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July 1, 2024

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Matt Montgomery
American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc.
1440 E Buckeye Street
North Vernon, Indiana 47265
mattmont@mymetronet.net

Re: Inspection Summary Letter
American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc.
Source ID 079-00057
North Vernon, Jennings County

Dear Mr. Matt Montgomery:

On July 1, 2024, a representative of the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), Office of Air Quality (OAQ), conducted an inspection of American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc., located at 1440 E Buckeye Street in North Vernon, Indiana. This inspection was conducted pursuant to IC 13-14-2-2. For your information, and in accordance with IC 13-14-5, a summary of the inspection is provided below:

Inspection Type: Complaint
Inspection Results: No violations were observed

Please direct any questions to Amy Rotert at 812-595-8877 or by email at arotert@idem.in.gov.

Sincerely,

Mark A. Amick, Director
Southeast Regional Office

ACES ID: 299054 – Inspection
ACES ID: 299053 - Complaint

ENCLOSURE: IAC 326 6-4 Fugitive Dust Regulations

cc: Amy Rotert, Compliance and Enforcement Branch, Office of Air Quality
Jennings County Health Department; proe@jenningscounty-in.gov
Margo Tucker, Office of Legal Counsel, IDEM

**INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF AIR QUALITY
FIELD INSPECTION REPORT**



SOURCE INFORMATION	
SOURCE NAME	American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc.
SOURCE LOCATION	1440 E Buckeye Street, North Vernon, Indiana Jennings County
MAILING ADDRESS	1440 E Buckeye Street, North Vernon, Indiana 47265
PLANT ID	079-00057
<u>PERMIT INFORMATION</u>	Permit Type: Exempt Permit Number: 44152 Permit Expiration Date: N/A VFC Document No.(hyperlink): 83214505
ATTAINMENT STATUS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attainment for all criteria pollutants <input type="checkbox"/> Nonattainment for <input type="checkbox"/> SO ₂ <input type="checkbox"/> CO <input type="checkbox"/> O ₃ <input type="checkbox"/> NO ₂ <input type="checkbox"/> Pb <input type="checkbox"/> PM ₁₀ <input type="checkbox"/> PM _{2.5}
SOURCE STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> PSD Major (326 IAC 2-2) <input type="checkbox"/> Major Source of HAPs <input type="checkbox"/> Emission Offset (326 IAC 2-3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Source of HAPs <input type="checkbox"/> Acid Rain (326 IAC 21)
<u>SOURCE DESCRIPTION</u>	American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc. owns and operates a stationary iron casting turning reconditioning facility. A tool shop and two storage buildings also exist on the property.

INSPECTION INFORMATION			
INSPECTED BY	Amy Rotert		
INSPECTION DATE AND TIME	July 1, 2024	TIME IN: 8:30 am	TIME OUT: 10:05 am
REPORTED BY	Amy Rotert	REPORT DATE: July 1, 2024	
<u>COMPLIANCE PERIOD REVIEWED</u>	July 1, 2024		
<u>INSPECTION NOTIFICATION</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unannounced <input type="checkbox"/> Announced:		
INSPECTION OBJECTIVE(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Complaint <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surveillance <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
ACES TRACKING NUMBER(S)	Inspection: 299054	Complaint: 299053	Violation/Warning: N/A
RM TRACKING NUMBER(S)	Complaint: 112323		
<u>INSPECTION BACKGROUND</u>	The Southeast Regional Office (SERO) of the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) received a complaint on May 9, 2024, concerning fugitive dust/smoke at the source.		

SOURCE PERSONNEL INTERVIEWED			
Name	Title	Phone Number	Email Address
N/A			

INSPECTION AND COMPLAINT HISTORY (PREVIOUS 5 YEARS)			
Date	Inspection/Complaint Type	Result	Comments
May 20, 2024	Complaint	No Violations Noted	Surveillance conducted on July 1, 2024.
January 4, 2024	Complaint	No Violations Noted	Surveillance conducted on January 4, 2024, for a

INSPECTION AND COMPLAINT HISTORY (PREVIOUS 5 YEARS)			
			complaint received on December 5, 2023.
There have been numerous fugitive dust complaints over the past few years.	Choose an item.	Choose an item.	

COMPLIANCE HISTORY (PREVIOUS 5 YEARS)			
Informal Enforcement Actions			
<i>Date Issued</i>	<i>Action Taken</i>	<i>Describe Violation(s)</i>	
May 13, 2024	Warning Letter	Fugitive Dust	
Formal Enforcement Actions			
<i>Case Number</i>	<i>Enforcement Type</i>	<i>Civil Penalty</i>	<i>Describe Violation(s)</i>
N/A		\$	
Other Relevant Actions			
<i>Action Taken</i>	<i>Comments</i>		
N/A			

INSPECTION OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS
<p>On May 9, 2023, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) received an anonymous complaint concerning fugitive dust/smoke at American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc.</p> <p>IDEM's Office of Air Quality Compliance Inspector Amy Rotert (SERO) arrived at the facility located at 1440 East Buckeye Street, North Vernon, IN 47265 at 8:30 am on July 1, 2024. The inspector conducted visual surveillance of the property from a parking lot on the south side of Buckeye Street. The weather conditions were noted as sunny, 63°F, humidity at 75%, winds from the east northeast at 8 mph, with gusts to 17 mph.</p> <p>There were no delivery trucks observed entering or leaving American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc, during the time of the surveillance. At 9:15 am, the inspector moved to the north end of Greensburg Street. The inspector walked the length of Greensburg Street, directly east of American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc., checking for potential secondary deposition of metallic particulates. The inspector did not observe any dust or metallic particulate matter on the vegetation or horizontal surfaces. The inspector noted that the fan in the Quonset hut storage facility was not turning, and it did not appear that any turnings processing was being done.</p> <p>The inspector proceeded back to the parking lot south of Buckeye Street, but did not observe any delivery trucks entering or leaving the source. The inspector left the area at 9:30 am and proceeded to North Vernon Industry Corporation (NVIC) at 3750 N 4th Street, North Vernon, IN 47265, to check on the status of production (considering the possibility of a July shutdown). The person at the guard shack at NVIC stated that only contractors were on site this week, and no production was taking place. The inspector returned to American Manufacturing Solutions, Inc., and checked the source from the Greensburg Street and empty parking lot south of Buckeye Street locations. No delivery trucks or fugitive dust were observed. The inspector left the area at 10:05 am.</p> <p>Since no delivery trucks were observed, the inspector recommends conducting a follow up surveillance when in the area.</p> <p>With no violations determined at the time of the surveillance, the inspector recommends closing the complaint (TEMPO 112323, ACES 299053 and 299054).</p>

INSPECTION FINDINGS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No violations were observed or determined at the time of the inspection. <input type="checkbox"/> The following violations were determined at the time of the inspection:	
RECOMMENDED ACTION	Issue inspection summary letter.
EXIT INTERVIEW	The inspector did not enter the source property on July 1, 2024.

ATTACHMENTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A

