



CHIQUITA CANYON

A Waste Connections Company

Weekly Updates

August 14, 2026

- 8/8/26 – Submitted an initial notification 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 downtime of the Parnel thermal oxidizer (“TOx”), and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/>) pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/8/26 – 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 (<https://chiquitacanyon.com/odor-mitigation/>).
- 8/8/26 – Submitted leachate leak reports to South Coast AQMD and the Department of Toxic Substances Control (“DTSC”) for leaks of 1 quart and 0.5 gallons of liquid discovered on August 5 and August 6, 2026, respectively. These reports were not compelled by SOFA Condition 27(e), 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.
- 8/8/26 – 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 7 and a spill discovered on August 6. These reports will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/9/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 7, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/10/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of the Zeeco TOx No. 7, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita’s main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/10/26 – 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.
- 8/10/26 – 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.
- 8/10/26 – Submitted a leachate spill report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a spill discovered on August 8, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.

- 8/11/26 – Submitted a weekly cover issues report, monthly cracks and fissures summary, and monthly isopach map 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”) pursuant to the Unilateral Administrative Order (“UAO”). These documents will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/11/26 – 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.
- 8/11/26 – Responded to South Coast AQMD’s questions and requests for documents regarding the SOFA Condition 8 report.
- 8/11/26 – Submitted source test protocols for the Zeeco TOx and Parnel TOx to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 22. These protocols will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/11/26 – Presented at the monthly Community Advisory Committee (“CAC”) meeting.
- 8/11/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 7, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/12/26 – 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.
- 8/12/26 – Submitted a weekly as-built header/conveyance map to South Coast AQMD. This map will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/12/26 – Submitted a follow-up notification to South Coast AQMD regarding the temporary relocation of certain remote monitoring system units pursuant to SOFA Condition 75(d).
- 8/12/26 – Submitted a follow-up written report to South Coast AQMD for the unplanned downtimes of the Parnel TOx and Zeeco TOx No.7 pursuant to SOFA Condition 82. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/12/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a leak discovered on August 10, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/13/26 – Submitted a weekly temperature monitoring probe report and monthly temperature contour map to the LEA pursuant to the 2024 LEA Compliance Order. This report and map will be posted on Chiquita’s Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/13/26 – Submitted a leachate leak report to South Coast AQMD and DTSC for a leak of 0.5 cups of liquid discovered on August 11, 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.
- 8/13/2026 – Submitted a report detailing an anticipated and actively managed release to

South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 27(e) and to DTSC for a release that occurred on August 12, 2026. This report will be posted on Chiquita's Odor Mitigation website.

- 8/14/26 – Submitted an initial notification to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 82 for the unplanned downtime of Flares 2 and 3, Zeeco TOx Nos. 1, 6, and 7, and the Hero TOx, and posted alerts on the front page of Chiquita's main website pursuant to SOFA Condition 81.
- 8/14/26 – 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.
- 8/14/26 – 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.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a Rule 1150 excavation notification for upcoming work to South Coast AQMD pursuant to SOFA Condition 42(a).
- 8/14/26 – 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 August 7, 2026, Chiquita had installed approximately 3,366,658 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.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a West Toe project update to US EPA.
- 8/14/26 – Participated in a biweekly meeting with South Coast AQMD technical staff pursuant to SOFA Condition 52.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted monthly and quarterly community air monitoring program ("CAMP") reports to the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health ("DPH"). These reports will be posted on Chiquita's Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a quarterly enhanced air monitoring program ("EAMP") report to DPH. This report will be posted on Chiquita's Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a monthly report to the LEA pursuant to Milestones 1A-3 and 5 of the 2024 LEA Compliance Order and related correspondence. This report will be posted on Chiquita's Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a monthly status report to DTSC pursuant to section 6.3 of the Imminent and Substantial Endangerment Determination and Order ("DTSC ISE Order"), Docket No. HSA-FY24/25-082, issued on April 2, 2025. This report will be posted on Chiquita's Odor Mitigation website.
- 8/14/26 – Submitted a revised West Toe Buttress Work Plan to US EPA pursuant to the US EPA's March 17, 2026 Additional Work Letter.

Notices of Violation

- 8/8/26 – Received a Notice of Violation (“NOV”) from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/9/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/11/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/12/26 – Received an NOV from South Coast AQMD.
- 8/14/26 – Received a Summary of Violations (“SOV”) from DTSC.