

Case History LANDFILL GAS MANAGEMENT

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Vancouver Landfill Gas Management Plan, City of Vancouver

The City of Vancouver was required to prepare a landfill gas management plan as a condition of their Operational Certificate. The management plan would address migration and emissions from the site. The City retained SHA's to prepare the management plan.

- Off-site migration was found not to be an issue given the presence of the perimeter leachate and surface water ditches.
- It was recommended that existing on-site structures be regularly inspected for the presence of landfill gas, and that future on-site structures be constructed c/w sub-grade ventilation systems.
- Emission monitoring was limited to regular property boundary ambient air sampling and analysis. Adequate equipment was not available to conduct proper flux measurements at the landfill surface.

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