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Mr. Paul Bohne
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RE: Shelburne Town Garage, Shelburne, VT, Site #91-1018

Dear Mr. Bohne:

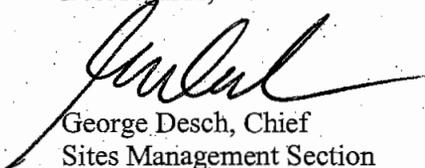
The Sites Management Section (SMS) has reviewed the above mentioned file. According to our files, 14 cubic yards of petroleum contaminated soils discovered during the removal of two underground storage tanks, were polyencapsulated and stockpiled on the site in June 1995. Confirmatory soil samples were not obtained from the limits of the excavation, which is common practice today, to determine if the limits of contamination was identified. However, due to the limited amount of contamination encountered and the lack of groundwater within the excavation, no further work aside from monitoring the soil stockpile was requested by the SMS.

In January 2000, the soil pile was screened in two locations utilizing a photoionization detector (PID). Both samples reported background levels. Therefore, in March 2000, the SMS approved thinspreading and seeding of the soils on-site. We received notice in May 2000 that the work had been completed.

Based on the results of the work conducted, the site has been assigned a Site Management Activity Completed (SMAC) designation. Sites which the Waste Management Division (WMD) has determined require no further management are given a SMAC designation. The designation does not release the Town of Shelburne from any past or future liability which may arise from the contamination which originated from the former USTs. The SMAC designation does mean that the SMS isn't requiring any additional work be performed at this site in response to the initial contamination.

We apologize for the delay in our response. Please feel free to call either Tami Wuestenberg or Chuck Schwer if you have any questions regarding the above.

Best regards,


George Desch, Chief
Sites Management Section