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COUNTY JUDGE

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April 26, 2011

Mr. Conrad Schaefer
Municipal Solid Waste Section, Waste Permits Division
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
12100 Park 35 Circle, Building F
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Subject: Blume Road Widening at Fort Bend County Landfill
MSW Permit No. 1048, Fort Bend County, Texas

Dear Mr. Schaefer:

Fort Bend County is working with the City of Rosenberg on widening Blume Road, adjacent to the Fort Bend County Landfill. The road widening will require various adjustments at the landfill for road improvements to be made: A road easement will be required for the road widening. The visual barrier shrubs in the easement area will need to be moved on the west side of the access road (to remain in place) that allows access to the methane monitoring wells. The perimeter fence along Blume Road will need to be moved to a new proposed road easement boundary location. Four existing methane monitoring wells will need to have new concrete pads placed when the phased construction will allow placement of the protective covers. A piezometer groundwater monitoring well number PZ16 is in the area of the construction but will remain with no change needed.

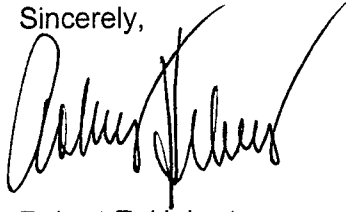
According to the Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §305.70, minor permit modifications to MSW Permit 1048 can be applied for as long as subsection (d) is met and items (j) and (k) will allow for the road easement to be made to the City of Rosenberg, with ownership to remain with the County. The visual barrier shrubs will be moved near the oak trees to the west and the perimeter fence will be moved inward to a new location. Excess soil from the Blume Road right-of-way may be available from storm-drain and utility installation for use in filling low areas as shown on the attached 11x17 aerial image.

This letter is to certify under penalty of law that the document and all attachments previously submitted by Fort Bend County on April 26, 2011 were prepared under direct supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. We are aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

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Thank you for reviewing this information, and feel free to contact Assistant County Engineer, Ronald Drachenberg, P.E., R.P.L.S. if you have any questions at telephone number 281-633-7509.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert E. Hebert", with a large, sweeping flourish extending upwards and to the right.

Robert E. Hebert
County Judge

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