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Mr. Peter R. Karasik
Department of Environmental Protection
16101 Frederick Road
Derwood MD 20855

Dear Mr. Karasik:

The Maryland Department of the Environment (the "Department") received the Revised April 2016 Gude Landfill Assessment of Corrective Measures (ACM) Report. The Department has reviewed and hereby approves the ACM Report, which includes the recommended corrective measure of Toupee Capping and Additional Landfill Gas Collection. As part of this approval, the Department approves the workplan found in Appendix J: Work Plan for Recommended Corrective Measure Alternative of the ACM Report. The Department requests that Montgomery County provide a definitive implementation schedule once procurement/contracting activities for design have been obtained.

If there are any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. Ed Carlson, Head of the Investigations and Remediation Section, at (410) 537-3315.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Martha Hynson". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Martha Hynson, Chief
Solid Waste Operations Division

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cc: Ms. Hilary Miller
Mr. Brian Coblentz
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