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Douglas Ballotti
Acting Division Director, Superfund
US EPA Region V
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Dear Mr. Ballotti:

As you know, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) has devoted extraordinary resources the past three years to negotiate a Closed Landfill Program Landfill Cleanup Agreement with the owners of the Freeway Landfill in Burnsville, Minnesota to address cleanup and long-term care of the landfill. We had an agreement in principle signed on January 28, 2016, and have been working diligently to address necessary details to finalize the agreement. Unfortunately, we have been unsuccessful with the owners in finalizing the agreement and request you initiate the federal Superfund process to address the site.

I will schedule a phone call with you within the next week to discuss this request further and work out the details. If you have any questions before then, please feel free to give me a call at 651-757-2241.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kirk Koudelka", is written over a white background.

Kirk Koudelka
Assistant Commissioner
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

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cc: Heather Johnston, City of Burnsville
Steve Mielke, Dakota County
Joan Tanaka, EPA
Thomas Short, EPA
Leah Evison, EPA
Michael McGowan, Freeway Landfill