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**NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF  
ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**DIVISION OF WASTE MANAGEMENT**

Permit No.	Scan Date	DIN
1806-COMPOST-	August 15, 2012	17051

JAMES B. HUNT JR.  
GOVERNOR

June 23, 2000

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SECRETARY

Mr. Tim Bennett, RS  
Solid Waste Supervisor  
P.O. Box 398  
Hickory, North Carolina 28603

WILLIAM L. MEYER  
DIRECTOR

Re: City of Hickory – Compost Facility – Permit #SWC-18-06  
Cloninger Mill Road – Catawba County

Dear Mr. Bennett:

Enclosed is your permit to operate a Large Type I Compost Facility for the City of Hickory at Cloninger Mill Road in Catawba County, NC. Your permit number is SWC-18-06.

Please carefully read the permit conditions that are attached to the permit. The operation and maintenance information submitted with the application has been incorporated into the permit.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 919-733-0692, extension 253.

Sincerely,

Ted Lyon, Supervisor  
Composting & Land Application Branch

cc: Anthony Foster, Waste Management Specialist, Mooresville Regional Office  
Brent Rockett, Western District Supervisor, Winston Salem Regional Office

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**City of Hickory, NC**

is hereby issued a permit modification for the operation of a

**LARGE, TYPE 1 SOLID WASTE COMPOST FACILITY**

at

**Cloninger Mill Road  
Permit Number 18-06**

in accordance with Article 9, Chapter 130A, of the General Statutes of North Carolina and all rules promulgated thereunder and subject to the conditions set forth in this permit.



Dexter R. Matthews, Chief  
Solid Waste Section

6-20-00  
Date

## Permit Conditions

1. Operation and maintenance of this facility shall be in accordance with the Solid Waste Compost Rules (15A NCAC 13B, Section .1400), the permit application and the Operation and Maintenance Manual submitted with the permit application. Failure to comply may result in compliance actions or permit revocation.
2. This facility shall be operated in such a manner that erosion and runoff from the site shall be controlled. Any leachate generated at the facility shall be managed in such a manner that it will not be allowed to adversely impact ground or surface waters. Groundwater monitoring wells may be required if there is indication of the potential for groundwater contamination.
3. Only materials specifically listed in the permit application may be managed at this facility without adequate testing and prior approval of the Division of Waste Management.
4. Wastes with low carbon-nitrogen ratios, such as grass clippings, shall be incorporated into the windrows prior to the waste starting to compost (heat), create odors or attract vectors.
5. Compost temperatures shall be monitored at a frequency adequate to assure that the temperature requirements of Rule .1406(10) are met.
6. Facility operation records shall be maintained in accordance with .1408(b).
7. An annual report of facility activities for the fiscal year July 1 to June 30 shall be submitted to the Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Section, by August 1 of each year, in accordance with .1408(c) of the Solid Waste Compost Rules.
8. The compost operation and the compost pad shall be operated and maintained with sufficient dust control measures to minimize airborne emissions and to prevent dust from becoming a nuisance or safety hazard. Any rutting in the pad surface shall be repaired immediately to prevent water from ponding at the base of the windrows.
9. This permit shall expire on July 1, 2005. Changes in ownership, increase in facility capacity, or receiving additional feedstocks shall require a permit modification.