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Dear Gerry Vermette:

Re: Fork River Waste Transfer Station Permit No. 70052

Please find enclosed Permit No. 70052 in response to your application dated June 27, 2024, and additional information received on August 29, 2024. You wish to operate the Fork River Waste Transfer Station situated on portions of SW 29-29-18 WPM within the Rural Municipality of Mossey River.

The Rural Municipality of Mossey River must follow all permit requirements and federal, provincial, and municipal regulations and by-laws.

Anyone affected by this decision may appeal, in writing, to the Minister of Environment and Climate Change at minecc@manitoba.ca by October 10, 2024. The permit is available on the public registry at <https://www.gov.mb.ca/sd/eal/registries/6000wmfpermits/index.html>.

If you have any questions about this approval, please contact Kayla Hagenson, Acting Regional Supervisor, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch at EnvCEWestern@gov.mb.ca or 204-648-4794.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
Agnes Wittmann
Director
The Environment Act

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Transfer Station Operating Permit

File No. : 88234

Permit No.: **70052**

Issue Date: **September 10, 2024**

Following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation under The Environment Act, the Rural Municipality of Mossey River is hereby permitted to operate the Fork River Waste Transfer Station situated on portions of SW 29-29-18 WPM within the Rural Municipality of Mossey River, Manitoba. Schedule A of this permit identifies the facility. The transfer station is located within the Fork River Waste Management Facility, which is now closed.

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

General Terms and Operating Conditions

1. This permit expires on September 10, 2029.
2. The operator must maintain and operate the facility following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments and this permit.
3. The operator must develop an operations manual, within 12 months of the date of this permit, detailing the operation and maintenance of this facility following the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereof. The operator must provide the manual to an environment officer upon request.
4. The operator must obtain approval in writing from the director before altering the facility.

Materials Acceptance and Handling

5. The operator must:
 - a) segregate materials collected for recycling or reuse;
 - b) temporarily stockpile these materials in designated areas with clear signage; and
 - c) must maintain these areas to control weeds, vectors, and the quality of the materials.
6. The operator must remove all materials received at the facility regularly or upon the request of an environment officer, within the timeframe specified.
7. The operator must implement control measures to prevent the attraction and sustenance of rodents and scavenging vectors.
8. The operator must not accept any livestock or other animal mortalities at the facility.

Hazardous Wastes

9. The operator must not collect, store, and dispose of any hazardous waste at the facility without a licence issued under The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act. If any incidental hazardous waste is found disposed of at the facility, it must be managed following The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act, and other federal, provincial, and municipal regulations.

Surface Water Management

10. The operator must 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

11. The operator must only burn:
 - a) 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
 - b) when there is an appropriate volume of materials as identified in clause 11 (a) of this permit.

Composting

12. The operator must, unless otherwise approved by an environment officer, compost only leaf and yard wastes.

Closure Plan

13. The operator must, within 90 days of the date of this permit, submit a final closure plan of the Fork River Waste Management Facility (landfill) to the director for approval.

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Director
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Schedule A to Permit No. 70052



Figure 1: Fork River Waste Transfer Station Facility Layout