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09/13/1990	90-0167	NUWAY COOP	COMPLAINY RUNOFF FROM THE FACILITY WAS KILLING OFF VEGETATION AS WELL AS STAINING DITCH BLACK.	UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME		ROAD DITCH ALONG CROPMATE FACILITY IN SHERBURN			
09/21/1990	90-0256	VIGORO INDUSTRIES INC	COMPLAINT LED TO FACILITY INSPECTION	ALACHLOR - TRIFLURALIN - NITROGEN - METOLACHLOR		EAST OF HWY 4			
05/01/1991	91-0170	CROPMATE CO THE	EMPLOYEE OF CROPMATE, LAKEFIELD REMOVED THE VALVE	NOT KNOWN AMOUNT OF 8-24-0 LIQ FERT		OLD CROPMATE FACILITY IN IMOGENE (ID #1910)			
05/28/1991	91-0207	PETERSON	1 1/2" HOSE RUPTURED	200 GAL OF SPRAY (TREFLON)	HAYFIELD	HAYFIELD, ADJACENT TO CO RD 53	PLEASANT PRAIRIE	102N	29W 31
06/28/1991	91-0461	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	BRAKES WENT OUT, WENT THROUGH INTERSECTION AND TIPPED OVER IN FIELD.	250# OF 500# LOAD OF CROPSTAR ON BOARD SPILLED.		FARMERS FIELD-3 MI W OF HUNTLEY COUNTY 38	CENTER CREEK	103N	29W 10
05/06/1991	91-0836	L H GRAIN	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN	NORTHROP	FERTILIZER LOAD OUT AREA AND IMPREGNATION TOWER AREA.	RUTLAND	103N	30W 09
11/13/1991	92-0030	NUWAY COOP	SOIL ANALYSIS AS A RESULT - PRECONST SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN		OLD PEST MIX/LOAD AREA			
01/21/1992	92-0058	NUWAY COOP	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN	FAIRMONT	PROPOSED NEW FERTILIZER DIKE	RUTLAND	102N	30W 32
04/30/1992	92-0135	DAHL FARMS INC	WAGON BED BROKE ON FARM TRAILER, TANK BROKE ON IMPACT	800 GAL OF 9-30-0 LIQUID FERTILIZER	GRANADA	1 MI E OF GRANADA; S SIDE OF ROAD IN DITCH #134	CENTER CREEK	103N	29W 29
04/15/1992	92-0198	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	RUNOFF FROM FACILITY AFFECTING IMMEDIATE CROPLAND	UNKNOWN	TRUMAN	RUNOFF FLOWING SOUTH OF FACILITY	WESTFORD	104N	30W 09
08/31/1992	92-0295	NUWAY COOP	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN	SHERBURN	AG CHEM FACILITY SAMPLES OBTAINED S OF CHEM WAREHOUSE & SHOP	MANYASKA	102N	32W 07
05/05/1993	93-0083	UNKNOWN	CREAMY MATERIAL COMING FROM TILELINE INTO ROAD/DIT	UNKNOWN		~2 3/4 MI SOUTH OF TRUMAN ON HWY 15	WESTFORD	104N	30W
05/20/1993	93-0147	NUWAY COOP	ALLEGED SPILLS/DUMPING OF AG CHEM(S) - NUWAY PROP.	NONE	FAIRMONT	BULK STORAGE & MIX/LOAD AREAS ON THE FACILITY	RUTLAND	102N	30W 32
06/30/1993	93-0276	WELCOME FARM CHEMICALS	ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT	UNKNOWN		ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT AT WELCOME FARM CHEMICAL			
05/09/1994	94-0205	ANDERS	RUPTURED APPLICATION TANK	400 GALLONS TANK MIX WITH 15 QUARTS TRI-4		SE 1/4 OF RUTLAND TWSP.	RUTLAND	103N	30W
06/23/1994	94-0275	NUWAY COOP	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING		SHERBURN	DRY FERTILIZER SITE AT CO RD 13 BOX 399	MANYASKA	102N	32W 07
05/27/1994	94-0331	VIGORO INDUSTRIES INC	1450 GALLON TANK TIPPED OVER IN TRANSIT, BREAKING VALVE	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		3 MILES NO AND 3/4 MILE EAST OF DUNNELL, MN ALONG UNNAMED TOWNSHIP ROAD	JAY	102N	33W 35
06/13/1994	94-0365	THOMPSON	HITCH BROKE ON PULL SPRAYER/FLIPPED INTO DITCH	79 OZ OF PURSUIT IN 350 GALLONS WATER					
11/23/1993	94-0746	CENEX/LAND O'LAKES	PROPERTY TRANSFER/SITE ASSESSMENT						

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11/04/1994	95-0030	NUWAY COOP	HITCH ON TOOL BAR ON 1450 GALLON NURSE TANK FAILURE OR BROKEN/DISPLACED HITCH PIN HOLDING BAR ON NURSE TANK	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		CUSTOM APPLYING NH 3 IN FIELD IN STATE, COUNTY, TOWNSHIP, AND SECTION.	RUTLAND	103N	30W 19
04/24/1995	95-0265	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	RELEASE ON POLY TANK	122 GALLONS OF 28% & 7-23-5		1/2 MILE NORTH OF FACILITY ON GRAVEL ROAD	CENTER CREEK	103N	29W 20
05/14/1995	95-0309	CROP PRODUCTION SERVICES INC	METER PUMP SHORTED OUT, STARTED PUMPING , BLEW A HOSE FITTING, RELEASING 600 GALLONS INTO DIKE	TRI 4 AT 600 GALLONS		PESTICIDE/BULK LIQUID FERT DIKE, SW CORNER OF CO RDS 49 & 12			
05/17/1995	95-0333	NUWAY COOP	COUPLER VIBRATED LOOSE ON HOSE WHILE FILLING TANK	15-20 GALLONS OF TRI 4	WELCOME	INTO THE CEMENT DIKE	ROLLING GREEN	102N	31W 06
06/16/1995	95-0462	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	JUG FELL OFF OF A TRUCK	2 1/2 GALLON JUG ON BANVEL	NORTHROP	JUST OUTSIDE THE OFFICE AT THE FACILITY IN NORTHROP	RUTLAND	103N	30W 09
11/11/1995	96-0027	NUWAY COOP	TRACTOR, TOOLBAR, AND 1000 GALLON NURSE TANK PULLING OUT OF FIELD, TURNED TOO SHARPLY. NURSE TANK CAUGHT EDGE OF DITCH AND TIPPED OVER.	LESS THAN 5 LBS OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	SHERBURN	TWP ROAD IN TOWNSHIP	LAKE FREMONT	101N	33W 16
05/13/1996	96-0281	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	OVERFILL OF TERRAGATOR	.75 QTS IN 15 GALLONS WATER	ST JAMES	FARM FIELD ROAD	WAVERLY	104N	31W 36
06/15/1996	96-0387	THIEDE	2 1/2 GALLON JUG FELL OFF OF PICKUP THILE GOING AROUND CURVE	1/2-1 GALLON MANIFEST HERBICIDE	FAIRMONT	1100 LAKE AVE, FARIMONT	FAIRMONT	102N	30W 06
06/24/1996	96-0419	WILFARM LLC	VECHICLE ACCIDENT	SMALL PACKAGED PESTICIDES	TRUMAN	INTERSECTION OF CO RD 52 & 15 NEAR TRUMAN, MN	WESTFORD	104N	30W
09/05/1996	96-0873	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	ROUTINE PESTICIDE HANDLING	UNKNOWN	NORTHROP	W & E ENDS OF BULK PESTICIDE DRIVE OUT, WATER FILL SITE, SMALL PACKAGE LOADOUT.	RUTLAND	103N	30W 09
03/20/1998	CF-2061	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	SEPARATION OF TANK BASE	STORAGE TANK FAILURE 15,000 GALLON FIBERGLASS TANK	TRUMAN	WITHIN CLAY LINED BULK FERTILIZER DIKE	WESTFORD	104N	30W 09
06/03/1998	CF-2354	ENGSTROM	WHILE MOVING THROUGH ELEVATOR, HOSE BROKE LOOSE	28-0-0	DUNNELL	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE ELEVATOR IN DUNNELL			
06/22/1998	CF-2472	NATURAL RESOURCES MN DEPT OF	AXEL BROKE ON PULL SPRAYER - ROLLED OVER INTO DITCH	6.6 PINTS OF TRANSLINE IN 200 GALLONS WATER		JUST NORTH OF WELCOME, MN; JUST SOUTH OF ON RAMP ON EAST SIDE OF ROAD	FRASER	103N	31W 31
12/03/1998	CF-2876	NUWAY COOP	APPLICATOR HITCH BROKE. QUICK COUPLER DISENGAGED BUT EXCESS FLOW VALVE DID NOT SHUT.	AA FROM NURSE TANK.	FAIRMONT	DARWIN OLSON FARM AT 14483 320TH AVE WINNEBAGO, MN	RUTLAND	102N	30W 32
05/15/1999	CF-3364	NUWAY COOP	PINHOLE DEVELOPED IN HOSE OVERNIGHT	PROWL HERBICIDE		FILED LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF HWY 15 AT I-90	RUTLAND	103N	30W 32
08/17/1999	CF-3811	COMPLAINANT	RUNOFF	TRACE AMOUNTS OF METOLACHLOR DETECTED.		FACILITY SITE ALONG SOUTH AND EAST PROPERTY LINE	ROLLING GREEN	102N	31W 7
03/29/2000	CF-4209	MAPLE HILL AG INC	TENDER TRUCK TIP OVER	0-46-0 AND 0-0-60 MIX W/O IMPREGNATION. TWENTY TON.		SW 1/4 OF SEC 34	EAST CHAIN	101N	29W 34
06/12/2000	CF-4580	GAALSWYK	WATER TRUCK BACKING ONTO FIELD APPROACH RAN OVER FLEXSTAR BOX	FLEXSTAR EPA # 10182-418.		APPROACH OFF CTY RD 27, FRASER TWSP SIDE, FIELD APPROACH DRY CULVERT.	FRASER	103N	31W 06

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			THAT HAD FALLEN FROM TRUCK 2 x 2 1/2 GALS.						
06/11/2000	CF-4667	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	FAULTY HYDRO STAT ON VALVE	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA VAPOR	TRUMAN	BULK AA TANK AT WFS IN CITY OF TRUMAN	WESTFORD	104N	30W 09
09/18/2000	CF-4924	ROYSTER-CLARK INC	STORAGE TANK DEVELOPED LEAK UP 6" FROM BOTTOM	ALMOST ENTIRE CONTENTS OF A 20,000 GALLON TANK FILLED WITH 28%	WELCOME	WITHIN SECONDARY CONTAINMENT	ROLLING GREEN	102N	31W 07
10/04/2000	CF-4928	NUWAY COOP	ALLEGED VANDALISM/THEFT	UNKNOWN AMOUNT OF AA RELEASED OR STOLEN	FAIRMONT	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA NURSE TANK PARKING AREA	RUTLAND	102N	30W 32
10/06/2000	CF-5013	SUTHERLAND TRUCKING	TRUCK TIPPED OVER EAST DITCH. TOO CLOSE TO DITCH	AMMONIUM SULFATE SPRAY ADDITIVE IN 51# BAGS		4.5 MI N OF DUNNELL ON CO RD 4. BETWEEN SECTIONS 22 & 23	JAY	102N	33W 23
//	CF-5543	NUWAY COOP							
07/03/2001	CF-5846	CARLSON	FARM TRACTOR CAUGHT FIRE AND BURNED TRAILER AND SPRAYER	800 GALLON TANKMIX OF SELECT AND FLEXSTAR HERBICIDES		OFF TOWNSHIP ROAD NEAR INTERMITTENT STREAM. E OF THE INTERSECTION OF 230TH AND 30TH AVE.	CEDAR	104N	33W 9
07/30/2001	CF-5963	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	HYDROSTATE OPENED, RELEASING NH3	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	TRUMAN	NH3 STORAGE FACILITY IN TRUMAN			
10/17/2001	CF-6115	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	TANK ROLLED OVER AND VALVE LOOSENEED	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		120TH AVE BETWEEN 200TH & 210TH ST, TRUMAN	WESTFORD	104N	30W 24
04/18/2002	CF-6696	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	OPERATOR ERROR. ROLLED TANK AND VALVE WAS DAMAGED	NURSE TANK WITH ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		40TH AVE S, 7 MILES FROM TRIMONT	CEDAR	104N	33W 09
07/15/2002	CF-7056	COMPLAINANT	HEAVY SPREADING OF FERTILZER	FERTILIZER BETWEEN THE WALLS OF AN OLD DRY FERTILIZER BUILDING	FAIRMONT	ROTARY SPONSORED COMMUNITY GARDEN	FAIRMONT	102N	30W 32
10/29/2002	CF-7634	ROYSTER-CLARK INC	BULK FERTILIZER STORAGE TANK FAILURE IN CONTAINMENT	FULL CONTENTS OF AST. 28-0-0.	WELCOME	FACILITY	ROLLING GREEN	102N	31W 07
10/31/2003	CF-8506	AGRILIANCE	OVERFILLED BULK TANK WHILE CONVERTING AA & PHOSPHORIC ACID TO 10-34-0	10-34-0	WELCOME	BULK LIQUID FERTILIZER CONTAINMENT	ROLLING GREEN	102N	31W 06
04/01/2004	CF-8868	MADAY FARMS	RUSTED FITTING	7800 GALLONS LIQUID FERTILIZER		POOLED BY GRAIN BINS THEN RAN ALONG DRIVEWAY			
//	CF-10394	EVERGREEN ENTERPRISES	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10452	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10453	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10469	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10480	MIDLAND COOP ASSN	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10481	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10483	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10484	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10485	CROPMATE CO THE	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10486	NUWAY COOP	ABANDONED SITE						
04/25/2006	CF-10786	JENSEN TRANSPORT	RUPTURED HOSE WHEN FILLING FROM	32-0-0 LIQ FERT		NORTH SIDE OF FERTILIZER DIKE AT CROP			

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			TANKER INTO AST.			PRODUCTION SERVICES			
05/09/2006	CF-10816	DARMER	APRON ON SPREADER ENGAGED.	1500 POUNDS OF UREA OVER 3.5 MILES.		3.5 MILES OF ROAD BETWEEN SECTIONS 9 AND 10; 9 AND 16; 8 AND 17; AND NORTH HALF OF THE ROAD BETWEEN SECTIONS 18 AND 17. FRASER TOWNSHIP.			
05/15/2007	CF-11376	SANDERS	DRAIN PLUG ON TANK SUMP WORKED FREE.	8-10 GALLONS OF TREFLAN TANKMIX.		GRAVEL ROAD ONE MILE SOUTH OF TRUMAN THEN 2 MILES EAST.			
10/06/2007	CF-11566	NUWAY COOP	DRY FERTILIZER TENDER TRUCK TIP OVER.	16 TON DRY FERTILIZER ON TRUCK. 1 TON SPILL TO DITCH.		INTERSECTION OF 50TH STREET AND STATE HIGHWAY 4.			
11/01/2007	CF-11585	WATONWAN FARM SERVICE CO	NURSE TANK UNHOOKED AND ROOLED INTO DITCH. NEARLY FULL. VAPOR VALVE CAME OPEN.	5 GALLONS OF ANHDROUS AMMONIA VAPOR.		COUNTY ROAD 52 AND 240TH STREET.			
//	CF-11627	C M C HEARTLAND PARTNERS	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-11628	C M C HEARTLAND PARTNERS	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-11629	C M C HEARTLAND PARTNERS	ABANDONED SITE						
12/04/1979	FY791021	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	SMALL HOLES IN TANK	47 TONS; 7-21-7		1.5 MILES NE OF GRANADA			
10/14/1980	FY801043	MIDLAND COOP ASSN	LIASSO 4E SPILL	270 GALLON LIASSO 4E	FAIRMONT	AT FACILITY	FAIRMONT	102N	30W
06/01/1982	FY821083	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	TANK RINSALE	RINSALE	TRUMAN	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	WESTFORD	104N	30W 09
05/09/1983	FY831056	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	PLUG ROTTING OUT OF A TRUCK - MOUNTED TANK	450 GALLONS OF LIASSO	TRUMAN	AT TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	WESTFORD	104N	30W 09
05/19/1983	FY831065	NA CHURS FERTILIZER CO	VANDALS CUT HOSE ON SITE GAUGE OF STORAGE TANK	1,000 GALLONS - 9-18-9-1, 300 GALLONS 3-18-18-1	FAIRMONT	905 WINNEBAGO AVENUE, FAIRMONT, MINNESOTA			
05/09/1985	FY851053	HERB KRUGER FARM	F I R E	SUTAN, ERADICANE, TREFLAN		DUNNELL MN AT HERB KRUGER FARM			
05/08/1986	FY861058	WILBERT SPRAYING SERVICE	TRUCK FAILED TO YIELD TO CAR	6 TONS FERTILIZER IMPREGNATED WITH DUAL		INTERSECTION OF COUNTY ROAD 37 AND 10	TENHASSEN	101N	31W
03/16/1988	FY881031	CROPMATE CO THE	LEAK IN TANK	2000 GAL 10-34-0	TRIMONT	TRIMONT			
05/06/1988	FY881058	HOWE CHEMICAL SOIL CONTAMINATION SI	DISPOSAL	MISCELLANEOUS		GRANADA			
06/01/1988	FY881089	CHEMTURF CO	BARN FIRE	2,4-D/SPECTRACIDE/DIAZINON/20-10-10/AM MONIUM SULF		FAIRMONT; RANGE 30W, NE .25 OF SEC. 16, NW .25 SE	FAIRMONT	102N	30W 16
06/06/1988	FY88R151	TRUMAN FARMERS ELEVATOR	NON-TRIPLE RINSED CONTAINERS	OPEN CONTAINER AND UNRINSED CONTAINERS		AT FACILITY			
07/19/1988	FY89F013	CROP PRODUCTION SERVICES INC	FACILITY INSPECTION NOTED UNRINSED CONTAINERS AND RUN-OFF.		FAIRMONT	E1/2. NW1/4	SILVER LAKE	101N	30W 13
05/19/1989	FY891122	CROP PRODUCTION SERVICES INC		1200 GAL 7-21-7 FERT & 1/2# ZN/10 GAL	FAIRMONT	FAIRMONT	EAST CHAIN	101N	30W 13
05/25/1989	FY891151	TRUMAN FARMERS		30+ EMPTY 55 GAL DRUMS	GRANADA	GRANADA, MN	CENTER CREEK	103N	29W 29

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		ELEVATOR							
08/22/1989	FY90F022	CROP PRODUCTION SERVICES INC	INVESTIGATION THE RESULT OF SAMPLES FROM PONDED WATER ON FARMLAND ADJACENT TO CPS LAND.			NE1/4, NE1/4, NW1/4, R.30W.			
12/29/1989	FY90I074	ROSEN SPRAYING SERVICE	SPRINKLER FROZE AND BROKE, SPILLING WATER IN WAREHOUSE	3,000 GAL OF COLLECTION WATER CONTAINING SULPHUR, ZINC, BROOT (INSECTICIDE)	FAIRMONT	WAREHOUSE 1120 LAKE AVENUE, FAIRMONT - 2 ROWS OF PALLETS			
04/09/1990	FY90I096	NUWAY COOP	MECHANICAL FAILURE OF REAR DIFFERENTIAL	LIQUID FERTILIZER & DUAL HERBICIDE		PAVED HWY, 1 MI W OF SHERBURNE ON CO ROAD 4 & MARTIN CO 26	JAY	102N	33W 11
05/02/1990	FY90I130	CROP PRODUCTION SERVICES INC	BRAKES FAILED	100 GAL 7-21-0 LIQUID FERTILIZER		1/2 MI EAST OF EAST CHAIN, MN - FACILITY DITCH	SILVER LAKE	101N	30W 30