



November 12, 2020

JACOB OLBERDING, VICE PRESIDENT
CORN BELT POWER COOPERATIVE
1300 13TH STREET NORTH
HUMBOLDT, IOWA 50548-0508

Re: Corn Belt Power Cooperative CCR Sanitary Landfill- Humboldt Station
Closed Landfill Permit
Permit #46-SDP-04-90C

Dear Mr. Olberding:

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) received a signed, file stamped, and notarized copy of the previously agreed upon environmental covenant (EC) for the closed Corn Belt- Humboldt coal combustion residue landfill on November 10, 2020. The EC was recorded in the Humboldt County Recorder's Office as Instrument 20E0870 on November 10, 2020 and has been placed in the DNR files as document #98907.

This letter serves as acknowledgement of the July 15, 2020 expiration of the closure permit for the Corn Belt Power Cooperative CCR Landfill- Humboldt Station. Regulation of this site going forward will be dictated by the terms of the EC. Please be aware that under Item #3 of the EC, DNR may reopen review and regulatory oversight if the EC's activity and use limitations fail to serve their intended purpose.

Certain terms, such as reporting to the DNR the results of biennial landfill inspections by a licensed professional engineer were agreed to in the EC. It remains incumbent upon Corn Belt Power Cooperative (or future property owner) to fulfill the terms of the EC in perpetuity unless amended. The first biennial inspection is anticipated in the spring of 2021.

The Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 567-39 and Chapter 567-135.10(2)"d", requires monitoring wells and soil borings that access groundwater at a site be plugged. An Abandoned Water Well Plugging Record (DNR Form 542-1226) should be completed for each monitoring well, soil gas well, and piezometer abandoned. Questions pertaining to well-plugging procedures should be directed to the Water Supply Section at 515-725-0282.

Monitoring wells at the site may be maintained for future use. However, to do so, the site or well owner must submit a letter to the DNR identifying the monitoring wells to be retained, the reason for retaining the monitoring wells, and a written plan for monitoring well maintenance and security. The monitoring wells must be fitted with lockable protective devices and clearly labeled.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (515)725-8345.

Sincerely,



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