

Sunshine Canyon Landfill Making Repairs Following Saddleridge Fire

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SYLMAR, Calif. (Oct. 14, 2019) – As previously reported, the Saddleridge Fire impacted the closed, southern portion of Sunshine Canyon Landfill last week. Once it was safe to return, the landfill team arrived on-site and determined the facility sustained some damage to landfill infrastructure and systems. The team worked quickly over the weekend to restore the majority of infrastructure functionality and system operations, and determined some infrastructure will need to be repaired. The team has already been in touch with regulatory partners to begin developing a plan and timeline for restoration. While damaged infrastructure is down and as repairs are made, there is the potential for off-site odor. If you detect off-site landfill odor, you can report it here, and the team will investigate.

Thank you again to the first responders and emergency personnel for their efforts to contain the fire and minimize impacts. Thoughts continue to be with them, the community and all those affected by the fire. Further updates will be provided as appropriate.