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Ms. Danielle Slaterpryce, P.E. Okaloosa County Public Works Department 1759 South Ferdon Boulevard Crestview, Florida 32536

Dear Ms. Slaterpryce:

This is in response to the Second Quarter Mercury Monitoring Report for the Baker Landfill (Baker East) site (FDEP ID No. 9061) Okaloosa County, Florida. We have reviewed the subject document prepared by SCS Engineers (SCS) on behalf of Okaloosa County Public Works. The report is acceptable. Concentrations of Mercury and Iron were reported above Ch. 62-550, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), drinking water standards (DWS) and Iron above Ch. 62-302, F.A.C., surface water target levels (SWTL). We have recently prepared and completed a revised groundwater monitoring plan proposing changes in the sampling frequency, constituents to be sampled and reporting frequency. We expect these changes to be reflected in the next quarterly report.

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact me at 850.595.8360 ext. 1214 or by e-mail at <u>alex.webster@dep.state.fl.us</u>.

Sincerely,

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