



**Florida Department of  
Environmental Protection  
Inspection Checklist**

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**FACILITY INFORMATION:**

**Facility Name:** TOMOKA FARMS ROAD LANDFILL

**On-Site Inspection Start Date:** 08/18/2011

**On-Site Inspection End Date:** 08/18/2011

**WACS No.:** 27540

**Facility Street Address:** 1990 TOMOKA FARMS ROAD

**City:** DAYTONA BEACH

**County Name:** VOLUSIA

**Zip:** 32114

**INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:**

(Include ALL Landfill and Department Personnel with Corresponding Titles)

**Principal Inspector:** Brad Whidden, Inspector

**Other Participants:** Jennifer Stirk, Environmental Specialist III

**INSPECTION TYPE:**

Routine Operation Inspection for Landfill - Class I facility

Routine Operation Inspection for Landfill - Class III facility

Routine Long Term Care Inspection for Landfill - Class I facility

Routine Operation Inspection for Other Facilities - Source-Separated Organics (SOPF) 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

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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 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) <input type="checkbox"/> Waste reports (annually) 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)(c)	✓			
1.6	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(4)(b) and (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) and (4); 62-701.730(4)(c) and (10) for C&D debris sites; 62-713.400(3) for stationary soil treatment facilities.			✓	
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? 62-701.600(6)(b), 62-701.730(9)(d)	✓			
1.9	Is financial assurance adequate? 62-701.630 for landfills; 62-701.710(7)(a) and (10)(a) 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.	✓			
1.10	Are cost estimates current and adjusted every year? 62-701.630(4) for landfills; 62-701.710(7)(b) and (10)(a) for waste processing facilities; 62-701.730(11)(b) and (c) for C&D debris facilities; 62-713.600(6)(b) and (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 facility 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(18)) Completed	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)	✓			
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) <input type="checkbox"/> 100 feet from potable water wells (except on-site)? <input type="checkbox"/> 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) <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"/> Regulated asbestos waste 62-701.520(3), 62-701.730(19) <input type="checkbox"/> Used oil and oily wastes, except as exempted 62-701.300(11) <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) <input type="checkbox"/> 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 Completed	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)	✓			
2.10	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)	✓			

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2.10	<input type="checkbox"/> Load-checking program records 62-701.500(6)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Training records 62-701.320(15)(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Operation record 62-701.500(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 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 (2)(d)	✓			
2.13	Is the method and sequence of filling waste according to plans? 62-701.500(2)(f)	✓			
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)	✓			
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 (11)(f)	✓			
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 (h)	✓			
2.23	Is leachate disposed of or treated as required? 62-701.500(8)(b), (c) and (d)	✓			
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)(c)	✓			
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)	✓			
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 ground water 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.		✓		

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**Current Violations:**

Rule: 62-701.500(7)(j)

Question Number: 2.21

Explanation: The area upslope of the 200 ft. section of the toe drain and toe berm is showing significant erosion with exposed waste.

Corrective Action: All erosion areas must be repaired and steps must be taken to prevent further erosion of these slopes.

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Rule: 403.161, 62-701.320(1)

Question Number: 2.38

Explanation: The 200 ft. section of toe drain and toe berm is not functioning as designed. This was constructed as a corrective action in response to Non-Compliance Letter OCD-SW-11-045. Erosion upslope of the toe drain appears to be accumulating within the toe berm and is limiting the capacity for leachate drainage resulting in pooled leachate.

Specific Condition # 31 of permit # SO64-0078767-023 states that the Department is to be notified of side slope erosion within 7 days of occurrence. The Department was not notified of these erosion issues.

Corrective Action: The toe drain must be repaired to allow for leachate drainage.

The facility must notify the Department of future erosion occurrences.

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**COMMENTS:**

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Class I Landfill:

The working face is located on the upper areas of the east side slopes. The surface areas noted in the previous inspection appear to have adequate intermediate cover. Jennifer Stirk said that intermediate cover is being placed on the more recent surface disposal areas.

Jennifer Stirk said that disposal will move to the north side slopes in order to fill in some areas of lower elevation in preparation for closure.

The 200 ft. toe drain and toe berm was containing a large amount of pooled leachate. There was erosion with exposed waste noted in the area upslope of the toe drain. The accumulated sediments appear to be limiting the drainage capacity of the toe drain. Rip rap was placed upslope of the erosion area to prevent further erosion of these slopes.

Two areas of leachate seepage were observed just west of the toe of the slope located in the East Cell area. This area does not contain waste. Jennifer Stirk said that leachate riser #6 is now being used to collect leachate and stormwater from the sump in this area.

Class III and Yard Trash:

Jennifer Stirk said that a new haul road will be constructed along the slopes of the newly constructed cell area on the northwest side of the cell.

The yard trash has been recently mulched.

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**Other Areas:**

The Closed Class I (South Cell) is in good order. There are no significant erosion areas and the vegetative cover is complete.

Waste tires were recently removed from the waste tire area.

There was a large amount of baled plastic containers stored on-site at the GEL recycling area. There were also loose items scattered around the outside of open areas of the building. This material must be picked up.

Item No 1.7 marked unknown: The water quality report is reviewed as a separate function and is not deemed part of this inspection report.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Class I Working Face



Toe Drain Pooled Leachate



Eroded Slopes Above Toe Drain



East Cell Area Leachate Seepage



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East Cell Overview



Gel Recycling Baled Plastics



Scattered Plastics



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**Signed:**

Brad Whidden

**PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR NAME**

Inspector

**PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR TITLE***Brad Whidden***PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR SIGNATURE**

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**ORGANIZATION**

8/29/2011

**DATE**

Jennifer Stirk

**REPRESENTATIVE NAME**

Environmental Specialist III

**REPRESENTATIVE TITLE**

NO SIGNATURE

**REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE**

Volusia County

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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.