#### **BROWNFIELDS CLEANUP PROGRAM APPLICATION**

1550 Harlem Road 1550 Harlem Road Buffalo, New York 14207 BCP #C915321

May 19, 2017 Revised June 28, 2017

Submitted to:

Chief, Site Control Section
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

Division of Environmental Remediation 625 Broadway Albany, New York 12233-7020

On Behalf Of: **American Tire, Inc.** 

397 Ludington Street, Cheektowaga, NY 14206 HEI Project No: e1621

Prepared By:

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# 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 comm  Yes No	•	application to ar de existing site n		sting BCA?		
PART A (note: application is sepa	arated into Parts A a	nd B for DEC rev	iew purpose	es) BCP App Rev 9		
Section I. Requestor Information			donos	DEC USE ONLY P SITE #:		
NAME						
ADDRESS						
CITY/TOWN		ZIP CODE				
PHONE	FAX		E-MAIL			
<ul> <li>Is the requestor authorized to corporate of the requestor is a Corporate of State to complete above, in the NYS Departing information from the datal Conservation (DEC) with in NYS.</li> <li>Do all individuals that will be cert of Section 1.5 of DER-10.0 of New York State Educate approved under the BCI</li> </ul>	pration, LLC, LLP or or induct business in NY ment of State's Corporate as a must be submitted the application, to do diffying documents meant of the state of th	ther entity requiring S, the requestor's pration & Business ed to the New York cument that the reset the requirements, as well as their for Site Investigation.	ng authorization name must as Entity Datable k State Department of the State D	appear, exactly as given base. A print-out of entity artment of Environmental thorized to do business  low? Yes No meet the requirements ediation and Article 145		
Section II. Project Description						
1. What stage is the project start	ing at?	nvestigation		Remediation		
2. If the project is starting at the randysis, and Remedial Work Plantestigation and Remediation for	an must be attached (					
3. If a final RIR is included, pleas (ECL) Article 27-1415(2):	Yes No	·		Conservation Law		
<ul> <li>4. Please attach a short description</li> <li>the date that the remedia</li> <li>the date the Certificate of</li> </ul>	I program is to start; a	and	J	n II Attachments		

#### Section III. Property's Environmental History

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: INDICATE KNOWN CONTAMINANTS AND THE MEDIA WHICH ARE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN AFFECTED. LABORATORY REPORTS SHOULD BE REFERENCED AND COPIES INCLUDED.

Contaminant Category	Soil	Groundwater	Soil Gas			
Petroleum						
Chlorinated Solvents						
Other VOCs						
SVOCs						
Metals						
Pesticides						
PCBs						
Other*						
*Please describe:						

#### 3. FOR EACH IMPACTED MEDIUM INDICATED ABOVE, INCLUDE A SITE DRAWING INDICATING:

SAMPLE LOCATION

Please see Section III Attachments

- 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)	Yes	NO

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Coal Gas Manufacturing	Manufacturing	Agricultural Co-op	Dry Cleaner	
Salvage Yard	Bulk Plant	Pipeline	Service Station	
Landfill	Tannery	Electroplating	Unknown	
Other:				

Section IV. Property Information - See Instructions	for Fu	rther Guida	nce		
PROPOSED SITE NAME					
ADDRESS/LOCATION					
CITY/TOWN ZIP CO	ODE				
MUNICIPALITY(IF MORE THAN ONE, LIST ALL):					
COUNTY	S	SITE SIZE (AC	CRES)		
LATITUDE (degrees/minutes/seconds)	LONG	TUDE (degre	es/minutes/se	econds)	u
COMPLETE TAX MAP INFORMATION FOR ALL TAX PAR BOUNDARIES. ATTACH REQUIRED MAPS PER THE AF Please see Section IV Attachmen	PLICAT	ION INSTRU	CTIONS.		
Parcel Address		Section No.	Block No.	Lot No.	Acreage
Do the proposed site boundaries correspond to tax If no, please attach a metes and bounds description			unds?	Yes	No
Is the required property map attached to the application?     (application will not be processed without map)  Yes No					No
3. Is the property within a designated Environmental 2 (See <a href="DEC's website">DEC's website</a> for more information)	Zone (E	n-zone) purs	suant to Tax Ye		5)?
If yes, id	entify c	ensus tract :			
Percentage of property in En-zone (check one):	0-49	)% 5	50-99%	100%	)
Is this application one of multiple applications for a project spans more than 25 acres (see additional contents).					opment es No
If yes, identify name of properties (and site number applications:	rs if ava	ilable) in rela	ated BCP		
5. Is the contamination from groundwater or soil vapo subject to the present application?	r solely	emanating f	rom propert	y other than Ye	
6. Has the property previously been remediated pursu ECL Article 56, or Article 12 of Navigation Law? If yes, attach relevant supporting documentation.	uant to	Titles 9, 13, o	or 14 of ECL	. Article 27, <sup>°</sup> Ye	
7. Are there any lands under water? If yes, these lands should be clearly delineated on	the site	map.		Υe	es No

Se	ection IV. Property Information (continued)			
8.	Are there any easements or existing rights of way that would preclude remediation in the lf yes, identify here and attach appropriate information.	se areas 'es	s? No	
	Easement/Right-of-way Holder Description	<u>n</u>		
9.	List of Permits issued by the DEC or USEPA Relating to the Proposed Site (type here or information)	attach		
	Type <u>Issuing Agency</u> <u>Desc</u>	cription		
10	<ol> <li>Property Description and Environmental Assessment – please refer to application installed the proper format of each narrative requested.</li> </ol>	truction	ns fo	r
	Are the Property Description and Environmental Assessment narratives included in the <b>prescribed format</b> ?	Yes	3	No
11	. For sites located within the five counties comprising New York City, is the requestor seed 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 form.	king a Yes	5	No
12	2. Is the Requestor now, or will the Requestor in the future, seek a determination that the property is Upside Down?	Yes	6	No
13	If you have answered Yes to Question 12, above, is an independent appraisal of the value of the property, as of the date of application, prepared under the hypothetical condition that the property is not contaminated, included with the application?	Ye	S	No
p	<b>NOTE:</b> If a tangible property tax credit determination is not being requested in the a participate in the BCP, the applicant may seek this determination at any time before a certificate of completion by using the BCP Amendment Application, except for site eligibility under the underutilized category.	issuan	ice o	
If a	any changes to Section IV are required prior to application approval, a new page, initialed b	y each	requ	estor
	ist be submitted.			
Init	ials of each Requestor:			

BCP application - PART B(note: application is separated into Parts A and B for DEC review purposes) DEC USE ONLY Section V. Additional Requestor Information BCP SITE NAME: See Instructions for Further Guidance BCP SITE #: NAME OF REQUESTOR'S AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE **ADDRESS** CITY/TOWN ZIP CODE FAX **PHONE** E-MAIL NAME OF REQUESTOR'S CONSULTANT **ADDRESS** CITY/TOWN ZIP CODE PHONE FAX E-MAIL NAME OF REQUESTOR'S ATTORNEY **ADDRESS** CITY/TOWN ZIP CODE FAX PHONE E-MAIL Section VI. Current Property Owner/Operator Information – if not a Requestor OWNERSHIP START DATE: **CURRENT OWNER'S NAME ADDRESS** CITY/TOWN ZIP CODE FAX E-MAIL **PHONE CURRENT OPERATOR'S NAME ADDRESS** ZIP CODE CITY/TOWN FAX PHONE 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.** Please see Section VI Attachments 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 Information (Please refer to ECL § 27-1407)

If answering "yes" to any of the following questions, please provide an explanation as an attachment.

- 1. Are any enforcement actions pending against the requestor regarding this site?
- No
- 2. Is the requestor subject to an existing order for the investigation, removal or remediation of contamination at the site?
- 3. Is the requestor subject to an outstanding claim by the Spill Fund for this site? Any questions regarding whether a party is subject to a spill claim should be discussed with the Spill Fund Administrator. Yes No

#### Section VII. Requestor Eligibility Information (continued)

- 4. Has the requestor been determined in an administrative, civil or criminal proceeding to be in violation of i) any provision of the ECL Article 27; ii) any order or determination; iii) any regulation implementing Title 14; or iv) any similar statute, regulation of the state or federal government? If so, provide an explanation on a separate attachment.

  Yes No
- 5. Has the requestor previously been denied entry to the BCP? If so, include information relative to the application, such as name, address, DEC assigned site number, the reason for denial, and other relevant information.

  Yes
- 6. Has the requestor been found in a civil proceeding to have committed a negligent or intentionally tortious act involving the handling, storing, treating, disposing or transporting of contaminants? Yes No
- 7. Has the requestor been convicted of a criminal offense i) involving the handling, storing, treating, disposing or transporting of contaminants; or ii) that involves a violent felony, fraud, bribery, perjury, theft, or offense against public administration (as that term is used in Article 195 of the Penal Law) under federal law or the laws of any state?
- 8. Has the requestor knowingly falsified statements or concealed material facts in any matter within the jurisdiction of DEC, or submitted a false statement or made use of or made a false statement in connection with any document or application submitted to DEC?

  Yes No
- 9. Is the requestor an individual or entity of the type set forth in ECL 27-1407.9 (f) that committed an act or failed to act, and such act or failure to act could be the basis for denial of a BCP application? Yes
- 10. Was the requestor's participation in any remedial program under DEC's oversight terminated by DEC or by a court for failure to substantially comply with an agreement or order? Yes No
- 11. Are there any unregistered bulk storage tanks on-site which require registration?

  Yes No

THE REQUESTOR MUST CERTIFY THAT HE/SHE IS EITHER A PARTICIPANT OR VOLUNTEER IN ACCORDANCE WITH ECL 27-1405 (1) BY CHECKING ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW:

#### **PARTICIPANT**

A requestor who either 1) was the owner of the site at the time of the disposal of hazardous waste or discharge of petroleum or 2) is otherwise a person responsible for the contamination, unless the 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.

#### **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.

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.

Section VII. Requestor Eligibility Information (continued)		
Requestor Relationship to Property (check one): Previous Owner Current Owner Potential /Future Purchaser Other		
If requestor is not the current site owner, <b>proof of site access sufficient to complete the reme- be submitted</b> . Proof must show that the requestor will have access to the property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. Is this property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. It is the property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site. It is the property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site is the property before signing and throughout the BCP project, including the ability to place an easement on the site is the	ng the oof att	BCA ached?
Section VIII. Property Eligibility Information - See Instructions for Further Guidance		
<ol> <li>Is / was the property, or any portion of the property, listed on the National Priorities List?</li> <li>If yes, please provide relevant information as an attachment.</li> </ol>		
	'es	No
<ol> <li>Is / was the property, or any portion of the property, listed on the NYS Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites pursuant to ECL 27-1305?  If yes, please provide: Site # Class #</li> </ol>	'es	No
3. Is / was the property subject to a permit under ECL Article 27, Title 9, other than an Interim Stracility?  If yes, please provide: Permit type: EPA ID Number: Permit expiration date:	es —	No
4. If the answer to question 2 or 3 above is yes, is the site owned by a volunteer as defined undapproximately 1405(1)(b), or under contract to be transferred to a volunteer? Attach any information available requestor related to previous owners or operators of the facility or property and their financial including any bankruptcy filing and corporate dissolution documentation.	le to tl	he
5. Is the property subject to a cleanup order under Navigation Law Article 12 or ECL Article 17 T If yes, please provide: Order # Y Please see Section VIII Attachments	Γitle 10 ′es	0? No
6. Is the property subject to a state or federal enforcement action related to hazardous waste or	petro 'es	leum? No
Section IX Contact List Information		

To be considered complete, the application must include the Brownfield Site Contact List in accordance with DER-23 / Citizen Participation Handbook for Remedial Programs. Please attach, at a minimum, the names and addresses of the following:

- 1. The chief executive officer and planning board chairperson of each county, city, town and village in which the property is located.
- 2. Residents, owners, and occupants of the property and properties adjacent to the property.
- 3. Local news media from which the community typically obtains information.
- 4. The public water supplier which services the area in which the property is located.
- 5. Any person who has requested to be placed on the contact list.
- 6. The administrator of any school or day care facility located on or near the property.
- 7. The location of a document repository for the project (e.g., local library). In addition, attach a copy of an acknowledgement from the repository indicating that it agrees to act as the document repository for the property.
- 8. Any community board located in a city with a population of one million or more, if the proposed site is located within such community board's boundaries. Please see Section IX Attachments

Section X. Land Use Factors		
What is the current zoning for the site? What uses are allowed by the current zoning?     Residential	uthority.	
Current Use: Residential Commercial Industrial Vacant Recreational (checapply)     Attach a summary of current business operations or uses, with an emphasis on iden possible contaminant source areas. If operations or uses have ceased, provide the design.		
Reasonably anticipated use Post Remediation: Residential Commercial Industrial that apply) Attach a statement detailing the specific proposed use.	(check al	I
If residential, does it qualify as single family housing?	Yes N	<b>1</b> 0
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 below, or attach additional information and documentation if necessary.	Yes	No
6. Is the proposed use consistent with applicable comprehensive community master plans, local waterfront revitalization plans, or other adopted land use plans? Briefly explain below, or attach additional information and documentation if necessary.	Yes	No

Please see Section X Attachments

XI. Statement of Certification and Signatures
(By requestor who is an individual)
If this application is approved, I hererby acknowledge and agree: (1) to execute a Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA) within 60 days of the date of DEC's approval letter; (2) to the general terms and conditions set forth in the <i>Proposed DER-32, Brownfield Cleanup Program Applications and Agreements</i> ; and (3) that in the event of a conflict between the general terms and conditions of participation and the terms contained in a site-specific BCA, the terms in the site-specific BCA shall control. Further, 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 Principal Executive Officer (tittle) of American Tire, Inc (entity); that I am authorized by that entity to make this application and execute the Brownfield Cleanup Agreement (BCA) and all subsequent amendments; that this application was prepared by me or under my supervision and direction. If this application is approved, I acknowledge and agree: (1) to execute a BCA within 60 days of the date of DEC's approval letter; (2) to the general terms and conditions set forth in the <i>Proposed DER-32, Brownfield Cleanup Program Applications and Agreements</i> ; and (3) that in the event of a conflict between the general terms and conditions of participation and the terms contained in a site-specific BCA, the terms in the site-specific BCA shall control. Further, 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: 5-19-17 Signature:
SUBMITTAL INFORMATION:  • Two (2) copies, one paper copy with original signatures and one electronic copy in Portable Document
Format (PDF), must be sent to:
Chief, Site Control Section
<ul> <li>New York State Department of Environmental Conservation</li> <li>Division of Environmental Remediation</li> </ul>
o 625 Broadway
○ Albany, NY 12233-7020
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## 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.

#### BCP App Rev 9

Property is in Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, or Richmond counties.				
Requestor seeks a determination that the site is eligible for the tangible property credit brownfield redevelopment tax credit.	it component Yes	of the No		
Please answer questions below and provide documentation necessary to support	answers.			
Is at least 50% of the site area located within an environmental zone pursuant to NY Please see <a href="DEC's website">DEC's website</a> for more information.	S Tax Law 21 Yes	I(b)(6)? No		
2. Is the property upside down or underutilized as defined below? Upside Down	? Yes	No		
Underutilized	l? Yes	No		

#### From ECL 27-1405(31):

"Upside down" shall mean a property where the projected and incurred cost of the investigation and remediation which is protective for the anticipated use of the property equals or exceeds seventy-five percent of its independent appraised value, as of the date of submission of the application for participation in the brownfield cleanup program, developed under the hypothetical condition that the property is not contaminated.

From 6 NYCRR 375-3.2(I) as of August 12, 2016: (Please note: Eligibility determination for the underutilized category can only be made at the time of application)

#### 375-3.2:

- (I) "Underutilized" means, as of the date of application, real property on which no more than fifty percent of the permissible floor area of the building or buildings is certified by the applicant to have been used under the applicable base zoning for at least three years prior to the application, which zoning has been in effect for at least three years; and
- (1) the proposed use is at least 75 percent for industrial uses; or
- (2) at which:
- (i) the proposed use is at least 75 percent for commercial or commercial and industrial uses;
- (ii) the proposed development could not take place without substantial government assistance, as certified by the municipality in which the site is located; and
- (iii) one or more of the following conditions exists, as certified by the applicant:
- (a) property tax payments have been in arrears for at least five years immediately prior to the application;
- (b) a building is presently condemned, or presently exhibits documented structural deficiencies, as certified by a professional engineer, which present a public health or safety hazard; or (c) there are no structures.

"Substantial government assistance" shall mean a substantial loan, grant, land purchase subsidy, land purchase cost exemption or waiver, or tax credit, or some combination thereof, from a governmental entity.

#### Supplemental Questions for Sites Seeking Tangible Property Credits in New York City (continued)

3. If you are seeking a formal determination as to whether your project is eligible for Tangible Property Tax Credits based in whole or in part on its status as an affordable housing project (defined below), you must attach the regulatory agreement with the appropriate housing agency (typically, these would be with the New York City Department of Housing, Preservation and Development; the New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation; the New York State Department of Housing and Community Renewal; or the New York State Housing Finance Agency, though other entities may be acceptable pending Department review). Check appropriate box, below:

Project is an Affordable Housing Project - Regulatory Agreement Attached;

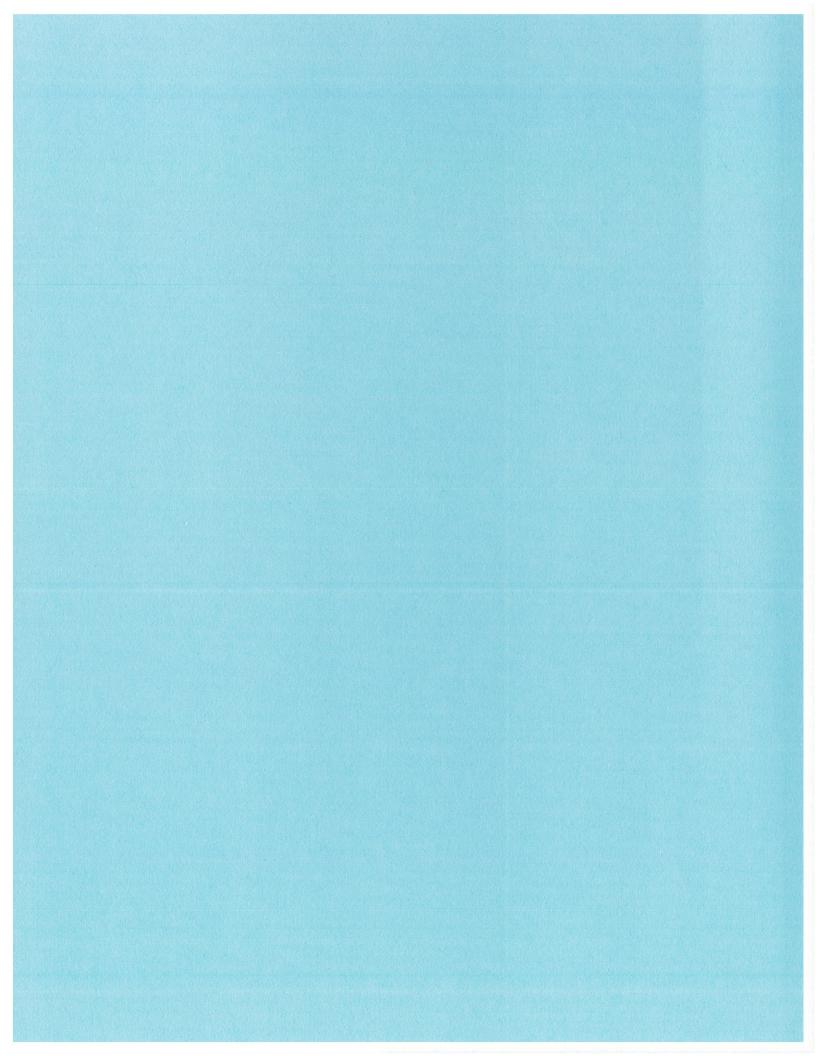
Project is Planned as Affordable Housing, But Agreement is Not Yet Available\* (\*Checking this box will result in a "pending" status. The Regulatory Agreement will need to be provided to the Department and the Brownfield Cleanup Agreement will need to be amended prior to issuance of the CoC in order for a positive determination to be made.);

This is Not an Affordable Housing Project.

#### From 6 NYCRR 375- 3.2(a) as of August 12, 2016:

- (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 local government housing agency's affordable housing program, or a local government's regulatory agreement or legally binding restriction, which 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, which sets affordable units aside for home owners 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: City:		Site Address: County:					
Tax Block & Lot Section (if applicable):	Block	<b>«</b> :		Lo	ot:		
Requestor Name: City:			Rec Zip:	uestor A	ddress:	Email:	
Requestor's Representative (for Name: City:	billing pur Addre	•	z	lip:		Email:	
Requestor's Attorney Name: City:	Addre	ess:	Z	Zip:		Email:	
Requestor's Consultant Name: City:	Addre	ess:	2	Zip:		Email:	
Percentage claimed within an En DER Determination: Agree		<b>0</b> % Disagree	< <b>50</b> °	%	50-99%	100	%
Requestor's Requested Status:	Volur	nteer	Partic	ipant			
<b>DER/OGC Determination:</b> Notes:	Agree	Disa	gree				
For NYC Sites, is the Reques	tor Seekir	ng Tangib	le Prop	erty Cre	dits:	Yes	No
Does Requestor Claim Prope	erty is Up	side Dowi	n:	Yes	No		
<b>DER/OGC Determination:</b> Notes:	Agree	Disagr	ee	Undeterr	mined		
Does Requestor Claim Prop	erty is Un	derutilize	d:	Yes	No		
DER/OGC Determination: Notes:	Agree	Disag		Undete			
Does Requestor Claim Afford	dable Hou	using Stat	us:	Yes	No	Planned	, No Contract
<b>DER/OGC Determination:</b> Notes:	Agree	D	isagree	Uı	ndetermir	ned	



#### **Section I**

#### **Requestor Information**

AMERICAN TIRE, INC – Business Entity Information

American Tire, Inc. is owned by Robert Wilson as Principal Executive Officer and Michael Arnold as Registered Agent, with business address at 397 Ludington Street, Cheektowaga, New York 14206.

### **NYS Department of State**

#### **Division of Corporations**

#### **Entity Information**

The information contained in this database is current through April 17, 2017.

Selected Entity Name: AMERICAN TIRE, INC.

Selected Entity Status Information

Current Entity Name: AMERICAN TIRE, INC.

DOS ID #: 1561310

**Initial DOS Filing Date:** JULY 12, 1991

**County: ERIE** 

**Jurisdiction: NEW YORK** 

DOMESTIC BUSINESS CORPORATION **Entity Type:** 

**Current Entity Status: ACTIVE** 

Selected Entity Address Information

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

AMERICAN TIRE, INC. 397 LUDINGTON STREET CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK, 14206

**Chief Executive Officer** 

ROBERT WILSON 397 LUDINGTON STREET CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK, 14206

**Principal Executive Office** 

MICHAEL ARNOLD 397 LUDINGTON STREET CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK, 14206

**Registered Agent** 

**NONE** 

This office does not record information regarding the names and addresses of officers, shareholders or

4/18/2017 **Entity Information** 

> directors of nonprofessional corporations except the chief executive officer, if provided, which would be listed above. Professional corporations must include the name(s) and address(es) of the initial officers, directors, and shareholders in the initial certificate of incorporation, however this information is not recorded and only available by viewing the certificate.

#### \*Stock Information

# of Shares Type of Stock \$ Value per Share

200 No Par Value

\*Stock information is applicable to domestic business corporations.

#### **Name History**

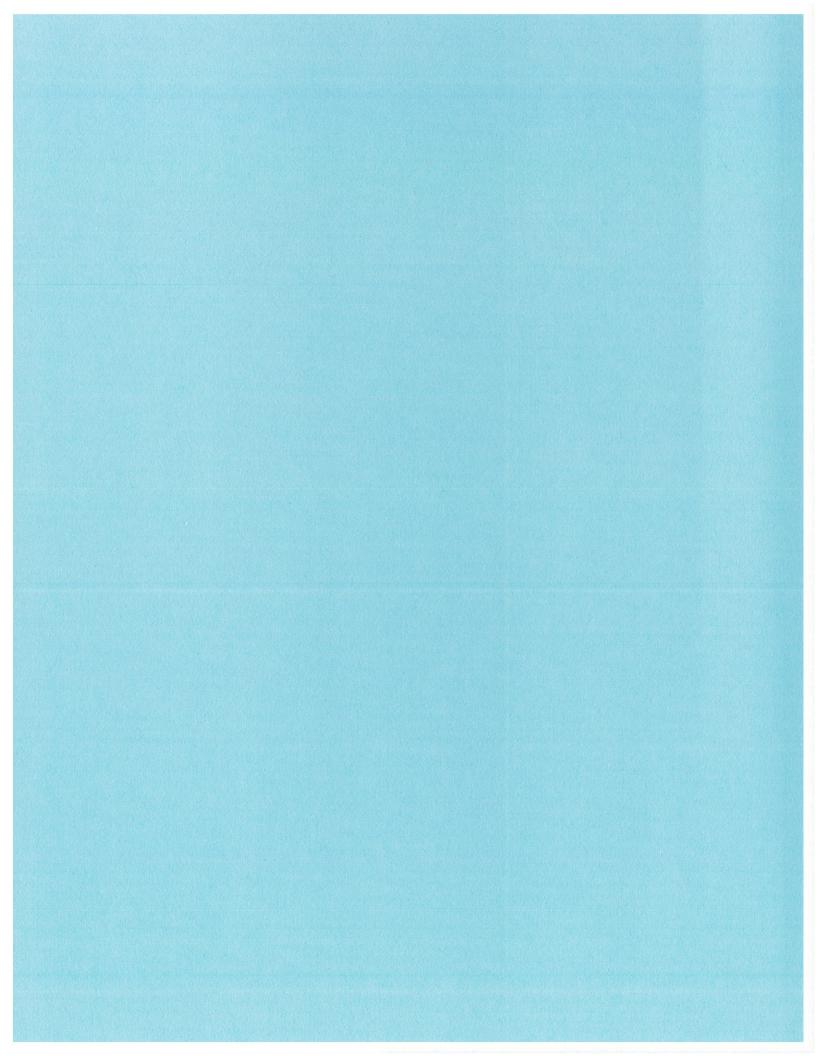
Filing Date Name Type **Entity Name** JUL 12, 1991 Actual AMERICAN TIRE, INC.

A Fictitious name must be used when the Actual name of a foreign entity is unavailable for use in New York State. The entity must use the fictitious name when conducting its activities or business in New York State.

NOTE: New York State does not issue organizational identification numbers.

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#### **Section II**

#### **Project Description**

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The site is currently underutilized, underdeveloped property located in the Town of Cheektowaga. The building is vacant and in disrepair with evidence of vandalism due to lack of use. The proposed usage and development of the site includes demolition of the current building and development of mixed use building to include tire distribution and residential usage.

The site has been abandoned for the past three years. An unused leaking 8,000-gallon underground storage tank remains on the site. The current property owners are the estate of the former owner, and do not have the financial means to address the leaking tank or associated contaminated soil. The requestor will complete the tank and contaminated soil removal as part of the property development. If the requestor is not accepted into the program, the development will not occur. Additionally, the spill will likely be deferred to the NYSDEC Spills Cleanup Program for remedial work, as the current owner does not have financial ability to complete the required work.

Remedial investigation expected to start in fall 2017 with remedial activities in Winter 2017/2018. Develop will occur simultaneously with remedial requirements. The Certificate of Completion is anticipated by December 2018.



Note: Approximate BCP site limits



Note: Street view of 1550 Harlem Road





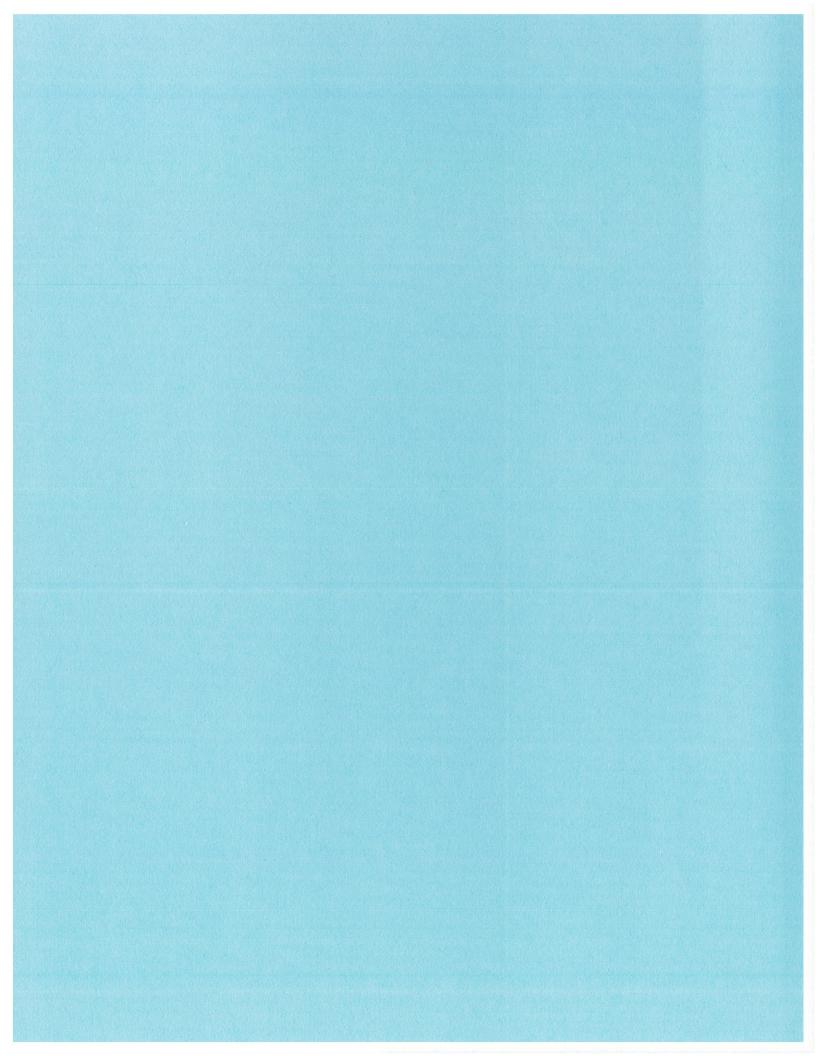












#### **Section III**

#### **Property's Environmental History**

Figure III-A – Sampling Locations

Figure III-B – Proposed Excavation Locations

Figure III-C – Proposed Remedial Investigation Locations

Table III-A – Soil Analytical Testing Results

Table III-B – Groundwater Analytical Testing Results

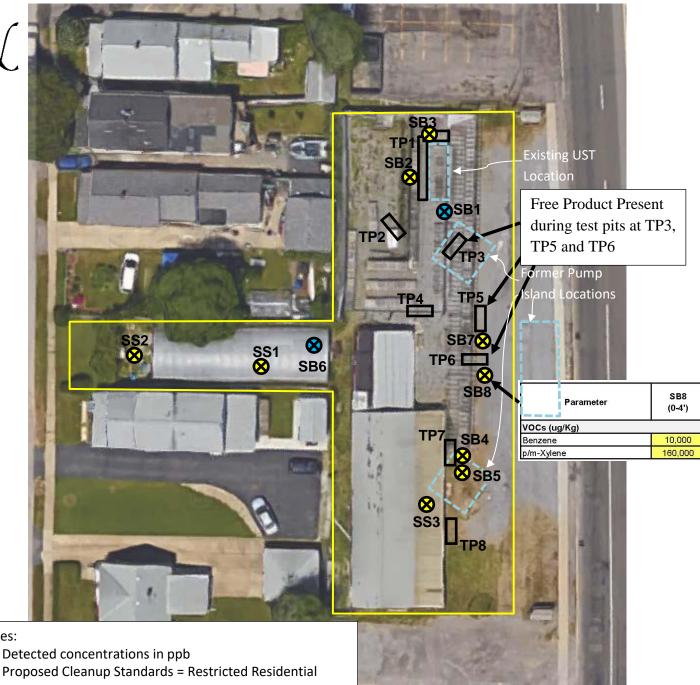
Table III-C- Proposed Analytical testing Program Summary

Soil Boring Logs – Please see separate electronic file

Analytical Testing Results - Please see separate electronic file

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#### Notes:

= exceeds Restricted Residential SCO

#### **KEY**

- = Soil Boring Location completed 8 03/2017
- = Soil Boring & Temporary Well Location (03/2017)
- = Test Pit Location completed 01/2015

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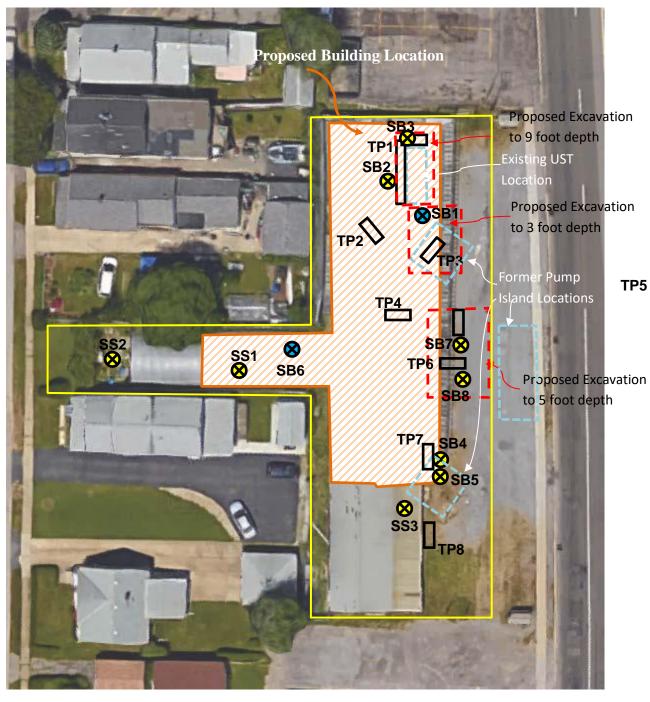
#### **INVESTIGTION LOCATIONS**

1550 HARLEM ROAD CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK

> **AMERICAN TIRE INC. BUFFALO. NEW YORK**

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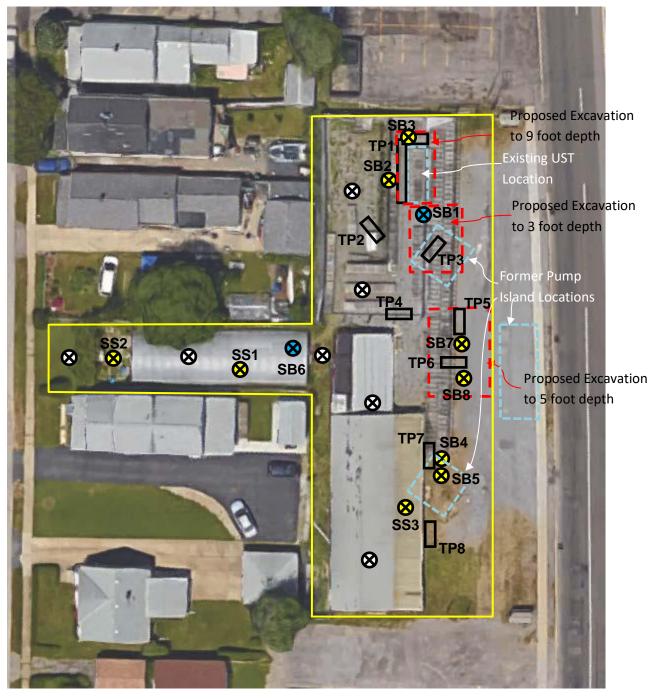


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#### **KEY**

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- Proposed Investigation Location

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#### Table III-A Soil Analytical Testing Results Summary 1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, NY March 2017

Parameter	SB1 (1-4')	SB5 (1-3')	SB8 (0-4')	SS1 (0-1')	Unrestricted Use	Residential Use	Restricted Residential Use	Commercial Use
Volatile Organic Compounds E	PA Method 8	260C TCL + S	STARS (ug/Kg	g)	•		-	
Benzene	ND	2,300	10,000	NT	60	2,900	4,800	44,000
Ethylbenzene	7,000	6,600	37,000	NT	1,000	30,000	100,000	500,000
Isopropylbenzene	1,400 J	530 J	3,200 J	NT	NV	NV	NV	NV
Methyl cyclohexane	10,000	4,100	38,000	NT	NV	NV	NV	NV
o-Xylene	ND	4,500	60,000	NT	260	100,000	100,000	500,000
p/m-Xylene	7,300	31,000	160,000	NT	260	100,000	100,000	500,000
Toluene	ND	1,900	82,000	NT	700	100,000	100,000	500,000
Semi Volatile Organic Compou	nds EPA Met	hod 8270D T	CL (ug/kg)					
2-Methylnaphthalene	190 J	520	2,700	ND	NV	NV	NV	NV
2-Methylphenol	ND	ND	150 J	ND	330	100,000	100,000	500,000
3-Methylphenol/4-Methylphenol	ND	ND	470	ND	330	34,000	100,000	500,000
Benzo(a)anthracene	ND	ND	58 J	66 J	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,600
Benzo(a)pyrene	ND	ND	ND	65 J	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	ND	ND	55 J	85 J	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,600
Benzo(ghi)perylene	ND	ND	ND	42 J	100,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Carbazole	ND	ND	61 J	ND	NV	NV	NV	NV
Chrysene	ND	21	49 J	69 J	1,000	1,000	3,900	56,000
Dibenzofuran	ND	ND	23 J	ND	7,000	14,000	59,000	350,000
Fluoranthene	ND	56 J	140	110 J	100,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Fluorene	ND	ND	51 J	ND	30,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	ND	ND	ND	46 J	500	500	500	5,600
Naphthalene	290	620	2,800	ND	12,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Phenanthrene	ND	39 J	180	67 J	100,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Pyrene	ND	42 J	110 J	90 J	100,000	100,000	100,000	500,000
Herbicides EPA Method 8151 T	CL (ug/kg)							
			NI	)				
Pesticides EPA Method 8081 To	CL (ug/kg)							
4,4'-DDD	NT	NT	NT	2.2 P	3.3	2,600	13,000	92,000
4,4'-DDE	NT	NT	NT	2.42	3.3	1,800	8,900	62,000
4,4'-DDT	NT	NT	NT	2.67 J	3.3	1,700	7,900	47,000
cis-Chlordane	NT	NT	NT	0.906 J	94	910	4,200	24,000
Methoxychlor	NT	NT	NT	2.52 J	NV	NV	NV	NV

#### Notes:

- 1. Analytical testing performed by Alpha Analytical. Compounds detected in one or more samples are presented in this table. Refer to Appendix for the full analytical report.
- 2. ug/Kg = parts per billion; mg/kg= parts per million.
- 3. ND = not detected; NT= not tested; NV= no value.
- 4. Analytical results compared to NYSDEC Part 375-6; Remedial Program Soil Cleanup Objectives, Table 375-(a) Unrestricted Use Soil Cleanup Objective; and Table 375-6.8(b): Restricted Use Soil Cleanup Objectives.
- 5. J = Estimated value. The target analyte is below the reporting limit (RL), but above the method dectection limit (MDL).
- 6. P = The RPD between the results for the two columns exceeds the method-specified criteria.

7. Shading indicates:

exceeds UUSCO
exceeds RUSCO
exceeds RRUSCO

# Table III-B Groundwater Analytical Testing Results Summary 1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, New York March 2017

Parameter	SB6	Class GA Criteria (ug/L)				
Volatile Organic Compounds EPA Method 8260C TCL + STARS (ug/L)						
Acetone	19	50				
Chloromethane	1.2 J	NV				
Cyclohexane	0.52 J	NV				
Methyl cyclohexane	0.55 J	NV				
Semi Volatile Organic Compounds EPA Method TCL (ug/L)						
Naphthalene	0.16 JB	10				

#### Notes:

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- 2. ug/L = part per billion.
- 3. NV= no value.
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- 5. B = Analyte detected above the reporting limit in the associated method blank.
- 6. Analytical results compared to NYSDEC Class GA criteria obtained from the Division of Water Technical and Operational Guidance Series (TOGS 1.1.1), dated October 1993, revised June 1999,

#### TABLE III-C

#### Proposed Analytical Testing Program Summary 1550 Harlem Road, Sloan, NY NYSDEC Brownfield Cleanup Program

Location	Number of Proposed Locations	Matrix	TCL VOCS	TCL SVOCs	TAL METALS Total	TAL METALS dissolved	PCBs	Pest/ Herbs
<b>Excavation Confirmti</b>	Excavation Confirmtion Samples							
Soil Boring	15	Soil	15	15	-	-	-	-
Duplicate		Soil	1	1	-	-	-	-
MS/MSD		Soil	2	2	-	-	-	-
Rinsate		Water	1	1	-	-	-	-
Total			19	19	0	0	0	0
<b>Surface Soil Samples</b>								
Hand Augers	3	Soil	3	3	3	-	2	6
Duplicate		Soil	0	0	0	-	0	1
MS/MSD		Soil	0	0	0	-	0	2
Rinsate		Water	0	0	0	-	0	1
Total			3	3	3	0	1	10
<b>Soil Borings - Subsurf</b>	ace Samples							
Soil Boring	6	Soil	6	6	6	-	2	-
Duplicate		Soil	1	1	1	-	1	-
MS/MSD		Soil	2	2	2	-	2	-
Rinsate		Water	1	1	1	-	1	-
Total			10	10	10	0	6	0
<b>Monitoring Wells</b>								
Monitoring Well	3	Groundwater	3	3	3	3	-	-
Duplicate		Groundwater	1	1	1	1	-	-
MS/MSD		Groundwater	2	2	2	2	-	-
Rinsate		Water	1	1	1	1	-	-
Trip Blank		Water	1	-	-	-	-	-
Total			8	7	7	7	0	0
								Pest/
			<b>VOCs</b>	<b>SVOCs</b>	<b>METALS</b>	<b>METALS</b>	PCBs	Herbs
	TOT	TAL SAMPLES	40	39	20	7	7	10

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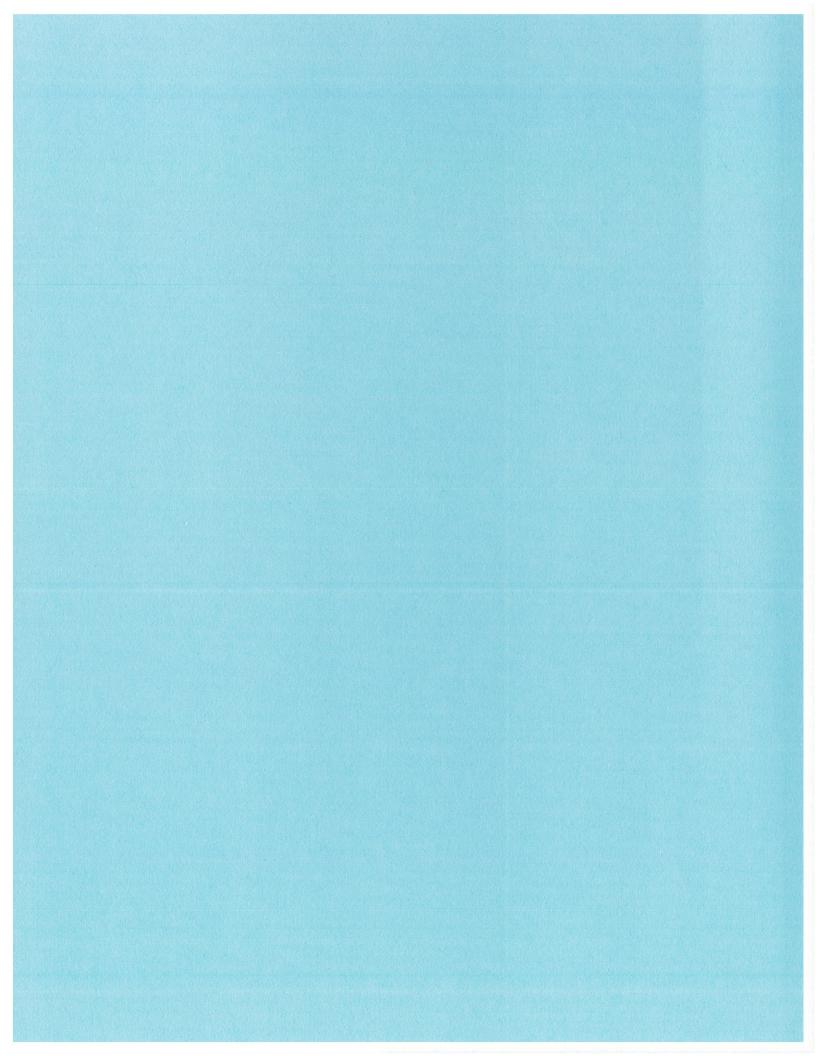
TCL VOCs - Target Compound List Volatile Organic Compounds.

TCL SVOCs - Target Compound List Semi-volatile Organic Compounds.

TAL Metals - Target Analyte List Metals.

TCL PCBs - Target Compound List Polychlorinated Biphenyls.

VOC TO-15 - sub-slab, ambient air and soil vapor probe analysis



# **Section IV**

# **Property Information**

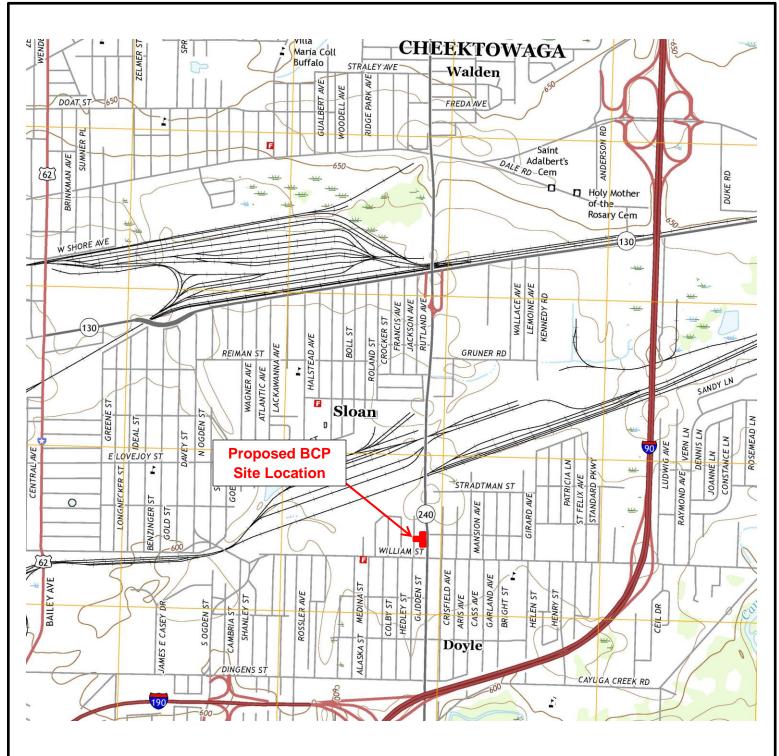
Figure IV-A – Site Locus – USGS Map

Figure IV-B – Tax Map

Figure IV-C – Site survey

Figure IV-D – Site Base Map

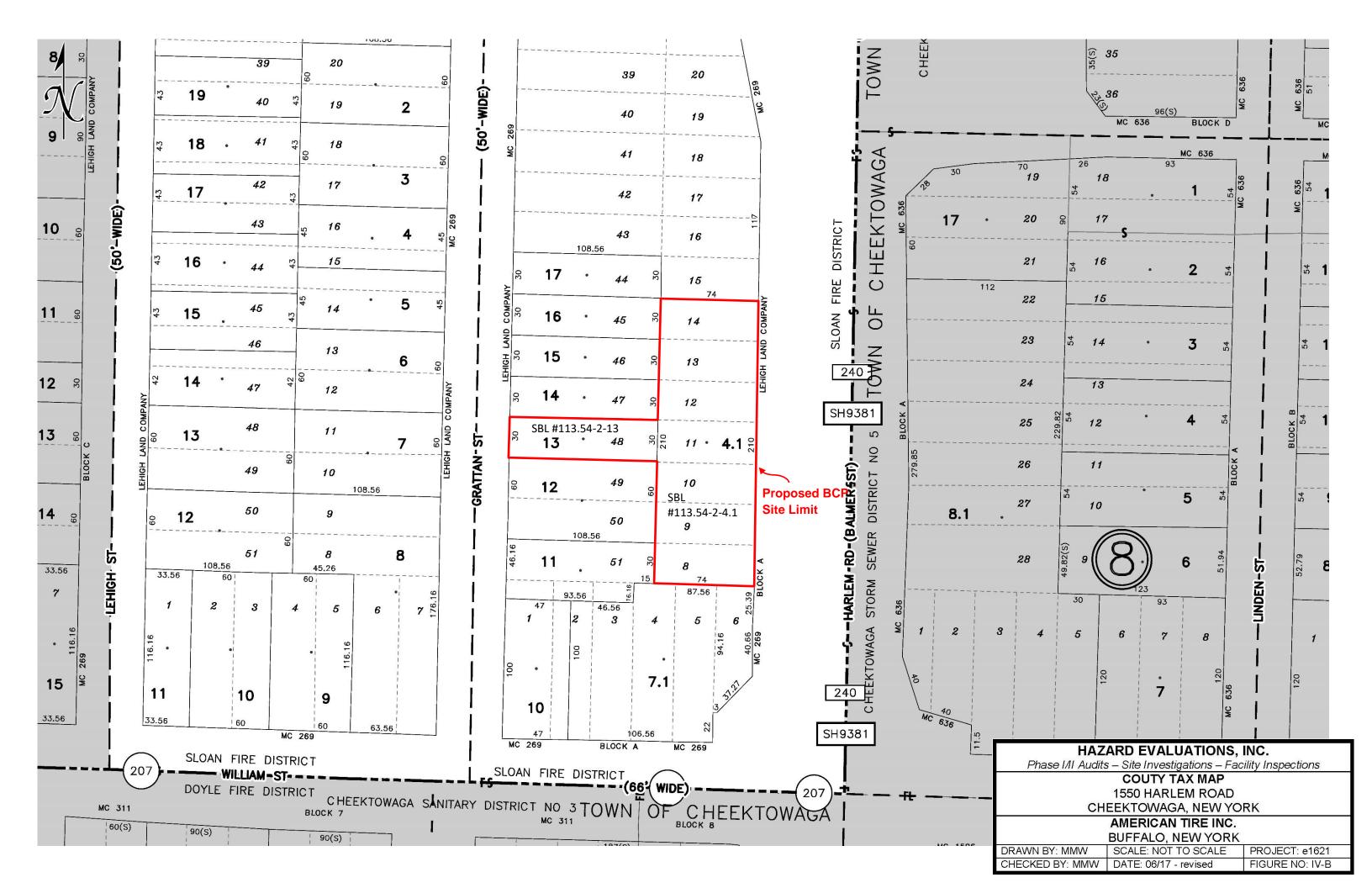
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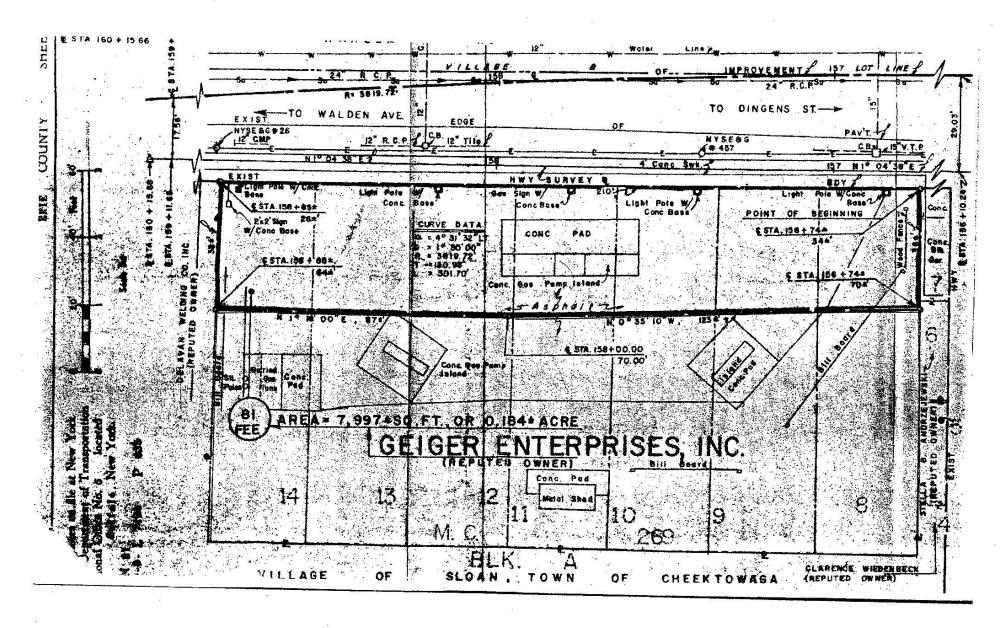
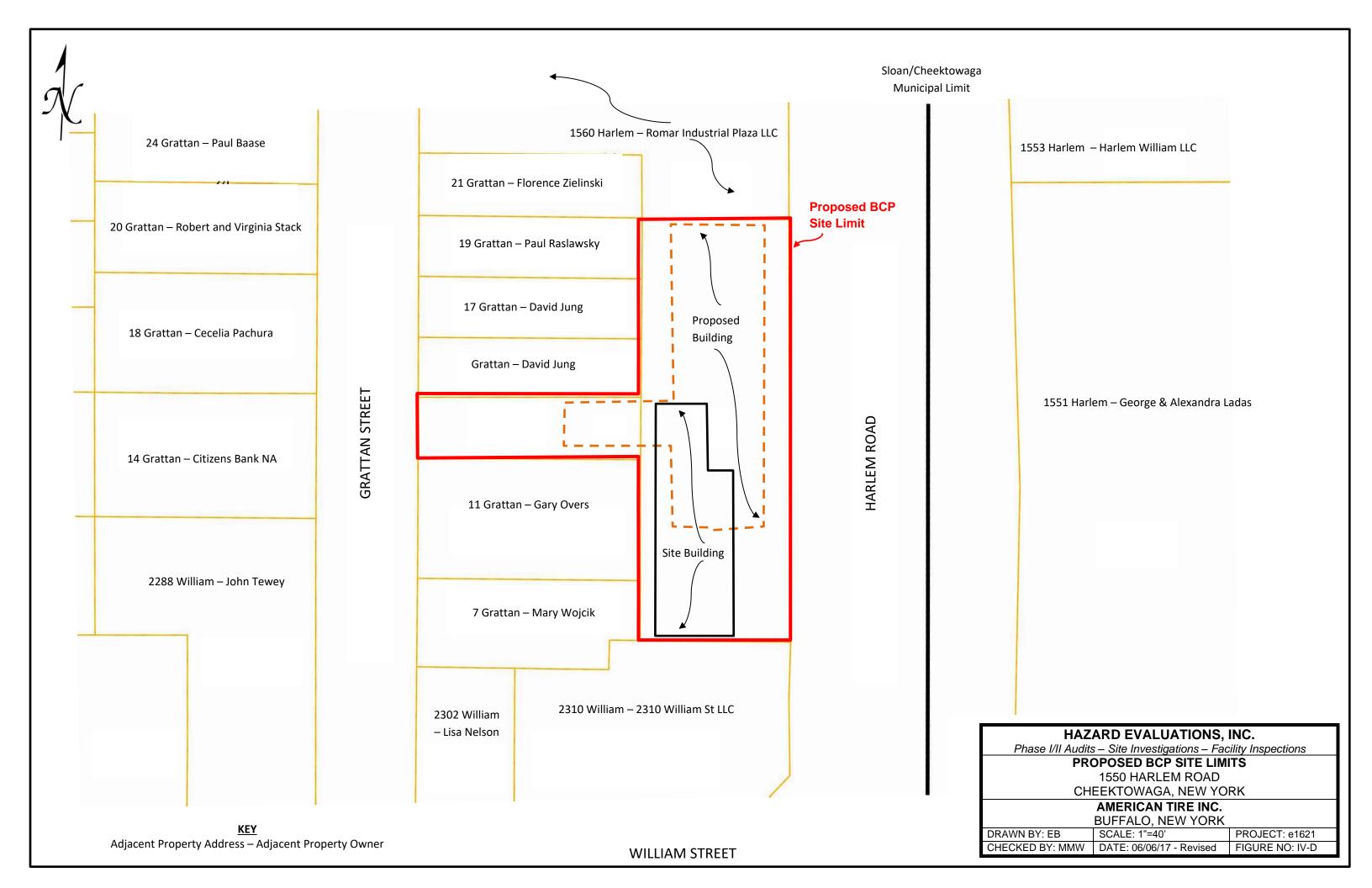


Figure IV-C Site Survey



#### **Property Description Narrative**

**Location** – The site is addressed as 1550 Harlem Road in the Village of Sloan, Town of Cheektowaga, in Erie County, New York and consists of two parcels totaling approximately 0.43 acres of land. The site is bound to the east by Harlem Road, to the west by Gratton Street and residential properties, to the north by a commercial uses (Romar Industrial Plaza) and to the south by commercial uses (H&V Sales). The property is located within an urban area, utilized for commercial and residential purposes.

**Site Features** – The 1550 Harlem parcel is improved with one approximate 4,075 square foot one-story building located on the southern and central portion of the site. Historic features assoiated with a former greenhouse and outdoor nursery structures are locate dint he western and northern portion of the site, as well as paved parking areas in the eastern areas.

**Current Zoning and Land Use** – The site is currently inactive and has been abandoned since 2014. 1550 Harlem is currently zoned commercial – greenhouse. The western portion of the site is zones as residential vacant land.

**Past Uses of the Site** – The site was originally developed as a gasoline station in the late 1950s or early 1960s, and continued to be used as a gas station until the 1970s. The site then remained vacant for a period of several years before being converted into a nursery/garden center in the early to mid 1980s. The site continued to be operated as a nursery/garden center until early 2014 and has been vacant since that time.

Prior uses that appear to have led to site contamination include former gasoline station, as well as storage of various pesticide/herbicides during usage as a nursery/garden center. Prior remedial measures have not been completed at the site. Hazard Evaluations Inc. completed a limited test pit investigation in January 2015. During the test pits, one approximate 8,000-gallon underground storage tank was identified. Petroleum impacted soil was present near the tank, as well as in former pipe island locations. Non-aqueous phase liquid (NAPL) or product, was identified near the tank as well as within the pump islands. The presence of contamination resulted in NYSDEC Spill #1410324 being assigned to the site.

Hazard Evaluations completed a second limited investigation in March 27. The work included completion of two hand augers, and 8 soil borings and collection of soil and groundwater samples, which is included in Section III.

**Site Geology and Hydrogeology** – Based on the soil borings and test pits completed, approximately 2 to 5 feet of granular and cohesive fill material is present throughout the site. The fill material extended to generally between 3 to 5 feet below grade. Silty clay was encountered below the fill material at each of the soil boring and test pits locations, and extended the full depth drilled. Temporary groundwater wells were installed at two locations. Groundwater was present at each well at a depth of approximately 4 to 8 feet below ground surface.

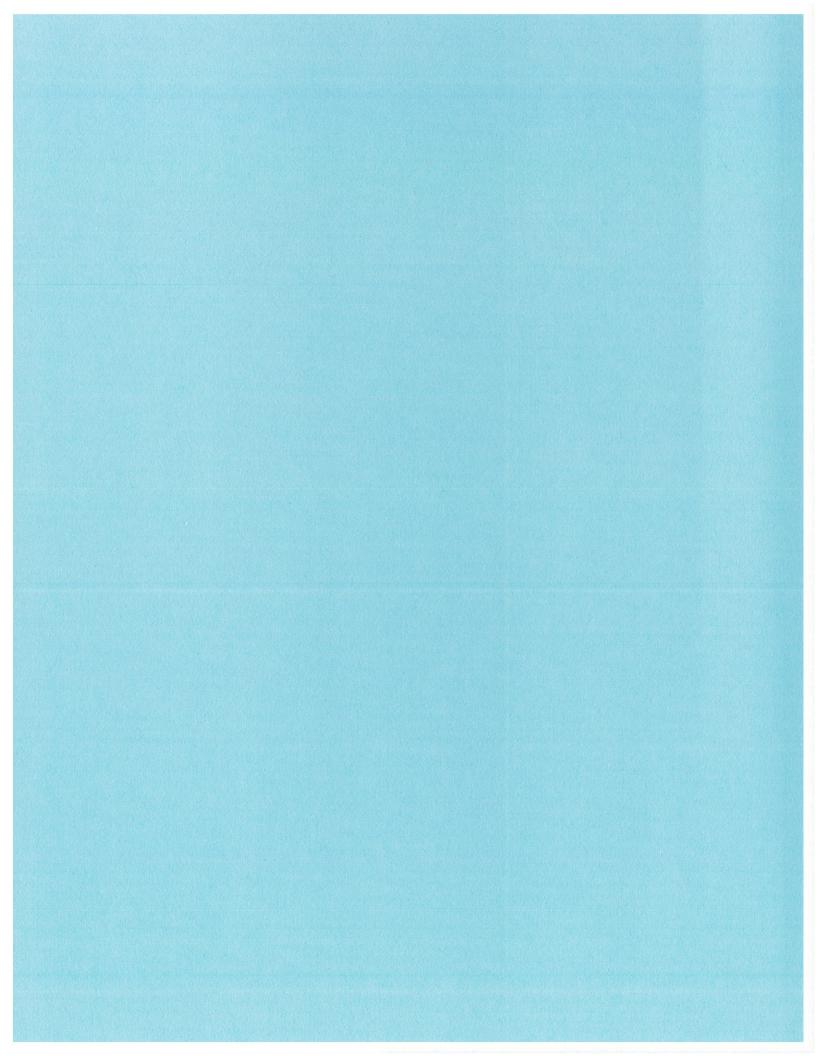
Based on a review of the site topographic conditions as depicted on the USGS 7.5 minute Topographic Quadrangle Map of Buffalo NE, New York, shallow localized groundwater flow is

expected to flow in a southerly direction toward Cayuga Creek located approximately 0.75 miles south; however regional groundwater flow is expected to flow westerly toward Lake Erie, located approximately 5.5 miles west of the Site.

**Environmental Assessment** – Based on the investigation completed in January 2015 and March 2017, the primary contaminants of concern in the soil include volatile organic compounds (VOCs) associated with gasoline contamination, including benzene and xylenes.

Soil – The contamination at the site is primarily due leakage from the current, unused USTs on site, as well as the former pump islands. VOCs were encountered in the soil samples collected from these areas exceeding restricted residential soil cleanup objectives (RRSCO). The concentrations of the VOCs were up to 10 ppm benzene (RRSCO – 2.9 ppm) and 160 ppm xylene (RRSCO – 100 ppm).

Groundwater – Groundwater was encountered at the two locations where temporary microwells were installed. A groundwater sample was not collected near the tank. One groundwater sample was collected from the western portion of the site, however detected concentrations of VOCs were not above NYSDEC Guidance Values.



#### **Section VI**

## Current Property Owner/Operator Information – if not a Requestor

### Requestor's Relationships

The Requestor is not the current owner, but potential purchaser. A contract to purchase has been established which is contingent upon entrance into the BCP. The current owner has provided letter allowing full access to the property. There is no relationship between the Requestor, corporate members, and the current owner.

The requestor has no relationship with any past owners. Past owners are summarized below. Please note, the current owner, Estate of Conrad Pinker, is addressing the limited title issues associated with the most recent property owners. Appropriate documentation will be provided to resolve the limited title issues.

#### 1550 Harlem Road

Grantor	Grantee	Date	Last known address/phone
County of Erie	Merrill Construction	11/15/1946	Unknown
County Treasurer of the County of Erie - Foreclosure		10/06/1954	95 Franklin Street, Buffalo, NY 14202
County Treasurer	Harold Doran and Herman Doran	5/27/1955	Unknown
Herman Doran and Harold Doran	Laverne Doran and Miriam Doran	1/2/1957	Unknown
Lavern Doran and Miriam Doran	Harold J. Geiger	7/18/1968	Unknown
Harold J. Geiger	Geiger Enterprises Inc.	7/19/1968	Unknown
Geiger Enterprises Inc.	Richard J. Cino, Seymour Techner Jack Schiff, Paul C. Feinberg, Gerard M. Meehan, CMD Associates, Harold Wagner, Lena Techner, John Ursini and Lester H. Block	5/02/1975	Unknown
Gerald M. Meehan, CMD Associates Lester H. Block	Willie the Whale, Inc.	3/02/1976	Unknown
Seymour Techner Richard J. Cino	Willie the Whale, Inc.	3/02/1976	Unknown
Dorothy Schiff, Executrix for Jack Schiff	Willie the Whale, Inc.	5/19/1978	Unknown
Lena Techner	Willie the Whale, Inc.	5/24/1978	Unknown

Grantee Grantee		Date Last known address/phon	
John Ursini	Willie the Whale, Inc.	4/27/1978	Unknown
Harold Wagner	Willie the Whale, Inc.	5/8/1978	Unknown
Pontiac Mall Optical Center	Willie the Whale, Inc.	4/25/1978	Unknown
Inc. Pension Plan			
Willie the Whale, Inc.	Enzo Horassutti	6/30/1978	Unknown
	Arthur Iamarino		
	Agler Skinules		
	Paul Feinburg		
	Michael Drickman		
	Richard J. Cino		
	Dorothy Schiff		
	Seymour Techner		
	Harld J. Wagner		
	Donald DiGiore		
	Gerald A. Meehan		
	Richard A. DiVita		
	Seymour Grundy and Helen		
Distant Cine	Grundy	11/12/1004	24 T I I
Richard J. Cino	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann B. Pinker	11/13/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
Michael Drickman	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	1/17/1985	West Seneca, NY
	B. Pinker	1/1//1903	24 Tracy Lynn Ln, West Seneca, NY
Ronald DiGiore	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/08/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
Rolland Dioloic	B. Pinker	11/00/1704	West Seneca, NY
Richard A. DiVita	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/05/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
Tuenda II. Bi vita	B. Pinker	11/03/1701	West Seneca, NY
Paul Feinburg	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/01/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Seymour Grundy and Helen	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	7/08/1985	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
Grundy	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Arthur Iamarino	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/14/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Gerald Meehan	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/06/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Alger Skinules	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	11/11/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Dorothy Schiff			24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Seymour Techner			24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Enzo Morassutti	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	12/12/1984	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	B. Pinker		West Seneca, NY
Will of Conrad E. Pinker		3/22/2002	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
			West Seneca, NY

#### **Grattan Street**

Grantor	Grantee	Date	Last known
			address/phone
County Treasurer of the County of Erie - Foreclosure		2/07/1944	95 Franklin Street,
		Buffalo, NY 14202	
County Treasurer	County of Erie	9/20/1944	95 Franklin Street,
			Buffalo, NY 14202
County of Erie	Merrill Construction	12/22/1947	Unknown
County Treasurer of the County of Erie - Foreclosure		6/11/1957	95 Franklin Street,
			Buffalo, NY 14202
County Treasurer	County of Erie	10/24/1958	95 Franklin Street,
			Buffalo, NY 14202
County of Erie	Victor Christopher and Lena	9/30/1968	Unknown
	Christopher		
Victor Christopher and	Tony Andruchowsky	11/18/1973	Unknown
Lena Christopher			
Tony Andruchowsky	Stefen Hladun and Anna	10/19/1973	Unknown
	Hladun		
Stefan Hladun	Conrad E. Pinker and Joann	12/01/1986	24 Tracy Lynn Ln,
	Pinker (1/2 interest) and		West Seneca, NY
	Wayne S. Schreiner and		
	Ellen Marie Schreiner (1/2		
	interest)		

#### **Site Operators**

In addition to the various record owners of the parcels identified in the abstract of title, the Site has been occupied by several entities since the early 1960s. The following historical information is to the best of the Volunteer's information and belief.

Prior to site development in the late 1950s to early 1060s, the site appeared to be vacant, undeveloped land. The earliest records of commercial or industrial uses at the 1550 Harlem Road site was in 1961 city directories, identifying the occupant as Life Oil Corp gas station. Historical records identified a gasoline station from the late 1950s until circa 1970. Additional, gas station occupants included U Save Oil Co. in 1966 and Bi-Four Less-Inc. gas station in 1970. The 1550 Harlem Road site remained vacant for several years before being converted into a nursery/garden center in 1986 by Conrad Pinker and operated as Schreiner's food market, also listed as Schreiners Old County Farm Market garden center. Mr. Pinker also purchased the Grattan site in 1986, and utilized that property for nursery/garden center purposes. The site continued to operate as a nursery/garden center identified as the Garden Spot Nurseries from about 1996 until early 2014, and has been vacant/abandoned since that time.

The site building has been vacant since the early 2014. The Requestor, as a Volunteer, is not aware of last known address for the previous operators, other than 1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, New York. Additionally, the Requestor has no relationship with any of the past building operators. Below is a summary of know past operators.

Year	Last Known Address	Operator	
2015-2017	1550 Harlem Road	- Vacant – no occupant	
2014, 2010, 2005, 1996	1550 Harlem Road	- The Garden Spot (garden center/nurseries)	
1996, 1991	1550 Harlem Road	- Screiner's Old Country Farm Market (garden center)	
1980, 1975	1550 Harlem Road	- Vacant – no occupant	
1970	1550 Harlem Road	- Bi-Four Less Inc. (gas station)	
1966	1550 Harlem Road	- U Save Oil Co. (gas station)	
1961	1550 Harlem Road	- Life Oil Corp (gas station	
1957	1550 Harlem Road	- Vacant – no building or occupant known	

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RE: Estate of Conrad Pinker to

1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, NY 14206

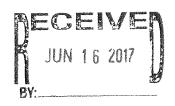
Dear Mr. Knoer:

Enclosed please find Holland Land Title & Abstract Company, Inc. search No. 2010-50201 relative to the above-referenced transaction.

Very truly yours,

GERALD P. GORMAN

GPG:jab Enclosure







# HOLLAND LAND TITLE & ABSTRACT COMPANY, INC.

110 Pearl Street, Suite 900 Buffalo NY 14202-3207

COUNTY: Erie

SEARCH NO.: 2010-50201 SBL NO.: 113.54-2-4.1 &

SWIS Code: 143001 SBL NO.: 113.54-2-13

TOWN	LOT NO.	TOWNSHIP & RANGE	ADDRESS (NO. & STREET)	SUB/COVER ACRES/ DIMENSIONS
Cheektowaga Village of Sloan	32	T-11 R-7	1550 Harlem Road v/l Grattan Street	Pts. Subs 8-14 All Sub 48 Block A Cover 269

HOLLAND LAND TITLE & ABSTRACT COMPANY, INC., a Corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, for a valuable consideration to it paid, hereby Certifies to the record owners of an interest in or specific lien upon the premises above described, that there are no COUNTY TAXES OR TAX SALES, now a lien against the real estate described in the tax rolls as above, now payable, except as follows:

ASSESSED TO: Conrad E. Pinker & W.

CERTIFY TO: Harold J. Wagner; Wayne Schreiner and Ellen Marie Schreiner;

Estate of Conrad E. Pinker

NO SEARCH INCLUDED FOR COUNTY AND PURE WATERS DISTRICTS. NO SEARCH INCLUDED FOR LOCAL ASSESSMENTS, VILLAGE OR SCHOOL TAXES. PURSUANT TO NEW YORK REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW SECTIONS 302 AND 520, THE REAL ESTATE TAX LIABILITY MAY BE AFFECTED UPON TRANSFER ON TITLE, IF PREMISES HAVE A PARTIAL OR FULL EXEMPTION.

FOR WHAT TAX OR TAX SALE	YEAR	AMOUNT TAX OR SALE	REMARKS
COUNTY 113.54-2-4.1	2017		RWC
COUNTY 113.54-2-4.1	2016	\$3187.58 + int.	Open
COUNTY 113.54-2-4.1	2015	\$689.29 + int.	Open
COUNTY 113.54-2-4.1	2014	\$598.11	Paid
COUNTY 113.54-2-13	2017	-	RWC
COUNTY 113.54-2-13	2016	\$307.82 + int.	Open
COUNTY 113.54-2-13	2015	\$66.18 + int.	Open
COUNTY 113.54-2-13	2014	\$69.01	Paid

Plus interest, if any.

Dated: May 16, 2017

HOLLAND LAND TITLE & ABSTRACT

COMPANY, INC.

Authorized Signature

FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, by its Agent, HOLLAND LAND TITLE & ABSTRACT COMPANY, INC., a New York Corporation

for valuable consideration paid, GUARANTEE to the record owners of an interest in or a specific lien upon the premises particularly described **Below** on the date hereof and their successors in interest of record, that the SET-OUTS designated herein by marginal number(s) **1-69** inclusive, are all of the references affecting title to said premises, which

appear upon

(a) INDICES to records, papers, files and documents, (including the Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Registry Index as provided for in Section 316-b of New York Real Property Law since July 1, 1993) in the offices of

the CLERK of the COUNTY OF ERIE, AND

(b) INDICES to wills and administration of decedents' estates in the office of

the SURROGATE of ERIE COUNTY

(c) INDICES to bankrupts in the Buffalo, New York office of the CLERK of the UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the WESTERN DISTRICT

OF NEW YORK

against the names of the parties appearing in the within abstract during the periods in which it appears there was a record interest in said premises under the names from June 4, 1908 as to Parcel A and May 4 1894 as to Parcel B to the date hereof, and upon

(d) JUDGMENT DOCKETS for ten last years past, and

(e) DOCKETS of FEDERAL TAX LIENS for 10 years one month last past,

against the names of parties in such ownership in both of said offices of the aforesaid clerks, and GUARANTEE FURTHER that the SET-OUTS herein are correct statements as to such records and indices. The GUARANTEE under this Certificate shall not be limited by time.

Harold J. Wagner; Wayne Schreiner and Ellen Marie Schreiner;

**Estate of Conrad E. Pinker** - Owner(s)

WITNESS the Corporate Seal of said Corporations and the signature of their respective duly authorized officers this 16th day of May 2017 at 8:59 A.M.

HOLLAND LAND TITLE & ABSTRACT

Authorized Signature

Search No.: 2010-50201

Abstractor: KA

#### **PREMISES**

## PARCEL A

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the Village of Sloan, Town of Cheektowaga, County of Erie and State of New York, and being part of Lot No. 32, Township 11, Range 7 of the Holland Land Company's Survey and according to map filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office under Cover No. 269 is known as Subdivision Lot No. 48 in Block "A", situate on the east side of Gratton Street.

#### PARCEL B

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the Village of Sloan, Town of Cheektowaga, County of Erie and State of New York, being part of Lot No. 32, Township 11 and Range 7 of the Holland Land Company's Survey and according to map filed in Erie County Clerk's Office under Cover No. 269 is known as part of Subdivision Lots Nos. 8 to 14 inclusive in Block "A" and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the southwest corner of lands appropriated by the State of New York by Notice of Appropriation recorded in Erie County Clerk's Office in Liber 9109 of Deeds, page 172 described as Map No. 81, Parcel No. 81; running thence westerly along the south line of Subdivision Lot No. 8 in Block "A" according to map filed in said Clerk's Office under Cover No. 269 to the southwest corner of said Subdivision Lot No. 8; thence northerly along the west line of Subdivision Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 in Block "A" according to map filed in said Clerk's Office under Cover No. 269 a distance of 210 feet to the northwest corner of Subdivision Lot No.14 in Block "A" according to map filed in said Clerk's Office under Cover No. 269; thence easterly along the north line of said Subdivision Lot No. 14 to the northwest corner of lands appropriated by the State of New York by aforesaid Notice of Appropriation; thence southerly along the west line of lands so appropriated about 210 feet to the southwest corner thereof and the point of beginning.

1. Herman Levenson

-TO-

Edwin R. Ives

(No search against grantor)

Warranty Deed

Dated: May 4, 1894

Ack.: May 28, 1894

Rec.: May 29, 1894

Liber 758 of Deeds, page 144

Consideration: \$1.00

## Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 8, Block A, Map Cover 269.

2. Barbara Bender

-TO-

Elizabeth Kaiser

(No search against grantor)

Quit Claim Deed

Dated: January 29, 1906

Ack.: January 29, 1906

Rec.: January 31, 1906

Liber 1029 of Deeds, page 474

Consideration: \$1.00

## Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 9, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

3. Buffalo-Sloan Land Co.

-TO-

Kate M. Kreinheder, as Executrix of the

Last Will and Testament of

(No search against grantor)

Herman J. Kreinheder, deceased

Warranty Deed

Dated: June 10, 1908

Ack.: June 25, 1908

Rec.: November 12, 1908

Liber 1118 of Deeds, page 552

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

# Conveys Subdivision Lots Nos. 10 and 11, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

4. In the Matter

Surrogate's Court Erie County

-OF-

Petition for Probate

Kate M. Kreinheder

Filed: September 22, 1923

Case No. 67885

Recites Decedent died September 18, 1922.

Letters of Administration with the Will annexed issued to Thomas W. H.

Jeacock and Eben P. Watson.

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5. In the Matter

-OF-

Herman J. Kreinheder

Case No. 36660

Surrogate's Court Erie County Petition for Administration

Filed: September 22, 1922

Recites Executor, Kate M. Kreinheder died September 18, 1922.

Letters of Administration with the Will annexed issued to Thomas W. H.

Jeacock and Eben P. Watson on September 22, 1922.

6. Kate M. Kreinheder, as Executrix of the

Last Will and Testament of

Herman J. Kreinheder, by

Thomas W. H. Jeacock and

Eben P. Watson, Administrators

-TO-

Clara P. Kreinheder

Warranty Deed

Dated: July 9, 1923

January 21, 1924 Ack.:

Rec.: January 28, 1924

Liber 1568 of Deeds, page 480

Consideration: \$1.00 and no more

Conveys Subdivision Lots Nos. 10 and 11, Block A, Map Cover 269.

7. Buffalo-Sloan Land Co.

-TO-

George Repp

(No search against grantor)

Warranty Deed

Dated: June 10, 1908

Ack.: June 25, 1908

Rec.: November 12, 1908

Liber 1118 of Deeds, page 551

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Subdivision Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Block A, Map Cover 269.

8. George Repp and Warranty Deed

Christine A. Repp, his wife

-TO-

Mary A. Rozan

Dated: September 16, 1922

Ack.: September 16, 1922

October 3, 1922 Rec.:

Liber 1625 of Deeds, page 346

Consideration: \$1.00

Conveys Subdivision Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

9. Jerome F. Rozan and

Mary A. Rozan
Dated: September 21, 1922
-TOAck.: September 21, 1922

George Repp Rec.: October 3, 1922

(No search against Jerome F. Rozan) Liber 1682 of Mortgages, page 162

Covers Subdivision Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

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10. Mary A. Rozen

-TO-

The Rozan Realty Corporation

Warranty Deed

Mortgage \$1,000.00

Dated: January 2, 1923 Ack.: February 15, 1923

Rec.: March 7, 1923

Liber 1631 of Deeds, page 400

Consideration: \$1.00

Conveys Subdivision Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al. Subject to mortgage recorded in Liber 1682 of Mortgages, page 162.

11. In the Matter

-OF-

Rozan Realty Corporation

File No. 12777

Certificate of Incorporation

Filed in the Secretary of State's Office

October 25, 1920

Filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office

October 27, 1920 in

Liber 47 of Certificates of Incorporation,

page 623

12. Buffalo-Sloan Land Company

-TO-

Albert J. Sigman

et al.

(No search against grantor)

Warranty Deed

Dated: June 4, 1908 Ack.: June 4, 1908

Rec.: July 16, 1908

Liber 1111 of Deeds, page 318 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 14, Block A, Map Cover 269 and Parcel A

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13. In the Matter

-OF-

Albert J. Sigman

Will

Dated: April 18, 1906 Probated: June 25, 1908

Erie County Surrogate's Court

Case #: 46015

Directs that all just debts and funeral expenses be paid.

Makes certain monetary bequests.

All the rest, residue and remainder to Catherine Pfleuger, Andrew F. Sigman, John H. Sigman, Lewis W. Sigman.

Appoints Nelson C. Fuller and Philip J. Griffiths, Executors, and grants full power.

Codicil dated June 5, 1908 makes additional monetary bequest and appoints John W. Palmer, Executor, in place of Nelson C. Fuller.

Petition for Probate filed June 25, 1908 recites decedent died June 13, 1908 leaving him surviving Andrew F. Sigman, full brother, John H. Sigman, full brother, Louis W. Sigman, full brother, Catherine Pfeuger, full sister.

Letters Testamentary issued to John W. Palmer and Philip Griffiths on June 25 1908.

14. John W. Palmer and

Philip J. Griffiths, as Executors of the

Last Will and Testament of

Albert J. Sigman, deceased

-TO-

Sylvia Baird

Executor's Deed

Dated: October 14, 1924

Ack.: October 14, 1924

Rec.: October 23, 1924

Liber 1766 of Deeds, page 209

Consideration: \$390.00

Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 14, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

15. Sylvia Baird

-TO-

George E. Guay

Warranty Deed

Dated: May 14, 1925

Ack.: May 14, 1925

Rec.: August 3,k 1925 Liber 1864 of Deeds, page 8

Consideration: \$1.00

Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 14, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

Recites being the same premises as conveyed by deed recorded in Liber 1766 of Deeds, page 209.

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16. George E. Guay and

Katherine M. Guay, husband and wife

-TO-

Grover A. Winch

Warranty Deed

Dated: March 12, 1929

Ack.: April 6, 1929

Rec.: June 17, 1929

Liber 2037 of Deeds, page 23 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Subdivision Lot No. 14, Block A, Map Cover 269 et al.

17. John W. Palmer and

Philip J. Griffiths, as Executors of the

Last Will and Testament of

Albert J. Sigman, deceased

-TO-

Carrie B. White

Executor's Deed

Dated: October 14, 1924

Ack.: October 14, 1924

Rec.: November 5, 1924

Liber 1766 of Deeds, page 219

Consideration: \$360.00

Conveys Parcel A.

18. In the Matter

-OF-

County Court Erie County

In Rem No. 37

Foreclosure of Tax liens by the County of

Erie pursuant to the In Rem Provisions of Filed: February 7, 1944

the Erie County Tax Act and the

Resolution of the Board of Supervisors as shown by Item 29 Pg. 303 of the minutes of the proceedings of the said

Board for the year 1943 affecting Real

Property located in the Town of

Cheektowaga and the Village of Sloan

Serial No. 375

Affects: Sublot 48, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Carrie B. White

Owing Years: 1933-1943

Serial No. 353

Affects: Sublot 8, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Edwub Uves

Owing Years: 1921-1943

Serial No. 354

Affects: Sublot 9, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Eliz Kaiser

Owing Years: 1929-1943

Serial Nos. 355-356

Affects: Sublots 10 & 11, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Carrie A. Kreinheder

Owing Years: 1928-1943 Serial Nos. 357-358

Affects: Sublots 12 & 13, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Rozan Realty Corp.

Owing Years: 1923-1943

Serial No. 359

Affects: Sublot 14, Block A, Map Cover 269

Last known owner: Grover A. Winch

Owing Years: 1931-1943

19. Frank A. Slade, County Treasurer,

Referee /

-TO-

County of Erie

Referee's Deed

Dated: September 20, 1944

Ack.: September 20, 1944

Rec.: September 20, 1944

Liber 3601 of Deeds, page 278

Consideration: \$702.00

Conveys premises et al, pursuant to the foreclosure of In Rem Action No. 37 above.

20. County of Erie

-TO-

Merrill Construction Co. Inc.

Quit-Claim Deed

Dated: December 22, 1947

Ack.: December 29, 1947

Rec.: December 29, 1947

Liber 4252 of Deeds, page 247

Consideration: \$696.12

Conveys Parcel A et al.

Subject to easements and rights of way owned by the County of Erie and Excepting that part of the above described premises conveyed to or dedicated by the County of Erie for highway and drainage purposes as appears by the records of the Clerk of the county of Erie.

Recites, this conveyance is made and accepted pursuant to the terms of resolutions of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Erie by Item 18, Pgs. 188-189, Item 19 Pg. 304 and Item 36 Pg. 509 of the minutes of the proceedings of said Board for the Year 1944.

21.. In the Matter

-OF-

Merrill Construction Co. Inc.

File No. 23397

Certificate of Incorporation

Filed in the Secretary of State's Office

October 5, 1942

Filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office

October 8, 1942

22. In the Matter

-OF-

County Court Erie County

In Rem No. 116

Foreclosure of Tax liens by the County of Serial No. 85

Erie, pursuant to the In Rem Provision of Filed: June 11, 1957

the Erie County Tax Act and the

Resolutions of the Board of

Supervisors as shown by Item 34

Pg. 255 of the minutes of the

proceedings of the said Board for the

Year 1955 Item 31 Pg. 363 of the

minutes of the proceedings of the said

Board for the year 1956 and Item 20

Pg. 41 of the minutes of the proceedings

of the said Board for the year 1957

affecting real property located in the

Village of Sloan etc.

Frank A. Slade, County Treasurer of the County of Erie

Affects: Sublot 48, Block A, Map Cover 269 (being Parcel A)

Last known owner: Merrill Const.

Owing Years: 1951-1956

23. Frank A. Slade, County Treasurer, Referee's Deed

Referee

Dated: October 24, 1958

-TO-

Ack.:

October 27, 1958

County of Erie

Rec.:

December 5, 1958

Liber 6369 of Deeds, page 197

Consideration: \$1.00 and no more

Conveys same premises as described in In Rem 116 Serial No. 85 (being Parcel A) et al, pursuant to the foreclosure of same.

24. County of Erie

-TO-

Victor Christopher and Lena Christopher, his wife Quit-Claim Deed

Dated: July 23, 1968

Ack.: September 30, 1968 Rec.: September 30, 1968

Liber 7517 of Deeds, page 403

Consideration: \$205.00

Conveys Parcel A, being that property acquired by the County of Erie as Serial No. 85 of In Rem Action No. 116.

Subject to easements and rights of way owned by the County of Erie and excepting that part of the above described premises conveyed to or dedicated by the county of Erie for highway and drainage purposes as appears by the records of the clerk of the County of Erie.

Recites, this conveyance is made and accepted pursuant to the terms of a resolution of the Erie County Legislature, being Item 9, Resolve 26, of the Minutes of the Proceedings of said Legislature for July 2, 1968.

25. Victor Christopher and

Lena Christopher, his wife

-TO-

Tony Andruchowsky

Warranty Deed

Dated: October 18, 1973

Ack.: October 18, 1973

Rec.: October 19, 1973

Liber 8102 of Deeds, page 479 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel A

26. Tony Andruchowsky

-TO-

Stefan Hladun and

Anna Hladun, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: October 19, 1973

Ack.: October 19, 1973 Rec.: October 19, 1973

Liber 8102 of Deeds, page 495 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel A.

27. In the Matter

-OF-

Anna Hladun

Case No. 79-3025

Surrogate's Court Erie County Petition for Administration

Filed: June 13, 1979

Recites Decedent died November 8, 1978 leaving her surviving Stefan Hladun, husband.

28. Stefan Hladun, individually and as

surviving spouse of Anna Hladun

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife, 1/2 interest;

Wayne S. Schreiner and

Ellen Marie Schreiner, his wife,

1/2 interest

Warranty Deed

Dated: December 1, 1986

Ack.: December 1, 1986

Rec.: December 24, 1986

Liber 9611 of Deeds, page 463

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel A.

29. County of Erie Quit-Cl

-TO-

Merrill Construction Co. Inc.

Quit-Claim Deed

Dated: November 15, 1946

Ack.: November 15, 1946

Rec.: November 15, 1946

Liber 4019 of Deeds, page 318

Consideration: \$1691.18

Conveys Parcel B et al.

Subject to easements and right of way owned by the County of Erie and excepting that part of the above described premises conveyed to or dedicated by the County of Erie for highway and drainage purposes as appears by the records of the Clerk of the County of Erie.

Recites, this conveyance is made and accepted pursuant to the terms of a resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Erie by Item 18 Pgs. 188-189, Item 19 Pg. 304 and Item 36 Pg. 509 of the Minutes of the Proceedings of said Board for the Year 1944.

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30. In the Matter

-OF-

In Rem No. 114

Foreclosure of Tax liens by the County of Serial Nos. 38-44 incl.

Erie, pursuant to the In Rem Provision of

the Erie County Tax Act and the

Resolution of the Board of

Supervisors as shown by Item 32

Pg. 255 of the minutes of the

proceedings of the said Board for the

Year 1954 affecting real property

Located in the Village of Sloan et al

Filed: October 6, 1954

Frank A. Slade, County Treasurer

County Court Erie County

of the County of Erie

Affects: Sublots 8-14 incl., Block A, Map Cover 269

(being Parcel B et al)

Last known owner: Merrill Const. Co.

Owing Years: 1948-1953

31. Frank A. Slade, County Treasurer, Referee's Deed

Referee

Dated: May 27, 1955

-TO-

Ack.: May 27, 1955

Harold Doran and

Rec.: May 27, 1955

Herman Doran

Liber 5756 of Deeds, page 22

Consideration: \$2,025.00

Conveys same premises as In Rem 114, Serial Nos. 38-44 incls (being Parcel B et al) pursuant to the foreclosure of same.

32. Herman Doran and Quit-Claim Deed

Harold Doran

-TO-

Dated: January 2, 1957 January 2, 1957 Ack.:

Laverne Doran and

Rec.: July 6, 1960

Miriam Doran

Liber 6563 of Deeds, page 384 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

33. Laverne Doran and

Miriam Doran

-TO-

New York State Electric & Gas

Corporation and

New York Telephone Co.

(No search against second parties)

Easement

Dated: September 26, 1960

Ack.: September 26, 1960

Rec.: October 31, 1960

Liber 6604 of Deeds, page 513

Granted for electric and communication system purposes on grantor's lands fronting on Harlem Rd., north by Delevan Welding Co., south by Wiedenbeck property.

(See terms and conditions contained herein.)

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34. Laverne Doran and

Miriam Doran

-TO-

Harold J. Geiger

Covenant Vs Grantor Deed

Dated: July 18, 1968

Ack.: July 18, 1968

Rec.: July 19, 1968

Liber 7490 of Deeds, page 620

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

Subject to mortgage recorded in Liber 6500 of Mortgages, page 71, since discharged.

Also subject to utility easements and rights of way of record.

35. Harold J. Geiger

Warranty Deed

-TO-

Dated: July 19, 1968

Geiger Enterprises Inc.

Ack.: July 19, 1968

Rec.: July 19, 168

Liber 7490 of Deeds, page 635 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

Subject to mortgage recorded in Liber 6500 of Mortgages, page 71, since discharged.

Also subject to utility easements and rights of way of record.

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36. In the Matter

-OF-

Geiger Enterprises Inc.

File No. 44094

Certificate of Incorporation

Filed in the Secretary of State's Office

November 28, 1966

Filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office

January 17, 1967

37 Geiger Enterprises Inc.

-TO-

Seymour Techner, individually and as

Agent for Richard J. Cino, Jack Schiff,

Paul C. Feinberg, Gerard M. Meehan,

CMD Associates, Harold Wagner,

Lena Techner, John Ursini and

Lester H. Block

Memorandum of Lease

Dated: May 2, 1975

Ack.: May 2 1975

Rec.: May 2, 1975

Liber 8273 of Deeds, page 597

Leases Parcel B et al to second parties commencing May 1 1975 and terminates May 1, 1979 with a four year renewal option.

(Lease contains an option to purchase.)

38. Geiger Enterprises Inc.

-TO-

the following persons as tenants in

common, in the respective percentages

hereafter indicated

Richard J. Cino .11429

Seymour Techner .11429

Jack Schiff .07428

Paul C. Feinberg .14286

Gerard E. Meehan .11428

C M D Associates .05714

Harold Wagner .11429

Lena Techer .04000

John Ursini .17143

Lester H. Block .05714

Warranty Deed

Dated: May 2, 1975

Ack.: May 2, 1975

Rec.: May 2, 1975

Liber 8273 of Deeds, page 567

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

39. Geiger Enterprises Inc. Assignment of Lease

-TO- Dated: June 12, 1975 A.G.Q Food Company Inc. Ack.: June 12, 1975

(No search against second party) Rec.: June 12, 1975

Liber 8286 of Deeds, page 275

Assigns lease recorded in Liber 8273 of Deeds, page 597.

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40. Paul C. Feinberg Bargain & Sale Deed

-TO- Dated: May 2, 1975

Pontiac Mall Optical Center Inc. Ack.: May 10, 1975

Rec.: January 26, 1976

Liber 8359 of Deeds, page 191 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

41. NOTE: We find no Certificate of Incorporation for Pontiac Mall Optical Center Inc. filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office.

42. In the Matter Pension Plan

-OF- Dated: November 1, 1966

Pontiac Mall Optical Center Inc. Ack.: November 1, 1966 (Shown for reference only) Rec.: November 6, 1975

Liber 8336 of Deeds, page 109

Amends Pension Plan Agreement.

(See herein.)

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43. Gerard M. Meehan, Bargain & Sale Deed

C M D Associates and Dated: March 2, 1976 Lester H. Block Ack.: March 2, 1976

-TO- Rec.: March 9, 1976

Willie the Whale Inc. Liber 8370 of Deeds, page 319

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

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44. In the Matter

-OF-

Willie the Whale Inc.

File No. 55932

Certificate of Incorporation

Filed in the Secretary of State's Office

March 21, 1974

Filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office

April 25 1974

45. Seymour Techner and

Richard J. Cino

-TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Bargain & Sale Deed

Dated: March 2, 1976

Ack.: March 2, 1976

Rec.: March 9, 1976

Liber 8370 of Deeds, page 333

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

46. In the Matter

-OF-

Jack Lewis Schiff

Will

Dated: January 27, 1970

Probated: November 28, 1978

Erie County Surrogate's Court

Case #: 78-6279

Revokes all prior wills and codicils.

Directs that all just debts and funeral expenses be paid.

Makes certain monetary bequests.

All the rest, residue and remainder to his wife, Dorothy Schiff, and appoints her Executrix. If she cannot act he appoints his son Robert E. Schiff and his daughter Mrs. Myrna Techner, Co-Executors and grants full power.

Petition for Administration (Florida Resident with Will) filed May 12, 1978, Dade County Florida, recites decedent died April 25, 1978 leaving him surviving Dorothy Schiff – wife.

Letters Testamentary issued to Dorothy Schiff on May 12, 1978.

Petition for Probate filed November 21, 1978, Erie County Surrogate's Court.

Ancillary Letters of Administration CTA issued to Richard J. Cino on November 28, 1978.

47. Dorothy Schiff, as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of

Jack Schiff, deceased -TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Executor's Deed

Dated: May 19, 1978 Ack.: May 19, 1978 Rec.: June 14, 1978

Liber 8656 of Deeds, page 67 Consideration: \$20,814.70

Conveys Parcel B et al.

48. Lena Techner

-TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Warranty Deed

Dated: May 24, 1978

Ack.: May 24, 1978

Rec.: June 14, 1978

Liber 8656 of Deeds, page 72 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

49. John Ursini

-TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Warranty Deed

Dated: April 27, 1978

Ack.: April 27, 1978

Rec.: June 14, 1978

Liber 8656 of Deeds, page 77 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

50. Harold Wagner

-TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Warranty Deed

Dated: May 8, 1978

Ack.: May 8, 1978

Rec.: June 14, 1978

Liber 8686 of Deeds, page 82 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B et al.

51. Pontiac Mall Optical Center Inc.

Pension Plan

-TO-

Willie the Whale Inc.

Warranty Deed

Dated: April 25, 1978

Ack.: April 25, 1978

Rec.: June 14, 1978

Liber 8656 of Deeds, page 132 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

# Conveys Parcel B et al.

52. Willie the Whale Inc.

-TO-

Enzo Horassutti .10% interest, Arthur Imarino .10% interest,

Alger Skinules .08% interest,

Paul Feinberg .12% interest,

Michael Drickman .048% interest,

Richard J. Cino .04% interest,

Dorothy Schiff .04 % interest,

Seymour Techner .12% interest,

Harold J. Wagner .04% interest,

Donald DiGiore .036% interest,

Gerald A. Meehan .04% interest,

Richard A. DiVita .04% interest,

Seymour Grundy and

Helen Grundy, his wife, as joint tenants,

.20 % interest

Rec.: Liber 8667 of Deeds, page 273

Ack.:

Warranty Deed

Dated: June 30, 1978

July 10, 1978

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

June 30, 1978

Conveys Parcel B et al.

53. Richard J. Cino, as Administrator CTA

> of the Last Will and Testament of Jack L. Schiff, deceased

> > -TO

Geiger Enterprises Inc.

Correcting Executor's Deed

Dated: March 29, 1979

Ack.: March 29, 1979

Rec.: May 1, 1979

Liber 8779 of Deeds, page 411

Consideration: \$9,280.00

Conveys Parcel B et al.

Recites, this deed is given and recorded for the purposes of title to premises in the grantee and to confirm an earlier conveyance of the same premises by Dorothy M. Schiff to Geiger Enterprises Inc. by deed recorded in Libber 8656 of Deeds, page 67.

54. William H. Wehr Jr., as trustee of Geiger Enterprises Inc.

-TO-

The People of the State of New York (No search against grantee)

Bargain & Sale Deed

Dated: September 23, 1983 Ack.: September 23, 1983

Rec.: February 27 1985 Liber 9425 of Deeds, page 709

Consideration: \$33,700.00

Conveys: All that piece or parcel of property hereinafter designated as Parcel No. 1 being a portion of Sublot Nos. 8, 9, 10,11, 12,13 & 14 in Block "A", as shown on Map Cover 269, by Leo Enlauer, Civil Engineer, and filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office on August 1, 1887, situate in Lot No. 3, Township 1, Range 7 in the Village of Sloan, Town of Cheektowaga, County of Erie, State of New York described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly boundary of the existing Harlem Road, S. H. No. 938, at its intersection with the division line between the property reputedly owned by Geiger Enterprises, Inc. on the north and the property reputedly owned by Stella B. Andrzejewski on the south, said point being 34+ feet distant westerly measured radially from Station 156+74+ of the hereinafter described centerline for the reconstruction of the Harlem Road, S. H. No. 9381; thence westerly along the said division line 36± feet to a point 70± feet distant westerly measured radially from Station 156+74+ of the said centerline; thence through the property reputedly owned by Geiger Enterprises, Inc., the following 2 courses and distances; (1) North 0° 35' 10" West, 123± feet to a point 70.00 feet distant westerly measured radially from Station 158+00 of the said centerline; thence (2) North 1° 18' 00" East, 87+ feet to a point on the division line between the property reputedly owned by Geiger Enterprises, Inc. on the south and the property reputedly owned by Delavan Welding Co., Inc. on the north, said point being 64± feet distant westerly measured radially from Station 158+88± of the said centerline; thence easterly along the last mentioned division line 38± feet to a point on the said boundary, said point being 26+ feet distant westerly measured radially from Station 158+85± of the said centerline; thence southerly along the said boundary 210 feet to the point of beginning, being 7,997± Square feet or 0.184 acre, more or less.

The above mentioned centerline, as shown on the accompanying map, is established from the 1973 survey baseline for the reconstruction of Harlem road, S. H. No. 9381, as shown on a map and plan on file in the office of the State Department of Transportation, a portion of said baseline being described as follows:

Beginning at Station 154+97.60-"WL"200+00.00; thence North 1 $^{\circ}$  04' 38" East to Station 160+15.66.

All bearing referred to true north at the  $78^{\circ}$  35' 00" Meridian of West Longitude.

Being the same premises shown and described as Map 81, Parcel 81, Harlem Road, S. H. No. 9381, and filed in the Erie County Clerk's Office on December 14, 1979.

55. Richard Cino a/k/a

Richard J. Cino

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 13, 1984

Ack.: November 13, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 497

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

56. Michael Drickman

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: January 17, 1985

Ack.: January 17 1985

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 498

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

57. Ronald DiGiore

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 8, 1984

Ack.: November 8, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 499

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

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58. Richard A. DiVita

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 5, 1984

Ack.: November 5, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 500 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

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59. Paul Feinberg

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 1, 1984

Ack.: November 1, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 501 Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

60. Seymour Grundy and

Helen Grundy, his wife

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: July 8, 1985

Ack.: July 8, 1985

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 502

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

61. Arthur Iamarino

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 14, 1984

Ack.: November 14, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 503

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

62. Gerard Meehan

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 6, 1984

Ack.: November 6, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 504

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

(Gerard Meehan signs Gerard D. Meehan)

63. Alger Skinules

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 11, 1984

Ack.: November 14,1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 505

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

64. Dorothy Schiff

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: December 27, 1984

Ack.: December 27, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 506

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

65. Seymour Techner

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: November 13, 1984

Ack.: November 13, 1984

Rec.: June 7, 1988

Liber 9871 of Deeds, page 507

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

66. Enzo Morassutti

-TO-

Conrad E. Pinker and

Joann B. Pinker, his wife

Warranty Deed

Dated: December 12, 1984

Ack.: December 17, 1984

Rec.: June 13, 1988

Liber 9873 of Deeds, page 622

Consideration: \$1.00 and more

Conveys Parcel B.

67. NOTE: We find no Deed out of Harold J. Wagner into Conrad E. Pinker and Joann B. Pinker on record in the Erie county Clerk's Office.

68. In the Matter

-OF-

Conrad E. Pinker

Will

Dated: March

March 22, 2002

Probated: September 9, 2011

Erie County Surrogate's Court

Case #: 2011-3113

Directs that all just debts and funeral expenses be paid.

He gives all property, real and personal, to his wife Joann B. Pinker. If she should predecease then all the rest, residue and remainder to his four children: Mark E. Pinker, Ellen Pinker, Susan Procknal and Amy L. Pinker, in equal shares.

Appoints said wife Executrix. If she cannot act he appoints his daughters Ellen Pinker and Susan Procknal and grants full power.

Revokes all prior wills and codicils.

Petition for Probate filed August 11, 2011 recites decedent died July 11, 2011 leaving him surviving no spouse, but Mark E. Pinker, Amy L. DeWalt (fka Amy L. Pinker), Ellen Pinker, and Susan Procknal.

Letters Testamentary issued to Ellen Pinker and Susan Procknal on September 9, 2011.

69. NOTE: We find no Surrogate Proceedings on file in the Erie County Surrogate's Office for Joann B. Pinker.

May 16, 2017

@ 8:59 A.M.

KA/kmb

The service you need and the quality you trust.

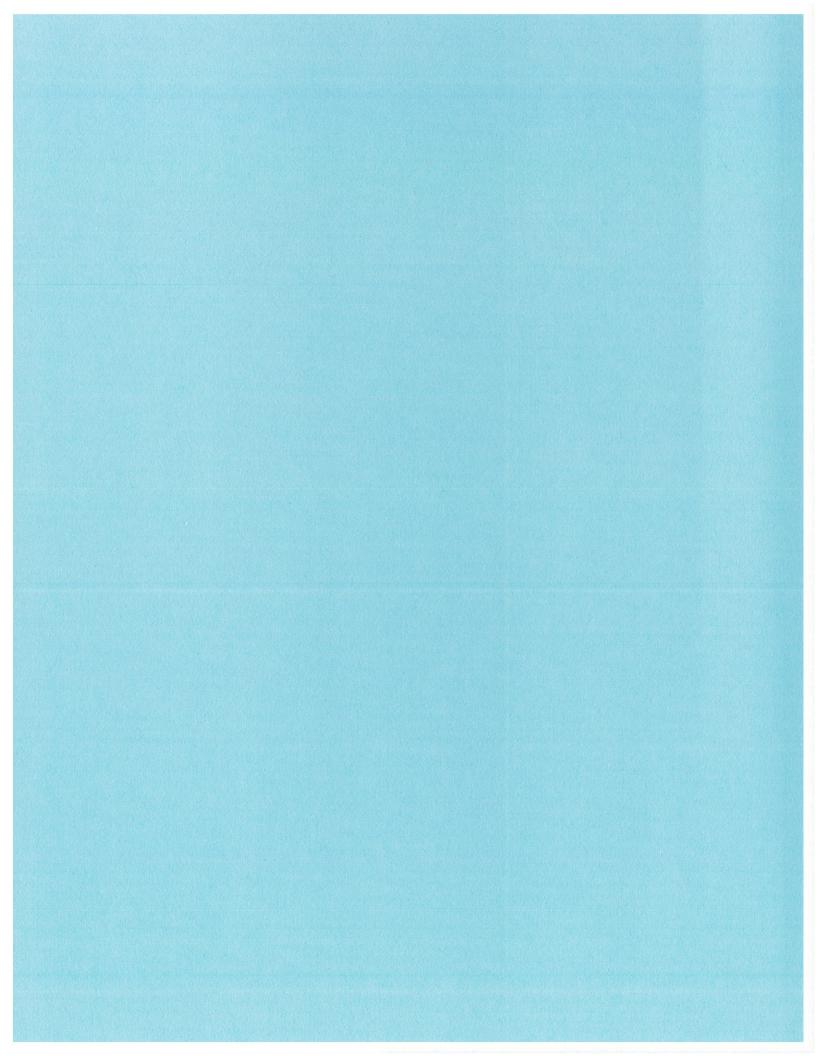
## ~ OFFICE ~

BUFFALO/ZOCKPORT

1.10 PEARL STREET, SUITE 900 BUFFALO, NY 14202

Phone: (716) 853.6529

Fax: (716) 853,9870



#### **Section VII**

#### **Requestor Eligibility Information**

<u>11. Unregistered Bulk Storage Tanks</u> – During test pit investigations, an UST was identified. The UST is estimated to be approximately 8,000-gallons in site. The UST is not currently registered.

<u>Volunteer</u> – American Tire, Inc. should be considered a Volunteer to the BCP. American Tire, Inc. is not the current owner, and has not owned nor operated the subject site, and therefore does not have responsibility for the contamination present at the site. American Tire, Inc. is a potential purchaser with plan for full site redevelopment.

#### **Proof of Site Access**

Access agreement from current owner attached. Additionally, Section 6.2 of the attached Purchase Contract also provides access.

# 1550 HARLEM ROAD AND 0 GRATTAN STREET CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK 14206

CONSENT OF THE ESTATE OF CONRAD PINKER AUTHORIZING AMERICAN TIRE, INC. TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION BROWNFIELD CLEANUP PROGRAM.

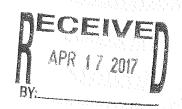
THE UNDERSIGNED, SUSAN PROCKNAL in her capacity as Executrix of the ESTATE OF CONRAD PINKER, current owner of the properties located at 1550 Harlem Road (SBL 113.54-2-4.1) and 0 Grattan Street (SBL 113.54-2-13), Cheektowaga, New York 14206 (the "Site").

### DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

That AMERICAN TIRE, INC., as Purchaser under a Contract of Purchase and Sale is hereby authorized to execute documentation, have physical access to and permission to conduct necessary environmental testing and remedial activities at the Site in furtherance of AMERICAN TIRE, INC.'s participation in the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Brownfield Cleanup Program.

By Susan Procknal, Executrix of the

Estate of Conrad Pinker



## CONTRACT OF PURCHASE AND SALE

THIS AGREEMENT is made this <u>W</u> day of <u>Opril</u>, 2017 between the Estate of Conrad Pinker with an address at 1550 Harlem Road, Sloan, New York (the "Seller") and American Tire, Inc., a New York Corporation with a business address of 397 Ludington Street, Buffalo, New York 14206 (the "Purchaser").

#### RECITAL

Seller has agreed to sell and Purchaser has agreed to purchase, on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, certain real property situated at 1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, NY 14206 and 0 Grattan Street Cheektowaga, New York, 14206 identified more specifically by SBL 113.54-2-4.1 and 113.54-2-13 which parcels are described with more particularity on Exhibit A attached hereto.

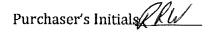
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of these premises, the terms and conditions set forth herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, Seller and Purchaser agree as follows:

## 1.0 DEFINITIONS.

- 1.1. Agreement shall mean this Contract of Purchase and Sale, dated April 20, 2017 between Seller and Purchaser.
- 1.2. Casualty Loss shall mean any damage to the Real Property or Improvements caused by fire, storm or other casualty or any taking or pending or threatened taking, in condemnation or under the right of eminent domain, of the Real Property or any portion thereof.
- 1.3. Closing shall mean the closing of title to the Real Property to be held at the time and place set forth in this Agreement.
  - 1.4. Closing Date shall mean 30 days following the Inspection Date.
  - 1.5. Code shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- 1.6. Deed shall mean the statutory form of warranty deed to be executed and delivered by Seller pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.
- 1.7. Documents shall mean all: (a) contracts or agreements affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (b) warranties, guarantees, indemnities and claims inuring to the benefit of Seller with respect to the Real Property and Improvements; (c) licenses, permits or similar documents affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (d) appraisals, plans, drawings, specifications, surveys, engineering reports, environmental studies and other technical descriptions affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (e) insurance contracts or policies affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; and (f) documentation owned by or in the possession of Seller that relates to the design, construction, ownership, use, leasing, maintenance, service or operation of all or any portion of the Real

Property and Improvements, including but not limited to Seller's federal tax returns for the previous three years, Sellers checking account statements showing individual deposits for the last three years; (g) leases and rent rolls; (h) tax bills for all real property taxes and/or special assessments for the 12 months preceding the Effective Date; (i) all citations, notices of building code violations or other charges levied by any governmental authority concerning the condition and/or use of the Real Property.

- 1.8. Effective Date shall mean the date the contract is executed by both parties.
- 1.9. Encumbrances shall mean all liens and security interests, claims, encumbrances, easements, right of way, encroachments, reservations, restrictions and any other matters affecting title to the Real Property.
- 1.10. Environment shall mean water or water vapor, land surface or subsurface, air, fish, wildlife, biota and all other natural resources.
- 1.11. Environmental Law shall mean any statute, law, ordinance, rule, regulation, permit, license, order, directive, guideline or policy of any Governmental Agency, now or hereafter in effect, relating to the protection of the Environment or governing the use, storage, treatment, generation, transportation, processing, handling, production or disposal of any Hazardous Material.
- 1.12. Governmental Agency shall mean any federal, state or local governmental court, agency or other entity, body, organization or group exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government.
- 1.13. Hazardous Material shall mean any petroleum, PCBs, asbestos, chemical substance, waste, pollutant or contaminant, as defined in, or regulated by, any Environmental Law or as determined by any Governmental Agency.
  - 1.14. Inspection Date shall mean 90 days from the Effective Date.
- 1.15. Inspection Period shall mean that period from the date hereof until the Inspection Date.
  - 1.16. Purchase Price shall mean Sixty Thousand (\$60,000.00) (U.S.) Dollars
- 1.17. Real Property shall mean that parcel of real property situated in the Town of Amherst, County of Erie and State of New York commonly known as 1550 Harlem Road and 0 Grattan Street, Cheektowaga, NY 14206, also known as SBL 113.54-2-4.1 and 113.54-2-13 and being more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto, together with all rights, privileges, interests, easements, rights of way, restrictions, reservations, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto of record and in any way incident, appertaining or belonging, including, but not limited to all right, title and interest in and to adjacent streets, alleys, and any adjacent strips or gores of real estate.
  - 1.18. Survey shall mean a survey of the Real Property and the Improvements dated



subsequent to the Effective Date, prepared in accordance with Bar Association of Erie County standards.

1.19. Title Search shall mean a fully guaranteed tax and title search covering the Real Property only, the first set out of which shall be the first recorded source of title in the Erie County Clerk's Office, the last continuation of which shall be dated subsequent to the Effective Date and where not covered by the search, a local tax certificate.

#### 2.0 PURCHASE AND SALE.

2.1. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, Seller agrees to sell, convey, transfer and assign to Purchaser and Purchaser agrees to purchase from Seller, all of Seller's right, title and interest in and to the Real Property.

#### 3.0 CLOSING.

3.1. The Closing shall take place at 10:00 a.m. on the Closing Date at a location in the City of Buffalo to be mutually agreed upon by Seller and Purchaser.

#### 4.0 PAYMENT OF PURCHASE PRICE.

- 4.1. The Purchase Price shall be Sixty Thousand (\$60,000) Dollars paid as follows:
  - a. Within Forty-Eight (48) hours of Seller signing the contract Purchaser shall deliver \$5,000 to Sellers attorney to be held in escrow pending contingencies;
  - b. On Purchaser being admitted into the New York State Brownfield Program Purchaser shall deliver \$10,000 to Sellers attorney to be held in escrow pending closing;
  - c. On the Closing Date, the Purchaser shall deliver the balance of the \$60,000 purchase price as may be adjusted under this Agreement.

#### 5.0 TITLE.

- 5.1. Seller shall provide Purchaser with a Title Search and Survey within Fifteen (15) days of the Effective Date.
- 5.2. No later than 15 days after receipt of the Search, Purchaser shall give Seller written notice of any Encumbrances which in Purchaser's opinion renders title to the Real Property unmarketable. Within 10 calendar days of its receipt of such notice from Purchaser, Seller shall commit to either cure such title defects or obtain a commitment for fee title insurance at standard rates insuring the Purchaser against collection of any objectionable Encumbrances out of or enforcement of any objectionable Encumbrances against the Real Property. If Seller shall fail to commit to effect such cure or obtain such commitment within such 10 calendar day period, Purchaser may elect (a) to accept such title to the Real property as Seller shall be able to convey or (b) to cancel this Agreement by giving written notice to Seller, whereupon this

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Agreement shall be deemed to be terminated as of the date of such notice, the attorney for the Purchaser shall immediately return the Deposit to Purchaser, and neither party shall have any further rights or claims against the other.

#### 6.0 INSPECTION AND DUE DILIGENCE.

- 6.1. Seller shall provide Purchaser with the Documents within 10 days after the Effective Date. Any delay in delivery of the required Document shall result in an equal extension of the Inspection Period.
- 6.2. Purchaser shall have until the conclusion of the Inspection Period to conduct its due diligence and inspect the Real Property and improvements and obtain admission into the New York State Brownfield Cleanup Program ("BCP"). Seller shall provide access to the Purchaser for purposes of conducting its investigation and inspection of the Real Property and improvements. Seller further agrees to sign any documentation as may be required by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation to authorize Purchaser to access, investigate and remediate the site pursuant to the BCP program and enter an Environmental Easement as may be required under the BCP.
- 6.3. If Purchaser determines during the Inspection Period that the Real Property is not suitable for any reason, or it is not accepted into the BCP program, it may terminate this Agreement upon written notice to the Seller and the Purchaser's attorney shall return the Deposit to the Purchaser and neither party shall have any further rights or claims against party.

#### 7.0 WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS OF SELLER.

- 7.1. As a material inducement to cause Purchaser to enter into this Agreement with Purchaser's Attorney, Seller represents to Purchaser that:
- 7.2. Seller has full right, power and authority to execute, deliver and perform this Agreement without obtaining any further consents or approvals from, or the taking of any other actions with respect to, any third parties, and this Agreement when executed by Seller and Purchaser, will constitute the valid and binding agreement of Seller, enforceable against Seller in accordance with its terms.
- 7.3. Seller has good and indefeasible fee simple title to the Premises. No party has or shall have any right in, or to acquire the Premises. At the Closing, the Premises shall be free and clear of all encumbrances.
- 7.4. There is no condemnation or eminent domain proceeding affecting the Real Property or Improvements, or any part thereof.
- 7.5. Seller has received no notice of any default or breach by Seller under any covenant, condition, restriction, right of way or easement affecting or any portion thereof, and no such default or breach now exists.
  - 7.6. No building or other improvement encroaches onto the Real Property, nor does

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any Improvement encroach onto lands of others or onto any private or public road, easement or right of way.

- 7.7. There are no outstanding notices calling attention to the need for any unperformed curbing, recurbing, paving, repaving or other construction, improvements or work on or about the Real Property or on any streets or roads abutting the Real Property or for the removal of any nuisance from the Real Property. All street paving, curbing, sewer installation or other public improvements for which the Real Property is assessable have been fully paid for.
- 7.8. There are no permits, licenses or consents required by any Governmental Agency in connection with the use and occupancy of the Premises other than as provided in the Documents. All permits, licenses and certificates so provided have been duly issued by the appropriate Governmental Agencies.
- 7.9. Seller has not received any notices from any insurance company of any defects or inadequacies in the Premises or any part thereof which would materially and adversely affect the insurability of the Premises or the premiums for the insurance thereof.
  - 7.10. Seller is not a foreign person as defined in Section 1445(f)(3) of the Code.

#### 8.0 CONDITIONS TO SALE.

- 8.1. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, Purchaser's obligation to complete Closing under this Agreement is contingent upon the satisfaction or waiver by Purchaser of the following conditions:
  - 8.2. Purchasers waive the due diligence contingency following the Inspection Period.
  - 8.3. Purchaser obtains approval to rezone the Property as may be required.
  - 8.4. Admission into the BCP program.
- 8.5. The representations and warranties of the Seller contained in this Agreement shall be true on and as of the Closing Date with the same effect as if such representations and warranties had been made on and as of such date.
- 8.6. Purchaser shall not have discovered any material error, misstatement or omission in the representations and warranties made by Seller in this Agreement.
- 8.7. Seller shall have performed, observed and complied with all of the covenants, agreements and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed, observed and complied with by it prior to or as of the Closing Date.
- 8.8. As of the Closing Date, the Real Property shall be in substantially the same condition as it was on the Effective Date, ordinary wear and tear excepted.
- 9.0 SELLER'S COVENANTS.

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Seller covenants that between the Effective Date and the Closing Date:

- 9.1. It shall not encumber the Premises, or enter into any lease or other occupancy agreement with respect to the Premises without the prior written consent of Purchaser.
- 9.2. Seller shall not modify or amend any existing service contract or enter into any new service contract with respect to the Premises without Purchaser's prior written consent.
- 9.3. Seller shall cause to be maintained in full force and effect all insurance policies currently maintained with respect to the Premises.
- 9.4. Seller shall not withdraw, settle or otherwise compromise any protest or reduction proceeding affecting real estate taxes assessed against the Premises for any fiscal period in which the Closing is to occur or for any subsequent fiscal period without the prior written consent of Purchaser.
- 9.5. Seller shall maintain, repair, manage and operate the Premises in a business-like manner in accordance with Seller's prior practices.
- 9.6. Seller shall immediately notify Purchaser of any material change with respect to the Premises or with respect to any information, representation or warranty heretofore or hereafter furnished by Seller to Purchaser concerning the Premises.
- 9.7. Seller shall, upon Purchaser's request, provide Purchaser with reasonable access to the Premises for the purpose of verifying Seller's performance of its obligations hereunder.

#### 10.0 SELLER'S CLOSING OBLIGATIONS.

At the Closing, Seller shall deliver to Purchaser:

- 10.1. The Deed, properly executed and in proper form for recording, with all required transfer taxes or charges paid, conveying to the Purchaser good and marketable title to the Real Property and Improvements; all leases then in effect, all originals of any Documents which were provided to Purchaser as copies
  - 10.2. An Affidavit regarding Seller's identity for purposes of Section 1445 of the Code;
- 10.3. Such affidavits as the Title Company shall reasonably require in order to omit from any title policies being obtained by Purchaser all exceptions for judgments, bankruptcies or other returns against persons or entities whose names are the same as or similar to the Seller's name;
- 10.4. Evidence satisfactory to Purchaser and the Title Company that the person executing the documents at the Closing on behalf of Seller has the full right, power and authority to do so,

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- b. Rents. For adjustment purposes, all rents will be considered paid to the Seller if due at the date of adjustment.
- 12.2. Seller shall pay any and all transfer, gains or documentary stamp taxes and other taxes due in connection with the transfer of the Premises from Seller to Purchaser.
- 12.3. Purchaser shall pay all recording and filing fees incurred in connection with the Deed and if applicable all mortgage recording tax and recording fees imposed with respect to the Mortgage.
- 12.4. Seller and Purchaser agree to comply in all respects with Section 1445 of the Code and the regulations issued there under (the "Regulations"). If Seller is not a "foreign person" (as defined in the Regulations), Seller shall deliver to Purchaser at Closing a non-foreign certificate as prescribed by the Regulations properly executed and in form and content satisfactory to Purchaser. If Seller is a "foreign person" or fails or refuses to deliver the non-foreign certificate, or if Purchaser receives notice, or has actual knowledge, that the non-foreign certificate is false, a tax equal to 10% of the Purchase Price shall be withheld by Purchaser at Closing and paid to the Internal Revenue Service in the manner prescribed by the Regulations, unless withholding is reduced or excused in the manner prescribed by the Regulations. In the event of any withholding, Seller's obligations to deliver title and close this transaction shall not be excused or otherwise affected.

#### 13.0 CASUALTY LOSS.

Seller and Purchaser acknowledge and agree that the risk of loss to the Real Property between the Effective Date and the Closing Date shall remain with the Seller.

#### 14.0 BROKER.

Seller and Purchaser agree that **NO** real estate broker is entitled to a commission in connection with this transaction. Seller shall pay any commission as may be earned. Seller and Purchaser shall indemnify and defend each other against any costs, or expenses, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the breach on their respective parts of any representations, warranties or agreements contained in this Section 14. The representations and obligations under this Section 14 shall survive the Closing, or, if the Closing does not occur, the termination of this Agreement.

#### 15.0 NOTICES.

15.1. All notices under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be sent by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or similar private overnight carrier, addressed to the party for which such notice is intended, at such party's address set forth below or at such other address as may be provided by such party to the other parties by notice complying with this Section. All notices sent pursuant to this Section shall be deemed effective when deposited in the mail or delivered to the overnight carrier, as the case may be, addressed as follows:

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To the Seller: Estate of Conrad Pinker 1550 Harlem Road Sloan, New York

With a copy by email to:

Gerald P. Gorman, Esq 180 Main Street Hamburg New York 14075 Jerry@geraldpgorman.com

To the Purchaser:

American Tire, Inc. 397 Ludington Street Buffalo, New York 14206

With a copy by email to:

Robert E. Knoer, Esq.
The Knoer Group, PLLC
424 Main Street, Suite 1820
Buffalo, NY 14202
rknoer@knoergroup.com

#### 15.2. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

- 15.3. This Agreement, and all of its agreements, warranties and representations, shall survive the Closing and the delivery of the Deed by Seller to Purchaser.
- 15.4. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without regard to principles of conflict of laws.
- 15.5. Should either Seller or Purchaser employ an attorney or attorneys to enforce any of the provisions hereof, or to protect its interest in any manner arising under this Agreement, or to recover damages for the breach of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to payment by the other party of all reasonable costs, charges and expenses, including attorney's fees in the trial and appellate courts, expended or incurred in connection therewith.
  - 15.6. This Agreement embodies and constitutes the entire understanding between the

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parties with respect to the transaction contemplated herein, and all prior agreements, understandings, representations and statements, oral or written, are merged into this Agreement. Neither this Agreement nor any provision hereof may be waived, modified, amended, discharged or terminated except by an instrument signed by the party against whom enforcement of such waiver, modification, amendment, discharge or termination is sought, and then only to the extent set forth in such instrument.

- 15.7. No waiver by either party hereto of any failure or refusal by the other party hereto to comply with its obligations hereunder shall be deemed a waiver of any other or subsequent failure or refusal by such party to so comply.
- 15.8. The captions in this Agreement are inserted for convenience of reference only and in no way define, describe or limit the scope or intent of this contract or any of the provisions hereof.
- 15.9. This Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs or successors and assigns.
- 15.10. This Agreement may be freely assigned by Purchaser in its absolute and sole discretion without the consent of Seller.
- 15.11. This Agreement shall not be binding or effective until properly executed and delivered by Seller and Purchaser and the Deposit has been delivered to attorney for the Purchaser.
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ESTATE OF CONRAD PINKER

By: Sugar Procesal (Executor)

PURCHASER:

AMERICAN TIRE, INC.

By: Rof Philo Provident

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#### **CONTRACT OF PURCHASE AND SALE**

THIS AGREEMENT is made this <u>W</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2017 between the Estate of Conrad Pinker with an address at 1550 Harlem Road, Sloan, New York (the "Seller") and American Tire, Inc., a New York Corporation with a business address of 397 Ludington Street, Buffalo, New York 14206 (the "Purchaser").

#### RECITAL

Seller has agreed to sell and Purchaser has agreed to purchase, on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, certain real property situated at 1550 Harlem Road, Cheektowaga, NY 14206 and 0 Grattan Street Cheektowaga, New York, 14206 identified more specifically by SBL 113.54-2-4.1 and 113.54-2-13 which parcels are described with more particularity on Exhibit A attached hereto.

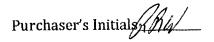
**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of these premises, the terms and conditions set forth herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, Seller and Purchaser agree as follows:

#### 1.0 DEFINITIONS.

- 1.1. Agreement shall mean this Contract of Purchase and Sale, dated April 20, 2017 between Seller and Purchaser.
- 1.2. Casualty Loss shall mean any damage to the Real Property or Improvements caused by fire, storm or other casualty or any taking or pending or threatened taking, in condemnation or under the right of eminent domain, of the Real Property or any portion thereof.
- 1.3. Closing shall mean the closing of title to the Real Property to be held at the time and place set forth in this Agreement.
  - 1.4. Closing Date shall mean 30 days following the Inspection Date.
  - 1.5. Code shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- 1.6. Deed shall mean the statutory form of warranty deed to be executed and delivered by Seller pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.
- 1.7. Documents shall mean all: (a) contracts or agreements affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (b) warranties, guarantees, indemnities and claims inuring to the benefit of Seller with respect to the Real Property and Improvements; (c) licenses, permits or similar documents affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (d) appraisals, plans, drawings, specifications, surveys, engineering reports, environmental studies and other technical descriptions affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; (e) insurance contracts or policies affecting or relating to the Real Property and Improvements; and (f) documentation owned by or in the possession of Seller that relates to the design, construction, ownership, use, leasing, maintenance, service or operation of all or any portion of the Real

Property and Improvements, including but not limited to Seller's federal tax returns for the previous three years, Sellers checking account statements showing individual deposits for the last three years; (g) leases and rent rolls; (h) tax bills for all real property taxes and/or special assessments for the 12 months preceding the Effective Date; (i) all citations, notices of building code violations or other charges levied by any governmental authority concerning the condition and/or use of the Real Property.

- 1.8. Effective Date shall mean the date the contract is executed by both parties.
- 1.9. Encumbrances shall mean all liens and security interests, claims, encumbrances, easements, right of way, encroachments, reservations, restrictions and any other matters affecting title to the Real Property.
- 1.10. Environment shall mean water or water vapor, land surface or subsurface, air, fish, wildlife, biota and all other natural resources.
- 1.11. Environmental Law shall mean any statute, law, ordinance, rule, regulation, permit, license, order, directive, guideline or policy of any Governmental Agency, now or hereafter in effect, relating to the protection of the Environment or governing the use, storage, treatment, generation, transportation, processing, handling, production or disposal of any Hazardous Material.
- 1.12. Governmental Agency shall mean any federal, state or local governmental court, agency or other entity, body, organization or group exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government.
- 1.13. Hazardous Material shall mean any petroleum, PCBs, asbestos, chemical substance, waste, pollutant or contaminant, as defined in, or regulated by, any Environmental Law or as determined by any Governmental Agency.
  - 1.14. Inspection Date shall mean 90 days from the Effective Date.
- 1.15. Inspection Period shall mean that period from the date hereof until the Inspection Date.
  - 1.16. Purchase Price shall mean Sixty Thousand (\$60,000.00) (U.S.) Dollars
- 1.17. Real Property shall mean that parcel of real property situated in the Town of Amherst, County of Erie and State of New York commonly known as 1550 Harlem Road and 0 Grattan Street, Cheektowaga, NY 14206, also known as SBL 113.54-2-4.1 and 113.54-2-13 and being more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto, together with all rights, privileges, interests, easements, rights of way, restrictions, reservations, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto of record and in any way incident, appertaining or belonging, including, but not limited to all right, title and interest in and to adjacent streets, alleys, and any adjacent strips or gores of real estate.
  - 1.18. Survey shall mean a survey of the Real Property and the Improvements dated



subsequent to the Effective Date, prepared in accordance with Bar Association of Erie County standards.

1.19. Title Search shall mean a fully guaranteed tax and title search covering the Real Property only, the first set out of which shall be the first recorded source of title in the Erie County Clerk's Office, the last continuation of which shall be dated subsequent to the Effective Date and where not covered by the search, a local tax certificate.

#### 2.0 PURCHASE AND SALE.

2.1. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, Seller agrees to sell, convey, transfer and assign to Purchaser and Purchaser agrees to purchase from Seller, all of Seller's right, title and interest in and to the Real Property.

#### 3.0 CLOSING.

3.1. The Closing shall take place at 10:00 a.m. on the Closing Date at a location in the City of Buffalo to be mutually agreed upon by Seller and Purchaser.

#### 4.0 PAYMENT OF PURCHASE PRICE.

- 4.1. The Purchase Price shall be Sixty Thousand (\$60,000) Dollars paid as follows:
  - a. Within Forty-Eight (48) hours of Seller signing the contract Purchaser shall deliver \$5,000 to Sellers attorney to be held in escrow pending contingencies;
  - b. On Purchaser being admitted into the New York State Brownfield Program Purchaser shall deliver \$10,000 to Sellers attorney to be held in escrow pending closing;
  - c. On the Closing Date, the Purchaser shall deliver the balance of the \$60,000 purchase price as may be adjusted under this Agreement.

#### 5.0 TITLE.

- 5.1. Seller shall provide Purchaser with a Title Search and Survey within Fifteen (15) days of the Effective Date.
- 5.2. No later than 15 days after receipt of the Search, Purchaser shall give Seller written notice of any Encumbrances which in Purchaser's opinion renders title to the Real Property unmarketable. Within 10 calendar days of its receipt of such notice from Purchaser, Seller shall commit to either cure such title defects or obtain a commitment for fee title insurance at standard rates insuring the Purchaser against collection of any objectionable Encumbrances out of or enforcement of any objectionable Encumbrances against the Real Property. If Seller shall fail to commit to effect such cure or obtain such commitment within such 10 calendar day period, Purchaser may elect (a) to accept such title to the Real property as Seller shall be able to convey or (b) to cancel this Agreement by giving written notice to Seller, whereupon this

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Agreement shall be deemed to be terminated as of the date of such notice, the attorney for the Purchaser shall immediately return the Deposit to Purchaser, and neither party shall have any further rights or claims against the other.

#### 6.0 INSPECTION AND DUE DILIGENCE.

- 6.1. Seller shall provide Purchaser with the Documents within 10 days after the Effective Date. Any delay in delivery of the required Document shall result in an equal extension of the Inspection Period.
- 6.2. Purchaser shall have until the conclusion of the Inspection Period to conduct its due diligence and inspect the Real Property and improvements and obtain admission into the New York State Brownfield Cleanup Program ("BCP"). Seller shall provide access to the Purchaser for purposes of conducting its investigation and inspection of the Real Property and improvements. Seller further agrees to sign any documentation as may be required by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation to authorize Purchaser to access, investigate and remediate the site pursuant to the BCP program and enter an Environmental Easement as may be required under the BCP.
- 6.3. If Purchaser determines during the Inspection Period that the Real Property is not suitable for any reason, or it is not accepted into the BCP program, it may terminate this Agreement upon written notice to the Seller and the Purchaser's attorney shall return the Deposit to the Purchaser and neither party shall have any further rights or claims against party.

#### 7.0 WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS OF SELLER.

- 7.1. As a material inducement to cause Purchaser to enter into this Agreement with Purchaser's Attorney, Seller represents to Purchaser that:
- 7.2. Seller has full right, power and authority to execute, deliver and perform this Agreement without obtaining any further consents or approvals from, or the taking of any other actions with respect to, any third parties, and this Agreement when executed by Seller and Purchaser, will constitute the valid and binding agreement of Seller, enforceable against Seller in accordance with its terms.
- 7.3. Seller has good and indefeasible fee simple title to the Premises. No party has or shall have any right in, or to acquire the Premises. At the Closing, the Premises shall be free and clear of all encumbrances.
- 7.4. There is no condemnation or eminent domain proceeding affecting the Real Property or Improvements, or any part thereof.
- 7.5. Seller has received no notice of any default or breach by Seller under any covenant, condition, restriction, right of way or easement affecting or any portion thereof, and no such default or breach now exists.
  - 7.6. No building or other improvement encroaches onto the Real Property, nor does

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any Improvement encroach onto lands of others or onto any private or public road, easement or right of way.

- 7.7. There are no outstanding notices calling attention to the need for any unperformed curbing, recurbing, paving, repaving or other construction, improvements or work on or about the Real Property or on any streets or roads abutting the Real Property or for the removal of any nuisance from the Real Property. All street paving, curbing, sewer installation or other public improvements for which the Real Property is assessable have been fully paid for.
- 7.8. There are no permits, licenses or consents required by any Governmental Agency in connection with the use and occupancy of the Premises other than as provided in the Documents. All permits, licenses and certificates so provided have been duly issued by the appropriate Governmental Agencies.
- 7.9. Seller has not received any notices from any insurance company of any defects or inadequacies in the Premises or any part thereof which would materially and adversely affect the insurability of the Premises or the premiums for the insurance thereof.
  - 7.10. Seller is not a foreign person as defined in Section 1445(f)(3) of the Code.

#### 8.0 CONDITIONS TO SALE.

- 8.1. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, Purchaser's obligation to complete Closing under this Agreement is contingent upon the satisfaction or waiver by Purchaser of the following conditions:
  - 8.2. Purchasers waive the due diligence contingency following the Inspection Period.
  - 8.3. Purchaser obtains approval to rezone the Property as may be required.
  - 8.4. Admission into the BCP program.
- 8.5. The representations and warranties of the Seller contained in this Agreement shall be true on and as of the Closing Date with the same effect as if such representations and warranties had been made on and as of such date.
- 8.6. Purchaser shall not have discovered any material error, misstatement or omission in the representations and warranties made by Seller in this Agreement.
- 8.7. Seller shall have performed, observed and complied with all of the covenants, agreements and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed, observed and complied with by it prior to or as of the Closing Date.
- 8.8. As of the Closing Date, the Real Property shall be in substantially the same condition as it was on the Effective Date, ordinary wear and tear excepted.
- 9.0 SELLER'S COVENANTS.

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Seller covenants that between the Effective Date and the Closing Date:

- 9.1. It shall not encumber the Premises, or enter into any lease or other occupancy agreement with respect to the Premises without the prior written consent of Purchaser.
- 9.2. Seller shall not modify or amend any existing service contract or enter into any new service contract with respect to the Premises without Purchaser's prior written consent.
- 9.3. Seller shall cause to be maintained in full force and effect all insurance policies currently maintained with respect to the Premises.
- 9.4. Seller shall not withdraw, settle or otherwise compromise any protest or reduction proceeding affecting real estate taxes assessed against the Premises for any fiscal period in which the Closing is to occur or for any subsequent fiscal period without the prior written consent of Purchaser.
- 9.5. Seller shall maintain, repair, manage and operate the Premises in a business-like manner in accordance with Seller's prior practices.
- 9.6. Seller shall immediately notify Purchaser of any material change with respect to the Premises or with respect to any information, representation or warranty heretofore or hereafter furnished by Seller to Purchaser concerning the Premises.
- 9.7. Seller shall, upon Purchaser's request, provide Purchaser with reasonable access to the Premises for the purpose of verifying Seller's performance of its obligations hereunder.

#### 10.0 SELLER'S CLOSING OBLIGATIONS.

At the Closing, Seller shall deliver to Purchaser:

- 10.1. The Deed, properly executed and in proper form for recording, with all required transfer taxes or charges paid, conveying to the Purchaser good and marketable title to the Real Property and Improvements; all leases then in effect, all originals of any Documents which were provided to Purchaser as copies
  - 10.2. An Affidavit regarding Seller's identity for purposes of Section 1445 of the Code;
- 10.3. Such affidavits as the Title Company shall reasonably require in order to omit from any title policies being obtained by Purchaser all exceptions for judgments, bankruptcies or other returns against persons or entities whose names are the same as or similar to the Seller's name;
- 10.4. Evidence satisfactory to Purchaser and the Title Company that the person executing the documents at the Closing on behalf of Seller has the full right, power and authority to do so,

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- b. Rents. For adjustment purposes, all rents will be considered paid to the Seller if due at the date of adjustment.
- 12.2. Seller shall pay any and all transfer, gains or documentary stamp taxes and other taxes due in connection with the transfer of the Premises from Seller to Purchaser.
- 12.3. Purchaser shall pay all recording and filing fees incurred in connection with the Deed and if applicable all mortgage recording tax and recording fees imposed with respect to the Mortgage.
- 12.4. Seller and Purchaser agree to comply in all respects with Section 1445 of the Code and the regulations issued there under (the "Regulations"). If Seller is not a "foreign person" (as defined in the Regulations), Seller shall deliver to Purchaser at Closing a non-foreign certificate as prescribed by the Regulations properly executed and in form and content satisfactory to Purchaser. If Seller is a "foreign person" or fails or refuses to deliver the non-foreign certificate, or if Purchaser receives notice, or has actual knowledge, that the non-foreign certificate is false, a tax equal to 10% of the Purchase Price shall be withheld by Purchaser at Closing and paid to the Internal Revenue Service in the manner prescribed by the Regulations, unless withholding is reduced or excused in the manner prescribed by the Regulations. In the event of any withholding, Seller's obligations to deliver title and close this transaction shall not be excused or otherwise affected.

#### 13.0 CASUALTY LOSS.

Seller and Purchaser acknowledge and agree that the risk of loss to the Real Property between the Effective Date and the Closing Date shall remain with the Seller.

#### 14.0 BROKER.

Seller and Purchaser agree that **NO** real estate broker is entitled to a commission in connection with this transaction. Seller shall pay any commission as may be earned. Seller and Purchaser shall indemnify and defend each other against any costs, or expenses, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the breach on their respective parts of any representations, warranties or agreements contained in this Section 14. The representations and obligations under this Section 14 shall survive the Closing, or, if the Closing does not occur, the termination of this Agreement.

#### 15.0 NOTICES.

15.1. All notices under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be sent by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or similar private overnight carrier, addressed to the party for which such notice is intended, at such party's address set forth below or at such other address as may be provided by such party to the other parties by notice complying with this Section. All notices sent pursuant to this Section shall be deemed effective when deposited in the mail or delivered to the overnight carrier, as the case may be, addressed as follows:

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To the Seller: Estate of Conrad Pinker 1550 Harlem Road Sloan, New York

With a copy by email to:

Gerald P. Gorman, Esq 180 Main Street Hamburg New York 14075 Jerry@geraldpgorman.com

To the Purchaser:

American Tire, Inc. 397 Ludington Street Buffalo, New York 14206

With a copy by email to:

Robert E. Knoer, Esq.
The Knoer Group, PLLC
424 Main Street, Suite 1820
Buffalo, NY 14202
rknoer@knoergroup.com

#### 15.2. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

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- 15.4. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without regard to principles of conflict of laws.
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- 15.7. No waiver by either party hereto of any failure or refusal by the other party hereto to comply with its obligations hereunder shall be deemed a waiver of any other or subsequent failure or refusal by such party to so comply.
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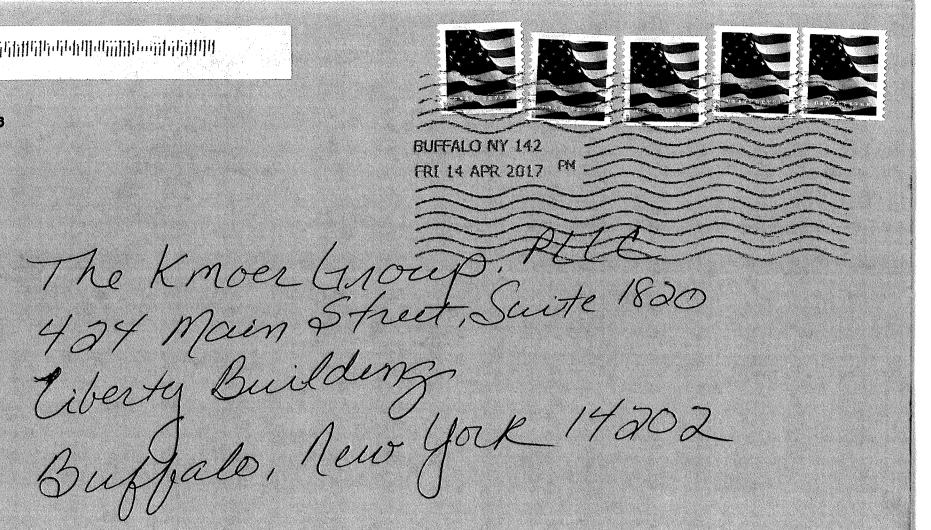
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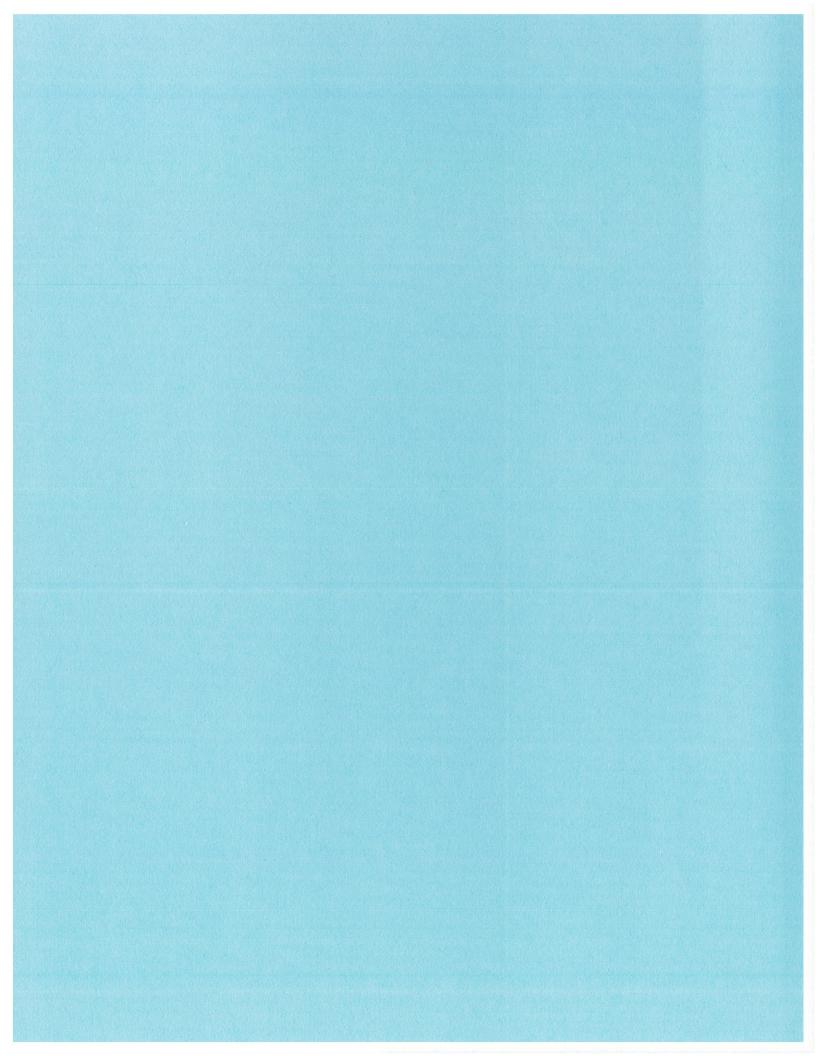
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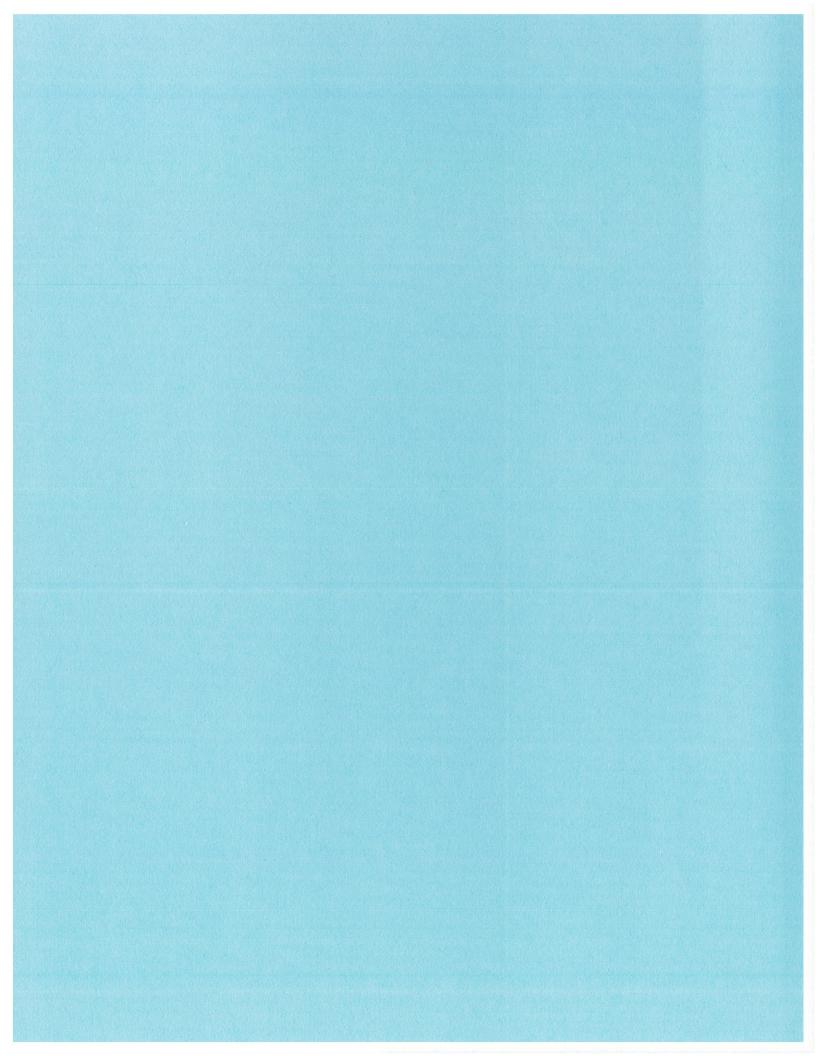




### **Section VIII**

## **Property Eligibility Information**

<u>Spill History</u> – Spill #1410324 was listed for the site on 01/22/2015 due to the present of product and petroleum impacts identified during the test pit investigation. No further work has been completed and the spill is currently open.



## **Section IX**

## **Contact List**

Contact List

Letter from Repository

Contact List				
Federal Representative U.S. Representative Brian Higgins 26 <sup>th</sup> District Local Office Larkin at Exchange 726 Exchange Street, Suite 601 Buffalo, NY 14210 716-852-3501  New York Representative New York State Senator Timothy M. Kennedy 2239 South Park Ave	US Senator Hon. Charles E. Schumer 130 South Elmwood Ave. #660 Buffalo, NY 14202 716-846-4111  New York State Assemblyman Sean Ryan District Office	US Senator Hon. Kristen Gillibrand 726 Exchange St., Suite 511 Buffalo, NY 14201 716-854-9725		
Buffalo, NY 14220 Phone: 716-826-2683 Fax: 716-826-2793	936 Delaware Avenue Buffalo, NY 14209 716-885-9630 Fax: 716-885-9636			
Erie County Representative		T		
Erie County Executive Mark Poloncarz 95 Franklin Street 16th Floor Buffalo, New York 14202 716-858-8500	Erie County Clerk Christopher L. Jacobs 92 Franklin Street Buffalo, New York 14202 716-858-8865	Commissioner of Environment and Planning Thomas R. Hersey, Jr. Edward A. Rath County Office Building 95 Franklin Street 10th Floor Buffalo, New York 14202 716-858-8390		
Town of Cheektowaga Representat				
Supervisor Diane Benczkowski 3301 Broadway Cheektowaga, NY 14227 716-686-3465 supervisorsoffice@tocny.org  Village of Sloan Representative	Planning Board Chairman Stanley J. Kaznowski III 3301 Broadway Cheektowaga, NY 14227 716-597-7726 Sjk14215@aol.com	Town Planner Daniel J. Ulatowski 275 Alexander Avenue 2nd Floor, Alexander Community Center Cheektowaga, NY 14211 716-686-3567 dulatowski@tocny.org		
Village Mayor	Code Enforcement Officer	T		
Thomas Ferrucci 425 Reiman Street Buffalo, NY 14212 716-897-1560 thomas.ferrucci@villageofsloan.org	Vince Ferraraccio 425 Reiman Street Buffalo, NY 14212 716-897-1560 sloanny@roadrunner.com			

Adjacent Property Owners		
1560 Harlem Rd.	Staffing Solutions of Western	Romar WNY Properties
Romar Industrial Plaza LLC	New York, Inc.	1560 Harlem Road, Suite #6
PO Box 505	1550 Harlem Road, Suite #1	Buffalo, NY 14206
Clarence, NY 14031	Buffalo, NY 14206	,
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Vintage Ceramics	Union Auto Truck Repair	Prographic Signs
1560 Harlem Road	1560 Harlem Road	1560 Harlem Road
Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206
Merj Fleet Services	Magic Autobody	Nickel City Photo Booths
1560 Harlem Road	1560 Harlem Road	1560 Harlem Road
Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206
1553 Harlem Road	Occupant	1551 Harlem Road
Harlem-William LLC	1553 Harlem Road	George & Alexandra Ladas
PO Box 1013	Cheektowaga, NY 14206	2435 Seneca St.
West Seneca, NY 14224		Buffalo, NY 14210
Hot Dog Heaven	2310 William Street	H&V Sales, Inc.
1551 Harlem Road	2310 William St LLC	2310 William Street
Cheektowaga, NY 14206	12482 Williston Rd.	Buffalo, NY 14206
	Alden, NY 14004	,
Resident/Occupant	2302 William Street	2288 William Street
2302 William Street	Lisa Nelson	John Tewey
Buffalo, NY 14206	91 E. Center Road	c/o Suburban Collision
,	West Seneca, NY 14224	2288 William Street
		Buffalo, NY 14206
7 Grattan Street	11 Grattan Street	17 Grattan Street
Wojcik Mary	Overs Gary	Jung David M
7 Grattan Street	11 Grattan Street	17 Grattan Street
Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY 14206
19 Grattan Street	21 Grattan Street	14 Grattan Street
Raslawsky Paul J	Zielinski Florence	Citizens Bank N.A.
19 Grattan Street	21 Grattan Street	10561 Telegraph Rd.
Buffalo, NY 14206	Buffalo, NY	Glen Allen, VA
Resident/Occupant	18 Grattan Street	Resident/Occupant
14 Grattan Street	Cecelia Pachura	18 Grattan Street
Buffalo, NY 14206	Cynthia Pachura	Buffalo, NY 14206
	PO Box 2576	
	Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076	
20 Grattan Street	24 Grattan Street	Resident/Occupant
Robert & Virginia Stack	Paul Baase	24 Grattan Street
20 Grattan Street	4288 Elmwood Ave	Buffalo, NY 14206
Buffalo, NY 14206	Blasdell, NY 14219	

Local News Media				
Buffalo News	WGRZ-TV Channel 2	WIVB-TV Channel 4		
One News Plaza	259 Delaware Avenue	2077 Elmwood Avenue		
PO Box 100	Buffalo, NY 14202	Buffalo, NY 14202		
Buffalo, NY 14240	716-849-2222	716-874-4410		
716-849-4444				
WKBW-ABC Channel 7	WUTV-FOX (Channel 29)			
7 Broadcast Plaza	699 Hertle Avenue, Suite 100			
Buffalo, NY 14202	Buffalo, New York 14207			
716-845-6100				
Public Water Supplier				
Erie County Water Authority				
3030 Union Road				
Cheektowaga, NY 14227				
716-684-1510				
Persons who have requested to be on the list				
None requested				
Administrator of School and Daycare Facilities near the Property				
No Daycare facility within ¼ mile of the site.				
No school within ¼ mile of the site				
Local Document Repositories				
East Clinton Branch Library	NYSDEC Region 9 Office			
1929 Clinton Street	270 Michigan Avenue			
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Subject: FW: Repository Request

Good afternoon Greg,

This is to inform you and confirm that the Buffalo and Erie County Public Library will be the repository for the Brownfield Clean Program document(s) and 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
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Buffalo, NY 14203

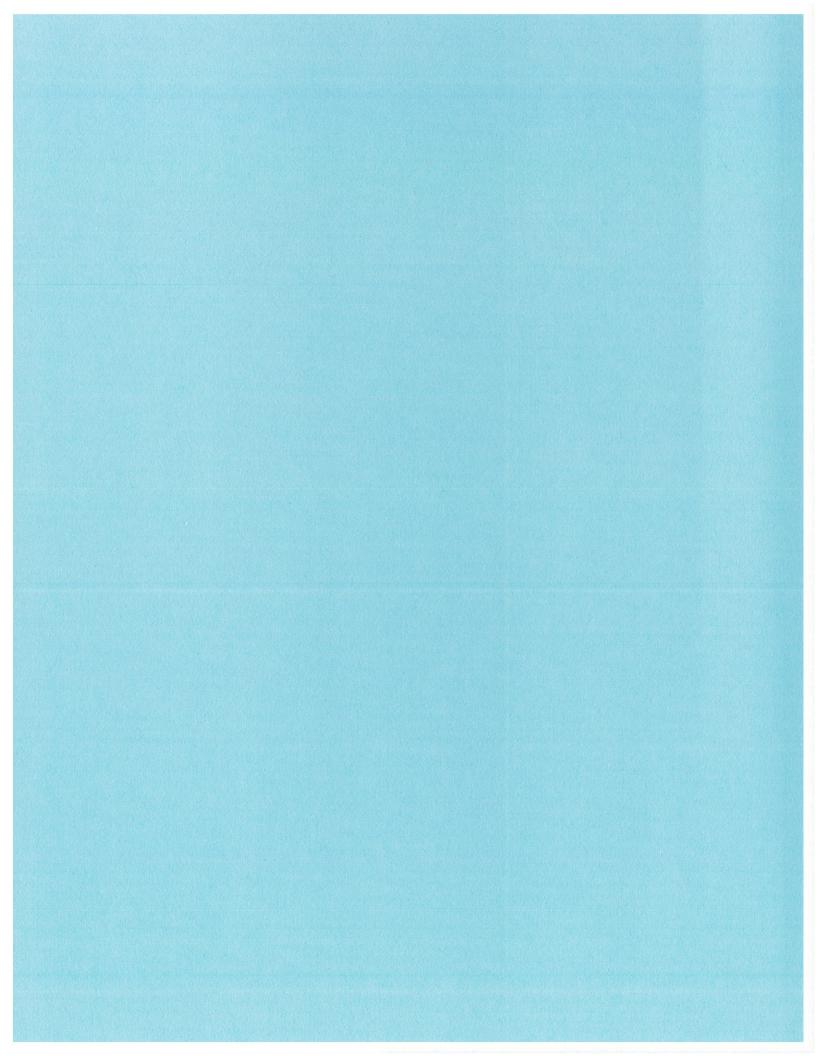
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- If you would like the document(s) distributed at libraries other than Central, you will need to send the appropriate quantity of copies with labels regarding their destinations. We will distribution accordingly. We do not make copies for distribution.
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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,

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#### **Section X**

#### **Land Use Factors**

- **2.** Current Use The site building has been vacant since 2014. The past operator had an 8,000-gallon unregistered UST which has leaked. Additionally, petroleum impacts were identified near former pump island locations.
- **3. Reasonably Anticipated Use Post Remediation** The Site will be developed as a mixed use property, expected to include a tire retail and automotive repair facility with new residential/housing areas within the building. Due to the proposed future usage, restricted residential usage will be cleanup goal/criteria.