

City of Elkhart

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January 18, 2007

Bruce Palin
Assistant Commissioner
Office of Land Quality
Department of Environmental Management
IGCN-100 N. Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46204

David L. Miller
Mayor

Dear Mr. Palin:

Mayor's Office

This letter is to support American Medical Waste Professionals LLC (AMPRO) application for a Solid Waste Processing Permit to operate a steam sterilization system to treat infectious waste at 616 South 4th Street in Elkhart.

Municipal Building
229 S. Second Street
Elkhart, Indiana 46516

Having reviewed AMPRO's proposal during a recent meeting of the Elkhart County Solid Waste Board I was pleased to hear that AMPRO will be locating their facility to Elkhart. We believe this facility will be an asset to Elkhart. Not only will AMPRO renovate and use an abandoned building providing needed improvements to an older industrial neighborhood, but it will also provide jobs and add to our economy. In addition, the local hospitals, doctor's offices and clinics will have a local service provider to meet their infectious waste disposal needs.

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Regarding public sentiment about AMPRO's proposal, we haven't received any calls or letters expressing any objections from citizens. The Elkhart Board of Zoning appeals recently approved the 4th street site for AMPRO to use as an infectious waste facility. During this process, the nature of AMPRO's operations was released in two prominently positioned articles in "The Truth"; our local newspaper. I do not anticipate any significant public opposition to this project. In addition, Mr. Carter, president of AMPRO, has assured me that there will be public meetings to discuss any concerns that citizens may have about this facility.

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Please feel free to contact me or any of my staff if you have any local issues that you would like to discuss.

Sincerely,



Dave Miller
Mayor, City of Elkhart



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December 26, 2006

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Dear Mr. Palin:

This letter is to support American Medical Waste Professionals LLC (AMPRO) application for a Solid Waste Processing Permit to operate a steam sterilization system to treat regulated medical waste at 616 South 4th Street in Elkhart. We have reviewed AMPRO's proposal and find the proposed activity to be consistent with solid waste activities in Elkhart County and will provide a needed service to many local and regional health care facilities.

As the President of the Solid Waste Management District of Elkhart County, I recommend approval of AMPRO application.

Sincerely,

Larry Thompson
President, Board of Directors
Solid Waste Management District of Elkhart County

CC: Debra Patzer, City of Elkhart
Bruce Carter, AMPRO
Solid Waste District Board
Advisory Committee

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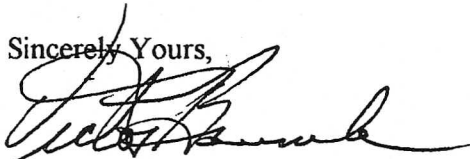
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We have been conducting business with Kimedic Technology, Inc., of Elkhart, IN, for the last six and one-half years and have been very satisfied with the waste removal services that they have provided to our facility. While they have recently undergone some business changes, we have noticed no change in the attitude of the workers or in the high quality of professionalism shown by the team members at AmPro that are currently involved in servicing our account.

At this time I can most highly recommend AmPro for their waste management services and will be more than happy to speak with anyone from your organization who may wish to call with questions in this regard.

Sincerely Yours,



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