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Subject: Monthly Progress Report for June 1992
Moss-American Site, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Roy F. Weston, Inc. (WESTON®) has prepared this monthly progress report on behalf of the Settling Defendant for the Moss-American Superfund site, Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation (KMCC). This monthly progress report has been prepared to document progress achieved by KMCC during June.

Progress During June 1992

The following summary of progress is presented for this reporting period:

- During this reporting period, WESTON and KMCC received several transmittals from U.S. EPA and WDNR containing review comments and/or responses to previous submittals. The Agency transmittals received during this period are summarized as follows:
 - 25 June 1992 - U.S. EPA granted approval of the Final Interim Predesign Work Plan dated 12/3/91, subject to certain specified changes.
 - 25 June 1992 - WDNR provided review comments on several Interim Predesign Work Plan issues, the Draft Interim Predesign QAPP/FSP, and also provided follow-up comments to an 11 June conference call regarding background sampling locations.
 - 2(12?) June 1992 - (Received 15 June 1992) U.S. EPA provided the Agency review team comments on the 28 April 1992 Draft Predesign Work Plan.
- WESTON and KMCC are in the process of preparing document revisions and responses to the Agency review comments summarized above.



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- Under Predesign Task 16, WESTON and our subcontractor, Bergmann USA, continued progress in finalizing a Draft Test Plan for conducting the soil washing technology treatability evaluation.

No further progress has been made on the implementation of predesign tasks, pending U.S. EPA and the County of Milwaukee resolution of site access issues.

Problems Encountered/Issues to be Resolved

U.S. EPA has indicated that progress has been made in obtaining near-term, limited and conditional access to County of Milwaukee properties of the Moss-American site. KMCC will await further written notification from U.S. EPA on this matter.

Activities Anticipated During July 1992

Further predesign activities that require access to County of Milwaukee properties have been post-poned, pending notification from U.S. EPA that access issues have been fully resolved.

We anticipate conducting the following predesign phase activities during July 1992. In the event that site access issues are resolved, certain additional work activities may be able to be scheduled in July.

- WESTON and KMCC will participate in a 21 July 1991 meeting with U.S. EPA and WDNR to obtain clarifications and resolutions of technical issues associated with Agency review of the Work Plan, Field Sampling Plan, and Quality Assurance Project Plan.
- Assuming site access is imminent, WESTON and KMCC will again begin prequalifying, soliciting bids, and preparing contracts with subcontractors and vendors to assist in implementing the predesign tasks.
- WESTON and KMCC will transmit the Soil Washing Treatability Test Plan for U.S. EPA and WDNR review.
- WESTON and KMCC will prepare responses to U.S. EPA and WDNR review comments on the 28 April 1992 Draft Predesign Work Plan. This transmittal will include a revised schedule of predesign activities.



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- Following procurement of the analytical laboratory(ies), WESTON and KMCC will prepare an amendment to the Draft Predesign Phase QAPP, previously transmitted to U.S. EPA on 28 May 1992. This QAPP amendment will provide laboratory-specific quality assurance information for U.S. EPA and WDNR review.
- Additionally, WESTON and KMCC anticipate receiving U.S. EPA and WDNR review comments on the Bioslurry Treatability Test Plan submitted to the Agency on 29 May 1992.

Should further clarification of this progress report be required, please contact the undersigned at (708) 918-4000.

Very truly yours,

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