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

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FACILITY: Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels		SRN / ID: U50144884
LOCATION: 29800 Groesbeck, Roseville		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: Roseville		COUNTY: MACOMB
CONTACT: John Mercadante, Owner		ACTIVITY DATE: 06/09/2014
STAFF: Robert Elmouchi	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS:
SUBJECT: Self initiated inspection.		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:	·	

On Monday, June 9, 2014, I conducted an inspection of Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels located at 29800 Groesbeck, Roseville, Michigan. This facility is identified by the Air Quality Division with the State Registration Number (SRN) / ID of U50144884. The purpose of this inspection was to determine the facility's compliance with the requirements of the Federal Clean Air Act; Article II, Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the administrative rules; and to determine if the processes or activities at this facility are a source of particulate fallout affecting complainants working at Graphics East.

I entered the building, met with Mr. John Mercadante, owner, identified myself and stated the purpose of the inspection. Mr. Mercadante escorted me throughout the inspection.

Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels is a wholesale distributor of replacement automotive wheels, and hub caps. This facility warehouses mostly wheels, which are shipped throughout to United States. These wheels are typically used to replace wheels that have been damaged in and accident or lost due to theft. Usually only one wheel is ordered but a repair facility may order up to four of one wheel style at a time. A very small percentage of sales are retail to walk-in customers.

I observed rows of storage racks filled with custom vehicle wheels. This facility only receives and distributes product and no surface coating, machining or other process activities are performed. With the exception of the space heater, I did not observe any emission stacks penetrating the roof or walls. This facility does not appear to have any processes or activities subject to Michigan air pollution control rules.

CONCLUSION

The processes and activities I observed at Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels do not appear to be subject to Michigan air pollution control rules. The processes and activities I observed at Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels did not appear to contribute to the generation of particulates in quantities noticeably greater than ambient conditions. Therefore, Motor City Hub Caps & Wheels does not appear to contribute to fallout on the complainants' vehicles at Graphics East in quantities noticeably greater than ambient accumulation.

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