



In our over 25-year history, ECCO Recycling has always remained in good standing with Alberta Environment and Parks (AEP), maintaining our AEP Approval and operating in an environmentally compliant and responsible manner. When disposing of waste or recyclable materials at ECCO, you can rest easy knowing your Company is adhering to the applicable waste disposal legislation in the Environmental Enhancement and Protection Act (EPEA) and reducing your risk.

ECCO is currently an AEP Approved Waste Management Facility operating under Approval 19045-02-00 until June 20th, 2027 (see attached). AEP Approved sites are required to act in accordance with the conditions or legislation in all of the following:

- ECCO's Operating Approval 19045-02-00, t
- The Environmental Enhancement and Protection Act (EPEA 2000)
- The Waste Control Regulation (1996), and,
- The Standards for Landfills in Alberta (2010).

The legislation and Standards include stringent requirements for construction, monitoring and reporting to ensure adherence to regulations, environmentally compliant site operations and protection of the environment.

ECCO's commitment to maintaining our Approval and remaining in good standing with Alberta Environment and Parks (AEP) means adherence to the following practices, designed to protect our environment:

- Landfill design and construction is overseen by Professional Engineers (P.Eng.) in good standing with the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta (APEGA);
- Development, implementation and compliance with an Operations Management Plan, Stormwater Management Plan and Groundwater Monitoring Plan approved by AEP;
- Installation of compacted clay liner and leachate management system, bi-annual monitoring of nineteen (19) groundwater monitoring wells and two (2) stormwater management ponds, application of clean fill cover for fire break and cell management;
- Preparation and submission of Quality Assurance and Control Reports, Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report, Waste Management Measurement System Report and Annual Report for approval by AEP;
- Presence of ECCO staff who are Certified Landfill Operators by the Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) and in accordance with AEP requirements; and,
- Financial deposits with the Alberta Environmental Protection and Enhancement Fund to ensure Approved Closure and Post-closure plans are fully implemented and ongoing monitoring is completed.