

Great Lakes Cremation

New Hudson, Mi

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Re: Response to violation of permit

Date of Violation: 12-20-2021

Event:

Approximately 920am, a charge was loaded and emissions began rising from the air stack. The cremator on shift, Melissa Woodham, immediately notified Danielle Hall (supervisor) and Gil Pietrandrea (owner). Upon observation via cctv, the emissions appeared to be heavy and dark. The event last between 5-7 minutes.

Actions taken:

Gil made adjustments to the throat air and hearth air. Danielle observed the results via cctv. The emissions began to dissipate a few minutes after the adjustments were made.

Cause:

We believe there may have been an object of unknown origin within the cremation container. Due to Corona Virus precautions, we have been unable to inspect the containers.

Abatement plan:

We have implemented precautionary measures to ensure the health and safety of our staff so that we may inspect the containers and remove foreign objects before a cremation takes place.

It is our top priority to operate within the guidelines of the permit. We do not want our units emitting pollution into the atmosphere. When a malfunction occurs, we do take immediate action to correct the problem. We apologize for any inconveniences and will be taking further action to ensure that our units are operating without error.

Print: _____ Danielle Hall

Sign: _____ *Danielle Hall*

Date: _____ June 13, 2022