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CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 3, 2021

JAMES AND KATHLEEN PEONTKE
P.O. BOX 2150
WOODRUFF, WI 54568

SUBJECT: Ken Francois Property, 1870 West State Highway 47, Lac du Flambeau,
Wisconsin
Parcel ID Number: 10-3398-13
WDNR BRRTS # 03-64-104379

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Peontke:

On December 11, 2020, the DNR notified you of your responsibility to investigate and, as needed, clean up contamination located at the above-referenced property. A copy of this letter is attached for your review. As owner of this property you have certain legal responsibilities, as outlined in Section 292.11(3), Wisconsin Stats., also known as the hazardous substances spills law. Section 292.11(3) states:

- *RESPONSIBILITY. A person who possesses or controls a hazardous substance which is discharged or who causes the discharge of a hazardous substance shall take the actions necessary to restore the environment to the extent practicable and minimize the harmful effects from the discharge to the air, lands or waters of the State.*

Wisconsin Administrative Code chapters NR 700 through NR 749 establish requirements for emergency and interim actions, public information, site investigations, design and operation of remedial action systems, and case closure. Wisconsin Administrative Code chapter NR 140 establishes groundwater standards for contaminants that reach groundwater.

Please contact me within thirty (30) days of this date with an update. I can be reached at (715) 360-1966, email: Carrie.Stoltz@Wisconsin.gov or you may send an update in writing to my attention at the address listed above. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Carrie Stoltz'.

Carrie Stoltz
Hydrogeologist
Bureau for Remediation & Redevelopment

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Enclosure: December 11, 2020 Responsible Party Letter