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Six Nations Landfill Site Closure and Transfer Station Project Completion

The Six Nations of the Grand River Elected Council Public Works Department is preparing to close the Six Nations Landfill Site to complete the transition to the new Transfer Station. To properly close the Landfill Site we need to cover the waste with soil. The project will continue to receive supply of clay soil from Brooks Landfill and we are getting our topsoil from recently developed farmland at 110 Aeropark Boulevard, Hamilton, Ontario.

This project started in 2019 and was originally scheduled to be completed in late 2019 but was stopped because the stockpile of clay soil that we were accessing at Brooks did not have enough clay to cover both waste areas of the Landfill Site. We are accessing clay at a different area of Brooks Landfill and took the additional time to complete our environmental and financial due diligence. This environmental due diligence and updated soil sample results can be viewed at this link:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/fa3rr3pzd1k27rp/AABorWIEDw9z5ex2DnalHFjZa?dl=0>. We will be continuing to test the soil every 5,000 cubic meters and posting them for the community to view at the same link.

Hauling of the soil is scheduled to resume on the week of June 29th and expected to be completed by the end of August. Hauling will take place Monday to Friday between the hours of 7AM to 5PM. Aecon – Six Nations Joint Venture (A6N) is the general contractor on the project and will be identifying the trucks hauling soil for this project by having a magnet placed on them with the A6N logo for the community to be able to identify them. Strict hauling routes from Highway 6 to 4th Line to the Six Nations Landfill Site will be in effect for this project.

The Transfer Station is scheduled to open for community use in early July 2020. More details about the operations of the Transfer Station will be provided to the community in the coming weeks.

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