & McKee
Kristy Smith – Buncombe County
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Bill Wagner – SWS/ARO