DECISION DOCUMENT

Kristal Auto Mall Brownfield Cleanup Program BROOKLYN, Kings County Site No. C224140 August 2018



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DECLARATION STATEMENT - DECISION DOCUMENT

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Statement of Purpose and Basis

This document presents the remedy for the Kristal Auto Mall site, a brownfield cleanup site. The remedial program was chosen in accordance with the New York State Environmental Conservation Law and Title 6 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York (6 NYCRR) Part 375.

This decision is based on the Administrative Record of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the Department) for the Kristal Auto Mall site and the public's input to the proposed remedy presented by the Department.

Description of Selected Remedy

The elements of the selected remedy are as follows:

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A Site Management Plan is required, which includes the following:

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This plan includes, but may not be limited to:

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- the steps necessary for the periodic reviews and certification of the institutional and/or engineering controls.
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Declaration

The remedy conforms with promulgated standards and criteria that are directly applicable, or that are relevant and appropriate and takes into consideration Department guidance, as appropriate.

AdWBL August 15, 2018

Gerard Burke, Director Date Remedial Bureau B

The remedy is protective of public health and the environment.

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SECTION 1: SUMMARY AND PURPOSE

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the Department), in consultation with the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH), has selected a remedy for the above referenced site. The disposal of contaminants at the site has resulted in threats to public health and the environment that would be addressed by the remedy. The disposal or release of contaminants at this site, as more fully described in this document, has contaminated various environmental media. Contaminants include hazardous waste and/or petroleum.

The New York State Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) is a voluntary program. The goal of the BCP is to enhance private-sector cleanups of brownfields and to reduce development pressure on "greenfields." A brownfield site is real property, the redevelopment or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a contaminant.

The Department has issued this document in accordance with the requirements of New York State Environmental Conservation Law and 6 NYCRR Part 375. This document is a summary of the information that can be found in the site-related reports and documents.

SECTION 2: CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

The Department seeks input from the community on all remedies. A public comment period was held, during which the public was encouraged to submit comment on the proposed remedy. All comments on the remedy received during the comment period were considered by the Department in selecting a remedy for the site. Site-related reports and documents were made available for review by the public at the following document repositories:

Brooklyn Public Library Paerdegat Branch 850 East 59th Street Brooklyn, NY 11234 (718) 566-0054

Brooklyn Community Board 18 1097 Bergen Ave Brooklyn, NY 11234 (718) 241-0422

Receive Site Citizen Participation Information By Email

Please note that the Department's Division of Environmental Remediation (DER) is "going paperless" relative to citizen participation information. The ultimate goal is to distribute citizen participation information about contaminated sites electronically by way of county email listservs. Information will be distributed for all sites that are being investigated and cleaned up in a particular county under the State Superfund Program, Environmental Restoration Program, Brownfield Cleanup Program, Voluntary Cleanup Program, and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Program. We encourage the public to sign up for one or more county listservs at http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/61092.html

SECTION 3: SITE DESCRIPTION AND HISTORY

Location: The property is located at 5200 Kings Highway in the East Flatbush section of Brooklyn, Kings County. The site is 2.28 acres in size.

Site Features: A single slab-on-grade building is present on the site, which includes both one-story and one-and-a-half-story sections. The on-site building is currently vacant. The proposed redevelopment entails the demolition of the existing building and the structures and the construction of a retail redevelopment occupying the majority of the site. The remainder of the property (approximately 15,000 square feet) along Utica Avenue will consist of paved entrance/exit areas. The site is bordered to the south by the Premier Ford auto dealership, to the north by the Favorite Plastics Corporation, and to the northeast at 5226 Kings Highway by the Kristal Auto Mall Used Cars.

Current Zoning and Land Use: The site is currently zoned for commercial use. The site is located in an area that is industrial to the northeast, north, northwest, west and southwest. Farther to the west and north of the site is continued industrial and commercial land use. To the east and southeast is a residential community consisting of attached one and two family homes. The nearest school is approximately one-quarter mile southeast of the site.

Past Use of the Site: The site is active and has been in use since the original construction in 1959. From 1959 to 1968, the site was occupied by a bowling alley. In 1968, new occupants expanded the existing building began operation of a retail automobile dealership including sales and auto service. The site continues to be operated as an auto dealership.

Site Geology and Hydrogeology: Review of the United States Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute series topographic quadrangle map of Brooklyn, New York reveals that the elevation of the site is approximately 14 feet above mean sea level. The topography of the site is essentially flat with only a slight grade toward the southeast. Groundwater at the Site is approximately 10 feet below grade and groundwater flow is to the southeast as per remedial investigation data.

A site location map is attached as Figure 1.

SECTION 4: LAND USE AND PHYSICAL SETTING

The Department may consider the current, intended, and reasonably anticipated future land use of the site and its surroundings when evaluating a remedy for soil remediation. For this site, an alternative which allows for unrestricted use of the site was evaluated.

A comparison of the results of the Remedial Investigation (RI) against unrestricted use standards, criteria and guidance values (SCGs) for the site contaminants is available in the RI Report.

SECTION 5: ENFORCEMENT STATUS

One or more of the Applicants under the Brownfield Cleanup Agreement is a Participant. The Participant(s) has/have an obligation to address on-site and off-site contamination. Accordingly, no enforcement actions are necessary.

SECTION 6: SITE CONTAMINATION

6.1: Summary of the Remedial Investigation

A remedial investigation (RI) serves as the mechanism for collecting data to:

- characterize site conditions;
- determine the nature of the contamination; and
- assess risk to human health and the environment.

The RI is intended to identify the nature (or type) of contamination which may be present at a site and the extent of that contamination in the environment on the site, or leaving the site. The RI reports on data gathered to determine if the soil, groundwater, soil vapor, indoor air, surface water or sediments may have been contaminated. Monitoring wells are installed to assess groundwater and soil borings or test pits are installed to sample soil and/or waste(s) identified. If other natural resources are present, such as surface water bodies or wetlands, the water and sediment may be sampled as well. Based on the presence of contaminants in soil and groundwater, soil vapor will also be sampled for the presence of contamination. Data collected in the RI influence the development of remedial alternatives. The RI report is available for review in the site document repository and the results are summarized in section 6.3.

The analytical data collected on this site includes data for:

- air
- groundwater
- soil
- soil vapor
- indoor air
- sub-slab vapor

6.1.1: Standards, Criteria, and Guidance (SCGs)

The remedy must conform to promulgated standards and criteria that are directly applicable or that are relevant and appropriate. The selection of a remedy must also take into consideration guidance, as appropriate. Standards, Criteria and Guidance are hereafter called SCGs.

To determine whether the contaminants identified in various media are present at levels of concern, the data from the RI were compared to media-specific SCGs. The Department has developed SCGs for groundwater, surface water, sediments, and soil. The NYSDOH has developed SCGs for drinking water and soil vapor intrusion. For a full listing of all SCGs see: http://www.dec.ny.gov/regulations/61794.html

6.1.2: RI Results

The data have identified contaminants of concern. A "contaminant of concern" is a contaminant that is sufficiently present in frequency and concentration in the environment to require evaluation for remedial action. Not all contaminants identified on the property are contaminants of concern. The nature and extent of contamination and environmental media requiring action are summarized below. Additionally, the RI Report contains a full discussion of the data. The contaminant(s) of concern identified at this site is/are:

benzene cis-1,2-dichloroethene ethylbenzene methyl-tert-butyl ether (MTBE) toluene tetrachloroethene (PCE) xylene (mixed) trichloroethene (TCE)

The contaminant(s) of concern exceed the applicable SCGs for:

- groundwater
- soil
- soil vapor intrusion
- indoor air

6.2: Interim Remedial Measures

An interim remedial measure (IRM) is conducted at a site when a source of contamination or exposure pathway can be effectively addressed before issuance of the Decision Document.

The following IRM has been completed at this site based on conditions observed during the RI.

IRM - LNAPL Recovery

Use of manual bailing of the free-phase product on a bi-weekly basis from all accessible wells onsite that exhibited free-phase product. This effort has been ongoing since April 2017 and will continue to be performed until just before demolition activities are set to begin for the new development or when measurable free-phase product is no longer encountered in any of the wells on-site, whichever comes first.

6.3: Summary of Environmental Assessment

This section summarizes the assessment of existing and potential future environmental impacts presented by the site. Environmental impacts may include existing and potential future exposure pathways to fish and wildlife receptors, wetlands, groundwater resources, and surface water. The RI report presents a detailed discussion of any existing and potential impacts from the site to fish and wildlife receptors.

Nature and Extent of Contamination:

Soil and groundwater were analyzed for volatile organic compounds (VOCs), semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), metals, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), and pesticides. Based upon investigations conducted to date, the primary contaminants of concern include the petroleum VOCs benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and xylene (BTEX), MTBE and chlorinated VOCs tetrachloroethene (PCE), trichloroethene (TCE) and dichloroethene (DCE). During the remedial investigation, free phase petroleum was discovered in the northern portion of the property.

Soil - Benzene is found at a concentration up to 1.2 parts per million (ppm) which exceeds the unrestricted use soil cleanup objective (UUSCO) of 0.06 ppm, toluene is found at a concentration up to 340 ppm (UUSCO is 0.7 ppm), ethylbenzene is found at a concentration up to 12 ppm (UUSCO is 1 ppm), MTBE is found at a concentration up to 2 ppm (UUSCO is 0.93 ppm), xylene is found at a concentration up to 51 ppm (UUSCO is 0.26 ppm), TCE is found at a concentration up to 0.76 ppm (UUSCO is 0.47 ppm), PCE is found at a concentration up to 6.1 ppm (UUSCO is 1.3 ppm) and DCE is found at a concentration up to 12 ppm (UUSCO is 0.25 ppm). Data does not indicate any off-site impacts in soil related to this site.

Groundwater - Benzene is found at a concentration up to 5.2 parts per billion (ppb) which exceeds the NYSDEC groundwater standard of 1 ppb, MTBE is found at a concentration up to 100 ppb (groundwater standard is 10 ppb), DCE is found at a concentration up to 350 ppb (groundwater standard is 5 ppb). Data does not indicate any off-site impacts in groundwater related to this site.

Sub-slab, Soil Vapor and Indoor Air - In sub-slab soil vapor, TCE is found at a concentration up to 21 micrograms per cubic meter (ug/m3), PCE is found at a concentration up to 1,100 ug/m3. In indoor air, TCE is found at a concentration up to 1.2 ug/m3 and PCE is found at a concentration up to 2.1 ug/m3, both are below their respective NYSDOH air guideline for TCE and PCE of 2 and 30 ug/m3. No access was granted to evaluate offsite vapor intrusion conditions at the neighboring property to the north.

6.4: Summary of Human Exposure Pathways

This human exposure assessment identifies ways in which people may be exposed to site-related contaminants. Chemicals can enter the body through three major pathways (breathing, touching or swallowing). This is referred to as *exposure*.

People may contact contaminated soil or groundwater if they dig below the existing pavement or buildings. People are not drinking the contaminated groundwater because the area is served by a public water supply that is not affected by this contamination. Volatile organic compounds in soil vapor (air spaces within the soil) may move into overlying buildings and affect the indoor air quality. This process, which is similar to the movement of radon gas from the subsurface into the indoor air of buildings, is referred to as soil vapor intrusion. The potential exists for the inhalation of site contaminants due to soil vapor intrusion on-site and monitoring has been recommended. Environmental sampling suggests that soil vapor intrusion is not a concern for off-site structures.

6.5: Summary of the Remediation Objectives

The objectives for the remedial program have been established through the remedy selection process stated in 6 NYCRR Part 375. The goal for the remedial program is to restore the site to pre-disposal conditions to the extent feasible. At a minimum, the remedy shall eliminate or mitigate all significant threats to public health and the environment presented by the contamination identified at the site through the proper application of scientific and engineering principles.

The remedial action objectives for this site are:

Groundwater

RAOs for Public Health Protection

- Prevent ingestion of groundwater with contaminant levels exceeding drinking water standards.
- Prevent contact with, or inhalation of volatiles, from contaminated groundwater.

RAOs for Environmental Protection

- Restore ground water aquifer to pre-disposal/pre-release conditions, to the extent practicable.
- Remove the source of ground or surface water contamination.

Soil

RAOs for Public Health Protection

- Prevent ingestion/direct contact with contaminated soil.
- Prevent inhalation of or exposure from contaminants volatilizing from contaminants in soil.

RAOs for Environmental Protection

• Prevent migration of contaminants that would result in groundwater or surface water contamination.

Soil Vapor

RAOs for Public Health Protection

• Mitigate impacts to public health resulting from existing, or the potential for, soil vapor intrusion into buildings at a site.

SECTION 7: ELEMENTS OF THE SELECTED REMEDY

The alternatives developed for the site and the evaluation of the remedial criteria are presented in the Alternative Analysis. The remedy is selected pursuant to the remedy selection criteria set forth in DER-10, Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation and 6 NYCRR Part 375.

The selected remedy is a Track 1: Unrestricted use remedy.

The selected remedy is referred to as the Excavation and Groundwater Treatment remedy.

The elements of the selected remedy, as shown in Figure 2, are as follows:

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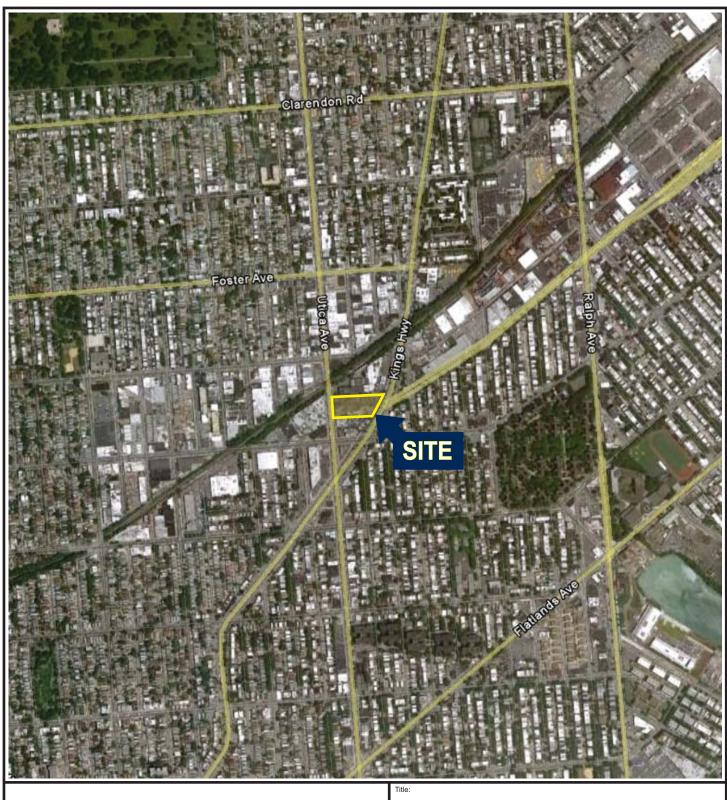
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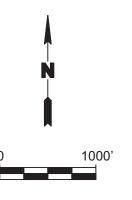
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SITE LOCATION MAP

KRISTAL AUTO MALL 5200 KINGS HIGHWAY BROOKLYN , NEW YORK 11234

Figure: 1

SOURCE: GOOGLE EARTH IMAGERY DATE: 6/17/2010

