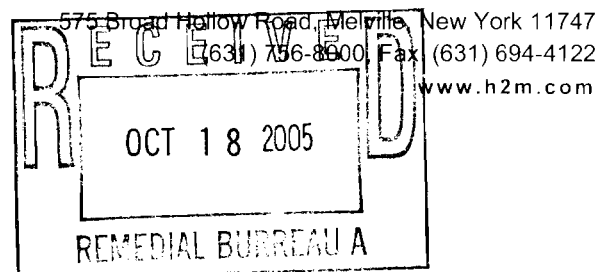


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October 10, 2005

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Re: Town of Oyster Bay
Interim Remedial Measure at Bethpage Community Park
Interim Status Report – October, 2005
H2M Project No. TOBY 04-02

Dear Mr. Scharf:

On behalf of the Town of Oyster Bay, Holzmacher, McLendon & Murrell, P.C. (H2M) is pleased to provide herein a status report on the Interim Remedial Measure for the Bethpage Community Park pursuant to Section III of the Order on Consent.

Tasks Initiated or Completed

Subsequent to the previously submitted status report, the following activity has been completed:

- All data has been validated,
- Results have been compared to guidelines and standards,
- The nature and extent of contamination, to the extent reflected by the available data, has been determined,
- A draft exposure assessment activity has been completed,
- The remedial action plan is near completion and is being finalized for submittal to NYSDEC.
- Supplemental investigation activities have been implemented as follows:

As indicated in a September 18, 2005 letter to your office, and on behalf of the Town of Oyster Bay, H2M implemented certain supplemental investigation activities in support of the IRM effort. At the time of the initial field investigation, there were a few deviations to the scope of work primarily due to limitations related to drilling through the ice rink. The focus of the supplemental investigation is the existing ice rink area as well as a few other areas that were identified as warranting further investigation. Field activities associated with the supplemental investigation have been completed. As of the date of this letter, we are awaiting laboratory analytical results, which will be included in a supplemental report, currently scheduled for submittal to NYSDEC in November 2005.

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Tasks to be Completed During the Next Reporting Period

Tasks expected to be initiated or completed during the next reporting period include the following:

- Submittal of an Interim Remedial Measure Investigation Report and Remedial Action Plan to NYSDEC for review.
- Laboratory analysis of samples collected during supplemental investigation activity.
- Submittal of supplemental investigation laboratory reports to a data validator.
- Documentation of field activities associated with the supplemental investigation.

Schedule

Schedule milestones related to the next reporting period are as follows:

- Remedial Action Plan, including a summary of site investigation activity and results, is anticipated to be submitted to NYSDEC by October 28, 2005.

If you should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (631) 756-8000 extension 1623.

Very truly yours,

HOLZMACHER, McLENDON & MURRELL, P.C.



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