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Subject: Francis Farm Aerial Photos.

These photos are taken from a drone up to an AGL (Above Ground Level) of about 400 feet, over the Francis Farm landfill. The purpose of taking these photos is to document what the landfill looked like prior to the anticipated \$ 6 Million “capping” project. Weather was clear, temperature mid-sixties, a nice fall day.

The launch point was the parking lot of the Haywood County School Maintenance garage.



During the tour by **Kris Boyd** on 10/11/2019,

<http://www.haywoodtp.net/pubII/191012aFrancisFarm-WhiteOakLandfills.pdf>

Kris Boyd pointed out a couple of survey markers (T rods), denoting EOW (End Of Waste). These markers were miraculously placed between the road and the maintenance building. How lucky is that! You mean to tell me that the maintenance building does not have any garbage underneath it? Who put down the markers?

McGill or **BLE**?



The road leading up to the maintenance building, along with the tree line on the upper side of the road and the drop-off of the mound, are due to be capped, i.e., trees taken down and the road graded and covered with a tarp. This eliminates the main entrance to the maintenance building.



This photo shows the elevations of the mound of dirt on top of the landfill. The paved road passes by the maintenance building and continues around the mound, where some old and surplus vehicles are stored. This is to become the main entrance to the maintenance building. This road continues past the tree line, turns to gravel (which currently the busses cannot negotiate) and is very steep.



Another photo, rotated a little to the left, showing the driveway leading to the maintenance building parking lot.



This photo is from a higher elevation, and shows the area of stockpiled dirt from collected from the Old Walmart DOT exchange. It is seen at the lower right corner of the photo. This is the dirt that will grade the land before the cap, and then cover the cap.



Similar view as before, except at about 350 feet AGL.



This photo gives the best overall view of the landfill. The methane generator, methane flame burn off device and the leachate pump are located at the upper right of the photograph. Unfortunately, **Kris Boyd** never mentioned where the EOW markers were in this area of the landfill. Although it looks pretty much to me that everything in this picture is covered by dirt over landfill waste.



Looking down at the rear of the maintenance building's parking lot (which happens to be property owned by Haywood County Schools).

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