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**LIVESTOCK MANAGEMENT FACILITIES PROGRAM
"NON-LAGOON LIVESTOCK WASTE HANDLING FACILITY CONSTRUCTION
PLAN" REVIEW**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED

Applicant: Sandy Creek Lane, LLC VMC Management Corporation 411 North Highland Street Williamsburg, IA 52361	Date: September 15, 2014 Facility ID Number: LF1230070000 Facility Location: Wenona, IL Date Received: August 29, 2014
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Dear Applicant:

Your Application for the Registration of a Non-Lagoon Livestock Waste Handling Facility was received by the Department and processed accordingly. Based upon our review, it was determined that additional information or alterations of the existing plans are required for approval. The following items are offered for your consideration for incorporation into the application.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED

- 1) The reinforcement details of Page 1 of 1, Load Out Room, Sidewall & Endwall Detail are not consistent with Cross Section AA and BB. Please revise the plans as necessary.

Upon receipt of amendments to your application or requested supplemental information, we shall finalize our review of your proposal.

We appreciate your cooperation with the Department on this matter. Should you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please contact the Livestock Waste Program at (217) 785-2427.

Sincerely,

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Warren D. Goetsch, P.E.
Bureau Chief, Environmental Programs

Brad A. Beaver, Manager
Livestock Management Facilities Program

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September 23, 2014

Sandy Creek Lane, LLC
VMC Management Corporation
411 North Highland St.
Williamsburg, IA 52361

RE: Facility ID#: LF1230070000

Dear Facility Owner/Operator:

Pursuant to Section 12.1 of the Livestock Management Facilities Act (Act) (510 Illinois Compiled Statutes (ILCS) 77/12.1), the Illinois Department of Agriculture (Department) has reviewed all documents relative to your proposed construction of a livestock management facility and livestock waste handling facility. These documents include: the notice of intent to construct application; transcripts and related exhibits from the informational meeting held on April 17, 2014; the Marshall County Board's recommendation; and all additional information submitted and received by the Department regarding your proposed facility. As a result of the review, the Department finds that additional information is needed in order for the Department to make its final determination regarding the siting of your proposed facility as required by Section 12.1(a-5) of the Act and 8 Illinois Administrative Code (IAC) 900.407. Our additional information request is as follows:

- After additional review of the proposed tree buffer plan, specifically taking into account the location and orientation of the facility ventilation exhaust fans, the Department finds the current submittal to be inadequate and recommends a buffer planting be included on the west side of the proposed facility. Please review and revise as necessary.

Note: Please be advised of the waste management planning requirements of the Livestock Management Facilities Act (510 ILCS 77/20 (c)) and associated regulation (8 IAC 900.802 (c)) and how they might apply to the proposed facility. Specifically, facilities with a maximum design capacity of 1,000 or greater animal units but less than 5,000 animal units are required to prepare, maintain and implement a plan within 60 working days after commencing operations or exceeding 1,000 animal units. In addition, a form certifying that a waste management plan has been prepared must be submitted to the Department prior to the expiration of the aforementioned 60 day period.

Note: Please be advised of the certified livestock manager requirements of the Livestock Management Facilities Act (510 ILCS 77/30) and how they might apply to the proposed facility. A livestock waste handling facility serving 300 animal units or greater shall be operated under the supervision of a certified livestock manager.

Note: Please be advised of the animal disposal requirements of the Dead Animal Disposal Act and how they might apply to the proposed facility. Specific questions regarding the requirements of this Act can be addressed to the Illinois Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Health and Welfare, P.O. Box 19281, Springfield, IL 62794-9281, 217-782-4944.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact the Department at 217/785-2427.

Sincerely,

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Warren D. Goetsch". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Warren D. Goetsch, P.E.
Bureau Chief, Environmental Programs

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Marshall County Board
Mr. Matt Wagner
Mr. Jake Nims

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