

November 14, 2003

Mr. Robert Drustrup Contaminated Sites Section Iowa Department of Natural Resources 502 East 9th Street Des Moines, Iowa 50319

RE: The former S. Hanson Lumber Company Site 314 Borne Avenue

Ames, Iowa

Dear Mr. Drustrup:

This information is submitted on behalf of Mr. Merlin Hove, Director, City of Ames Municipal Electric Administration.

Attached find a copy of a summary report regarding Limited Assessment Activities at a former lumber stockyard located in Ames, Iowa. A Phase I Preacquisition Site Assessment (PSA) for the referenced site demonstrated a historic use of the site for two (2) bulk fuel storage businesses. Subsequent soil and water testing indicates the presence of petroleum impact at both bulk fuel storage site on the parcel.

At your convenience, please review the attached information. The City of Ames Electric Administration desires a response regarding the condition of the property and future requirements of the IDNR based on current applicable rules.

If you have questions or wish to discuss any portion of this report, please contact me directly.

Respectfully Submitted, FOX ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES, INC.

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