

## CERTIFIED MAIL #7003-3110-0004-3149-4907

May 14, 2019

Worthing F. Jackman, President Waste Connections of Osceola County, LLC. 3 Waterway Square Place Suite 110 The Woodlands, Texas 77380

## RE: Cease Receiving Coal Ash - JED Landfill in Osceola County

Dear Mr. Jackman;

Please be advised that, at the meeting of May 13, 2019, the Board of County Commissioners voted to request that Waste Connections of Osceola County, LLC cease receiving coal ash from Puerto Rico at the JED Landfill in Osceola County.

During the meeting, significant public testimony was presented expressing concerns with the presence of toxins in the ash and the potential of both environmental damage and human illness. Due to these concerns, the Commission believes it is in the best interest of the public that the waste not be brought to the County. The Commission respectfully requests that Waste Connections cease accepting this material from Puerto Rico immediately.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 407-742-2006.

Sincerely,

Cheryl L. Grieb, Chairwoman Osceola County

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