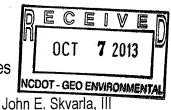


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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
7012 1640 0000 9787 5669

incident: WA-27385

Oscar and Carol Holloman 115 Bells Street Greenville, NC 27858

RE:

State-Lead Acceptance A.B. Whitley Property 1401 W. 14th Avenue

Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina

Incident Number 38430

Dear Holloman:

The Washington Regional Office (WaRO) has referred the subject release incident to the State Underground Storage Tank (UST) Trust Fund Branch, State-Lead Program for inclusion on the list of releases awaiting state-lead cleanup. In March 6, 2013, soil and groundwater contamination was detected as a result of a Limited Site Assessment. To date, the required assessment and cleanup of the release have not been completed due to the dissolution of the company that formerly owned the UST system, recalcitrance of the former UST system owner, or death of the former UST system owner. Due to the potential presence of groundwater users within 1500 feet of the release and based on the confirmation of contamination remaining at the release location, the subject release incident is being accepted by the State-Lead program for inclusion on the list of releases awaiting further assessment and cleanup and/or UST removal pursuant to G.S. 143-215.94G.

At this time, the risk of this release is "Undetermined". An assessment and, if necessary, a cleanup, will be conducted as soon as funds are available to determine and alleviate impacts to the environment and human health. The State-Lead Program contractor must access the property in order to conduct assessment and cleanup activities, which may include the installation and sampling of monitoring wells, cleanup activities, and/or removal or the UST(s). Pursuant to G.S. 143-215.94A, based on the information currently available in our files you will **not** be responsible for this work.

The UST Section would appreciate your approval for access to your property to conduct necessary assessment and cleanup activities. Please note that pursuant to 15A NCAC .0106(b), failure to allow the UST Section and/or their contractor to access your property to conduct the necessary assessment and cleanup activities may result in a determination that you are controlling an activity which results in the discharge of waste, and you may potentially be held responsible for assessment and cleanup of the contamination.

Please review and sign the access agreement that is included and return to me in enclosed pre-addressed envelope. You will be notified before assessment and/or cleanup activities begin.

Should there be any questions concerning this action, please contact Hassan Osman at (919) 707-8167 or via e-mail at hassan.osman@ncdenr.gov.

Sincerely

Z. Vance Jackson, Jr., PG, CPN

Trust Fund Branch Head

CC: Mr. D. Scott Elliot; Pitt County Manager, 1717 W. 5th Street, Greenville, NC 27834

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