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Mr. Gruenenfelder,

I have completed a thorough review of the documents addressing the cleanup of the Pasco Landfill site. Based on this review the Benton-Franklin Health District(BFHD) agrees that aggressive action must be taken to prevent further contamination of ground water and get the site stabilized. That being said multiple issues must be addressed in significant detail prior to BFHD accepting this action. Please review and address these issues as the project moves forward:

1. The site safety plan must be completed in significant detail to insure the safety of workers, neighboring businesses, first responders, nearby residents and the presence of 4 schools within 1.5 miles of the site. This plan should address:
 - Weather and wind conditions that would make operations cease to protect both workers and the public
 - Plans to safely evacuate workers in the event of an issue within the containment area
 - Notification system for schools, EMS, and the public to take protective action in the event of an accident
 - A detailed air monitoring plan including an action plan to respond to any fugitive emissions from the site
 - This plan should be reviewed and accepted by Franklin County Emergency Management, the Benton-Franklin Health District and the Pasco School District
2. A detailed waste disposal plan including transportation route must be developed and accepted by the affected entities including at a minimum Franklin County and the City of Pasco.

While this action is necessary to protect human health and the environment from the discharges currently happening at the site it must be noted that this action poses significant risk to workers and the community should it not be planned and executed properly. It is imperative that the public, the Pasco School District, Franklin County Emergency Management, Franklin County, the City of Pasco and the Benton-Franklin Health District remain actively engaged with the process not only in review

but throughout the cleanup process.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on this cleanup action.

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