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Re: Port Clinton Landfill
Groundwater

September 24, 2009

Mr. John Logsdon
Port Clinton Landfill, Inc.
530 North Camp Road
Port Clinton, Ohio 43452

Dear Mr. Logsdon:

The owner/operator is currently required to perform ground water detection monitoring activities at the facility, as well as assessment monitoring activities for MW-23.

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) reviewed the "*Response (dated August 4, 2009) to Ohio EPA Comments (dated July 1, 2009)*" from CEC, Inc.. This submittal was reviewed to determine compliance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10.

Based on Ohio EPA's evaluation, the facility is presently operating under the correct ground water monitoring phases and the owner/operator should continue to monitor under the current programs.

COMMENTS

Owner/Operator's Response to Previously Cited Violations

1. The July 1, 2009, letter from Ohio EPA cited the owner/operator in violation of OAC Rule 3745-27-10(C)(1)(a) regarding purge water disposal and adherence to the Sampling & Analysis Plan. The August 4, 2009, letter from CEC, Inc. indicates that the owner/operator has taken measures to avoid violations of this rule in the future.

Recommendations

2. Ohio EPA recommends that the Ground Water Detection Monitoring Plan (GWDMP) and Ground Water Quality Assessment Plan (GWQAP) be revised in accordance with Comments No. 2, 3 and 4 of the July 1, 2009, letter from Ohio EPA at least 30 days prior to the next semi-annual sampling event (scheduled for December 2009).

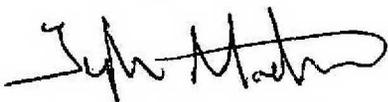
Comments No. 2, 3 and 4 of the July 1, 2009, letter from Ohio EPA documented recommended revisions to the GWDMP and GWQAP. The submittal indicates that the owner/operator intends to follow these recommendations from Ohio EPA.

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However, the GWDMP and GWQAP have not yet been revised, but rather the submittal indicates that these changes would be made to these plans the next time they are revised. Therefore, Ohio EPA recommends that the GWDMP and GWQAP be revised accordingly at least 30 days prior to the next semi-annual sampling event (scheduled for December 2009).

If you have any questions, please contact Ken Brock at the Ohio EPA Northwest District Office at (419) 373-3143. Any written correspondence should be sent to the attention of Tyler Madeker, Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management, Ohio EPA Northwest District Office, 347 N. Dunbridge Road, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.

Sincerely,



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