

January 15, 2026

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**RE: Union County Sanitary Landfill  
2025 Annual Water Quality Report, Leachate Control Performance Evaluation Report, &  
Landfill Gas Annual Report (Doc [#115126](#))  
Permit No. 88-SDP-01-79**

Dear Ms. Frey:

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has reviewed the 2025 Annual Water Quality Report, Leachate Control System Performance Evaluation Report, & Landfill Gas Annual Report, dated December 5, 2025, as submitted by SCS Engineers. The DNR has the following comments:

**Report Priority**

There are no priorities listed in this report.

**Sampling Summary**

DNR acknowledges that:

- Inorganic concentrations were generally stable during this reporting period.
- No volatile organic compounds were detected during this reporting period.
- No Statistically Significant Levels above the Groundwater Protection Standards were measured during this reporting period.

**Leachate Control System Performance Evaluation Report**

No changes are recommended for the system, levels appear stable, and the next expected maintenance is scheduled for calendar year 2027.

**Landfill Gas Annual Report**

Explosive gas concentrations were not found above the lower explosive limit.

DNR agrees with the report as written, and has no further comment. For any questions, please contact me at [\(515\) 415-1331](tel:5154151331) or [brad.davison@dnr.iowa.gov](mailto:brad.davison@dnr.iowa.gov).

Sincerely,

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