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Dear Connie, Nancy and the Crew,

Thank you for the very informative meeting at the Community Center on Monday night. I learned a great deal about the process for cleanup of the Sundberg site. I live on Grove Road across from the 53 acres of the old unpermitted gravel mine and waste dump. I spoke to you Connie about what I have seen on the east side of Grove road behind my property and wanted to detail it for you here as you requested.

The property to the north of mine is at 2224 Grove St NW parcel # 12809140200 and was once owned or used by the Sundbergs for equipment storage and repairs. It is on this property that I have seen what looked like oil sheens on standing water in the drainage that flows south to the dip in 20th Ave NW. I have seen and pulled out old equipment parts, tires, garbage of all sorts under a foot of soils on my own property as well. I have found brake parts, bicycle parts, carpeting and one fiberglass boat hull also on my property. One of my greatest concerns is that of our well water. You mentioned that the aquifer underneath the glacial till is virtually impervious to penetration from the surface. As much as I would like to believe that, I am going to need some scientific analysis to prove this to be true. My thought is that there are a number of wells on 20th Ave NW and north of 20th Ave NW on Grove and on the disputed property that have access to water at the 150-180 foot depth that would be readily available for sampling and testing. Do we need to wait another year or years to get to this stage or could this be tested sooner? I am not opposed to doing it myself but there might be more beneficial information with the testing done in aggregate.

In the end, I do have more confidence after your presentation that a full accounting of potential contaminants will be investigated and look forward to the process. Thank you and the full staff for your work.

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