



**BOROUGH OF EDGEWATER
RESOLUTION**

COUNCILPERSON	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
HENWOOD	X			
DORAN	X			
MONTE	X			
VIDAL				X
JORDAN				X
BARTOLOMEO	x			
MAYOR				

DATE: December 9, 2014

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-275

INTRODUCED BY: Councilman Monte

SECOND BY: Councilman Doran

Amendment to the USEPA Approved Self Implementing Cleanup Plan
For Veteran's Field

WHEREAS, the Borough has been advised by their Licensed Site Remediation Professional (LSRP) ,First Environment, that as a result of the post excavation samples collected from the base of the northern parking lot area at Veteran's Field, it has revealed that there are PCB concentrations above NJDEP/USEPA soil cleanup criteria; and

WHEREAS, First Environment has also advised the Borough that due to the depth of contamination and proximity of the groundwater table (ranging from 4 to 5 feet below ground surface), excavating below the groundwater table may prove technically challenging and financially impractical; and

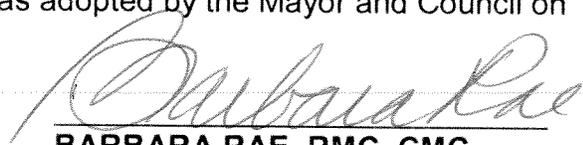
WHEREAS, First Environment has recommended remedial alternatives (variance) to address PCB impact detected at or below the groundwater table; and

WHEREAS, for the remainder of the remediation, a permissible method would be to excavate PCB-impacted material to the groundwater table. For those locations that exhibit PCB concentrations above 0.2 parts per million (ppm) at this depth, First Environment will confirm that PCB concentrations are below 10 ppm, which is the USEPA High Occupancy Use Cleanup Level; and cap the remaining PCB-impacted material with proposed infrastructure (i.e., asphalt parking lot and concrete sidewalks/curb lines) or with a clay layer that meets USEPA permeability requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has been advised by First Environment that the above remedial method is protective of human health and the environment and will not restrict the use of the property and furtherance First Environment has recommended that the Borough submit a Variance to the USEPA-approved Self Implementing PCB Cleanup Plan dated August, 2014 (SIP). The Variance will allow for the capping of material below grade at a depth of approximately 4 to 5 feet.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body hereby authorized First Environment to file a variance to the USEPA-approved SIP consistent with the recommendation set forth in this resolution.

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Mayor and Council on December 9, 2014.



BARBARA RAE, RMC, CMC
Borough Clerk