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Mr. Howard Zusel

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West Palm Beach, FL 33411



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RETURN TO

Name:

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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: 0310813006

Mr. Howard Zusel the Remediation Applicant, whose address is 11446 54th Street North, West Palm Beach, FL 33411, 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:

PARCEL 1:

LOT 1 IN BLOCK 20 IN NORTH EVANSTON, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 11 TO 16 AND THE WEST 4-3/10 ACRES OF LOT 17 IN SMITH'S SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTH PART OF QUILMETTE RESERVE; ALSO LOTS 1 AND 3 AND THAT PART OF LOT 2, LYING BETWEEN CHICAGO AND MILWAUKEE RAILWAY AND THE WEST LINE OF LOT 3 PRODUCED TO THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 41 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. ASSESSOR'S PLAT OF EVANSTON, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED DECEMBER 17, 1868 AS DOCUMENT 18783 IN BOOK 168 OF MAPS, PAGE 35, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL 2

LOT 1 IN GREEN BAY AUTO CONSOLIDATION OF LOTS 2 AND 3 IN BLOCK 20 IN NORTH EVANSTON IN TOWNSHIP 42 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. ACCORDING TO THE PLAT OF CONSOLIDATION RECORDED SEPTEMBER 26, 1985 AS DOCUMENT 85207088,

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IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

- 2. Common Address: 2650-2658 Green Bay Road, Evanston, IL
- 3. Real Estate Tax Index/Parcel Index Number: 05-34-423-028-0000 and 05-34-423-029-0000
- 4. Remediation Site Owner: Mr. Howard Zusel
- 5. Land Use: Industrial/Commercial
- 6. Site Investigation: Focused

See NFR letter for other terms.

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Conditions and Terms of Approval

Level of Remediation and Land Use Limitations

- 1) The recognized environmental conditions characterized by the focused site investigation and successfully addressed, consist of the contaminants of concern detailed in the attached Table A.
- 2) The Remediation Site is restricted to industrial/commercial land use.
- 3) The lap it is 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 the reunder.

Preventive, Engineering, and Institutional Controls

4) The implementation and maintenance of the following controls are required as part of the approval of the remediation objectives for this Remediation Site.

Preventive Controls:

5) At a minimum, a safety plan should be developed to address possible worker exposure in the event that any future excavation and construction activities may occur within the contaminated soil. Any excavation within the contaminated soil will require implementation of a safety plan consistent with NIOSH Occupational Safety and Health Guidance Manual for Hazardous Waste Site Activities, OSHA regulations (particularly in 29 CFR 1910 and 1926), state and local regulations, and other USEPA guidance. Excavated soil must be returned to the same depth from which it was excavated or properly managed or disposed in accordance with applicable state and federal regulations.

Engineering Controls:

- 6) The asphalt barrier, as shown on the attached Site Base Map, must remain over the contaminated soils. This asphalt barrier must be properly maintained as an engineered barrier to inhibit inhalation of the contaminated media.
- 7) The building, as shown on the attached Site Base Map, must remain over the contaminated soils. This building must be properly maintained as an engineered barrier to inhibit inhalation of the contaminated media.

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Institutional Controls:

- 8) Ordinance No. 32-O-98 adopted by the City of Evanston on March 26, 1998 effectively prohibits the installation and use of potable water supply wells in the City of Evanston. This ordinance provides an acceptable institutional control under the following conditions:
 - a) The current owner or successor in interest of this Remediation Site who relies on this ordinance as an institutional control shall:
 - Monitor activities of the unit of local government relative to variance requests or changes in the ordinance relative to the use of potable groundwater at this 'ke mediation Site; and
 - ii) Notify the Illinois EPA of any approved variance requests or ordinance changes within thirty (30) days after the date such action has been approved.
 - b) The Remediation applicant shall provide written notification to the City of Evanston and to owner(s) of all properties under which groundwater contamination attributable to the Remediation Site exceeds the objectives approved by the Illinois EPA. The notification shall include:
 - i) The name and address of the local unit of government;
 - ii) The citation of Ordinance No. 32-O 98;
 - iii) A description of the property for which the owner is being sent notice by adequate legal description or by reference to a plat showing the boundaries;
 - iv) A statement that the ordinance restricting the groundwater use has been used by the Illinois EPA in reviewing a request for groundwater remediation objectives;
 - v) A statement as to the nature of the release and response action with the name, address, and Illinois EPA inventory identification number; and
 - vi) A statement as to where more information may be obtained regarding the ordinance.
 - c) Written proof of this notification shall be submitted to the Illinois EPA within forty-five (45) days from the date this Letter is recorded 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

d) The following activities shall be grounds for voidance of the ordinance as an institutional control and this Letter:

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- i) Modification of the referenced ordinance to allow potable uses of groundwater;
- ii) Approval of a site-specific request, such as a variance, to allow use of groundwater at the Remediation Site or at the affected properties;
- iii) Failure to provide written proof to the Illinois EPA within forty-five (45) days from the date this Letter is recorded of written notification to the City of Evanston and affected property owner(s) of the intent to use Ordinance No. 32-O-98 as an institutional control at the Remediation Site; and
- iv) Violation of the terms and conditions of this No Further Remediation letter.

Other Terms

- 9) Areas outside the Percediation Site boundaries or specific engineered barrier locations, as shown in the Site Base Map, are not subject to any other institutional or engineered barrier controls.
- 10) Where a groundwater ordinance is used to assure long-term protection of human health (as identified under item 8 of this Letter), the Remediation Applicant must record a copy of the groundwater ordinance adopted and administered by a unit of local government along with this Letter.
- 11) Where the Remediation Applicant is <u>not</u> the sole owner of the Remediation Site, the Remediation Applicant shall complete the attached *P operty 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.
- 12) 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 Division of Records Management #16 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

- 13) 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;

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- 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;
- 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 of 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.
- 14) Pursuant to Section 58.10(d) of the Act, this Leater shall apply in favor of the following DA Clar persons:
 - a) Mr. Howard Zusel:
 - 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;

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- 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.
- 15) This letter, including all attachments, must be recorded as a single instrument within forty-five (45) days or ecceipt with the Office of the Recorder of Cook County. For recording purposes, the Illinois PA 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 North Evanston Auto Service site.
- 16) 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

17) 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 North Evanston Auto Service property, you may contact the Illinois EPA project manager, Mr. Max Twum at (217) 558-0932.

Sincerely.

Joyce L. Munie, P.E., Manager

Remedial Project Management Section Division of Remediation Management

Bureau of Land

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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

Instructions for Filing the NFR Letter

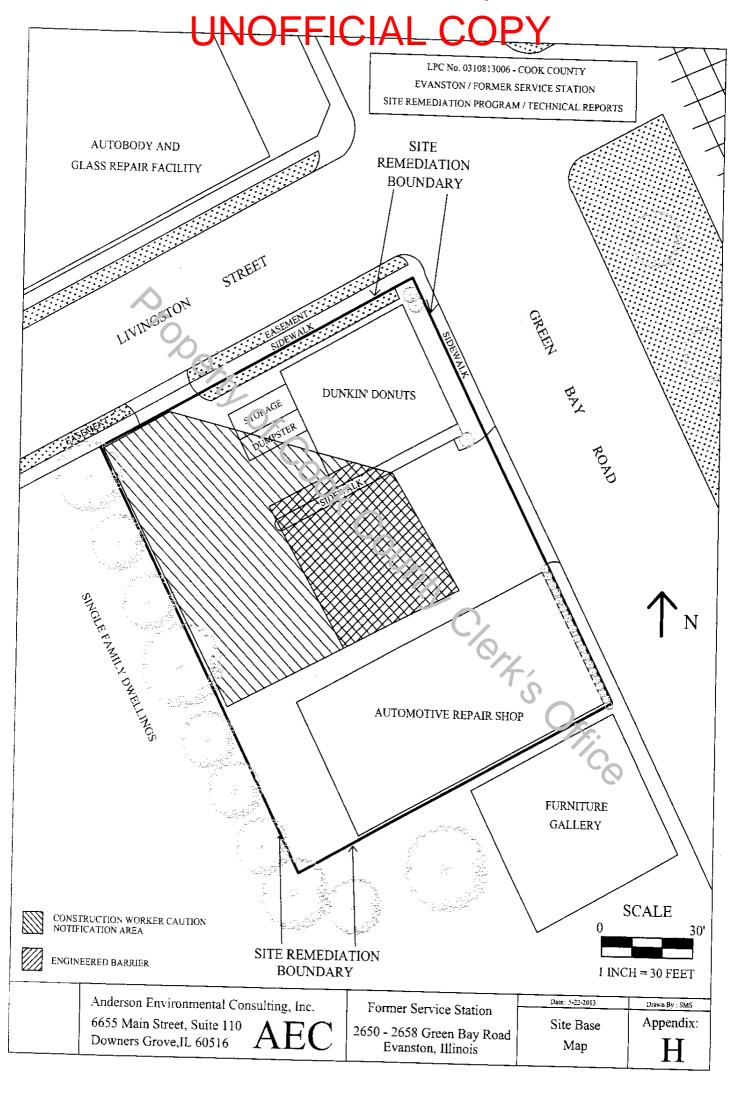
Mr. Steven C. Anderson cc:

Anderson Environmental Consulting, Inc.

6655 Main Street, Suite 110 Downers Grove, IL 60516

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TABLE A: Regulated Substances of Concern

LPC # 0310813006/Cook

<u>Evanston/North Evanston Auto Service</u>
Site Remediation Program

BTEX		
CAS No.	Compound Name	
71-43-2	Benzene	
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene	
108-88-3	Toluene	
1330-20-7	Xylene (totals)	

Polynuclear Aromatic Compounds (PNAs)	
CAS No.	Compound Name
208-96-8	Aceraphthalene
83-32-9	Acer., phthene
120-12-7	Anthracene
56-55-3	Benzo(a)an'.nı acene
205-99-2	Benzo(b)fluorarthene
207-08-9	Benzo(k)fluoranther.e
191-24-2	Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
50-32-8	Benzo(a)pyrene
218-01-9	Chrysene
53-70-3	Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene
206-44-0	Fluoranthene
86-73-7	Fluorene
193-39-5	Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
91-20-3	Naphthalene
85-01-8	Phenanthrene
129-00-0	Pyrene

RCRA Metals		
CAS No.	Compound Name	
7439-92-1	Lead	

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PAT QUINN, GOVERNOR

LISA BONNETT, DIRECTOR

(217) 524-3300

September 5, 2013

<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> 7011 1150 0001 0863 6978

Mr. Howard Zusel 11446 54th Street North West Palm Beach, FL 33411

Re:

0310813006/Cook County

Evanston/North Evanston Auto Service Site Remediation Program/Technical Reports

No Further Remediation Letter

Dear Mr. Zusel:

The Focused Site Investigation Report, Remediation Objectives Report, Remedial Action Plan and Remedial Action Completion Report (received Ture 13, 2013/Log No.13-54131), as prepared by Anderson Environmental Consultants, Inc. for the above referenced Remediation Site, has been reviewed by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Illinois EPA"). This Report demonstrates the remediation objectives approved for the site in accordance with 35 Illinois Administrative Code Part 742 are above the existing concentrations of regulated substances and that the remedial action was completed in accordance with the Remedial Action Plan (received June 13, 2013/Log No.13-54131) and 35 Illinois Administrative Code Part 740.

The Remediation Site, consisting of 0.4 acres, is located at 2650-2658 Green Bay Road, Evanston, 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 (June 13, 2013/Log No.13-54131), is Mr. Howard Zusel.

This focused 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 for the specified recognized environmental conditions so long as the Site is utilized in accordance with the terms of this Letter.

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