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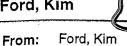
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Subject: conversation with Jennifer Deal about Enterprise CIII

On August 5, 2003, I spoke with J.D. J.D.said the CQA repair plan was coming soon.

1) I asked for the plan to included the items listed in rule 62-701.400(3)(f), including proctor test on soil from the stockpile for optimum moisture, compaction and permeability, and to propose moisture /density tests.

2) I suggested a berm between Cell 15 and Cell 16 if Cell 16 has problems.

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Subject: conversation with Miguel Garcia about Enterprise CIII

On August 1, 2003 at 10:30am (by cell phone) I spoke with M.G. (Hartman&Assoc.) about Enterprise CIII. <u>I requested a test pit at each location for each boring where a continuous 36" of 1x10-6 cm/sec clay was not indicated by the boring log.</u> I explained that staff told me that some of the 3 feet borings provided as part of the July 25, 2003 "Progress Report #3" did not have a continuous 3 feet of 1x10-6 cm/sec clay.



Department of Environmental Protection

Jeb Bush Governor Southwest District 3804 Coconut Palm Drive Tampa, Florida 33619

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Mr. Dominic lafrate Angelo's Aggregate Materials, Ltd. 1755 20th Ave. S.E. Largo, Fl. 33771

August 5, 2003

RE:

Enterprise Recycling & Disposal Class III Landfill

Located west of Auton Road, Dade City, Fl.

Financial Assurance Cost Estimates

Permit Nos.: 177982-001-SC and 177982-002-SO, Pasco County

Dear Mr. lafrate:

The Department is in receipt of a letter dated July 18, 2003 (received July 21, 2003) prepared by Hartman & Associates, Inc., concerning the active life of the facility as it relates to the financial assurance cost estimates. This letter requests a "pay-in" period over the projected 7.2 years of active life of Sequences 1 and 2. However, the cost estimates dated July 8, 2003 only include costs for the closing and long-term care of Cell 1 (approximately 6.08 acres). Based on the calculations included in the July 18, 2003 letter, Cell 1 has an area of approximately 6.8 acres. If the entirety of Sequences 1 and 2 are to be considered when determining the design life of the facility, then revised cost estimates which include the costs of closing and long-term care for Cells 1 through 8 (Sequences 1 and 2) must be provided for review. If Sequences 1 and 2 are to be included, the revised cost estimates will be reviewed in their entirety.

Additionally, based on discussions with Solid Waste staff in Tallahassee, the Southwest District Solid Waste Section has re-evaluated the revised cost estimates dated July 8, 2003 (received July 9, 2003), for closing and long-term care of the Enterprise Recycling Class III Landfill. Unfortunately, after a second review, it is clear that the estimates submitted were approved in error. The estimates submitted are more representative of the closing costs for a C&D debris disposal facility rather than the closing costs for a Class III landfill. Therefore, the cost estimates dated July 8, 2003 are not approved. Additional information is needed to fully evaluate the estimates submitted.

General:

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 - b. Be based on the cost to the owner or operator of hiring a third party to close the facility; and
 - c. Not incorporate any salvage value that may be realized from the sale of hazardous (solid) waste, facility structures or equipment, land, or <u>other assets</u> associated with the facility at the time of partial or final closure.

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2. Please clarify the number of acres included. Please provide a reduced size (8 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 or 11 x 17) plan sheet which shows the limits of all of the disposal areas and the acreage for each. All of the costs previously submitted will be re-evaluated based on the response to this item. Please clarify if only Cell 1, Phase 4 will be constructed during the first year.

Closing:

- 3. Slope & Fill. Please provide a quantity and cost for placement of a bedding layer. Since it is unreasonable to expect that all grades and slopes will be maintained exactly as required for closure on a daily basis, a quantity and cost for sloping, compacting and grading the waste must be included. Please specify if the quantities are for material "as-received" or "in-place." If the cost is not for "in-place" material, please account for compaction in the quantity. See also Comment #1.a., above.
- 4. <u>Cover Material (Barrier Layer), \$1.15/CY.</u> This cost seems low. Although a quote from Goodwin Brothers construction was provided, the source of the material and permeability of the material was not specified. The clay barrier layer must meet the requirements of Rule 62-701.600(5)(g), F.A.C. Please specify the compaction technique included in the Goodwin Brothers quote. Please be reminded that the compaction and other construction methods must meet the requirements of Rules 62-701.400(7) and (8), F.A.C.
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- 6. <u>Professional Services</u>. Please provide a detailed estimate which includes development and implementation of the CQA plan required by Rules 62-701.400(7) and (8), F.A.C. Please provide a detailed estimate for the testing cost listed. Please provide information which indicates that the Goodwin Brothers have successfully constructed this type of landfill closure, and that the cost they provided includes all of the activities required by Rules 62-701.400(7) and (8), F.A.C.

The Department requests that <u>two copies</u>, signed and sealed by a registered professional engineer, be provided to the Department's Solid Waste Section, FDEP, Tampa office within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter. In order to expedite the review, please forward all responses concerning financial assurance directly to the writer. If you have any questions, you may contact me at (813) 744-6100 ext. 386.

Sincerely

Susan J. Pelz, P.E. Solid Waste Manager

Southwest District

Memorandum

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

To:

Susan Pelz

From:

Kim Ford En [

Date:

August 1, 2003

Subject:

Enterprise CIII Site Visit On Friday August 1, 2003

On Friday August 1, 2003 John Morris and Kim Ford met others at the Enterprise CIII landfill. Others at the site:

Angelo (left early)

Craig Bryan

Jennifer Deal, Miguel Garcia, Dale (Hartman & Assoc.)

a contractor's representative

The site visit went as follows:

1) We observed the Cell 1. DEP explained that only part of Cell 1 could be included in the certification because the side slope areas on the south and west are not excavated and only the bottom part of Cell 1 can be included.

2) We observed standing water in ruts on the north half of Cell 1.

3) We went down into the Cell 1 and observed 12 areas of concern- 9 test pits excavated 3'-4' deep exposing limestone and one test pit exposing sand, and two areas not excavated. (see digital photos).

4) We observed one location with exposed limestone at the surface on the west side slope not yet excavated. While walking from one test pit to another, a small area of what appeared to be exposed limestone at the surface was observed. (see digital photos).

Most of the boring locations and test pits were not identified by identification stakes.

6) We went to the top and met to discuss several items as follows:

- a) The surface water ditch along the east side of Cell 1 was not constructed. After review of the sequence of filling in the operations plan we agreed that the east ditch was not needed until Cell # 3 is excavated because all filling will be below grade until then.
- b) Daily rainfall and daily staff gauge (in the temporary stormwater pond) measurements were requested.
 - c) Weekly water elevations in each installed well and each piezometer were requested.

d) The accuracy of the location for each boring was discussed.

e) All borings logs and test results were requested.

- f) Sampling of the temporary stormwater pond was suggested as a requirement until demonstrated that there is no connection to the Floridan aquifer.
- g) The reason why the temporary stormwater pond is not filling up after rainfall was requested. Is it draining out to the Floridan aquifer, or out the sides and evaporating?
 - h) The depth of borings was questioned because the permitted design requires a "continuous" 3 feet of clay at 10-6 cm/sec. Why are the borings only 3' deep when limestone is hit in the boring?

- g) DEP requested to examine each 3 feet core for each permeability. DEP requested most permeabilities in the "worst case locations". DEP discussed and suggested updating the geologic cross-sections across the cells connecting the permeabilities and borings. DEP requested a contour map showing the top and bottom of the "continuous" 3 feet of clay at 10-6 cm/sec, and the limestone.
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 - 1. more CQA already done without DEP agreement
- 2. "worst case" information has not been provided, such as 4 out of the 5 permeability tests appear to have been taken in the best locations not the worst.
- 3. some descriptions area too vague, such as "and <u>does not appear</u> to be competent limestone connected to the aquifer" and "clay has been encountered below the limestone <u>in most areas</u>".
 - 4. more borings have been completed at locations not agreed on by DEP.
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 - 6. permeability test results still not provided after 3 weeks.
- 7. the previously requested survey locations for all borings and all questionable areas not kept up-to-date and not provided.
- 8. some descriptions are incomplete and misleading, such as "Two (2) of the original 12 boring locations encountered limestone.", however the previous paragraph says 25 borings have been completed.
 - the description of the temporary stormwater pond is inadequate and does not include a
 description of test results for thickness and permeability, and indicates the observation "of a few
 small <u>limestone boulders</u> and cobbles" without further investigation and without test results.
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