

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

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FACILITY: RESSURRECTION CEMETERY-CREMATORY		SRN / ID: N7745
LOCATION: 18201 CLINTON RIVER RD, CLINTON TWP		DISTRICT: Warren
CITY: CLINTON TWP		COUNTY: MACOMB
CONTACT: Tim Burrows , Cemetery Director		ACTIVITY DATE: 07/24/2023
STAFF: Marie Reid	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
SUBJECT: Scheduled on-site inspection.		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On July 14, 2023, I (Marie Reid) contacted Tim Burrows, Cemetery Director, to schedule an on-site inspection of Resurrection Cemetery (SRN: N7745) located at 18201 Clinton River Road, Clinton Township, MI. Tim Burrows responded informing me that they are no longer operating their Prince of Peace Crematorium and sold the three incinerators that are identified in PTI No. 3-22 as EUCREMATORY1, EUCREMATORY2, & EUCREMATORY3. I scheduled an inspection with Tim to physically verify that the incinerators are no longer on-site.

On July 24, 2023, I arrived on-site at 11:00 AM, entered the front office, identified myself to reception, and asked for Tim Burrows. Tim arrived a few minutes later. I identified myself, showed photo ID, and stated the purpose of the inspection. I then followed Tim to the crematory and was escorted inside. I could see rectangular outlines on the ground against the West wall of the building, indicating where the incinerators were once located. I walked around the building and verified that the three incinerators identified in PTI No. 3-22 have been removed from Resurrection Cemetery (SRN: N7745). I took photographs of the area.

Tim informed me that the owner of Resurrection Cemetery, Mt. Elliott Cemetery Association, closed the Prince of Peace Crematorium permanently on March 15, 2023, and sold them to a company called "Santeiu" on May 5, 2023. Tim stated that the cemetery is considering converting the Prince of Peace Crematorium into cremation niches, but there is no definite plans for the future of the building.

I recommended to Tim that he requests to void Permit to Install No. 3-22 by sending a request to Laura Gramza, Secretary (GramzaL@michigan.gov), and Cindy Smith, Permits Section Manager (SMITHC17@michigan.gov). Tim stated that he thought someone at Resurrection Cemetery reached out to EGLE before about voiding PTI No. 3-22 but will reach out again now that EGLE-AQD verified the incinerators are no longer on site. The department should void the permit per Rule 201(6)(c). In addition, the permit is assigned for a SRN (address specific). Since the equipment is no longer at this address, the permit no longer applies.

NAME Marie ReidDATE 8/8/2023SUPERVISOR K. Kelly