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September 10, 2020

Gaylene Mischuk Park Regional Manager Manitoba Conservation and Climate Parks and Protected Spaces Box 2550 The Pas, MB R3J 3W3

Dear Gaylene Mischuk:

Re: Gyles / Iskwasum Waste Management Facility, Permit 2248 P2

Enclosed please find the Permit for your remote seasonal facility.

Please note that failure to comply with any condition of the Permit may result in prosecution pursuant to the Waste Management Facilities Regulation.

Pursuant to Section 27 of The Environment Act, this Permit may be appealed to the Minister of Conservation and Climate by any person who is affected by the issuance of this permit within 30 days of the date of issue.

In addition to the enclosed Permit requirements, please be informed that all other applicable federal, provincial and municipal regulations and by-laws must be complied with.

If you have any questions concerning the Permit or procedures, please call Cristal Huculak, Regional Supervisor in The Pas at (204) 620-5797 or via electronic mail at <u>Cristal.Huculak@gov.mb.ca</u>

Please note that for Conditions under Site Construction and Upgrading of the Permit, the designated Environment Officer is Cory Graham of the Environmental Approvals Branch, who may be contacted at <u>Cory.Graham@gov.mb.ca</u> or 204-250-7645.

Yours sincerely,

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Shannon Kohler Director The Environment Act

c: Yvonne Hawryliuk/Cristal Huculak, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch Cory Graham, Environmental Approvals Branch



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In accordance with the Waste Management Facilities Regulation, made under The Environment Act, **Manitoba Conservation and Climate, Parks and Protected Spaces** is hereby permitted to operate a **Remote Seasonal Waste Facility** to be known as the **Gyles / Iskwasum Remote Seasonal Facility** situated at **NE 36-64-24 WPM** in the Grass River Provincial Park, Province of Manitoba.

THIS OPERATING PERMIT is subject to being AMENDED, SUSPENDED or REVOKED under section 7 of the Waste Management Facilities Regulation.

THIS OPERATING PERMIT is issued subject to the following TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

General Terms and Operating Conditions

- 1. This permit expires on August 31, 2025.
- 2. The Operator shall maintain and operate the Gyles / Iskwasum Remote Seasonal Facility (the Facility) in accordance with the most current version of the Waste Management Facilities Regulation (M.R. 37/2016) and this Operating Permit.
- 3. The Operator shall develop an Operations Manual detailing the operation and maintenance for this Facility in accordance with M.R. 37/2016. This manual should include but not be limited to a detailed list of waste and recyclable materials accepted, emergency and safety procedures, location where materials not accepted are diverted to, and maintenance and closure activities. The Operator shall provide the Manual to an Environment Officer upon request.
- 4. The Operator shall maintain a copy of the Operations Manual developed pursuant to M.R. 37/2016, a copy of the Waste Management Facilities Regulation, and a copy of this Operating Permit at the Facility or where the Facility is managed, accessible to all operators.

Materials Acceptance and Handling

- Unless otherwise approved in writing by an Environment Officer, the Operator shall allow only solid waste from the Grass River Provincial Park campgrounds, Simonhouse Bible Camp, Peterson's Reed Lake Lodge, and Grass River Lodge to be deposited at the Facility.
- 6. The Operator shall remove any litter accumulated along the access road and around the perimeter of the site. Litter collection shall occur at minimum annually before facility closure for the fall or as required by an Environment Officer.

Banned Materials and Dangerous Goods

7. The disposal of liquid wastes or tires shall not be allowed at the Facility.

8. The Operator shall not collect, store or deposit any hazardous waste as defined in The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act and Regulations at the Facility.

Placement and Cover

- 9. The Operator shall cover waste, at minimum, at the end of the operational season of the Facility each year or as approved by the Environment Officer.
- 10. The Operator shall take measures to confine all windblown waste to the active cell prior to application of the cover at the end of the season.
- 11. The Operator shall implement control measures to prevent attraction and sustenance of rodents and scavenging vectors.

Surface Water Management

- 12. The site shall be constructed to avoid any water from leaving the Facility and directly entering surface water.
- 13. The site shall be constructed to minimize water entering the active area and so that uncontaminated surface water flows away from any active area.

Site Construction and Upgrading

- 14. The Operator shall obtain approval in writing from the Director for any proposed alterations to the Facility before proceeding with the alteration.
- 15. Individual waste disposal cell (active cell) construction shall be subject to the following conditions:
 - a) the Operator must notify the assigned Environment Officer within five (5) days of commencement of construction of all waste areas; and
 - b) the active area (cell) shall be constructed to retain any flyaway loose garbage or upon the request of an Environment Officer the Operator shall install a 1.0 metre fence around the active area; constructed in such a manner as to contain the solid waste.

Burning of Specified Waste

16. The Operator shall not allow burning at this Facility.

Fish and Ash Waste Pits

- 17. The Operator shall only accept fish and ash waste from the sites identified in Clause 5.
- 18. The Operator shall limit the excavation of the waste pit to 1 metre depth and no larger than 3 metres in diameter.

- 19. The Operator shall clearly mark the edges of the pit and post signs indicating that only fish and ash waste may be deposited in the pits (i.e. no plastics, metals or other materials) and a warning of the potential for harm if entering the pit due to the inconsistent materials present in the pits (i.e. drowning, submersion hazard).
- 20. The Operator shall close, maintain, upgrade, or establish a new Fish and Ash Waste Pit at the request of an Environment Officer in the timeframe specified by the request.

Monitoring and Reporting Requirements

21. The Operator shall submit an annual report, in a format acceptable to the Director, by December 31, detailing the estimated volume of waste placed in the Facility during the operational year, and the estimated capacity left in the current waste cell.

Revocation

22. This Permit replaces Permit No. 2248 P1 which is hereby rescinded.

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