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From: Brandt, Paul [DNR]
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 3:46 PM
To: Hal Morton (hmorton@dmcwaste.org)
Subject: Lagoon Emergency Discharge

Hal – this letter is a follow-up to our telephone conversation of earlier this afternoon. As you reported, the landfill lagoon is full due to receiving 5" of rain last night, and you will need capacity for predicted rain the rest of this week. The Des Moines County landfill has an active NPDES permit, effective 3-1-2013. You may proceed to discharge about two feet from the lagoon to provide freeboard as an emergency measure. You should also sample the discharge. If sample results are within permit parameters, you will be able to continue discharging in accordance with permit conditions. If results exceed permit limits, please shut off the discharge once you have attained 2' of freeboard. Let me know what the results are when you receive them.

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