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Subject: Former Clinton Engines TBA Application Follow Up
Attachments: ClintonEnginesRFA.pdf; Proposal - City of Maquoketa - Clinton Engines Groundwater Monitoring Well Network 11.24.2020 (1).pdf
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Required Attendees: Kennedy, Deborah; Morris, Jennifer; Nazar, Kristen; Chiccine, Catherine

Happy 2021!

Let's continue the Clinton Engines TBA application conversation. Since the last time we connected, I received information from Superfund and the City of Maquoketa.

I asked Yvonne Smith (EPA R7 SEMD) if the removal associated with this site was concluded. Yvonne said,
"On 2/17/2020, IDNR submitted the attached RFA. EPA began the Removal Assessment at the earliest opportunity, keeping COVID restrictions in mind. I had scheduled to begin field work on the week of 3/23 but the City pushed back due to the unknown threat of COVID at the time. Consequently, 2 sampling rounds were conducted in the potentially, most at risk residences/ commercial properties for a total of 28 residences/ homes on the week of 6/2 and 7/20. None of the results met the EPA RML values that would prompt an Emergency Response (Time Critical). However, 9 residential homes/ properties of the 28 have been selected for EPA to conduct a third round of sampling (or seasonal sampling) to provide a better understanding of the data that will be presented in the final report. The report is anticipated to be complete within 45 to 60 days after the sampling is complete. It is also anticipated that all work on this project would be complete by Spring of 2021 at which time this will be turned over back to IDNR. IDNR is on board on the above and also expecting a "No Further Action" from EPA so that they may proceed with the City on additional requirements for the TCE Clinton Engines site."

I asked Gerald Smith from the City of Maquoketa what work the city is asking to be completed with TBA funds. Gerald said,
"The Iowa DNR has requested that the City construct a groundwater monitoring well network for the purpose of monitoring chlorinated solvent (TCE) plume dynamics. Impact7G has provided the City with the Scope of work in the attached proposal. While the City of Maquoketa has assumed the stewardship over the Clinton Engines site in the sponsored by the State's Land Recycling Program, the City continues to find the costs very challenging for our small community and hopes that the TBA can be of assistance in aiding the City with comply with the required scope of work. "

Thank you for your assistance,

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