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Name: Mr. George Novogroder  
Novogroder Companies

Address: 875 North Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60611

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RETURN TO:

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Address: 875 North Michigan Avenue  
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### THE ABOVE SPACE FOR RECORDER'S OFFICE

This Environmental No Further Remediation Letter must be submitted by the remediation applicant within 45 days of its receipt, to the Office of the Recorder of Cook County.

Illinois State EPA Number: 0316225248

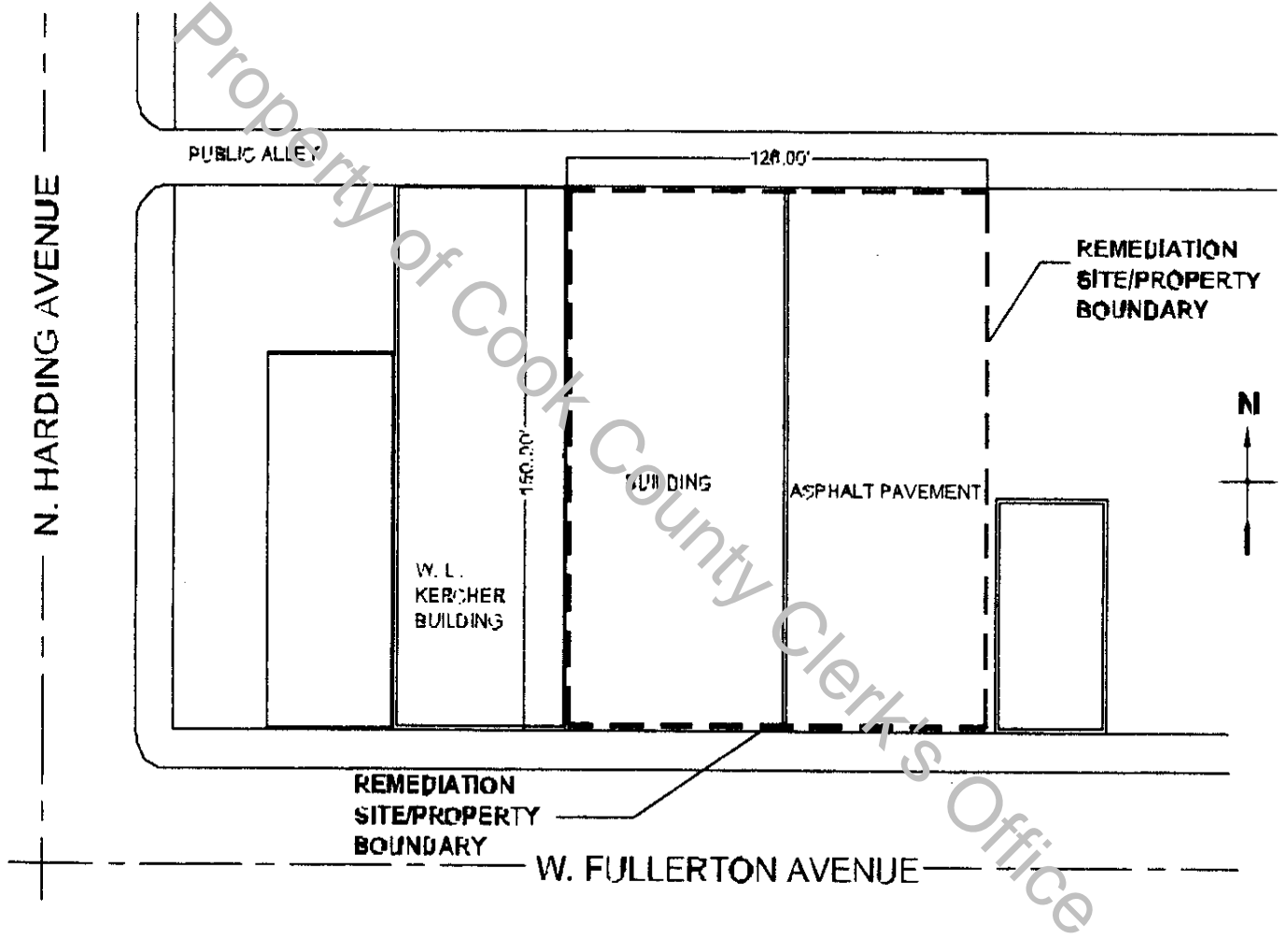
Novogroder Companies, the Remediation Applicant, whose address is 875 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60611, has performed investigative and/or remedial activities for the remediation site depicted on the attached Site Base Map and identified by the following:

1. Legal description or Reference to a Plat Showing the Boundaries: Lots 20, 21, 23 and 24 in Block 38 in Pennock in the West 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 26, Township 40 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.
2. Common Address: 3906-3914 West Fullerton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60647
3. Real Estate Tax Index/Parcel Index Number: 13-26-324-032-0000 & 13-26-324-033-0000
4. Remediation Site Owner: Novogroder Companies
5. Land Use: Residential and/or Industrial/Commercial
6. Site Investigation: Comprehensive

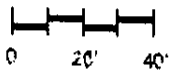
See NFR letter for other terms.

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Site Base Map  
0316225248/Cook County  
Chicago/Garcia's Auto Parts  
Site Remediation Program



GRAPHIC SCALE



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August 15, 2006

CERTIFIED MAIL

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George Novogroder, President  
 Novogroder Companies  
 875 North Michigan Avenue  
 Chicago, Illinois 60611

Re: 0316225248 – Cook County  
 Chicago/Garcia's Auto Parts  
 Site Remediation/Technical Reports  
 No Further Remediation Letter

Dear Mr. Novogroder:

The *Site Investigation & Remediation Objectives Report Commercial Development Site 3906 – 3914 Fullerton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois* (April 19, 2006/Log Number 06-29363) and *Addendum - Site Investigation & Remediation Objectives Report* (July 24, 2006/Log Number 06-30505), as prepared by K+ Environmental Services for the Garcia's Auto Parts property, have been reviewed by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Illinois EPA") and demonstrate that the remedial action was completed in accordance with the *Remedial Action Plan* (April 19, 2006/Log Number 06-29363).

The Remediation Site, consisting of 0.4 acre, is located at 3906-3914 West Fullerton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Pursuant to Section 58.10 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act ("Act") (415 ILCS 5/1 et seq.), your request for a no further remediation determination is granted under the conditions and terms specified in this letter. The Remediation Applicant, as identified on the Illinois EPA's Site Remediation Program DRM-1 Form (April 19, 2006/Log Number 06-29363), is Novogroder Companies.

This comprehensive No Further Remediation Letter ("Letter") signifies a release from further responsibilities under the Act for the performance of the approved remedial action. This Letter shall be considered prima facie evidence that the Remediation Site described in the attached Illinois EPA Site Remediation Program Environmental Notice and shown in the attached Site Base Map does not constitute a threat to human health and the environment and does not require further remediation under the Act if utilized in accordance with the terms of this Letter.

ROCKFORD – 4302 North Main Street, Rockford, IL 61103 – (815) 987-7760 • DES PLAINES – 9511 W. Harrison St., Des Plaines, IL 60016 – (847) 294-4000  
 ELGIN – 595 South State, Elgin, IL 60123 – (847) 608-3131 • PEORIA – 5415 N. University St., Peoria, IL 61614 – (309) 693-5463  
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 SPRINGFIELD – 4500 S. Sixth Street Rd., Springfield, IL 62706 – (217) 786-6892 • COLLINSVILLE – 2009 Mall Street, Collinsville, IL 62234 – (618) 346-5120  
 MARION – 2309 W. Main St., Suite 116, Marion, IL 62959 – (618) 993-7200

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## Conditions and Terms of Approval

### Level of Remediation and Land Use Limitations

- 1) The Remediation Site is approved for Residential and/or Industrial/Commercial land use.
- 2) The land use specified in this Letter may be revised if:
  - a) Further investigation or remedial action has been conducted that documents the attainment of objectives appropriate for the new land use; and
  - b) A new Letter is obtained and recorded in accordance with Title XVII of the Act and regulations adopted thereunder.
- 3) Where the Remediation Applicant is not the sole owner of the Remediation Site, the Remediation Applicant shall complete the attached *Property Owner Certification of the No Further Remediation Letter under the Site Remediation Program* Form. This certification, by original signature of each property owner, or the authorized agent of the owner(s), of the Remediation Site or any portion thereof who is not a Remediation Applicant shall be recorded along with this Letter.
- 4) Further information regarding this Remediation Site can be obtained through a written request under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140) to:
 

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
 Attn: Freedom of Information Act Officer  
 Bureau of Land-#24  
 1021 North Grand Avenue East  
 Post Office Box 19276  
 Springfield, IL 62794-9276
- 5) Pursuant to Section 58.10(f) of the Act (415 ILCS 5/58.10(f)), should the Illinois EPA seek to void this Letter, the Illinois EPA shall provide notice to the current title holder and to the Remediation Applicant at the last known address. The notice shall specify the cause for the voidance, explain the provisions for appeal, and describe the facts in support of this cause. Specific acts or omissions that may result in the voidance of the Letter under Sections 58.10(e)(1)-(7) of the Act (415 ILCS 5/58.10(e)(1)-(7)) include, but shall not be limited to:
  - a) Any violation of institutional controls or the designated land use restrictions;
  - b) The failure to operate and maintain preventive or engineering controls or to comply with any applicable groundwater monitoring plan;
  - c) The disturbance or removal of contamination that has been left in-place in accordance with the Remedial Action Plan. Access to soil contamination may be allowed if, during and after any access, public health and the environment are protected consistent with the Remedial Action Plan;
  - d) The failure to comply with the recording requirements for this Letter;

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- d) The failure to comply with the recording requirements for this Letter;
  - e) Obtaining the Letter by fraud or misrepresentation;
  - f) Subsequent discovery of contaminants, not identified as part of the investigative or remedial activities upon which the issuance of the Letter was based, that pose a threat to human health or the environment;
  - g) The failure to pay the No Further Remediation Assessment Fee within forty-five (45) days after receiving a request for payment from the Illinois EPA;
  - h) The failure to pay in full the applicable fees under the Review and Evaluation Services Agreement within forty-five (45) days after receiving a request for payment from the Illinois EPA.
- 6) Pursuant to Section 58.10(d) of the Act, this Letter shall apply in favor of the following persons:
- a) Novogroder Companies;
  - b) The owner and operator of the Remediation Site;
  - c) Any parent corporation or subsidiary of the owner of the Remediation Site;
  - d) Any co-owner, either by joint-tenancy, right of survivorship, or any other party sharing a relationship with the owner of the Remediation Site;
  - e) Any holder of a beneficial interest of a land trust or inter vivos trust, whether revocable or irrevocable, involving the Remediation Site;
  - f) Any mortgagee or trustee of a deed of trust of the owner of the Remediation Site or any assignee, transferee, or any successor-in-interest thereto;
  - g) Any successor-in-interest of the owner of the Remediation Site;
  - h) Any transferee of the owner of the Remediation Site whether the transfer was by sale, bankruptcy proceeding, partition, dissolution of marriage, settlement or adjudication of any civil action, charitable gift, or bequest;
  - i) Any heir or devisee of the owner of the Remediation Site;
  - j) Any financial institution, as that term is defined in Section 2 of the Illinois Banking Act and to include the Illinois Housing Development Authority, that has acquired the ownership, operation, management, or control of the Remediation Site through foreclosure or under the terms of a security interest held by the financial institution, under the terms of an extension of credit made by the financial institution, or any successor-in-interest thereto; or
  - k) In the case of a fiduciary (other than a land trustee), the estate, trust estate, or other interest in property held in a fiduciary capacity, and a trustee, executor, administrator, guardian, receiver, conservator, or other person who holds the remediated site in a fiduciary capacity, or a transferee of such party.

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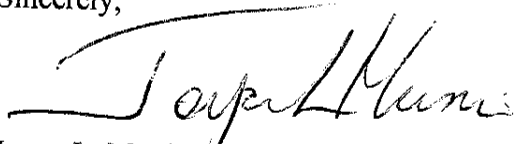
- 7) This letter, including all attachments, must be recorded as a single instrument within forty-five (45) days of receipt with the Office of the Recorder of Cook County. For recording purposes, the Illinois EPA Site Remediation Program Environmental Notice attached to this Letter should be the first page of the instrument filed. This Letter shall not be effective until officially recorded by the Office of the Recorder of Cook County in accordance with Illinois law so that it forms a permanent part of the chain of title for the Garcia's Auto Parts property.
- 8) Within thirty (30) days of this Letter being recorded by the Office of the Recorder of Cook County, a certified copy of this Letter, as recorded, shall be obtained and submitted to the Illinois EPA to:

Robert E. O'Hara  
 Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
 Bureau of Land/RPMS  
 1021 North Grand Avenue East  
 Post Office Box 19276  
 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

- 9) In accordance with Section 58.10(g) of the Act, a No Further Remediation Assessment Fee based on the costs incurred for the Remediation Site by the Illinois EPA for review and evaluation services will be applied in addition to the fees applicable under the Review and Evaluation Services Agreement. Request for payment of the No Further Remediation Assessment Fee will be included with the billing statement.

If you have any questions regarding the Garcia's Auto Parts property, you may contact the Illinois EPA project manager, Jim Mergen at 217-524-1659.

Sincerely,



Joyce L. Munie, P.E., Manager  
 Remedial Project Management Section  
 Division of Remediation Management  
 Bureau of Land

Attachments: Illinois EPA Site Remediation Program Environmental Notice  
 Site Base Map  
 Table A: Regulated Substances of Concern  
 Property Owner Certification of No Further Remediation Letter under the Site Remediation Program Form

cc: Mr. Gregory Weeks, G.P., Principal Geologist, K+ Environmental Services, 600 West Van Buren, Suite 1000, Chicago, Illinois 60607