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**RE: Corrective Action Plan AC-07 Well Abandonment
White Sulfur Springs Hardware LLC, 12 West Main St., White Sulfur Springs, MT
Facility ID #30-00478, Release #0268, WPID 34986**

Dear Mr. Bergum,

Pursuant to December 19, 2024 Work Plan Request (WPR) letter, AJM Incorporated (AJM) has prepared the following brief work plan to abandon the remaining vapor sample wells at the above referenced site.

WELL ABANDONMENT

Currently the facility has four (4) remaining vapor sample points with tubing and well boxes at the facility. As these wells are not considered groundwater monitoring wells, AJM personnel will go to the site for abandonment and a Licensed Monitoring Well installer will not be necessary.

AJM will mobilize to the facility, find the well boxes, remove the well boxes, pull the casing from the ground, backfill with a small amount of bentonite and replace the existing grade material, to include cement or gravel as necessary.

REPORTING

A brief letter report indicating that the wells have been decommissioned will be sent to DEQ for their files.

COST ESTIMATE

A cost estimate for this scope of work can be attached to this document. Work at this site can begin with written approval by the DEQ and the Petroleum Tank Release Compensation Board (PTRCB) staff. Please do not hesitate to call if there are any questions or if we can provide any additional information.

Sincerely,

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Attachments: Cost for vapor well abandonment

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