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Subject: Chiquita Canyon Landfill – Case No. 6177-4: Leak Report (Condition 27(e))

All,

In accordance with Condition 27(e) of the Stipulated Order for Abatement in Case No. 6177-4, based on its current knowledge of the event, Chiquita Canyon, LLC (Chiquita) provides the following report detailing a leak of characteristically non-hazardous leachate associated with Group C from a forcemain related to well CV-2548 in grid 82.

(1) the date and time of the leak or spill;

- The leak was discovered on June 26, 2026, at approximately 8:00 a.m.

(2) area designation inspected;

- Characteristically non-hazardous leachate associated with Group C leaked from a forcemain pipe related to well CV-2548 in grid 82. No liquid from the leak entered the stormwater channel or either stormwater basin.

(3) the name of the person that discovered the leak or spill;

- Derek Biasi

(4) written acknowledgement that they did, or did not, take corrective action with rationale for these actions;

- Upon discovering the leak, the line was pinched to stop the flow of liquid.

(5) a root cause analysis on why and how the leak or spill occurred;

- Based on Chiquita's current knowledge, the leak of characteristically non-hazardous leachate appears to have resulted from a pinhole opening in the pipe. The leak occurred after the forcemain was recommissioned and the associated pump was placed back into operation. Chiquita attributes this leak to equipment failure.

(6) the estimated quantity of the leak or spill;

- Chiquita conservatively estimates that approximately 100 gallons of characteristically non-hazardous leachate associated with Group C and related to well CV-2548 leaked from the pinhole in the pipe.

(7) corrective actions to clean and/or remove the leak or spill;

- In addition to the measures discussed above, all standing liquid was vacuumed. Soil that was affected by the leak was removed and placed into a container for proper disposal. Cleanup commenced immediately and was completed within approximately 2 hours.

(8) corrective actions implemented or to be implemented, including an estimated timeline, to prevent future recurrence;

- Chiquita replaced the damaged section of piping to restore the integrity of the system and prevent recurrence of the leak. Additionally, Chiquita will continue to monitor wells following recommissioning to confirm proper operation, identify any signs of leakage, and allow for prompt corrective action if needed.

(9) the type of affiliation of the operator involved in the root cause;

- No individuals were involved in the root cause of this leak.

(10) whether any individuals involved in the root cause had previously received training on applicable operations to avoid leaks or spills; and

- No individuals were involved in the root cause of this leak; however, Chiquita personnel have been trained on applicable operations to avoid leaks and spills.

(11) the number of times individuals involved in the root cause had previously been involved in the root cause of a leachate leak or spill.

- No individuals were involved in the root cause of the leak.

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