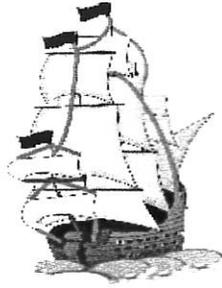


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March 25, 2016

Mr. Donald Hallock, District General Manager  
County Waste/Waste Connections, Inc.  
1319 Loudon Road  
Cohoes, New York 12047

Dear Mr. Hallock:

I am writing this letter to clarify our recent discussions regarding the proposed expansion of the Town of Colonie Landfill. As you recall, I am strongly advocating on behalf of the residents of the Town of Halfmoon that large balloons be placed at the site to depict the full buildout being proposed by your corporation. To clarify, this should occur at the commencement of the SEQR public comment period, not after the public comment period is has closed. Depriving the citizens the ability to fully understand the extent of the proposed expansion by delaying the only onsite visual aid until after the public comment period has expired seems nonsensical.

I am confident based upon our recent discussions that your corporation values the importance of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation review, especially the import of the public input. Based upon our mutual goal of informing the public to the best of our abilities to obtain the most amount of information possible, I am confident that you will agree to place the balloons at the beginning of the public comment period to enable the SEQR process to proceed as designed.

Please contact me should you have further questions regarding this matter. I look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

Kevin J. Tollisen  
Town Supervisor

Cc: Honorable Paula Mahan, Colonie Town Supervisor  
Honorable Kathleen A. Marchione, NYS Senator  
Honorable James Tedisco, NYS Assembly Member  
Honorable Phil Barrett, Clifton Park Town Supervisor  
Honorable John E. Lawler, Waterford Town Supervisor  
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Mr. Eric Hamilton, Executive Director Mohawk Towpath Scenic Byway  
Mr. Robert Menga, Canal Corp Executive Director Canal Recreationway Commission  
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