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June 26, 2014

Mr. Gerry Villalobos  
Solid Waste Management Program  
County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health  
5050 Commerce Drive  
Baldwin Park, CA 91706

Dear Mr. Villalobos:

**MAY 2014 INITIAL STUDY/ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST & ADDENDUM  
TO THE 1988 NEGATIVE DECLARATION  
AZUSA LAND RECLAMATION, 1211 WEST GLADSTONE STREET, AZUSA, CA  
SOLID WASTE FACILITY PERMIT REVISION (SWFP No. 19-AA-0013)**

The Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/Integrated Waste Management Task Force (Task Force) has been advised that the facility operator filed an application for a revised Solid Waste Facility Permit (SWFP) for the subject facility with the Local Enforcement Agency, currently the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Solid Waste Management Program. According to the May 2014 Initial Study/Environmental Checklist, the revision would provide a continuation of the previously realized historic levels of operations at the Azusa Landfill, including clarifying the Landfill's ability to continue accepting up to an average of 6,500 total tpd of inert waste with a peak daily waste throughput of 8,000 tpd and a maximum of 39,000 tons per week. The proposed revision of the SWFP for the Azusa Landfill also involves the following:


- Clarify the total acreage of the Landfill (302 acres) versus the permitted disposal area (266 acres, including Zone V);
- Clarification of the types of inert and beneficial use materials accepted at the Landfill;
- Clarification of the disposal operations for the co-disposal of waste tires and inerts;
- Revision of the base grades for Zones III, IV, and V based on the continuing mining operations in order to reflect the ongoing disposal of inert wastes and the prior elimination of MSW from the permitted waste stream; and
- An update to the remaining estimated site capacity and site life.

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As the May 2014 Initial Study/Environmental Checklist and Addendum were prepared to evaluate the environmental effects of the proposed SWFP revision, the Task Force would appreciate an opportunity to provide comments on the document and a time frame for submittal of comments while recognizing that the Task Force must comply with the requirements of the Brown Act and meets on a monthly basis on the third Thursday of each month.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Mike Mohajer of the Task Force at [MikeMohajer@yahoo.com](mailto:MikeMohajer@yahoo.com) or (909) 592-1147 or Ms. Emiko Thompson, staff to the Task Force, at (626) 458-3521 or [ethomp@dpw.lacounty.gov](mailto:ethomp@dpw.lacounty.gov) Monday through Thursday, 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Sincerely,



Margaret Clark, Vice-Chair  
Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/  
Integrated Waste Management Task Force and  
Mayor Pro Tem, City of Rosemead

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cc: County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health (Angelo Bellomo)  
Each Member of the Los Angeles County Integrated Waste Management Task Force  
Each Member of the Facility and Plan Review Subcommittee