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**SUBJECT: Jasper Co. – SR 212 Monticello (SL)
Permit No. 079-004D(SL)
Post-Closure Permit**

Dear Mr. Benton,

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) has completed its evaluation of the technical and administrative data for closure of the subject facility. The enclosed Post-Closure Permit is hereby issued, which officially designates the facility as closed. Post-Closure Care must be conducted in accordance with the attached conditions for Post-Closure Care.

Personnel of the Division will make periodic inspection of the facility and the facility operating records. These inspections will be discussed with you or your designated representatives.

This Post-Closure Permit is now in effect; however, under Georgia Law it is subject to appeal for thirty (30) days following issuance.

If you have any questions regarding this Post-Closure Permit, please contact Keith Stevens at (470) 251-2515.

Sincerely,

William Cook
Solid Waste Management Program

Enclosure

Cc: Keith Stevens, Beverly Tipton; GA EPD (via email)

File: GEOS ID: 590216

PERMIT NO.: 079-004D(SL)
ISSUANCE DATE: Dec 12, 2022



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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION LAND PROTECTION BRANCH Post-Closure Permit

Permittee Name: Jasper County Board of Commissioners

Permittee Address: 126 West Greene Street, Monticello, Georgia 31064

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 operation:

Jasper County – S.R. 212 Monticello (SL) at 544 Ted Sauls Road, off State Route 201 approximately 2.5 miles northwest of Monticello, Georgia (Latitude 33.3157, Longitude - 83.7243).

This permit is conditioned upon the permittee complying with the attached conditions of post-closure, 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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1. All previous solid waste handling permits and permit modifications, issued under this permit number, are hereby superseded.
2. The Permittee shall conduct post-closure care for a period of at least thirty (30) years, after the Director has issued the Post-Closure Permit. The Director may extend the period where necessary to adequately protect human health and the environment.
3. The area certified for closure and regulated by the conditions set forth in this document is that designated in the "LANDFILL DEED NOTICE" recorded by the Jasper County Clerk of Superior Court in deed book 984 on page 170-171, on May 4, 2018.
4. The Post Closure Care Plan approved by the Division for this facility on September 11, 1998, is hereby made a part of this permit, and the facility shall be operated in accordance with the Plan. Any Division-approved Modifications to the Post Closure Care Plan shall also become part of this permit. Conditions of this permit supersede any provisions of the Post Closure Plan which may conflict.
5. As part of post-closure care, the Permittee shall maintain the integrity and effectiveness of the final cover system, including making repairs to the final cover as necessary to correct the effects of settlement, subsidence, erosion, or other events, and preventing run-on and run-off from eroding or otherwise damaging the final cover.
6. The permittee shall inspect and perform maintenance activities in accordance with the approved post-closure care plan.
7. The Permittee must maintain the Facility Operating Record in good order, and appropriately update it to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Rules of Solid Waste Management. Location of the Facility Operating Record must be at the facility or at an alternate location approved by the Division.
8. Post-closure use of property shall not be allowed to disturb the integrity of the final cover, or any other components of the containment system, 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.

9. All-weather access roads shall be provided to the disposal facility and provisions shall be made for maintenance and prompt repair when needed.
10. Access to the solid waste landfill shall be limited to authorized entrances.
11. Stormwater control devices shall be maintained to control all surface water runoff in accordance with the most recent edition of the Georgia Stormwater Management Manual, as applicable.
12. The Permittee shall fully satisfy all applicable financial responsibility requirements for post-closure care in accordance with Solid Waste Rule 391-3-4-.13.
13. The permittee, or its designated agent, shall be responsible for conducting all monitoring in accordance with the approved groundwater monitoring and methane gas monitoring plans and the Rules for Solid Waste Management, Chapter 391-3-4-.14. Changes to the groundwater monitoring system may be required under the Rules for Solid Waste Management, Chapter 391-3-4-.14, as requested and/or approved by EPD during the post-closure care period. Such changes may be due to changing potentiometric conditions and evaluation of groundwater monitoring data.
14. 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 Division, as a modification of the permit, must approve any corrective action plan.
15. 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 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.
16. The permittee or any subsequent owner or operator of this property must request and receive written approval from the Division to excavate and/or remove wastes, waste residues, or contaminated soils.

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17. At the end of 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 in accordance with the Rules for Solid Waste Management, Chapter 391-3-4, and in accordance with the Post-Closure Permit and that no imminent threat to human health or the environment exists.
18. The Permittee shall comply with all other applicable state and local laws, rules and ordinances which are not incorporated as conditions of this permit, but which are separately enforced by the relevant state or local agency with jurisdiction.