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December 23, 2016

Ms. Jill Banaszak
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Dear Ms. Banaszak:

**NOTICE OF COMPLETE APPLICATION
PROPOSED RMU-2 LANDFILL PROJECT
TOWNS OF PORTER & LEWISTON
NIAGARA COUNTY
DEC NO. 9-2934-00022/00049
SPDES NO. NY 0072061**

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the "Department") has determined the State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) permit modification application related to CWM's proposal to construct and operate a new landfill designated as "Residual Management Unit – Two" ("RMU-2") at its Model City facility to be complete.

As a result, the Department has prepared and is providing as enclosures to this letter: a Notice of Complete Application, a Draft Modified SPDES Permit and a Fact Sheet Addendum. Public notice and the opportunity for public comment is required for this application. Please have the Notice published in the Buffalo News, Niagara Gazette and the Lewiston Porter Sentinel once during the week of December 26, 2016 on any day Monday through Saturday.

For the Notice of Complete Application, only that information presented between the horizontal lines should be published. Please request the newspaper publisher to provide you with a Proof of Publication for the Notice. Upon receipt of the Proof of Publication promptly forward it to this office and to James T. McClymonds, Chief Administrative Law Judge, NYSDEC Office of Hearings, 625 Broadway, 1st Floor, Albany, New York 12233-1550. Be advised that Department staff will arrange for publication of the Notice in the Department's Environmental News Bulletin (ENB) on or about the same date as the newspapers' publication.



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In order to facilitate public participation, this letter hereby requires CWM to prepare four (4) hard (paper) copies of this letter, its enclosures, and deliver them to the following document repositories on or before December 28, 2016:

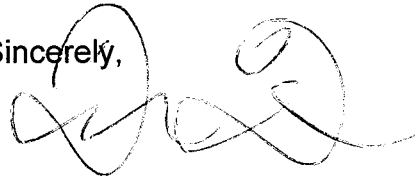
- Youngstown Free Library, 240 Lockport Street, Youngstown;
- Ransomville Free Library, 3733 Ransomville Road;
- Porter Town Hall, 3265 Creek Road, Youngstown; and
- Lewiston Public Library, 305 South 8th Street, Lewiston.

In addition, CWM is required to post ELECTRONIC copies of this letter, its enclosures, and all the correspondence and reports between the Department and CWM related to this application in "PDF" format on its previously established web site.

This notification does not signify approval of your application for permit. Additional information may be requested from you at a future date, if deemed necessary to reach a decision on your application.

If you have any questions please contact me or Mr. Mark Passuite at the above address or phone number.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David S. Denk', with a large, stylized initial 'D' and a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David S. Denk
Regional Permit Administrator

Enclosures: Notice of Complete Application; Draft SPDES Permit and Fact Sheet Addendum