



**REGION 5**

CHICAGO, IL 60604

November 28, 2023

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Re: Gopher Resource, LLC, Egan, Minnesota, Consent Agreement and Final Order  
Docket Nos. **CERCLA-05-2024-0001, EPCRA-05-2024-0003**

Dear Mr. Kushner:

Enclosed please find a copy of the fully executed Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) in resolution of the above case. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has filed the original CAFO with the Regional Hearing Clerk on November 28, 2023.

Please have your client pay the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act civil penalty in the amount of \$22,194 in the manner prescribed in paragraph 67 and have your client reference their electronic payment with the billing document number **2752430B001** and the docket number **CERCLA-05-2024-0001**.

Please have your client pay the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act civil penalty in the amount of \$22,048 in the manner prescribed in paragraph 69 and have your client reference their electronic payment with the docket number **EPCRA-05-2024-0003**.

Your client's payments are due on December 29, 2023.

Please feel free to contact James Entzminger at (312) 886-4062 if you have any questions regarding the enclosed documents. Please direct any legal questions to James Bonar-Bridges, Associate Regional Counsel, at (312) 353-6316. Thank you for your assistance in resolving this matter.

Sincerely,

Juliane Grange  
Regional Hearing Clerk  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 5

Enclosure

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