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January 24, 2024

VIA EMAIL

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Dear Brendan Mullen:

SUBJECT: Response to *Quarterly Status Report – April 2023 – June 2023*;
RACER Coldwater Road Landfill; MID 005 356 860; Waste Data
System Number 393431

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Materials Management Division (MMD), has reviewed the *Quarterly Status Report – April 2023 – June 2023* (Report), dated July 14, 2023, and submitted by Ramboll on behalf of RACER Coldwater Road Landfill, 1245 E Coldwater Road, Flint, Michigan (facility). The Report was reviewed for compliance with the facility's approved Post-Closure Plan, and Part 111, Hazardous Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, and the administrative rules promulgated thereunder.

The Report requested approval for three modifications to the Post-Closure Plan. The MMD's responses to those requests are below:

- 1. Vault Dewatering:** Given the volumes of water that are removed from Vaults B and E on a monthly or bi-monthly basis, the MMD disagrees with a reduction in vault dewatering frequency for these two vaults at this time. The current vault dewatering schedule should continue for Vaults B and E. However, due to the reduced volumes of water produced, the MMD can agree with the reduction in vault dewatering frequency for Vaults A, C, D, and F, from every other month to quarterly, as outlined in the Report.
- 2. Site Inspections:** The MMD agrees with the change in frequency of site/landfill cap inspections from quarterly to semi-annually.
- 3. Reporting:** The MMD agrees with the change in frequency of report submittals from quarterly to semi-annually. As stated in the Report, any significant issues should be reported to the MMD when observed.

The Post-Closure Plan must be amended to reflect the above changes and submitted to the MMD for approval within 60 days of receipt of this letter.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 517-281-7726;
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Sincerely,

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