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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
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STEVEN E. CHESTER
DIRECTOR

January 16, 2007

Mr. Jerry A. Oley, Chairman
Monroe County Board of Commissioners
Courthouse, 2nd Floor
125 East Second Street
Monroe, Michigan 48161-2197

Dear Mr. Oley:

The locally-approved amendment to the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan (Plan Amendment) received by the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) on October 13, 2006, is hereby approved.

The Plan Amendment adds two transfer facilities, Gasper Recycling and Action Disposal, to the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan. The DEQ has determined that the Plan Amendment complies with the provisions of Part 115, Solid Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, and its administrative rules.

The DEQ would like to thank Monroe County for its efforts in addressing its solid waste management issues. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Rhonda Oyer Zimmerman, Chief, Solid Waste Management Unit, Storage Tank and Solid Waste Section, Waste and Hazardous Materials Division, at 517-373-4750.

Sincerely,


Steven E. Chester
Director
517-373-7917

cc: Senator Randy Richardville
Representative Kathy Angerer
Representative Kate Ebli
Ms. Jamie R. Dean, Monroe County Solid Waste Coordinator
Mr. Jim Sygo, Deputy Director, DEQ
Ms. JoAnn Merrick, Senior Executive Assistant to the Director, DEQ
Ms. Carol Linteau, Legislative Liaison, DEQ
Mr. George W. Bruchmann, DEQ
Mr. Steve Sliver, DEQ
Mr. Lee Carter, DEQ
Ms. Rhonda Oyer Zimmerman, DEQ
Ms. Christina Miller, DEQ
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Ms. Christina Miller
Environmental Quality Analyst
DEQ – Waste and Hazardous Materials Division
Constitution Hall, Atrium North
P.O. Box 30241
Lansing, MI 48909

October 11, 2006

Re: Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan Amendment

Dear Ms. Miller:

Please find enclosed locally approved copies of the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan – Amendment for Gasper Recycling and Action Disposal. The appointed planning committee has worked on this amendment since their appointment in April 2005. Monroe County feels that the inclusion of these two entities in the plan will assist the county in meeting its established solid waste goals.

All municipalities during the local approval process were afforded the opportunity to approve or disapprove the amendment. Enclosed are resolutions from all municipalities with the exception Milan Township, and the Village of Estral Beach, which took no action.

Should you have any questions regarding this amendment do not hesitate to contact this office at (734) 240-7909 or jamie_dean@monroemi.org.

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jamie R. Dean".

Jamie R Dean, B.S., M.S.Ed.
Monroe County Solid Waste Coordinator

Amendment - 2006

2001 Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan

In accordance with Part 115, Solid Waste Management (Part 115), of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451 as amended (NREPA) and rules promulgated thereunder, the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Planning Committee has amended the 2001 Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan.

This Plan Amendment adds Gasper Recycling located in London Township (WGS 84 LAT: 042°05'05.6677" N, WGS84 LON: 083° 32'56.2372" W) and Action Disposal located in Bedford Township (WGS84 LAT: 041° 46'44.8064" N, WGS84 LON: 083° 36'27.3517" W) as Type B transfer facilities to the approved solid waste disposal areas in the 2001 Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan.

Add Facility Descriptions for Gasper Recycling and Action Disposal to Section II and Section III of the 2001 Solid Waste Management Plan.

On page III-8 of the 2001 Solid Waste Management Plan, add Gasper Recycling and Action Disposal as Type B Transfer Facilities.

Add letter from Gasper Recycling requesting inclusion in the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan to Appendix D.

Add letter from Action Disposal requesting inclusion in the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan to Appendix D.

Attached please find the following supporting documents:

- Letter from Gasper Recycling requesting inclusion in the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan
- Letter from Action Disposal requesting inclusion in the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan
- Facility Description for Gasper Recycling
- Facility Description for Action Disposal
- Memo from Designated Planning Agency to Monroe County Board of Commissioners asking for adoption of resolution to amend the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan.
- Letter from Monroe County Board of Commissioners stating they adopted the Resolution amending the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan.

- *Letter confirming amendment of the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan written by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (Will be included when received)*



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February 25, 2005

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MONROE CO. HEALTH DEPT.
Environmental Health Div.

Ms. Jamie Dean
Monroe County Health Department
2353 South Custer Road
Monroe, Michigan 48161

RE: Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan

Dear Ms. Dean:

The State Of Michigan has asked us to be consistent with Monroe County Waste Management Plan. We need information on the procedure to become consistent with Monroe County Solid Waste. Please forward this information to the address above.

We look forward to working with you!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sherrie L. Gasper".

Sherrie L. Gasper

ACTION DISPOSAL

P. O. BOX 547
TEMPERANCE, MI 48182

734-847-7163

October 20, 2004

Ms. Jamie Dean
Solid Waste Coordinator
Monroe County Health Department Bldg.
2353 South Custer Rd.
Monroe, Mi 48161

Dear Ms. Jamie Dean:

This letter is to inform you that Action Disposal would like to be put on your list as a transfer facility in the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan. We would like information on the procedure for our facility to become consistent with the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan.

If possible please send us information regarding the procedures, otherwise I will be expecting a call to set up an appointment to meet with you on this matter.

Respectfully,


Carl Stevens Jr.
(Owner)

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FACILITY DESCRIPTIONS

Facility Type: Type B Transfer Facility*
Facility Name: Gasper Recycling

County: Monroe Location: Town: 5S Range: 7E Section(s): 1
WGS84 LAT: 042° 05'05.6677" N
WGS84 LON: 083° 32'56.2372" W

Map identifying location included: Yes No

If facility is an Incinerator or a Transfer Station, list the final disposal site and location for Incinerator ash or Transfer Station wastes:

Public Private Owner: Carleton Farms and Woodland Meadows

Operating Status (check)	Waste Types Received (check all that apply)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> open	<input type="checkbox"/> residential
<input type="checkbox"/> closed	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> licensed	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unlicensed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> construction & demolition
<input type="checkbox"/> construction permit	<input type="checkbox"/> contaminated soils
<input type="checkbox"/> open, but closure	<input type="checkbox"/> special wastes **
<input type="checkbox"/> pending	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

**Explanation of special wastes, including a specific list and/or conditions:
Mobile Homes

Site Size:

Total area of facility property: 2.16 acres
Total area sited for use: 2.16 acres
Total area permitted: _____ acres
Operating: _____ acres
Not excavated: _____ acres

Current capacity: _____ tons or _____ cubic yards
Estimated lifetime: _____ years
Estimated days open per year: 260 days
Estimated yearly disposal volume: 1200 tons or _____ cubic yards

(if applicable)

Annual energy production:
Landfill gas recovery projects: _____ megawatts
Waste-to-energy incinerators: _____ megawatts

* A Type B Solid Waste Transfer Facility is not designed to accept wastes from vehicles with mechanical compaction devices and accepts less than 200 uncompacted cubic yards per day.

FACILITY DESCRIPTIONS

Facility Type: Type B Transfer Facility*
Facility Name: Action Disposal

County: Monroe Location: Town: 8S Range: 7E Section(s): 17
WGS84 LAT: 041° 46'44.8064" N
WGS84 LON: 083° 36'27.3517" W

Map identifying location included: Yes No

If facility is an Incinerator or a Transfer Station, list the final disposal site and location for Incinerator ash or Transfer Station wastes:

Public Private Owner: Browning Ferris Industries

Operating Status (check)	Waste Types Received (check all that apply)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> open	<input type="checkbox"/> residential
<input type="checkbox"/> closed	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> licensed	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unlicensed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> construction & demolition
<input type="checkbox"/> construction permit	<input type="checkbox"/> contaminated soils
<input type="checkbox"/> open, but closure	<input type="checkbox"/> special wastes **
<input type="checkbox"/> pending	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

*Explanation of special wastes, including a specific list and/or conditions:

Site Size:

Total area of facility property: 12.43 acres
Total area sited for use: 1.5 acres
Total area permitted: _____ acres
Operating: _____ acres
Not excavated: _____ acres

Current capacity: _____ tons or _____ cubic yards
Estimated lifetime: _____ years
Estimated days open per year: 255 days
Estimated yearly disposal volume: 7800 tons or x cubic yards

(if applicable)

Annual energy production:
Landfill gas recovery projects: _____ megawatts
Waste-to-energy incinerators: _____ megawatts

* A Type B Solid Waste Transfer Facility is not designed to accept wastes from vehicles with mechanical compaction devices and accepts less than 200 uncompacted cubic yards per day.



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125 East Second Street Monroe, Michigan 48161-2197
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Jerry Oley, Chairman – Thomas Mell, Vice-Chairman
Vickie Koczman, Administrative Assistant/Deputy Clerk

April 12, 2006

Jamie Dean
Solid Waste Coordinator

Dear Ms. Dean:

At a Regular Meeting of the Monroe County Board of Commissioners held on Tuesday, March 28, 2006, the Board adopted the Resolution Amending The Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan To Include Gasper Recycling And Action Disposal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Vickie Koczman".

Vickie Koczman, Deputy Clerk
Monroe County Board of Commissioners

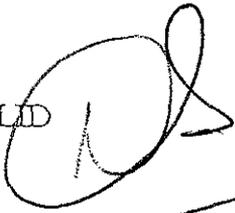
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Environmental Health Div.

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: VICKI KOCZMAN
FROM: DANIEL STEFANSKI, CHAIRMAN MONROE COUNTY SOLID
WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANNING COMMITTEE
SUBJECT: SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN AMENDMENT
DATE: 05/05/06
CC: REBECCA HEAD, ROYCE MANIKO, MAUREEN PFUND, JAMIE
DEAN



The Monroe County Solid Waste Management Planning Committee has found Gasper Recycling of London Township and Action Disposal of Bedford Township to be consistent with the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan and recommends approval of the proposed amendment including these facilities in the Plan by the Monroe County Board of Commissioners. Approval of the amendment by the Board is required before the amendment can be presented to the municipalities. Please add the plan amendment to the agenda for the next Monroe County Board of Commissioners meeting scheduled for March 13, 2006. At that meeting members of the Solid Waste Planning Committee and staff will be present to explain the process and answer any questions.

Thank you.

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Waste and Hazardous
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
MONROE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANNING
COMMITTEE**

The Monroe County Solid Waste Management Planning Committee, as appointed by the Monroe County Commissioners, will conduct a Public Hearing on December 8, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. at the Monroe County Health Department, 2353 South Custer Road, Monroe. The purpose of this meeting will be to accept public comments on the proposed amendment to the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan. The amendment will add two existing Type B Transfer Facilities to the Monroe County Solid Waste Management Plan: Gasper Recycling in London Township and Action Disposal in Bedford Township.

The draft of the Amendment is available for review at the Environmental Health Division of the Monroe County Health Department. Written comments will be accepted until January 31, 2006, all written comments shall be directed to Jamie Dean, Monroe County Solid Waste Coordinator at the address or electronic mail below.

Jamie Dean
Solid Waste Coordinator
2353 South Custer Rd.
Monroe, MI 48161
jamie_dean@monroemi.org

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