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vegetated soil berms may be temporarily utilized as visual screening berms at locations throughout the facility.

Existing natural vegetation in the buffer zones shall be maintained, where possible, to provide visual screening of disposal operations from public view. The facility will continue to operate the landfill in a manner that will provide the maximum screening possible within the requirements of the design.

4.28 Contaminated Water Discharge §330.207(a) and (b)

The Temple RDF will not discharge contaminated water without specific written authorization from the TCEQ. This facility is authorized to discharge stormwater run-off pursuant to the TPDES permit and Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). This authorization applies only to stormwater and other approved sources collected in the facility drainage system. No contaminated water (water that has come in contact with solid waste or leachate) may be discharged from the site through the facility drainage system pursuant to this authorization. Stormwater and any other water that collects in or runs off from the working face will be managed as contaminated water.

All contaminated water shall be managed as specified in Part III, Attachment 3, Waste Management Unit Design, and Part III, Attachment 2, Surface Water Drainage Report.

Additionally, the facility will be operated in accordance with provisions outlined in the SDP, Part III, Section 4.0, Surface Water Protection, which states that the design and operation of the facility will not cause:

1. A discharge of solid wastes or pollutants adjacent to or into the water in the state, including wetlands, that is in violation of the requirements of the Texas Water Code, §26.121.
2. A discharge of pollutants into waters of the United States, including wetlands, that violates any requirements of the Clean Water Act, including, but not limited to, the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) requirements, pursuant to §402 as amended.
3. A discharge of dredged or fill material to waters of the United States, including wetlands, that is in violation of the requirements under the Federal Clean Water Act, §404, as amended.
4. A discharge of a nonpoint source pollution of waters of the United States, including wetlands, that violates any requirement of an area wide or statewide water quality management plan that has been approved under the Federal Clean Water Act, §208 or §319, as amended.

4.29 Leachate and Gas Condensate Recirculation §330.177

Leachate and LFG condensate will be either diverted to the landfill leachate recirculation system, the evaporation ponds, disposed of off-site at an authorized off-site facility, or stabilized on-site. Recirculation procedures of leachate and gas condensate are included in Part III, Attachment 3, Section 6.1.2.8.