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August 22, 2013

Mr. Mike Jouras People's Gas Light & Coke Co. Environmental Services Department 130 East Randolph, 22nd Floor Chicago, IL 60601

RE: Radiological Survey of Right-of-Way Utility Excavation

Permit No.: 370683332

Permit Address: 333 East North Water Street

AECOM Project No. 60157647

Dear Mr. Jouras:

Pursuant to conditions specified in a permit (see attached) issued by the City of Chicago, radiation monitoring was required to be performed at the above referenced site. AECOM Technical Services, Inc. (AECOM) provided the required radiation surveillance on August 13, 2013 for an excavation to install a gas service line for the address located at 333 E. North Water St (aka 455 N Park St).

Surveying was performed for the soil removed from a 6-foot by 33-foot trench excavation within the street on the north side of East North Water Street (see sketch) to a depth of 3-feet below ground surface, required for installation of a new gas service line. The monitoring revealed no indication of soils above the specified clean-up value established by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) for the Streeterville area of Chicago. The USEPA threshold for Chicago's Streeterville area is 7.1 picocuries per gram (pCi/g total radium (Ra-226 + Ra-228)).

Gamma radiation count measurements for the project were made using Ludlum Model 2221 survey meter and an unshielded 2 x 2 inch Nal probe (Model 44-10). For the instrument used, the gamma count indicative of the 7.1 pCi/g cleanup value was 17,915 counts per minute (cpm) unshielded. The field gamma background for the area was measured at approximately 6,000 cpm unshielded. The field gamma measurements within the excavation and of the spoil material generated during the excavation process did not exceed the threshold equivalent to the USEPA cleanup value previously stated and ranged from a minimum of 7,400 cpm to a maximum of 10,500 cpm unshielded. Thus, there was no indication of the presence of radiologically-contaminated material and/or an exceedance of the USEPA cleanup value of 7.1 pCi/g total radium.

As part of the permit conditions this letter has been forwarded to:

Chicago Department of Public Health Attention: Ms. Rahmat Begum 333 South State Street, Room 200 Chicago, Illinois 60604 Radiological Survey of Right-of-Way Utility Excavation

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Please contact us with any questions you have regarding this letter or the reported results.

Regards,

Brian R. Schmidt Project Scientist II

Steven C. Kornder, Ph.D. Senior Project Geoscientist

Rahmat Begum, Chicago Department of Public Health Verneta Simon, USEPA CC:

Attachments: Permit

Sketch



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH CITY OF CHICAGO

## FORM NO. CDPH.PRPTY.02

Notice is hereby given that the site you have requested a permit for is recorded with the City of Chicago Department of Public Health (CDPH) as potentially having environmental contamination on the site. This environmental contamination could present a threat to human health and safety in connection with work performed at the site, if proper safeguards are not employed.

A file containing detailed information regarding the aforementioned environmental contamination is available for review at CDPH at 33 N. LaSalle St., Suite LL-120, Chicago, Illinois 60602 during normal business hours (8:30AM-4:30PM, Monday through Friday). Contact (312) 744-3152 for an appointment. This file must be reviewed and the remainder of this form completed before the permit can be issued if the ground is exposed or excavated. Please note that for some locations, additional health and safety procedures may be required by law.

Please complete the following: I have reviewed and understand the documents, maintained by CDPH, regarding environmental contamination of the site. Further, I will ensure that all work at the subject site, and any monitoring required including but not limited to radiation monitoring, will be performed in a manner that is protective of human health and the environment and in compliance with all applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations, especially those pertaining to worker safety and surveying conducted shall be provided to CDPH and the United States Environmental Protection Agency within two (2) weeks of their completion. If any elevated levels of radioactive material are dejected, I will immediately contact the United States Environmental Protection Agency at (800) 424-8802. Applicant Name (print): Maria Signature: Site Address and Work Location (Describe exact site location and attach map): Nature of Work: Company Name, Address, Phone No.: General / Prime Contractor Name, Address, Phone No.: Include subcontractor information if applicable) Safety Officer / Phone No. ( Radiation Contractor / Phone No. (if applicable) Check if City Department Work Department Name: CDOT Permit No. or Developer Services No..: 37/6/22 2 Expected Start Date: 7/30//3 CDPH Approval / Date Ro Please return this completed form to the Chicago Department of Public Health at 33 N. LaSalle St., LL120, Chicago, Illinois 60602 during normal ousiness hours (8:30 AM - 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday) For CDPH Use Only

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