DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AIR QUALITY DIVISION ACTIVITY REPORT: On-site Inspection

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FACILITY: Scheurer Health		SRN / ID: M1959
LOCATION: 170 N CASEVILLE RD, PIGEON		DISTRICT: Bay City
CITY: PIGEON		COUNTY: HURON
CONTACT: Scott Briesmiester, Plant Engineering Service Leader		ACTIVITY DATE: 12/04/2024
STAFF: Emily Crimmins	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
SUBJECT: Unscheduled Targeted Inspection		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On December 4, 2024, Michigan's Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy Air Quality Division (EGLE-AQD) Staff Emily Crimmins (EC) conducted an unscheduled on-site inspection of Scheurer Health (also known as Scheurer Hospital), located at 170 N. Caseville Rd, Pigeon, Huron County, Michigan 48755. Scheurer Health is a Minor source. Schuerer Health's SRN is M1959. There are no ROPs or PTIs as the facility operates 3 emergency generators subject to NESHAP Subpart ZZZZ (RICE MACT). The purpose of the inspection was to determine if any emission units at the facility were subject to state and/or federal air quality rules. At the time of the inspection, Scheurer Health appears to be in compliance with applicable state and federal air quality rules.

Facility Description

The facility located in Pigeon is currently at 19 hospital beds and provides a variety of medical services, including ER, primary care, ophthalmology, and many other services to the surrounding community.

Compliance Determination

On December 4th at 10:45am, I (EC) met with Scott Briesmiester, Plant Engineering Service Leader for Scheurer Health. Mr. Briesmiester first showed me the two 125 kW diesel generators (installed in fall of 1986) and their accompanying start-up records and maintenance records. At the time of inspection, there were 881.8 hours on the pair of generators. One 400 kW diesel generator (installed in the spring of 2004) is also present. At the time of inspection, the run hours on this larger generator were 781.8 hours. The facility is neither subject to NSPS Subpart IIII nor NSPS Subpart JJJJ because the generators were installed after the construction dates of July 11, 2005 and June 12, 2006, respectively. These generators are subject to NESHAP ZZZZ (RICE MACT), but since the facility is an area source of HAPs, the State of Michigan EGLE-AQD is not the designated authority over RICE MACT-applicable facilities.

The facility has two electric boilers that are used to generate steam to sterilize equipment used in the hospital and are exempt from obtaining a permit to install under Rule 281(i).

Briesmiester confirmed that incinerators are not present on site. Briesmiester stated that they plan on merging with Harbor Beach Community Hospital as well as constructing an addition to the current Pigeon location to increase the number of beds and service to the community.

I (EC) departed the facility at 11:05am.

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