



CHIQUITA CANYON

A Waste Connections Company

Weekly Updates

July 10, 2026

- 7/4/26 – Submitted initial notifications to South Coast Air Quality Management District (“South Coast AQMD”) pursuant to Condition 82 of the Stipulated Order for Abatement in Case No. 6177-4 (“SOFA”) for the unplanned downtimes of the Parnel thermal oxidizer (“TOx”) and Flares 1, 2, and 3, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/>) pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/4/26 – Submitted a leachate spill report to South Coast AQMD and the Department of Toxic Substances Control (“DTSC”) for a spill of approximately 3 ounces of treated non-hazardous leachate discovered on July 3, 2026. This report was not compelled by SOFA Condition 27(e), as the spill is estimated at less than 1 gallon, but Chiquita submitted the report as a courtesy in the interest of transparency and in light of ongoing reporting requests from other regulators. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/odor-mitigation/>).
- 7/5/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of Flare 3 and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/6/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtimes of Flare 3 and the Parnel TOx and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/6/26 – Submitted follow-up written reports to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtimes of the Parnel TOx and Flares 1, 2, and 3 pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. These reports will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/6/26 – Submitted a weekly air monitoring network summary to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 35(c).
- 7/6/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD and DTSC for a leak of approximately 1 pint of leachate that was discovered on July 1, 2026. This report was not compelled by SOFA Condition 27(e), as the leak was estimated at less than 1 gallon, but Chiquita submitted the report as a courtesy in the interest of transparency and in light of ongoing reporting requests from other regulators. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/7/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of Flare 3 and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/7/26 – Submitted a weekly cover issues report to the Local Enforcement Agency (“LEA”) pursuant to the LEA’s June 6, 2024, Compliance Order (“2024 LEA

Compliance Order”) and to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (“US EPA”). This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.

- 7/7/26 – Submitted a weekly leachate seep inspection report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(c) and to DTSC pursuant to DTSC’s Summary of Violations issued on April 1, 2025. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/8/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the planned downtime of Flare 3 and posted an alert on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/8/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtimes of the Parnel TOx and Flare 3 pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/8/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation completion notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a).
- 7/8/26 – Submitted weekly methane data to the LEA pursuant to the 2024 LEA Compliance Order. This data will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/8/26 – Submitted a weekly as-built header/conveyance map to South Coast AQMD. This map will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/8/26 – Submitted a weekly update on well drilling activities scheduled for installation to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 15(c). This update will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/9/26 – Submitted new and updated Standard Operating Procedures to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(f).
- 7/9/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtimes of Flare 3 pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/9/26 – Submitted a weekly temperature monitoring probe report and monthly temperature contour map to the LEA pursuant to the 2024 LEA Compliance Order and to US EPA. This report and map will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/9/26 – Submitted quarterly excess emissions penalty fee to South Coast AQMD.
- 7/9/26 – Submitted a response to DTSC’s follow-up questions regarding the report of a leak of leachate under 1 gallon discovered on June 27, 2026.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted initial notifications to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of Flares 2 and 3 and the Parnel TOx, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a monthly Reaction Mitigation Area boundary determination to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 9(b). This determination will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.

- 7/10/26 – Submitted a weekly summary of the installation of leachate dewatering pumps to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 65. This summary will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a weekly update on well drilling activities to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 15(c). This update will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation notification for upcoming work to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a).
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a weekly EVOH/HDPE geomembrane cover installation update to the LEA pursuant to Mitigation Measure 4.1 of the LEA’s May 1, 2025, Compliance Order, noting that as of July 3, 2026, Chiquita had installed approximately 2,828,807 square feet of tan 60-mil EVOH/HDPE geomembrane cover at the landfill. Work conducted that week also included repairs and detailing of existing panels, including boot fabrication, patching, extrusion welding, and re-seaming, as needed. This update will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a West Toe project update to US EPA with a courtesy copy to DTSC.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a response to EPA’s interim comments on the Second Revised West Toe Buttress Work Plan pursuant to US EPA’s March 17, 2026, Additional Work Letter.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted an updated landfill gas generation and control capacity report to South Coast AQMD.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted revised cost estimates to DTSC in response to DTSC’s June 26, 2026, comment letter for response action work performed pursuant to sections 5.1.2(a) and 5.1.2(b) of the Imminent and Substantial Endangerment Determination and Order, Docket No. HSA-FY24/25-082, issued on April 2, 2025.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted comments regarding the June 2026 amended Investigative Order to the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board.
- 7/10/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD and DTSC for a leak of approximately 1 cup of leachate that was discovered on July 7, 2026. This report was not compelled by SOFA Condition 27(e), as the leak was estimated at less than 1 gallon, but Chiquita nevertheless submitted the report as a courtesy in the interest of transparency and in light of ongoing reporting requests from other regulators. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 7/10/26 – Hosted DTSC for a site visit.

Notices of Violation

- 7/7/26 – Received a Notice of Violation (“NOV”) from South Coast AQMD.
- 7/8/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 7/9/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 7/10/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.

- 7/11/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 7/12/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.