

April 20, 2020

Ms. Dorcas (Dee) Hanson-Lugo, REHS, MPA
SCL LEA Program Manager

Local Enforcement Agency
5050 Commerce Drive, First Floor
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**Subject: Emergency Waiver of Standards Request
Sunshine Canyon Landfill, Permit No. 19-AA-2000**

Dear Ms. Hanson-Lugo,

As you are aware, California Governor Gavin Newsom in Executive Order N-25-20 proclaimed a State of Emergency on March 12, 2020 as a result of the COVID-19 threat. Pursuant to CalRecycle's guidance and SCL-LEA's concurrence, Sunshine Canyon Landfill (SCL), SWFP 19-AA-2000, is requesting a temporary Emergency Waiver of Standards in order to properly manage the waste stream generated during the COVID-19 State of Emergency.

Approval of this variance request will enable the site to temporarily accept the additional waste being generated during the COVID-19 pandemic and provide the site additional time to close after the last load is received. Our commitment to the communities we serve, our employees and the environment remains firm during these times. Onsite, extra precautions will continue to be taken to ensure we are doing everything we can to slow the potential spread of COVID-19. The requested time allowance will ease the burden of maintaining physical distances while utilizing less personnel to manage more waste.

Upon approval, SCL will dispose of waste streams in composite-lined, Class III waste management units designed with gas and leachate collection systems. No medical waste will be accepted at this facility.

Pursuant to Title 14 CCR, section 17210.3:

1. Minimum Standards Requested to be Waived
 - a. Daily Tonnage limit

Increase daily tonnage from 12,100 tons per day to 14,100 tons per day. SCL has existing resources to handle the increased tonnage.

b. Weekly tonnage Limit

Increase weekly tonnage limit from 72,600 tons per week to 84,600 tons per week.

c. Hours of Operation

i. Receipt of Waste 6am to 6pm (Mon.-Fri.), 7am to 2pm (Sat.). No variance required.

ii. Increase landfill operating hours from 6am to 9pm (Mon.-Fri.) to 6am to 11pm (Mon.-Sat.).

2. Remaining Disposal Capacity

a. As of 2/13/2020 SCL has approximately 72M cubic yards of remaining capacity.

3. SCL is expecting that any separation of potentially reusable or recyclable materials will be completed at the point of generation.

4. A Listing of Locally Approved Temporary Sites

a. Temporarily using sites to store disaster related debris for future reuse or recycling is not necessary.

Requesting waiver to be in effect beginning April 20, 2020 for 120 days or longer as needed per Title 14 CCR 17210.2 (f).

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to email (ccoyle@republicservices.com) or call me directly at 818-362-2141.

Sincerely,



Chris Coyle
General Manager
Sunshine Canyon Landfill

Cc:

- Dave Thompson (Local Enforcement Agency Program – LA Department of Building & Safety)
- Coby Skye (Assistant Deputy Director – LA County Department of Public Works)
- Nick Hendricks (Senior City Planner - LA Department of Planning)
- Gabriel Esparza (Associate Civil Engineer - LA County Department of Public Works)