Monthly Progress Report No. 75

473 President Street and President Street Portfolio
Brooklyn, New York
Brownfield Cleanup Program Site Nos.: C224220 and C224309
Reporting Period: May 2022

1. Introduction

In accordance with the reporting requirements of the 20 August 2015 (amended 24 July and 4 November 2019) Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA) for the 473 President Street site, and the 21 July 2020 BCA for the President Street Portfolio site, Langan Engineering, Environmental, Surveying, Landscape Architecture and Geology, D.P.C. (Langan) prepared this monthly progress report, on behalf of 473 President LLC (the Volunteer), to summarize the work performed at 473 President Street and President Street Portfolio (469 President Street, and 532 Union Street) in Brooklyn, New York (the development site) in May 2022. This monthly report was prepared for two Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) sites because both sites comprise a single tax lot being redeveloped into a new building.

The approximately 50,845-square-foot (about 1.17 acres) development site is located in the Gowanus neighborhood of Brooklyn and is identified as Brooklyn Borough Tax Map, Block 440, Lot 1. Block 440 is bound by Union Street to the north, 3rd Avenue to the east, President Street to the south, and Nevins Street to the west. The Gowanus Canal is located about 350 feet to the west of the site. The site is currently vacant. A site location map is provided as Figure 1.

2. Investigation or Remedial Actions Relative to the Site during this Reporting Period

Langan continued revising the Remedial Design Technical Memorandum to address comments received from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH).

Kingdom completed installation of foundation elements as part of the 421-a Affordable Housing New York Program. Work was performed in accordance with the NYSDEC-approved Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP). Excavated material was backfilled around a pile cap with previously excavated fill (originating from the same excavation). Excavated fill did not exhibit visual, olfactory, and photoionization detector (PID) evidence of contamination. Langan conducted Community Air Monitoring Program (CAMP) for volatile organic compounds (VOC) and particulate matter smaller than 10 microns in diameter (PM10) at the upwind and downwind perimeters of the work area during ground-intrusive activities. VOC and PM10 concentrations did not exceed the action levels during the monitoring period.

3. Actions Relative to the Site Anticipated for the Next Reporting Period

Langan will submit the revised Remedial Design Technical Memorandum to NYSDEC and NYSDOH.

4. Approved Activity Modifications (changes of work scope and/or schedule)

None

5. Results of Sampling, Testing and Other Relevant Data

None

6. Deliverables Submitted During This Reporting Period

Langan submitted a monitoring well survey to NYSDEC on 23 May 2022, per the 30 March 2022 request letter from NYSDEC.

7. Information Regarding Percentage of Completion

This BCP project is less than 40% complete.

8. Unresolved Delays Encountered or Anticipated That May Affect the Schedule and Mitigation Efforts

None

9. Citizen Participation (CP) Plan Activities during This Reporting Period

None

10. Activities Anticipated in Support of the CP Plan for the Next Reporting Period

None

11. Miscellaneous Information

None



