

February 20, 2009

Mr. Jeff Holderread
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Municipal Solid Waste Permits Section (MC-124)
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, TX 78711

Re: Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) - Coryell County
 Fort Hood Landfill - MSW Permit No. 1866
 Permit Modification Request – Groundwater Sampling and Analysis Plan (Monitor Well Spacing) and Site Drainage Plan

Dear Mr. Holderread:

On behalf of the U.S. Army, Freese and Nichols is requesting a modification to Part III of the Fort Hood Landfill Permit (MSW Permit No. 1866) including changes to the Fort Hood Landfill's Groundwater Sampling and Analysis Plan (GWSAP) and the Site Drainage Plan. The proposed changes to the GWSAP address new monitor well spacing requirements of Title 30 of the Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 330, Subchapters J. The proposed modification to the Surface Water Drainage Plan addresses the requirements of 30 TAC §330, Subchapter G.

For your convenience, one original version of the permit modification is enclosed with this letter along with two additional copies. One copy is a "redlined" version highlighting changes from the landfill's currently approved versions of these documents.

Part III Reformatting and Drainage Plan Update

In order to facilitate the review of this permit modification, Part III of the Fort Hood Landfill Permit has been reorganized and updated to the current TCEQ format. Changes to Part 3 include

- Revisions to the GWSAP to address monitor well spacing requirements.
- Revised and Updated Surface Water Drainage Plan.
- Reorganized and edited text sections.

This proposed permit modification represents the final stage of several updates that have been made to Fort Hood Landfill's permit over the previous two years to meet current 30 TAC §330 requirements. The Army requested the Freese and Nichols assemble the current versions of each individual section of their entire permit into one document. Freese and Nichols has reorganized the current versions of each section from Part III of their permit according to TCEQ's standard permit organization described in 30 TAC §330. A complete copy of these reorganized documents from Part III is being provided to TCEQ with this submittal for information purposes only. No changes have been made to the content of any of the permit sections other than those noted above.

Schedule for Monitor Well Installation

The proposed monitor wells shown on Figure 1 of the GWSAP will be installed once this permit modification has been approved by the TCEQ. However, the Army funding system makes it difficult to predict the exact time frame for installation of the wells. Fort Hood will attempt to complete installation of the monitor wells by the end of Fiscal Year 2009 (September 2009). If there is a delay in funding that will prevent the Army from meeting this schedule, Fort Hood will contact the TCEQ to discuss an alternative schedule.

Groundwater monitor is currently conducted on a semiannual schedule with monitoring events conducted in January and July. Quarterly background monitoring at new wells will commence immediately following installation at the earliest of the next semiannual event (January or July) or the next quarter (October or April).

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Jeff Arrington, P.E. at (817)735-7385 or me at (817)735-7462.

Sincerely,



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Associate

Enclosures

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