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Angel Camacho SET Environmental 450 Sumac Road Wheeling, Illinois 60090

RE: Thorium Monitoring – City of Chicago Department of Transportation (CDOT) CDOT Permits: 1654656 – 383-601 E. Illinois St.

Dear Mr. Camacho:

Stan A. Huber Consultants, Inc (SAHCI) was hired by your firm to provide radiation monitoring during the removal of concrete for various CDOT improvements such as sidewalk ramps, curbs and gutters, and bump outs. The monitoring was performed by Mark Dewald and Brian Schmidt, SAHCI Health Physics Technicians, on May 6 – June 1, 2022. All activities were conducted under the guidance of document *SET General Procedure for Thorium Monitoring.*

Instrumentation

Surface gamma scans were performed using Ludlum Model 2221 Scaler / Ratemeters (serial no. 126496 and 126497) with attached Ludlum Model 44-10 2"x2" Nal Detectors (w/ 6" collimated lead shields). The instruments were calibrated on May 3, 2022. The US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) action level of 7.1 picocuries per gram (pCi/g) total thorium for instrument 126496 is 7,819 counts per minute (cpm) and 7,208 cpm for instrument 126497.

The average background count rate for these locations ranged from 1,591 cpm to 1,809 cpm.

Soil Gamma Scans

Gamma surface scans were performed in the excavations using the Ludlum Model 2221 Scaler / Ratemeters detailed above. Survey data was collected by monitoring the concrete areas prior to removal and then again after removal to a maximum excavation depth of 12 inches below ground surface. All concrete was loaded directly into a truck for disposal.

The maximum gamma count rate for each lift was recorded on the attached Radiation Survey Forms. The count rates in the excavations ranged from 1,100 cpm to 3,800

cpm. No count rates were found at any time that exceeded the threshold limits of 7,819 cpm and 7,208 cpm, respectively.

Additional Monitoring

Since no count rates were identified above the 7.1 pCi/gram threshold limit, no additional soil sampling, air monitoring, or personnel monitoring were performed.

I will be providing a copy of this report to both the City of Chicago Department of Public Health and US Environmental Protection Agency, as required.

Thank you for your assistance with this project. If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (815) 485-6161.

Sincerely, Stan A. Huber Consultants, Inc.

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Glenn Huber, CHP President

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Radiation Survey Form

Location/ Project ID: 383 - 601 E. Illinois St Sidewalk Replacement (Pan-Am) Date: _5/6/22 - 6/1/22_ Technician: Mark Dewald Ludlum 2221 Inst Model: Serial No. : 126496 Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal 2"x2" Nal Not Shielded Shielded Action Level: 7,819 1,591 Background cpm cpm



	Area 1	Area 2	Area 3	Area 4	Area 5	Area 6	Area 7	Area 8	Area 9	Area 10	Area 11	Area 12	Area 13
0-12"	1200	1300	1500	1500	1200	1400	1100	1400	1200	1100	1300	1200	1500
12-30"	1400	2100	2500	2100	2100	2100	1700	1700	2000	2300	2200	2800	2400

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Radiation Survey Form

Location/ Project ID: 383 - 601 E. I	llinois St Sidewalk Replacement (Pan-Am)
Date: _ 5/6/22 - 6/1/22_	Technician: Mark Dewald
Inst Model: Ludlum 2221	Serial No. : 126496
Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal 2"x2" Nal Shielded / Not Shielded	Lift Elevation:
Background <u>1,591</u> cpm	Action Level: <u>7,819</u> cpm



	Area14	Area15	Area 16	Area 17	Area 18	Area 19	Area 20	Area 21	Area 22	Area 23	Area 24	Area 25	Area 26	Area 27	Area 28	Area 29	Area 30
0-12"	1400	1600	1500	1200	1800	1400	1600	1500	1200	1400	1700	1400	1600	1500	1600	1600	1800
12-30"	2100	1900	2100	1800	2200	2400	1900	2200	2100	2400	2400	2600	2800	2800	2200	2100	2300

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Radiation Survey Form

Location/ Project ID: 383 - 601 E. II	linois St Sidewalk Replacement (Pan-Am)
Date: 5/6/22 - 6/1/22	Technician: Mark Dewald
Inst Model:	Serial No. :126496
Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal 2"x2" Nal Shielded / Not Shielded	Lift Elevation:
Background 1,591 cpm	Action Level: 7,819cpm



	Area 31	Area 32	Area 33	Area 34	Area 35	Area 36
0-12"	1200	1800	1500	1400	1700	1600
12-30"	2300	2900	2400	3000	3300	2700

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Radiation Survey Form

Location/ Project ID: 383 - 601 E. II	linois St Sidewalk Replacement (Pan-Am)
Date: _5/6/22 - 6/1/22_	Technician: Mark Dewald
Inst Model: Ludlum 2221	Serial No. :126496
Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal 2"x2" Nal Shielded Not Shielded	Lift Elevation:Surface to -12" BGS
Background <u>1,591</u> cpm	Action Level: _7,819cpm



	Area 37	Area 38	Area 39	Area 40	Area 41	Area 42	Area 43	Area 44	Area 45	Area 46	Area 47
0-12"	1300	1800	1600	1300	1500	1600	1800	1700	1400	1500	1200
12-30"	3600	3800	2700	1800	1900	2900	2400	2300	2100	2600	2400

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Radiation Survey Form

Location/ Project ID: 383-601 E. Illinois St. CDOT CDOT#1654656

Date: 5/13/22	Technician: Brian Schmidt
Inst Model: Ludlum 2221	Serial No. :126497
Probe Type: 1"x1" Nal / 2"x2" Nal (Shielded)/ Not Shielded	Lift Elevation:
Background <u>1909</u> cpm	Action Level:7,208cpm

