

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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June 26, 2023

Mr. David Conrad (DConrad@wm.com)
District Manager
Waste Management of AR, Inc.
100 Two Pine Drive
North Little Rock, AR 72117

Re: Approval of Cell 8A Construction Quality Assurance Report

Eco-Vista Class 4 Landfill

Permit Number: 0290-S4-R2; AFIN: 72-00144

Document ID: 84250; Reference Document ID: 84230

Dear Mr. Conrad:

The Division of Environmental Quality Office of Land Resources (DEQ) has completed review of the Construction Quality Assurance (CQA) report for Cell 8A of the Eco-Vista Class 4 Landfill, received June 19, 2023 under Document ID 84230. The certification report indicates that Cell 8A was constructed in accordance with the approved CQA technical specifications which are consistent with current DEQ regulations. By this letter, the DEQ authorizes waste disposal operations at Cell 8A of the landfill to commence.

This authorization is being given in reliance upon the statements and representations made to the DEQ, and DEQ has no responsibility for ultimate proper functioning of the disposal facility. The DEQ also reserves the right to request additional information if it is deemed necessary. This approval shall not remove any liability nor hold the Eco-Vista Landfill harmless in the event of any adverse environmental or public health conditions resulting from the disposal of the material. Eco-Vista Landfill shall be solely and fully responsible for implementing any corrective action necessary to remediate any adverse condition resulting from the disposal at the site based on this authorization.

Should you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me at (501) 682-0040 or greg.banic@adeq.state.ar.us.

Best regards,

Greg Banic

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Office of Land Resources

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