



Village of Round Lake

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Michael Kuhn
Lake County Health Department
500 W. Winchester Road, Suite 102
Libertyville, IL 60048

RE: Violation L2019 LK394 Site Number 0971505067

Dear Mr. Kuhn,

The Village of Round Lake is in receipt of your violation notice letter dated September 20, 2019. The Village regrets the confusion and the error of the operator beginning operations before Lake County could inspect the area. In response to your letter, please accept this letter as the required response from the Village. We also understand the operator of the site has responded to you.

Village response:

1. The Village is the owner of the property and CHDS LLC is the operator of the facility. The Village required the operator to obtain and follow all necessary permits for the use of the property and the operations to take place. The Village trusted the operator to follow the permit requirements.
2. CHDS LLC has stopped taking landscape waste and will prepare the area where the composting is to take place. CHDS LLC will call for an inspection and wait for the approval from the Health Department prior to starting composting operations.
3. CHDS LLC immediately stopped taking landscape waste once informed of the violation. CHDS LLC is complying with the directive of the Health Department.
4. Per the Health Department's request, the Village will have our Village Engineer inspect the site monthly. The Village would welcome any direction on specific items to be inspecting or looking at when on site.

Respectfully,

Steven J. Shields
Village Administrator

cc: Kurt Baumann, Baxter & Woodman

