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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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June 27, 2017

Mr. Geoffrey Reeder, P.G.  
Manager Environmental Site Remediation Safety  
Union Pacific Railroad  
24125 Aldine Westfield Road  
Spring, TX 77373

Re: Approval with Comment  
*DNAPL Recovery Activities Report*, dated March 31, 2017  
Union Pacific Railroad Houston Wood Preserving Works Facility, 4910 Liberty Rd.,  
Houston, Harris County, TX,  
TCEQ SWR No. 31547; TCEQ Permit/Compliance Plan No. 50343;  
EPA ID No. TXD000820266  
Customer No. CN600131098; Regulated Entity No. RN100674613

Dear Mr. Reeder:

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has reviewed the above referenced report received by the Remediation Division on March 31, 2017. The report documents the monitoring of DNAPL thicknesses and DNAPL recovery efforts that are being implemented at MW-57A, MW-78A, MW-12B, MW-32B, MW-41B, MW-57B, MW-70B, MW-75B, MW-23C, MW-34C/MW34CR, MW-44C, MW45C, and MW-46C to remove readily recoverable DNAPL from the wells as well as reducing DNAPL thicknesses. Please continue with DNAPL recovery efforts and reporting results as proposed in the above referenced activities report.

An original and one copy on CD of future reports should be submitted to the Remediation Division at the letterhead address using Mail Code MC-127. An additional copy should be submitted to the TCEQ Region Office. Questions concerning this letter should be directed to me at (512) 239-2034 or [maureen.hatfield@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:maureen.hatfield@tceq.texas.gov). Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Maureen Hatfield".

Maureen Hatfield, P.G., Project Manager  
Team 1, VCP-CA Section, MC127  
Remediation Division

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cc: Mr. Jason Ybarra, Waste Section Manager, TCEQ Region 12 Office, Houston