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Re: Dry Cleaning Facilities (OU003) Regarding Ongoing Long-Term Monitoring
Fort Riley, Kansas

Dear Mr. Hynek:

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency is sending this letter based on discussions regarding the above-mentioned site and accessibility issues for areas representing the most significant concentrations of PCE above the MCL. As indicated and observed, the site is located between aggressively eroding river bank and a set of Union Pacific railroad tracks, all very congested with dense vegetation and steep slopes. Based on that observation, and after review of the historical contamination levels, the plume does not warrant the necessary construction at this time.

Therefore, in lieu of the previously planned in-situ injections, continued monitored natural attenuation was proposed to continue through the remainder of the current LTM period ending in August 2018. An assessment of this monitoring will be conducted at the end of 2017 based on the results obtained.

The EPA is in agreement with the Army and the State of Kansas and approves the proposed action.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and discuss these issues regarding this site. You may contact me via email at safadi.amer@epa.gov or at (913) 551-7825 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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