



December 27, 2013

Mr. James Innes
Environmental Quality Analyst
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
Remediation Division
Lansing District Office
PO Box 30242
Lansing, MI 48909

RE: Annual Landfill Cap Inspection
Linden Road Landfill, Flint Township, Genesee County, Michigan
Site ID No. 25000016
FILE: 15388/50134 Docs

Dear Mr. Innes:

On behalf of Revitalizing Auto Communities Environmental Response Trust (RACER Trust), O'Brien & Gere is providing the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) with this letter to comply with the Operation & Maintenance reporting requirements at the Linden Road Landfill site in Flint Township, Genesee County, Michigan.

LANDFILL CAP INSPECTION

This letter serves to fulfill the Operation & Maintenance (O&M) reporting requirements contained in the O&M Plan dated February 2008 and to satisfy the terms and conditions as described in Section IV, subsection 4.1 of the Agreement for a Limited Recreational Remedy document, Landuse-ERD-98-011, dated June 16, 1999. The American Youth Soccer Association (AYSO) continues to lease and use the site for recreational purposes, and restricts access to the site via a combination lock at the gate to the site. The AYSO also maintains the soil cover by mowing, seeding, filling, as well as setting animal traps and repairing animal burrows. If necessary, O'Brien & Gere (on behalf of RACER Trust) conducts maintenance activities including repair of areas damaged by burrowing animals. An inspection report from November 13, 2013 is included as Appendix A to this letter. As noted in the report, burrowing animals appear to have caused a few holes in the landfill cap and moles have burrowed tunnels in several areas. Otherwise, the landfill cap is in good condition.

If you have any questions regarding the information in this letter, please contact David Favero of RACER Trust at (217) 741-6235 or dfavero@racertrust.org.

Very truly yours,
O'Brien & Gere Engineers, Inc.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Clifford Scott Yantz".

Clifford S. Yantz
Technical Associate

Enclosures

cc: David Favero – RACER Trust

APPENDIX A
November 13, 2013
Inspection Report

Figure 3-1

**Operation and Maintenance Periodic Inspection Report
Linden Road Site
Flint Township, Michigan**

Inspector Kevin Schneider
 Company O'Brien & Gere
 Project Linden Rd
 Location Flint, MI
 Date/Time 11/13/13
 Project No. 50134

Weather	<u>Clear</u>	P. Cloudy	Cloudy	Fog
Temperature	High	<u>40 F°</u>	---	---
Wind	Calm	<u>Medium</u>	High	---
Precipitation (circle)	Rain	Light	Moderate	Heavy
	<u>None</u>	Snow	Light	Moderate

Type of Inspection Routine Special Annual

Persons/Equipment Present: Kevin Schneider / company truck

General Description of Site Conditions: _____

Specific Inspection Items	Potential Problem Areas	Status*	Notes
Perimeter Security Fencing	Missing barbed wire, torn fabric.	1	
Entrance Gate and Locking Mechanism	Lock broken/missing, mechanism inoperative.	1	
Monitoring Wells and Wellhead Covers	Signs of tampering, casing damaged, lock missing.	1	
Final Cover Vegetation	Bare spots, stressed vegetation, deep rooted vegetation.	1	
Final Cover Slope (explain below)	Gullies, cracking, subsidence, ponding.	1	
Evidence of Burrowing Animals	Damage to final cover, evidence of waste.	1	
Stormwater Drainage Channels	Gullies, erosion, debris, culvert blocked.	1	
Access Road	Ponding, rutting, erosion.	1	

* (1) Acceptable—No Maintenance Required. (2) Not Acceptable—Identify Required Maintenance.

Summary of Deficiencies and/or Corrective Actions: A number of mole mounds/mole trails were identified along the outside of many of the soccer fields. (see map)
3 animal burrows were observed. 7 along SW soccer fields 1 along SE soccer fields

Signature of Inspector [Signature]
 Date 11/13/13

