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<u>520</u>41

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Telephone: <u>(563) 920-4356</u>

Grantor(s): Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum

Holder(s) / Grantee(s): Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum

Agency(s): <u>lowa Department of Natural Resources</u>

<u>Legal Description</u>, including parcel identification number, if available:

The South eighty eight (88.0) feet of the West one hundred one and five-tenths (101.5) feet of Lot Seven (7) of the subdivision of the Southwest Quarter (SW ½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ½) of Section Twenty Five (25), Township Eight Nine (89) North, Range Four (4), West of the Fifth P.M., according to plat recorded in Book A Plats, Page 72.

Parcel: 550000108100

IOWA UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK PROGRAM ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANT

This environmental covenant is established pursuant to lowa Code (IC) chapter 455I entitled Uniform Environmental Covenants Act.

Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum, hereafter "grantor(s)," Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum, hereafter "holder(s)," and the Department of Natural Resources (Department) in its capacity as an agency of the State of Iowa, enter into this environmental covenant for the purpose of subjecting the property described below to certain activity and use limitations in accordance with the terms and conditions included herein pursuant to the authority granted to the Department in IC chapter 455I, IC § 455B.103(7), and Department rules in chapter 567 Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) 135.

1. <u>Affected Property</u>. The grantor(s) identified below is the fee title owner(s) of the property located at 1 East Margaret Street, Earlville, lowa, at which petroleum exists. The property is legally described as:

The South eighty eight (88.0) feet of the West one hundred one and five-tenths (101.5) feet of Lot Seven (7) of the subdivision of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of Section Twenty Five (25), Township Eight Nine (89) North, Range Four (4), West of the Fifth P.M., according to plat recorded in Book A Plats, Page 72.

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Hereinafter, the affected property will be referred to as "the property."

2. Risk Management and Institutional Controls.

Seneca Companies for Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum has conducted a soil and groundwater investigation and risk assessment (tiered site assessment) of the UST source site located at 1 East Margaret Street, Earlville, Iowa, in accordance with Department rules in chapter 567 IAC 135. Persons associated with the UST source site have requested that the grantor execute this environmental covenant in order to satisfy regulatory requirements applicable to the UST site.

This assessment constitutes an environmental response project as defined in IC § 455I.2(5). The purpose of this environmental covenant is to manage the risk of future exposure to existing soil and/or groundwater contamination at the site by limiting specified land use activities at this property, establishing affirmative obligations, and enforcing the terms of this covenant.

3. <u>Tiered Assessment Reports</u>. Department files reference the UST source site located at 1 East Margaret Street, Earlville, IA by Registration No. <u>197910428</u> and LUST No. <u>9LT189</u>.

RBCA Tier 2 Report accepted by the DNR on 9/18/01 and subsequent Tier 2 Reports.

- 4. <u>Reopening.</u> The signatories to this covenant acknowledge that failure of the activity and use limitations to serve their intended purpose including the prevention of exposure to contamination could result in the Department reopening its review and regulation of the contaminant condition on the property as provided under the terms of this covenant, IC chapters 455B and 455I, and applicable Department administrative rules.
- 5. Identity of Grantor(s) and Holder(s).

GRANTOR(S): Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum

HOLDERS: Jenifer Simon and Mitchell Ronnebaum

AGENCY: Iowa Department of Natural Resources

- **6.** Representations and Warranties. The grantor(s) warrants to the other signatories to this covenant the following:
 - a. The grantor[s] is/are the sole fee title owner[s] of the property;

- the grantor[s] holds sufficient fee title to the property to grant the rights and interests described in this covenant free of any conflicting legal and equitable claims;
- c. the grantor[s] has/have identified all other persons holding legal or equitable interests, including, but not limited to, contract buyers, mortgage holders, other consensual lienholders and lessees, and secured their consent either by signatures on this covenant or by a separate subordination and consent agreement attached as Exhibit A.
- 7. Running with the Land. This environmental covenant is perpetual and runs with the land as provided in IC § 4551.9 until modified or terminated. The terms of this environmental covenant are binding on the grantors and all successors in interest, assigns and all transferees acquiring or owning any right, title, lien or interest in the property and their heirs, successors, assigns, grantees, executors, administrators and devisees. The term "transferee," as used in this environmental covenant, shall mean any future owner of any interest in the property or any portion thereof, including, but not limited to, owners of an interest in fee simple, contract buyers, mortgagees, easement holders and/or lessees.
- **8.** Activity and Use Limitations and Terms. The property is subject to the following activity and use limitations:

Basements -Receptor ID

No confined spaces as described in Iowa Department of Natural Resources Rule 567 Iowa Administrative code 135.10(7) (groundwater vapor) shall be constructed within the area of the applicable receptor ID plume as specified in DNR rule 135.10(6) (groundwater vapor). Confined spaces include basements in buildings occupied by humans. For reference, the area of the receptor ID plume which exceeds the Tier 2 default levels and zoning are shown on the attached map as Exhibit A.

- **9.** Notice of Non-Compliance. Any property owner or subsequent transferee of an interest in the property shall notify the Department as soon as possible of conditions which would constitute a breach of the activity and use limitations in paragraph eight (8) if they have actual knowledge of these conditions or would reasonably be deemed to have knowledge within the normal course of administration of their property interest.
- **10.** <u>Notice to Lessees</u>. Grantor, any holder with a property interest sufficient to grant a lease of the property, and any subsequent transferee shall incorporate the activity and use limitations of this covenant either in full or by reference to this instrument in any lease, license, or other instrument granting a right to possession of the property.
- 11. Access to Property. Reasonable access to the property is granted the Department or any authorized representative of the Department, public or private, for the purpose of implementation, monitoring and enforcement of the terms of this environmental covenant. The Department, its authorized representatives or other persons entitled to access shall provide the current owner of the property with reasonable notice, an explanation of the reasons for entry and the scope of onsite activities prior to access. Right of access includes, but is not limited to, the following activities:
 - a. repair and maintenance of remedial action equipment, soil caps, groundwater monitoring wells and associated aboveground or subsurface structures
 - b. fencing and other technological controls
 - c. groundwater sampling and monitoring
 - d. additional drilling
 - e. construction of soil boring and/or groundwater monitoring wells
 - f. other activities authorized or otherwise directed by the Department.
- 12. Groundwater Hazard Statement Notice. IC § 558.69 requires submission of a groundwater hazard statement and disclosure if "hazardous waste" exists on the property as defined in IC § 455B.411(3) or if the Department determines that solid waste exists on the property that is potentially hazardous. If hazardous waste is present, the groundwater hazard statement must state that the condition is being managed in accordance with Department rules. The signatories and all subsequent transferees required to submit a groundwater hazard statement under lowa

Code section 558.69 shall make reference to this environmental covenant in substantially the following form:

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THE ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANT CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY AND USE LIMITATIONS:

Basements - Receptor ID

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- **13.** <u>Modification and Termination.</u> Modification or termination of the terms of this covenant shall comply with the standards in IC chapter 455I and applicable Department administrative rules. The terms of this environmental covenant may be modified or terminated by written consent of the Director of the Department, the then current fee simple title owner and all original signatories (unless exempted under the provisions of IC § 455I.10(1)"c" in accordance with and subject to the provisions of IC § 455I.10). The termination or modification is not effective until the document evidencing consent of all necessary persons is properly recorded. If not by consent, any modification or termination of this environmental covenant shall be in accordance with IC § 455I.9 and such additional terms as specified in this covenant.
- **14.** <u>Enforcement:</u> The terms of this environmental covenant may be enforced in a civil action for injunctive or other equitable relief by the signatories and those persons authorized by and in accordance with IC § 455I.11.
- **15.** <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this environmental covenant is found to be unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired.
- **16.** Governing Law. This environmental covenant shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Iowa.
- 17. <u>Recordation</u>. Within thirty (30) days after Department approval of this environmental covenant, the grantor[s] shall record the environmental covenant in the same manner as a deed to the property with the Delaware County Recorder's Office.
- **18.** <u>Effective Date</u>. The effective date of this environmental covenant shall be the date upon which the fully executed environmental covenant has been properly recorded with the Delaware County Recorder's Office.
- 19. <u>Notice</u>. Unless otherwise notified in writing by the Department, any document or communication required by this environmental covenant shall be submitted to:

Iowa Department of Natural Resources UST Section Supervisor Wallace State Office Building 502 E 9th Street Des Moines, IA 50319

20. <u>Subordination and Consent</u>. By signing this environmental covenant, the signatories knowingly and intentionally acknowledge their consent to the terms of this agreement and agree to subordinate their interest in the property. The following persons have expressly consented and subordinated interests:

No subordinated interests.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

GRANTORS: January Jensfer Simon / Jensfer Ronnebaum	Dated this 18 day of Nov. 2022				
On this day of Nov., 2012 before me personal behalf of said corporation by authority of its boacknowledge the execution of said instrument to corporation by them voluntarily executed.	tion, and that the instrument was signed on arc arc of directors and that the said officers				
Notary Public, State of lowe: Mitchell Ronnebaum	Dated this day of Nev 2022				
On this 18 day of 100, 200 before me personally appeared Michel Roman, who being duly sworn, did say that they are the corporation, and that the instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors and that the said officers acknowledge the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said corporation by them voluntarily executed.					
Notary Public, State of lowa:	Commission Number 177512 My Commission Expires				
HOLDERS: Jemifer Simon / Jenifer Ronnebaum	Dated this 18 day of 100 , 2012				
On this 8 day of 202 before me personally appeared The Who being duly sworn, did say that they are the corporation, and that the instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors and that the said officers acknowledge the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said					
Some Vicinity Notary Public, State of Iowa:	ELAINE MARY DIESBURG Commission Number 177512 My Commission 5:525				
Mitchell Ronnebaum	Dated this $\frac{18}{18}$ day of $\frac{100}{100}$, 2022				
On this \\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \					
Notary Public, State of Lowa:	Commission Number 177512 My Commission Exercise				
AGENCY:					
Signed this 2 day of October, 2022 Kayla Lyon Director, Iowa Department of Natural Resources					
State of Joua)					

On this 12th day of October 20 22 before me personally appeared Kayla Lyon known to me to be the Director of the lowa Department of Natural Resources or the lawful designee of the Director who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledge that this person executed the same as his/her/their voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public for State of Iowa

SUBORDINATED INTERESTS: No subordinated interests.

JENNIFER MILLER
Commission Number 839456
My Commission Expires
May 17, 20

EXHIBIT AGROUNDWATER VAPOR TO CONFINDED SPACE

