



John R. Kasich, Governor  
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor  
Craig W. Butler, Director

Mr. John Butler  
Senior Site Engineer  
Rumpke Sanitary Landfill, Inc.  
10795 Hughes Road  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45251

Re: Rumpke Sanitary Landfill  
Director's Authorization  
Approval  
Municipal Solid Waste Landfills  
Hamilton County  
MSWL018791

Issuance Date: AUG 16 2017

Effective Date: AUG 16 2017

Expiration Date: NOV 14 2017

**Subject: Rumpke Sanitary Landfill, Inc.  
Authorization Request - Temporary Increase in Authorized Maximum  
Daily Waste Receipt (AMDWR)**

Dear Mr. Butler:

On August 10, 2017, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Southwest District Office (SWDO), Division of Materials and Waste Management (DMWM), received a request, pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-37-14(D)(1), to temporarily increase the AMDWR of the Rumpke Sanitary Landfill (Facility) from 10,000 tons to 12,000 tons for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days. The 10,000 ton AMDWR was established by PTI Number 05-11554 issued on December 30, 2004.

Rumpke cited the Facility's core business is at a seasonal high with waste receipts at 7,000 – 8,000 tons per day. The wet weather conditions during the month of July caused a delay of a significant amount of clean-up projects. Additionally, the Facility is receiving waste from two ongoing clean-up projects: Kokosing/MSD Lick Run (1,000 to 1,500 tons/day) and Blue Ash Soil Project (700 tons/day). The AMDWR increase will accommodate the waste generated by the clean-up projects. The owner of the Facility noted in the request that the Facility is equipped with the appropriate equipment and personnel to handle the increased volume.

Based upon a review of the request and associated information, I hereby authorize an increase in the AMDWR at the Rumpke Sanitary Landfill in Hamilton County to 12,000

tons for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-37-14(D)(1). This authorization is subject to the following conditions:

### **CONDITIONS**

1. This authorization to increase the AMDWR shall expire ninety (90) days after the effective date of this action.
2. Pursuant to OAC Rule 3745-37-14(D)(2), if the increased waste receipt results in operational violations at the Facility, then this authorization to temporarily increase the AMDWR shall automatically become void upon written notification from the director.
3. Nothing in this authorization shall be construed to authorize any waiver from the requirements of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations. This authorization shall not be interpreted to release the owner or operator from responsibility under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 3704, 3714, 3734, or 6111; under the Federal Clean Water Act, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; or from other applicable requirements for remedying conditions resulting from any release of contaminants to the environment.
4. Issuance of this authorization does not constitute expressed or implied agreement that the operation of the Facility in accordance with this authorization will constitute compliance with applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations, nor does issuance of this authorization ensure that necessary operating permits or licenses will be granted.

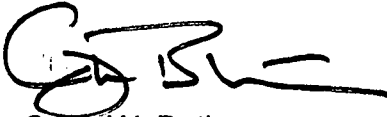
### **END OF CONDITIONS**

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to ORC Section 3745.04. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00, made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio." The Commission, in its discretion, may reduce the fee if by affidavit it is demonstrated that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An Appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
30 East Broad Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Maria Lammers of Ohio EPA, DMWM-SWDO at (937) 285-6046.

Sincerely,



Craig W. Butler  
Director

cc: Chuck DeJonckheere, Hamilton County Public Health  
Scott Hester, DMWM-CO  
Michelle Ackenhausen, DMWM-SWDO