

April 20, 2015

Jeffrey Recor Transport Northwest, Inc. P.O. Box 3427 Kent, WA 98089

Re: December 22, 2014 diesel fuel spill near mile marker 321 on Interstate 90 in Gallatin County, Montana. [CVID 18144]

Dear Mr. Recor:

On December 29, 2014, the Enforcement Division (ENFD) of the Montana Department of Environmental Quality emailed you the attached violation letter for the improper disposal of a solid waste at the above-referenced location. In the violation letter, ENFD requested that Transport Northwest, Inc. conduct assessment and remedial actions, and submit a final spill cleanup report by March 30, 2015. The violation letter was emailed to tnw.dis@gmail.com, the email address provided to ENFD. As the email was not rejected, ENFD assumed delivery was complete.

As of the date of this letter, ENFD has not received the final spill cleanup report or any written documentation indicating that assessment or remedial actions were conducted and/or completed. To avoid a formal enforcement action, ENFD requests that you complete assessment and remedial actions, and submit a final spill cleanup report by May 30, 2015. Please refer to the violation letter for information regarding the spill cleanup report format.

Failure to submit the cleanup report may result in DEQ issuing an administrative order pursuant to Sections 75-5-601, 75-5-613, and/or 75-10-227, Montana Code Annotated (MCA), requiring you to complete the corrective actions requested in the violation letter.

Please reference CVID 18144 on any future correspondence related to this incident.

If you have questions related to this matter or did not receive the attached violation letter receive, please contact me at either dkenney@mt.gov or the telephone number listed below.

Sincerely,

Daniel R. Kenney Enforcement Specialist Enforcement Division

(406) 444-1453; fax (406) 444-1923

cc via email: Gallatin County DES

Gallatin County Environmental Health Montana Department of Transportation