# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY - ENFORCEMENT MATTER**

**DOCKET NO.:** 2009-0813-MSW-E **TCEQ ID:** RN105706915 **CASE NO.:** 37743 **RESPONDENT NAME:** Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company

ORDER TYPE:		
X_1660 AGREED ORDER	FINDINGS AGREED ORDER	FINDINGS ORDER FOLLOWING SOAH HEARING
FINDINGS DEFAULT ORDER	SHUTDOWN ORDER	IMMINENT AND SUBSTANTIAL ENDANGERMENT ORDER
AMENDED ORDER	EMERGENCY ORDER	
CASE TYPE:		
AIR	MULTI-MEDIA (check all that apply)	INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE
PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY	PETROLEUM STORAGE TANKS	OCCUPATIONAL CERTIFICATION
WATER QUALITY	SEWAGE SLUDGE	UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL
X_MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE	RADIOACTIVE WASTE	DRY CLEANER REGISTRATION

SITE WHERE VIOLATION(S) OCCURRED: AAA General Construction Company, located 0.2 mile east of Farm-to-Market Road 2185 and one mile north of Farm-to-Market Road 54 near Van Horn, Culberson County

TYPE OF OPERATION: Unauthorized disposal site

SMALL BUSINESS: X Yes No

**OTHER SIGNIFICANT MATTERS:** A complaint was received on March 9, 2009, alleging that the Respondent had transported and buried waste on the Respondent's property. There is no record of additional pending enforcement actions regarding this facility location.

**INTERESTED PARTIES:** A complaint was received but the complainant has not expressed the desire to protest this action or speak at Agenda.

COMMENTS RECEIVED: The Texas Register comment period expired on October 19, 2009. No comments were received.

## CONTACTS AND MAILING LIST:

TCEQ Attorney/SEP Coordinator: None

**TCEQ Enforcement Coordinator:** Mr. Ross Fife, Enforcement Division, Enforcement Team 7, MC 128, (512) 239-2541; Ms. Cari-Michel La Caille, Enforcement Division, MC 219, (512) 239-1387

**Respondent:** Mr. Guadalupe Alvarado, Owner, AAA General Construction Company, P.O. Box 1379, Van Horn, Texas 79855 **Respondent's Attorney:** Not represented by counsel on this enforcement matter

VIOLATION INFORMATION	PENALTY CONSIDERATIONS	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS TAKEN/REQUIRED
<b>Type of Investigation:</b> <u>X</u> . Complaint	Total Assessed: \$2,500	Ordering Provisions:
Routine Enforcement Follow-up	Total Deferred: \$500 X.Expedited Settlement	The Order will require the Respondent to:
Records Review Date of Complaint Relating to this Case:	Financial Inability to Pay	a) Immediately upon the effective date of this Agreed Order, cease all unauthorized
March 9, 2009	SEP Conditional Offset: \$0	waste disposal at the Site;
Date of Investigation Relating to this Case: March 20, 2009	<b>Total Paid (Due) to General Revenue:</b> \$100 (remaining \$1,900 due in 19 monthly payments of \$100 each)	b) Within 30 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, remove all MSW from the Site and dispose of the waste at
<b>Date of NOV Relating to this Case:</b> May 5, 2009 (NOE)	Site Compliance History Classification	an authorized facility; and
<b>Background Facts:</b> This was a complaint investigation.	Person Compliance History Classification HighAveragePoor	c) Within 45 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification and include detailed
WASTE	Major Source: X Yes No	supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other record
Failure to prevent the unauthorized disposal of municipal solid waste ("MSW"). Specifically, the Respondent disposed of approximately 20 cubic yards of MSW at the Site [30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 330.15(c)].	Applicable Penalty Policy: September 2002	to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provisions a. and b.

Additional ID No(s) .: 0

Policy Revision 2 (Sep	Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW)	October 30, 2008
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	26-May-2009 3-Jun-2009 Screening 29-May-2009 EPA Due	
RESPONDENT/FACILITY	INFORMATION Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company	
Reg. Ent. Ref. No.	RN105706915	
Facility/Site Region		· · ·
CASE INFORMATION		
Enf./Case ID No.	37743 No. of Violations 1 2009-0813-MSW-E Order Type 1660	
	Municipal Solid Waste Government/Non-Profit No	
Multi-Media	Enf. Coordinator Ross Fife	
Admin. Penalty \$ I	EC's Team Enforcement Team 7	. :!
	Penalty Calculation Section	
TOTAL BASE PENAL	TY (Sum of violation base penalties)	\$2,500
ADJUSTMENTS (+/-)	TO SUBTOTAL 1	
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Notes	No adjustments for compliance history	
Culpability	No 0.0% Enhancement Subtotal 4	\$0
Notes	The Respondent does not meet the culpability criteria.	
Good Faith Effor	to Comply Total Adjustments	\$0
Economic Benefi	t 0:0% Enhancement Subtotal 6 Total EB Amounts \$26 Cost of Compliance \$859	\$0
SUM OF SUBTOTAL	S 1.7 Final Subtotal	\$2,500
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	Final Penalty Amount	\$2,500
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Notes	Deferral offered for expedited settlement.	
PAYABLE PENALTY		\$2,000

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		Other written NOVs	0	0%	
		Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	0	0%	
	Orders	Any adjudicated final enforcement orders, agreed final enforcement orders without a denial of liability, or default orders of this state or the federal government, or any final prohibitory emergency orders issued by the commission		0%	
	Judgments	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government ( <i>number of judgements or consent decrees meeting</i> <i>criteria</i> )		0%	
	and Consent Decrees	Any adjudicated final court judgments and default judgments, or non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees without a denial of liability, of this state or the federal government		0%	
		Any criminal convictions of this state or the federal government (number of counts)	0	0%	
	Emissions	Chronic excessive emissions events (number of events)	0	0%	
Au	Audits	Letters notifying the executive director of an intended audit conducted under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which notices were submitted)		0%	
		Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 ( <i>number of audits for which violations were disclosed</i> )	Q	0%	
		Płea	se Enter Yes or No		
		Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%	
	Other	Voluntary on-site compliance assessments conducted by the executive director under a special assistance program	No	0%	
		Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program	No	0%	
		Early compliance with, or offer of a product that meets future state or federal government environmental requirements	No	0%	
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Case ID No.	Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company 37743	Policy Revision 2 (September 2002) PCW Revision October 30, 2008
Reg. Ent. Reference No. Media [Statute] Enf. Coordinator Violation Number	Municipal Solid Waste Ross Fife	
Rule Cite(s) Violation Description	30 Tex. Admin. Code § 330.15(c) Failed to prevent the unauthorized disposal of municipal solid waste ("MSW documented during an investigation conducted on March 20, 2009. Specific Respondent disposed of approximately 20 cubic yards of MSW at the S	ally, the
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Violation Events	Adjustment	\$7,500 \$2,500 \$2,500
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Good Faith Efforts to Comply.	0.0% Reduction Before NOV NOV to EDPRP/Settlement Offer Extraordinary Ordinary	\$0
	N/Al x   (mark with x) The Respondent does not meet the good faith criteria for this violation.	
	Violation	n Subtotal \$2,500
Economic Benefit (EB) for this	violation Statutory Limit Te	5t
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Supplies/equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Financial Assurance [2]				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs [3]				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
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Approx, Cost of Compliance		\$859		;	TOTAL		\$20

# **Compliance History Report**

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Customer/Respondent/Owner-Operator:	CN603461971	Guadalupe Alvarado	Classification:	Rating:	
Regulated Entity:	RN105706915	AAA GENERAL CONSTRUC COMPANY	TION Classification:	Site Rating:	
ID Number(s): Location:	0.2 MI E OF FM 2 Culberson County	185 & 1 MI N OF FM 54, Van H , Texas	om,		
TCEQ Region: REGION 06 - EL PASO					
Date Compliance History Prepared:	June 15, 2009				
Agency Decision Requiring Compliance History:	Enforcement	Enforcement			
Compliance Period:	June 15, 2004 to .	15, 2004 to June 15, 2009			
TCEQ Staff Member to Contact for Additional Info	rmation Regarding t	his Compliance History			
Name: Ross Fife		one: 512-239-2541			
	Site Complia	Ince History Components			
1. Has the site been in existence and/or operation	for the full five year	compliance period?	(es		
2. Has there been a (known) change in ownership	/operator of the site	during the compliance period?	No		
3. If Yes, who is the current owner/operator?		N/A			
4. if Yes, who was/were the prior owner(s)/operat	or(s) ?	N/A			
5. When did the change(s) in owner or operator o	ccur?	N/A			
6.					
Components (Multimodia) for the Site :					
Components (Multimedia) for the Site : A. Final Enforcement Orders, court judgemer		rees of the state of Texas and t	he federal government.		
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C. Chronic excessive emissions events.					
N/A					
D. The approval dates of investigations. (CCE	EDS Inv. Track. No.)				
N/A					
E. Written notices of violations (NOV). (CCED	OS Inv. Track. No.)				
N/A					
N/A F. Environmental audits.					
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G. Type of environmental management syste	ms (EMSs).				
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H. Voluntary on-site compliance assessment	dates.				
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J. Early compliance.

N/A

Sites Outside of Texas

N/A

# TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



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IN THE MATTER OF AN ENFORCEMENT ACTION CONCERNING GUADALUPE ALVARADO DBA AAA GENERAL CONSTRUCTION COMPANY RN105706915 BEFORE THE

TEXAS COMMISSION ON

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

#### AGREED ORDER DOCKET NO. 2009-0813-MSW-E

## I. JURISDICTION AND STIPULATIONS

At its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ agenda, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("the Commission" or "TCEQ") considered this agreement of the parties, resolving an enforcement action regarding Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company ("the Respondent") under the authority of TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE ch. 361 and TEX. WATER CODE ch. 7. The Executive Director of the TCEQ, through the Enforcement Division, and the Respondent appear before the Commission and together stipulate that:

- 1. The Respondent owns and operates an unauthorized disposal site located 0.2 mile east of Farm-to-Market Road 2185 and one mile north of Farm-to-Market Road 54 near Van Horn, Culberson County, Texas (the "Site").
- 2. The Site involves or involved the management of municipal solid waste ("MSW") as defined in TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE ch. 361.
- 3. The Commission and the Respondent agree that the Commission has jurisdiction to enter this Agreed Order, and that the Respondent is subject to the Commission's jurisdiction.
- 4. The Respondent received notice of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations") on or about May 10, 2009.
- 5. The occurrence of any violation is in dispute and the entry of this Agreed Order shall not constitute an admission by the Respondent of any violation alleged in Section II ("Allegations"), nor of any statute or rule.

6. An administrative penalty in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) is assessed by the Commission in settlement of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations"). The Respondent has paid One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of the administrative penalty and Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) is deferred contingent upon the Respondent's timely and satisfactory compliance with all the terms of this Agreed Order. If the Respondent fails to timely and satisfactorily comply with all requirements of this Agreed Order, including the payment schedule, the Executive Director may require the Respondent to pay all or part of the deferred penalty.

The remaining amount of One Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars (\$1,900) of the administrative penalty shall be payable in 19 monthly payments of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each. The next monthly payment shall be paid within 30 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order. The subsequent payment shall each be paid not later than 30 days following the due date of the previous payment until paid in full. If the Respondent fails to timely and satisfactorily comply with the payment requirements of this Agreed Order, the Executive Director may, at the Executive Director's option, accelerate the maturity of the remaining installments, in which event the unpaid balance shall become immediately due and payable without demand or notice. In addition, the failure of the Respondent to timely and satisfactorily comply with all the terms of this Agreed Order.

- 7. Any notice and procedures, which might otherwise be authorized or required in this action, are waived in the interest of a more timely resolution of the matter.
- 8. The Executive Director of the TCEQ and the Respondent have agreed on a settlement of the matters alleged in this enforcement action, subject to the approval of the Commission.
- 9. The Executive Director may, without further notice or hearing, refer this matter to the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Texas ("OAG") for further enforcement proceedings if the Executive Director determines that the Respondent has not complied with one or more of the terms or conditions in this Agreed Order.
- 10. This Agreed Order shall terminate five years from its effective date or upon compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order, whichever is later.
- 11. The provisions of this Agreed Order are deemed severable and, if a court of competent jurisdiction or other appropriate authority deems any provision of this Agreed Order unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable.

#### **II. ALLEGATIONS**

As owner and operator of the Site, the Respondent is alleged to have failed to prevent the unauthorized disposal of MSW, in violation of 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 330.15(c), as documented during an investigation conducted on March 20, 2009. Specifically, the Respondent disposed of approximately 20 cubic yards of MSW at the Site.

# **III. DENIALS**

The Respondent generally denies each allegation in Section II ("Allegations").

#### **IV. ORDERING PROVISIONS**

1. It is, therefore, ordered by the TCEQ that the Respondent pay an administrative penalty as set forth in Section I, Paragraph 6 above. The payment of this administrative penalty and the Respondent's compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order resolve only the allegations in Section II. The Commission shall not be constrained in any manner from requiring corrective action or penalties for violations which are not raised here. Administrative penalty payments shall be made payable to "TCEQ" and shall be sent with the notation "Re: Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company, Docket No. 2009-0813-MSW-E" to:

> Financial Administration Division, Revenues Section Attention: Cashier's Office, MC 214 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13088 Austin, Texas 78711-3088

2. It is further ordered that the Respondent shall undertake the following technical requirements:

- a. Immediately upon the effective date of this Agreed Order, cease all unauthorized waste disposal at the Site;
- b. Within 30 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, remove all MSW from the Site and dispose of the waste at an authorized facility; and
- c. Within 45 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described below, and include detailed supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other records to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision Nos. 2.a. and 2.b. The certification shall be notarized by a State of Texas Notary Public and include the following certification language:

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations."

The certification shall be submitted to:

> Order Compliance Team Enforcement Division, MC 149A Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

with a copy to:

Waste Section Manager El Paso Regional Office Texas Commission on Environmental Quality 401 East Franklin Avenue, Suite 560 El Paso, Texas 79901-1206

- 3. The provisions of this Agreed Order shall apply to and be binding upon the Respondent. The Respondent is ordered to give notice of the Agreed Order to personnel who maintain day-to-day control over the Site operations referenced in this Agreed Order.
- 4. If the Respondent fails to comply with any of the Ordering Provisions in this Agreed Order within the prescribed schedules, and that failure is caused solely by an act of God, war, strike, riot, or other catastrophe, the Respondent's failure to comply is not a violation of this Agreed Order. The Respondent shall have the burden of establishing to the Executive Director's satisfaction that such an event has occurred. The Respondent shall notify the Executive Director within seven days after the Respondent becomes aware of a delaying event and shall take all reasonable measures to mitigate and minimize any delay.
- 5. The Executive Director may grant an extension of any deadline in this Agreed Order or in any plan, report, or other document submitted pursuant to this Agreed Order, upon a written and substantiated showing of good cause. All requests for extensions by the Respondent shall be made in writing to the Executive Director. Extensions are not effective until the Respondent receives written approval from the Executive Director. The determination of what constitutes good cause rests solely with the Executive Director.
- 6. This Agreed Order, issued by the Commission, shall not be admissible against the Respondent in a civil proceeding, unless the proceeding is brought by the OAG to: (1) enforce the terms of this Agreed Order; or (2) pursue violations of a statute within the Commission's jurisdiction, or of a rule adopted or an order or permit issued by the Commission under such a statute.
- 7. This Agreed Order may be executed in multiple counterparts, which together shall constitute a single original instrument. Any executed signature page to this Agreed Order may be transmitted by facsimile transmission to the other parties, which shall constitute an original signature for all purposes under this Agreed Order.
- 8. Under 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 70.10(b), the effective date is the date of hand-delivery of the Order to the Respondent, or three days after the date on which the Commission mails notice of the Order to the Respondent, whichever is earlier. The Chief Clerk shall provide a copy of this Agreed Order to each of the parties.

# SIGNATURE PAGE

#### TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

For the Commission

For/the Executive Director

I, the undersigned, have read and understand the attached Agreed Order. I am authorized to agree to the attached Agreed Order on behalf of the entity indicated below my signature, and I do agree to the terms and conditions specified therein. I further acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting payment for the penalty amount, is materially relying on such representation.

I also understand that failure to comply with the Ordering Provisions, if any, in this order and/or failure to timely pay the penalty amount, may result in:

- A negative impact on compliance history;
- Greater scrutiny of any permit applications submitted;
- Referral of this case to the Attorney General's Office for contempt, injunctive relief, additional penalties, and/or attorney fees, or to a collection agency;
- Increased penalties in any future enforcement actions;
- Automatic referral to the Attorney General's Office of any future enforcement actions; and
- TCEQ seeking other relief as authorized by law.

In addition, any falsification of any compliance documents may result in criminal prosecution.

Signature

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Name (Printed or typed) Authorized Representative of Guadalupe Alvarado dba AAA General Construction Company

Instructions: Send the original, signed Agreed Order with penalty payment to the Financial Administration Division, Revenues Section at the address in Section IV, Paragraph 1 of this Agreed Order.

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