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Dear Dr. Townsend:

Richard Tedder asked me to respond on his behalf to your letter of November 30, concerning the "Authorization for the Drilling of Research Test Bores at the West Pasco Ash Monofill" and your: "Sampling and Experimental Plan of Characterizing Combined Ash from the West Pasco Landfill" proposal which was submitted on December 3, 2015.

The Department has reviewed both documents and has no objection to your initiating the proposed tasks as described in your work scope. .

You may initiate the proposed activities when convenient.

Feel free to contact the Department for further information if needed.

Thank you,

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