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**VIA EMAIL** [rhare@racertrust.org](mailto:rhare@racertrust.org)

Mr. Robert Hare  
Cleanup Manager  
RACER Trust  
500 Woodward Avenue  
Detroit, MI 48226

Re: *Groundwater Data Statistical Evaluation - 2023 Annual Sampling*

Dated August 28, 2023

VFC # [83525791](#)

RACER Trust  
GM Former AGT Division  
Marion County  
EPA ID # INR000021436

Dear Mr. Hare:

On August 28, 2023, we received the report from ARCADIS on behalf of the facility. The following comments are the result of our review.

We reviewed the report required by the Post-Closure Permit (Permit) dated September 1, 2017 (VFC # [80513708](#)), for the closed hazardous waste surface impoundment at 2701 West Raymond Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The facility gauged the groundwater monitoring wells on May 15, 2023, and utilized transducer data from May 1 through May 15, 2023, to calculate the hydraulic head difference across the slurry wall surrounding the impoundment. The hydraulic head difference across the slurry wall documented in May 2023 was greater than one foot; therefore, the facility has satisfied condition IV.E.2 of the Permit. Consequently, the facility did not need to pump groundwater from inside the slurry wall to increase the hydraulic head difference.

The report states that there were no detected constituents above their respective laboratory detection limits, except for dissolved barium and dissolved chromium at upgradient groundwater monitoring well MW-206B. Furthermore, there were no constituent concentrations above their respective background screening levels. Therefore, no remedial actions are necessary at this time and the facility should continue with the current groundwater and slurry wall evaluation monitoring programs.



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Thank you for your continued compliance. If you would like to discuss this evaluation further, please contact Mr. Thierry Liberge of my staff at [tliberge@idem.IN.gov](mailto:tliberge@idem.IN.gov) or call (317) 232-8712.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John A. Guerrettaz". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and a stylized "G".

John A. Guerrettaz, LPG  
Chief, Geology Section  
Permits Branch  
Office of Land Quality

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