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Lawrence City Commission  
c/o Mr. Dave Corliss  
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Douglas County Commission  
c/o Mr. Craig Weinaug  
11<sup>th</sup> and Massachusetts  
Lawrence, KS 66044

RE: Notice of Landfill Rate Adjustment

Dear Craig and Dave:

The 1992 agreement between N.R. Hamm Quarry, Inc. (Hamm), Douglas County (County) and City of Lawrence (City) for designation and use of Hamm's landfill for disposal of solid waste provides for periodic rate adjustment for changes in the cost of operation. Such adjustments are to be negotiated by the parties within a six month period from the date of notice of a requested rate adjustment.

During the 17 years of the landfill agreement, Hamm has not previously requested a rate adjustment. The current economic environment and increased recycling requires Hamm to now request a rate adjustment and to initiate the six month period for negotiations on an agreed rate adjustment starting six months from the date of this notice letter.

Hamm takes pride in operating a regional landfill which meets and exceeds state and federal environmental requirements and understands that the City may want to investigate diversion and recycling options. We look forward to meeting with you to discuss disposal fees as well as any enhanced waste or recycling services that Hamm can provide that will improve the City's overall waste services. Hamm has provided unrivaled value to the City and its citizens for over 25 years and looks forward to continuing the relationship into the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Charlie M. Sedlock".

Charlie M. Sedlock

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