

STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

Division of Financial Responsibility William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower 312 Rosa Parks Ave., 10th Floor Nashville, TN 37243

August 7, 2013

The Honorable J. H. Graham City of Crossville Mayor 392 N. Main Street Crossville, Tennessee 38555

RE:

Annual Inflation Adjustment of the financial assurance for the **City of Crossville Sanitary Landfill, Permit # SNL 18-0206** as required by the Regulations of the Division of Solid Waste Management.

Dear Mayor Graham:

All county and municipal "Contracts in Lieu of Performance Bonds" must be adjusted annually for inflation by no later than the anniversary date of the issuance of the contract.

The staff of the Financial Responsibility Group utilizing data published by the U. S. Department of Commerce has projected the GNP (Gross National Product) inflation factor to be used for the inflation adjustments and renewals required before *March 31, 2013*. Our projection of the inflation factor to be used is *1.9%*. The amount of your financial assurance instrument(s) from the Year 2012 must be multiplied by *1.019*. The permitted facility and/or the Department may reserve the right to adjust this figure later based upon the actual inflation factor published by the U.S. Department of Commerce. The U. S. Department of Commerce does not make this information available until late March of each year.

Effective immediately, any County or Municipal Contract in Lieu of Performance Bond incurring an annual inflation adjustment shall not be processed by amendment until the cumulative amount of the adjustment(s) equals or exceeds TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00). This is a change from the previous threshold of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000). For example, if the inflation adjustment is \$4,000 in year one, \$5,000 in year two, and \$6,000 in year three, the amendment will be processed in year three when the total of adjustments exceeds \$10,000. We will continue to send your inflation adjustment figures annually for your records whether or not a contract amendment is required.

Please review the amount(s) listed for each permit listed below. If any changes or modifications to your permit(s) have occurred, please contact us as soon as you receive this letter. The due date(s) and projected amount(s) for the inflation adjustment(s) of your financial instrument(s) are as follows:

Inflation Adjustments NOT REQUIRED for 2013

Facility Permit #:	Financial Instrument Type & No.:	Financial Instrument Anniversary Due Date:	Present Amount of Financial Assurance "On File"	Inflation Adjustment / Increase Required:	Inflation Adjustment and Allowable Post-Closure Reduction:	Total "Required" Amount of Financial Assurance:
SNL 18-0206	Contract	10-27-13	\$ 738,893.00	\$	\$ 43,879.00	\$ 695,014.00

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Please see the attached spreadsheets, which list in detail the amount of financial assurance required due to the 2013 annual inflation adjustment and/or post closure reduction (if applicable) for your permit(s). The spreadsheets also list the current amount of financial assurance on file for each permit.

PLEASE NOTE

(1) Any County and/or Municipal Contract In Lieu of Performance Bonds incurring an annual inflation adjustment shall not be processed by amendment until the amount of the adjustment equals or exceeds TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00).

If you have any questions, please call me at (615) 532-0848. Please submit the inflation adjusted financial instrument to the Financial Responsibility Group at the address listed on the letterhead as indicated above.

Respectfully,

James Marks, ASA IV

Municipal & County Contract Administrator

Division of Financial Responsibility

CC:

Bryant Steven, Manager of Solid Waste Management, Cooksville Field Office, TDEC

Enclosure:

Customer Information Spreadsheet, Contract Example and blanks

Amendment of Contract in Lieu of Performance Bond

Whereas City of Crossville and the S	State of Tennessee Department of Environmen		
	Lieu of Performance Bond (Copy attached) fo		
proper operation and closure and/or post-cl	osure of the Crossville Sanitary Landfil		
Register Number SNL 18-0206; a	and		
Whereas, said contract included a provision	n allowing the Commissioner of Environment		
and Conservation to collect up to \$ 738,89	93.00 from any funds being		
disbursed or to be disbursed from the State	to the City of Crossyilleas financial		
assurance for said proper operation, closure	e and post-closure; and		
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	esire to change the amount of said financial		
assurance from \$ 738,893.00 to \$	695,014.00		
Dayagraph 2 of the Agreement in Line of De			
Paragraph 3 of the Agreement in Lieu of Pe	eriormance Bond is amended as follows:		
The figure "\$ 738, 893, 00	" is deleted and the figure		
**\$ 695,014.00	" is deleted and the figure " is substituted in lieu thereof.		
Date of Amendment to Contract	, 2013.		
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