

Progress Report No. 33
Kissena Center Site
Queens, New York 11355
Brownfield Cleanup Program Site No. C241231
Reporting Period: June 2022

1. Introduction

Langan Engineering, Environmental, Surveying, Landscape Architecture and Geology, D.P.C. (Langan) is submitting this monthly progress report on behalf of Kimco Kissena Center, LLC (the Participant), in accordance with the June 25, 2019 Brownfield Cleanup Agreement. This monthly progress report summarizes work performed at the Kissena Center Site (the site) for the month of June 2022.

The site is located at 46-15 to 46-31 Kissena Boulevard in the Flushing neighborhood of Queens, New York and is identified as Tax Block 5208, Lot 45 on the Queens Borough Tax Map. The site encompasses an area of about 68,200 square feet (1.57 acres) and is occupied by an approximately 22,520-square-foot one-story shopping center and an asphalt-paved parking lot. Commercial tenants include Gold City Supermarket, Star Laundromat and Cleaners, Ming Xing Gift Shop, and Fay Da Bakery. The site is bound by residential homes followed by Union Street and Holly Avenue to the north, an asphalt-paved parking lot and residential homes followed by Laburnum Avenue and Union Street to the east, a two-story restaurant followed by Kissena Boulevard to the south, and a two-story commercial building occupied by multiple restaurants followed by Holly Avenue and Kissena Boulevard to the west. A Site Location Map is attached as Figure 1.

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

Langan visited the site on June 24, 2022 to assess the staged drums of investigation-derived waste (IDW) generated during the Remedial Investigation (RI) and off-site Supplemental Remedial Investigation (SRI). Waste profiles and a facility acceptance letter were coordinated and the drums are anticipated to be removed on or around July 15, 2022.

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

IDW drums generated during the RI and off-site SRI are scheduled to be removed for off-site disposal at a permitted facility in mid-July 2022.

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

The Brownfield Cleanup Program (BCP) project is approximately 10% complete.

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

As communicated to NYSDEC via email on April 26, 2022, the Participant is continuing to make progress in their coordination efforts with project stakeholders and expects to have direction regarding the redevelopment scope

this summer. The Participant formally requested a September 2, 2022 extension for the draft Remedial Action Work Plan, after it has determined the redevelopment plan for the site.

9. Citizen Participation Plan Activities during This Reporting Period

Responses have not been received for access agreement letters that were sent to off-site property owners on January 20, 2022, in accordance with the approved Off-Site Soil Vapor Intrusion Work Plan.

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

None

11. Miscellaneous Information

None