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Dear Michelle Halls:

**Re: Rural Municipality of Pipestone – Reston Wastewater Treatment Lagoon –  
Environment Act Licence No. 2564 RR**

Receipt of a letter dated September 28, 2018, prepared by Mr. Brett McCormac, P.Eng., with JR Cousin Consultants Ltd. is hereby acknowledged. This letter is in follow up to my earlier letter dated August 29, 2018 that required the Rural Municipality of Pipestone to submit a compliance plan on or before December 31, 2018. Environment Act Licence No. 2564 RR applies to this Development.

The August 17, 2018 soil liner test results for Shelby Tube No. 11 collected from the core of the east dyke of Existing Storage Cell No. 2 did not comply with Clause 18 (c) of the Licence regarding hydraulic conductivity. The September 28, 2018 letter indicated that there were errors in the analysis of soil liner test results and a revised analysis showed that soil liner test results for Shelby Tube No. 11 achieved a hydraulic conductivity of  $9.9 \times 10^{-8}$  cm/s, which complies with Clause 18(c) of the Licence.

Therefore, you are not required to submit the compliance plan as specified in my earlier letter dated August 29, 2018.

Should you have any questions concerning this approval, please contact Mr. Asit Dey, Environmental Engineer at (204) 945-2614 or at [asit.dey@gov.mb.ca](mailto:asit.dey@gov.mb.ca).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tracey Braun".

Tracey Braun, M.Sc.  
Director

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