



September 9, 2020

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Mr. Cal Lemmenes
Care'n Cleaners, LLC
735 W. Main St
Waupun WI 53963

Subject: Workplan and Cost Estimate – Additional Groundwater Monitoring (dated July 23, 2020)
Care'n Cleaners – 735 West Main Street, Waupun, WI
DNR BRRTS Activity # 02-14-552053

Dear Mr. Lemmenes:

Your variance request for the above-named site is approved. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) received your request for a variance to the bidding requirements of Wis. Admin. Code Ch. NR 169, known as the Dry Cleaner Environmental Response Program (DERP) on August 7, 2020.

This variance allows for two rounds of additional groundwater monitoring and reporting. The approved costs include \$6,031 in consulting and \$1,320 in lab costs, for a total of \$7,901. The total approved costs for the life of the project were not included in the request and are not calculated.

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.

Please contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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