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Ms. Linda Butler
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Department of Environmental Protection
17 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Support for Crossroads Expansion Application

Dear Ms. Butler:

The Northern Oxford Regional Solid Waste Board voted today to support the recently proposed expansion application of the Crossroads facility, operated by Waste Management Disposal Services, in the Town of Norridgewock.

Our six town solid waste district, located in the Town of Mexico, has a long standing, contractual relationship with Waste Management Disposal Services for the disposal of our municipal solid waste. The continued operation of the Crossroads facility is critical to keeping the current cost of disposal stable. Without the Crossroads facility, we would be forced to find a very limited alternative to our waste disposal needs at a substantial increase in cost. This would require additional tax-payer dollars for the same service we currently have. This facility allows a reasonable solution for not only our solid waste needs, but also the needs of many other Maine communities.

The Northern Oxford Regional Solid Waste Board strongly supports Waste Management Disposal Service of Maine's expansion of it's Crossroads facility and we urge the Department of Environmental Protection to approve the application.

Sincerely,



John E. Madigan, Jr.
Administrator
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cc: Peter Lachapelle
Waste Management