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May 13, 2016

Mr. Jim Benning
Director, Public Works
City of Duluth Public Works and Utilities
City Hall, Room 211
411 West 1st Street
Duluth, Minnesota 55802

Re: CPF 3-2014-1003M

Dear Mr. Benning:

On August 22-23, 2012, representatives from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code inspected the City of Duluth Public Works and Utilities' (Duluth's) procedures for Public Awareness Program Effectiveness in Duluth, Minnesota. As a result of the inspection, Duluth was issued a Notice of Amendment on March 13, 2014, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Duluth submitted its proposed revisions on April 11, 2014. My staff reviewed the amended procedures, and it appears that the inadequacies outlined in this Notice of Amendment have been corrected.

This letter is to inform you no further action is necessary and this case is now closed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Allan C. Beshore
Director, Central Region, OPS
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration