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Channary Gould
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333 W. Santa Ana Boulevard
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Subject: Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration for Ganahl Lumber Costa Mesa Relocation Project

Dear Ms. Gould:

The Orange County Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) has reviewed the Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Ganahl Lumber Relocation Project (Project).

According to the LEA records, the Newport Avenue Station No.1 (Solid Waste Disposal System Number 30-CR-0071) closed disposal site is within a 1,000 feet of the proposed location of the Project. This closed disposal site is inspected by the LEA on a quarterly basis. Due to the potential for migration of methane gas from decomposing buried refuse, the LEA strongly recommends that any structures at this new location be protected from the accumulation of methane with either passive ventilation systems, flexible building membrane liners, landfill gas alarms or other measures listed per Section 20939, Title 27 California Code of Regulations.

The LEA looks forward to working cooperatively with you in regards to this project. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Dean Clarke at (714) 433-6272.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Cross
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