



## Sustainable Development

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Dear Mr. Randhawa:

**Re: Environment Act Licence No. 2994 – Rural Municipality of Springfield Wastewater Treatment Lagoons – Land Application of Sludge – Notice of Alteration #3 – Altered Receiving Lands**

I am responding to the May 15, 2017 WSP Canada Group Limited (WSP) Notice of Alteration #3 (NoA #3) letter regarding land application of sludge from the two Rural Municipality of Springfield (RM) wastewater treatment lagoons (lagoons) that are being decommissioned. Environment Act Licence No. 2994 (Licence) applies to these activities.

NoA #3 indicates that five new land parcels are available to increase the potential application land area. The five new land parcels proposed to have biosolids and sludge solids applied are the following: NW and NE 4-11-5EPM; NE 9-11-5EPM; SW 10-11-5EPM; SE 17-11-5EPM; and NW 25-11-5EPM. Land use agreements and land title certificates as well as general discussion regarding the suitability of these land parcels to have sludge applied were included with NoA #3.

Upon review of this NoA and the Licence, I have decided pursuant to Section 14(2) of The Environment Act that the environmental impacts of the addition of proposed land parcels that are to have biosolids and sludge solids applied to them are insignificant. Accordingly, I hereby approve the proposed modifications to the land application of biosolids and sludge solids activities relative to this Licence. This approval shall terminate December 31, 2022.

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If you have any questions or would like to discuss these items, please contact Robert Boswick, Environmental Engineer, at 204-945-6030.

Yours truly,



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