

Department of Environmental Conservation

DIVISION OF SPILL PREVENTION AND RESPONSE Contaminated sites Program

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Sarah Runck
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Re:

Chignik Lake ANTHC Water Line Upgrade ADEC Hazard ID # 26533

Dear Ms. Runck:

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC), Contaminated Sites Program has become aware of the presence of petroleum contamination within the Village of Chignik Lake, south of an unnamed creek. The creek crosses the Third Street Right-of-Way (ROW) between the intersection of Third Street and D Street to the south and the intersection of Third Street and B Street to the north. The approximate area of the petroleum impact is shown by a red triangle on the attached Figure. Please note that the presence of this contamination must be accounted for when planning for or executing any subsurface work in this area, such as utility repairs or upgrades, excavation dewatering, etc. In addition, impacted materials (soil or water), must first be sampled to ensure that any disposal or reuse of the material is consistent with Alaska Oil and Other Hazardous Substances Pollution Control regulations.

Additional information is available on the ADEC Contaminated Sites Program database, available under Hazard ID 26533. The extent and the source of the pollution has not been defined.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, or if you would like any further information, you may contact me at (907) 262-3422 or via email at paul.horwath@alaska.gov

Sincerely,

Paul Horwath Engineer I, DEC

Attachment: Figure identifying area of petroleum contamination

Electronic cc: Johnny Lind, Village of Chignik Lake, Council President



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