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September 8, 2021

David Mickelson
Graham Tire
711 West 41st Street
Sioux Falls, SD 57105

Subject: Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources File Number 2021.143,
pertaining to tire fire event, 720 North Main Street, Mitchell, South Dakota.

Dear Mr. Mickelson:

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, a fire event resulted in the destruction of multiple tractor tires and a release of contaminated water to a nearby storm drain. The procedures for the response to spills such as this were developed to protect surface and groundwater resources. In this situation, DANR requires the following:

- Damaged tires and tire parts must be scraped up and properly recycled or disposed at a permitted municipal solid waste landfill.
- If possible, scrape up and properly dispose any melted tire materials leading to the affected storm drain;
- Provide this office with a copy of disposal receipts (if applicable); and
- By October 8, 2021, complete and return the Written Contamination Incident Follow Up Report form.

Jaclyn McGuire has been assigned as the project manager for this case. She will review the information provided 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 in this matter.

Sincerely,

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

cc Jeff Bathke, Davison County Emergency Manager

South Dakota Spill Report Form

PRCF No.

Case No. 2021.143

Reported: (mm/dd/yy) 09/06/21		Time: 5:30 PM		Recorded By: J. McGuire		
A. REPORTER	Reported By: Marissa Cronan					
	Organization Name: Office of Emergency Management					
	Organization: <input type="checkbox"/> discharger <input type="checkbox"/> public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local <input type="checkbox"/> federal					
	Address: 221 South Central Avenue					
	City: Pierre		County: Hughes		State: SD	
Zip: 57501			Phone: 605-773-3231			
B. DISCHARGER (Responsible Party)	Name: Graham Tire					
	Address: 711 West 41st Street					
	City: Sioux Falls		County: Minnehaha		State: SD	
	Zip: 57105			Phone:		
C. INCIDENT LOCATION	Street or Approx. Location: As Above in B: <input type="checkbox"/>					
	Graham Tire 720 North Main Street					
	Survey Description: affected storm drain: 43.715561, -98.024272					
	City: Mitchell		Zip: 57301		County: Davison	
			State: SD			
D. DATE	Spill Date: (mm/dd/yy) 09/06/21			Spill Time: 5:00 PM		
	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	Spilled in Water	Units (Check 1)
E. MATERIAL	Tractor tires		~30 tires	1000	<input type="checkbox"/> lb. <input type="checkbox"/> bbl. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> gal. <input type="checkbox"/> oth.	
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					<input type="checkbox"/> lb. <input type="checkbox"/> bbl. <input type="checkbox"/> gal. <input type="checkbox"/> oth.	
F. SOURCE	Source of Spill: <input type="radio"/> AST <input type="radio"/> UST <input type="radio"/> railway <input type="radio"/> transport <input checked="" type="radio"/> fixed facility <input type="radio"/> pipeline <input type="radio"/> highway <input type="radio"/> other					
	Description: 30 tractor tires set fire. Water used to extinguish spread tire contamination					
	Regulated Tank: <input type="checkbox"/>					
G. MED. AFFECTED	Medium Affected: <input type="checkbox"/> air <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> land <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> water <input type="checkbox"/> groundwater <input type="checkbox"/> within facilities only					
	Waterway Affected: Storm drain to Dry Run Creek					
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: Malicious fire event					
I. DAMAGES	No. of injuries: 0			No. of deaths: 0		
J. ACTIONS	Response Action Taken:					
	Approximately 1000 gallons of tire-contaminated water entered the storm drain south of the fire event leading into Dry Run Creek.					
K. NOTIFIED	Responding Agency: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DANR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> discharger <input type="checkbox"/> federal <input type="checkbox"/> EPA <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
	Agencies Notified:					
L. COMMENTS	Comments: Fire-ruined tires will be scraped up and recycled. Any gravel/tire material will be taken to a landfill for disposal.					

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