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September 23, 1997

Mr. Donald Pfalz  
Village of Bear Creek  
P.O. Box 28  
Bear Creek, WI 54922

Subject: Closure, Former Waugamie Feed Mill, 101 W. Rollo Street, Bear Creek, WI

Dear Mr. Pfalz:

On September 15, 1997, the above-named site was reviewed by the Northeast Region Closeout Committee for a determination as to whether or not the case qualified for close out under ch. NR 726, Wis. Adm. Code.

Based on the investigative and remedial documentation provided to the Department, it appears that the petroleum contamination at the above-named site has been remediated in compliance with the requirements of chs. NR 700 to 724, Wis. Adm. Code. Therefore, the Department considers the case "closed," having determined that no further action is necessary at the site at this time. However, the case may be reopened pursuant to s. NR 726.09, Wis. Adm. Code, if additional information regarding site conditions indicates that contamination on or from the site poses a threat to public health, safety or welfare or the environment.

If you have any questions regarding this determination, please contact me at the telephone number shown below.

Sincerely,

Dino Tsoris, PG  
Hydrogeologist  
Bureau for Remediation and Redevelopment  
Telephone: (920) 424-7887

cc: Ms. Karen Schumacher, Northern Environmental, Inc., 954 Circle Drive, Green Bay, WI 54304

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From: Bruce Urben

Date: 9/22

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WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
CASE SUMMARY AND CLOSE OUT FORM

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Close Out Option: Committee Fast Track DNR Project Manager: DINO TSORIS  
Priority: High Medium Low Type of Release: LUST Spill ERP Other \_\_\_\_\_ Unknown

Responsible Party Name/ Full Address: MR. DONALD PHAZ, VILLAGE OF BEARCREEK, P.O. Box 28, BEAR CREEK

Site Name/Full Address: FORMER WISCONSIN FEED MILL, 101 W. ROLLO STREET, BEAR CREEK, WI 54922

Legal Description: NW 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec 30, T 24 N, R 15 (E/W) DNR Case No. 151740 County: OUTAGAMIE

Contaminant Type(s) PETROLEUM Quantity Released RESIDUAL

Incident Type: (amount released if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Incident/Discovered: 6/3/97 If Incident = LUST : Form 4 Pending? \_\_\_ Yes X No

Depth to Groundwater/Flow Direction: 18-20 ft Perched Water? \_\_\_ Y \_\_\_ N Depth: \_\_\_\_\_

Soil Type Clayey silt to 8 ft. to silty sand 8-20' Depth to Bedrock \_\_\_\_\_

Potential Receptors: \_\_\_\_\_

Site Assessment Consultant: NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL - GREEN BAY

Investigation/Remediation Consultant: NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL - GREEN BAY

Certified Lab Testing Soils/Water: U.S. OIL CO, INC.

Status of water supply wells within 1200 feet of the site? \_\_\_\_\_

Date Closure Submitted to DNR: 7/10/97 Enforcement Actions or Permits Closed Out? \_\_\_ Yes X No

Form completed by:

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information presented on and attached to this form are true and accurate. This recommendation for case closure is based upon all available data as of \_\_\_\_\_ (date). I have read the Case Summary and Close Out Form Instructions and all required information has been included.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Firm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation with Site Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Attach Case Summary and Justification for Closure



**SOIL  
PRE-REMEDIAL OR INVESTIGATION ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Extent Defined?  Y  N

Attach Table of Pre-remedial Soil Samples

**SOIL  
POST REMEDIATION ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Attach the Table for Post Remedial Soil Results

Remedial Action Completed?  Y  N 720.19 analysis  Y  N (if Y attach supporting documentation)

Final Confirmation Sampling Methods: 3ft - 25 mg/kg GRO; 4-6 ft - 15 ppm GRO, No Proc Analyzed performed.

Description of remedial action taken:

(PMA)  
RESIDUAL CONTAMINATION AFTER UST CLOSURE. REQUESTING CLOSURE BASED ON CONTAMINANT CONCENTRATIONS, SOIL TYPE, DEPTH TO GROUND WATER.

Were Soils Excavated?  Y  N Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_ Disposal Method: \_\_\_\_\_

Soil Disposal Form Attached?  Y  N Final Disposal Location: \_\_\_\_\_

**GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Extent Defined?  Y  N  NA

Remedial Action Completed?  Y  N

Field Analyses?  Y  N Lab Analyses?  Y  N No. of Sampling Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Sample Rounds: \_\_\_\_\_

#NR 141 Temporary Wells: \_\_\_\_\_ #Recovery Sumps: \_\_\_\_\_

#Private Wells: \_\_\_\_\_ For private wells, Form 3300-67 completed: \_\_\_\_\_

#Municipal Wells: \_\_\_\_\_ #NR 141 Monitoring Wells: \_\_\_\_\_

Preventive Action Limit exceeded?  Y  N (If yes, location) \_\_\_\_\_

Enforcement Standard exceeded?  Y  N (If yes, location) \_\_\_\_\_

Attach Table of Groundwater Results

Description of remedial action taken:

MONITORING WELLS LOCATED ACROSS THE STREET (RAILROAD AVE) HAVE NOT DETECTED PETROLEUM CONTAMINANTS. THE MW'S WERE INSTALLED AS PART OF A BRAC PHASE I FOR THE WAUGAMIE COOP PESTICIDE STORAGE PROPERTY. THE MW'S ARE LOCATED DOWN GRADIENTS FROM THE FORMER UST BASIN.



COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

Date:

9-15-97

Close

CASE CLOSE OUT:

Date:

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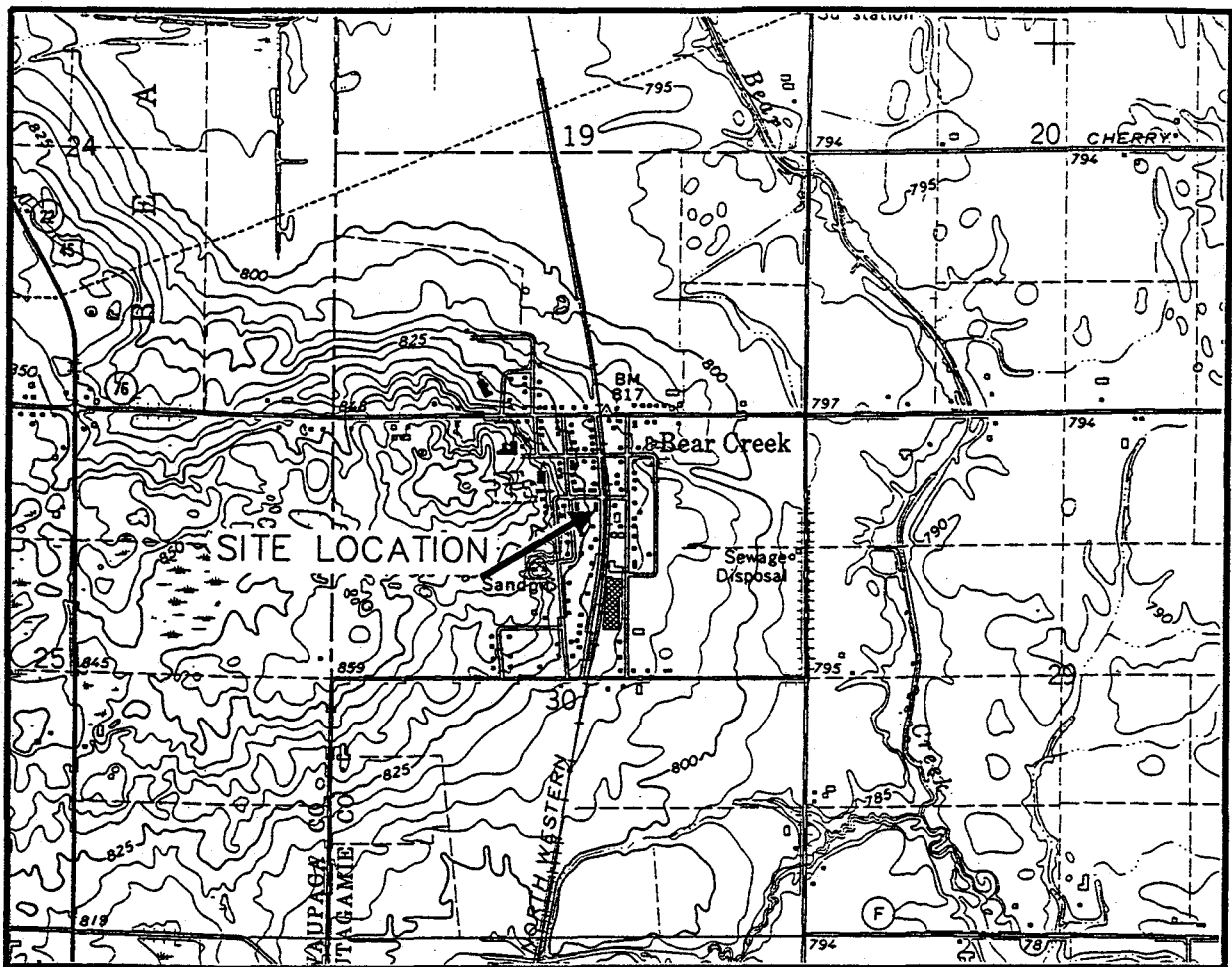
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SCALE IN FEET

1" = 2000'



CONTOUR INTERVAL 10 FEET  
NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM OF 1929



BASE MAP SOURCE: USGS BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN 7.5 MINUTE QUADRANGLE (REVISED 1969)

QUADRANGLE LOCATION

DRAWN BY: LFC PROJECT: VBC310556 DATE: 6/27/97

FIGURE 1

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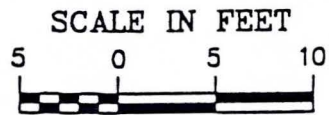
SITE LOCATION AND LOCAL TOPOGRAPHY  
WAUGAMIE FEED MILL  
BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN

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FOR: VILLAGE OF BEAR CREEK

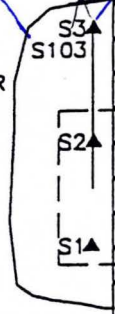
FORMER WAUGAMIE  
CO-OP

- LEGEND**
- 500 GALLON GASOLINE UST
  - ===== PRODUCT PIPING
  - S1▲ SOIL SAMPLE LOCATION AND NUMBER
  - EXTENT OF EXCAVATION



*Soil Boring Sample  
4-6 ft.  
GRO 15 ppm*

*UST Closure Angle  
3 ft.  
GRO 25 ppm*



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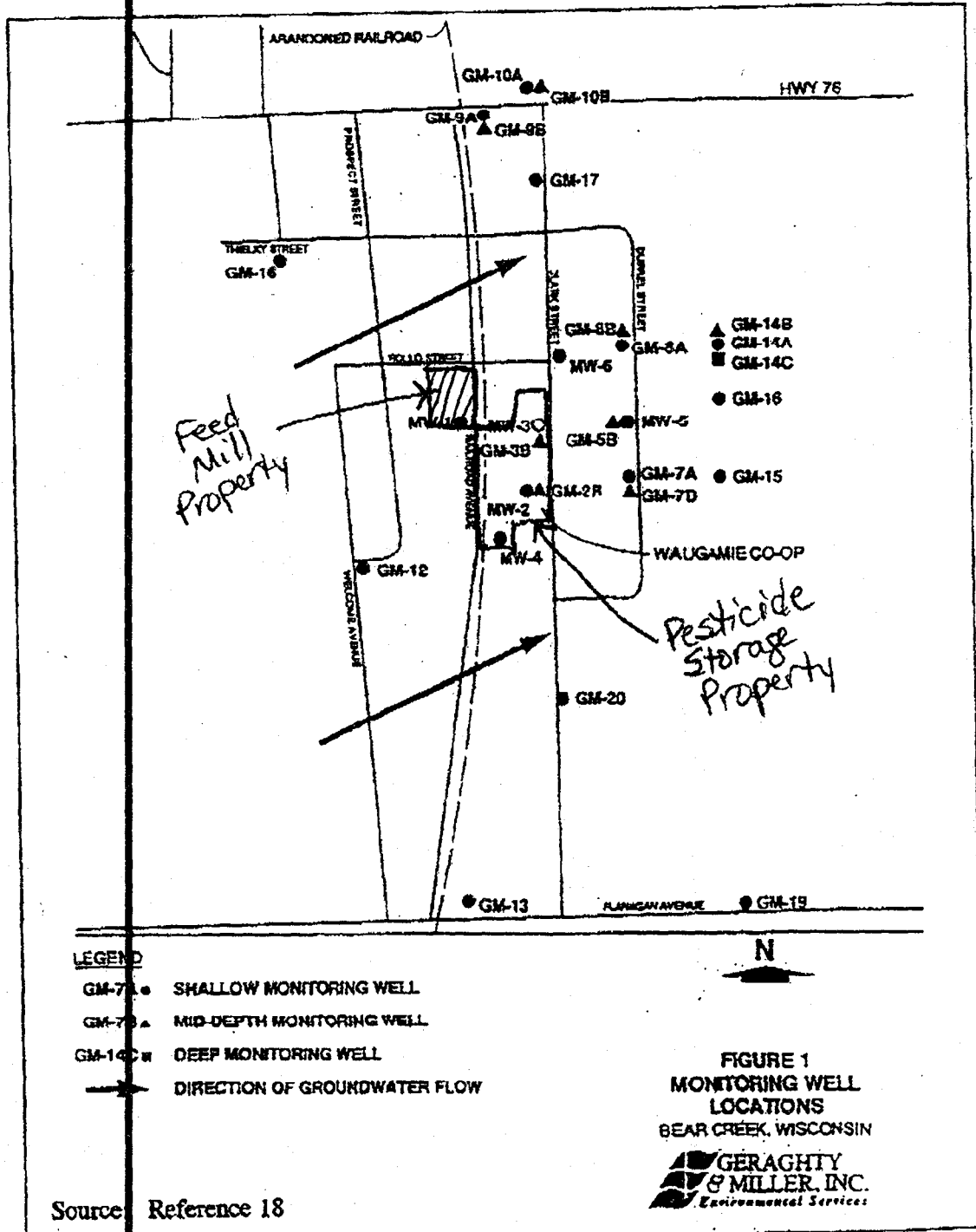
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FIGURE 2  
SITE LAYOUT WITH SOIL SAMPLE LOCATIONS  
FORMER WAUGAMIE CO-OP FEED MILL  
BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN

US PETROLEUM EQUIPMENT



# From Phase I BEAP Report



**FIGURE 4-7 GENERAL GROUNDWATER FLOW DIRECTION AT THE WAUGAMIE FS CO-OP**

Table 4 Summary of Soil Field Screening and Lab Analysis, Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, Bear Creek, Wisconsin

Sample Number	UST Association	Location	Depth (fbg)	Date Collected	Time Screened	PID Response (iul)	Odor	Soil Description	Soil Type (USCS Classification)	Relative Moisture Content	Laboratory Analysis Results
											GRO (mg/kg)
S1	UST1	Beneath south end of former UST	8	06/03/97	1220	0	None	Clayey silt	ML	Wet	<10
S2	UST1	Beneath north end of former UST	8	06/03/97	1221	16	None	Silty sand	SM	Wet	<10
S3	UST1	Beneath former dispenser location	3	06/03/97	1222	0	None	Medium grained sand with silt and pebbles	SM	Wet	25
S103	UST1	Beneath former dispenser location	4-6	06/13/97	940	0	None	Medium grained sand with silt and pebbles	SM	Moist	15

Note:  
 GRO = Gasoline Range Organics  
 USCS = United Soil Classification System  
 UST = Underground Storage Tank  
 fbg = feet below grade  
 iul = instrument units as isobutylene  
 mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

From soil Boring

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WI DNR Certified Lab #445027660

KAREN SCHUMACHER  
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954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
GREEN BAY WI 54304

Project #: USP320554  
Project : Bear Creek  
Sample ID: S1  
Lab Code: 5017184A  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	81.5			%		06-Jun-97	B. Retzler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	< 10	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

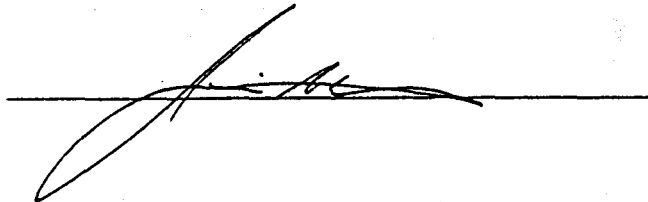
QC SUMMARY

CODE:

1

All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

Authorized Signature





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Project #: USP320554  
Project : Bear Creek  
Sample ID: S2  
Lab Code: 5017184B  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	84.4			%		06-Jun-97	B. Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	< 10	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

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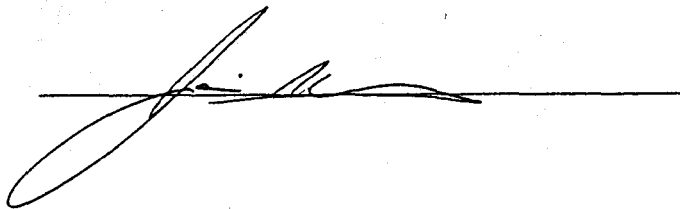
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Project #: USP320554  
Project : Bear Creek  
Sample ID: S3  
Lab Code: 5017184C  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code:
TOTAL SOLIDS	94.0			%		06-Jun-97	B.Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	25	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

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LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

QC SUMMARY

CODE:

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All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

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SIBYL LAPINSKI  
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954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
GREEN BAY WI 54304

Project #: VBC310556  
Project : Bear Creek, WI  
Sample ID: S103  
Lab Code: 5017359A  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 13-Jun-97

Report Date: 20-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Dilution Factor	Date Analyzed	Analyzed By	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	90.2			%		19-Jun-97	B. Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	15	0.58	1.8	MG/KG	1	19-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

QC SUMMARY

CODE:

1

All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

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August 4, 1997

Mr. Donald Pflaz  
Village of Bear Creek  
P.O. Box 28  
Bear Creek, WI 54922

SUBJECT: Acknowledgement of Receipt - *Request for Closure Review*  
Former Waugamie Feed Mill, 101 W. Rollo Street, Bear Creek, WI  
WDNR BRR CASE ID #03-45-151740

Dear Mr. Pflaz:

The Department received the above mentioned closure request on July 10, 1997. Due to staffing levels and the backlog of cases, requests for closure are logged and reviewed in the order which they are received. After Department review of the case, you will be notified by letter that closure is either approved or that additional work is required.

Department staff will attempt to review your case within 90 days. If you have not received a response by then, please contact me at the telephone number shown below to inquire about the status of your request.

**If this case is PECFA-eligible, please submit the Department of Commerce Form 4 as soon as possible so both closure and PECFA Form 4 review can be conducted simultaneously.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at the telephone number shown below.

Sincerely,

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cc: Case File - OSH  
Ms. Karen Schumacher, Northern Environmental, 954 Circle Drive, Green Bay, WI  
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From Phase I BEAP Report

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To	Dino Tsoris	From	J. Huffman		
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facilities that generate hazardous wastes are very common. Because of the large size of the ASTM is confined to the property and adjacent adjoining properties as properties that are on the site, including properties across any other properties were listed as being present on site.

**ERNS** - The ERNS list is EPA's emergency response notification system list of reported spills to EPA in quantities greater than the reportable quantity required in CERCLA. No spills on the Co-op property were found in the ERNS system.

**State Hazardous Waste Sites** - The ASTM method requires the identification of sites with investigation or remediation that is regulated by the state and are considered to be equivalent in nature to the federal NPL and CERCLIS sites. The WDNR maintains three lists which identify sites regulated by the WDNR's Remediation and Redevelopment Program including the State Hazard Ranking List (Wisconsin's equivalent to the NPL), the Wisconsin Remedial Response Site Evaluation Report (WRRSER) list, and the Emergency and Remedial Response (ERRP) Case Tracking List. The ASTM method requires a one mile search distance for this category. The Co-op was identified on the ERRP list and is the only site on these three lists within one mile of the site.

**Spills** - A list of spills or releases of hazardous substances to the environment is maintained by WDNR, however, the ASTM does not require sites in this source to be identified. Two spills were identified on the site or adjoining property. The Co-op property was identified as a spill site (ID Number 870120-03), however, a spill report was never filed. The site is listed on the database based upon the groundwater contamination downgradient of the site that is presumed to have resulted from spills on the property over time. The second spill identified on adjoining property was located at 316 Clark Street on the Mares Produce property (ID Number 910326-02). Five gallons of fuel oil were spilled on March 26, 1991.

**State Solid Waste Sites** - The WDNR maintains a lists of active and abandoned solid waste disposal sites (landfills). The ASTM method requires a search distance of one-half mile for these sites. One site was identified and it is the Village of Bear Creek Landfill which is located approximately one-half mile northwest of the Co-op property.

→ **State USTs** - The Wisconsin Department of Industry, Labor, and Human Relations (WDILHR) regulates the registration of underground storage tanks (USTs) and maintains these records. Eight USTs were identified on adjoining properties. One UST was identified for the Co op site. The tank registered to the Co-op (Tank #44190-100) is located at the pesticide facility (308 Clark Street) and not the feed mill facility (see Section 4.2). Table 3-4 identifies the WDILHR tank identification numbers, owners, locations, contents, capacity, installation and abandonment dates, and user types for these tanks.

Dino - Tank Inventory Form for Tank at the Pesticide Property is in the Phase I File.

→ State LUSTs - The WDNR maintains a list of sites with leaking underground storage tanks and the ASTM method requires a search distance of one-half mile from the site. No LUST sites were identified within this search distance.

→ Table 3-4 UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS IDENTIFIED ON OR ADJOINING THE WAUGAMIE FARMCO COOPERATIVE PROPERTY

Tank ID #	Installation Name or Owner	Location	Contents	Capacity (gallons)	Install Date Abandon Date	Status	User Type
44190-0074	Village of Bear Creek	100 N. Railroad Ave.	Unleaded	550	Unknown 1-18-86	Abandoned Filled with Leak Material	Government
44190-0079	Village of Bear Creek	100 N. Railroad Ave.	Diesel	1000	Unknown 1-18-86	Abandoned Filled with Leak Material	Government
44190-0083	Flanagan Brothers, Inc.	400 Clark Street	Leaded	1000	4-20-85	In Use	Agriculture
44190-0084	Flanagan Brothers, Inc.	400 Clark Street	Fuel Oil	10,000	1-1-57	In Use	Industry
44190-0085	Flanagan Brothers, Inc.	400 Clark Street	Diesel	1000	4-20-85	In Use	Agriculture
44190-0091	BJ Mares & Sons, Inc.	316 Clark Street	Leaded	1000	1-1-74 Unknown	Abandoned Empty	Agriculture
44190-92	Bernard Mares	315 Clark Street	Unleaded	350	1-1-66 1-1-85	Abandoned Empty	Residential
44190-100	Waugamie FS Cooperative	101 Rollo Street*	Leaded	4000	1-1-80 12-4-87	Abandoned, Tank Removed	Industrial
44190-0132	Bert Borge Plumbing/ Norman Paul	Possibly 305 Clark Street	Leaded	500	1-1-61	In Use	Agriculture

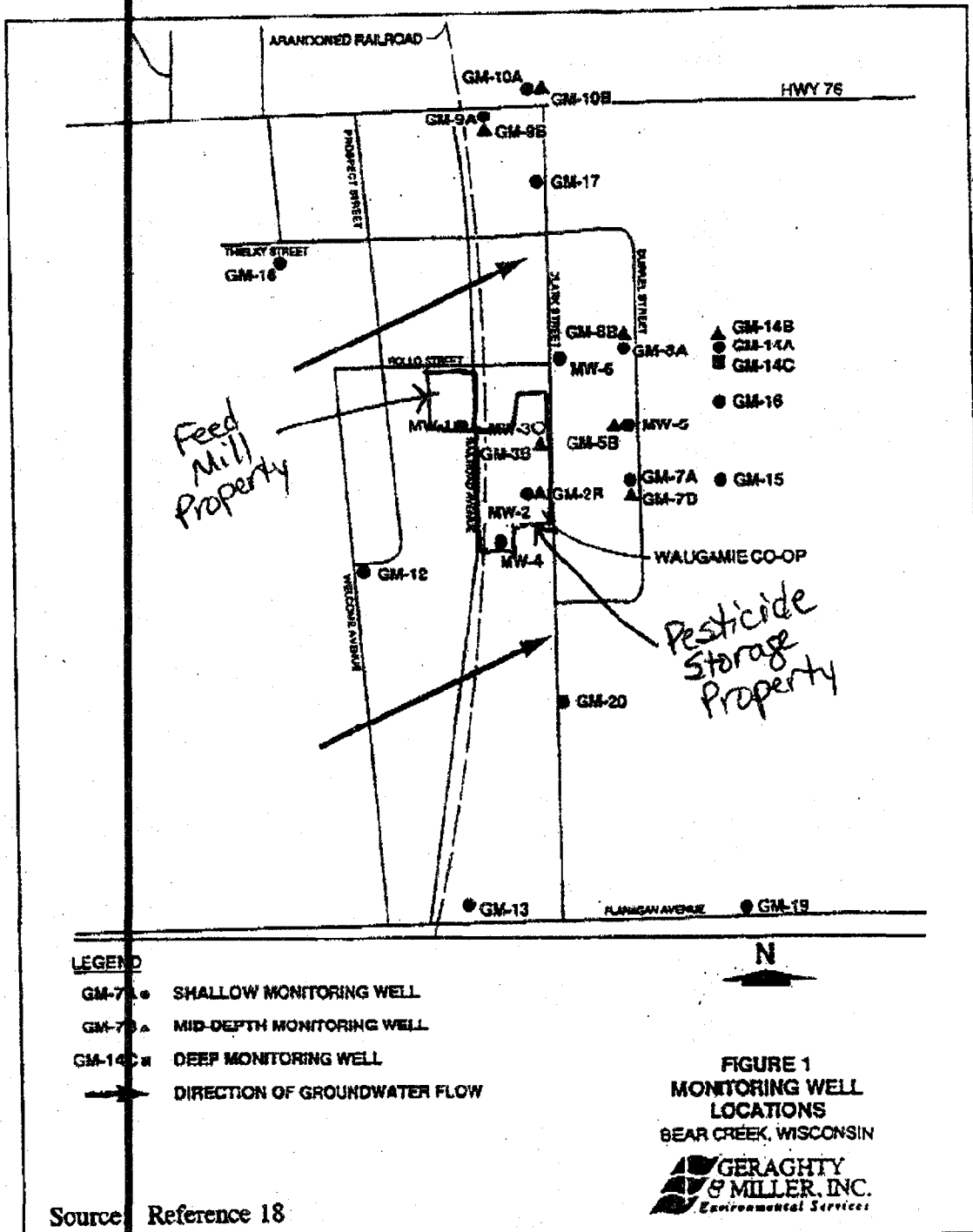
\*Address at which UST was registered, however, actual location is at 308 Clark Street, based upon conversation with Mr. Jerry Wagenson. See Section 4.2.

### 3.6 ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

#### Geology

The surficial soils across the site are mapped as the Rousseau loamy fine sand with two to six percent slopes (Reference 32). These soils are gently sloping and located on sandy lacustrine and outwash plains. This type of soil has low natural fertility and low organic matter content. Runoff is slow, which indicates that permeability is rapid, and the available water capacity is low. Based upon the May 2, 1996 reconnaissance inspection, surface soils at the site are predominately a poorly sorted, fine to medium grained silty sand.

# From Phase I BEAP Report



**FIGURE 4-7 GENERAL GROUNDWATER FLOW DIRECTION AT THE WAUGAMIE FS CO-OP**

## From Phase I BEAP

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north of the office building next to the UST location. A second slab was located north and adjacent to the pesticide storage building. The third slab is located west of the dry bulk fertilizer building and was the bulk fertilizer unloading pad. The fourth pad was located outside on the southwest corner of the dry bulk fertilizer storage building, however, its use was unknown. A circular ring stain was observed on this pad, which indicated that it may have been used to support an AST. A paved area was located east of the dry bulk fertilizer building. The remainder of the site is unpaved.

→ Mr. Wagenson pointed out the general location of the UST. He said that this tank had been removed in 1987 (as was identified on the 1993 Tank Inventory form) and that it was the tank registered with WDILHR, even though the address on the registration is identified as 101 Rollo Street (the Feed Mill address) and not the Co-op address (308 Clark Street). He confirmed that he thought it was a leaded gasoline tank, as was registered with WDILHR. A brief survey was conducted with a metal detector in the general area of the UST, however, no buried metal was identified in that area. He also indicated the general area that the ASTs were stored, however, he also said that they were periodically moved around on the site. The water supply well that served the office building before the Co-op received water from the Village of Bear Creek was still present, however, it was capped off and not in use. The well is located in a utility room in the northwest corner of the office building.

The soils west of the office building were not visually observed for signs of contamination because large equipment was stored there by Flanagan Brothers. A school bus, also owned by Flanagan Brothers, was present approximately 10 feet west of the former underground storage tank location and prevented the inspection of these soils. A paved area east of the dry bulk fertilizer building also prevented the inspection of the underlying soils. A small circular area of stained soil was found during the reconnaissance inspection near the cement pad which is north of the pesticide storage building.

Several empty and half empty pesticide, insecticide, tracer dye, and miscellaneous containers were found in the pesticide storage building and the bulk/minibulk pesticide storage building. In addition, a full 30 gallon drum of what appeared to be waste oil and a small container of used oil filters was also found in the western most bay of the bulk/minibulk pesticide storage building. The floor was stained around the drum and the bung was open. Both Mr. Wagenson and Mr. Phil Peterson (attorney for the Cooperative) have been notified of their responsibility to properly characterize and dispose of these containers and their contents.

Seven potential source areas for soil and groundwater contamination were identified during the site visit. These include the UST area, the equipment parking/depressions area, the general AST mixing and loading areas, the pesticide storage building, the empty pesticide container storage area, the dry bulk fertilizer building and adjacent paved area, the bulk/minibulk pesticide and fertilizer/pesticide storage building. The inside of the office building was also inspected, however, no contamination sources were identified within this building. Table 5-1 summarizes observations made that were observed for each of the source areas and the office building during the site visit.

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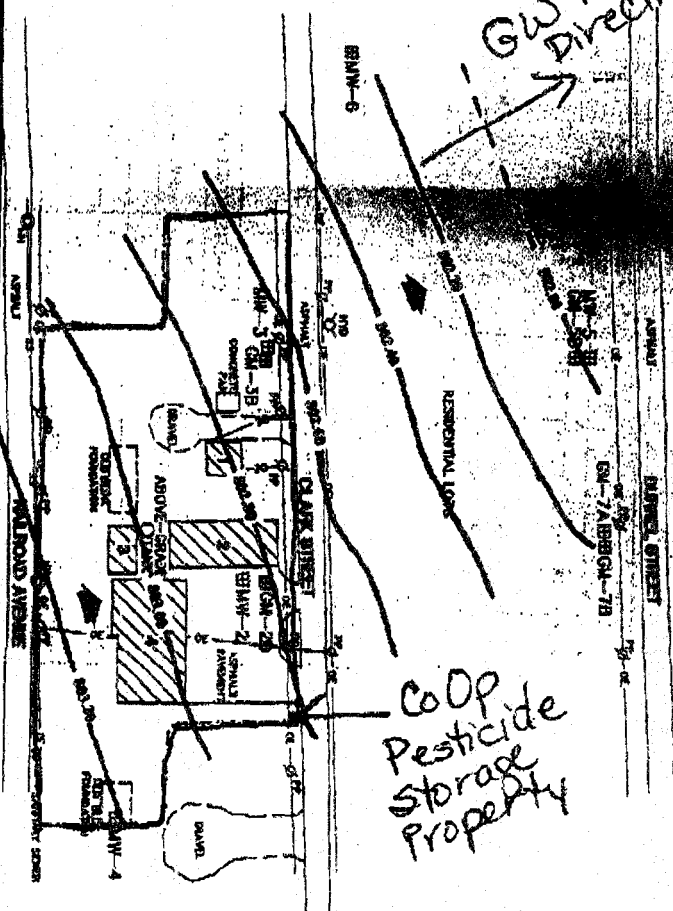
**BENCH MARKS**  
 BM-1 - BRASS CAP SET IN CONCRETE  
 450' FROM THE INTERSECTION OF SULLY  
 AVENUE AND S.W. 7th St.  
 U.S.G.S. ELEV. = 817.30

- BUILDING LEGEND**
- 1 OFFICE
  - 2 BULK/AMBULIX PESTICIDE STORAGE
  - 3 PESTICIDE STORAGE
  - 4 DRY BULK FERTILIZER/AIDING

Feed Mill Property

Coop Pesticide Storage Property

GW Flow Direction



**NOTE:**  
 ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITY LOCATIONS SHOWN  
 WERE OBTAINED FROM RECORD DRAWINGS. RECORD  
 DRAWINGS FOR THE EXISTING AND PROPOSED  
 EXISTING LOCATIONS OF ALL UTILITIES MUST BE  
 OBTAINED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO  
 BEGINNING ANY CONSTRUCTION.

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**ADJACENT WELL DATA (U.S.G.S. ELEVATIONS)**

W#	TIP OF PVC CASING	TOP OF SILE CASING	GROUND SURFACE
W#-1	823.88	823.97	821.8
W#-2	819.19	819.46	817.0
W#-3	819.30	819.70	817.0
W#-4	818.83	818.89	818.3
W#-5	818.27	818.28	818.7
W#-6	822.04	822.18	818.7
W#-7	815.59	815.59	813.1
W#-8	815.57	815.60	813.2
W#-9	819.81	819.81	817.4
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**LEGEND**

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**FIGURE 5 GROUNDWATER FLOW DIRECTION - 6/24/97**

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 3000 South Taylor Street  
 Des Moines, Iowa 50319  
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DESIGNED BY: [Name]  
 DRAWN BY: [Name]  
 CHECKED BY: [Name]  
 DATE: 6-24-97



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 Green Bay, Wisconsin 54304

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DATE <u>7/2/97</u>	PROJECT NO. <u>USP320554</u>
ATTENTION <u>Janis DeBrock</u>	
RE <u>UST Closure Assessment</u>	
<u>Former Waugamie Coop</u>	
<u>Feed Mill, Bear Creek WI</u>	

TO: Janis DeBrock

WDNR-LUST Section

1125 N. Military Ave, P.O. 10448

Green Bay WI 54307-0448

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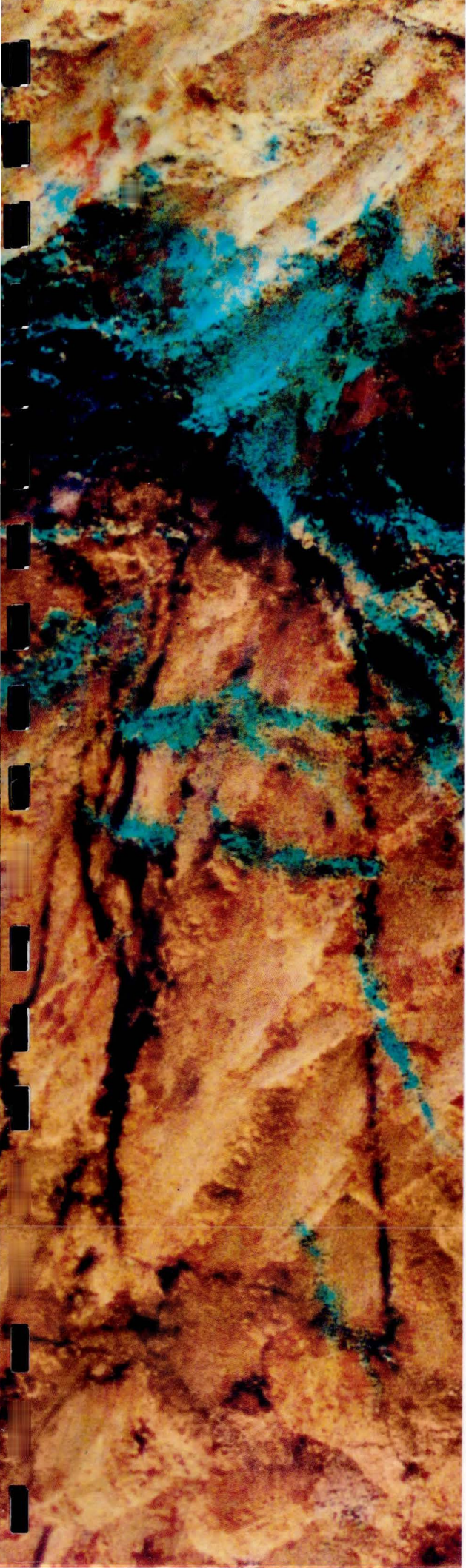
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**REMARKS:** We are requesting that this site be reviewed for closure. A release was reported on 6/26/97 based on laboratory analysis of a soil sample collected during the UST closure assessment. Lab results indicated 25 mg/kg GRO was present. A second, deeper soil sample contained 15 mg/kg GRO, and nothing was detected in soils collected downgradient of the removed UST. Because concentrations detected are less than the clean-up limit (100 mg/kg GRO), we believe this site should be closed.

**COPY TO:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNED:** Karen Schumacher





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**UST CLOSURE ASSESSMENT**

**FORMER WAUGAMIE CO-OP**

**FEED MILL**

**101 WEST ROLLO STREET**

**BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN**

July 2, 1997



**Northern Environmental<sup>SM</sup>**

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July 2, 1997  
(USP320554)

Mr. Scott Krepline  
U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
558 Carter Court  
Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136

RE: Underground Storage Tank Closure Assessment Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, 101  
West Rollo Street, Bear Creek, Wisconsin 54922-9770

Dear Mr. Krepline:

Northern Environmental Technologies, Incorporated (Northern Environmental) performed an Underground Storage Tank (UST) Closure Assessment on June 3, 1997 for U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services for a gasoline UST removed from the former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, 101 West Rollo Street Bear Creek, Wisconsin. The site location is shown in Figure 1. This UST closure assessment conforms with Chapter ILHR 10, Wisconsin Administrative Code and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) site assessment guidelines (WDNR, 1992).

This report has been distributed to the parties listed in Attachment A. Tank excavation and removal are described in Attachment B. Tank cleaning and disposal activities are summarized in Attachment C. Surplus product management information is described in Attachment D. Tank sludge management is described in Attachment E. Visual inspection data is summarized in Attachment F. Background information is summarized in Attachment G.

Information obtained from WDILHR, the owner, and/or the tank removal contractor about the UST systems is listed in Tables 1, 2, and 3. The UST system layout is illustrated in Figure 2. Copies of the updated Underground Petroleum Product Tank Inventory Forms and the Closure Checklist which were sent to the WDILHR are included in Attachment H.

Three soil samples were collected during the UST closure in accordance with the WDNR guidance (WDNR, 1992). The locations of the sample points are shown in Figure 2. A sample from each location was subjected to field screening. Field screening detected possible released petroleum in the soils at the site. Methods specific to field screening and sample preparation are included in Attachment I.



The three soil samples collected during the UST closure assessment were subjected to laboratory analysis for gasoline range organics (GRO). Laboratory analysis detected petroleum concentrations in one of the three soil samples at 25 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg) as GRO. The results of field screening and laboratory analysis are summarized in Table 4. Copies of the laboratory reports and chain-of-custody forms are included in Attachment J.

Based on information collected during the UST closure assessment, a petroleum product was released to the environment at the site. As required by state law, Ms. Karen Schumacher of Northern Environmental reported the release to the WDNR on June 26, 1997 (DeBrock, 1997). The WDNR currently uses a 10 mg/kg petroleum guideline limit to require a remedial investigation (WDNR, 1995a). The regulatory limit for cleanup of petroleum-contaminated soil is 100 mg/kg in permeable soils such as those encountered at the site.

The WDNR is currently conducting an environmental investigation of a pesticide release at the former Waugamie Farmco Co-op located southeast of the former Waugamie Feed Mill. Based upon results reported by the WDNR in their Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) report for the Waugamie Farmco (Huffman, 1997) the native soil is fine sand and silt, depth to ground water is 15 to 20 feet, and the ground-water flow direction is east.

On June 13, 1997, Northern Environmental conducted a limited soil sampling program at the former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill in conjunction with a Phase I ESA. Soil samples were collected at the former UST location and along the east and north property boundaries. The purpose of the soil sample collected at the former UST location was to define the lower extent of petroleum compounds detected during the UST Closure Assessment. The soil sample at the former UST location was collected with a Geoprobe at 4 to 6 feet below grade (fbg). Attempts to collect samples beneath 6 fbg resulted in no sample recovery. Field screening did not detect released petroleum in the soil sample. Laboratory analysis detected petroleum concentrations in the soil sample collected during the Phase I ESA near the former UST location at 15 mg/kg as GRO. This concentration is below the regulatory limit for cleanup, but slightly exceeds the limit for investigation.

The soil boring conducted along the east property boundary during the Phase I ESA is directly downgradient of the former UST area. The soil sample submitted for laboratory analysis from this soil boring was collected at the water table (18 to 20 fbg). Laboratory analysis of the soil sample detected no petroleum constituents. These results show that petroleum compounds are not present at the ground-water table downgradient of the former UST area.

Due to low petroleum constituent concentrations detected at the former UST area (15 to 25 mg/kg GRO); absence of odors, staining or elevated photoionization detector response; and absence of detectable concentrations of petroleum constituents in a soil sample collected downgradient of the removed UST, Northern Environmental recommends that no further investigation or remedial action with respect to the removed UST.



The findings and results of this UST closure assessment are based upon interpretation of the information available to Northern Environmental. Northern Environmental does not warrant that this report represents an exhaustive study of all possible concerns at the Property. The items investigated as part of this study represent likely sources of environmental concern associated with the described UST system, and are consequently believed to adequately address the needs of the client at the present time.

Please feel free to contact Northern Environmental at 414-592-8400 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

**Northern Environmental  
Technologies, Incorporated**



Karen R. Schumacher, EIT  
Environmental Engineer



Sibyl A. Lapinski, PG  
Project Hydrogeologist

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Attachments



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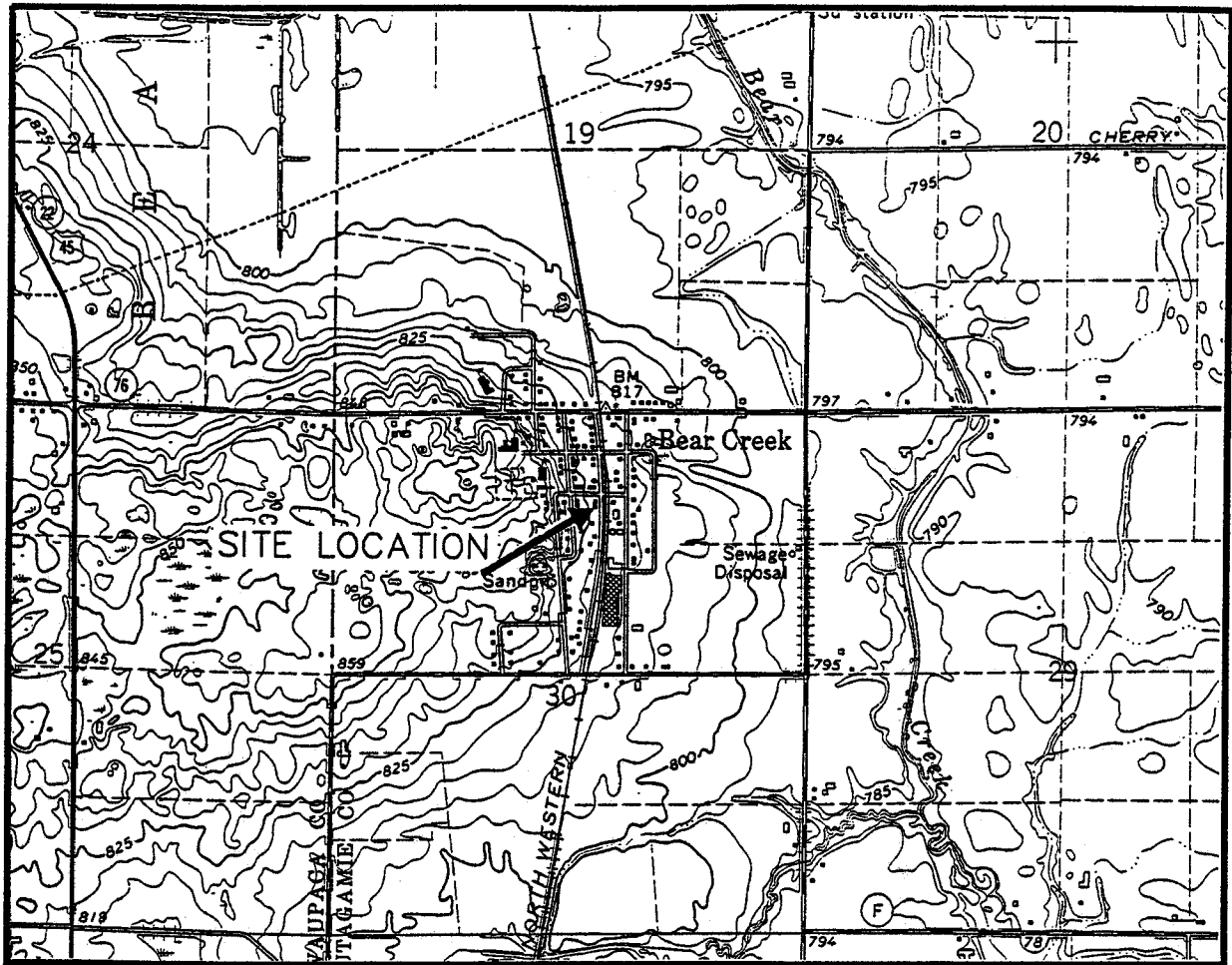
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SCALE IN FEET

1" = 2000'



CONTOUR INTERVAL 10 FEET  
NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM OF 1929



BASE MAP SOURCE: USGS BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN 7.5 MINUTE QUADRANGLE (REVISED 1969)

QUADRANGLE LOCATION

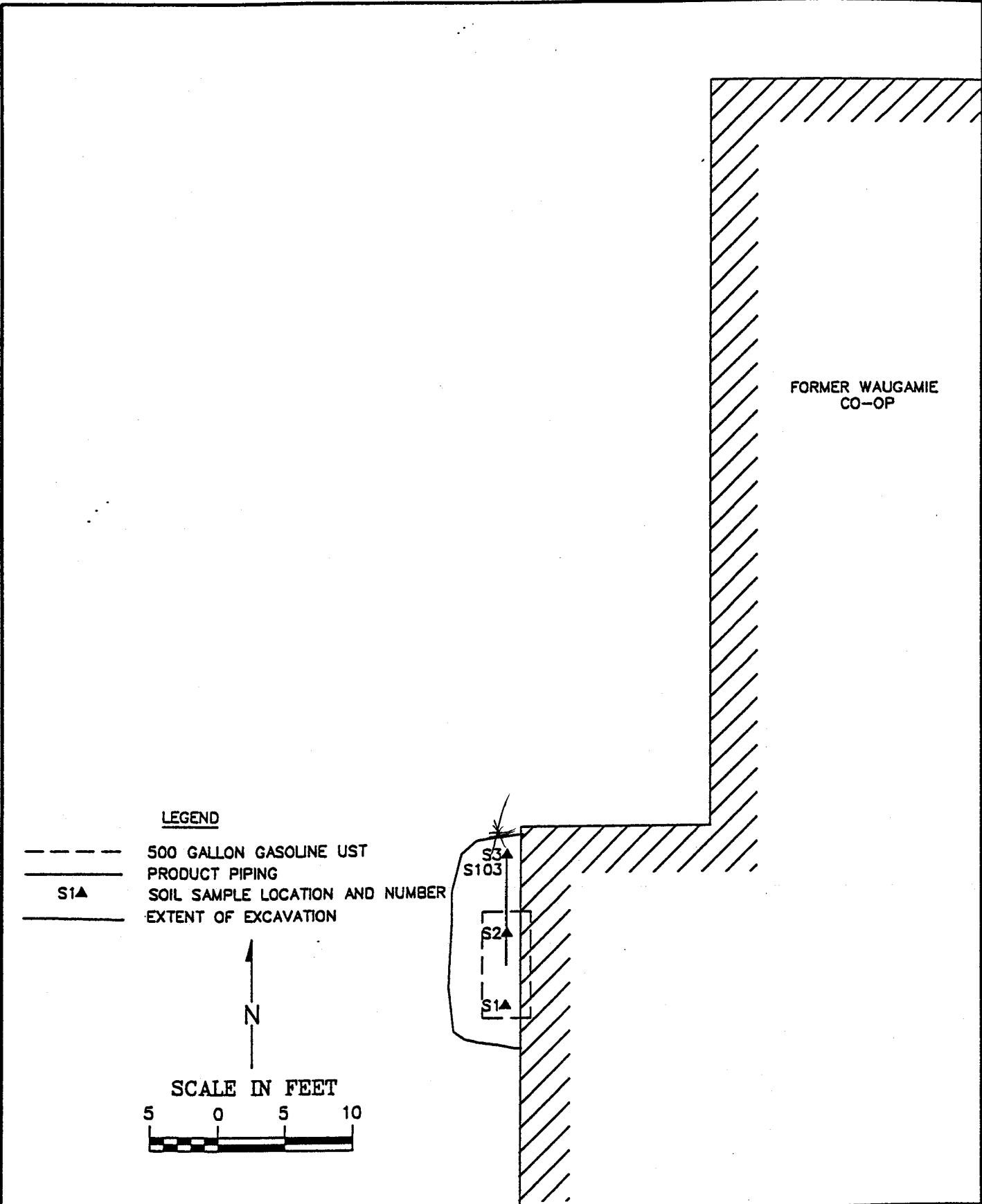
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FIGURE 1  
SITE LOCATION AND LOCAL TOPOGRAPHY  
WAUGAMIE FEED MILL  
BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN

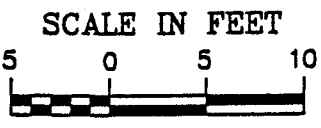
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FOR: VILLAGE OF BEAR CREEK



**LEGEND**

- 500 GALLON GASOLINE UST
- PRODUCT PIPING
- ▲ SOIL SAMPLE LOCATION AND NUMBER
- EXTENT OF EXCAVATION



FORMER WAUGAMIE  
CO-OP

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DRAWN BY: SMN		PROJECT: USP320554	DATE: 6/5/97	<b>FIGURE 2</b> SITE LAYOUT WITH SOIL SAMPLE LOCATIONS FORMER WAUGAMIE CO-OP FEED MILL BEAR CREEK, WISCONSIN
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**Table 1 Summary of UST Information**  
Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, Bear Creek, Wisconsin

UST Number	UST Construction	Volume (gallons)	Contents	Status	Date Installed	Registration Number
1	Steel	500	Gasoline	Removed	Unknown	UST is not registered

*Note:*  
UST = underground storage tank

**Table 2 Summary of Dispensing System Information**  
Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, Bear Creek, Wisconsin

UST Number	Type of Delivery System	Piping Construction	Location of Check Valve
1	None present at the time of removal	Steel	None present at the time of the removal

*Note:*  
UST = underground storage tank



**Table 3 Summary of UST System Inspection**  
**Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, Bear Creek, Wisconsin**

UST Number	UST Condition	Piping Condition	Piping Joint Integrity	Dispenser Condition	Any Apparent Releases
1	UST had a large hole. A building footing post had been set into the UST	Rusty but solid, no holes	Joints were loose	None present at the time of removal	Based on laboratory data, a release apparently occurred from the dispenser

*Note:*  
UST = underground storage tank

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Table 4 Summary of Soil Field Screening and Lab Analysis, Former Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill, Bear Creek, Wisconsin

Sample Number	UST Association	Location	Depth (fbg)	Date Collected	Time Screened	PID Response (IUI)	Odor	Soil Description	Soil Type (USCS Classification)	Relative Moisture Content	Laboratory Analysis Results
											GRO (mg/kg)
S1	UST1	Beneath south end of former UST	8	06/03/97	1220	0	None	Clayey silt	ML	Wet	<10
S2	UST1	Beneath north end of former UST	8	06/03/97	1221	16	None	Silty sand	SM	Wet	<10
S3	UST1	Beneath former dispenser location	3	06/03/97	1222	0	None	Medium grained sand with silt and pebbles	SM	Wet	25
S103	UST1	Beneath former dispenser location	4-6	06/13/97	940	0	None	Medium grained sand with silt and pebbles	SM	Moist	15

Note:  
 GRO = Gasoline Range Organics  
 USCS = United Soil Classification System  
 UST = Underground Storage Tank  
 fbg = feet below grade  
 IUI = instrument units as isobutylene  
 mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram



**ATTACHMENT A**  
**REPORT DISTRIBUTION**

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Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
LUST Section  
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Post Office Box 10448  
Green Bay, Wisconsin 54307-0448

Mr. Houston Wilson  
Village of Bear Creek  
109 Prospect Street  
Post Office Box 28  
Bear Creek, Wisconsin 54922





**ATTACHMENT B**  
**TANK EXCAVATION AND REMOVAL**

**TANK EXCAVATION AND REMOVAL**

**UST Closure**

Removal:   X    
Closure in-place:         
WDILHR Order:       

**Date of Removal or Abandonment**

Date: June 3, 1997

**UST Removal Contractor**

Company Name: U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
Company Address: 558 Carter Court, Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136  
Company Phone Number: 800-490-4915  
Certified Individual: Mr. Brian Van Pay  
Certification Number: #00816

**Site Assessor**

Company Name: Northern Environmental Technologies, Incorporated  
Company Address: 954 Circle Drive, Green Bay, Wisconsin 54304  
Company Phone Number: 414-592-8400  
Certified Individual: Ms. Karen Schumacher  
Certification Number: #05634

**Excavator**

Company Name: U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
Company Address: 558 Carter Court, Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136  
Company Phone Number: 800-490-4915

**Description of Tanks Removed**

See Tables 1 and 2

**Number of Tanks Remaining on Site**

See Tables 1 and 2



**ATTACHMENT C**  
**TANK CLEANING AND DISPOSAL**

**TANK CLEANING AND DISPOSAL**

**Method Used to Clean the Tank (Describe)**

A hole was cut in the tank and the contents were scraped out.

**Final Disposal (attach Disposal Documentation)**

Recycled \_\_\_\_\_  
Scrapped \_\_\_\_\_ **X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Disposed \_\_\_\_\_

**Handling of Cleaning Waste Water (attach Disposal Documentation)**

Drummed \_\_\_\_\_ Water was not used to clean the tank  
Taken Off-Site \_\_\_\_\_

**Location of Cleaning**

On-Site \_\_\_\_\_ **X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Off-Site \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Method of Tank Transport (Describe)**

Tank was transported in the back of a dump truck

**Documentation of Emergency Waiver to Transport Tank**

Not applicable

**Contractor Dismantling Tank**

Company Name: U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
Company Address: 558 Carter Court, Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136  
Company Phone Number: 800-490-4915

**Contractor Transporting Tank:**

Company Name: U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
Company Address: 558 Carter Court, Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136  
Company Phone Number: 800-490-4915

Contractor Disposing of Tank:

Company Name: U.S. Petroleum Equipment and Environmental Services  
Company Address: 558 Carter Court, Kimberly, Wisconsin 54136  
Company Phone Number: 800-490-4915



**ATTACHMENT D**  
**SURPLUS PRODUCT MANAGEMENT**



**SURPLUS PRODUCT MANAGEMENT**

**Types of Liquids**

No surplus product was present

**Quantity of Liquids**

No surplus product was present

**Final Disposition of Liquids (attach Disposal Documentation)**

No surplus product was present

**Contractor Storing Liquids**

No surplus product was present

**Contractor Transporting Liquids**

No surplus product was present

**Contractor Disposing or Recycling Liquids**

No surplus product was present



**ATTACHMENT E**  
**TANK SLUDGE MANAGEMENT**

## TANK SLUDGE MANAGEMENT

### Types of Sludge

Water was pumped from the UST prior to removing the UST from the ground. Additionally, approximately 1 cubic yard of 3/4-inch crushed stone was removed from the tank after the tank was removed from the ground. Twenty or more years ago a footing post was set in the ground and into the tank. The footing post hole had apparently been backfilled with crushed stone. The tank was subsequently filled approximately 1/3 full with stone. Because the crushed stone removed from the UST is 3/4-inch stones, it was not possible to collect a sample from this material for laboratory analysis.

### Quantity of Sludge

The liquid is contained in five 55-gallon drums. Four of the drums are full. One of the drums is approximately half full.

Approximately 1 cubic yard of crushed stone that was removed from the UST is stored on-site on plastic.

### Waste Characterization Data

Containerized water has not been characterized.

### Copies of Hazardous Waste Manifests and EPA Generator I.D. Numbers

Containerized water has not been manifested.

### Final Disposition of Sludge

Containerized water is currently stored on-site pending disposal arrangements.

### Contractor Storing Sludge

Containerized water is currently stored on-site pending disposal arrangements.

### Contractor Transporting Sludge

Containerized water is currently stored on-site pending disposal arrangements.

### Contractor Recycling or Disposing of Sludge

Containerized water is currently stored on-site pending disposal arrangements.



**ATTACHMENT F**  
**VISUAL INSPECTION DATA**

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**Weather**

Temperature                    70°  
Precipitation                   None

**Site Conditions**

Surface Staining:            None present  
Stressed or Dead Vegetation:    None present  
Previously Undiscovered or Unregistered Tanks: None present

**Excavation**

Depth:                    8 feet  
Free Product Present:    None present  
Obvious Odors:            None present  
Soil Discoloration:        None present  
Oil Sheen on Excavation Water (if present):    None present

Soil Type of Profile: USCS Classification and Genetic Origin  
Native: SM (silty sand) and ML (clayey silty)  
Backfill: SM (silty sand)

Free Standing Water:    Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No   X    
Type (runoff, perched, ground water): \_\_\_\_\_  
Depth to Water (feet below grade): \_\_\_\_\_

**Anticipated Ground-Water Level Based on USGS Topographic Map**

20 feet below grade

**Tank System Components**

See Table 3

**Local Ground Water Use**

Municipal well

**Source of Potable Water Used at Site**

The site has no potable water source.

**Is Site Connected to Sanitary Sewer System?**

The site has no sewer connection.



**ATTACHMENT G**  
**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**



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**Summary of past and present property use:**

The Property was the Waugamie Co-op Feed Mill since at least the 1930s. The building and the Property have been vacant since the late 1980s. The Feed Mill ground and bagged grain at the facility. The facility also housed the Waugamie Farmco Co-op offices and retail facility. The Waugamie Farmco Co-op was situated on a separate property located southeast of the Feed Mill.

**Were any USTs previously removed from the site? Description according to WDILHR:**

According to WDILHR records, a 4000-gallon leaded gasoline UST was registered for the Feed Mill site. The UST was listed as removed on December 4, 1987. Although the UST was registered to the site, the UST was actually located southeast of the Feed Mill at the former Waugamie Farmco Co-op, which had no address with which to register the UST.

**Have tanks or piping been previously integrity tested?**

It is unlikely the tank or piping has been previously integrity tightness tested. The tank had been unused for at least 20 years.

**Most current date:**

Not applicable

**Were results satisfactory?**

Not applicable

**Has the current system ever leaked or had a breach repaired?**

Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
No \_\_\_\_\_  
Unknown   X  

If so, When?  
Describe:

**Have any other environmental concerns ever been suspected or investigated at this site?**

Yes   X    
No \_\_\_\_\_  
Unknown \_\_\_\_\_



If so, When? June 13, 1997

Describe: Northern Environmental performed a Phase I ESA in anticipation of a property transfer.

Summary of Results: Soil samples were collected with a Geoprobe as part of the Phase I ESA. One soil sample was collected near the former UST location to define the lower extent of petroleum-impacted soils identified during the UST Closure Assessment. The sample was collected from 4 to 6 fbg. Laboratory analysis of the sample detected 15 mg/kg GRO. Attempts to collect samples deeper than 6 fbg resulted in no sample recovery.

Has the current system ever been lined?

No

Are other USTs or LUSTs present in the area?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
No   X    
Unknown \_\_\_\_\_

Describe:

Other known on-going investigation or remediation sites in the area?

Numerous chemical spills allegedly occurred southeast of the removed UST at the Waugamie Farmco Co-op's chemical mixing location. An investigation was initiated in 1986 or 1987 to investigate the spills. Monitoring wells were installed within 50 feet of the removed UST as part of that investigation.

Are any of the UST systems described in this UST site assessment believed to have released product?

Yes   X    
No \_\_\_\_\_  
Unknown \_\_\_\_\_

If so, describe UST and method of determining release:

Laboratory analysis detected petroleum constituents in one soil sample collected beneath the former dispenser associated with the UST.

Has the party responsible for the UST system been notified of the release of his responsibilities under the spill law?

Yes      X    
No           



**ATTACHMENT H**  
**WDILHR TANK INVENTORY FORMS**  
**AND**  
**CLOSURE CHECKLIST**

# UNDERGROUND PETROLEUM PRODUCT TANK INVENTORY

Information Required By Section 101.142, Wis. Stats.

Department of Commerce  
ERS Division  
Bureau of Storage Tank Regulation  
P.O. Box 7969, Madison, WI 53707

WI Tank ID#: 441900074

Underground tanks in Wisconsin that have stored or currently store petroleum or regulated substances must be registered. Please see the reverse side for additional information on this program. An underground storage tank is defined as any tank with at least 10 percent of its total volume (including piping) located below ground level. A separate form is needed for each tank. Send each completed form to the agency designated in the top right corner. Have you previously registered this tank by submitting a form?  Yes  No If yes, are you correcting/updating information only?  Yes  No

Personal information you provide may be used for secondary purposes. [Privacy Law, s. 15.04(1)(m)]

This registration applies to a tank that is (check one):

- 1A.  In Use or
- 1B.  Newly Installed
- 2.  Abandoned with Product
- 3.  Abandoned No Product (empty) or with Water
- 4.  Closed - Tank Removed
- 6.  Closed - Filled with Inert Materials
- 7.  Out of Service - Provide Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 8.  Ownership Change (Indicate new owner name in block 2)

Fire Department providing fire coverage where tank is located:  
 City  Village  
 Town of Bear Creek

**A. IDENTIFICATION (Please Print)**

1. Tank Site Name: CITY OF BEAR CREEK Site Address: 100 RAIL RD ST Site Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City  Village  Town of: BEAR CREEK State: WI Zip Code: 54922 County: OUTAGAMIE

2. Tank Owner Name: CITY OF BEAR CREEK Mailing Address: Box 28 Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City  Village  Town of: BEAR CREEK State: WI Zip Code: 54922 County: OUTAGAMIE

3. Previous Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Previous site address if different than #1: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Tank Age (date installed, if known or years old): 30 + 5. Tank Capacity (gallons): 500 6. If more than one tank is located at facility, please provide tank # \_\_\_\_\_

**B. TYPE OF USER (check one)**

- 1.  Gas/Retail Sales
- 2.  Bulk Storage
- 3.  Utility
- 4.  Mercantile/Commercial
- 5.  Industrial
- 6.  Government
- 7.  School
- 8.  Residential
- 9.  Agricultural
- 10.  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- 11.  Tribal Nation
- 12.  Federal Property
- 13.  Backup Generator

**C. TANK CONSTRUCTION (check one)**

- 1.  Bare Steel
- 2.  Cathodically Protected & Coated Steel (Check one: A.  Sacrificial Anodes or B.  Impressed Current)
- 3.  Coated Steel
- 4.  Fiberglass
- 5.  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Lined - Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  Steel - Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic Composite
- 9.  Unknown

Approval: 1.  Nat'l Std. 2.  UL 3.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Is tank double walled?  Yes  No

Overfill Protection Provided?  Yes  No If yes, identify type: \_\_\_\_\_ Spill Containment?  Yes  No

Tank leak detection method: 1.  Automatic tank gauging 2.  Vapor monitoring 3.  Groundwater monitoring  
 4.  Inventory control and tightness testing 5.  Interstitial monitoring  
 7.  Manual tank gauging (only for tanks of 1,000 gallons or less) 8.  Statistical Inventory Reconciliation (SIR)

**D. PIPING CONSTRUCTION**

- 1.  Bare Steel
- 2.  Cathodically Protected & Coated Steel (Check one: A.  Sacrificial Anodes or B.  Impressed Current)
- 3.  Coated Steel
- 4.  Fiberglass
- 5.  Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- 9.  Unknown

Vapor Recovery/Stage II TV A-  CARB #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fiberglass 6.  Flexible 5.  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Operational - Provide Date (mo/day/yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Piping System Type: 1.  Pressurized piping with A.  auto shutoff, B.  alarm or C.  flow restrictor  
 2.  Suction piping with check valve at tank 3.  Suction piping with check valve at pump and inspectable 4.  Not needed if waste oil

Piping leak detection method: used if pressurized or check valve at tank: 1.  Vapor monitoring 2.  Interstitial monitoring  
 3.  Groundwater monitoring 4.  Tightness testing 5.  Line leak detector 6.  Not required 8.  SIR

Approval: 1.  Nat'l Std. 2.  UL 3.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Is pipe double walled?  Yes  No

**E. TANK CONTENTS**

- 1.  Diesel
- 2.  Leaded -
- 3.  Unleaded
- 4.  Fuel Oil
- 5.  Gasohol
- 6.  Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  Empty\*
- 8.  Sand/Gravel/Slurry\*
- 9.  Unknown\*
- 10.  Premix
- 11.  Waste/Used Motor Oil
- 13.  Chemical \_\_\_\_\_
- 14.  Kerosene
- 15.  Aviation

(Indicate chemical name and number)

\* If 7, 8, 9, or 13 is chosen, this tank is NOT PECFA eligible.

If Tank Closed, Abandoned or Out of Service, give date (mo/day/yr): 6-3-97 Has a site assessment been completed (see reverse side for details)  Yes  No

Owner or Operator Name (please print): Jacqueline Surprise Indicate whether:  Owner or  Operator

Owner or Operator Signature: Jacqueline Surprise Treasurer Date Signed: 6-3-97

**IMPORTANT:** Failure to provide sufficient information may cause you to fall under additional regulations, and may delay PECFA eligibility determination. It is necessary to complete ALL shaded areas and as many other items as possible.

# CHECKLIST FOR UNDERGROUND TANK CLOSURE

**RETURN COMPLETED CHECKLIST TO:**  
Safety & Buildings Division  
Fire Prevention & Underground  
Storage Tank Section  
P. O. Box 7969, Madison, WI 53707

**Complete one form for  
each site closure.**

The information you provide may be used by other  
government agency programs [Privacy Law, s. 15.04 (1) (m)].

**A. IDENTIFICATION: (Please Print) Indicate whether closure is for:**  Tank System  Tank Only  Piping Only

1. Site Name <b>City of Bear Creek</b>		2. Owner Name	
Site Street Address (not P.O. Box) <b>100 RAILROAD</b>		Owner Street Address	
<input type="checkbox"/> City <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Town of	<input type="checkbox"/> City <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Town of	State <b>WI</b>	Zip Code
<b>BEAR CREEK</b>	<b>BEAR CREEK</b>		
State <b>WI</b>	Zip Code <b>54922</b>	County <b>OUTAGAMIE</b>	Telephone No. (include area code)
3. Closure Company Name (Print) <b>U.S. Petroleum Equipment</b>		Closure Company Street Address <b>558 CARTER CT.</b>	
Closure Company Telephone No. (include area code) <b>(414) 735 8287</b>		Closure Company City, State, Zip Code <b>Kimberly WI 54936</b>	
4. Name of Company Performing Closure Assessment <b>Northern Environmental</b>		Assessment Company Street Address, City, State, Zip Code <b>954 Circle Dr Green Bay WI 54304</b>	
Telephone # (include area code) <b>(414) 592-8400</b>	Certified Assessor Name (Print) <b>Karen Schumacher</b>	Assessor Signature <i>Karen Schumacher</i>	Assessor Certification No. <b>05634</b>

Tank ID #	Closure	Temp. Closure	Closure in Place	Tank Capacity	Contents *	Closure Assessment
1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>500</b>	<b>02</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
3.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
4.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
5.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
6.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N

\* Indicate which product by numeric code: 01-Diesel; 02-Leaded; 03-Unleaded; 04-Fuel Oil; 05-Gasohol; 06-Other; 09-Unknown; 10-Premix; 11-Waste oil; 13-Chemical (indicate the chemical name(s) or numbers(s)); 14-Kerosene; 15-Aviation.

Written notification was provided to the local agent 15 days in advance of closure date.  Y  N  NA  
 All local permits were obtained before beginning closure.  Y  N  NA

Check applicable box at right in response to all statements in Sections B - E.

	Remove Verified	Inspector Verified	NA
<b>B. TEMPORARILY OUT OF SERVICE</b>			
Written inspector approval of temporary closure obtained, which is effective until (provide date) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1. Product Removed			
a. Product lines drained into tank (or other container) and resulting liquid removed, AND	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. All product removed to bottom of suction line, OR	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. All product removed to within 1" of bottom.	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Fill pipe, gauge pipe, tank truck vapor recovery fittings, and vapor return lines capped.	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. All product lines at the islands or pumps located elsewhere are removed and capped, OR	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Dispensers/pumps left in place but locked and power disconnected.	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Vent lines left open.	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Inventory form filed indicating temporary closure.	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**C. CLOSURE BY REMOVAL**

1. Product from piping drained into tank (or other container).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<b>ROBERT</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2. Piping disconnected from tank and removed.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
3. All liquid and residue removed from tank using explosion proof pumps or hand pumps.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
4. All pump motors and suction hoses bonded to tank or otherwise grounded.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Fill pipes, gauge pipes, vapor recovery connections, submersible pumps and other fixtures removed.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>NOTE: DROP TUBE SHOULD NOT BE REMOVED IF THE TANK IS TO BE PURGED THROUGH THE USE OF AN EDUCATOR.</b>				
6. Vent lines left connected until tanks purged.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Tank openings temporarily plugged so vapors exit through vent.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
8. Tank atmosphere reduced to 10% of the lower flammable range (LEL) - see Section F.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Tank removed from excavation after PURGING/INERTING; placed on level ground and blocked to prevent movement.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		<input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Tank cleaned before being removed from site.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>		



**C. CLOSURE BY REMOVAL (continued)**

	Remover Verified	Inspector Verified	NA
11. Tank labeled in 2" high letters after removal but before being moved from site. . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>NOTE: COMPLETE TANK LABELING SHOULD INCLUDE WARNING AGAINST REUSE; FORMER CONTENTS; VAPOR STATE; VAPOR FREEING TREATMENT; DATE.</b>			
12. Tank vent hole (1/8 th " in uppermost part of tank) installed prior to moving the tank from site. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13. Inventory form filed by owner with Safety and Buildings Division indicating closure by removal. . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Site security is provided while the excavation is open. . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**D. CLOSURE IN PLACE**

**NOTE: CLOSURES IN PLACE ARE ONLY ALLOWED WITH THE PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, LABOR AND HUMAN RELATIONS OR LOCAL AGENT.**

1. Product from piping drained into tank (or other container). . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Piping disconnected from tank and removed. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. All liquid and residue removed from tank using explosion proof pumps or hand pumps. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. All pump motors and suction hoses bonded to tank or otherwise grounded. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Fill pipes, gauge pipes, vapor recovery connections, submersible pumps and other fixtures removed. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>NOTE: DROP TUBE SHOULD NOT BE REMOVED IF THE TANK IS TO BE PURGED THROUGH THE USE OF AN EDUCTOR - EDUCTOR OUTPUT 12 FT ABOVE GRADE.</b>			
6. Vent lines left connected until tanks purged. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Tank openings temporarily plugged so vapors exit through vent. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Tank atmosphere reduced to 10% of the lower flammable range (LEL) - see Section F. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Tank properly cleaned to remove all sludge and residue. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Solid inert material (sand, cyclone boiler slag, pea gravel recommended) introduced and tank filled. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Vent line disconnected or removed. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Inventory form filed by owner with Safety and Buildings Division indicating closure in place. . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**E. CLOSURE ASSESSMENTS**

**NOTE: DETERMINE IF A CLOSURE ASSESSMENT IS REQUIRED BY REFERRING TO ILHR 10.**

1. Individual conducting the assessment has a closure assessment plan (written) which is used as the basis for their work on the site. . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Do points of obvious contamination exist? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Are there strong odors in the soils? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Was a field screening instrument used to pre-screen soil sample locations? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Was a closure assessment omitted because of obvious contamination? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Was the DNR notified of suspected or obvious contamination? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Agency, office and person contacted: _____			
7. Contamination suspected because of: <input type="checkbox"/> Odor <input type="checkbox"/> Soil Staining <input type="checkbox"/> Free Product <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen On Groundwater <input type="checkbox"/> Field Instrument Test			

**F. METHOD OF ACHIEVING 10% LEVEL DESCRIPTION**

Educator Or Diffused Air Blower  
 Educator driven by compressed air, bonded and drop tube left in place; vapors discharged minimum of 12 feet above ground.  
 Diffused air blower bonded and drop tube removed. Air pressure not exceeding 5 psig.

Dry Ice  
 Dry ice introduced at 1.5 pounds per 100 gallons of tank capacity. Dry ice crushed and distributed over the greatest possible tank area. Dry ice evaporated before proceeding.

Inert Gas (CO/2 or N/2) **NOTE: INERT GASSES PRODUCE AN OXYGEN DEFICIENT ATMOSPHERE. THE TANK MAY NOT BE ENTERED IN THIS STATE WITHOUT SPECIAL EQUIPMENT**  
 Gas introduced through a single opening at a point near the bottom of the tank at the end of the tank opposite the vent.  
 Gas introduced under low pressure not to exceed 5 psig to reduce static electricity. Gas introducing device grounded.

Tank atmosphere monitored for flammable or combustible vapor levels.  
 Calibrate combustible gas indicator. Drop tube removed prior to checking atmosphere. Tank space monitored at bottom, middle and upper portion of tank. Readings of 10% or less of the lower flammable range (LEL) obtained before removing tank from ground.

**G. NOTE SPECIFIC PROBLEMS OR NONCOMPLIANCE ISSUES BELOW**

**H. REMOVER/CLEANER INFORMATION**

BRIAN VAN PAY  
Remover Name (print)

Brian Van Pay  
Remover Signature

00816  
Remover Certification No.

6-3-97  
Date Signed

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**I. INSPECTOR INFORMATION**

Carol Schneider  
Inspector Name (print)

Carol Schneider  
Inspector Signature

00496  
Inspector Certification No.

414-921-6628  
Inspector Telephone Number

6-3-97  
Date Signed

4419 Bens Creek  
FDID # For Location Where Inspection Performed



**ATTACHMENT I**  
**FIELD SCREENING AND SAMPLE  
PREPARATION METHODS**

## FIELD SCREENING AND SAMPLE PREPARATION METHODS

Soil samples are collected by or under the direction of a certified Northern Environmental Site Assessor in conformance with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) September 1992 *Site Assessments for Underground Storage Tanks Technical Guidance* and Chapter ILHR 10, Wisconsin Administrative Code.

Each sample is split into two representative portions: one for field screening, the other for laboratory analysis. Field screening consists of classifying the soil according to the United Soil Classification System, identifying obvious odors and staining, and photoionization detector (PID) headspace screening. PID headspace screening involves transferring the sample to a 16-ounce glass jar, sealing the container, desegregating the sample, and storing it in a relatively warm location for approximately one-half hour. The PID probe is then carefully inserted and the highest stable PID reading occurring within 10 to 20 seconds is recorded in instrument units as isobutylene.

The portion of the sample designated for laboratory analysis is placed in a 2-ounce laboratory prepared glass jar for dry weight analysis and 25 grams is placed in a 2-ounce glass jar for diesel range organics analysis or a 2-ounce methanol preserved jar for gasoline range organics.

All laboratory soil samples are immediately cooled to 4°C for potential laboratory analysis. All samples selected for laboratory analysis are transported under chain-of-custody to a WDNR-certified laboratory.

**ATTACHMENT J**  
**LABORATORY ANALYSIS REPORTS**  
**AND**  
**CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY FORMS**

JUN 16 1997

**Analytical Laboratory**

1090 Kennedy Ave. Kimberly, WI 54136  
414-735-8295

WI DNR Certified Lab #445027660

KAREN SCHUMACHER  
NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL  
954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
GREEN BAY WI 54304

Project #: USP320554  
Project : Bear Creek  
Sample ID: S1  
Lab Code: 5017184A  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	81.5			%		06-Jun-97	B. Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	< 10	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

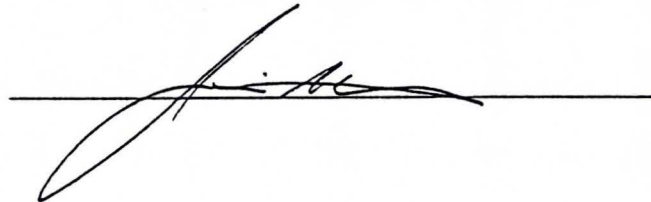
QC SUMMARY

CODE:

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All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

Authorized Signature



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 KAREN SCHUMACHER  
 NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL  
 954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
 GREEN BAY WI 54304

 Project #: USP320554  
 Project : Bear Creek  
 Sample ID: S2  
 Lab Code: 5017184B  
 Sample Type: Soil  
 Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	84.4			%		06-Jun-97	B.Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95 .	< 10	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

**QC SUMMARY**

CODE:

1

All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

Authorized Signature





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 KAREN SCHUMACHER  
 NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL  
 954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
 GREEN BAY WI 54304

 Project #: USP320554  
 Project : Bear Creek  
 Sample ID: S3  
 Lab Code: 5017184C  
 Sample Type: Soil  
 Sample Date: 03-Jun-97

Report Date: 11-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Date Ext/Dig/Pres	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	94.0			%		06-Jun-97	B. Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	25	0.58	1.8	MG/KG		10-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

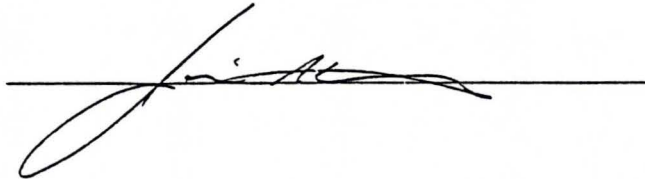
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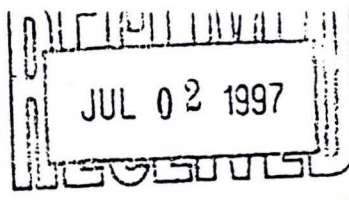
All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

Authorized Signature









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SIBYL LAPINSKI  
NORTHERN ENVIRONMENTAL  
954 CIRCLE DRIVE  
GREEN BAY WI 54304

Project #: VBC310556  
Project : Bear Creek, WI  
Sample ID: S103  
Lab Code: 5017359A  
Sample Type: Soil  
Sample Date: 13-Jun-97

Report Date: 20-Jun-97

Test	Result	LOD	LOQ	Unit	Dilution Factor	Date Analyzed:	Analyzed By:	QC Code
TOTAL SOLIDS	90.2			%		19-Jun-97	B. Rettler	1
MODIFIED GRO WDNR SEP 95	15	0.58	1.8	MG/KG	1	19-Jun-97	T. Williams	1

LOD = Limit of Detection

LOQ = Limit of Quantitation

QC SUMMARY

CODE:

1

All laboratory QC requirements were met for this sample.

Authorized Signature

Katherine A. Bearmstead



# CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD REQUEST FOR ANALYSIS

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
No: 8308



- 1214 W. Venture Ct.  
Mequon, WI 53092  
414-241-3133  
FAX 414-241-8222
- 372 West County Road D  
New Brighton, MN 55112  
612-635-9100  
FAX 612-635-0643
- 954 Circle Drive  
Green Bay, WI 54304  
414-592-8400  
FAX 414-592-8444
- 330 South 4th Avenue  
Park Falls, WI 54552  
715-762-1544  
FAX 715-762-1844
- 324 East Main Street  
Waupun, WI 53963  
414-324-8600  
FAX 414-324-3023
- 749 Lakewood Lane  
Marquette, MI 49855  
906-249-4300  
FAX 906-249-4311

Check office originating request

507359

Project No: <u>VBC 310556</u>		Task No:		Laboratory: <u>US Oil</u>		Sample Integrity - To be completed by receiving lab Seal intact upon receipt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <u>COJUM</u>						
Project Location: (city) <u>Bear Creek, WI</u>		Wisconsin DNR Certification #: <u>44502766D</u>		Method of Shipment		Contents Temperature <u>10</u> °C Refrigerator No: _____						
Project Manager: <u>Sibyl Lapinski</u>		Laboratory Contact: <u>Jim Stevens</u>		Price Quote:		<b>ANALYSES REQUESTED</b>						
Sampler: (name) <u>Jenny Boettcher</u>		<b>TURNAROUND TIME REQUIRED</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rush		Date Needed <u>ASAP</u>		DRO (WI Modified Method)	GRO (WI Modified Method)	BETX (EPA Method 8020)	PVOC (EPA Method 8020)	VOC (EPA Method 8021)	PAH (EPA Method )	Pb (EPA Method )
Sampler: (signature) <u>Jenny Boettcher</u>												
Sampling Date(s): <u>6/13/97</u>												
Reports to be Sent to: <u>Sibyl Lapinski</u>												

Lab ID No.	Sample No.	Collection		No. of Containers, Size & Type	Description			Preservative	DRO	GRO	BETX	PVOC	VOC	PAH	Pb
		Date	Time		Water	Soil	Other								
<u>B59A</u>	<u>S103</u>	<u>6/13</u>	<u>907</u>	<u>(2) 2oz (1) solids</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<u>methanol/ice</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
<del>W</del>	<del>S20</del>	<del>6/13</del>	<del>1040</del>	<del>(2) 2oz</del>	<del><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></del>	<del><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></del>		<del>methanol/ice</del>	<del><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></del>	<del><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></del>					
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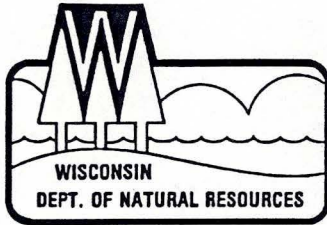
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Shipment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Relinquished By: <u>Jennifer Gerhart</u>	Date: <u>6/16/97</u>	Relinquished By: <u>DeStalman</u>	Date: <u>6/16/97</u>	Relinquished By: _____	Date: _____
Company: <u>Northern Env.</u>	Time: <u>7:40 AM</u>	Company: <u>U.S. Oil</u>	Time: <u>5:30</u>	Company: _____	Time: _____
Received By: <u>DeStalman</u>	Date: <u>6-16-97</u>	Received By: <u>CS</u>	Date: <u>6-16</u>	Received By: _____	Date: _____
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July 2, 1997

Village of Bear Creek  
Attn: Donald Pfalz  
PO Box 28  
Bear Creek, WI 54922

**SUBJECT:** Petroleum Contamination from Underground Storage Tank System  
Waugamie Feed Mill Coop (former), 101 WRollo Street, Vil Bear Creek  
WDNR LUST ID #03-45-151740

Dear Mr. Pfalz:

On June 26, 1997, the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) received notification from Karen Schumacher of Northern Environmental that petroleum contamination was discovered while performing a tank closure assessment at the above-referenced location.

Based on the information received by the DNR, we believe that the Village of Bear Creek is responsible for restoring the environment at this site under Section 292.11, Wisconsin Statutes (hazardous substances spills law). This responsibility includes first investigating the extent of the contamination, then selecting and implementing the most appropriate remedial action. Enclosed is information to help you understand what you need to do to ensure your compliance with the spills law.

The purpose of this letter is threefold: (1) to describe your legal responsibilities; (2) to explain what you need to do to investigate and clean up the contamination; and (3) to provide you with information about cleanups, environmental consultants, and working cooperatively with the DNR.

### Legal Responsibilities

Your legal responsibilities are defined both in statute and administrative code. The hazardous substances spill law, Section 292.11(3) Wisconsin Statutes, 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 Codes NR 700 through NR 728 establish requirements for emergency and interim actions, public information, site investigations, design and operation of remedial action systems, and case closure. Chapter NR 708 includes provisions for immediate actions in response to limited contamination. Wisconsin Administrative Code NR 140 establishes groundwater standards for contaminants that reach groundwater.

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### Steps to Take

The longer contamination is left in the environment, the farther it can spread and the more it may cost to clean up. Quick action may lessen damage to your property and to neighboring properties and reduce your costs in investigating and cleaning up the contamination. To ensure that your cleanup complies with Wisconsin's laws and administrative codes, you should hire a professional environmental consultant who understands what needs to be done. These are the first four steps to take:

1. **By August 10, 1997**, please submit written verification (such as a letter from the consultant) that you have hired an environmental consultant (we would like a contact name, mailing address and phone number). If you cannot meet this timeline, please send a request for an extension, in writing, to the name listed at the bottom of this page, indicating the reason why the timeline cannot be met and when you expect to be able to meet this requirement.
2. **By September 10, 1997**, your consultant must submit a workplan and a schedule for conducting the investigation. The consultant must follow the Department's administrative codes and our technical guidance documents. Please include with the workplan a copy of any previous information that has been completed for your site (such as an underground tank removal report or a preliminary soil excavation report).
3. Please keep us informed of what is being done at your site. You or your consultant must provide us with a brief report at least every 90 days starting after your workplan is submitted. These quarterly reports should summarize the work completed since the last report. Quarterly reports need only include one or two pages of text, plus any relevant maps and tables. Should conditions at your site warrant, you may receive a letter requiring more frequent contacts with the Department. You will also receive an annual site status report form in February.
4. When the site investigation is complete, your consultant must submit a full report on the extent and degree of soil and groundwater contamination and a proposal for cleaning up the contamination.

Due to the number of contaminated sites and our staffing levels, we will be unable to respond to each report. To maintain your compliance with the spills law and chapters NR 700 through NR 728, do not delay the investigation and cleanup by waiting for DNR responses. We have provided detailed technical guidance to environmental consultants. Your consultant is expected to be familiar with our technical procedures and administrative codes and should be able to answer your questions on meeting Wisconsin's cleanup requirements.

**Though a WDNR project manager has not been assigned to this case, your correspondence and reports regarding this site should be sent to the Department at the following address; due to agency reorganization, this could change again in a few months:**

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
Attn: Dino Tsoris (414-424-7887)  
Box 2565  
Oshkosh, WI 54903

If the contamination doesn't include groundwater contamination, the responsibility for governmental oversight of this site will be transferred to the Department of Commerce in accordance with Wisconsin Act 27.

Unless otherwise requested, please send only one duplexed copy of all plans and reports. Correspondence and reports should be identified with the assigned WDNR ID number and name of the site, which can be found on the first page of this letter.

Information for Site Owners

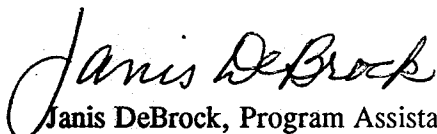
Enclosed is a list of environmental consultants and some important tips on selecting a consultant. If you are eligible for reimbursement of costs under Wisconsin's PECFA program (see last paragraph), you will need to compare at least three consultants' proposals before hiring a consultant. Consultants and laboratories working in the PECFA program are required to carry errors and omissions insurance to help protect you against unsuitable work. Also enclosed are materials on controlling costs, understanding the cleanup process, and choosing a site cleanup method. This information has been prepared to help you understand your responsibilities and what your environmental consultant needs to do. Please read this information carefully.

Financial Information

Reimbursement from the Petroleum Environmental Cleanup Fund (PECFA) is available for the costs of cleaning up contamination from eligible petroleum storage tanks. The fund is administered by the Department of Commerce (DCOM). Please contact DCOM at (608) 266-2424 for more information on eligibility and regulations for this program.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Janis DeBrock, Program Assistant  
(414-492-5878)

Enc:    Selecting An Environmental Consultant; Consultant List  
          Controlling UST Cleanup Costs Factsheets  
          Quarterly Updates for Cleanup of Contaminated Properties  
          Cleanup Process for Emergency & Remedial Response Program  
          Cleanup Methods for Petroleum Contaminated Soil & Groundwater

cc: Karen Schumacher, Northern Environmental, 954 Circle Drive, Green Bay, WI 54304

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources USP320554

6/26/97

Notification of Petroleum Contamination from Underground Storage Tank System

Please complete this form and FAX it to the appropriate DNR contact person listed on the back page of this form immediately upon discovery of a release from an UST system.

TO: DNR, Attn: Janis DeBrock  
FAX #: 414-492-5859

1. Name, company, mailing address and phone number of person reporting the discharge:

Karen Schumacher  
Northern Environmental  
954 Circle Dr.  
Green Bay WI 54304

63-45-151740

2. Site Information

Name of site at which discharge occurred (local name of site/business, not responsible party name - unless a residential):

Former Waugamie Feed Mill Co-op

Location (actual street address, not PO box; if no street address, describe as precisely as possible, i.e., 1/4 mile NW of CTHs 60 & 123 on E side of CTH 60):

101 West Rollo Street, Bear Creek WI 54922

Municipality (city, village, township in which the site is located - not mailing address):

Village of Bear Creek

County:

Outagamie

Legal Description: NW 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 30, Tn 24, Range 15 E W

3. Responsible Party (RP) and/or RP Representative Information

Company Name: Village of Bear Creek

Contact Person: Donald Pfaltz

Mailing Address (with zip code): P.O. Box 28, 109 Prospect St.  
Bear Creek WI 54922

Telephone Number:

715-752-4508

4. Identity, physical state and quantity of the hazardous substance discharged (check all that apply):

<input type="checkbox"/> Unleaded gasoline	<input type="checkbox"/> Fuel oil
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Leaded gasoline	<input type="checkbox"/> Waste oil
<input type="checkbox"/> Diesel	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____



**5. Impacts to the Environment (enter "K" for known or "P" for potential for all that apply):**

_____ Fire / explosion threat	_____ <u>K</u> _____ Soil contamination
_____ Contaminated private wells (# of wells _____)	_____ Surface water impacts
_____ Contaminated public wells	_____ Floating product
_____ Groundwater contamination	_____ Other _____

**6. Contamination was discovered as a result of:**

Tank closure assessment      \_\_\_\_\_ Site Assessment      \_\_\_\_\_ (Other) \_\_\_\_\_

On what date: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments:

FAX numbers to report LUST sites in DNR's six districts:

- Lake Michigan District: 414-492-5859 Attn: Janis DeBrock  
(Florence, Marinette, Oconto, Menominee, Shawano, Waupaca, Outagamie, Brown, Door, Kewaunee, Waushara, Winnebago, Calumet, and Manitowoc Counties)
- North Central District: 715-365-8932 Attn: Janet Kazda  
(Vilas, Oneida, Forest, Lincoln, Langlade, Marathon, Wood, Portage, Juneau, and Adams Counties)
- Northwest District: 715-635-4105 Attn: Susie Sutton  
(Douglas, Bayfield, Ashland, Iron, Burnett, Washburn, Sawyer, Price, Polk, Barron, Rusk, and Taylor Counties)
- Southern District: 608-275-3338 Attn: Marilyn Jahnke  
(Marquette, Green Lake, Richland, Sauk, Fond du Lac, Columbia, Dodge, Dane, Jefferson, Grant, Iowa, Lafayette, Green, and Rock Counties)
- Southeast District: 414-229-0810 Attn: Giselle Red  
(Sheboygan, Washington, Ozaukee, Waukesha, Milwaukee, Walworth, Racine, and Kenosha Counties)
- Western District: 715-839-6076 Attn: John Grump  
(St. Croix, Dunn, Chippewa, Pierce, Pepin, Eau Claire, Clark, Buffalo, Trempealeau, Jackson, LaCrosse, Monroe, Vernon, and Crawford Counties)

PROJECT MANAGER:

UID Number: <u>03-45-151740</u>		FID Number:		PMN Number:	
County: <u>Outagamie</u>		Initial Contact Date: <u>6/26/97</u>			
Site Name: <u>Waugamie Feed Mill Corp (former)</u>		Date RPLetter Sent: <u>7/2/97</u>			
Address: <u>101 W. Rollo Street</u>		Date Closure Approved: <u>    </u>			
Municipality: <u>Bear Creek Vil</u>		Person/Firm Reporting: <u>Northern Environmental</u>			
Legal Descript: <u>NW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 30 T 24 N R 15 (E/W)</u>		Phone Number: (     )			
Lat.: _____ Long.: _____					

<b>Priority Screening</b>	<b>Scoring Criteria</b>	<b>Funding Source</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>	<b>LUST Trust Eligible</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 = High	1. _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 = RP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 = Federal
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 = Medium	2. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 = LTF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 = Non-Federal
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 = Low	3. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 = EF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4 = Unknown	4. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 = Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	
	5. _____			
Score: _____ Init.: _____		Date: _____		

Case Status

	Start Date	End Date
<input type="checkbox"/> (F) Free Product Removal	____/____/____	____/____/____
<input type="checkbox"/> (E) RP Emergency Response	____/____/____	____/____/____
<input type="checkbox"/> (R) LTF Emergency Response	____/____/____	____/____/____
<input type="checkbox"/> (L) Long Term Monitoring	____/____/____	____/____/____

**Responsible Party**

Contact Person: Donald Pfalz

Company Name: Village of Bear Creek

Address: PO Box 28  
Bear Creek WI 54922

Phone Number: (715) 752-4508

CC's: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Impacts**

Enter "P" for potential and "K" for known

(1) Fire/Explosion Threat

(2) Contaminated Private Well(s) \_\_\_\_\_ # of Wells

(3) Contaminated Public Well

(4) Groundwater Contamination

(5) Soil Contamination

(6) Other: \_\_\_\_\_

(7) Surface Water Impacts

(9) Floating Product

**Consultant**

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Substances	# Tank(s)	Size
<input type="checkbox"/> (1) Leaded Gas	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (2) Unleaded Gas	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (3) Diesel	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (4) Fuel Oil	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (5) Unkwn Hydrocrbn	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (8) Other	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> (12) Waste Oil	_____	_____



