

# Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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November 9, 2017

Leonard Marion, Director Volusia County Solid Waste Division 1990 Tomoka Farms Road Port Orange, Florida 32128 lmarion@volusia.org

Re: Tomoka Farms Road Landfill

SW Facility ID #27540

Volusia County

Dear Mr. Marion:

Department personnel conducted an inspection of the above-referenced facility on September 28, 2017. Based on the information provided during and following the inspection, the facility was determined to be in compliance with the Department's rules and regulations. A copy of the inspection report is attached for your records, and any non-compliance items which may have been identified at the time of the inspection have been corrected.

The Department appreciates your efforts to maintain this facility in compliance with state and federal rules. Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Michael Eckoff at 407-897-4308 or via e-mail at michael.eckoff@dep.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

Sirena Davila, Manager

Central District

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Enclosure: Inspection Report



## Florida Department of

## **Environmental Protection**

## **Inspection Checklist**

## **FACILITY INFORMATION:**

Facility Name: TOMOKA FARMS ROAD LANDFILL

On-Site Inspection Start Date: 09/28/2017
On-Site Inspection End Date: 09/28/2017

**WACS No.:** 27540

Facility Street Address: 1990 TOMOKA FARMS ROAD

City: PORT ORANGE

County Name: VOLUSIA

**Zip:** 32128

## **INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:**

(Include ALL Landfill and Department Personnel with Corresponding Titles)

Principal Inspector: Michael Eckoff, Inspector

Other Participants: Jennifer Stirk, Environmental Specialist III

## **INSPECTION TYPE:**

Routine Operation Inspection for Landfill - Class I

Routine Operation Inspection for WPF - Source-Separated Organics Proc Fac (SOPF)

Routine Operation Inspection for Landfill - Class III

## ATTACHMENTS TO THE INSPECTION CHECK LIST:

This Cover Page to the Inspection Checklist may include any or all of the following attachments as appropriate.

1.0 - SECTION 1.0 - FILE REVIEW

2.0 - SECTION 2.0 - LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

## 1.0 - SECTION 1.0 - FILE REVIEW

## Requirements:

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Item No.	FILE REVIEW (Pre- or Post-Inspection, as appropriate.)	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
1.1	For landfills and C&D disposal facilities, does the facility have a current plan for the method and sequence of filling wastes? 62-701.500(2)(f) for landfills; 62-701.730(7)(a) for C&D debris sites	~			
1.2	For landfills, are the following records being reported to the Department?(Check any that are Not OK)  Waste reports (annually) 62-701.500(4)  Annual estimate of remaining life 62-701.500(13)(c)	>			
1.3	Is gas monitoring being performed as required by the permit? 62-701.500(9), 62-701.530(2)	~			
1.4	Are the results of the gas sampling reported to the Department quarterly? 62-701.530(2)(c)	~			
1.5	Is water quality sampling and testing performed according to standard procedures and at the required frequencies? 62-701.510(2) for landfills; 62-701.730(8) and 62-701.730(10) for C&D debris sites; 62-713.400(3) for stationary soil treatment facilities.	>			
1.6	Do the results of the water quality testing suggest there may be adverse impacts to water quality from the operation of the solid waste facility? 62-701.510(3) and (4); 62-701.730(4)(c) and (10) for C&D debris sites; 62-713.400(3) for stationary soil treatment facilities.			٧	
1.7	For closed landfills and C&D disposal facilities with final elevations higher than 20 feet above grade, has a final survey report verifying the final elevations and contours of the facility been submitted to the Department? 62-701.600(6)(b), 62-701.730(9)(e)				~
1.8	Is financial assurance adequate? 62-701.630 for landfills; 62-701.710(7)(a) and 62-701.710(1)(d)1. for waste processing facilities; 62-701.730(11)(a) for C&D debris facilities; 62-713.600(6)(a) for stationary soil treatment facilities; 62-711.500(3) for waste tire facilities. NOTE: The Solid Waste Financial Coordinator in Tallahassee can assist with this information.	>			
1.9	Are cost estimates current and adjusted every year? 62-701.630(4) for landfills; 62-701.710(7)(a) and 62-701.710(1)(d)1. for waste processing facilities; 62-701.730(11)(a) for C&D debris facilities; 62-713.600(6)(b) and 62-713.600(6)(c) for stationary soil treatment facilities; 62-711.500(3) for waste tire facilities.	>			
1.10	For C&D debris disposal and disposal with recycling facilities, is an Annual Report submitted to the Department for the disposal operation by February 1st of each year? 62-701.730(12)				~
1.11	For C&D recycling facilities with no disposal, is an Annual Report for the recycling facility submitted to the Department by February 1st of each year? 62-701.710(8)(b)				~
1.12	For compost facilities, has the compost product been sampled and analyzed every 20,000 tons or every 3 months (whichever is sooner)? 62-709.530(1)				~
1.13	For compost facilities, has the annual report been submitted by June 1st? 62-709.530(3)				~

## 2.0 - SECTION 2.0 - LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

## Requirements:

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Item No.	SOLID WASTE PROHIBITIONS (unless "grandfathered" in, see 62-701.300(18))	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
2.1.1	Unauthorized storage, processing, or disposal of solid waste except as authorized at a permitted solid waste management facility or other exempt facility. 62-701.300(1)(a)	٧			
2.1.2	Unauthorized disposal or storage prohibited, except yard trash, within 500 feet of a potable water well? 62-701.300(2)(b)	>			
2.2	Unauthorized storage or disposal of yard trash prohibited within the minimum setbacks of (Check any that are Not OK) 62-701.300(12)  100 feet from potable water wells (except on-site)?  50 feet from water bodies?	>			
2.3	Unauthorized disposal or storage prohibited in any natural or artificial body of water including ground water and wetlands? (Does not apply to standing water after a storm event.) 62-701.300(2)(d)	~			
2.4	Unauthorized disposal or storage prohibited, except yard trash, within 200 feet of any natural or artificial body of water, including wetlands without permanent leachate controls, except impoundments or conveyances which are part of an on-site, permitted stormwater management system or on-site water bodies with no off-site discharge? 62-701.300(2)(e)	>			
2.5	Unauthorized open burning of solid waste prohibited except in accordance with Department requirements? 62-701.300(3)	>			
2.6	Are the following unauthorized wastes or special wastes properly controlled, managed and disposed? (Check any that are Not OK)  Hazardous waste 62-701.300(4) Biomedical waste 62-701.300(6) Yard trash 62-701.300(8)(c) Whole waste tires 62-701.300(8)(e) Regulated asbestos waste 62-701.520(3), 62-701.730(19) Used oil and oily wastes, except as exempted 62-701.300(11) PCB wastes 62-701.300(5) Lead-acid batteries 62-701.300(8)(a) White goods 62-701.300(8)(d) Liquids 62-701.300(10) CCA treated wood 62-701.300(14)	>			
2.7	Are only permitted waste types disposed at facility? 62-701.340(2), 62-701.500(6)(a), 62-701.500(2)(c)	>			
Item No.	LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
2.8	Is there a trained operator on-site at Class I and III landfills when receiving wastes? 62-701.500(1)	~			
2.9	Is there at least one trained spotter at each working face when receiving wastes at Class I and III landfills? 62-701.500(1)	~			

Item No.	LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
2.10	Are the following records or plans current and available on-site? (Check any that are Not OK)  Training Plan 62-701.320(15)(a)				
	Operating Plan 62-701.500(2)				
	Waste weight records 62-701.500(4)	S).			
	Precipitation records 62-701.500(8)(g)	~			
	Load-checking program records 62-701.500(6)(a)				
	Training records 62-701.320(15)(a)				
	Operation record 62-701.500(3)				
	Quantity of leachate 62-701.500(8)(f)				
2.11	Is the operation plan substantially followed? 62-701.500(2)	>			
2.12	Is incoming waste weighed? 62-701.500(4)(a) and 62-701.500(2)(d)	٨			
2.13	Is the method and sequence of filling waste according to plans? 62-701.500(2)(f)	٧			
2.14	Is access properly controlled to prevent unauthorized waste disposal? 62-701.500(5)	~			
2.15	Is waste compacted as required? 62-701.500(7)(a)	>			
2.16	Are the working face and side slopes above ground graded to a slope no greater than 3 feet horizontal to 1 foot vertical rise? 62-701.500(7)(c)	~			
2.17	Is a narrow working face practiced? 62-701.500(7)(d)	٧			
2.18	Is the frequency, amount and quality of initial cover, as required? 62-701.500(7)(e)	~			
2.19	Is the frequency, amount and quality of intermediate cover, as required? 62-701.500(7)(f)	~			
2.20	Is litter controlled and are litter control devices maintained? 62-701.500(7)(i) and 62-701.500(11)(f)	٧			
2.21	Is erosion control adequate? 62-701.500(7)(j)	~			
2.22	Is the leachate collection and removal system maintained and operated as required? 62-701.500(2)(j), 62-701.500(8)(b) and 62-701.500(8)(h)	>			
2.23	Is leachate disposed of or treated as required? 62-701.500(8)(b), 62-701.500(8)(c) and 62-701.500(8)(d)	٧			•
2.24	If leachate recirculation is practiced at the facility, is it done in accordance with Department requirements and the Operation Plan? 62-701.400(5)				>
2.25	Is gas controlled to not cause objectionable odors beyond the property boundary? 62-701.530(3)(b)	>			
2.26	Is gas controlled to not allow combustible gas concentrations to exceed specified limits? 62-701.530(3)(a)			>	
2.27	Are gas vents intact and functioning properly? 62-701.500(9), 62-701.530(1)(a)3	>			
2.28	Is mixing of leachate and stormwater prevented or minimized? 62-701.500(10), 62-701.400(9)(b)	>			
2.29	Is stormwater management system maintained and operated as required? 62-701.500(10)	~			
2.30	Is there sufficient operating equipment? 62-701.500(11)(a)	>			
2.31	Is there sufficient reserve equipment (or other arrangements)? 62-701.500(11)(b)	>			
2.32	Are communication facilities adequate? 62-701.500(11)(c)	~			
2.33	Are approved dust control methods adequate? 62-701.500(11)(d)	>			

Item No.	LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
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2.34	Are fire protection and fire fighting capabilities adequate and operational? 62-701.500(11)(e)	~			
2.35	Are there required signs for operational directions and public information? 62-701.500(11)(g)	~			
2.36	Are all-weather access roads and inside perimeter roads properly maintained? 62-701.500(12)	~			
2.37	Are groundwater wells intact and properly maintained? 62-701.510(2)(b), 62-701.620(8)	~			
2.38	Are all additional specific conditions (not otherwise addressed above) in the permit, Department order, or certification, if any, being followed? 62-701.320(1), 403.161, F.S.	~			

## **COMMENTS:**

Solid Waste Operation Permit - Landfill permit number 0078767-030-SO-01 was issued 6/28/2013 and expires 5/13/2033. The permit was most recently modified (0078767-037-SO-MM) on 7/27/2015.

Solid Waste Operation Permit - Landfill permit number 0078767-034-SO-T3 was issued 9/24/2014 and expires 9/24/2024. The permit was most recently modified (0078767-038-SO-MM) on 7/27/2015.

#### Section 1.0-File Review

Item 1.2-2016 annual waste report was received 1/13/2017. 2016 annual estimate of remaining life was received 11/14/2016.

Item 1.4-3rd quarter 2016 gas report was received 8/9/2016. 4th quarter 2016 gas report was received 11/7/2016. 1st quarter 2017 gas report was received 2/8/2017. 2nd quarter 2017 gas report was received 10/31/2017. 3rd quarter 2017 gas report was received 9/6/2017.

Item 1.5-2nd semi-annual 2016 water report was received 2/8/2017. 1st semi-annual 2017 water report was received 7/26/2017.

Item 1.6-Ground water reports are reviewed as a separate function and not part of this inspection.

Item 1.8-In an email dated 9/27/2017 from the Department's Financial Coordinator, financials were determined to be adequate.

Item 1.9-Current cost estimates were determined to be adequate on 9/19/2017.

## Section 2.0-Landfill Operation and Maintenance

Items 2.8 and 2.9-Jennifer Stirk-Class I, III Landfill Operator (current until 11/17/2020) and Construction and Demolition Debris Landfill Operator (current until 11/17/2020). Andrew Aanerud-Spotter/Waste Screener (current until 7/14/2018). Rick Harris-Spotter/Waste Screener (current until 7/14/2018). Victor Lopez-Spotter/Waste Screener (current until 8/6/2018). Brad Driggers-Spotter/Waste Screener (current until 3/6/2018). Peter Stone-Spotter/Waste Screener (current until 8/5/2018).

Item 2.10-Operation Plan-hard copy reviewed during the inspection was dated April 2014. Load-checking program records-at least three random load inspections are conducted weekly. Training records-training was verified using the University of Florida's TREEO website.

Item 2.13-Waste was being placed in the third lift of Phase IIB in the Class I Landfill. Waste was being placed in the southwest corner of the Class III Landfill.

Item 2.16-The slope angles were not measured in order to verify they are no greater than three horizontal to one vertical (3:1), only a visual assessment was conducted.

Item 2.21-Both landfills experienced minor erosion in a few areas due to Hurricane Irma. These areas have since been repaired.

Item 2.26-Gas monitoring reports are reviewed as a separate function and not part of this inspection. Item 2.38-Permit number 0078767-030-SO-01: Section 2.C.12.g. 2016 Leachate Quantity Analysis Report was received 1/31/2017; and Appendix 3, number 30. November 2014 through November 2016 MPIS Technical Report was received 6/26/2017.

SOPF operations appeared to be satisfactory. The 2016 annual report was received 1/23/2017 and in that report is marked "Annual report only for facility operating under permit." A review of the permit did not find conditions for operation of the SOPF. In a telephone conversation with El Kromhout, FDEP Tallahassee Solid Waste Permitting, on October 27, 2017 SOPF operations are not included in the permit. Ms. Kromhout stated

SOPF operations will be added to the permit when the facility submits a permit modification application for lateral expansion of the Class I Landfill.

Signed:				
Michael Eckoff	Inspector			
PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR NAME	PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR TITLE			
Midnael Eskoff	DEP	09/28/2017		
PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR SIGNATURE	ORGANIZATION	DATE		
Jennifer Stirk	Environmental Specialist III			
REPRESENTATIVE NAME	REPRESENTATIVE TITLE			
NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED	Volusia County Solid Waste Divisi	on		
REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE	ORGANIZATION			
NOTE: By signing this document, the Site Rep Report and is not admitting to the accuracy of areas of concern		-		

# **Report Approvers:**

Sirena Davila Inspection Approval Date: 11/01/2017 Approver: