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**SUBJECT: Wilkinson Co. – Covia Clay, LLC
Permit No. 158-008D(LI)
GEOS ID 638187
Solid Waste Handling Permit**

Dear Mr. Losee,

Your Solid Waste Handling Permit transfer application has been reviewed and is hereby approved.

The Solid Waste Handling Permit, **158-008D(LI)**, is attached and includes conditions and limitations for your facility.

Personnel of the Georgia Environmental Protection Division will make periodic inspections of your facility. These inspections will be discussed with you or your designated representative.

This permit is now in effect; however, under Georgia Law it is subject to appeal for a period of thirty (30) days following its issuance. Should an appeal be received within the thirty (30) day appeal period, you will be immediately notified.

If you have any questions regarding this permit, please contact Serena Broska at (470)-604-9370.

Sincerely,

William Cook
Solid Waste Management Program

Cc: Serena Broska; GA EPD
Keith Stevens; GA EPD (via email)
Marjorie Zavala; Latitudes Environmental (via email)

File: GEOS ID: 638187

PERMIT NO.: 158-008D(LI)
EFFECTIVE DATE: 2/28/2007



GEORGIA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION LAND PROTECTION BRANCH

Post-Closure Care Permit

Permittee Name: **Covia Clay, LLC**
Facility Address: **107 Macon Road
McIntyre, Georgia 31054**

In accordance with the provisions of the Georgia Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Act, and the Rules promulgated pursuant thereto, this permit is issued for the following facility:

**Covia Clay, LLC McIntyre Facility, located at 107 Macon Road, McIntyre, Georgia 31054
(Latitude 32° 50' 33.60"N, Longitude 83° 11' 41.77"W).**

This Permit is conditioned upon the Permittee complying with the attached Conditions of Post-Closure Care, which are hereby made a part of this Permit.

All statements in the application and supporting evidence, information, and data submitted to the Environmental Protection Division of the Department of Natural Resources have been evaluated, considered, and relied upon in the issuance of this Permit.

This Permit is now in effect; however, under Georgia law it is subject to appeal for 30 days following issuance and is subject to modification or revocation on evidence of noncompliance: (i) with any provision of the Act or of the Rules promulgated pursuant thereto; or (ii) with any representation made in the above mentioned application or the statements and supporting data entered therein or attached thereto; or (iii) with any condition of this Permit.



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Conditions for Permit 158-008D(LI) (Page 2 of 3):

1. The permittee shall conduct post-closure care, in accordance with the approved Post Closure Care Plan, for a period of at least thirty (30) years from the date of the Closure Certificate for the private industry solid waste disposal facility. The Director of the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) may extend the period where necessary to adequately protect human health and the environment.
2. Where any conflicts may exist between this Post Closure Permit or the Post Closure Care Plan and the Rules for Solid Waste Management in Georgia (Rules) or the Georgia Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Act (Act), the Rules and Act shall take precedence.
3. The permittee must maintain the Facility Operating Record in good order, and appropriately update it to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Rules for Solid Waste Management in Georgia. The Facility Operating Record must be located at the facility or at an alternate location approved by EPD.
4. The permittee shall inspect the facility and perform maintenance activities in accordance with the approved Post Closure Care Plan.
5. The permittee, or its designated agent, shall be responsible for conducting all environmental monitoring in accordance with the post-closure care plan.
6. Post closure use of property shall not be allowed to disturb the integrity of the final cover, liner(s), or any other components of the containment system, or the function of the monitoring systems, unless the permittee demonstrates to the Division that:
 - a. the activities will not increase the potential threat to human health or the environment; or
 - b. the activities are necessary to reduce a threat to human health or the environment.
7. Corrective action shall be implemented if environmental monitoring results indicate established standards have been exceeded or indicate a threat to human health or the environment. Notice shall be provided to the Director when a determination of elevated parameters has been made or if corrective measures are to be implemented by the permittee. The corrective action plan must be approved by the Division as a modification of the Solid Waste Handling Permit.
8. If the permittee is required to perform corrective action, a detailed written estimate, in current dollars, for hiring a third party to perform the corrective action must be prepared and submitted to the Division. The corrective action cost estimate must account for the total cost of the activities described in the corrective action plan for the entire period of time. The permittee must annually adjust the cost estimate for inflation until the corrective action program is complete. Where corrective action is required to be performed, the permittee must provide a financial assurance

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mechanism in an amount equal to the written estimate with annual updates as described above. Financial assurance must be provided continuously. The permittee shall demonstrate that the remedy is complete through submittal of a written certification provided by a professional geologist or geotechnical engineer registered in Georgia. The Director shall release the permittee from the financial responsibility requirement for corrective action upon concurrence of the remedy certification.

9. If the permittee or any subsequent owner or operator of the land upon which the facility is located wishes to remove wastes and waste residues, the final cover, or contaminated soils, the permittee must request and receive written approval from the Division.
10. After a period of at least 30 years from the effective date of this Post Closure Care Permit, in order for the Director to consider a request for release from post closure care, the permittee must notify and submit to the Director a signed certification by a professional engineer, registered to practice in Georgia, verifying that post-closure care has been completed for this facility, and that the facility presents no imminent threat to human health or the environment.