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-sent by email-

Mr. Jeff Miesen Mound City Bank 25 E. Pine St. Platteville, WI 53818

SUBJECT: Approval of SCS's March 9, 2023, DERF Change Order

Former Highway Cleaners - Boscobel, Wisconsin

DNR BRRTS #02-22-543001

Dear Mr. Miesen:

Your variance request for the above-named site is approved. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) received your request for variance of Wis. Admin. Code ch. NR 169, known as the Dry Cleaner Environmental Response Program (DERP) on March 9, 2023.

This variance allows for additional operation of the soil vapor extraction system, one additional round of groundwater monitoring, reporting, and preparation of a case closure request. Costs for monitoring well abandonment is not covered by this request. The approved costs include \$28,138 for consulting and \$3,784 for subcontractors, for a total of \$31,922. The \$5,422 in ineligible costs included within the cost estimate are not part of this approval.

Please note that this variance in itself does not guarantee the reimbursement of costs by DERP. All incurred costs are subject to the eligibility requirements listed under § NR 169.13 (2), Eligible Costs, and will be reviewed for compliance. All other requirements for investigation and remediation of the release as well as DERP requirements also apply. Reimbursement is contingent upon availability of funding and a final determination regarding the eligibility of costs at the time of claim review. This variance approval will be filed and reviewed with any future DERP reimbursement requests.

If you have questions, please contact me.

Sincerely.

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