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**RE: Notice of Intrusive Activities – Underground Electrical Service Installation
Patchogue Former Manufactured Gas Plant Site
Village of Patchogue, Suffolk County, New York
Site No. 1-52-182**

Dear Mr. Deyette:

This letter provides notification to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) of an upcoming intrusive activity at the Patchogue Former Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) site (herein referred to as the "Site"). Specifically, the intrusive activity is taking place on the adjacent, off-site property located at 212 West Main Street and is associated with the installation of a subsurface electrical service. The service is being installed by Public Service Electric and Gas (PSE&G) and consists of a power drop from an overhead electrical service to connect to a pad-mounted transformer located along the southern wall of the single structure located on this property. This service is being installed to replace the existing service which is located within the limits of remediation on the off-site property. Please refer to the attached figure for the alignment of the proposed subsurface electrical utility. The proposed trench location will be outside the limits of remediation, and impacted materials are not anticipated to be encountered.

To support this phase of work, National Grid has retained Waste Recycling Services (WRS) who will provide 40-hour trained personnel to handle and manage the soils. WRS will be removing the asphalt cover system surfacing the area and excavating a single trench measuring approximately 160 linear feet, approximately 1-foot wide and 30 to 36 inches deep. The volume of soil to be disturbed will be approximately 18 cubic yards (cy). After the trench is excavated, PSE&G will install the electrical conduit.

Brown and Caldwell Associates (BC), on behalf of National Grid's Site Investigation and Remediation Group, will provide environmental oversight of the proposed work. The intrusive activities will be conducted in accordance with the Health and Safety Plan (HASP) for the Site. BC will implement a Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP) that meets the requirements of the New York State Department of Health's (NYSDOH's) Generic CAMP. All work will be completed in accordance with the provisions of the Interim Site Management Plan (ISMP) established for the Site.

BC will monitor the soils being removed from the excavation. The soils will be temporarily stockpiled adjacent to the utility trench for visual observation and field screening. Soils determined

to meet the definition of materials (i.e., source materials) that would be required to be addressed during the implementation of the future site-wide remedy would be segregated for characterization and off-site disposal at a properly licensed and permitted facility. Segregated soils would be stockpiled on and covered with plastic sheeting pending off-site disposal. Soils which do not meet the definition of those requiring remediation would be returned to the subsurface and utilized as backfill. The asphalt cover system would be restored after completion of the work.

Reporting


A brief letter report will be provided once the field activities have been completed.

Schedule

The underground electrical service installation is scheduled to begin on Monday, June 13, 2016 and be completed in approximately 2 weeks.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (516) 545-2568.

Sincerely,


Sarah Aldridge *for*
Project Manager, Site Investigation and Remediation

Enclosure

cc: J. Nealon (NYSDOH)

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