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Tecumseh Products Company LLC
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Subject: Review of PFAS Groundwater Sampling Plan-Approval
Tecumseh Products Co – New Holstein (Former)
BRRTS# 02-08-363333

Dear Mr. Smith:

On October 4th, 2019, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) received the *Per – and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) Groundwater Sampling Plan* for the former Tecumseh Products Company facility in New Holstein, WI. A site investigation work plan review fee of \$700 was submitted with this work plan. This work plan was submitted based on a July 11, 2019, DNR letter requiring PFAS investigation due to historic chromium plating operations at this site. The DNR letter requested additional evaluation of site operations and use of PFAS compounds and creation of a PFAS groundwater sampling plan.

Items proposed in this work plan include:

- A review of historical records to determine if areas of the facility other than those associated with plating activities require PFAS investigation.
- Perform groundwater sampling for PFAS at five of the existing groundwater monitoring wells.
 - Groundwater sample locations are MW-D, TEC-4, MW-E, NH-26 and NW-7.
 - Groundwater samples will be submitted to Eurofins TestAmerica for laboratory analysis of the Wisconsin 36 PFAS list using Modified Method 537.
- Sampling will be conducted with procedures to prevent sample contamination by PFAS compounds originating from sampling equipment or sampling personnel.
- Site investigation activities will be initiated within 60 days after DNR approval of work plan unless site conditions prevent on-site sample collection.
- Laboratory sample results for PFAS will be provided to the DNR within 10 business days of receipt per Wis. Adm. Code § NR 716.14(2). Please ensure the sample results shared with DNR are “level 4” detail for adequate review.
- A report summarizing the conclusions and recommendations from PFAS sampling and historical review will be submitted within 60 days of receipt of data.

The DNR has reviewed and approves this work plan. Tecumseh Products Company LLC should implement this work plan as proposed. Please contact me at (920) 424-7890 or kevin.mcknight@wisconsin.gov with any questions.

Sincerely,

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