

BROWNFIELD CLEANUP PROGRAM (BCP) APPLICATION FORM

DEC requires an application to request major changes to the description of the property set forth in a Brownfield Cleanup Agreement, or "BCA" (e.g., adding a significant amount of new property, or adding property that could affect an eligibility determination due to contamination levels or intended land use). Such application must be submitted and processed in the same manner as the original application, including the required public comment period. Is this an application to amend an existing BCA? Yes No If yes, provide existing site number:					
PART A (note: application is sepa	arated into Parts A and B for DEC rev	view purposes) BCP App Rev 5			
Section I. Requestor Information	on - See Instructions for Further Gui	dance DEC USE ONLY BCP SITE #:			
NAME Silos at Elk Street, LLC	2				
ADDRESS 740 Seneca Street					
CITY/TOWN Buffalo	ZIP CODE 1	4210			
PHONE 716-842-1800	FAX 716-842-1807	E-MAIL shawnw@youngandwright.com			
 Is the requestor authorized to conduct business in New York State (NYS)? ✓ Yes No If the requestor is a Corporation, LLC, LLP or other entity requiring authorization from the NYS Department of State to conduct business in NYS, the requestor's name must appear, exactly as given above, in the NYS Department of State's Corporation & Business Entity Database. A print-out of entity information from the database must be submitted to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) with the application, to document that the requestor is authorized to do business in NYS. See Attachment 1 Do all individuals that will be certifying documents meet the requirements detailed below? ✓ Yes No Individuals that will be certifying BCP documents, as well as their employers, meet the requirements of Section 1.5 of DER-10: Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation and Article 145 of New York State Education Law. Documents that are not properly certified will be not approved under the BCP. 					
Section II. Project Description					
1. What stage is the project start	ing at? Investigation	Remediation			
2. If the project is starting at the remediation stage, a Remedial Investigation Report (RIR), Alternatives Analysis, and Remedial Work Plan must be attached (see DER-10 / Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation for further guidance).					
3. If a final RIR is included, please verify it meets the requirements of Environmental Conservation Law (ECL) Article 27-1415(2): No					
4. Please attach a short descript	ion of the overall development project, i	including: See Attachment 2			
the date that the remedia	I program is to start; and				
the date the Certificate of	f Completion is anticipated.				

Section III. Property's En	vironmental History	See Attachment 3				
All applications must include an Investigation Report (per ECL 27-1407(1)). The report must be sufficient to establish contamination of environmental media on the site above applicable Standards, Criteria and Guidance (SCGs) based on the reasonably anticipated use of the property.						
To the extent that existing information/studies/reports are available to the requestor, please attach the following (please submit the information requested in this section in electronic format only): 1. Reports: an example of an Investigation Report is a Phase II Environmental Site Assessment report prepared in accordance with the latest American Society for Testing and Materials standard (ASTM E1903).						
2. SAMPLING DATA: INDIC BEEN AFFECTED. LABOR						
Contaminant Category	Soil	Groundwater		Soil Gas		
Petroleum						
Chlorinated Solvents						
Other VOCs						
SVOCs	PAHs					
Metals	Barium, Lead, Cadmium					
Pesticides						
PCBs						
Other*						
*Please describe: PAHs and Lead above Restricted Residential SCOs, TCLP lead > 5 mg/L						
3. FOR EACH IMPACTED MEDIUM INDICATED ABOVE, INCLUDE A SITE DRAWING INDICATING: • SAMPLE LOCATION • DATE OF SAMPLING EVENT • KEY CONTAMINANTS AND CONCENTRATION DETECTED • FOR SOIL, HIGHLIGHT IF ABOVE REASONABLY ANTICIPATED USE • FOR GROUNDWATER, HIGHLIGHT EXCEEDANCES OF 6NYCRR PART 703.5 • FOR SOIL GAS/ SOIL VAPOR/ INDOOR AIR, HIGHLIGHT IF ABOVE MITIGATE LEVELS ON THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH MATRIX THESE DRAWINGS ARE TO BE REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL DATA BEING RELIED UPON TO MAKE THE CASE THAT THE SITE IS IN NEED OF REMEDIATION UNDER THE BCP. DRAWINGS SHOULD NOT BE BIGGER THAN 11" X 17". THESE DRAWINGS SHOULD BE PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANY GUIDANCE PROVIDED. ARE THE REQUIRED MAPS INCLUDED WITH THE APPLICATION?* (*answering No will result in an incomplete application) Coal Gas Manufacturing Manufacturing Agricultural Co-op Dry Cleaner						
☐ Coal Gas Manufacturing ☐ Manufacturing ☐ Agricultural Co-op ☐ Dry Cleaner☐ Salvage Yard ☐ Bulk Plant ☐ Pipeline ☐ Service Station☐ Landfill ☐ Tannery ☐ Electroplating ☐ Unknown						

Other: Industrial Malting operation

Section IV. Property Information - See Instructions for Further Guidance		See Attachment 4				
PROPOSED SITE NAME Silos at Elk Street Site						
ADDRESS/LOCATION 50 Elk Street						
CITY/TOWN Buffalo ZIP COI	DE 14	1210				
MUNICIPALITY(IF MORE THAN ONE, LIST ALL): City of I	Buffal	0				
COUNTY Erie	S	ITE SIZE (AC	RES) 1.9			
LATITUDE (degrees/minutes/seconds) 42 ° 52 ' 12.23 "	LONGI 78	TUDE (degre	es/minutes/s		05.13	66
COMPLETE TAX MAP INFORMATION FOR ALL TAX PARC BOUNDARIES. ATTACH REQUIRED MAPS PER THE APP				PROPERTY		
Parcel Address		Section No.	Block No	Lot No.	Acrea	age
50 Elk Street		122.42	2	63.11	1.9	9
Do the proposed site boundaries correspond to tax r If no, please attach a metes and bounds description			unds?	√ Yes []No	
2. Is the required property map attached to the application?						
3. Is the property within a designated Environmental Zone (En-zone) pursuant to Tax Law 21(b)(6)? (See DEC's website for more information) Yes ✓ No □						
See Figure 9 If yes, ide	ntify ce	ensus tract :	164			
Percentage of property in En-zone (check one):	0-49)%	50-99%	√ 100%)	
4. Is this application one of multiple applications for a large development project, where the development project spans more than 25 acres (see additional criteria in BCP application instructions)? ☐ Yes ✓ No						
If yes, identify name of properties (and site numbers if available) in related BCP applications:						
5. Is the contamination from groundwater or soil vapor solely emanating from property other than the site subject to the present application? ☐ Yes ✓ No						
6. Has the property previously been remediated pursua ECL Article 56, or Article 12 of Navigation Law? If yes, attach relevant supporting documentation.	ant to ⁻	Titles 9, 13, o	or 14 of EC	L Article 27,		
7. Are there any lands under water? If yes, these lands should be clearly delineated on the	ne site	map.		∐Y€	es 🗸 I	No

Se	ction IV. Property Information (continued)	See	Attachment 4
8.	Are there any easements or existing rights of way that would preclude remediation of the second of t		se areas? Yes √No
	Easement/Right-of-way Holder De	escriptio	<u>n</u>
	List of Permits issued by the DEC or USEPA Relating to the Proposed Site (type information)	here or	attach
	Type <u>Issuing Agency</u>	<u>Des</u>	<u>cription</u>
No	ne/ Unknown		
10	Property Description and Environmental Assessment – please refer to applica	tion ins	tructions for
	the proper format of <u>each</u> narrative requested. See Attachment 4		
	Are the Property Description and Environmental Assessment narratives include in the prescribed format ?	d	√ Yes No
11.	For sites located within the five counties comprising New York City, is the reque	stor see	king a
	determination that the site is eligible for tangible property tax credits? If yes, requestor must answer questions on the supplement at the end of this for	m.	Yes No
12	Is the Requestor now, or will the Requestor in the future, seek a determine that the property is Upside Down?	nation	Yes No
13.	If you have answered Yes to Question 12, above, is an independent appropriate of the value of the property, as of the date of application, prepared under hypothetical condition that the property is not contaminated, included with application?	the	Yes No
ar us	this determination is not being requested in the application to participate in oplicant may seek this determination at any time before issuance of a certificing the BCP Amendment Application, except for sites seeking eligibility unategory.	icate of	completion,
If ar	ny changes to Section IV are required prior to application approval, a new page, in	nitialed l	by each requestor,
mus	st be submitted.		
Initi	als of each Requestor:		

BCP application - PART B (note:	application is	separated into Parts A	and B for DE	C review purposes)
Section V. Additional Requestors See Instructions for Further Gu		BCP SITE NAME: BCP SITE #	DEC USE ONLY	
NAME OF REQUESTOR'S AUTHOR	RIZED REPRESEN	NTATIVE Shawn WrigI	ht	See Attachment 1
ADDRESS 740 Seneca Street				
CITY/TOWN Buffalo			ZIP	CODE 14210
PHONE 716-842-1800	FAX 716-842-	1807	E-MAIL shawn	w@youngandwright.com
NAME OF REQUESTOR'S CONSUL	TANT Mr. Thon	nas H. Forbes, P.E.		
ADDRESS 2558 Hamburg Turi	npike, Suite 30	00		
CITY/TOWN Buffalo, New York			ZIP	CODE 14218
PHONE (716) 856-0599	FAX (716)856	-0583	E-MAIL tforbes	@benchmarkturnkey.com
NAME OF REQUESTOR'S ATTORN	IEYMr. Craig S	Slater, Esq (The Sla	ter Law Firm	ı, PLLC)
ADDRESS 500 Seneca Street,	Suite 504			
CITY/TOWN Buffalo, New York			ZIP	CODE 14204
PHONE (716) 845-6760	FAX (716) 845	5-6764	E-MAIL cslate	er@cslaterlaw.com
Section VI. Current Property Ov	vner/Operator Ir	nformation – if not a R	Requestor	See Attachment 3
CURRENT OWNER'S NAME Brook	kfield Interest,	LLC	OWNERSHIP STAI	RT DATE: October 201
ADDRESS 740 Seneca Street				
CITY/TOWN Buffalo		ZIP CODE '	14210	
PHONE (716) 842-1800	FAX (716) 842	2-1807	E-MAIL shawn	nw@youngandwright.com
CURRENT OPERATOR'S NAME Pr	operty is vaca	nt - no current opera	ations	
ADDRESS				
CITY/TOWN		ZIP CODE		
PHONE	FAX		E-MAIL	
IF REQUESTOR IS NOT THE CURRENT OWNER, DESCRIBE REQUESTOR'S RELATIONSHIP TO THE CURRENT OWNER, INCLUDING ANY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN REQUESTOR'S CORPORATE MEMBERS AND THE CURRENT OWNER. PROVIDE A LIST OF PREVIOUS PROPERTY OWNERS AND OPERATORS WITH NAMES, LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS AS AN ATTACHMENT. DESCRIBE REQUESTOR'S RELATIONSHIP, TO EACH PREVIOUS OWNER AND OPERATOR, INCLUDING ANY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN REQUESTOR'S CORPORATE MEMBERS AND PREVIOUS OWNER AND OPERATOR. IF NO RELATIONSHIP, PUT "NONE".				
Section VII. Requestor Eligibility	y Information (P	Please refer to ECL § 2	27-1407) See	e Attachment 2
If answering "yes" to any of the fold 1. Are any enforcement actions pold 2. Is the requestor subject to an exact the site? 3. Is the requestor subject to an exact whether a party is subject to a	ending against the existing order for outstanding claim	ne requestor regarding the investigation, remo	this site? val or remediat nis site? Any q	Yes ✓ No tion of contamination Yes ✓ No uestions regarding

Section VII. Requestor Eligibility Information (continued)				
	any provision of the ECL Article 27; ii) any order or of Title 14; or iv) any similar statute, regulation of the seexplanation on a separate attachment.	tate or federal government? If so, provide an ☐Yes ✓ No		
5.	Has the requestor previously been denied entry to the application, such as name, address, DEC assigned relevant information.			
6.	Has the requestor been found in a civil proceeding to act involving the handling, storing, treating, disposing	o have committed a negligent or intentionally tortious g or transporting of contaminants?		
	Has the requestor been convicted of a criminal offen or transporting of contaminants; or ii) that involves a	ise i) involving the handling, storing, treating, disposing violent felony, fraud, bribery, perjury, theft, or offense Article 195 of the Penal Law) under federal law or the Yes V No		
9.		r made use of or made a false statement in ted to DEC? ☐ Yes ✓ No t forth in ECL 27-1407.9 (f) that committed an act or		
		ne basis for denial of a BCP application? Yes ✓ No rogram under DEC's oversight terminated by DEC or agreement or order? Yes ✓ No		
11	Are there any unregistered bulk storage tanks on-si	te?		
	IE REQUESTOR MUST CERTIFY THAT HE/SHE IS EITH TH ECL 27-1405 (1) BY CHECKING ONE OF THE BOXE	HER A PARTICIPANT OR VOLUNTEER IN ACCORDANCE IS BELOW:		
the dis	PARTICIPANT requestor who either 1) was the owner of the site at the time of the disposal of hazardous waste or incharge of petroleum or 2) is otherwise a person eponsible for the contamination, unless the liability	VOLUNTEER A requestor other than a participant, including a requestor whose liability arises solely as a result of ownership, operation of or involvement with the site subsequent to the disposal of hazardous waste or discharge of petroleum.		
ari: inv	ses solely as a result of ownership, operation of, or colvement with the site subsequent to the disposal hazardous waste or discharge of petroleum.	NOTE: By checking this box, a requestor whose liability arises solely as a result of ownership, operation of or involvement with the site certifies that he/she has exercised appropriate care with respect to the hazardous waste found at the facility by taking reasonable steps to: i) stop any continuing discharge; ii) prevent any threatened future release; iii) prevent or limit human, environmental, or natural resource exposure to any previously released hazardous waste.		
		If a requestor whose liability arises solely as a result of ownership, operation of or involvement with the site, submit a statement describing why you should be considered a volunteer – be specific as to the appropriate care taken.		

Se	Section VII. Requestor Eligibility Information (continued)					
	Requestor Relationship to Property (check one): ☐Previous Owner ☐Current Owner ☑ Potential /Future Purchaser ☐ Other					
be	equestor is not the current site owner, proof of site access sufficient to complete th submitted . Proof must show that the requestor will have access to the property before the different to the property before the different to the site. Is a submitted to the project, including the ability to place an easement on the site.	re signing the BCA				
	✓ Yes No					
No	te: a purchase contract does not suffice as proof of access.					
Se	ction VIII. Property Eligibility Information - See Instructions for Further Guidance	See Attachment 2				
1.	Is / was the property, or any portion of the property, listed on the National Priorities List If yes, please provide relevant information as an attachment.	st? □Yes ☑No				
2.	Is / was the property, or any portion of the property, listed on the NYS Registry of Inac Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites pursuant to ECL 27-1305? If yes, please provide: Site # Class #					
3.	Is / was the property subject to a permit under ECL Article 27, Title 9, other than an Infacility? If yes, please provide: Permit type:	☐Yes 🗸 No				
4.	If the answer to question 2 or 3 above is yes, is the site owned by a volunteer as defir 1405(1)(b), or under contract to be transferred to a volunteer? Attach any information requestor related to previous owners or operators of the facility or property and their fincluding any bankruptcy filing and corporate dissolution documentation.	available to the				
5.	Is the property subject to a cleanup order under Navigation Law Article 12 or ECL Art If yes, please provide: Order #	icle 17 Title 10? ☐Yes ✓ No				
6.	Is the property subject to a state or federal enforcement action related to hazardous will yes, please provide explanation as an attachment.	vaste or petroleum? ☐ Yes ✓ No				
Se	ction IX. Contact List Information	See Attachment 5				
DE	be considered complete, the application must include the Brownfield Site Contact List ER-23 / Citizen Participation Handbook for Remedial Programs. Please attach, at a mind addresses of the following: The chief executive officer and planning board chairperson of each county, city, town the property is located. Residents, owners, and occupants of the property and properties adjacent to the property Local news media from which the community typically obtains information. The public water supplier which services the area in which the property is located. Any person who has requested to be placed on the contact list. The administrator of any school or day care facility located on or near the property. The location of a document repository for the project (e.g., local library). In addition, a acknowledgement from the repository indicating that it agrees to act as the document property. Any community board located in a city with a population of one million or more, if the located within such community board's boundaries.	and village in which perty. attach a copy of an expository for the e Attachment 6				

Section X. Land Use Factors	See Attachment 7
What is the current zoning for the site? What uses are allowed by the current zoning	
2. Current Use: ☐Residential ☐Commercial ☐Industrial ☑Vacant ☐Recreational apply) Attach a summary of current business operations or uses, with an emphasis on possible contaminant source areas. If operations or uses have ceased, provide	
3. Reasonably anticipated use Post Remediation: ✓ Residential ✓ Commercial ☐ Induthat apply) Attach a statement detailing the specific proposed use.	ustrial (check all
If residential, does it qualify as single family housing?	☐Yes ✓ No
4. Do current historical and/or recent development patterns support the proposed use?	√Yes No
5. Is the proposed use consistent with applicable zoning laws/maps? Briefly explain belo or attach additional information and documentation if necessary.	ow, Yes No
6. Is the proposed use consistent with applicable comprehensive community master plan local waterfront revitalization plans, or other adopted land use plans? Briefly explain below, or attach additional information and documentation if necessary.	ns,

XI. Statement of Certification and Signatures
(By requestor who is an individual)
If this application is approved, I acknowledge and agree to execute a Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA) within 60 days of the date of DEC's approval letter. I hereby affirm that information provided on this form and its attachments is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I am aware that any false statement made herein is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor pursuant to section 210.45 of the Penal Law.
Date: Signature:
Print Name:
(By a requestor other than an individual)
I hereby affirm that I am
SUBMITTAL INFORMATION:
 Two (2) copies, one paper copy with original signatures and one electronic copy in Portable Documen Format (PDF), must be sent to:
 Chief, Site Control Section New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Environmental Remediation 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12233-7020
FOR DEC USE ONLY BCP SITE T&A CODE: LEAD OFFICE:

Supplemental Questions for Sites Seeking Tangible Property Credits in New York City ONLY. Sufficient information to demonstrate that the site meets one or more of the criteria identified in ECL 27 1407(1-a) must be submitted if requestor is seeking this determination.

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Property is in Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, or Richmond counties.	☐ Yes ☐ No
Requestor seeks a determination that the site is eligible for the tangible property credit brownfield redevelopment tax credit.	component of the Yes No
Please answer questions below and provide documentation necessary to support a	answers.
Is at least 50% of the site area located within an environmental zone pursuant to NYS Please see DEC's website for more information.	Tax Law 21(b)(6)? Yes No
2. Is the property upside down or underutilized as defined below? Upside Down?	Yes No
From ECL 27-1405(31): Underutilized?	Yes No
"Upside down" shall mean a property where the projected and incurred cost of the inverse remediation which is protective for the anticipated use of the property equals or exceeds percent of its independent appraised value, as of the date of submission of the application in the brownfield cleanup program, developed under the hypothetical condition that the contaminated.	seventy-five n for participation
From 6 NYCRR 375-3.2(I) as of July 1, 2015: (Please note: Eligibility determination for category can only be made at the time of application)	the underutilized
(I) "Underutilized" means, as of the date of application, real property: (1) on which a building or buildings, can be certified by the municipality in which the sit have for at least five years used no more than fifty percent of the permissible floor area un base zoning immediately prior to the application which has been in effect for at least five years used development is solely for a use other than residential or rest (3) which could not be developed without substantial government assistance, as certification municipality in which the site is located; and (4) which is subject to one or more of the following conditions, as certified by the municresponsible for such determinations of the municipality in which the site is located: (i) property tax payments have been in arrears for at least five years immediately property application; (ii) contains a building that is presently condemned, or presently exhibits document deficiencies, as certified by a professional engineer, which present a public health or safe (iii) the proposed use is in whole or in substantial part for industrial uses. "Substantial government assistance" shall mean a substantial loan, grant, land purchase purchase cost exemption or waiver, from a governmental entity; or for properties to be de in part for industrial uses, a substantial loan, grant, land purchase subsidy, land purchase waiver, or a tax credit, from a governmental entity, or a low-cost loan from an industrial fur municipality and partner financial institutions.	nder the applicable years; ricted residential; red by the cipal department rior to the ed structural ty hazard; or subsidy, or land veloped in whole or cost exemption or

3. Is the project an affordable housing project as defined below? From 6 NYCRR 375- 3.2(a) as of July 1, 2015: (a) "Affordable housing project" means, for purposes of this part, title fourteen of article twenty seven of the environmental conservation law and section twenty-one of the tax law only, a project that is developed for residential use or mixed residential use that must include affordable residential rental units and/or affordable home ownership units. (1) Affordable residential rental projects under this subdivision must be subject to a federal, state, or	Su	Supplemental Questions for Sites Seeking Tangible Property Credits in New York City (continued)				
(a) "Affordable housing project" means, for purposes of this part, title fourteen of article twenty seven of the environmental conservation law and section twenty-one of the tax law only, a project that is developed for residential use or mixed residential use that must include affordable residential rental units and/or affordable home ownership units.	3.	Is the project an affordable housing project as defined below?	Yes No			
environmental conservation law and section twenty-one of the tax law only, a project that is developed for residential use or mixed residential use that must include affordable residential rental units and/or affordable home ownership units.	Fr	om 6 NYCRR 375- 3.2(a) as of July 1, 2015:				
local government housing agency's affordable housing program, or a local government's regulatory	en res ho	vironmental conservation law and section twenty-one of the tax law only, a project that is sidential use or mixed residential use that must include affordable residential rental units me ownership units. (1) Affordable residential rental projects under this subdivision must be subject to a federal contents.	s developed for and/or affordable eral, state, or			

- local government housing agency's affordable housing program, or a local government's regulatory agreement or legally binding restriction, that defines (i) a percentage of the residential rental units in the affordable housing project to be dedicated to (ii) tenants at a defined maximum percentage of the area median income based on the occupants' households annual gross income.
- (2) Affordable home ownership projects under this subdivision must be subject to a federal, state, or local government housing agency's affordable housing program, or a local government's regulatory agreement or legally binding restriction, that sets affordable units aside for tenants at a defined maximum percentage of the area median income.
- (3) "Area median income" means, for purposes of this subdivision, the area median income for the primary metropolitan statistical area, or for the county if located outside a metropolitan statistical area, as determined by the United States department of housing and urban development, or its successor, for a family of four, as adjusted for family size.

BCP Application Summary (for DEC use only)					
Site Name: Silos at Elk Street Site City: Buffalo	Site Address: ⁵⁰ Elk Street County: Erie Zip: 14210				
Tax Block & Lot Section (if applicable): 122.42 Block:	2 Lot : 63.11				
Requestor Name: Silos at Elk Street, LLC City: Buffalo	Requestor Address: 740 Seneca Street Zip: 14210 Email: shawnw@youngandwright.com				
Requestor's Representative (for billing purpos Name: Shawn Wright Address: City: Buffalo	vses) 2 740 Seneca Street Zip: 14210 Email: shawnw@youngandwright.com				
Requestor's Attorney Name: Mr. Craig Slater, Esq (The Slater Law Firm, PLLC) Address: City: Buffalo, New York	: 500 Seneca Street, Suite 504 Zip: 14204 Email: cslater@cslaterlaw.com	n			
Requestor's Consultant Name: Mr. Thomas H. Forbes, P.E. Address: City: Buffalo, New York	2558 Hamburg Turnpike, Suite 300 Zip: 14218 Email: tforbes@benchmarkturnkey.com	n			
Percentage of site within an En-Zone: 0%	<50% 50-99% √ 100%				
Requestor's Requested Status: Volunteer	Requestor's Requested Status: ☑Volunteer ☐Participant				

TABLES



TABLE 1A

LIMITED PHASE II INVESTIGATION SURFACE SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS vs. USCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Sample Location, Sample Date, & Depth
Parameter	Part 375	Interval (fbgs)
Parameter	USCO	COMP-1 (SS-1 & SS-2)
		06/09/16
OVM Measurement (ppm)		0.0 - 0.2
OVM Measurement		0.2 / 1.4
SEMIVOLATILE ORGANICS (SVOCs, mg/		V.=
Acenaphthene	20	0.26 J
Antrhacene	100	0.58 J
Benzo(a)anthracene	1	1.4
Benzo(a)pyrene	1	1.2
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	1	1.9
Benzo(ghi)perylene	100	0.78 J
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	0.8	0.62 J
Chrysene	1	1.6
Fluoranthene	100	3.1
Fluorene	30	0.32 J
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	0.5	0.69 J
Naphthalene	12	0.14 J
Phenanthrene	100	2.5
Pyrene	100	2.3
RCRA Metals (mg/kg)		
Arsenic	13	15.8
Barium	350	2370
Cadmium	2.5	8.5
Chromium	30	18.6
Lead	63	4970
Mercury	0.18	0.24
Selenium	3.9	ND
Silver	2	ND
General Chemistry (mg/kg)		
Total Organic Carbon		70400
TCLP (mg/L)		
Lead	5	26.5

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. J = The analyte was positively identified; the associated numerical value is an approx. concentration of the analyte in the sample.
- 3. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 4. Values exceeding Part 375 Unrestricted Soil Cleanup Objectives (USCOs) are highlighted in orange.



TABLE 1B

LIMITED PHASE II INVESTIGATION SURFACE SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS vs. PGWSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		O-marie Iti O-marie Deta 9 Double	
		Sample Location, Sample Date, & Depth	
Parameter	Part 375	Interval (fbgs)	
Parameter	PGWSCO	COMP-1 (SS-1 & SS-2)	
		06/09/16 0.0 - 0.2	
OVM Measurement (ppm)		0.0 - 0.2	
OVM Measurement (ppm)		0.2 / 1.4	
		0.27 1.4	
SEMIVOLATILE ORGANICS (SVOCs, n		0.00.1	
Acenaphthene	98	0.26 J	
Antrhacene	1000	0.58 J	
Benzo(a)anthracene	1	1.4	
Benzo(a)pyrene	22	1.2	
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	1.7	1.9	
Benzo(ghi)perylene	1000	0.78 J	
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	1.7	0.62 J	
Chrysene	1	1.6	
Fluoranthene	1000	3.1	
Fluorene	386	0.32 J	
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	8.2	0.69 J	
Naphthalene	12	0.14 J	
Phenanthrene	1000	2.5	
Pyrene	1000	2.3	
RCRA Metals (mg/kg)			
Arsenic	16	15.8	
Barium	820	2370	
Cadmium	7.5	8.5	
Chromium		18.6	
Lead	450	4970	
Mercury	0.73	0.24	
Selenium	4	ND	
Silver	8.3	ND	
General Chemistry (mg/kg)	0.0		
Total Organic Carbon		70400	
TCLP (mg/L)		70100	
Lead	5	26.5	
Loud	J	20.0	

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. J = The analyte was positively identified; the associated numerical value is an approx. concentration of the analyte in the sample.
- 3. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 4. Values exceeding Part 375 Protection of Groundwater Soil Cleanup Objectives (PGWSCOs) are highlighted in blue.



TABLE 1C

LIMITED PHASE II INVESTIGATION SURFACE SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS vs. RRSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

Parameter	Part 375 RRSCO	Sample Location, Sample Date, & Depth Interval (fbgs) COMP-1 (SS-1 & SS-2) 06/09/16 0.0 - 0.2
OVM Measurement (ppm)		0.0/4.4
OVM Measurement		0.2 / 1.4
SEMIVOLATILE ORGANICS (SVOCs,		0.00.1
Acenaphthene Antrhacene	100 100	0.26 J 0.58 J
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Benzo(a)anthracene	1	1.4
Benzo(a)pyrene	1 1	
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	100	1.9 0.78 J
Benzo(ghi)perylene		
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	3.9	0.62 J
Chrysene	3.9	1.6
Fluoranthene Fluorene	100	3.1 0.32 J
	100	
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	0.5	0.69 J
Naphthalene	100	0.14 J
Phenanthrene	100 100	2.5 2.3
Pyrene	100	2.3
RCRA Metals (mg/kg) Arsenic	16	15.8
1 11 0 0 1 11 0		1010
Barium	400 4.3	2370 8.5
Changeing		
Chromium	180	18.6
Lead	400	4970
Mercury	0.81	0.24
Selenium	180	ND ND
Silver	180	ND
General Chemistry (mg/kg)		70400
Total Organic Carbon		70400
TCLP (mg/L)		00.5
Lead	5	26.5

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- 3. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 4. Values exceeding Part 375 Restricted Residential Soil Cleanup Objectives (RRSCOs) are highlighted in yellow.



TABLE 1D

LIMITED PHASE II INVESTIGATION SURFACE SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS vs. CSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Sample Location, Sample Date, & Depth
	Part 375	Interval (fbgs)
Parameter		COMP-1 (SS-1 & SS-2)
	csco	06/09/16
		0.0 - 0.2
OVM Measurement (ppm)		
OVM Measurement		0.2 / 1.4
SEMIVOLATILE ORGANICS (SVOCs, mg/		
Acenaphthene	500	0.26 J
Antrhacene	500	0.58 J
Benzo(a)anthracene	5.6	1.4
Benzo(a)pyrene	1	1.2
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	5.6	1.9
Benzo(ghi)perylene	500	0.78 J
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	56	0.62 J
Chrysene	56	1.6
Fluoranthene	500	3.1
Fluorene	500	0.32 J
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	5.6	0.69 J
Naphthalene	500	0.14 J
Phenanthrene	500	2.5
Pyrene	500	2.3
RCRA Metals (mg/kg)		
Arsenic	16	15.8
Barium	400	2370
Cadmium	9.3	8.5
Chromium	1500	18.6
Lead	1000	4970
Mercury	2.8	0.24
Selenium	1500	ND
Silver	1500	ND
General Chemistry (mg/kg)		
Total Organic Carbon		70400
TCLP (mg/L)		
Lead	5	26.5

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. J = The analyte was positively identified; the associated numerical value is an approx. concentration of the analyte in the sample.
- 3. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 4. Values exceeding Part 375 Commercial Soil Cleanup Objectives (CSCOs) are highlighted in green.



TABLE 1E

LIMITED PHASE II INVESTIGATION SURFACE SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS vs. ISCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

Parameter	Part 375 ISCO	Sample Location, Sample Date, & Depth Interval (fbgs) COMP-1 (SS-1 & SS-2) 06/09/16 0.0 - 0.2
OVM Measurement (ppm)		010 01 <u>E</u>
OVM Measurement		0.2 / 1.4
SEMIVOLATILE ORGANICS (SVOC	s, mg/Kg)	
Acenaphthene	1000	0.26 J
Antrhacene	1000	0.58 J
Benzo(a)anthracene	11	1.4
Benzo(a)pyrene	1.1	1.2
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	11	1.9
Benzo(ghi)perylene	1000	0.78 J
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	110	0.62 J
Chrysene	110	1.6
Fluoranthene	1000	3.1
Fluorene	1000	0.32 J
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	11	0.69 J
Naphthalene	1000	0.14 J
Phenanthrene	1000	2.5
Pyrene	1000	2.3
RCRA Metals (mg/kg)		
Arsenic	16	15.8
Barium	10000	2370
Cadmium	60	8.5
Chromium	6800	18.6
Lead	3900	4970
Mercury	5.7	0.24
Selenium	6800	ND
Silver	6800	ND
General Chemistry (mg/kg)		
Total Organic Carbon		70400
TCLP (mg/L)		
Lead	5	26.5

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. J = The analyte was positively identified; the associated numerical value is an approx. concentration of the analyte in the sample.
- 3. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 4. Values exceeding Part 375 Industrial Soil Cleanup Objectives (ISCOs) are highlighted in purple.



TABLE 2

TEST PIT SUMMARY

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

Location	Date	Total Depth (fbgs)	Length (feet)	Width (feet)	Fill/Ash Thickness (fbgs)	Sample Depths (fbgs)	Description (ASTM D2488: Visual-Manual Procedure)	PID Readings (ppm)
TP-1	07/21/2016	3.0	7.0	2.5	(0.0 - 1.0)	(0.0 - 1.0)	(0.0 -1.0) ASHY FILL - Dark Grey/Grey, Dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel, coal pieces, orange brick, glass, broken ceramic pieces, loose. (1.0 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, limestone block, clay tile, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-2	07/21/2016	2.5	7.0	2.5	(0.5 - 1.0)	(0.0-1.0)	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND and ASH Fill - Brown/Dark Grey, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, glass fragments, loose. (0.5 - 1.0) ASHY FILL - Dark Grey/black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, (1.0 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, limestone block, clay tile, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-3	07/21/2016	3.0	6.0	2.5	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 1.5) ASHY FILL - Black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, loose. (1.5 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-4	07/21/2016	3.0	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 0.7)	NA	(0.0 - 0.7) ASHY FILL - Black/dark grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), trace cobbles, cinders, orange brick, loose. (0.7 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, limestone block, clay tile, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-5	07/21/2016	3.0	7.5	2.5	(0.5 - 1.0)	(0.0 - 0.5) (0.5 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, glass fragments. (0.5 - 1.0) ASHY FILL - Dark Grey/black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange bricks, loose. (1.0 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-6	07/21/2016	4.5	7.0	2.5	(2.5-4.0)	(4.0-4.5)	(0.0 - 2.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, orange brick, coal pieces. (2.5 - 4.0) ASHY FILL - Dark Grey/black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange bricks, wire, loose. (1.0 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-7	07/21/2016	3.5	7.0	2.5	(0.5 - 2.5)	(0.0 - 0.5)	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, orange brick, coal pieces. (0.5 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - Dark Grey/black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), limestone block, cinders, orange bricks, loose. (2.5 - 3.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0



TABLE 2

TEST PIT SUMMARY

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

Location	Date	Total Depth (fbgs)	Length (feet)	Width (feet)	Fill/Ash Thickness (fbgs)	Sample Depths (fbgs)	Description (ASTM D2488: Visual-Manual Procedure)	PID Readings (ppm)
TP-8	07/21/2016	3.5	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 0.7) ASHY FILL - Grey/dark grey, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, loose. (0.7 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-9	07/21/2016	3.5	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 2.5)	NA	(0.0 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - Dark grey, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragment, calk or glue tubes, burlap, loose. (2.5 - 3.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-10	07/21/2016	3.5	7.5	2.5	(0.0-3.0)	(0.0 - 3.0)	(0.0 - 3.0) ASHY FILL - Dark grey/grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, loose. (2.5 - 3.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-11	07/21/2016	4.0	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 0.5)	(0.0 - 0.5)	(0.0 - 0.5) ASHY FILL - Black, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, loose. (0.5 - 4.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-12	07/21/2016	4.0	7.0	2.5	(0.0 - 2.5)	NA	(0.0 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - Reddish brown/dark grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, loose. (2.5 - 4.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-13	07/21/2016	4.5	8.0	2.5	(0.5 - 2.5)	(0.5 - 2.5)	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, orange brick. (0.5 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - Light grey/white, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), limestone block, cinders, orange bricks, ceramic pieces, loose. (2.5 - 3.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-14	07/21/2016	3.5	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 1.5)	(0.0 - 1.5) ASHY FILL - Brown/light grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, loose. (1.5 - 3.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0



TABLE 2

TEST PIT SUMMARY

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

Location	Date	Total Depth (fbgs)	Length (feet)	Width (feet)	Fill/Ash Thickness (fbgs)	Sample Depths (fbgs)	Description (ASTM D2488: Visual-Manual Procedure)	PID Readings (ppm)
TP-15	07/21/2016	4.0	7.5	2.5	(0.0 - 2.5)	(0.0 - 2.5) (2.5 - 4.0)	(0.0 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - White/light grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), coal fragments, orange brick, glass bottle, ceramic fragments, loose. (2.5 - 4.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-16	07/21/2016	3.5	8.0	2.5	(0.0 - 2.5)	NA	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND and Fill - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, rail road ties, orange brick. (0.5 - 2.5) ASHY FILL - Light grey/white, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), limestone block, cinders, glass, orange bricks, ceramic pieces, loose. (2.5 - 3.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-17	07/21/2016	2.5	5.5	2.5	(0.0 - 1.0)	(0.0 - 1.0)	(0.0 - 1.0) ASHY FILL - White/light grey, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, some fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), coal fragments, orange brick, glass bottle, ceramic fragments, loose. (1.0 - 2.5) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff	0.0
TP-18	07/21/2016	4.0	8.0	2.5	(0.0 - 1.0)	NA	(0.0 - 0.5) ASHY FILL - Dark grey/black, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, few fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, glass, ceramic pieces, loose. (0.5 - 1.0) ASHY FILL - Light grey/white, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), cinders, glass, orange bricks fragments, ceramic pieces, loose. (1.0 - 4.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0
TP-19	07/21/2016	5.0	7.5	2.5	(0.5 - 3.0)	NA	(0.0 - 0.5) LEAN CLAY with SAND and Fill - Light brown, dry, mostly, low plasticity fines, little fine sand, little fine gravel (angular), few non-plastic fines, roots, orange brick. (0.5 - 3.0) ASHY FILL - Light grey/white, dry, mostly non-plastic fines, little fine sand, little fine to coarse gravel (angular), limestone block, cinders, glass, orange bricks, ceramic pieces, metal loose. (3.0 - 5.0) LEAN CLAY with Fill - Brown, moist, mostly low plasticity fines, few fine sand, orange brick, wood, medium toughness, medium dry strength, stiff.	0.0



TABLE 3A

SUMMARY OF SURFACE SOIL/FILL RESULTS vs. USCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Part 37	5 USCO
	Sample	63	5
Test Pit Location	Depth (fbgs)	Total Lead (mg/kg)	TCLP Lead (mg/L)
TP-1	0.0 - 1.0	838	
TP-2	0.0 - 1.0	556	0.13
TP-3	0.0 - 1.5	1620	
TP-5	0.0 - 0.5	184	
TP-5	0.5 - 1.5	994	0.59
TP-6	4.0 - 4.5	1370	
TP-7	0.0 - 0.5	574	
TP-8	0.0 - 1.5	512	
TP-10	0.0 - 3.0	1090	0.38
TP-11	0.0 - 0.5	930	0.31
TP-13	0.5 - 2.5	3070	1.7
TP-14	0.0 - 1.5	728	0.047
TP-15	0.0 - 2.5	620	
TP-15	2.5 - 4.0	45.2	
TP-17	0.0 - 1.0	334	

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 3. Values exceeding Part 375 Unrestricted Soil Cleanup Objectives (USCOs) and USEPA Maximum Concentration for Toxicity Characteristic are highlighted in orange.



TABLE 3B

SUMMARY OF SURFACE SOIL/FILL RESULTS vs. PGWSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Part 375 l	PGWSCO
	Sample	450	5
Test Pit Location	Depth (fbgs)	Total Lead (mg/kg)	TCLP Lead (mg/L)
TP-1	0.0 - 1.0	838	
TP-2	0.0 - 1.0	556	0.13
TP-3	0.0 - 1.5	1620	
TP-5	0.0 - 0.5	184	
TP-5	0.5 - 1.5	994	0.59
TP-6	4.0 - 4.5	1370	
TP-7	0.0 - 0.5	574	
TP-8	0.0 - 1.5	512	
TP-10	0.0 - 3.0	1090	0.38
TP-11	0.0 - 0.5	930	0.31
TP-13	0.5 - 2.5	3070	1.7
TP-14	0.0 - 1.5	728	0.047
TP-15	0.0 - 2.5	620	
TP-15	2.5 - 4.0	45.2	
TP-17	0.0 - 1.0	334	

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 3. Values exceeding Part 375 Protection of Groundwater Soil Cleanup Objectives (PGWSCOs) and USEPA Maximum Concentration for Toxicity Characteristic are highlighted in blue.



TABLE 3C

SUMMARY OF SURFACE SOIL/FILL RESULTS vs. RRSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Part 375	RRSCO
	Sample	400	5
Test Pit Location	Depth (fbgs)	Total Lead (mg/kg)	TCLP Lead (mg/L)
TP-1	0.0 - 1.0	838	
TP-2	0.0 - 1.0	556	0.13
TP-3	0.0 - 1.5	1620	
TP-5	0.0 - 0.5	184	
TP-5	0.5 - 1.5	994	0.59
TP-6	4.0 - 4.5	1370	-
TP-7	0.0 - 0.5	574	
TP-8	0.0 - 1.5	512	1
TP-10	0.0 - 3.0	1090	0.38
TP-11	0.0 - 0.5	930	0.31
TP-13	0.5 - 2.5	3070	1.7
TP-14	0.0 - 1.5	728	0.047
TP-15	0.0 - 2.5	620	
TP-15	2.5 - 4.0	45.2	
TP-17	0.0 - 1.0	334	

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 3. Values exceeding Part 375 Restricted Residential Soil Cleanup Objectives (RRSCOs) and USEPA Maximum Concentration for Toxicity Characteristic are highlighted in yellow.



TABLE 3D

SUMMARY OF SURFACE SOIL/FILL RESULTS vs. CSCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

		Part 37	5 CSCO
	Sample	1000	5
Test Pit Location	Depth (fbgs)	Total Lead (mg/kg)	TCLP Lead (mg/L)
TP-1	0.0 - 1.0	838	
TP-2	0.0 - 1.0	556	0.13
TP-3	0.0 - 1.5	1620	
TP-5	0.0 - 0.5	184	
TP-5	0.5 - 1.5	994	0.59
TP-6	4.0 - 4.5	1370	
TP-7	0.0 - 0.5	574	
TP-8	0.0 - 1.5	512	
TP-10	0.0 - 3.0	1090	0.38
TP-11	0.0 - 0.5	930	0.31
TP-13	0.5 - 2.5	3070	1.7
TP-14	0.0 - 1.5	728	0.047
TP-15	0.0 - 2.5	620	
TP-15	2.5 - 4.0	45.2	
TP-17	0.0 - 1.0	334	

- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 3. Values exceeding Part 375 Commercial Soil Cleanup Objectives (CCSCOs) and USEPA Maximum Concentration for Toxicity Characteristic are highlighted in green.



TABLE 3E

SUMMARY OF SURFACE SOIL/FILL RESULTS vs. ISCOs

Brownfield Cleanup Program Application 50 Elk Street Buffalo, New York

	Sample Depth (fbgs)	Part 375 ISCO	
Test Pit Location		3900	5
		Total Lead (mg/kg)	TCLP Lead (mg/L)
TP-1	0.0 - 1.0	838	
TP-2	0.0 - 1.0	556	0.13
TP-3	0.0 - 1.5	1620	
TP-5	0.0 - 0.5	184	
TP-5	0.5 - 1.5	994	0.59
TP-6	4.0 - 4.5	1370	
TP-7	0.0 - 0.5	574	
TP-8	0.0 - 1.5	512	
TP-10	0.0 - 3.0	1090	0.38
TP-11	0.0 - 0.5	930	0.31
TP-13	0.5 - 2.5	3070	1.7
TP-14	0.0 - 1.5	728	0.047
TP-15	0.0 - 2.5	620	
TP-15	2.5 - 4.0	45.2	
TP-17	0.0 - 1.0	334	

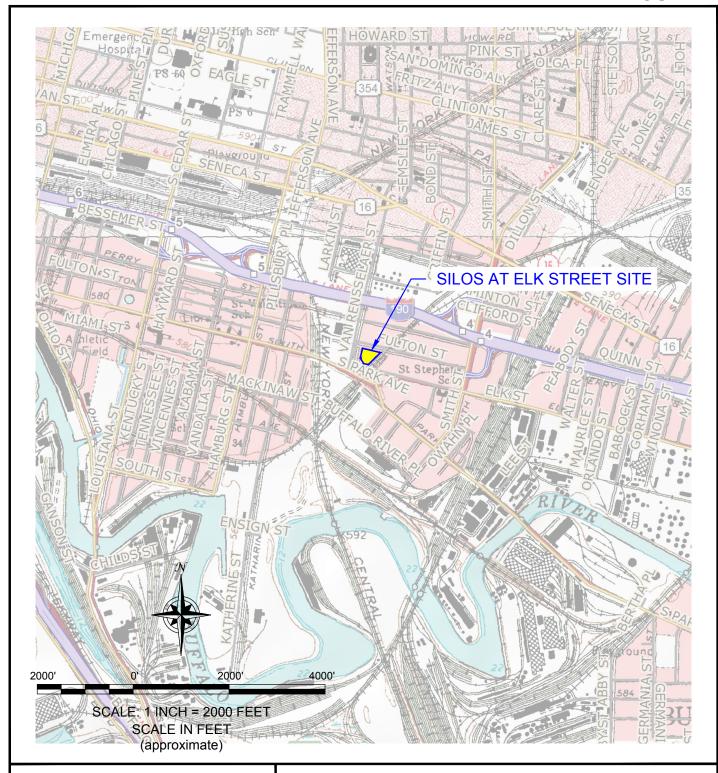
- 1. ND = Not Detected.
- 2. Only those SVOCs detected at a minimum of one location are presented.
- 3. Values exceeding Part 375 Industrial Soil Cleanup Objectives (ISCOs) and USEPA Maximum Concentration for Toxicity Characteristic are highlighted in purple.

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FIGURE 1







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SITE LOCATION & VICINITY MAP

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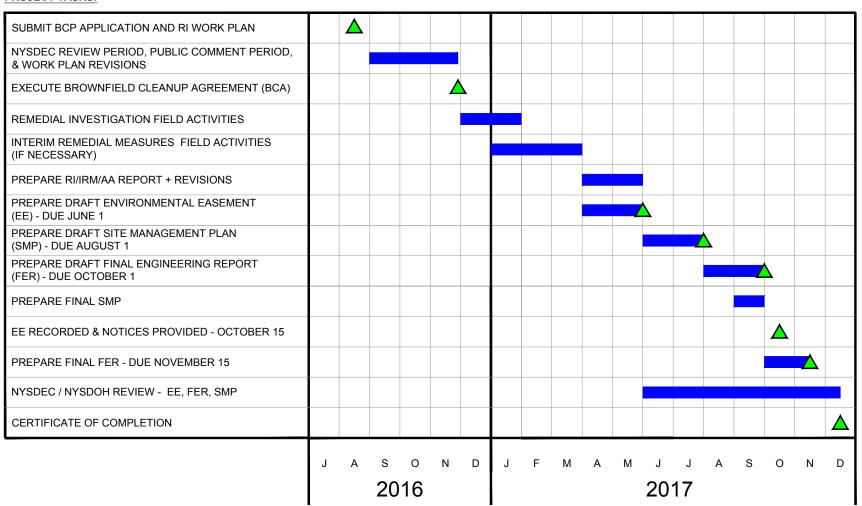


SITE PLAN
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FIGURE 2

PROJECT TASKS:







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SILOS AT ELK STREET SITE BUFFALO, NEW YORK

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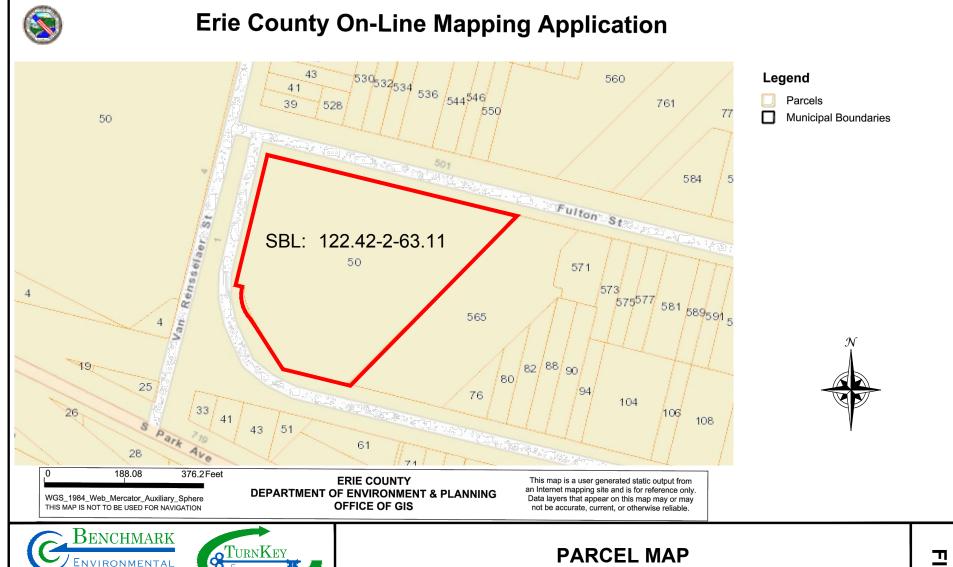
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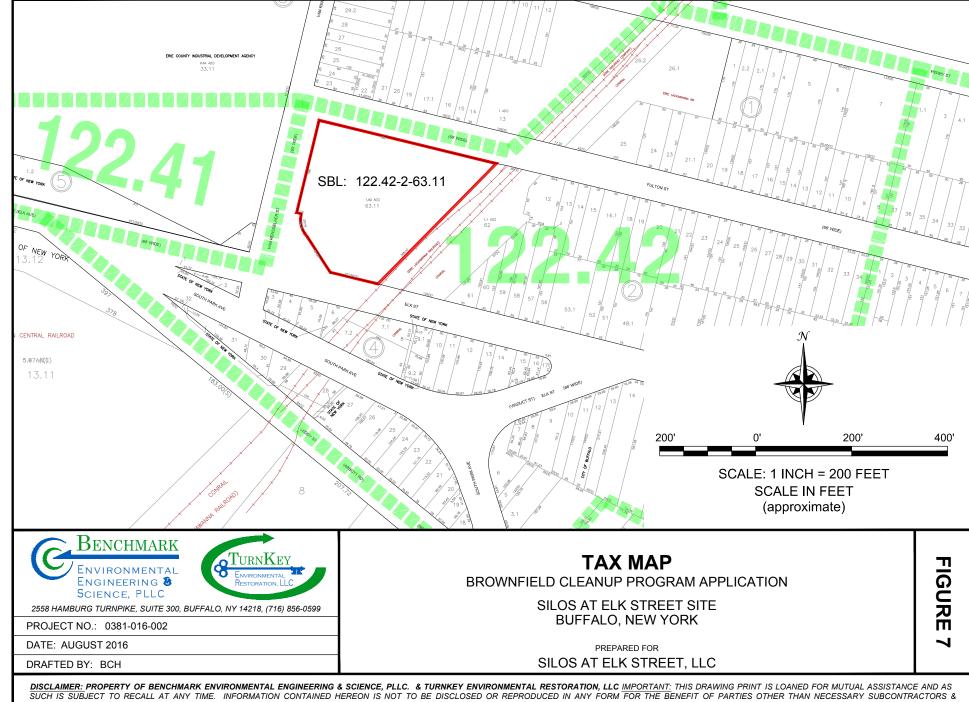
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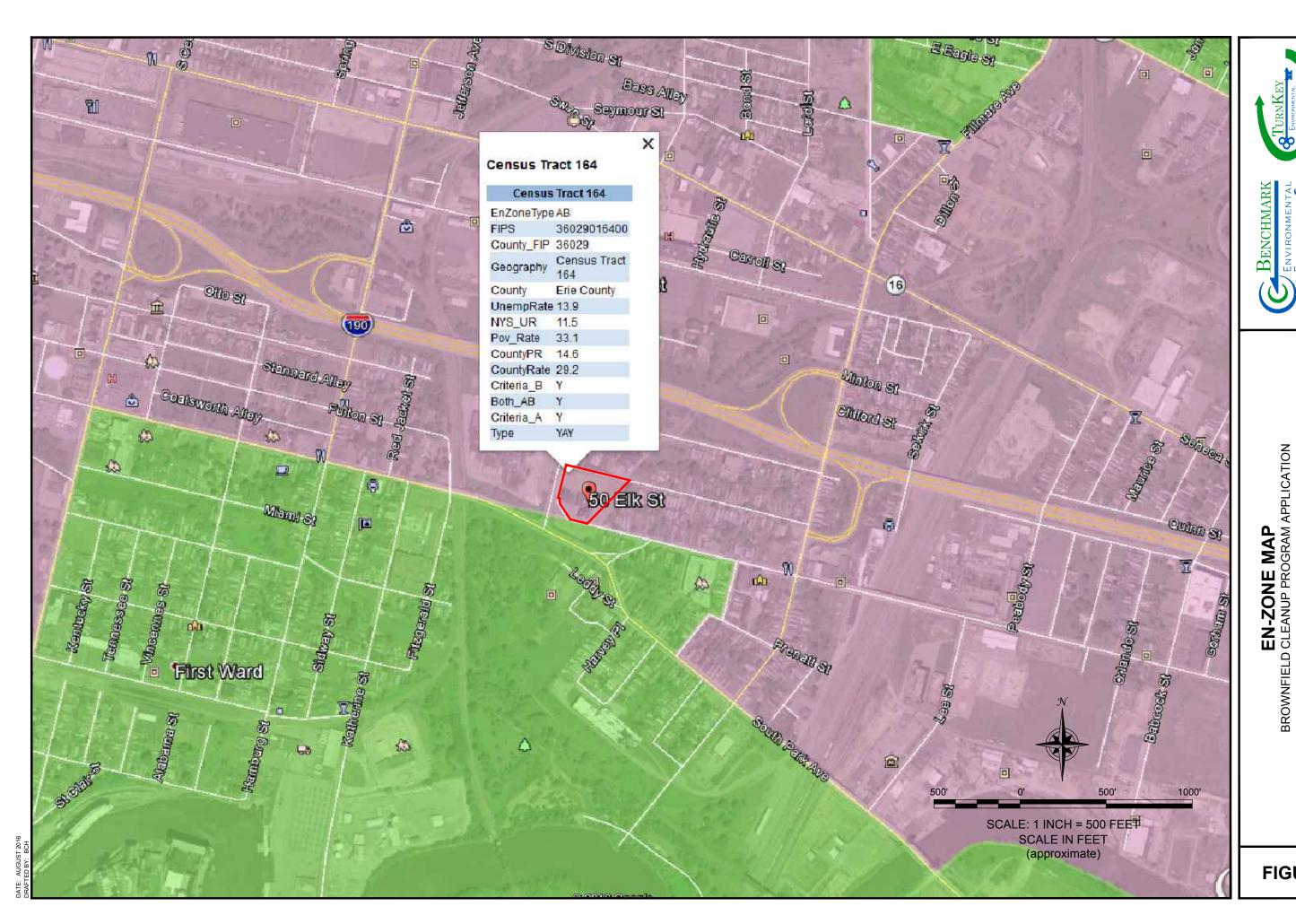
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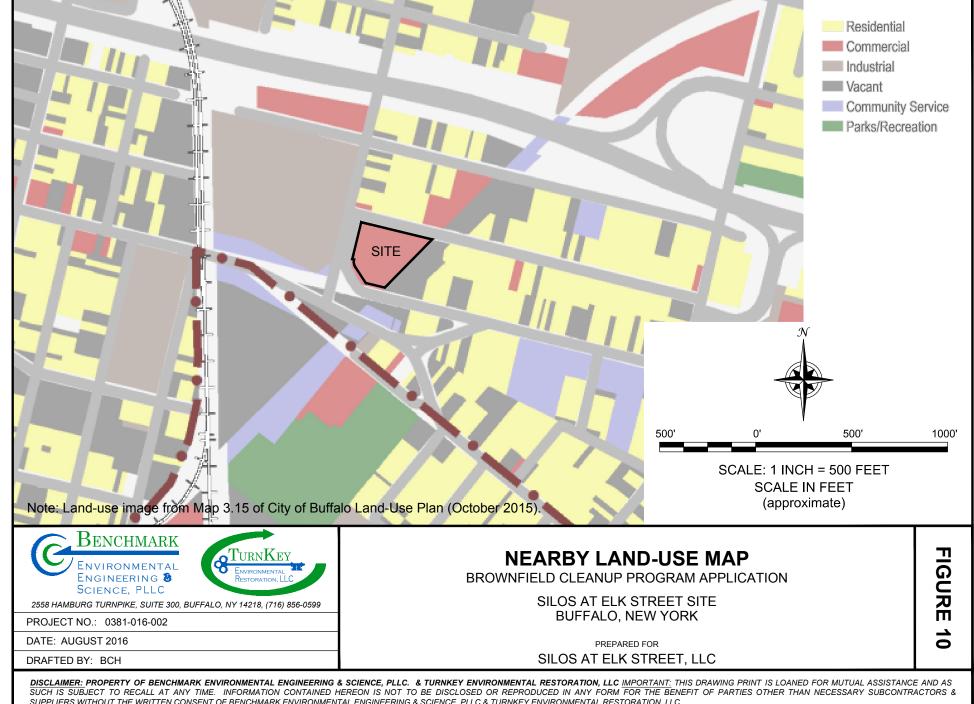
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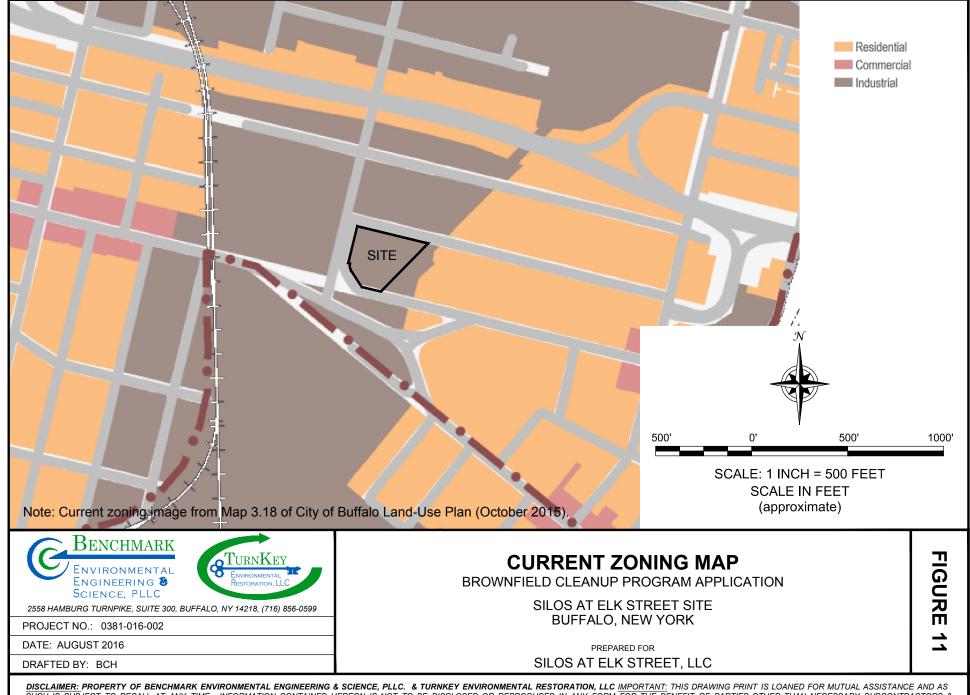
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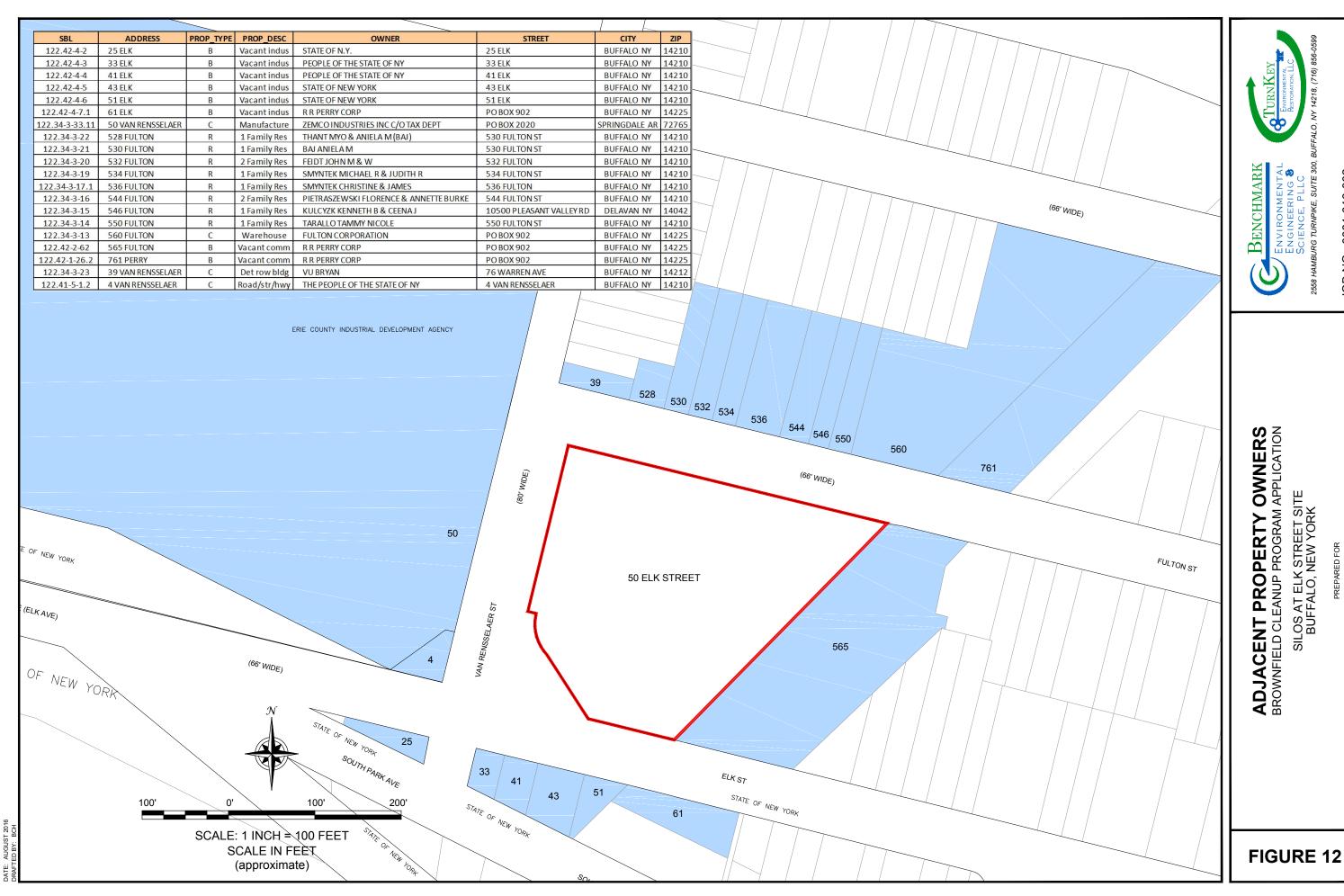
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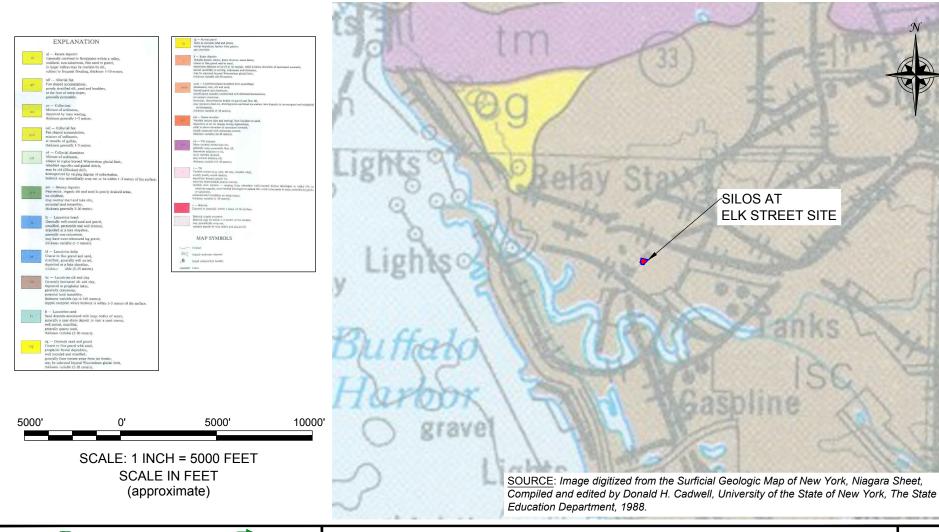
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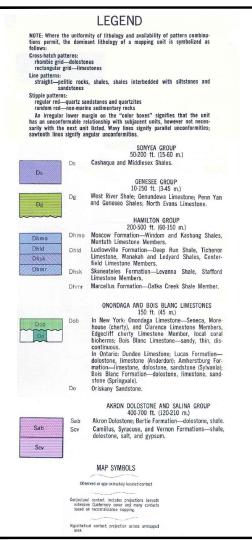
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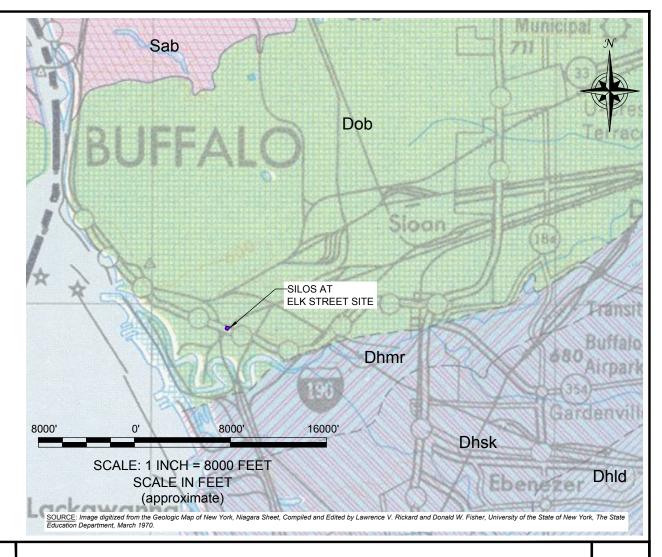
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Potential EJ Areas





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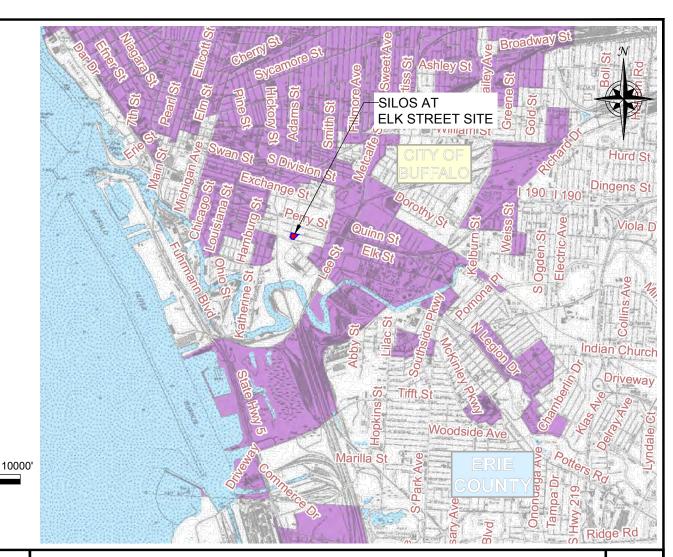
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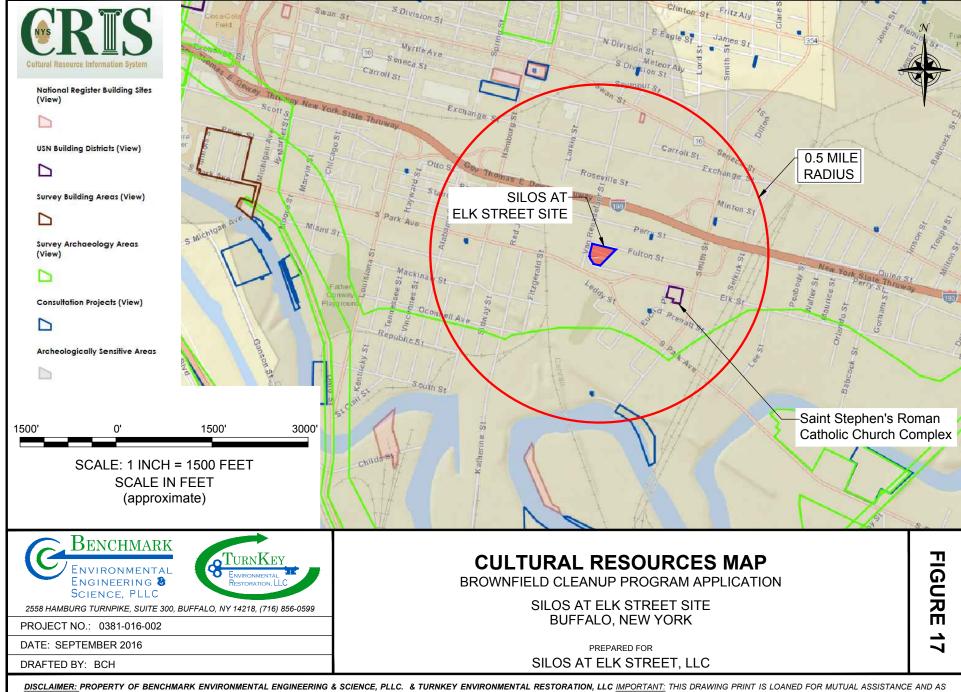
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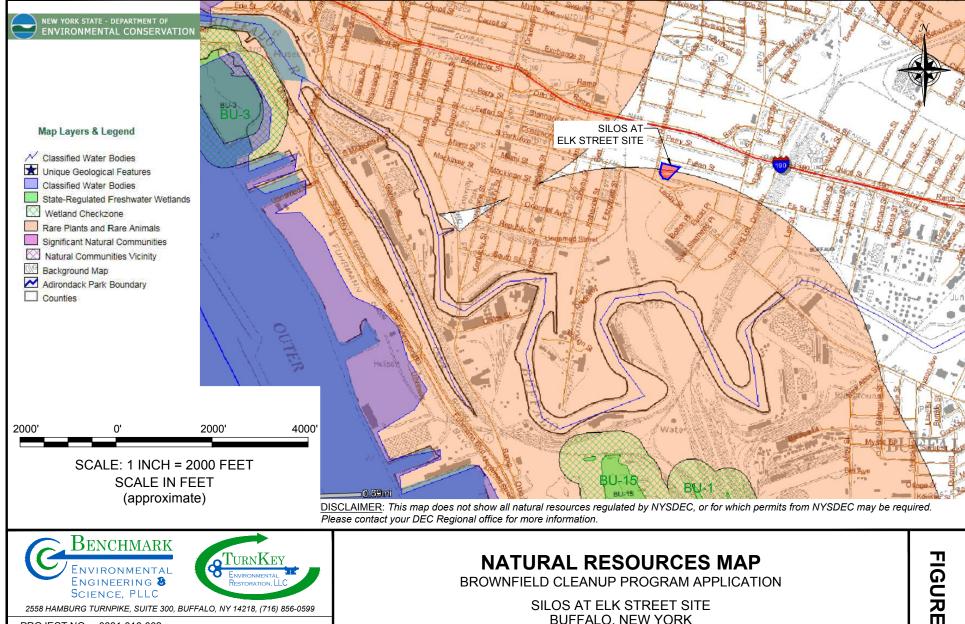
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FIGURE 19

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ATTACHMENT 1 BCP APPLICATION – SECTIONS I & V

REQUESTER INFORMATION

NYS DEPARTMENT OF STATE CORPORATION & BUSINESS ENTITY DATABASE
SIGNATURE RESOLUTION
SITE ACCESS / CLOSING LETTER



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NYS Department of State

Division of Corporations

Entity Information

The information contained in this database is current through August 26, 2016.

Selected Entity Name: SILOS AT ELK STREET, LLC

Selected Entity Status Information

Current Entity Name: SILOS AT ELK STREET, LLC

DOS ID #: 4999270

Initial DOS Filing Date: AUGUST 25, 2016

County: ERIE

Jurisdiction: NEW YORK

Entity Type: DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Current Entity Status: ACTIVE

Selected Entity Address Information

DOS Process (Address to which DOS will mail process if accepted on behalf of the entity)

SILOS AT ELK STREET, LLC 740 SENECA STREET BUFFALO, NEW YORK, 14210

Registered Agent

NONE

This office does not require or maintain information regarding the names and addresses of members or managers of nonprofessional limited liability companies. Professional limited liability companies must include the name(s) and address (es) of the original members, however this

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information is not recorded and only available by viewing the certificate.

*Stock Information

of Shares Type of Stock \$ Value per Share

No Information Available

*Stock information is applicable to domestic business corporations.

Name History

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AUG 25, 2016 Actual SILOS AT ELK STREET, LLC

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The undersigned hereby certify that he is the duly qualified Managing Member and custodian of the books and records of Silos at Elk Street, LLC, a corporation duly formed pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, and that the foregoing is a true record of a resolution duly adopted by the Members at a meeting of Silos at Elk Street, LLC and that said meeting was held in accordance with state law and the Bylaws of the above-named Corporation on State 12, 2016, and that said resolution is now in full force and effect without modification or rescission.

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Som	SHAWN WRIGHT	
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KRISTEN M. ZDHOJEWSKI No. 01ZD6090623 Notary Public Catho of New York Qualified in Edo County My Commission of June 04/14/20-19 Mr. Chad Staniszewski New York State Division of Environmental Conservation 270 Michigan Avenue Buffalo, NY 14203

Re:

Silos at Elk Street Site

50 Elk Street

Buffalo, New York

Dear Mr. Staniszewski:

Please be advised that the property located at 50 Elk Street is currently owned by Brookfield Interest, LLC. As such, Brookfield Interest, LLC is granting Silos at Elk Street, LLC, affiliated entities, and its agents full right of access to the property to undertake investigation, remediation and redevelopment of the property under the New York Brownfield Cleanup Program.

If you have any questions whatsoever, please do not hesitate to call me.

Regards,

Shawn Wright

Partner

ATTACHMENT 2 BCP Application – Sections II, VII, & VIII

PROPERTY ELIGIBILITY & DESCRIPTION

PROJECT DESCRIPTION
REQUESTOR AS A VOLUNTEER
PROJECT ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION
THE CONTAMINATION ELEMENT
THE COMPLICATION ELEMENT
ELIGIBILITY STATEMENT



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PROPERTY DESCRIPTION & ELIGIBILITY

Silos at Elk Street Site

SECTION II - PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project Description & Schedule

The subject property (hereinafter, the "Project Site" or the "Site") subject to the BCP application is one parcel approximately 1.9 acres, located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York (see Figures 1 and 2).

The Applicant plans to rehabilitate the existing silo and associated building to serve as the home office for Young & Wright Architectural along with potential for other leasable space and possible future residential space. Young & Wright's offices will be constructed to support a total of 50 employees. The Applicant, upon acceptance into the BCP, is willing to complete the required investigation and remediation, and redevelop the contaminated parcel. The preliminary Site Redevelopment Plan estimates capital investments of approximately \$1.6 MM to \$2.5 MM to investigate, remediate, and redevelop the Site. A preliminary project rendering is included as Figure 3. A Preliminary Project Schedule is presented on Figure 4.

SECTION VII - REQUESTOR ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

The Requestor as a Volunteer

A BCP applicant may be either a "Participant" or a "Volunteer."

A "Participant" is an applicant who either (i) was the owner of the site at the time of the disposal or discharge of contaminants; or (ii) is otherwise responsible according to applicable principles of statutory or common law liability, unless such person's liability arises solely as a result of such person's ownership or operation of or involvement with the site subsequent to the disposal or discharge. NY ECL 27-1405(1)(a). This definition is repeated verbatim at 6NYCRR 375-3.2(b)(1) and is paraphrased in the Brownfield Cleanup Program Guide at Section 2.4(1)(A).

A "Volunteer" is an applicant other than a participant, including a person whose liability arises solely as a result of such person's ownership or operation of or involvement with the site subsequent to the disposal or discharge of contaminants provided that such person

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exercises appropriate care with respect to the contamination. NY ECL 27-1405(1)(b). This definition is repeated verbatim at 6 NYCRR 375-3.2(b)(2) and is paraphrased in the Brownfield Cleanup Program Guide at Section 2.4(1)(B).

Since the Applicant became involved with the property after the disposal or discharge of contaminants, and has exercised appropriate care with respect to the contamination, it is entitled to Volunteer status under NY ECL27-1405(1)(b).

SECTION VIII - PROPERTY ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

Property Eligibility Information

The Site meets the definition of a "Brownfield site" as set forth in New York State Environmental Conservation Law (the "ECL"). The ECL Section 27-1405(2) defines a "Brownfield site" as "any real property, the development, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a contaminant." The regulations in 6NYCRR 375-3.3(a)(1) reiterate that a brownfield site has two elements and adds a "reasonable basis" test to each:

- (1) A brownfield site has two elements:
 - (i) There must be confirmed contamination on the property or a reasonable basis to believe that contamination is likely to be present on the property (the "Contamination Element"); and,
 - (ii) There must be a reasonable basis to believe that the contamination or potential presence of contamination may be complicating the development, use, or re-use of the property (the "Complication Element")

Moreover, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation BCP Eligibility Guidance dated March 2005, which is incorporated into the Brownfield Cleanup Program Guide establishes several factors that the Department considers in evaluating whether the Contamination Element and the Complication Element exist.



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The Contamination Element

The Department considers the following factors with respect to the Contamination Element, to the extent they are relevant to the proposed Site:

- (A) The nature and extent of known or suspected contamination;
- (B) Whether contaminants are present at levels that exceed standards, criteria, or guidance;
- (C) Whether contamination on the proposed site is historic fill material or exceeds background levels;
- (D) Whether there are or were industrial or commercial operations at the proposed site which may have resulted in environmental contamination; and/or,
- (E) Whether the proposed site has previously been subject to closure, a removal action, an interim or final remedial action, corrective action or any other cleanup activities performed by or under the oversight of the State or Federal government.

The Contamination Element of the BCP Eligibility Test has clearly been met in this application because:

- (A) The previous investigations have established that on-site soils have been impacted by contaminants that will require remediation.
- (B) PAH and lead contaminated soils, evidenced by analytical sample results present on-Site exceeding Part 375 Protection of Groundwater SCO, are complicating redevelopment efforts.
- (C) The Site has not previously been subject to cleanup activities by or under the oversight of State or Federal agencies.

The Complication Element

The Department considers the following factors with respect to the Complication Element; to the extent they are relevant to the proposed Site:

(A) Whether the proposed site is idled, abandoned or underutilized;

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- (B) Whether the proposed site is unattractive for redevelopment or reuse due to the presence or reasonable perception of contamination;
- (C) Whether properties in the immediate vicinity of the proposed site show indicators of economic distress such as high commercial vacancy rates or depressed property values; and/or,
- (D) Whether the estimated cost of any necessary remedial program is likely to be significant in comparison to the anticipated value of the proposed site as redeveloped or reused.

The Complication Element of the BCP Eligibility Test has clearly been met in this application because the proposed Site is unattractive for redevelopment or reuse due to the presence of contamination. This factor is clearly established by the following:

- (A) The Site has been vacant and underutilized since 1980 (36 years).
- (B) The Site is currently unattractive for redevelopment or reuse due to the known presence of significant contamination that will require remediation.
- (C) The estimated cost of a proposed remedial program with regard to the Site is significant in comparison to the value of the Site (i.e., estimated at approximately 75-100% of the value of the Site if it were not environmentally impaired).

ELIGIBILITY STATEMENT

Based on the foregoing and as further set forth in this BCP application, the Site meets the Contamination Element and the Complication Element tests. As such, the Site qualifies as a Brownfield Site eligible for participation in the BCP, with the Applicant as a Volunteer, because (A) there is confirmed contamination at the Site, and (B) the contamination is complicating the redevelopment and re-use of the Site.



November 8, 2016

Ms. Bernadette Anderson NYSDEC – DER/BTS 625 Broadway, 11th Floor Albany, NY 12233-7020

Re:

Silos at Elk Street Site 50 Elk Street

Buffalo, New York

Dear Mr. Staniszewski:

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ATTACHMENT 3 BCP APPLICATION – SECTIONS III & VI

PROPERTY ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY

Environmental History

Previous Environmental Investigations (*Provided Electronically*)

Past Land Uses

Previous /Current Property Owners / Operators



BCP Application – Sections III & VI

PROPERTY'S ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY

Silos at Elk Street Site

SECTION III - ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY

Property's Environmental History

A Phase I Environmental Site Assessment, a Limited Phase II Investigation, and a Supplemental Test Pit Investigation have been performed on the subject property. Copies of the following referenced environmental reports are provided electronically to this Attachment. Documented exceedances of the Part 375 Restricted Residential Soil Cleanup Objectives (RRSCOs) are presented on Figure 5.

Previous Environmental Investigations

A brief summary of previous environmental findings completed for the Site are presented below. The actual reports are provided electronically on the attached CD.

- Phase I Environmental Site Assessment Report (ASTM E1527-13), 50 Elk Street, Buffalo, NY, May 2016
 - Benchmark completed a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) on the subject property in May 2016. The Phase I ESA report identified the following Recognized Environmental Conditions (RECs):
 - The long history of on-Site malting operations with various associated equipment, water-filled pits, and railroad tracks, along with the reasonably anticipated historic use of hazardous/regulated materials, is considered a REC due to the potential for impacts to the environment.
 - The black fine ash/coal-like material with limited vegetation observed in exterior areas west and north of the building is considered a REC as the exact nature of the material is unknown.
 - The Site is located in a mixed-use area with proximate current/historic industrial operations, including railroad tracks/yards.

Per ASTM E1527-13, non-scope considerations are described as ancillary observations during performance of the on-site investigation. Non-scope considerations are not considered RECs under ASTM E1527, but may represent health or environmental issues impacting the Site and/or property value. Based on the ages of the existing buildings, Benchmark identified the potential for suspect ACMs and lead exists.

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The report recommended a Phase II Investigation to characterize the blackish materials and water-filled pits observed during the Phase I site visit. Benchmark also recommended that asbestos, lead, and/or PCBs, if present, should also be properly handled as part of future site renovation/demolition activities.

Limited Phase II Investigation, 50 Elk Street, Buffalo, NY, June 2016

Based on the findings of the Phase I ESA, a Limited Phase II Site Investigation was performed on June 9, 2016, to assess RECs identified by the Phase I. The specific RECs assessed included water-filled pits (suspected to be in contact with groundwater) in the lower areas of the building likely associated with former milling operations, and exterior areas where the presence of surficial blackish fines (potentially coal) with limited vegetation were observed in distinct locations west and north of the building (see Figure 2). One pit water sample (PIT-1) was collected and analyzed for USEPA Target Compound List (TCL) plus NYSDEC CP-51 volatile organic compounds (VOCs) (Method 8260). Two surface soil grab samples (SS-1 and SS-2) were collected from the blackish fines area, composited (COMP-1), and analyzed for polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) (Method 8270), RCRA metals (Method 6010/7471), and Total Organic Carbon (TOC) (Lloyd Kahn).

The analytical results of the water-filled pits were non-detect for VOCs. The black fines composite sample (COMP-1) showed elevated PAHs and heavy metals, some at concentrations above Part 375 RRSCOs. The black fines composite sample showed elevated PAHs (benzo(a)anthracene, benzo(a)pyrene, benzo(ghi)perylene, and indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene) and heavy metals at concentrations above Part 375 restricted residential soil cleanup objectives (RRSCOs). The concentration of barium was 2,370 mg/kg (versus 400 mg/kg RRSCO), cadmium was 8.5 mg/kg (versus 4.3 mg/kg RRSCO), and lead was 4,970 mg/kg (versus 400 mg/kg RRSCO). Total organic carbon was 70,400 ppm. TCLP lead was reported at a concentration of 26.5 mg/L, which exceeds the TCLP regulatory level of 5 mg/L Sample locations are shown on Figure 2 and analytical results are summarized in Table 1. Sample results exceeding RRSCOs are shown on Figure 5 by location.

Supplemental Test Pit Investigation, 50 Elk Street, Buffalo, NY, July 2016

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Based on the results of the June 2016 Limited Phase II Investigation, a site-wide supplemental test pit investigation was performed on July 21, 2016. Nineteen shallow test pits (TP-1 thru TP-19) were excavated equidistantly across the Site to further characterize overburden soils (see Figure 2). Each test pit was advanced through unconsolidated soil/fill to native soils approximately 2.5 to 5.0 feet below ground



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surface. Non-native soils were targeted and fifteen soil/fill samples were submitted for total lead (Method 6010), six of which were submitted for TCLP lead analysis.

In general, the shallow overburden was characterized from grade as a vegetated lean clay with sand (suspected topsoil) above a greyish white to black anthropogenic ashy-fill unit (mostly non-plastic fines, coal fragments, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, etc.) underlain by a stiff lacustrine clay unit (suspected native soil). Surficial blackish fines (potentially coal) were observed in areas west and north of the building (see Figure 2). The topsoil unit was absent in these two areas of the Site. Test pit dimensions, observations, and sample depths are summarized in Table 2.

None of the excavated test pit spoils exhibited photoionization detector (PID) scans above background concentrations (i.e., 0.0 ppm). Olfactory evidence of impact was not identified at any test pit location, however anthropogenic fill material was visually observed in the upper 1 to 4 feet at each location. Analytical results of test pit soil/fill samples from that general interval showed elevated lead at concentrations well above the Part 375 RRSCO at 12 of the 15 sample submitted. Total lead concentrations ranged from 45.2 mg/kg (TP-15) to 3,070 mg/kg (TP-13) compared to the RRSCO of 400 mg/kg. TCLP lead was analyzed at six test pit locations with concentrations ranging from 0.047 mg/L (TP-14) to 1.7 mg/L (TP-13), which are below the TCLP regulatory level of 5 mg/L. Test pit locations are shown on Figure 2 and analytical results are summarized in Table 3. Sample results exceeding RRSCOs are shown on Figure 5 by location.

SECTION VI – PREVIOUS USES & OWNERS/OPERATORS

Past Land Uses

In May 2016, Benchmark completed a Phase I ESA for the Silos at Elk Street Site. Historic maps, historic aerial photographs, municipal records, city directories, and/or other reasonably obtainable documents were used by Benchmark to determine the historical use of the Site. The Phase I reported the following regarding Site history:

• From 1889 to about 1899, the Site was developed with numerous former residential and commercial buildings in addition to railroad tracks along the eastern portion of the Site. Commercial operations included storefronts and taverns.

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- From about 1899 to the 1980s, the Site-use was generally consistent with historic uses in addition to malting operations with storage areas, malting floors, a kiln, coal areas, engine rooms, offices, a transformer room, cleaning areas, and grain elevators/silos.
- From the 1980s to 2016, the Site has been vacant.

Additional information gathered during the Phase I identified three recognized environmental conditions (RECs) warranting intrusive investigation of the Site discussed in the previous section. The three RECs included:

- The long history of on-Site malting operations with various associated equipment, water-filled pits, and railroad tracks, along with the reasonably anticipated historic use of hazardous/regulated materials, is considered a REC due to the potential for impacts to the environment.
- The black fine ash/coal-like material with limited vegetation observed in exterior areas west and north of the building is considered a REC as the exact nature of the material is unknown.
- The Site is located in a mixed-use area with proximate current/historic industrial operations, including railroad tracks/yards.

Per ASTM E1527-13, non-scope considerations are described as ancillary observations during performance of the on-site investigation. Non-scope considerations are not considered RECs under ASTM E1527, but may represent health or environmental issues impacting the Site and/or property value. Based on the ages of the existing buildings, Benchmark identified the potential for suspect asbestos containing material (ACM) and lead exists.

The report recommended a Phase II Investigation to characterize the blackish materials and water-filled pits observed during the Phase I site visit. Benchmark also recommended that asbestos, lead, and/or PCBs, if present, should also be properly handled as part of future site renovation/demolition activities.



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Previous/Current Property Owners/Operators

According to the Phase I ESA, from about 1899 to the 1980s, the Site-use was generally consistent with historic commercial uses in addition to malting operations with storage areas, malting floors, a kiln, coal areas, engine rooms, offices, a transformer room, cleaning areas, and grain elevators/silos. The Site has been vacant since the 1980s. As such, reasonable attempts were made to attain complete information regarding current and previous site owners and operators. Based on available records contact information for the previous and current owners/operators has been provided, as available.

The following table lists the current and previous property owners/operators:

Owner/Operator	Date(s)	Relationship to Applicant		
Current Owner/Operator				
Brookfield Interest, LLC Shawn Wright & Jerry Young	October 2015 ~ current	Same		
Previous Owners/Operators				
Wm Kreiner and Sons, Inc. Kreiner Malting Corp. Wm E. Kreiner Kreiner and Lehr Eastern Grain Elevator Buffalo Malting Corporation	1899 ~ 2015	None		
Individual owners/occupants F.A Dole Maltster	1889 ~ 1899	None		

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PARCEL DESCRIPTION
EASEMENTS & PERMITS
PROPERTY DESCRIPTION NARRATIVE



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Parcel Description

The subject property (hereinafter, the "Project Site" or the "Site") subject to the BCP application is one parcel approximately 1.9 acres, located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York (see Figures 1 and 2), and is further identified as:

• 50 Elk Street, S.B.L. # 122.42-2-63.11, 1.9 acres

The Erie County Real Property parcel boundaries are presented on Figure 6 and a formal tax map of the Site is provided as Figure 7.

The Site is located in the southern portion of the City of Buffalo, and is bound by Fulton Street to the north, Elk Street to the west and south, and a former rail spur and vacant land to the east. Beyond the streets, the Site is bounded by mixed-use to the north and south (residential, commercial, and industrial), residential to the east, and vacant industrial to the west (see Figure 8).

The Site is located in US Census Tract 164 and is a NYS designated environmental zone (or EN-Zone) Type A and B (see Figure 9), which is indicative of the economic conditions of the surrounding area. Type A EN-Zones include a poverty rate of at least 20% and unemployment of at 125% of the State average and Type B EN-Zones include a poverty rate of at least double the Erie County poverty rate.

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Easements and Permits

Utilities are located in the right-of-ways along Elk and Fulton Streets. Natural gas easements may also be located along the eastern and western boundary of the Site; this will need to be confirmed. However, these easements are not expected to impede remedial activities. No other on-Site easements were identified; however historic easements may be present and will be researched during the completion of the ALTA Survey for the Certificate of Completion (COC).

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Based on review of the on-line NYSDEC Environmental Site Database and United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Enforcement and Compliance History Online (ECHO) database, no permits have been issued for the Site.

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Property Description Narrative

Location

The 50 Elk Street Site is located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York (see Figure 1). The Site sits at the corner of Elk and Fulton Streets. Elk Street wraps around the western and southern portion of the Site (see Figure 2). The Buffalo River is approximately 0.6 miles south of the Site.

Site Features

The Site is improved with a vacant multi-story former industrial building and adjacent asphalt parking lot. The abandoned building is constructed of brick, metal, and concrete. The remainder of the Site is mowed vegetative cover (e.g., grass) with two twin 30-inch cottonwood trees west of the building and scrub brush along the eastern property boundary.

Current Zoning and Land Use

The Site is currently vacant and zoned industrial. Land-use surrounding the Site includes residential, commercial, and vacant industrial properties (see Figure 10). Upon comparison, significant differences exist between land-use and zoning of surrounding properties. The current zoning map indicates primarily industrial to the north, west, and south, and residential to the east (see Figure 11). Adjacent property owners are identified on Figure 12. The planned future commercial use of the Site is consistent with City zoning.

Past Use of the Site

From 1889 to about 1899, the Site was developed with numerous former residential and commercial buildings in addition to railroad tracks along the eastern portion of the Site. Commercial operations include storefronts and taverns. From about 1899 to the 1980's, the



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Site-use was generally consistent with historic uses in addition to malting operations with storage areas, malting floors, a kiln, coal areas, engine rooms, offices, a transformer room, cleaning areas, and grain elevators/silos. From the 1980s to 2016, the Site has been vacant.

The following Recognized Environmental Conditions (RECs) are associated with the Site:

- The long history of on-Site malting operations with various associated equipment, water-filled pits, and railroad tracks, along with the reasonably anticipated historic use of hazardous/regulated materials, is considered a REC due to the potential for impacts to the environment.
- The black fine ash/coal-like material with limited vegetation observed in exterior areas west and north of the building is considered a REC as the exact nature of the material is unknown (see Figure 2).
- The Site is located in a mixed-use area with proximate current/historic industrial operations, including railroad tracks/yards.

Other issues that are not RECs, but may represent health or environmental issues impacting the Site and/or property value include suspected asbestos containing materials (ACMs), historic PCB-containing light ballasts and/or transformers, and lead paint due mainly to the age of the on-site abandoned building.

The black fine ash/coal-like material showed elevated PAHs and heavy metals, some at concentrations above Part 375 industrial soil cleanup objectives (ISCOs). Soil/fill also was characteristically hazardous for lead via Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP).

As clearly evidenced by the known contamination associated with the historic Site use, and the known contamination identified on-Site, as well as the potential for additional impacts associated with historic on-Site operations, environmental contamination at the Site complicates use and future redevelopment/reuse of the Project Site. Additional details regarding the findings of the previous investigation are presented in Attachment 3.

Site Geology and Hydrogeology

The Site is located within the Erie-Ontario lake plain physiographic province, which is typified by little topographic relief and gentle slope toward Lake Erie, except in the immediate vicinity

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of major drainage ways. The surficial geology of the Lake Erie Plain consists of a thin glacial till (if present), glaciolacustrine deposits, recent alluvium, and the soils derived from these deposits. Based on the New York State Surficial Geologic Map of New York¹ (see Figure 13), surficial soil at the Site is described as a lacustrine silt and clay. However, due to a heavy urbanization and industrial past, surface soils within the City of Buffalo are characterized as urban land (Ud) with level to gently sloping land in which 80 percent or more of the soil surface is covered by asphalt, concrete, buildings, or other impervious structures, typical of an urban environment.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Soil Conservation Service soil survey map of Erie County indicates the majority of the Site consists of urban land Niagara complex (Us) soils and to a lesser extent the previously described Urban Land (Ud). The urban land Niagara complex (Us) material is characterized by nearly level areas of urban land and somewhat poorly drained Niagara soils (e.g., lacustrine) with a slope ranging from 0 to 3 percent. Figure 14 presents the USDA soil type map for the Site.

Currently, the majority of the Site is vegetated with small asphalt drive/parking area and a multi-story building. The overburden material from grade is a vegetated lean clay with sand (topsoil) above a greyish white to black anthropogenic ashy-fill unit (mostly non-plastic fines, coal fragments, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, etc.) underlain by a stiff lacustrine clay unit (suspected native soil). The topsoil unit is absent in the stressed vegetative black fine ash/coal-like areas previously described (see Figure 2).

Based on the New York State Geologic Map of New York², the Site is situated over the Onondaga Formation of the Middle Devonian Series. The Onondaga Formation is comprised of varying texture bedrock from coarse to very finely crystalline with a dark gray to tan color and chert and fossils within. The Onondaga has an approximated thickness of 110 to 160 feet.

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¹ Surficial Geologic Map of New York, Niagara Sheet, Compiled and edited by Donald H. Cadwell, University of the State of New York, The State Education Department, 1988.

² Geologic Map of New York, Niagara Sheet, Compiled and Edited by Lawrence V. Rickard and Donald W. Fisher, University of the State of New York, The State Education Department, March 1970.

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Structurally, the bedrock formations strike in an east-west direction and exhibit a regional dip that approximates 40 feet per mile (3 to 5 degrees) toward the south and southwest. An intersecting, orthogonal pattern of fractures and joint sets are common throughout the bedrock strata. The depth to and type of bedrock below the Site has not been determined. Figure 15 presents the bedrock geology map for the Site.

The Site is located in the Erie-Niagara River Basin. In the Erie-Niagara Basin, the major areas of groundwater are within coarser overburden deposits and limestone and shale bedrock. Regional groundwater appears to flow south and west towards the Buffalo River and Lake Erie. Local groundwater flow, however, may be influenced by subsurface features, such as excavations, utilities, and localized fill-conditions. On-Site groundwater flow patterns and quality will be determined during the Remedial Investigation (RI).

Environmental Assessment

Previous investigations completed on the Site (see Attachment 3) included a Limited Phase II Investigation (Benchmark, June 2016) and a Supplemental Test Pit Investigation (Benchmark, July 2016). Both investigations were based on the previously discussed RECs identified during the Phase I ESA (Benchmark, May 2016). The specific RECs assessed during the Limited Phase II included water-filled pits (suspected to be in contact with groundwater) in the lower areas of the building likely associated with former milling operations, and exterior areas where the presence of surficial blackish fines (potentially coal) with limited vegetation were observed in distinct locations west and north of the building (see Figure 2). The analytical results of the water-filled pits were non-detect for VOCs. The black fines composite sample showed elevated PAHs (benzo(a)anthracene, benzo(a)pyrene, benzo(ghi)perylene, and indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene) and heavy metals at concentrations above Part 375 restricted residential soil cleanup objectives (RRSCOs). The concentration of barium was 2,370 mg/kg (versus 400 mg/kg RRSCO), cadmium was 8.5 mg/kg (versus 4.3 mg/kg RRSCO), and lead was 4,970 mg/kg (versus 400 mg/kg RRSCO). Total organic carbon was 70,400 ppm. TCLP lead was reported at a concentration of 26.5 mg/L, which exceeds the TCLP regulatory level of 5 mg/L.

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Based on the results of the June 2016 Limited Phase II Investigation, a site-wide supplemental test pit investigation was performed in July 2016. Nineteen shallow test pits (TP-1 thru TP-19) were excavated equidistantly across the Site to further characterize overburden soils (see Figure 2). Each test pit was advanced through unconsolidated soil/fill to native soils approximately 2.5 to 5.0 feet below ground surface. Non-native soils were targeted and fifteen soil/fill samples were submitted for total lead (Method 6010), six of which were submitted for TCLP lead analysis.

None of the excavated test pit spoils exhibited photoionization detector (PID) scans above background concentrations (i.e., 0.0 ppm). Olfactory evidence of impact was not identified at any test pit location, however visually impacted soil/fill was observed in the upper 1 to 4 feet at each location. Analytical results of test pit soil/fill samples from that general interval showed elevated lead at concentrations well above the Part 375 RRSCO at 12 of the 15 sample submitted. Total lead concentrations ranged from 45.2 mg/kg (TP-15) to 3,070 mg/kg (TP-13) compared to the RRSCO of 400 mg/kg. TCLP lead was analyzed at six test pit locations with concentrations ranging from 0.047 mg/L (TP-14) to 1.7 mg/L (TP-13), which are below the TCLP regulatory level of 5 mg/L. Test pit locations are shown on Figure 2.

Based on findings to date, the Constituents of Potential Concern (COPCs) are presented by media below:

- Surface Soil/Fill: PAHs and metals (barium, cadmium, lead) and TCLP lead
- Subsurface Soil/Fill: PAHs and metals
- Groundwater: To be determined during the RI
- Soil Vapor: Not likely based on preliminary data, however it will be considered during pending results of the RI

Additional details regarding the findings of the previous investigation is presented in Attachment 3.

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CONTACT LIST INFORMATION

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SITE CONTACT LIST

The following is the contact list for the subject property. Each contact will be sent fact sheets throughout the project's duration.

Erie County Contacts:

Honorable Mark Poloncarz Erie County Legislator Barbara Miller-Williams

Erie County Executive District 1

95 Franklin Street 427 William Street Buffalo, NY 14202 Buffalo, NY 14204

Commissioner Thomas R. Hersey, Jr. Mr. Paul Kranz Erie Co. Environment & Planning Associate Engineer

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City of Buffalo Contacts:

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James K. Morrell, Chairman City of Buffalo Planning Board 901 City Hall Buffalo, NY 14219

Supplier of Potable Water:

Erie County Water Authority 295 Main Street #350 Buffalo, NY 14203

Local News Media:

Buffalo News ATTN: Ms. Aaron Besecker 1 News Plaza Buffalo, NY 14240

WIVB - Ch. 4 ATTN: Ms. Lisa Fullone 2077 Elmwood Avenue Buffalo, NY 14207

Alternate Press ATTN: Mr. Joe Schmidbauer P.O. Box 729, Washington Station Buffalo, NY 14205 David A. Franczyk, Councilman City of Buffalo 1315 City Hall Buffalo, NY 14219

WGRZ TV - Ch. 2 ATTN: Ms. Maria Sisti 259 Delaware Avenue Buffalo, NY 14202

WKBW News Channel 7 ATTN: Ms. Melanie Pritchard 7 Broadcast Plaza Buffalo, NY 14202

Business First ATTN: Anne Marie Franczyk 465 Main Street Buffalo, NY 14203-1793



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WBEN News Radio 930 Entercom Radio of Buffalo 500 Corporate Pkwy Suite 200 Buffalo, NY 14226 WNED, Environmental News Desk ATTN: Mr. Michael Desmond P.O. Box 1263, Horizons Plaza Buffalo, NY 14240

Nearby Schools:

Ms. June Clark, Principal Community School #53 At #4 425 South Park Avenue Buffalo, NY 14204 Mr. Miguel Medina PS 33 Bilingual Center 157 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210

Nearby Day Care Centers:

Ms. Margaret Overdorf Valley Child Care LCO 726 Exchange Street Buffalo, NY 14210 Ms. Margaret Overdorf Valley Child Care Center 93 Leddy Street Buffalo, NY 14210

Other Interested Parties:

WNY Director Citizens Environmental Coalition 543 Franklin Street Buffalo, NY 14202-1109

Document Repository:

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Mary Jean Jakubowski Deputy Director Buffalo & Erie County Public Library 1 Lafayette Square Buffalo, NY 14203





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	Adjacent Property	Property Owner	
No.	Street	Property Use	Mailing Address
39	Van Rensselaer	Residential	Bryan Vu 76 Warren Avenue Buffalo, NY 14212
528	Fulton	Residential	Myo & Aniela (Baj) Thant 530 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
530	Fulton	Residential	Aniela Baj 530 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
532	Fulton	Residential	John Feidt 532 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
534	Fulton	Residential	Michael & Judith Smyntek 534 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
536	Fulton	Residential	James & Christine Smyntek 536 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
544	Fulton	Residential	Florence Pietraszewski & Annette Burke 544 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
546	Fulton	Residential	Kenneth & Ceena Kulczyk 10500 Pleasant Valley Road Delavan, NY 14042
550	Fulton	Residential	Tammy Tarallo 550 Fulton Street Buffalo, NY 14210
560	Fulton	Commercial (Warehouse)	Fulton Corporation PO Box 902 Buffalo, NY 14225
761	Perry	Commercial (Vacant)	RR Perry Corp PO Box 902 Buffalo, NY 14225
565	Fulton	Commercial (Vacant)	RR Perry Corp PO Box 902 Buffalo, NY 14225



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	Adjacent Property	Property Owner	
No.	Street	Property Use	Mailing Address
61	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	RR Perry Corp PO Box 902 Buffalo, NY 14225
51	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	State of New York 51 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210
43	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	State of New York 43 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210
41	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	State of New York 41 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210
33	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	State of New York 33 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210
25	Elk	Industrial (Vacant)	State of New York 25 Elk Street Buffalo, NY 14210
4	Van Rensselaer	Road/Street/Highway ROW	State of New York 4 Van Rensselaer Street Buffalo, NY 14210
50	Van Rensselaer	Industrial (manufacture)	ZEMCO Industries Inc. c/o Tax Department PO Box 2020 Springdale, AZ 72765

ATTACHMENT 6 BCP APPLICATION – SECTION IX

DOCUMENT REPOSITORY

DOCUMENT REPOSITORY CONFIRMATION LETTER



Bryan C. Hann

From: April Tompkins <tompkinsa@buffalolib.org>
Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2016 12:01 PM

To: Bryan C. Hann

Subject: Repository Document

Good afternoon Brian,

Per our phone conversation, this is to inform you and confirm that the Buffalo and Erie County Public Library will be the repository for your Brownfield Cleanup Program document(s) and it/they will be made available for public review. *Also, this serves as permission to submit future document and updates.*

Please keep the following in mind:

 Documents (including updates) for public review should be sent or brought in person to the Central Library to the attention of Carol Batt, of whom I assist. Documents sent via e-mail will not be accepted. The mailing address is:

Attention: Carol Ann Batt Chief Operating Officer Buffalo and Erie County Public Library 1 Lafayette Square Buffalo, NY 14203

- Documents for the Central/Downtown library are made available on the first floor in the Information Services Department within a day or so after receipt. If received Friday afternoon, they go out the following Monday.
- If you would like the document(s) distributed at libraries other than Central, you will need to send the appropriate quantity of copies with labels regarding their destinations. We will distribution accordingly. We do not make copies for distribution.
- It's your choice regarding the format (hard copy and / or disk) you wish to submit. If the document is very large, part in hard copy and part on disk is acceptable. If submitting in both formats, please be sure that they are titled/labeled accordingly. Although CD-ROMs cannot be used on public library computers, if someone brings in their personal laptop, the disc can be viewed in house. If optional, an alternative is the availability to go online using a provided link for patrons to read/review/print.

If you still have any questions/concerns, please feel free to contact me by replying to this e-mail or by phone at 716-858-7129. Thank you.

Regards,

April Tompkins, Sr. Library Clerk

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Strong Advocates, Effective Solutions, Integrated Implementation

September 20, 2016

Mary Jean Jakubowski Director Buffalo & Erie County Public Library 1 Lafayette Square Buffalo, NY 14203

Re: Document Repository for Brownfield Cleanup Program

Silos at 50 Elk Street Site

Buffalo, New York

Dear Ms. Jakubowski:

Per my discussion with your librarian, thank you for agreeing to the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library acting as the document repository for the above-referenced Site. In the future, we will be sending various documents relating to the Site that should be made available for public review upon request.

Please contact if you have questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Benchmark Environmental Engineering & Science, PLLC

Bryan Hann

Project Manager

cc: File: 0381-016-002

ATTACHMENT 7 BCP APPLICATION – SECTION X

LAND-USE FACTORS

SITE SUMMARY

ADJACENT LAND USE, DEVELOPMENT PATTERNS, & ZONING

NATURAL & CULTURAL RESOURCES

GROUNDWATER VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT

GEOGRAPHY / TOPOGRAPHY

GEOLOGY / HYDROGEOLOGY



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Site Summary

The following provides a brief summary of the Site:

- The Site is located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York.
- The Site includes a vacant multi-story former industrial building and adjacent asphalt parking lot. The abandoned building is constructed of brick, metal, and concrete. The remainder of the Site is mowed vegetative cover (e.g., grass) with two twin 30-inch cottonwood trees west of the building and scrub brush along the eastern property boundary.
- The planned future commercial use of the Site is consistent with the local zoning plan (see Attachment 4).
- In accordance with §27-1415(3)(p), there are no environmental justice concerns associated with this project. The Site is not located within a NYSDEC Potential Environmental Justice (EJ) Area (see Figure 16).
- There are no State or Federal land use designations related to the property.
- Population in Erie county has increased by 3,538 (0.4%) over the period of April 2010 to July 2015 (per US Census Bureau).
- The Site has access to municipal utilities including: natural-gas, municipal sewer, electric, and public water.
- There are no known Institutional Controls (ICs) for the Site.

Adjacent Land Use, Development Patterns, & Zoning

The Site is located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York. The Site is bound by Fulton Street to the north, Elk Street to the west and south, and a former rail spur and vacant land to the east. Beyond the streets, the Site is bounded by mixed-use to the north and south (residential, commercial, and industrial), residential to the east, and vacant industrial to the west (see Attachment 4).

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The Site is currently vacant and zoned industrial. Land-use surrounding the Site includes residential, commercial, and vacant industrial properties. Upon comparison, significant differences exist between land-use and zoning of surrounding properties. The current zoning map indicates primarily industrial to the north, west, and south, and residential to the east. Land-use, zoning, and adjacent property owners are discussed in Attachment 4.

The Green Code is a place-based development strategy that builds on the City of Buffalo's award-winning comprehensive plan, Queen City in the 21st Century¹. The Comprehensive Plan set the agenda for the city's future by outlining four fundamental principles: fix the basics; build on assets; implement smart growth; and embrace sustainability. The Green Code follows up on this effort by translating the Comprehensive Plan's principles into a Land Use Plan² that will guide the city's physical development over the next 20 years. The Land Use Plan is further informed by specific plans for the waterfront and brownfield areas. The culmination of the Green Code is an update of the city's 60-year old zoning code with a new form-based code that will implement these plans. The Green Code also reforms the city's outdated set of Urban Renewal Plans (URPs) by incorporating their relevant provisions into the new code and creating one citywide URP for the city's Homestead Program.

Project Description and Planned Redevelopment

The Site subject to the BCP application is one parcel approximately 1.9 acres, located in a highly developed residential, commercial, and industrial area of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York (see Figures 1 and 2).

The Applicant plans to rehabilitate the existing silo and associated building to serve as the home office for Young & Wright Architectural along with potential for other leasable space and possible future residential space. Young & Wright's offices will be constructed to support a total of 50 employees. The Applicant, upon acceptance into the BCP, is willing to complete

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¹ Queen City in the 21st Century. Buffalo's Comprehensive Plan. Adopted February 7, 2006.

² City of Buffalo Land Use Plan. October 2015.

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the required investigation and remediation, and redevelop the contaminated parcel. The preliminary Site Redevelopment Plan estimates capital investments of approximately \$1.6 MM to \$2.5 MM to investigate, remediate, and redevelop the Site. A preliminary project rendering is included as Figure 3.

Planned reuse of the site as a commercial/residential development is consistent with current and contemplated future zoning as an Employment Area presented in the City's Green Code.

Natural and Cultural Resources

- Per the New York State Historical Preservation Office, there are two National Register listed historical sites located within 0.5 miles of the subject Site. The two sites are shown on Figure 17 and include:
 - 1. Kreiner Malting Elevator (USN No. 02940.006771). The subject property, also known as the Kreiner Malting Elevator, is identified as eligible for the National Register of Historic Places according to the criteria outlined in the Historic & Architectural Resources of the Buffalo Grain & Materials Elevator Multiple Property Submission. The on-site building retains a high degree of integrity from its 1920 and 1936 construction dates and exemplifies the exposed reinforced concrete multiple silo elevator style. Furthermore, the Kreiner Malting Elevator is located on an inland railroad line, which facilitated easy access. The Kreiner Malting Elevator consists of interconnected buildings and structures relating to the production and storage of malt. Though much of the original equipment is gone, the spaces are still delineated, with enough of the historic equipment (including conveyor belts, soaking tanks, tracked-augers, and multi-floor drying-technology) to clearly read as a malting facility. The building was built in two phases, with the original 1925 facility comprising a four-story kiln and malt house, a two-story cleaning and germination house, and four 123 foot silos, interconnected by a two-story steel and concrete circulation system and public space (including bathrooms). In 1936, a 115 foot rectangular addition containing six square silos was added to the building. The Kreiner Malting Elevator is locally significant under Criterion A in the area of Industry as a concrete grain elevator and malting facility that stored 280,000 bushels of grain in two elevators. A house, kiln house, and malt house are all interconnected to the elevators. William E. Kreiner, Sr. and his sons participated in the bustling grain and malting economy of Buffalo for almost a century, from Kreiner's

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initial foray into the industry in 1878 until Howard Kreiner retired in 1971. The building is also locally significant under Criterion C in the area of Architecture as a concrete grain elevator using slip poured construction, a building methodology developed in Buffalo to handle the high volume of grain the city's harbor received through the Great Lakes trade.

- 2. Saint Stephen's Roman Catholic Church Complex (USN No. 02940.028067). According to NYS, the complex appears eligible for the State and National Registers of Historic Places and consists of what appears to be two contributing buildings: a Church (1886, architect Frederick W. Humble) with an interconnected Rectory (1882, front addition ca. 1930s) and attached garage building (post-1951), and a School (1896).
- According to the NYSDEC's Environmental Resource Mapper (ERM) there are
 no important plant habitats, and endangered species listed for the area
 encompassing the Site (see Figure 18).
- There are no State wetlands or floodplains located on Site (see Figure 19). The nearest NYSDEC regulated freshwater wetland (BU-15) is located approximately 1.0 mile to the southwest of the site (see Figure 18).

Groundwater Vulnerability Assessment

Although groundwater was not sampled during previous investigations, the presence of leachable lead poses a threat to on-site groundwater quality. TCLP lead was reported at a concentration of 26.5 mg/L, which exceeds the TCLP regulatory level of 5 mg/L. Total lead was also detected in Site soil/fill at a concentration above the Part 375 Protection of Groundwater Soil Cleanup Objective (SCO).

Currently, there are no known deed restrictions on the use of groundwater at the Site. Municipal water is available to the Site and all surrounding properties. The municipal water is supplied by the Erie County Water Authority.

Based on the location and topography of the Site, groundwater would appear to flow southwest towards the Buffalo River and Lake Erie. Groundwater flow was not determined during previous investigations. As such, actual groundwater flow patterns at the Site will be confirmed during the Remedial Investigation. Additional work is required to investigate

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groundwater quality. Monitoring wells to assess and characterize groundwater flow patterns and quality are planned during the Remedial Investigation.

Geography/Topography

The Site is located within the Erie-Ontario lake plain physiographic province, which is typified by little topographic relief and gentle slope toward Lake Erie, except in the immediate vicinity of major drainage ways (USDA, 1986). The Site is topographically flat at an approximate elevation of 581 feet mean sea level. The surface of the Site is primarily vegetation (i.e., grass) with a small asphalt covered entrance/parking area along Elk Street (southern portion). The vegetative cover is stressed and absent in several small patches across the Site. Precipitation (i.e., rain or melting snow) that does not otherwise infiltrate, appears to discharge toward the southeast then southwest along the former railroad bed to the Buffalo River.

Geology/Hydrogeology

The surficial geology of the Lake Erie Plain consists of a thin glacial till (if present), glaciolacustrine deposits, recent alluvium, and the soils derived from these deposits. Based on the New York State Surficial Geologic Map of New York³ (see Figure 13), surficial soil at the Site is described as a lacustrine silt and clay. However, due to a heavy urbanization and industrial past, surface soils within the City of Buffalo are characterized as urban land (Ud) with level to gently sloping land in which 80 percent or more of the soil surface is covered by asphalt, concrete, buildings, or other impervious structures, typical of an urban environment.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Soil Conservation Service soil survey map of Erie County indicates the majority of the Site consists of urban land Niagara complex (Us) soils and to a lesser extent the previously described Urban Land (Ud). The urban land Niagara complex (Us) material is characterized by nearly level areas of urban land and somewhat poorly

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³ Surficial Geologic Map of New York, Niagara Sheet, Compiled and edited by Donald H. Cadwell, University of the State of New York, The State Education Department, 1988.

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drained Niagara soils (e.g., lacustrine) with a slope ranging from 0 to 3 percent. Figure 14 presents the USDA soil type map for the Site.

Currently, the majority of the Site is vegetated with small asphalt drive/parking area and a multi-story building. The overburden material from grade is a vegetated lean clay with sand (topsoil) above a greyish white to black anthropogenic ashy-fill unit (mostly non-plastic fines, coal fragments, orange brick, glass, ceramic fragments, etc.) underlain by a stiff lacustrine clay unit (suspected native soil). The topsoil unit is absent in the stressed vegetative black fine ash/coal-like areas previously described (see Figure 2).

Based on the New York State Geologic Map of New York⁴, the Site is situated over the Onondaga Formation of the Middle Devonian Series. The Onondaga Formation is comprised of varying texture bedrock from coarse to very finely crystalline with a dark gray to tan color and chert and fossils within. The Onondaga has an approximated thickness of 110 to 160 feet. Structurally, the bedrock formations strike in an east-west direction and exhibit a regional dip that approximates 40 feet per mile (3 to 5 degrees) toward the south and southwest. An intersecting, orthogonal pattern of fractures and joint sets are common throughout the bedrock strata. The depth to and type of bedrock below the Site has not been determined. Figure 15 presents the bedrock geology map for the Site.

The Site is located in the Erie-Niagara River Basin. In the Erie-Niagara Basin, the major areas of groundwater are within coarser overburden deposits and limestone and shale bedrock. Regional groundwater appears to flow south and west towards the Buffalo River and Lake Erie. Local groundwater flow, however, may be influenced by subsurface features, such as excavations, utilities, and localized fill-conditions. On-Site groundwater flow patterns and quality will be determined during the Remedial Investigation (RI).

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⁴ Geologic Map of New York, Niagara Sheet, Compiled and Edited by Lawrence V. Rickard and Donald W. Fisher, University of the State of New York, The State Education Department, March 1970.