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Re: Wapello County Landfill

1 message

Smith, Mike <mike.smith@dnr.iowa.gov>

Tue, Mar 19, 2024 at 8:24 AM

To: "Sullivan, Mike" <michael.sullivan@dnr.iowa.gov>

Cc: Bryan Ziegler <bziegler@wapellocounty.org>, "Mr. Mick Leat" <mick.leat@dnr.iowa.gov>, "Ms. Becky Jolly" <becky.jolly@dnr.iowa.gov>

Had a conversation with Ziegler and I told him that we are ok with solar panels on the final cover provided that there are no penetrations and vegetation is sustained. Also, we would require that plans be reviewed by us.

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On Mon, Mar 18, 2024 at 4:32 PM Sullivan, Mike <michael.sullivan@dnr.iowa.gov> wrote:

Hello Mr. Ziegler,

I'm copying Mike Smith and Mick Leat on this email.

Mike/Mick:

Could you review these questions from Mr. Ziegler and provide a response?

Thanks,

Mike

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On Mon, Mar 18, 2024 at 12:42 PM Bryan Ziegler bziegler@wapellocounty.org wrote:

I am on the board of the landfill as a county supervisor. Can we put a solar panel system on the closed sites? It could be a floating system that leaves plenty of room for monitoring. We are near a power plant that could be used to receive the power. We could do a gradual ramp up and do testing before

expanding. We need to come up with more revenue. If you are not the right person, could you pass this on to the right person. I can come to Des Moines to discuss this.

Bryan Ziegler 641-777-4329