



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
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DELIVERY RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Mark Kalousek
City of Rockford - City Yards
500 South Independence Avenue
Rockford, Illinois 61102
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Re: Notice of Violation and Compliance Order/Settlement Agreement for the City of Rockford -
City Yards facility, 500 South Independence Avenue, Rockford, Illinois
ICIS #3601527869 Docket Number: RUST-05-2023-0016

Dear Mr. Kalousek:

On May 27, 2023, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency issued a Notice of Violation and a Compliance Order/Settlement Agreement (Settlement Agreement) for a violation of the Federal underground storage tank (UST) regulations (i.e., failure to conduct periodic walkthrough inspection every thirty days) at the City of Rockford - City Yards facility, 500 South Independence Avenue, Rockford, Illinois. The violation was identified during an EPA UST inspection conducted on May 16, 2023.

On June 22, 2023, EPA received your signed copy of the Settlement Agreement and supporting documentation that the violation was corrected. Your payment of \$733.00 (i.e., Transaction #2766BEP8), was confirmed by our finance office on June 23, 2023. The Settlement Agreement states that it is effective upon EPA's final approval. I have enclosed a signed and dated copy of the approved Settlement Agreement. The original Settlement Agreement will remain in the EPA's files. We also have accepted and processed your payment as part of the settlement process.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Arturo Cisneros at (312) 886-7447.

Sincerely,

Regional Hearing Clerk
United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5

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