

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
AIR QUALITY DIVISION
ACTIVITY REPORT: Self Initiated Inspection**

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FACILITY: PRODUCTION PLATING		SRN / ID: B7125
LOCATION: 23120 GRATIOT, EASTPOINTE		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: EASTPOINTE		COUNTY: MACOMB
CONTACT:		ACTIVITY DATE: 08/23/2019
STAFF: Adam Bognar	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: Minor
SUBJECT: Self-Initiated Inspection		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On Friday, August 23, 2019, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy-Air Quality Division (EGLE-AQD) staff, I, Adam Bognar, conducted a self-initiated inspection of Production Plating, Inc. located at 23130 Gratiot Avenue, Eastpointe, MI 48021. The purpose of this inspection was to determine the facility's compliance status with the Federal Clean Air Act; Article II, Part 55, Air Pollution Control of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 Public Act 451; Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy-Air Quality Division (EGLE-AQD) rules; and Permit to Install No. 377-94A.

I arrived at this location at about 11 am

There is no longer a building at this address. The two buildings that appear to be built on this property are a church and Eastpointe City Hall.

Production Plating was previously a chrome plating plant. AQD files indicate that this facility burned down in 1999 creating a series of explosions and a toxic cloud of smoke. Based on my brief internet research, this site is now an EPA superfund site due to the amount of contamination released in the fire. Shortly after the fire, 45,000 gallons of combined sewage and chemical runoff were removed from the Production Plating site, on orders of the U.S. EPA Region 5.

Since this facility no longer exists, Permit to Install No. 377-94A will be voided as a result of this inspection. The AQD Production Plating, Inc. file will be archived as a result of this inspection.

An email was sent to Sue Thelen on September 17, 2019 requesting to void Permit to Install No. 377-94A.

NAME Adam Bognar DATE 9/24/2019 SUPERVISOR SK