

Lot Lines **Landfill Features City of Austin** Jurisdiction **Estimated** Roads Landfill **FULL** Boundary Water Features LTD Landfill 2 Mile Landfill Buffer 5 Mile

Watershed Protection
Development Review

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3.26 #30, WINGFIELD AND # 33, HARMON

Location:

The Wingfield landfill and Harmon landfill are each owned by a private entity, and are located adjacent to each other in south Austin, just northeast of the interchange at Hwy 71 and Hwy 183. The Wingfield and Harmon landfills are landfills operated by different entities on two different (but abutting) tracts of land. It appears that both operations were placing waste in the same quarry that

extended across both properties.

Prior Use:

The 1984 URM reports that both domestic and commercial wastes were accepted at the Wingfield site. COA's 1992 Inspection Summary indicated that exposed construction debris, metal auto parts, and wood filled about one half of the quarry, with illegal dumping into the quarry still occurring. An inspection by the TCEQ in 1992 reported observing non-inert construction debris in the water and some current illegal dumping.

Groundwater: No information available

Current condition: May pose a current or future material concern to human health or the environment, based on the following factors:

- proximity of structures adjacent to the landfills,
- exposed landfill materials due to erosion at the stream bank,
- presence of surface water bodies within the landfills,
- reported use of the pond by nearby residents for fishing and swimming, and
- presence of seeps/leachate from the landfills.

Reference: Information in this fact sheet comes from the following:

- 1. Geomatrix Consultants. November 2004. 2004 Supplemental Assessment to Landfills in the Vicinity of Austin, TX. Prepared for City of Austin Public Works Department.
- 2. Underground Resource Management, Inc. November 1984. Landfills in the Vicinity of Austin, TX. Prepared for the City of Austin.