

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

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FACILITY: Fluid Routing Solutions, Inc.	SRN / ID: N3220
LOCATION: 600 DEKRAFT, BIG RAPIDS	DISTRICT: Grand Rapids
CITY: BIG RAPIDS	COUNTY: MECOSTA
CONTACT:	ACTIVITY DATE: 08/22/2023
STAFF: Scott Evans	SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
SUBJECT: On site inspection. Facility is no longer in operation.	
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:	

On August 22, 2023, State of Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy Air Quality Division (AQD) staff member Scott Evans (SE) conducted an on site inspection of the Fluid Routing Systems facility located at 600 Dekraft Rd. in Big Rapids, Michigan, to assess compliance with air quality rules and regulations.

Upon arrival at the facility, SE discovered that the facility was no longer owned or operated by Fluid Routing Systems. SE was able to enter the facility and discuss with staff on site what the situation was. The facility had been closed and emptied of all equipment months prior to this inspection. The facility had been purchased by Reed City Group, which is a company that assembles production equipment for short-term testing before shipping the equipment to manufacturing facilities for full-time use. This equipment is typically pressing and forming equipment for garage door components. At the time of this inspection, there was minimal equipment within the facility, and all operations occurring were simply assembly of equipment, which is not subject to air permitting requirements. It was discussed that, once assembled, the equipment would only be used for a short time to test and would only be conducting operations that are exempt from air permitting requirements by Rule 285(2)(l)(vi).

At the conclusion of the discussion, SE expressed to the facility that the operations currently at the facility were not subject to air quality permitting requirements. A copy of the air quality permitting exemptions handbook was left with the facility personnel who were instructed to let the AQD know if any future operations at the facility would fail to meet the criteria outlined in the book.

As the facility is no longer owned or operated by Fluid Routing Systems and the current owners are not operating in a way that requires air permitting, this business will be marked as permanently closed. If the new owners require air permitting in the future, it may be reopened.

NAME Scott Evans DATE 9/7/2023 SUPERVISOR SEV