RESPONSE TO COMMENTS June 10, 2022

Southern Waste Services Landfill LLC Permit No. 071-00006 / Agency Interest No. 39028 Application No. APE20220001

Permit Renewal Application

The Division of Waste Management (DWM) received a permit renewal application on February 09, 2022, with additional information submitted on April 14, 2022, for the Southern Waste Services Landfill. Pursuant to KRS 224.40-310, a public notice was issued on March 1, 2022 with a thirty (30) day comment period. The following is a brief description of the comments received and DWM's response.

Comment 1: A commenter asked if the renewal would change the status of the landfill.

Response: In accordance with 401 KAR Chapter 47 and 48, the owner or operator of the landfill shall perform maintenance and closure and post-closure activities. More specifically, the owner or operator shall construct and/or maintain the cap on top of the landfill; continue to conduct environmental monitoring activities such as leachate, groundwater, and surface water monitoring; control access; and maintain the explosive gas (methane) system.

Approval of the permit renewal does not authorize additional waste capacity and typically does not change the status of the landfill. The primary purpose is to renew the existing operations (including closure operations); incorporate public information procedures; and to provide the DWM an opportunity to review and modify as necessary in accordance with 401 KAR 47:130, Section 6.

The permit was not changed in response to this comment.

Comment 2: A response was received with an updated email address.

Response: The public notice was forwarded to the updated email address. The message included the point of contact to make the correction.

The permit was not changed in response to this comment.

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