



**ACCESS AUTHORIZATION FOR 35<sup>th</sup> AVENUE SUPERFUND SITE  
JEFFERSON, COUNTY, ALABAMA**

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_, am the owner or tenant of the Property and as such I have the authority to sign this authorization.
  
2. I **\_\_\_ grant or \_\_\_ deny authorization** to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), its officers, employees, contractors, and other authorized representatives to enter the property located at:

\_\_\_\_\_Property Address

(The "Property"). This authorization allows the EPA, its officers, employees, contractors, and other authorized representatives to have access to the Property to conduct sampling. The EPA's sampling activities at the Property will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- a. collecting soil, surficial water, and/or air samples as may be determined to be necessary;
- b. performing confirmation soil, water, and/or air sampling; and
- c. taking photographs of the Property;
- d. transporting equipment onto and about the Property as necessary to accomplish the above activities; and
- e. restoring areas disturbed by the sampling activities to their pre-sampling state to the maximum extent practicable; and

I **\_\_\_ grant or \_\_\_ deny authorization** to the EPA, its officers, employees, contractors, and other authorized representatives, to have access to the Property to conduct cleanup activities. The EPA's cleanup activities at the Property may include, but not be limited to, the following:

- a. removing contaminated soil, sediment, and/or surface water;
- b. performing confirmation sampling and treating or disposing of soil, sediment, and/or surface water;
- c. transporting equipment onto and about the Property as necessary to accomplish the above activities;
- d. taking photographs of the property; and
- e. restoring areas disturbed by the cleanup to their pre-cleanup state to the maximum extent practicable.

I understand that if soil removal is determined to be appropriate and if I have granted authorization for such work, a portion of my yard may be marked off and will be inaccessible during the soil removal, for the period of time needed to undertake and complete the removal and restoration work.

3. The consent for access and use granted herein will commence upon date of owner/tenant signature and will continue through the performance of all activities for which access is granted. I understand that the anticipated timeframe for completion sampling may exceed 12 months and that the anticipated timeframe for completion of sampling and cleanup combined may exceed 24 months.
4. I have been informed that I may request to obtain a portion of each sample taken on the Property (Split Sample). If I request to take a Split Sample, I agree to the following:
- i. I am solely responsible for obtaining the appropriate sampling bottle for the Split Sample, contacting a laboratory to analyze the Split Sample, and for all costs associated with obtaining and analyzing the Split Sample. I understand that a description of how the sampling will be performed is in the "Sampling Methodology Summary" that is available to the public at the Harriman Park Recreation Center, 4347 F.L. Shuttlesworth Drive, Birmingham, AL 35207.
  - ii. I will receive notification of the date and time Sampling Activities will occur on the Property. If I am not or my representative is not present at this date and time to take the Split Sample, I forfeit the opportunity to do so.

By initialing here \_\_\_\_\_, I request to obtain a Split Sample. Contact me at the following telephone number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ or email address at \_\_\_\_\_, regarding the date and time on which samples will be collected on the Property.

5. I realize that these actions by the EPA are undertaken pursuant to its response and enforcement responsibilities under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) of 1980, 42 U.S.C. & 9601 et seq., as amended.

Date \_\_\_\_\_, 2013

Printed Name of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Or (if applicable)**

Date \_\_\_\_\_, 2013

Printed Name of Tenant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_