Monthly Progress Report No. 84

473 President Street and President Street Portfolio
Brooklyn, New York
Brownfield Cleanup Program Site Nos.: C224220 and C224309
Reporting Period: February 2023

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 Gowanus President Owner 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 February 2023. A BCA Amendment for the President Street Portfolio site to add the Volunteer, Gowanus President Owner LLC, was executed on 26 January 2023. 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

Coastal Environmental Solutions (Coastal) advanced three soil borings to a maximum depth of about 10 feet below grade surface (bgs) in the eastern part of the site on 24 February 2023. Langan collected three supplemental waste characterization soil samples to facilitate disposal facility approval for future soil disposal.

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

A contractor retained by the Volunteer will mobilize to the site to advance test foundation piles. Langan will perform continuous air monitoring and environmental oversight during ground-intrusive activities.

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

None

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



