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Subject: Orange County Landfill – Site No. 336007

April 2021 Periodic Progress Report STERLING File #2010-15 (Task 230)

Dear Ms. Andaloro,

In accordance with NYSDEC's letter issued November 25, 2016, this monthly Periodic Progress Report addresses the progress in implementing the approved Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP). The work is authorized by NYSDEC letters dated March 9, 2017 and March 20, 2017.

As outlined in the Pilot Program Work Plan (July 2020) approved by NYSDEC, STERLING is reviewing the data to evaluate the effectiveness of the operating system and to serve as the basis to assess options for long-term management of the recovered groundwater.

For the balance of 2021, the following activities are planned:

	Item	Projected Completion Date
1.	Recovery Well Pumping Rate	Completed
2.	Remote Sensor Evaluation / Installation	April 2021 (after ice out)
3.	Data Evaluation and Completion of Long Term Groundwater Management Plan (Per the Approved July 9, 2020 Groundwater Recovery System Pilot Program Work Plan)	July 1, 2021
4.	Design & Construction of Groundwater Management	TBD, following NYSDEC approval of
	System (Based on Long-Term Groundwater	Long-Term Groundwater Management
	Management Plan Approved by NYSDEC)	Plan.
5.	Final Engineering Report (FER) (Per December 19, 2016 Remedial Action Work Plan)	TBD, following implementation of Long-Term Groundwater Management Plan
6.	2021 Landfill Sampling Event	Fourth Quarter, 2021
7.	2021 Periodic Review Report Submission	By December 31, 2021

The Data Evaluation and Completion of the Long-Term Groundwater Management Plan (Item 3 noted above) will culminate in the submission of specific recommendations for groundwater treatment, conceptual design, and supporting materials for NYSDEC consideration and approval. The Long-Term Groundwater Management Plan will be implemented by the County once approved by the NYSDEC.

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The Final Engineering Report (Item 5 above) will provide the documentation and certification of completion of the following corrective measures:

- Horizontal recovery well installation
- Sediment removal
- Stream bank armoring
- Groundwater treatment

In addition to the above, Orange County will make the necessary arrangements to transport the accumulated pilot test water for offsite disposal.

Please contact me should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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