

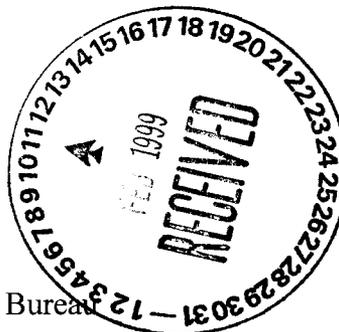


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Dear Mr. Garcia

This letter is the fourth quarter (Oct-Dec 98) Progress Report as required per Section D, Module IV, of the Cannon Air Force Base Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), Part B Permit, Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Section (14 Nov 98).

**Activities for the RCRA Corrective Action Program (RCAP) and other significant permit activities for the fourth quarter are included as follows:**

- a. Cannon AFB sent to NMED the final work plan for the Corrective Measures Study (CMS) at SD-11 (SWMUs 86-90).
- b. Cannon AFB completed field sampling activities for CMS of SD-11, SWMUs 86-90.
- c. Cannon AFB drilled and completed three new monitoring wells at Landfill 5 to monitor Cell 3 and replace three wells that had gone dry.
- d. Cannon AFB sent representatives to the Environmental Improvement Board hearing on the proposed RCRA fee schedule in Oct 98.

**Projected activities for the first quarter (Jan-Mar 99) are as follows:**

- a. Cannon AFB sent NMED the final work plan for the Appendix II and III CMS in Jan 99.
- b. Cannon AFB will send NMED a groundwater monitoring annual summary report for long term monitoring at Landfill 25 (SWMU 97).

c. Cannon AFB will send NMED a groundwater monitoring report for 12 Aug 98 sampling at Landfill 5.

d. Cannon AFB will send NMED the final report for CERCLA Site Inspections at Areas of Concern E, F, G and H. ✓

e. Cannon will host a Restoration Advisory Board meeting on 28 Jan 99.

f. Cannon AFB will complete minor remediation work on several Appendix II and III SWMUs.

g. Cannon AFB will fund Mr. Carl Will of NMED to attend Air Combat Command's Environmental Symposium in St Louis MO, 1-5 Feb 99. ✓

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Sanford Hutsell of my environmental flight at (505) 784-6378.

Sincerely

  
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