Monthly Progress Report No. 005

Kasser Scrap Metal and Rector Cleaners Site
111 Washington Street
New York, New York
Brownfield Cleanup Program Site #: C231153
Reporting Period: July 2023

1. Introduction

In accordance with the reporting requirements of the Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA) for the above-referenced site, Langan Engineering, Environmental, Surveying, Landscape Architecture and Geology, D.P.C. (Langan) has prepared this monthly progress report to summarize the work performed at the Kasser Scrap Metal and Rector Cleaners Site (site) from July 1 – July 31, 2023.

The site is located at 111 Washington Street in the Financial District of New York, New York and is identified as Block 53, Lot 12 on the Manhattan Borough Tax Map. The site is about 11,255 square feet and is currently a vacant lot.

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

The Volunteer continued implementing the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC)-approved Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP). Activities during this reporting period included:

- Excavating, regrading, and probing for remnant foundation elements associated with former site structures
- Exporting excavated soil/fill as summarized below:
 - o 13 loads of soil/fill were exported to the Clean Earth of Carteret facility located in Carteret, New Jersey.
 - o 32 loads of soil/fill were exported to the Bayshore Soil Management facility located in Keasbey, New Jersey.
 - o 2 loads of concrete from within the former underground storage tank (UST) were exported to the Dale Transfer Corp. facility located in West Babylon, New York.

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

RAWP implementation will continue during the next reporting period.

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

Daily reports summarizing site activities, remedial work, Community Air Monitoring Program (CAMP) results, notable site conditions, and anticipated site activities were submitted to the NYSDEC.

7. Information Regarding Percentage of Completion

The implementation of the RAWP is about 25% complete.

The BCP project is approximately 50% 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

The NYSDEC project manager Marnie Chancey and Heidi Dudek visited the site on July 6, 2023 to discuss the implementation of the NYSDEC-approved RAWP with Council Member Christopher Marte from Manhattan Community Board 1. Ms. Chancey also visited the site on July 19, 2023.