



CHIQUITA CANYON

A Waste Connections Company

Weekly Updates

August 7, 2026

- 8/1/26 – Submitted leachate leak reports to South Coast Air Quality Management District (“South Coast AQMD”) and the Department of Toxic Substances Control (“DTSC”) for leaks of 1 cup and 1/8 cup of liquid discovered on July 31, 2026. These reports were not compelled by Condition 27(e) of the Stipulated Order for Abatement in Case No. 6177-4 (“SOFA”), as the leaks were estimated at less than 1 gallon, but Chiquita nevertheless submitted the reports as a courtesy in the interest of transparency and in light of ongoing reporting requests from other regulators. These reports will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/odor-mitigation/>).
- 8/1/26 – Submitted leachate leak reports to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for leaks discovered on July 30 and July 31, 2026. These reports will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/3/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of the Parnel thermal oxidizer (“TOx”), and posted an alert on the front page of Chiquita’s main website (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/>) pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/3/26 – Submitted a weekly air monitoring network summary to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 35(c). This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/3/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 1, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/4/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtimes of Flare 2, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/4/26 – Submitted a weekly cover issues report to the Local Enforcement Agency (“LEA”), copying DTSC, pursuant to the LEA’s June 6, 2024 Compliance Order (“2024 LEA Compliance Order”). This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/4/26 – Submitted a weekly leachate seep inspection report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(c). This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/5/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of the Parnel TOx, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.

- 8/5/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtime of the Parnel TOx pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/5/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation completion notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a), with a copy provided to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (“US EPA”) pursuant to US EPA’s oversight of the West Toe Buttress Project.
- 8/5/26 – Submitted weekly methane data to the LEA pursuant to the 2024 LEA Compliance Order. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/5/26 – Submitted a weekly as-built header/conveyance map to South Coast AQMD. This map will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/5/26 – Submitted leachate leak and spill reports to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 3, 2026, and a spill discovered on August 4, 2026. These reports will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of the Parnel TOx, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtimes of Flare 2 pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. An updated report with additional data was submitted the same day. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted a weekly temperature monitoring probe report to the LEA, copying DTSC, pursuant to the 2024 LEA Compliance Order. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted a source test protocol for the Zeeco Mini TOx to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 22. This protocol will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/6/26 – Responded to DTSC’s request for additional tank-related information following the Department’s July 20, 2026, inspection of Tank Farm 13.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted a Permit to Operate (“PTO”) and Title V Modification application for the Landfill Gas Collection System to South Coast AQMD.
- 8/6/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 4, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/6/26 – Hosted the LEA for a site visit.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtime of the Parnel TOx pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.

- 8/7/26 – Submitted a weekly update on well drilling activities to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 15(c). This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a weekly summary of the installation of leachate dewatering pumps to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 65. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation notification for upcoming work to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a).
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation completion notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a), with a copy provided to the US EPA pursuant to US EPA’s oversight of the West Toe Buttress Project.
- 8/7/26 – 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 31, 2026, Chiquita had installed approximately 3,174,427 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.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a West Toe project update to US EPA.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a leachate seep report to the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (“Water Board”) for a seep that occurred on July 31, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/7/26 – Submitted a revised Community Exposure Mitigation Plan to the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (“DPH”). This plan will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.

Notices of Violation

- 8/1/26 – Received a Notice of Violation (“NOV”) from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/2/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/3/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/4/26 – Received two NOVs from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/5/26 – Received two NOVs from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/7/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.