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Crystal Torres, Administration
Marine Waste Management
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Re: Compliance Assistance Offer
Marine Waste Management
EPA ID#: FLR000255638
Broward County

Dear Ms. Torres:

A Compliance Evaluation Inspection ("CEI") was conducted at your facility, Marine Waste Management, on April 20 2023, under the authority of Section 403.091, Florida Statutes (F.S.). During this inspection, potential non-compliance was noted. Specifically, potential non-compliance with the requirements of Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations part number 279, and Chapter 62-710 Florida Administrative Code. The purpose of this letter is to offer compliance assistance as a means of resolving these matters.

We request you review the item(s) of concern noted and respond, in writing, within 15 days of receipt of this Compliance Assistance Offer. Your written response should include one of the following:

1. Describe what has been done to resolve the non-compliance issues or provide a schedule describing how/when these outstanding issues will be addressed. Please refer to pages 2 and 3 of the final inspection report dated 05/23/2023 which details the violations and the corrective actions the Department is awaiting from your facility to have the violations resolved as quickly as possible.
2. Describe what steps have been taken to prevent, to the extent practicable, a recurrence of the non-compliance, or
3. Provide the requested information, or information that mitigates the concerns or demonstrates them to be invalid.
4. Arrange for a meeting with the case manager, if need be, to discuss the item(s) of concern.

It is the Department's desire that you are able to adequately address the aforementioned issues so that this matter can be closed. Your failure to respond promptly may result in the initiation of formal enforcement proceedings.

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Please address your response and any questions to Johanna Polycart of the Southeast District Office at 561-681-6624 or via e-mail at Johanna.polycart@floridadep.gov. We look forward to your cooperation with this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Alannah Irwin', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Alannah Irwin, Environmental Manager
Southeast District
Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Enclosure: [Inspection Report](#)

Cc: marinewaste@bellsouth.net