New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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Site Name: GEM Cleaners
Site No. 130082 **Tax Map No.** 38-153-49
Site Location: 84 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, NY 11570

May 14, 2014

Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Classification Notice

The Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Program (the State Superfund Program) is the State's program for identifying, investigating, and cleaning up sites where the disposal of hazardous waste may present a threat to public health and/or the environment. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) maintains a list of these sites in the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites (the "Registry"). The site identified above, and located on a map on the reverse side of this page, was recently added to the Registry as a Class 2 site that presents a significant threat to public health and/or the environment for the following reason(s):

Based on sampling data, which detected volatile organic compounds in on-site groundwater, soil vapor intrusion is a potential public health exposure concern. The site requires additional characterization to determine the nature and extent of contamination and the potential for human exposure to the contaminated media.

This contamination indicates that a consequential amount of hazardous waste has been disposed and that it presents a significant threat to human health and/or the environment. The primary factors used in making this decision were the duration and persistence of contaminants in groundwater on-site and the proximity of the site to residences.
DEC will keep you informed throughout the investigation and cleanup of the site.

If you own property adjacent to this site and are renting or leasing your property to someone else, please share this information with them. If you no longer wish to be on the contact list for this site or otherwise need to correct our records, please contact DEC's Project Manager listed below.

FOR MORE SITE INFORMATION

Additional information about this site can be found using DEC's "Environmental Site Remediation Database Search" engine which is located on the internet at: www.dec.ny.gov/cfmx/extapps/derexternal/index.cfm?pageid=3

Comments and questions are always welcome and should be directed as follows:

Project Related Questions
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Site Related Health Questions
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DEC is sending you this notice in accordance with Environmental Conservation Law Article 27, Title 13 and its companion regulation (6 NYCRR 375-2.7(b)(6)(ii)) which requires the DEC to notify all parties on the contact list for this site of this recent action.

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Receive Site Updates by Email

Have site information such as this public notice sent right to your email inbox. DEC invites you to sign up with one or more contaminated sites county email listservs available at the following web page: www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/61092.html . It's *quick*, it's *free*, and it will help keep you *better informed*.

As a listserv member, you will periodically receive site-related information/announcements for all contaminated sites in the county(ies) you select.

You may continue also to receive paper copies of site information for a time after you sign up with a county listserv, until the transition to electronic distribution is complete.

Note: Please disregard if you received this notice by way of a county email listserv.