



**Florida Department of  
Environmental Protection  
Hazardous Waste Inspection Report**

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**FACILITY INFORMATION:**

**Facility Name:** Raider Environmental Services

**On-Site Inspection Start Date:** 11/07/2018

**On-Site Inspection End Date:** 11/07/2018

**ME ID#:** 83539

**EPA ID#:** FLR000143891

**Facility Street Address:** 4103 NW 132nd St, Opa Locka, FL 33054-4510

**Contact Mailing Address:** 4103 NW 132nd St, Opa Locka, FL 33054

**County Name:** Miami-Dade

**Contact Phone:** (305) 994-9949

**NOTIFIED AS:**

Transporter

Used Oil

VSQG

**INSPECTION TYPE:**

Complaint Inspection for Used Oil Processor facility

**INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:**

Principal Inspector: Robert Berberena, Environmental Specialist III

Other Participants: Kenton L. Brown, Environmental Consultant; Orlando Solis, Operations Manager

**LATITUDE / LONGITUDE:** Lat 25° 53' 41.924" / Long 80° 15' 51.6958"

**SIC CODE:** 4959 - Trans. & utilities - sanitary services, nec

**TYPE OF OWNERSHIP:** Private

**Introduction:**

On November 6th, 2018, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) received a complaint alleging that Raider Environmental Services (Raider) was directly discharging approximately 3,000 gallons of oily water to the sewer rather than processing it. The complaint also claimed that, "the sewer was getting backed-up with heavy bunker oil and overflowing all over the ground and that "Raider had to hire World Petroleum to come and pump all the bunker out of the backed-up sewer and then degrease the lift station #14 (PS14)". The PS14 is located at NW 132/38 Court approximately 8 miles away from Raider's facilities.

On November 7th, 2018, two representatives from the Department; Robert Berberena, Environmental Specialist III and Kenton Brown, Environmental Consultant from the Office of Emergency Response (OER), conducted a complaint inspection in order to verify the allegations against Raider.

**Notification History**

Raider's last notification was on April 9th, 2018. This facility operates under the permit 284932-006-HO & 284932-007-SO which expired on October 13, 2018. The permit is currently under renewal process by DEP (permit for used oil processing activities) and pending for approval. Raider is registered as HW and Used Oil transporters, transfer facility for Used Oil activities. This registration expires on June 30, 2019.

**Inspection History**

- > DEP inspection on August 23rd, 2018 and were found in compliance during the time of inspection.
- > DEP inspection on December 8th, 2016 and one violation of 279.43 was observed but they returned to compliance on 12/23/2016. The case was closed without enforcement (CWOE).
- > DEP inspection on March 5th, 2014. Based on the violations cited in the report, the case pursued enforcement actions against Raider. The facility had a SFCO in 2015 issued based on the 3/5/2014

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inspection findings.

### Process Description:

The inspectors arrived at Raider's Offices and were met by Orlando Solis, Operations Manager. The Department's personnel discussed with Mr. Solis a brief summary of the complaint allegations. Mr. Solis was questioned if the complaint allegations of discharge occurred at their facilities or if they dumped any materials to the sewer recently. Mr. Solis stated that the allegations were unfounded.

Inspector Berberena made a walk-through Raider's facilities and inspected the tank farm, all of the exterior of their drainage system, including but not limited to the sewer, storm water and manholes located in and around the property and did not observe any substances. Also, both DEP representatives went to PS14 and walked around the area and did not see residues of oil/bunker. The only liquid that was seen was what appeared to be rainy water on the portion of the road right on front of the Station.

At the time of the inspection, the inspectors did not see any signs of discharge or spills, or indications or any visual evidence that will confirm a release of the oily wastes into the sewer. The Department contacted the Miami-Dade County's Division of Environmental Resources Management (DERM) and was informed that DERM had hired World Petroleum Corporation (WP) to collect any materials at Pump Station #14 (PS14) located at 13200 NW 38 Ct, Opa Locka. DEP's inspectors visited the PS14 and its surroundings as well as some streets nearby before visiting Raider's facilities. The inspectors contacted WP and DERM. Mr. Berberena called WP and spoke with one of their representatives, Miss Andrea Miranda who confirmed that they were in charge of the cleanup and they pumped-up 4,000 gallons of oily waters through the manhole of PS14 and the sewer. Documentation of the clean up and disposal records were provided by WP to the Department.

Although the inspectors did not observe evidence of discharges of oil/bunker or spills, the Department became aware that DERM have an open investigation about the discharge through the sewer leading to PS14.

### PHOTO ATTACHMENTS:

RES Inlet Grate



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RES Pump Station



RES StormWater



RES-Storm water



RES Manhole



RES outside pump station



Raider PS-outside





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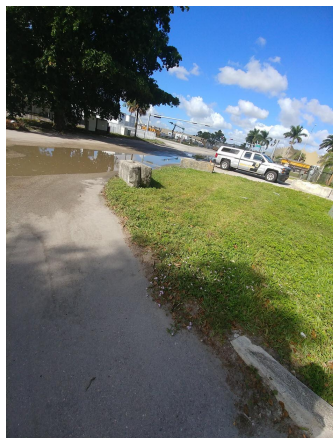
Raider-Storm water system



RES



Raider-Front road with water



### Conclusion:

After conducting a visual inspection to Pump Station #14, the surrounding streets and Raider's premises, no evidence of discharge were observed at the time of inspection. However, the discharge of 4,000 gallons of oily waste was confirmed by DERM representatives on December 12, 2017 and therefore is currently investigating the source of the discharge and any potential responsible party.

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**1.0 - Pre-Inspection Checklist****Requirements:**

The requirements listed in this section provide an opportunity for the Department's inspector to indicate the conditions found at the time of the inspection. A "Not Ok" response to a requirement indicates either a potential violation of the corresponding rule or an area of concern that requires more attention. Both potential violations and areas of concern are discussed further at the end of this inspection report.

**Note: Checklist items with shaded boxes are for informational purposes only.**

Item No.	Pre-Inspection Review	Yes	No	N/A
1.1	Has the facility notified with correct status? 262.18(a)	✓		
1.2	Has the facility notified of change of status? 62-730.150(2)(b)	✓		
1.3	Did the facility conduct a waste determination on all wastes generated? 262.11	✓		


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**Signed:**

A hazardous waste compliance inspection was conducted on this date, to determine your facility's compliance with applicable portions of Chapters 403 & 376, F.S., and Chapters 62-710, 62-730, 62-737, & 62 -740 Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). Portions of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) 260 - 279 have been adopted by reference in the state rules under Chapters 62-730 and 62-710, F.A.C.

Robert Berberena

Environmental Specialist III

**Principal Inspector Name****Principal Inspector Title**

DEP

12/02/2018

**Principal Inspector Signature****Organization****Date**

Kenton L. Brown

Environmental Consultant

**Inspector Name****Inspector Title**

DEP

**Organization**

Orlando Solis

Operations Manager

**Representative Name****Representative Title**

Raider Environmental Services

**Organization**

NOTE: By signing this document, the Site Representative only acknowledges receipt of this Inspection Report and is not admitting to the accuracy of any of the items identified by the Department as "Potential Violations" or areas of concern.

**Report Approvers:****Approver:** Norva Blandin**Inspection Approval Date:** 12/02/2018