



Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

520 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Telephone (612) 296-6300



May 9, 1989

Mr. Mike Duffy
Valvoline Oil Company
P.O. Box 14000
Lexington, Kentucky 40512

Dear Mr. Duffy:

RE: Former Conoco Service Station, 1126 South Robert Street, West St. Paul
Site ID#: LEAK00000858

This letter is to update you on the status of our efforts with Conoco for the above-referenced site. I have enclosed copies of all correspondence received from Conoco to date. As you can see from the letter by Mr. Lee Keller dated January 20, 1989, Conoco has agreed to undertake an investigation to determine the extent and cause of petroleum contamination at the site. Additionally, Mr. Paul Taylor's letter dated April 21, 1989, indicated that Conoco is presently negotiating with the people of your office in an effort to secure easement of access to the site.

In a previous letter to Conoco dated January 26, 1989, I indicated that the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency generally expects to see the results of a remedial investigation (RI) within four to six months after a release has been detected. Therefore, I will expect the results of Conoco's RI to be submitted to me by June 19, 1989.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at 612/296-7975.

Sincerely,

David A. Scheer
Pollution Control Specialist
Tanks and Spills Section
Hazardous Waste Division

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Enclosures

cc: Paul Taylor, Conoco Inc.



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