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Mr. Jamie Foster, Senior Engineer
Recycling and Resource Management Division
Department of Environmental Protection
16101 Frederick Road
Derwood, MD 20855

Dear Mr. Foster:

On June 8, 2021, the Maryland Department of the Environment (“MDE”) received two sets of a document entitled “Gude Landfill Remediation Design, Basis of Design”, in response to our Feb. 24, 2021, comments for the Remedial Action through the construction and installation of an engineered closure cap, at the closed Gude Landfill, in accordance with the Consent Order No. CO-11-SW-036. The closed landfill is located at 600 East Gude Drive, Rockville, Montgomery County, Maryland. The document was prepared and submitted on your behalf by EA Engineering, Science, and Technology, Inc., PBC.

MDE has completed the review of the closure cap construction design, and hereby approves the Remedial Action at the closed Gude Landfill as proposed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications. Prior to the start of construction, you must provide MDE with a copy of the erosion and sediment control plan signed and approved by Montgomery County Soil Conservation District.

Also, be advised that you may need to file a Notice of Intent for coverage under the General Permit for Stormwater Associated with Construction Activity with MDE’s Water and Science Administration (WSA). You can contact MDE’s WSA at mde.constructionswnoi@maryland.gov or 410-537-3019 for more information.

Please notify the Department in writing five working days prior to start of construction. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Samuel Ogbogu, Project Manager, Construction and Maintenance Section at (410) 218-0167 or samuel.ogbogu@maryland.gov

Sincerely,

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