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June 21, 2019

Ms. Adele Herrera AT&T Illinois 2427 Union Street Blue Island, Illinois 60406

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

Permit No.: DOT1097060

Permit Address: 200-14 E. Ohio Street

AECOM Project No. 60163572

Dear Ms. Herrera:

Pursuant to conditions specified in a permit issued by the City of Chicago, radiation monitoring was required to be performed for excavation at the above referenced site. AECOM Technical Services, Inc. (AECOM) was contracted to conduct the required radiation monitoring on June 20, 2019 for an excavation necessary to repair a duct for a service.

Surveying was conducted within the excavation and on the spoil removed at the above referenced site (see sketch). The excavation was within an alley east of N. St. Clair St. between E. Ontario St. and E. Ohio St. It is located on the southern side of the alley adjacent to the building approximately 207-feet east of manhole on N. Saint Clair St. (refer to the drawing attached to the CDPH permit). The work entailed the removal of the existing alley pavement, which was 8-inches thick, and the subsurface fill material. The excavation area was approximately 6-feet wide, 5-feet long and excavated to a depth of 4-feet below ground surface (bgs). The top of the duct package was found at approximately 3-feet bgs.

The monitoring did not indicate that the fill soils were above the removal action level established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) for the Streeterville area of Chicago. The USEPA removal action level 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 recorded using Ludlum Models 2221 survey meter and an unshielded 2 x 2 inch Nal probe (Model 44-10). For the instrument used, the gamma count threshold indicative of the 7.1 pCi/g removal action level is 6,669 (S/N: 172039) counts per minute (cpm) shielded. The field instrument background within a nearby planter was recorded at 1,600 cpm shielded. A background reading on the pavement in the vicinity of the excavation was 1,443 cpm shielded.

The field gamma measurements within the excavation and of the spoil materials generated during the excavation process did not exceed the field instrument threshold equivalent to the USEPA removal action level and ranged from a minimum of 1,600 cpm to a maximum of 2,600 cpm shielded. Based on field observations there was no indication of the presence of radiologically-contaminated fill and/or an exceedance of the USEPA removal action level of 7.1 pCi/g total radium in the excavation. A copy of the permit and the gamma survey results have been included as attachments.

As part of the permit conditions, a PDF copy of this letter has been forwarded via email to Terry Sheahan (CDPH) and Verneta Simon (USEPA).

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Please contact us with any questions you have regarding this letter.

Regards,

Andrew Kozak Geologist Steven C. Kornder, Ph.D. Senior Project Geochemist

cc: Terry Sheahan, Chicago Department of Public Health

Verneta Simon, USEPA Hythaniel Marks, AT&T

CDPH PERMIT FORM



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH CITY OF CHICAGO

(STREETERVILLE Right-of-Way)

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 and adjacent right-of way. This environmental contamination could present a threat to human health and safety in connection with work performed at the site, or in the adjacent right-of-way, if proper safeguards are not employed.

A file containing detailed information regarding the aforementioned environmental contamination is available for review at CDPH at 333 S. State St., Room 200, Chicago, Illinois 60604 during normal business hours (8:30AM-4:30PM, Mouday through Friday). Contact (312) 745-3152 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 and adjacent right-ofway. Further, I will ensure that all work at the subject site and adjacent right-of-way, 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 waste management. I will ensure that the results of any radiation monitoring and/or surveying conducted shall be provided to the CDPH and the United States Environmental Protection Agency within two (2) weeks of their completion. If any elevated levels of radioactive material are detected, I will immediately contact the United States Environmental Protection Agency at (800) 424-8802. Applicant Name (print):

Site Address and Work Location (Describe exact site location and attach map): A lox5x5 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. and email address (if applicable) Check if City Department Work Department Name: DOT1097060 CDOT Permit No.: Expected Start Date: 06/03/19 CDPH Approval / Date Today's Date: Please return this completed form to the Chicago Department of Transportation, Division of Infrastructure Management, Public Way Permit Office, City Hall - Room 905, 121 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, Illinois 60602 during normal business hours (8:30 AM 44:30 PM, Monday through

Friday)

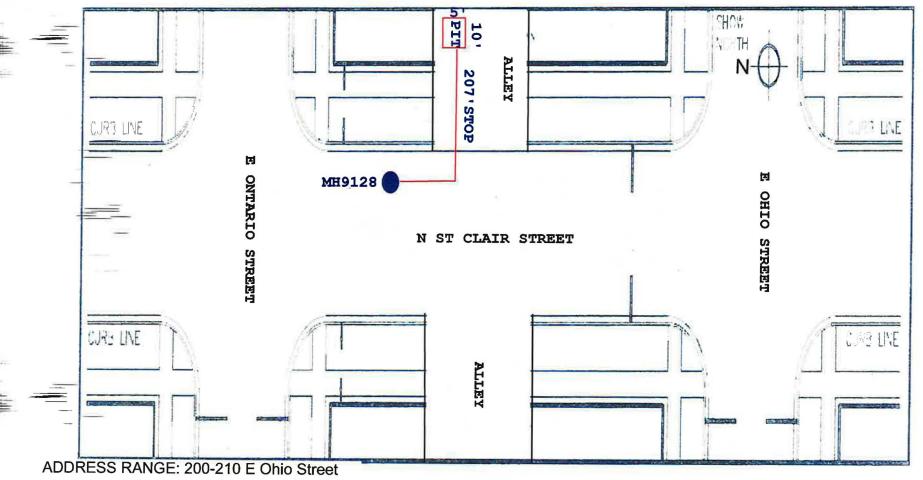
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Work Zone Sketch (Include Street Names, Roadway Layout, Roadway/Sidewalk

<u>Widths, and Work Zone Layout)</u>

UT#A01J0HF



please Add Cardi Asphalt to Permit

Please Post NO PARKING in Address Range

^{*}please Add Asphalt Plus Chicago*

^{*}please Add MAT Construction

^{*}Please Add M&J Paving to Permit*

^{*}please Add CSI 3,000

GAMMA SURVEY RESULTS

Survey Results 200-14 E. Ohio St. AT10:08 AM/HEI DOT1097060

Survey Equipment

Ludlum 2221 S/N:	176944
Probe 2x2 Nal S/N:	RN21187
Cutoff Shielded:	6,669 cpm
Background Shielded:	1,600/1,443 cpm
Personnel:	E. Sulitat
Date of Screening:	6/20/2019

Survey Results

Depth (inches)	Readings (CPM)
0-8	concrete\asphalt
24	1,600 - 1,800
30	1,600 - 2,500
48	2,600