

RENOVAR

September 29, 2009

Mr. Joseph (Rick) Buller
Department of Environmental Affairs
1221 Elmwood Park Blvd
Suite 1002
Harahan, Louisiana 70123

Re: Potential Landfill Closure

Dear Rick,

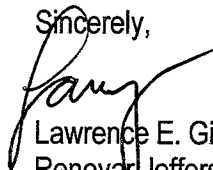
I was disappointed to hear during our meeting last week that Jefferson Parish is considering closing its landfill to the public and not accepting additional waste. I understand that a decision has not been made, so I wanted to weigh in on this issue on behalf of Renovar while the matter is still under consideration.

A landfill closure would cause Renovar substantial damage, primarily because of the decrease in landfill gas production that would result. When we signed our agreement with the Parish in January of 2005, we were granted an extension of the contract term to track our 15 year contract term with Cytec to buy the gas. The original RFP provided landfill gas generation information premised on the landfill being open until 2020.

When Hurricane Katrina landed in August of 2005 we decided to go forward with the project despite the increased costs because of the long term benefits of the project and the long term gas reserves. One thing I probably mentioned to you is that when Katrina hit and our contractors refused to honor their fixed cost contracts by virtue of force majeure, the only way to come up with additional money to complete the project under emergency circumstances was for members of our Board of Directors (including me) to sign personal bank guarantees. Had they known the landfill would shut down four years later, it is doubtful that they would have subjected themselves to this substantial personal risk.

Please keep our concerns in mind as you go forward with your discussions. This beneficial use project has been successful for all concerned and has received local, state and national accolades. We want to keep it going as long as possible.

Sincerely,



Lawrence E. Gilbert
Renovar Jefferson Parish, Ltd.