



**DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURE
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June 25, 2021

Chet Edinger
Edinger Brothers Partnership
1524 Lakeview Lane
Mitchell, SD 57301

Subject: Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources File # 21JM062402-2021.089:
pertaining to an herbicide release at 25287 397th Avenue, Mount Vernon, South
Dakota.

Dear Mr. Edinger:

The Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources (DANR) is contacting you regarding the event noted above. A copy of the initial spill report form is enclosed for your review. Based upon the information provided, approximately 165 gallons of RoundUp was released due to a handling error. The procedures for the assessment and cleanup of spills such as this were developed to protect surface and groundwater resources. It is understood that the spill area was bermed to contain the release, and the contaminated gravel was scraped up and properly disposed at the Pukwana Landfill. In this situation, DANR requires the following:

- Collect a soil sample from the base of the excavated area and analyze it for glyphosate;
- Provide this office a copy of the soil sample results and landfill receipts confirming disposal;
- In addition, by June 21, 2021, please complete and return the attached Written Contamination Incident Follow Up Report form (this is a standard form so some questions will not apply to this situation, just skip those questions).

Jaclyn McGuire has been assigned as the project manager for this case. She will review the cleanup work and will contact you if further remedial action is necessary. If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact her at 605.773.3296. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Sincerely,

Trish Kindt
Inspection, Compliance, & Remediation Program
(605) 773-3296

cc Jeff Bathke, Davison County Emergency Manager
JD Farley, DANR

South Dakota Spill Report Form

PRCF No.

Case No. 21JM062402-2021.089

Reported: (mm/dd/yy) 06/24/21		Time: 8:30 AM		Recorded By: J. McGuire		
A. REPORTER	Reported By: Chet Edinger					
	Organization Name: Edinger Brothers Partnership					
	Organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> discharger <input type="checkbox"/> public <input type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local <input type="checkbox"/> federal					
	Address: 1524 Lakeview Lane					
	City: Mitchell		County: Davison		State: SD	
Zip: 57301			Phone:			
B. DISCHARGER (Responsible Party)	Name: Edinger Brothers Partnership					
	Address: 1524 Lakeview Lane					
	City: Mitchell		County: Davison		State: SD	
	Zip: 57301			Phone: 605-996-0667		
C. INCIDENT LOCATION	Street or Approx. Location: <input type="checkbox"/> As Above in B: <input type="checkbox"/> 25287 397th Avenue					
	Survey Description: 43.719706, -98.267071					
	City: Mt. Vernon		Zip: 57363		County: Davison	
State: SD						
D. DATE	Spill Date: (mm/dd/yy) 06/23/21			Spill Time:		
E. MATERIAL	Material Type (Code/Name):		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> hazardous substance <input type="checkbox"/> oil <input type="checkbox"/> material unknown <input type="checkbox"/> other		Quantity Spilled	
	RoundUp Powermax		165		Spilled in Water	
					Units (Check 1)	
F. SOURCE	Source of Spill: <input type="radio"/> AST <input type="radio"/> UST <input type="radio"/> railway <input type="radio"/> transport <input type="radio"/> fixed facility <input type="radio"/> pipeline <input type="radio"/> highway <input checked="" type="radio"/> other					
	Description: 250-gallon shuttle					
	Regulated Tank: <input type="checkbox"/>					
G. MED.	Medium Affected: <input type="checkbox"/> air <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> land <input type="checkbox"/> water <input type="checkbox"/> groundwater <input type="checkbox"/> within facilities only					
	Waterway Affected: n/a					
H. CAUSE	Reported Cause: <input type="radio"/> transportation accident <input type="radio"/> operational error <input type="radio"/> dumping <input type="radio"/> equipment failure <input type="radio"/> natural phenomenon <input type="radio"/> unknown <input checked="" type="radio"/> Other:					
	Description: Handling. Shuttle fell off forklift when turning.					
I. DAM-AGES	No. of injuries: 0			No. of deaths: 0		
J. ACTIONS	Response Action Taken: Soil Berm constructed around spill for containment. Scraped gravel parking lot.					
K. NOTI-FIED	Responding Agency: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DANR <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> discharger <input type="checkbox"/> federal <input type="checkbox"/> EPA <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
	Agencies Notified: DANR					
L. COMMENTS	Comments: Approx 50 tons will be disposed at the Pukwana Landfill. Soil sample will be collected and analyzed for glyphosate at the base of excavation area. Well on site, not potable.					

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