

Legal Description of the Property:
SEC. 31 T13N R3E SW1/4 FRAC, SW1/4 33.81A

Said lands lying and being in the Town of La Valle, County of Sauk and State of Wisconsin.

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

COUNTY OF SAUK)

Recording Area

Name and Return Address:
Rachel M. Greve
DNR – South Central Region
3911 Fish Hatchery Road
Fitchburg, WI 53711

I, Rachel M. Greve, being first duly sworn, state that:

1. I am a Hydrogeologist, employed by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (hereinafter "the Department") at its South Central Region office. 024-0859-00000
Parcel Identification Number (PIN)
2. I have personal knowledge of the facts herein set forth and believe the same to be true.
3. The Department has determined that petroleum contaminants discharged to the property (herein "the Property"), which is located at E2571A County Road G, in the Town of La Valle, County of Sauk, and which has the above legal description, have contaminated soil and possibly groundwater in the vicinity.
4. The Department believes that removal or treatment of the contaminated soil, and/or groundwater monitoring, are required on the Property under the authority of s. 292.11(3), Wisconsin Statutes.
5. On January 27, 1999, the Department sent a letter to the Property's owner, Lawrence Weise, advising him of the statutory requirement to restore the environment at that location. An inadequate response to that letter was received by the Department.
6. On November 7, 2005, after discovering that the Property owner at the time of notification of responsibility is now deceased, the Department issued a letter to Wayne and Jamie Weise, who inherited the property from Lawrence Weise and are the current Property owners. That letter advised them of their statutory responsibility to restore the environment at the Property. An inadequate response to that letter was received by the Department.
7. On April 14, 2009, the Department sent a letter, by certified mail, to Wayne and Jamie Weise, advising that the Department has made the decision to record a notice of contamination for the above-described property at the Sauk County Register of Deeds office.
8. Because the Department believes that petroleum contaminants currently found in the soil on the property with the above legal description will continue to discharge into the environment, subsequent purchasers of the property could be held responsible for investigation and clean-up costs under s. 292.11(3), Wisconsin Statutes.

Rachel M. Greve

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Remediation & Redevelopment Program Hydrogeologist
Department of Natural Resources
South Central Region

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 2010.

Steve Vandenberg
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin

My commission expires on: 11/2010