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Subject: Organics By Gosh at 13602 FM 969 Currently Compliant with Travis County Requirements

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## Mr. Gosh:

Based on site inspections on 2/28/17 and 5/8/17 by Travis County Environmental Quality Program staff, we conclude that your Organics By Gosh operation at 13602 FM 969 is currently in compliance with your Travis County development permit issued in 2002. The operation is abiding by environmental and property line setbacks as well as operational footprints and limits established in the 2002 permit. Water quality structures are also placed and operating in conformance with the 2002 permit.

Please note that since the date of approval for the site plan and Travis County permit, the 100 year floodplain map has been redrawn. Under the revised floodplain map most, if not all, of your property north of the unnamed tributary that flows across the lot, is now considered to lie within the 100 year floodplain. Since composting and related operations were permitted and taking place prior to the floodplain determination these activities are considered legal so long as they conform to the approved site plan. No expansion of your operation without a new development permit is authorized. Any change in the footprint of the operation or any modification of the site that requires a new development permit may require a reconsideration of the placement of composting operations with respect to the floodplain. Additionally, any significant change in the volume and/or composition of materials processed may warrant reconsideration to ensure protection of public health and safety as well as environmental quality.

Yours truly

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