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June 11, 2021

Nicole Chychota, CPA Chief Administrative Officer Rural Municipality of Dauphin PO Box 574 Dauphin Manitoba R7N 2V4 nicole@rmofdauphin.ca

Dear Nicole Chychota:

Re: Sifton Waste Transfer Station Permit No. 62745

Please find enclosed a permit for the Sifton Waste Transfer Station located in the Rural Municipality of Dauphin.

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 its issuance 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 on this matter, please contact Acting Regional Supervisor Nicole Lavallee, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch, at Nicole.Lavalle@gov.mb.ca or 204-648-3415.

Sincerely,
Original Signed by
Siobhan Burland Ross

for Shannon Kohler, Director The Environment Act

# Transfer Station Operating Permit



File No.: 17333 Permit No.: 62745

Issue Date: <u>June 11, 2021</u>

In accordance with the Waste Management Facilities Regulation, made under The Environment Act, the Rural Municipality of Dauphin is hereby permitted to operate a Transfer Station to be known as the Sifton Waste Transfer Station located on portions of NW 35-27-20 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Dauphin.

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 June 30, 2026.
- 2. The Operator shall maintain and operate the Sifton Waste Transfer Station (the Facility) in accordance with the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereto and this Permit.
- 3. The Operator shall develop an Operations Manual detailing the operation and maintenance for this Facility in accordance with the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereto. 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; materials 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 in accordance with the Waste Management Facilities Regulation and any future amendments thereto and a copy of this Permit at the Facility or where the Facility is managed.
- 5. The Operator shall obtain approval in writing from the Director of Environmental Approvals Branch for any proposed alterations to the Facility before proceeding with the alteration.

#### **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 quality of the materials.

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- 8. The Operator shall remove the materials identified in Clause 7 of this Operating Permit regularly or upon the request of an Environment Officer, within the timeframe specified.
- 9. The Operator shall remove any litter accumulated along the access road and around the perimeter of the site. Litter collection shall occur 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 without obtaining any written authorization from an Environment Officer.
- 11. The Operator shall remove the household waste deposited at the Facility at minimum every thirty (30) days or at a frequency required by an Environment Officer.
- 12. The Operator shall implement control measures to prevent attraction and sustenance of rodents and scavenging vectors.
- 13. The Operator shall not accept any livestock or other animal mortalities at the Facility.

# **Hazardous Wastes**

14. The Operator shall not collect hazardous waste at the Facility.

#### **Pesticide Container Depot**

- 15. The Operator shall use the pesticide container depot to store containers which were last used to contain pesticide products.
- 16. The Operator shall locate the pesticide container depot on soil formations which will prevent percolation of contaminants into groundwater. Where local soils are not adequate to protect groundwater, the Operator shall construct containment in a manner approved by the Director.
- 17. The Operator shall manage the pesticide container depot in order to prevent drainage or run off from the area entering or leaving the container depot.
- 18. The Operator shall grade the area within the pesticide container depot to a sump capable of retaining any accumulated precipitation and/or pesticide residues.
- 19. The Operator shall surround the pesticide container depot with a fence capable of retaining all containers stored within the facility and separating the storage area from the surrounding land use.
- 20. The Operator shall maintain a fire break outside of the perimeter fence identified in Clause 19 to prevent the spread of fire into the pesticide container depot.
- 21. The Operator shall designate separate areas within the pesticide container depot for the storage of metal and plastic containers.
- 22. The Operator shall remove the accumulated containers from the pesticide container depot at least once per year.

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23. The Operator shall manage any liquid accumulated at the pesticide container depot in the sump in accordance with the requirements of the Hazardous Waste Regulation, or any future amendment thereof.

# **Surface Water Management**

24. 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**

- 25. 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 this material.
- 26. The Operator shall not burn, other than those materials specified in Clause 25 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

27. This Permit replaces Permit No. 8661 P1 which is hereby rescinded.

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