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Danniele Carriere, Chief Administrative Officer Rural Municipality of Whitehead 517-2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Box 107, Alexander MB R0E 2G0 cao@rmofwhitehead.ca

Dear Danniele Carriere:

Re: Alexander Waste Transfer Station, Permit No. 64569 P1

Thank you for your proposal. Enclosed Permit No. 64569 P1 is issued to the Rural Municipality of Whitehead for the operation of the Alexander Waste Transfer Station.

The Rural Municipality of Whitehead must operate the facility according to all permit requirements and applicable federal, provincial, and municipal regulations and by-laws.

Anyone affected by the issuance of this permit may appeal the decision to the Minister of Environment, Climate and Parks. Appeals may be submitted in writing to the Minister at minecp@leg.gov.mb.ca by September 15, 2022.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact Kristy Forrestall, Regional Supervisor, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch at EnvCEWestern@gov.mb.ca or 204-573-0518.

Sincerely,

Original signed by,

James Capotosto Director

**Enclosure** 

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# Transfer Station Operating Permit



File No.: 16610 Permit No.: 64569 P1

Issue Date: August 16, 2022

Following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation under The Environment Act, the Rural Municipality of Whitehead is hereby permitted to operate the Alexander Waste Transfer Station (facility) on portions of SW 16-10-21 WPM within the Rural Municipality of Whitehead.

This permit is subject to being amended, suspended or revoked under sections 7 and 9 of the Waste Management Facilities Regulation.

This permit is issued subject to the following terms and conditions:

## **General Terms and Operating Conditions**

- 1. This permit expires on August 10, 2027.
- 2. The operator shall maintain and operate the facility following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereof, and this permit. Schedule A of this permit identifies the facility.
- 3. The operator shall develop an operations manual detailing the operation and maintenance for this facility within 12 months of the date of this permit following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereof. This manual should include but not be limited to a detailed list of the following: waste and recyclable materials accepted, emergency and safety procedures, materials not accepted, received materials diverted, and maintenance and closure activities. The operator shall provide the manual to an environment officer upon request.
- 4. The operator shall, unless otherwise approved by an environment officer, maintain at the facility:
  - a) a copy of the operations manual developed following clause 3 of this permit;
     and
  - b) a copy of this permit.
- 5. The operator shall obtain approval in writing from the director of the Environmental Approvals Branch before altering the facility.

### **Site Access and Control**

6. The operator shall restrict access to the facility when site supervision is not provided, with a locked gate, barrier, or other system approved in writing by an environment officer.

### **Materials Acceptance and Handling**

- 7. The operator shall segregate materials collected for recycling or reuse, and shall temporarily stockpile these materials in clearly signed designated areas. These areas must be maintained to control weeds, vectors, and the quality of the materials.
- 8. The operator shall remove the materials identified in clause **Error! Reference s ource not found.** of this permit regularly or upon the request of an environment officer, within the timeframe specified.
- The operator shall remove any litter accumulated along the access road and around the perimeter of the site at minimum twice annually or as required by an environment officer.
- 10. The operator shall not bury or permanently dispose of any materials at the transfer station.
- 11. The operator shall remove the household waste deposited at the facility at a minimum every 30 days or a frequency required by an environment officer.
- 12. The operator shall implement control measures to prevent the attraction and sustenance of rodents and scavenging vectors.
- 13. The operator shall not accept any livestock or other animal mortalities at the facility.

#### Solid Waste

14. The operator shall dispose of all non-hazardous solid waste collected at the facility, which is not recycled, only to a waste disposal ground operating under the authority of a permit issued according to the Waste Management Facilities Regulation or any future amendment thereof, or a licence issued according to The Environment Act.

#### **Hazardous Wastes**

15. The operator shall collect and dispose of any hazardous waste following The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act, and other Provincial and Federal Regulations.

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### **Surface Water Management**

16. The operator shall construct the facility such that all uncontaminated surface water flows to the perimeter ditch and impacted water from all material storage areas is contained within the facility boundaries.

# **Burning of Specified Waste**

- 17. The operator shall only burn separated and readily combustible materials such as boughs, leaves, loose straw, paper products, cardboard, non-salvageable untreated wood, and packing materials derived from wood, and only when there is an appropriate volume of these materials.
- 18. The operator may allow controlled burning of vehicles, boats, and other materials approved by an environment officer for fire training. The controlled burning shall occur when the facility is closed to the public and only in the fire training area identified in Schedule A of this permit.
- 19. The operator shall not burn, other than those materials specified in clauses 17 and 18 of this permit, any other products or materials, including but not limited to plywood, composite board or other materials constructed with glues, finishes or preservatives, plastics, composites, rubber, manure, chemically treated fabrics, mattresses, finished furniture, or synthetics.

### Revocation

20. This permit replaces Permit No.64569, which is hereby rescinded.

Original signed by,

James Capotosto Director

Schedule A to Permit No. 64569 P1
Facility layout pursuant to clause 2 of this permit

