

April 4, 2025

Mr. Dominick DeNaples, Jr., Site Manager Keystone Sanitary Landfill, Inc. 249 Dunham Drive Dunmore, PA 18512

Via email: dominickd@kslco.com

Re: Operating Permit Extension

Keystone Sanitary Landfill, Inc. Permit Renewal Application Application No. 101247-A241

APS ID# 1111148, AUTH ID# 1479927

Dunmore and Throop Boroughs, Lackawanna County

Dear Mr. DeNaples:

Reference is made to the permit renewal application received by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (Department) on April 3, 2024. This application is for renewal of the operating permit for Keystone Sanitary Landfill, Inc. (KSL), located at 249 Dunham Drive, Dunmore, Lackawanna County.

The renewal application was deemed administratively complete on April 11, 2024. Technical review of the renewal application commenced at that time. As you are aware, the current permit expires on April 6, 2025.

In order to allow for sufficient time for the Department to evaluate the KSL renewal application, the recent EHB decision regarding the appeal of KSL's Phase III Major Modification Approval, the effectiveness of KSL's odor control and leachate management measures that were required under the March 29, 2024 Consent Order and Agreement, and other operational conditions, the Department is hereby extending the term of KSL's permit until October 6, 2025. The enclosed Form 13-A provides the Department time to complete review of the renewal application and evaluate all of the additional information mentioned above. Except as explicitly identified in the permit conditions and the enclosed Form 13-A, no other operation or construction change has been approved.

If the terms of the permit conditions of this extension are not complied with, it is not guaranteed that this permit term will be extended again. Therefore, if the conditions of this extension are not complied with to the satisfaction of the Department, KSL may have to prepare to cease all operations at the site and commence closure activities.

Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal the action to the Environmental Hearing Board (Board) pursuant to Section 4 of the Environmental Hearing Board Act, 35 P.S. § 7514, and the Administrative Agency Law, 2 Pa. C.S. Chapter 5A. The Board's address is:

Environmental Hearing Board Rachel Carson State Office Building, Second Floor 400 Market Street P.O. Box 8457 Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457

TDD users may contact the Environmental Hearing Board through the Pennsylvania Relay Service, 800-654-5984.

Appeals must be filed with the Board within 30 days of receipt of notice of this action unless the appropriate statute provides a different time. This paragraph does not, in and of itself, create any right of appeal beyond that permitted by applicable statutes and decisional law.

A Notice of Appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure may be obtained online at <a href="www.ehb.pa.gov">www.ehb.pa.gov</a> or by contacting the Secretary to the Board at 717-787-3483. The Notice of Appeal form and the Board's rules are also available in braille and on audiotape from the Secretary to the Board.

IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS ARE AT STAKE. YOU SHOULD SHOW THIS DOCUMENT TO A LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD A LAWYER, YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR FREE PRO BONO REPRESENTATION. CALL THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD AT 717-787-3483 FOR MORE INFORMATION. YOU DO NOT NEED A LAWYER TO FILE A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE BOARD.

IF YOU WANT TO CHALLENGE THIS ACTION, YOUR APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITH AND RECEIVED BY THE BOARD WITHIN 30 DAYS OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF THIS ACTION.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at <u>rbellas@pa.gov</u> or 570-826-2201.

Sincerely,

Roger Bellas

Program Manager

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Waste Management Program

Enclosure – Form 13-A

cc: Dunmore Borough (via email: <a href="mailto:greg.wolff@dunmorepa.gov">greg.wolff@dunmorepa.gov</a>)

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Mr. Dan O'Brien (via email: dano@kslco.com)

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## COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUREAU OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

## FORM NO. 13-A MODIFICATION TO SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AND/OR PROCESSING PERMIT

Under th	he provisions of Act 97, the Solid Waste Management Act of July 7, 1980, Solid Waste Permit
Number	101247 issued on (date original permit was issued) May 23, 1990 to
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(address	249 Dunham Drive
	Dunmore, PA 18512
is hereb	y modified as follows:
Sanitar of the to provide short-te	ermit modification is issued to allow for the short-term, continued operation of the Keystone y Landfill under the previously permitted terms and conditions during the pendency of the review ten-year renewal application, APS ID# 1111148, AUTH ID# 1479927. This action is taken to e sufficient time for the Department to complete the renewal application review process. This erm modification of the permit shall be granted until October 6, 2025, unless this short-term cation is revoked, or a final action on the renewal application is taken sooner.
modifie	ditions of the attached modification shall modify conditions in the original permit and subsequent cation to the original permit. Conditions contained herein that reference "permit" refer to the hereended permit.
and appresent	g herein shall be construed to supersede, amend, or authorize violation of provisions of any valid plicable local law, ordinance, or regulation provided that said law, ordinance, or regulation is not pted by the Pennsylvania Solid Waste Management Act, of July 7, 1980, Act 997, 35 P.S. 1010, et. seq.
	This operating permit allows Keystone Sanitary Landfill, Inc. to continue to operate this facility per the existing terms and conditions of DEP Permit No. 101247 until October 6, 2025. No construction or operational changes are authorized except as explicitly identified in this permit modification.
	dification shall be attached to the existing Solid Waste Permit described above and shall become tereof effective on (date)  April 4, 2025
	Roger Bellas
	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION