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COUNTY of LUZERNE
PENNSYLVANIA
ESTABLISHED 1786

November 3, 2017

Zachary Good
4350 North Fairfax Drive
Arlington, VA 22202
Email: zgood@ramboll.com
RE: RTK Request # 17-203

Dear Mr. Good:

Thank you for writing to Luzerne County with your request for information pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right-To-Know law. My email is Jackie.Carroll@luzernecounty.org.

On November 3, 2017, the Luzerne County Office of Law received a request for documents from you described in the attached Right to Know request. Your request is denied for the following reasons pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right to Know Law ("RTKL").

Luzerne County does not maintain the records regarding underground storage tanks, etc. Your request is denied pursuant to §705 of the RTKL. §705 of the RTKL states that "when responding to a request for access, an agency shall not be required to create a record which does not currently exist or to compile, maintain, format or organize a record in a manner in which the agency does not currently compile, maintain, format or organize the record".

You have a right to appeal this denial of information in writing to Office of Open Records, Commonwealth Keystone building, 400 North Street, 4th Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17120.

If you choose to file an appeal for any reason, you must do so within 15 business days of the mailing date of the agency's response. Section 1101. If you have further questions, please contact me. Please be advised this correspondence will serve to close this request with our office as permitted by law.

Very truly yours,


JACQUELINE MUSTO CARROLL, ESQUIRE
Luzerne County – Open Records Officer

RTK REQUEST NUMBER

DATE RECEIVED

5 DAY RESPONSE DATE



COUNTY OF LUZERNE

RIGHT TO KNOW LAW REQUEST FORM

NAME OF REQUESTER: Good Zachary J
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY) LAST FIRST MI

MAILING ADDRESS: 4350 North Fairfax Drive
STREET / P.O. BOX

Arlington VA 22202
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

PHONE # 703-516-2480 FAX#

EMAIL ADDRESS: zgood@ramboll.com

SIGNATURE: *Zachary J Good* DATE: 11/3/17

RECORDS REQUESTED - Requesters MUST specify the document(s) sought. Please use additional pages if necessary.

Please see attached requests

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- I AM ONLY REQUESTING ACCESS TO THE DOCUMENT(S)
- I AM REQUESTING A HARD COPY OF THE DOCUMENT(S) (PAPER, CD, etc...)
- I AM REQUESTING AN E-FILE OF THE DOCUMENT(S) (IF AVAILABLE) (PDF, EXCEL SPRDSHT, etc...)

PLEASE NOTE: LUZERNE COUNTY IS NOT REQUIRED TO CREATE A RECORD WHICH DOES NOT CURRENTLY EXIST OR TO COMPILE, MAINTAIN, FORMAT OR ORGANIZE A RECORD IN A MANNER IN WHICH THE AGENCY DOES NOT CURRENTLY COMPILE, MAINTAIN, FORMAT OR ORGANIZE THE RECORD

To Whom it May Concern,

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), I am hereby requesting any relevant information pertaining to the following site located in Luzerne County, Pennsylvania:

- Pulverman Facility
1170 Lower Demunds Road
Dallas, PA 18612

In order to help focus this request, please find below a targeted list of information in which I am interested:

Facility History (Utilities-Related)

- Records on file for the site location indicated in the attached, including available building plans and permits.
- Construction plans or drawings on file for the site locations (if any).
- Indications of historical on-site septic system use for the site locations (if any).
- Please provide available information regarding the presence of on-site wells, well inspections, or water sampling.
- Are there any chemical inventories on file that any entity located historically at this site has submitted?

Chemical Storage Related Information

- Records of historical fires at this these properties, including date of occurrence and extent of damages.
- Records of historical chemical release ever at these properties, including material released and extent of damages (if at all).
- Records of available chemical inventories on file for the site locations (if any).
- Records of current or former underground storage tanks at the site locations (if any).
- Is the department aware of any environmental contamination at the site address or nearby properties?

Please advise prior to completing this request if any fees are expected to be incurred as a result of completing this request.

Please reply to me by email at zgood@ramboll.com, by telephone at (703) 516-2480, or via the address information below. Thank you in advance for your help in this matter.

Yours Sincerely,

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