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Ken Adams, Owner
Mr. Mulch, LLC
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**Re: In the Matter of: Mr. Mulch, LLC
EPA Docket No. CWA-03-2024-0088**

Dear Mr. Adams:

Enclosed please find a time-stamped Expedited Settlement Agreement and Final Order (Order) which resolves alleged violations of the Clean Water Act in the referenced matter. The Order was filed with Regional Hearing Clerk on 7/11/24.

Payment of the agreed civil penalty of \$10,000 must be made within the timeframe outlined in the Order. The case name and case docket number should be noted on the payment and a copy of the associated check or electronic transfer receipt should be sent simultaneously to the EPA staff and the Regional Hearing Clerk.

For your file, I am also enclosing a copy of supporting memorandum from Environmental Protection Agency management to the Regional Judicial Officer. Please do not hesitate to contact Shane McAleer at (215) 814-5616 or by email at mcaleer.shane@epa.gov if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Regional Hearing Clerk
U.S. EPA, Region 3

Enclosure

1. Expedited Settlement Agreement and Final Order

cc: David Valeski, Mr. Mulch (dvalueski@melvinjoseph.com)
Shane McAleer, EPA (mcaleer.shane@epa.gov)