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Mr. Kenneth Stange  
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Dear Mr. Stange:

### GENERAL MOTORS SITE - POST REMEDIAL ACTION RESULTS FOR EXTERIOR SOIL BEHIND PLANT AREA, ADRIAN, MICHIGAN

The purpose of this letter is to thank you for the assistance you provided to the Department of Energy (DOE), and to provide you with a summary of the cleanup activities performed as a result of your identification of the suspect area located behind the General Motors plant, Adrian, Michigan.

Upon identification of the suspect area a radiological survey was conducted over the entire area using a Field Instrument for Detection of Low Energy Radiation. This walkover indicated a small area of radioactivity slightly above natural background levels. Soil samples were collected from this area and analyzed to determine the extent of contamination.

The results from these analyses indicated that the area of contaminated soil was approximately three feet in diameter and a little more than one foot in depth. To ensure that the contamination was removed from this area, soil was excavated to a conservative depth of two feet and follow-up samples were collected to ensure the area was clean. The analytical data from the samples revealed that the area had been adequately remediated, in fact the uranium levels were several times lower than the state's standard of 35 picocuries per gram for total uranium. Following our cleanup action, Oak Ridge National Laboratory personnel reviewed the post remedial action sample results and agreed that the area was clean.

Again, on behalf of DOE's Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program staff I would like to thank you for giving up your time to identify this area of concern, and for your cooperation in providing valuable information that assisted us with the completion of the clean-up activities at the General Motors site.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James D. Kopotic".

James D. Kopotic, Site Manager  
Former Sites Restoration Division

cc: Roger Gaede, GMC  
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