

**MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT 26 – November 2020**

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**RE:** **Progress Report (Pursuant to Section VIII, Para. 37 of CERCLA Docket No. V-W-18 C-012 McLouth Steel Facility Trenton, MI)**

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**1. ACTIONS PERFORMED**

- Area 3 – Demolition of Gas Metering Station Building – 100%
- Area 4A – SMRB (South Motor Room Basement) – Maintaining liquid levels
- Area 4A – SMRB (South Motor Room Basement) - Removal of transformers – 100%
- Area 4A – SMR (South Motor Room Floor) – Breaking concrete floor - 70%
- Area 4A – SMRB (South Motor Room Basement) – Backfilling to grade – 15%
- Loading out of steel for disposal
- Equipment Maintenance

**2. ANALYTICAL DATA RECEIVED**

- Air Monitoring –
  - One workday per work week perimeter dust monitoring was performed on November 3, 11, 19, and 25, 2020
    - Additional information and specific details will be provided in a separate report on January 1, 2020
  - Real-Time Dust Monitoring was conducted November 1 – November 30, 2020 (Mon. – Fri.)
  - One workday per work week Manganese (Mn) Sampling was conducted on November 3, 11, 19, and 25, 2020
    - Additional information and specific details will be provided in a separate report on January 1, 2020
- Waste Characterization Analyses
  - No waste characterization to report

**3. SCHEDULE FOR COMING MONTH**

- Area 3 – Break concrete base of exhaust stack
- Area 4A – SMR (South Motor Room Floor) – Complete breaking concrete floor
- Area 4A – SMRB (South Motor Room Basement) – Backfilling to grade
- Torch cutting of iron for load out
- Loading out of steel for disposal
- Equipment Maintenance

**4. ANTICIPATED PROBLEMS**

- None at this time

**5. PLANNED RESOLUTION TO EXISTING/ANTICIPATED PROBLEMS**

- Developing engineering controls to mitigate smoke
- Response to RULE 278 exemption requested by EGLE-AQD submitted on 11/9/2020

**6. OBSERVATIONS**

- No observations at this time

**7. DEVIATION FROM WORK PLAN**

- Wayne County Phase I completion date extension granted establishing a completion deadline of Dec. 31, 2020

Please let me know if you have any questions related to this report.

Thank you,

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