



**Florida Department of  
Environmental Protection  
Inspection Checklist**

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**FACILITY INFORMATION:**

**Facility Name:** SOUTHEAST COUNTY SLF (PICNIC LF)

**On-Site Inspection Start Date:** 04/29/2009

**On-Site Inspection End Date:** 04/29/2009

**WACS No.:** 41193

**Facility Street Address:** C.2MI.W OF CR39,N OF CR 672

**City:** PICNIC

**County Name:** HILLSBOROUGH

**Zip:** 33547

**INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:**

(Include ALL Landfill and Department Personnel with Corresponding Titles)

**Principal Inspector:** Melissa Madden, Inspector

**Other Participants:** Dinah Frazier, Inspector; Cindy Pelley; Raymond Graves; Larry Ruiz; Susan Pelz

**INSPECTION TYPE:**

Routine Operation Inspection for Landfill - Class I facility

Routine Operation Inspection for Other Facilities - Waste Tire Facility

**ATTACHMENTS TO THE INSPECTION CHECK LIST:**

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

SECTION 1.0 - FILE REVIEW

SECTION 2.0 - LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

SECTION 9.0 - WASTE TIRE FACILITIES

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**SECTION 1.0 - FILE REVIEW**

## Requirements:

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Item No.	FILE REVIEW (Pre- or Post-Inspection, as appropriate.) Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
1.1	For landfills, is the method and sequence of filling wastes according to plans? 62-701.500(2)(f)		✓		
1.2	For landfills, are the following records being reported to the Department?(Check any that are Not OK.) <input type="checkbox"/> Waste reports (quarterly) 62-701.500(4) <input type="checkbox"/> Annual estimate of remaining life 62-701.500(13)(c)	✓			
1.3	Is leachate sampled, tested and disposed as required? 62-701.500(8)(a) & 62-701.510(6)(c)	✓			
1.4	Is gas monitoring being performed as required by the permit? 62-701.500(9) & 62-701.530(2)	✓			
1.5	Are the results of the gas sampling reported to the Department quarterly? 62-701.530(2)	✓			
1.6	Is water quality sampling and testing performed according to standard procedures and at the required frequencies? See 62-701.510(2) for landfills; 62-701.730(4)(b) & (10) for C&D debris sites; 62-713.400(3) for stationary soil treatment facilities.	✓			
1.7	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) & (4)			✓	
1.8	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? 62-701.610(3) & 62-701.730(9)(c)				✓
1.9	Is financial assurance adequate? See 62-701.630 for landfills; 62-710(7)(a) & (10)(a) for WPFs; 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.			✓	
1.10	Are cost estimates current and adjusted every year? See 62-701.630(4) for landfills; 62-701.710(7)(b) & (10)(a) for WPFs; 62-701.730(11)(b) for C&D debris facilities; 62-713.600(6)(b) & (c) for stationary soil treatment facilities; 62-711.500(3) for waste tire facilities.	✓			
1.11	For C&D debris disposal and disposal with recycling facilities, is an Annual Report submitted to the Department for the disposal operation by April 1st of each year? 62-701.730(12)				✓
1.12	For C&D recycling facilities with no disposal, is an Annual Report for the recycling operation submitted to the Department by April 1st of each year? 62-701.710(9)(b)				✓
1.13	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)				✓
1.14	For compost facilities, has the annual report been submitted by June 1st? 62-709.530(3)				✓

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**SECTION 2.0 - LANDFILL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE**

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Item No.	SOLID WASTE PROHIBITIONS (unless "grandfathered" in, see 62-701.300(16)) Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
2.1	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited, except yard trash, within 500' of a potable water well? 62-701.300(2)(b)	✓			
2.2	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited, except yard trash, within 1000' of a potable water well serving a community water system? 62-701.300(2)(h)	✓			
2.3	Unauthorized storage/disposal of yard trash prohibited within the minimum setbacks of (Check any that are Not OK) 62-701.300(12) <input type="checkbox"/> 100 feet for potable water wells (except on-site)? <input type="checkbox"/> 50 feet for water bodies? <input type="checkbox"/> 200 feet for community water supply wells?	✓			
2.4	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited in an area subject to frequent and periodic flooding unless flood protection measures in place? 62-701.300(2)(d)	✓			
2.5	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited in any natural or artificial body of water including ground water? 62-701.300(2)(e)	✓			
2.6	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited, except yard trash, within 200' 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)(f)	✓			
2.7	Unauthorized open burning of solid waste prohibited except in accordance with Department requirements? 62-701.300(3)	✓			
2.8	Are the following prohibited wastes or special wastes properly controlled, managed and disposed? (Check any that are Not OK) <input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous waste 62-701.300(4) <input type="checkbox"/> Biomedical waste 62-701.300(6) <input type="checkbox"/> Yard trash 62-701.300(8)(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Whole waste tires 62-701.300(8)(e) <input type="checkbox"/> Used oil, except as exempted 62-701.300(11) <input type="checkbox"/> Lead-acid batteries, mercury-containing switches and lamps in WTEs 62- <input type="checkbox"/> PCB wastes 62-701.300(5) <input type="checkbox"/> Lead-acid batteries 62-701.300(8)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> White goods 62-701.300(8)(d) <input type="checkbox"/> Liquids 62-701.300(10)	✓			
2.9	Are only permitted waste types disposed at facility? 62-701.340(3), 62-701.500(6)(a)&(2)(c)	✓			

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2.10	Is there a trained operator on-site at Class I and III landfills when receiving wastes? 62-701.500(1)	✓			
2.11	Is there at least one spotter at each working face when receiving wastes at Class I and III landfills? 62-701.500(1)	✓			
2.12	Are the following records or plans current and available on-site? (Check any that are Not OK.) <input type="checkbox"/> Training Plan 62-701.320(15)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Plan 62-701.500(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Waste weight records 62-701.500(4) <input type="checkbox"/> Precipitation records 62-701.500(8)(g) <input type="checkbox"/> Load-checking program records 62-701.500(6)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Training records 62-701.320(15)(a)	✓			

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2.12	<input type="checkbox"/> Operation record 62-701.500(3) <input type="checkbox"/> Quantity of leachate 62-701.500(8)(f)	✓			
2.13	Is the operation plan substantially followed? 62-701.500(2)	✓			
2.14	Is incoming waste weighed? 62-701.500(4)(a)&(2)(d)	✓			
2.15	Is the method and sequence of filling wastes according to plans? 62-701.500(2)(f)		✓		
2.16	Is access properly controlled to prevent unauthorized waste disposal? 62-701.500(5)	✓			
2.17	Is waste compacted as required? 62-701.500(7)(a)	✓			
2.18	Are the working face and side slopes above ground graded to a slope no greater than 3 ft. horizontal to 1 ft. vertical rise? 62-701.500(7)(c)	✓			
2.19	Is a narrow working face practiced? 62-701.500(7)(d)	✓			
2.20	Is the frequency, amount and quality of initial cover, as required? 62-701.500(7)(e)	✓			
2.21	Is the frequency, amount and quality of intermediate cover, as required? 62-701.500(7)(f)	✓			
2.22	Is litter controlled and are litter control devices maintained? 62-701.500(7)(i) and (11)(f)	✓			
2.23	Is erosion control adequate? 62-701.500(7)(j)	✓			
2.24	Is the leachate collection and removal system maintained and operated as required? 62-701.500(2)(j), 62-701.500(8)(b) & (h)	✓			
2.25	Is leachate disposed of or treated as required? 62-701.500(8)(b), (c) and (d)	✓			
2.26	If leachate recirculation is practiced at the facility, is it done in accordance with Department requirements and the Operation Plan? 62-701.400(5)	✓			
2.27	Is gas controlled to not cause objectionable odors beyond the property boundary? 62-701.530(3)(b)	✓			
2.28	Is gas controlled to not allow combustible gas concentrations to exceed specified limits? 62-701.530(3)(a)	✓			
2.29	Are gas vents intact and functioning properly? 62-701.500(9) & 62-701.530(1)(a)3.	✓			
2.30	Is mixing of leachate and stormwater prevented or minimized? 62-701.500(10) & 62-701.400(9)(c)	✓			
2.31	Is stormwater management system maintained and operated as required? 62-701.500(10)	✓			
2.32	Is there sufficient operating equipment? 62-701.500(11)(a)	✓			
2.33	Is there sufficient reserve equipment (or other arrangements)? 62-701.500(11)(b)	✓			
2.34	Are communication facilities adequate? 62-701.500(11)(c)	✓			
2.35	Are approved dust control methods adequate? 62-701.500(11)(d)	✓			
2.36	Are fire protection and fire fighting capabilities adequate and operational? 62-701.500(11)(e)	✓			
2.37	Are there required signs for operational directions and public information? 62-701.500(11)(g)	✓			
2.38	Are all-weather access roads and inside perimeter roads properly maintained? 62-701.500(12)	✓			
2.39	Are ground water wells intact and properly maintained? 62-701.510(2)(b), 62-701.620(9)	✓			
2.40	Are all specific conditions in the permit being followed? 62-701.320(1)		✓		

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**SECTION 9.0 - WASTE TIRE FACILITIES**

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9.3	Unauthorized storage/disposal of yard trash prohibited within the minimum setbacks of (Check any that are Not OK) 62-701.300(12) <input type="checkbox"/> 100 feet for potable water wells (except on-site)? <input type="checkbox"/> 50 feet for water bodies? <input type="checkbox"/> 200 feet for community water supply wells?	✓			
9.4	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited in an area subject to frequent and periodic flooding unless flood protection measures in place? 62-701.300(2)(d)	✓			
9.5	Unauthorized disposal/storage prohibited in any natural or artificial body of water including ground water? 62-701.300(2)(e)	✓			
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9.7	Unauthorized open burning of solid waste prohibited except in accordance with Department requirements? 62-701.300(3)	✓			
9.8	Are the following prohibited wastes or special wastes properly managed? (Check any that are Not OK) <input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous waste 62-701.300(4) <input type="checkbox"/> Biomedical waste 62-701.300(6) <input type="checkbox"/> Yard trash 62-701.300(8)(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Whole waste tires 62-701.300(8)(e) <input type="checkbox"/> Used oil, except as exempted 62-701.300(11) <input type="checkbox"/> Lead-acid batteries, mercury-containing switches and lamps in WTEs 62- <input type="checkbox"/> PCB wastes 62-701.300(5) <input type="checkbox"/> Lead-acid batteries 62-701.300(8)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> White goods 62-701.300(8)(d) <input type="checkbox"/> Liquids 62-701.300(10)	✓			

Item No.	WASTE TIRE FACILITY - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STORAGE Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
9.9	If the facility accepts tires from the public, is a sign posted at the facility entrance stating operating hours, cost of disposal and site rules? 62-711.540(1)(a)	✓			
9.10	Are operations involving the use of open flames conducted no closer than 25 feet of a waste tire pile? 62-711.540(1)(b)	✓			
9.11	If the facility accepts tires from the public, is an attendant always present on site when the site is open for business? 62-711.540(1)(c)	✓			
9.12	Are fire protection services assured through notification to local fire protection authorities? 62-711.540(1)(d)	✓			
9.13	Is an annual fire safety survey conducted? 62-711.540(1)(d)	✓			
9.14	Is a copy of the annual fire safety report made part of the next quarterly report? 62-711.540(1)(d)	✓			
9.15	Does the facility have an Emergency Preparedness Manual (EPM) on-site? 62-711.540(1)(e)	✓			
9.16	Does the EPM contain the following information? (Check all that are Not OK.) <input type="checkbox"/> Contact names and numbers 62-711.540(1)(e)1.	✓			

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Item No.	WASTE TIRE FACILITY - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STORAGE Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
9.16	<input type="checkbox"/> List of emergency response equipment and locations on-site 62-711.540 <input type="checkbox"/> Procedures to be followed in the event of a fire 62-711.540(1)(e)3.	✓			
9.17	Is the operator at the facility maintaining records of the quantity of WT received at the site, stored at the site, and shipped from the site? 62-711.540(1)(g) and 62-711.400(5)	✓			
9.18	If the operator of the site is not the owner of the property, has written authorization been obtained from the property owner to operate the facility? 62-711.540(1)(h)				✓
9.19	Is adequate communications equipment available at the site? 62-711.540(1)(i)	✓			
9.20	Is the owner or operator providing for control of mosquitoes and rodents so as to protect the public health and welfare? 62-711.540(1)(j)	✓			

Item No.	WASTE TIRE FACILITY - STORAGE INDOORS Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
9.21	Are WT piles more than 50 feet in width? 62-711.540(2)(a)				✓
9.22	Are WT piles along a wall more than 25 feet in width? 62-711.540(2)(a)				✓
9.23	Are widths of main aisles between piles less than 8 feet? 62-711.540(2)(b)				✓
9.24	Is there less than 3 feet of clearance between the top of storage to sprinkler detectors or roof structures? 62-711.540(2)(c)				✓
9.25	Is there less than 3 feet of clearance between waste tire piles and unit heaters, etc.? 62-711.540(2)(c)				✓
9.26	If waste tires are stored up to 15 feet in height, do walls have at least a 4-hour fire rating? 62-711.540(2)(e)				✓
9.27	If waste tires are stored >15 feet in height, do walls have a fire rating of not less than 6 hours and columns one hour FR? If > 20 feet, do columns and its connections with other structural members have two hour FR? 62-711.540(2)(f)				✓
9.28	Is the access controlled through the use of doors, fences, gates, natural barriers or other means? 62-711.540(2)(h)				✓

Item No.	WASTE TIRE FACILITY - STORAGE OUTDOORS Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
9.29	Is the waste tire site operated >200 feet from a body of water? 62-711.540(3)(a)	✓			
9.30	Does the waste tire pile have a width < 50 feet? 62-711.540(3)(b)	✓			
9.31	Does the waste tire pile have an area < 10,000 sq. ft? 62-711.540(3)(b)	✓			
9.32	Does the waste tire pile have a height < 15 ft.? 62-711.540(3)(b)	✓			
9.33	Is there a 50 ft. wide fire lane around the perimeter of the waste tire pile? 62-711.540(3)(c)	✓			
9.34	Is there unobstructed access to the fire lane? 62-711.540(3)(c)	✓			
9.35	Is the access controlled through the use of doors, fences, gates, natural barriers or other means? 62-711.540(3)(d)	✓			
9.36	Is the site kept free of grass, underbrush, and other potentially flammable vegetation? 62-711.540(3)(f)	✓			
9.37	Is the site bermed or given other adequate protection to prevent liquid runoff from entering water bodies? 62-711.540(3)(e)	✓			
9.38	Are residuals contained on-site and disposed of in a permitted SW management facility? 62-711.540(5)	✓			
9.39	Does the waste tire site qualify for the exceptions to the technical and operational standards as allowed by rule? 62-711.540(6)			✓	

Item No.	WASTE TIRE FACILITY - COLLECTION CENTER Completed	Ok	Not Ok	Unk	N/A
9.40	Are no more than 1500 tires at the CC at any one time? 62-711.550(1)(a)				✓
9.41	Are all waste tires, which are not used tires, removed from site yearly for recycling, processing, or disposal? 62-711.550(1)(b)				✓

Pre-existing Area Of Concern:

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Rule: 62-701.500(2)(f)

Question Number: 2.15

Explanation: During the inspection the Department observed that the facility had filled very near the interior separation berm. Dwg 10 detail 2 (of interior separation berm) refers to a ten foot set back from the toe of waste/cover to the toe the interior separation berm.

Corrective Action: Any additional fill along this berm should maintain this setback. Set-backs along the anchor trench should be maintained when flooring the rest of section 9. Specific Condition C.13

**Attachments:**

interior seperation berm



interior seperation berm (2)




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Rule: 62-701.500(2)(f)

Question Number: 1.1

Explanation: See 2.15

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Rule: 62-701.320(1)

Question Number: 2.40

Explanation: See 2.15

**COMMENTS:**

04/29/2009

During the inspection Department staff observed installation of gas wells in Phase I-VI.

04/29/2009

During the inspection Department staff observed the containment box for the double walled leachate line to the leachate plant. The containment appeared to full of stormwater and should be pumped out.

04/29/2009

Department staff observed that the facility was constructing the effluent storage tank piping. The tank appeared to be complete but additional work was done on the connections to the tank.

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Recent installation of the gas wells damaged the suction line from Pump Station B sump. During the inspection, the facility was temporarily pumping from TPS-6 and discharging directly into Pumping Station A. The high level alarm in pump station A wet well was designed to shut TPS-6 off as a protective measure from the telemetry system.

The County reported a leachate discharge from Pump Station A on May 2, 2009 due to a power failure. TPS-6 (temp diesel pump) continued pumping into Pump Station A. The telemetry system to shut TPS-6 off did not function due to the outage and caused the overflow in Pump Station A.

The Department received information from the County that the repairs to Pump Station B had been completed as of May 15, 2009.

Please provide the Department with a copy of the video inspection of the repaired pipe. Please provide a final As-Built survey of the pipe configuration of Pump Station B and TPS-6 coming into Pump Station A (or B for TPS-6). Please note that future changes to the leachate collection and transmission system will require a permit modification.

04/29/2009

The facility has recently cleaned out the stormwater ditch along the NW slope. There are steep cliffs/slopes in this area which may be a erosion problem in the rainy season.

04/29/2009

The leachate treatment plant provided the following information about the material fed into the plant: the plant is seeded with activated sludge from Valrico/Faulkenburg WWTP (during startup [every three years]); phosphoric acid, methanol, dog food and leachate from Phase I-IV and Section 7,8 & 9. The capacity of the plant is 60,000 gallons, the max they have ever treated is 40,000 gallons and they were currently treating 20-22,000 gallons/day.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

gas well drilling



select waste layer





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tear in rain cell cover



effluent tank construction



leachate treatment plant "skirt"



db wall leachate pipe containment



WT piles



W slope Phase I-IV



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active area (section 9)



gas well (bentonite contraction)



stormwater ditch (nw corner)

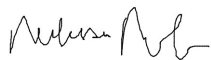


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**Signed:**

Melissa Madden  
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**PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR NAME**

Inspector  
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**PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR TITLE**



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Dinah Frazier  
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**INSPECTOR NAME**

Inspector  
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NOTE: By signing this document, the Site Representative only acknowledges receipt of this Inspection Report and is not admitting to the accuracy of any of the items identified by the Department as "Not Ok" or areas of concern.