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Mr. Leif Tolokken
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Subject: Notification of Completeness for the Plan of Operation Approval Modification, Initial Permitting of Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Landfill, Dairyland Power Cooperative Alma Off-Site Disposal Facility, Phase IV Landfill (License #4126)

Dear Mr. Tolokken:

The Department of Natural Resources (department) has reviewed for completeness the plan of operation modification for initial permitting of a CCR Landfill (“the plan”). The plan, submitted by Dairyland Power Cooperative, titled “Plan Modification for Initial Permitting of CCR Landfills, Alma Off-site Disposal Facility, Phase IV Landfill”. The plan was dated and received by the department on January 30, 2023. The plan also includes an addendum titled “Plan Modification for Initial Permitting of CCR Landfills, Alma Off-site Disposal Facility, Phase IV Landfill – Addendum 1” dated and received by the department on January 17, 2024. The plan also includes an addendum titled “Plan of Operation Modification for Initial Permitting of Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Landfills – Addendum 2” dated and received by the department on July 24, 2024.

The department has determined the plan is complete in accordance with s. NR 514.045, Wis. Adm. Code. A determination by the department that the plan is complete does not ensure its approval nor does it preclude the department from requiring additional information if continued review indicates it is needed.

Enclosed is a copy of the public notice, which will be published on the department’s internet site at <https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/Waste/Comment.html> along with a copy of the plan documents. The public notice will also be published in the *Wisconsin State Journal* and the *Buffalo County Journal*. The notice invites the submission of public comments within 60 days after the notice is published. The notice also provides information regarding a public meeting that will be held virtually on November 19, 2024, at 3:00 p.m. to receive oral comments on the complete submittal. All written comments shall be submitted within 60 days after the date of publication of this notice to DNR engineer Tony Peterson at anthony.peterson@wisconsin.gov or 141 NW Barstow St. Room 180 Waukesha, WI 53188.

Please post a copy of this notification of completeness on the publicly accessible internet site for the facility as required by s. NR 506.17(3)(d)1., Wis. Adm. Code.

If you have questions regarding this letter please contact Tony Peterson at (715) 491-8546 or anthony.peterson@wisconsin.gov or Matt Bachman at (608) 512-3233 or matthew.bachman@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,



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