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### **Subject: First Quarter 2023 Financial Statements**

Greenfield Environmental Multistate Trust, LLC, Trustee of the Multistate Environmental Response Trust (the Multistate Trust), hereby submits the attached financial statements for the Multistate Trust - Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi to the beneficiaries.

The attached financial statements cover the three months ended March 31, 2023 and the year ended December 31, 2022, and are submitted pursuant to the Multistate Trust's obligations under ¶6.1 of the Environmental Response Trust Agreement.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or Cindy Brooks with any questions pertaining to the attached.

Sincerely,

Greenfield Environmental Multistate Trust, LLC Trustee of the Multistate Environmental Response Trust By: Greenfield Environmental Trust Group, Inc., Member

Name: Jennifer Roberts, CPA
Title: Director of Financial Affairs

Jen Roberts, CPA

Enclosure

cc: Cynthia Brooks



## **Accountant's Compilation Report**

To the Trustees and Beneficiaries
Greenfield Environmental Multistate Trust Group LLC
Trustee for the Multistate Environmental Response Trust (Multistate Trust)

Site: Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi

The Trustees are responsible for the accompanying special purpose financial statements of the Multistate Trust Site, which comprise the statements of net trust assets as of March 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022, and the related statements of changes in net trust assets for the three months ended March 31, 2023 and the year ended December 31, 2022 and for determining that the special purpose basis of accounting is an acceptable financial reporting framework. We have performed the compilation engagements in accordance with *Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services* promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by the trustees. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the special purpose basis of accounting in accordance with the requirements of the Trust's obligations under ¶6.1 of the Environmental Response Trust Agreement, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Management has elected to omit substantially all the disclosures ordinarily included in financial statements prepared in accordance with the prescribed format basis of accounting. If the omitted disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the Trust's assets, liabilities, net trust assets, additions, and deductions. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

### **Supplementary Information**

The Schedules of Budget to Actual, the Quarterly Investment Presentation and the 12 Year Activity Summary Report supplementary information are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the special purpose financial statements. This information is the representation of the trustees. The information was subject to our compilation engagements; however, we have not audited or reviewed the supplementary information and, accordingly, do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on such supplementary information.

We are not independent with respect to Multistate Environmental Response Trust.

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### **Multistate Environmental Response Trust**

### Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi -Environmental Cost Account (ECA)

#### **Statements of Net Trust Assets**

### As of March 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022

	 Narch 31, 2023	De	cember 31, 2022
Assets	_		_
Cash	\$ 88,068.83	\$	144,909.29
Investments	19,523,893.02		19,294,826.74
Total Assets	\$ 19,611,961.85	\$	19,439,736.03
Liabilities			
Accounts Payable	\$ 41,914.31	\$	43,069.13
Due to Other Funds	-		250.33
Total Liabilities	 41,914.31		43,319.46
Net Trust Assets, Meridian ECA	19,570,047.54		19,396,416.57
Total Liabilities & Net Trust Assets	\$ 19,611,961.85	\$	19,439,736.03

# Statements of Changes in Net Trust Assets For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2023 and the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2023	Year Ended December 31, 2022
Deductions from Net Trust Assets:		
A - Regulatory Compliance/ O&M	\$ 5,214.21	\$ 97,432.59
C - New Environmental Actions	29,103.49	294,520.50
D - Technical Team/Management	9,885.75	70,824.67
E - Project Fees & Expenses	2,126.25	4,961.25
F - Regulator Oversight Costs	-	-
G - Legal & Accounting Costs	7,241.75	36,493.50
Total Deductions from Net Trust Assets	53,571.45	504,232.51
Additions to Net Trust Assets:		
I - Lease & Property Use	3,850.00	3,850.00
Investment income, net of expenses	110,751.66	152,570.18
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	112,600.76	(269,027.21)
<b>Total Additions to Net Trust Assets</b>	227,202.42	(112,607.03)
Change in Net Trust Assets	173,630.97	(616,839.54)
Net Trust Assets, Meridian ECA Beginning	19,396,416.57	20,013,256.11
Net Trust Assets, Meridian ECA Ending	\$ 19,570,047.54	\$ 19,396,416.57
Anadarko Settlement Funding, 2015 & 2016 Original Amount Funded, 2011		\$ 22,657,150.70 \$ 1,298,956.00

### **Multistate Environmental Response Trust**

### Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi -Environmental Cost Account (ECA) Schedule of Budget to Actual

	First Quarter Ended March 31, 2023			e Months Ended arch 31, 2023	Annual Budget			Variance	% of Budget			
Deductions from Net Trust Assets:												
A - Regulatory Compliance/ O&M	\$	5,214.21	\$	5,214.21	\$	160,000.00	\$	(154,785.79)	3.3%			
C - New Environmental Actions		29,103.49		29,103.49		975,000.00		(945,896.51)	3.0%			
D - Technical Team/Management		9,885.75		9,885.75		180,000.00		(170,114.25)	5.5%			
E - Project Fees & Expenses		2,126.25		2,126.25		21,000.00		(18,873.75)	10.1%			
F - Regulator Oversight Costs		-		-		50,000.00		(50,000.00)	0.0%			
G - Legal & Accounting Costs		7,241.75		7,241.75		53,000.00		(45,758.25)	13.7%			
Total Deductions from Net Trust Assets	53,571.45		53,571.45			53,571.45		1,439,000.00		(1,385,428.55)	3.7%	
Additions to Net Trust Assets:												
I - Lease & Property Use		3,850.00		3,850.00		-		3,850.00				
Investment income, net of expenses		110,751.66		110,751.66		-		110,751.66				
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	112,600.76			112,600.76		-		112,600.76				
<b>Total Additions to Net Trust Assets</b>	227,202.42			227,202.42	2.42			227,202.42				
Change in Net Trust Assets	\$ 173,630.97		\$	173,630.97	\$	(1,439,000.00)	\$	1,612,630.97				

### **Multistate Environmental Response Trust**

### Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi -Environmental Cost Account (ECA) Schedule of Budget to Actual

		Year Ended ember 31, 2022	Ar	nnual Budget		% of Budget	
Deductions from Net Trust Assets:							
A - Regulatory Compliance/ O&M	\$	97,432.59	\$	165,000.00	\$	(67,567.41)	59.1%
C - New Environmental Actions		294,520.50		508,000.00		(213,479.50)	58.0%
D - Technical Team/Management		70,824.67		165,000.00		(94,175.33)	42.9%
E - Project Fees & Expenses	4,961.25			20,000.00		(15,038.75)	24.8%
F - Regulator Oversight Costs		-		50,000.00		(50,000.00)	0.0%
G - Legal & Accounting Costs		36,493.50		45,000.00		(8,506.50)	81.1%
Total Deductions from Net Trust Assets		504,232.51		953,000.00	(448,767.49		52.9%
Additions to Net Trust Assets:							
I - Lease & Property Use		3,850.00		-		3,850.00	
Investment income, net of expenses		152,570.18		-		152,570.18	
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments		(269,027.21)		-		(269,027.21)	
<b>Total Additions to Net Trust Assets</b>	(112,607.03)			=		(112,607.03)	
Change in Net Trust Assets	\$	(616,839.54)	\$	(953,000.00)	\$	336,160.46	

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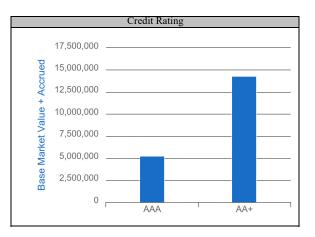
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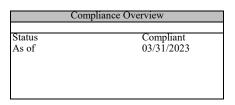
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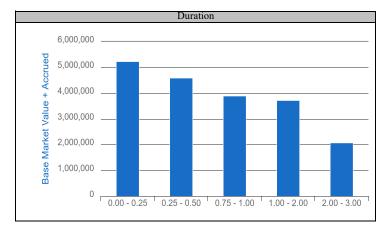
Cash and Fixed Income Summary											
Risk Metric	Market Value										
Cash	20,014										
Treasury MMFund	5,209,907										
Fixed Income	14,293,972										
Total Portfolio	\$ 19,523,893										
Duration	0.805										
Years to Final Maturity	0.836										
Yield	4.507										
Avg Credit Rating	AA+/Aa1/AA+										
<b>Total Interest Income</b>	\$ 112,616										

Base Ex	xposure - Market Sector
MMFUND (26.685%)	US GOV (73.213%)
	Chart calculated by: Base Market Value + Accrued



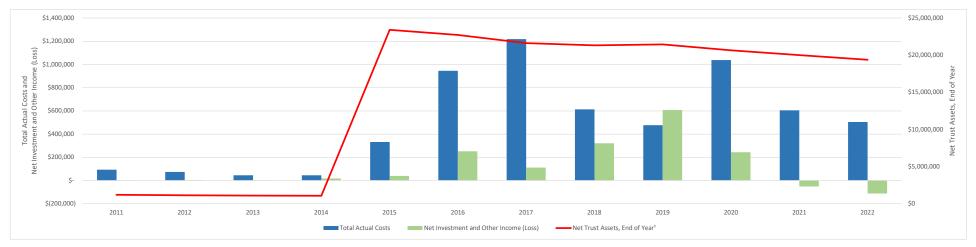
Issuer Concentration										
Issuer Concentration	Market Value									
United States Treasury	73.2%									
Treasury MMFund	26.7%									
Cash	0.1%									
Total Portfolio	100.0%									





- 1: \* Grouped by: Issuer Concentration 2: \* Groups Sorted by: % of Base Market Value + Accrued

# Former Kerr-McGee/Tronox Chemical Corp Site in Meridian, Mississippi - Environmental Cost Account (ECA) 12 Year Activity Summary (2011 to 2022)



	Summary of Activity											
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Total 2011 - 2022	
Initial and Anadarko Funding (Distributions)	\$0	\$0	\$22,633,611	\$23,540	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$23,956,107	
Net Investment and Other Income (Loss)	(\$50)	\$17,655	\$39,287	\$251,616	\$111,791	\$321,138	\$607,474	\$243,859	(\$51,356)	(\$112,607)	\$1,432,900	
Total Actual Costs	\$45,316	\$45,779	\$332,174	\$945,520	\$1,218,859	\$613,469	\$476,221	\$1,038,000	\$605,141	\$504,233	\$5,992,590	
Net Trust Assets, End of Year <sup>1</sup>	\$1,089,804	\$1,061,680	\$23,402,404	\$22,732,041	\$21,624,973	\$21,332,642	\$21,463,894	\$20,669,753	\$20,013,256	\$19,396,417	\$19,396,417	
Total Approved Budget <sup>2</sup>	\$360,000	\$360,000	\$1,445,064	\$1,564,000	\$2,533,500	\$3,871,500	\$1,567,000	\$1,839,000	\$1,604,000	\$953,000	\$16,286,464	

		Cost Center Detail																				
Line Item Cost Centers	20	13	20	14	20	15	20	16	20	17	20	18	20	19	20	20	202	21	202	22	TOTAL 20	11 - 2022
Line item cost centers	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved	Actual Costs	Approved
	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget	Actual Costs	Budget
A - Regulatory Compliance/O&M	\$27,587	\$45,000	\$24,447	\$45,000	\$17,410	\$45,000	\$146,244	\$314,500	\$283,959	\$347,500	\$93,979	\$148,500	\$84,519	\$129,500	\$115,788	\$170,000	\$156,676	\$195,000	\$97,433	\$165,000	\$1,123,777	\$1,695,400
C - New Environmental Actions	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	\$250,000	\$272,660	\$941,000	\$728,034	\$931,500	\$884,554	\$1,833,000	\$453,964	\$3,444,000	\$256,479	\$1,109,500	\$819,138	\$1,280,000	\$364,140	\$1,106,000	\$294,521	\$508,000	\$4,081,398	\$11,663,000
D - Technical Team/Project Management	\$0	\$0	\$13,728	\$50,000	\$30,851	\$321,064	\$51,694	\$202,000	\$29,878	\$191,000	\$32,324	\$129,000	\$104,114	\$177,000	\$65,416	\$240,000	\$61,238	\$151,000	\$70,825	\$165,000	\$490,692	\$1,658,064
E - Trustee Fees	\$17,729	\$60,000	\$7,604	\$10,000	\$8,970	\$83,000	\$2,565	\$54,000	\$3,466	\$39,000	\$2,456	\$27,000	\$1,418	\$27,000	\$2,698	\$21,000	\$0	\$22,000	\$4,961	\$20,000	\$103,476	\$418,000
F - Regulator Oversight Costs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$880	\$50,000	\$7,880	\$50,000	\$4,514	\$50,000	\$9,313	\$50,000	\$13,693	\$50,000	\$17,069	\$50,000	\$9,336	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	\$62,685	\$400,000
G - Legal and Accounting Fees	\$0	\$5,000	\$0	\$5,000	\$1,403	\$5,000	\$9,103	\$12,000	\$12,487	\$73,000	\$21,432	\$73,000	\$16,000	\$74,000	\$17,892	\$78,000	\$13,752	\$80,000	\$36,494	\$45,000	\$130,563	\$452,000
Total	\$45,316	\$360,000	\$45,779	\$360,000	\$332,174	\$1,445,064	\$945,520	\$1,564,000	\$1,218,859	\$2,533,500	\$613,469	\$3,871,500	\$476,221	\$1,567,000	\$1,038,000	\$1,839,000	\$605,141	\$1,604,000	\$504,233	\$953,000	\$5,992,590	\$16,286,464

	Summary of Activity						
	20	11	20	12			
Initial and Anadarko Funding (Distributions)	\$1,29	8,956	\$	0			
Net Investment and Other Income (Loss)	\$1	07	\$3,9	984			
Total Actual Costs	\$94,	.043	\$73,	,835			
Net Trust Assets, End of Year <sup>1</sup>	\$1,20	5,021	\$1,13	5,170			
Total Approved Budget <sup>2</sup>	\$96,	900	\$92,	\$92,500			
	Cost Center Detail						
	20		2012				
Line Item Cost Centers							
	Actual	Approved	Actual	Approved			
	Costs	Budget	Costs	Budget			
A - Regulatory Compliance/O&M	\$40,336	\$40,900	\$35,399	\$49,500			
C - New Environmental Actions	\$0	\$0	\$7,909	\$10,000			
D - Technical Team/Project Management	\$30,624	\$32,000	\$0	\$0			
E - Trustee Fees	\$21,083	\$22,000	\$30,526	\$33,000			
F - Regulator Oversight Costs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
G - Legal and Accounting Fees	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$0	\$0			
Total	\$94,043	\$96,900	\$73,835	\$92,500			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Net Trust Assets, End of Year for 2011 = Initial and Anadarko Funding (Distributions) + Net Investment and Other Income (Loss) - Total Actual Costs. Net Trust Assets, End of Year for 2012 through 2022 = prior year Net Trust Assets, End of Year + Initial and Anadarko Funding (Distributions) + Net Investment and Other Income (Loss) - Total Actual Costs.

Actual Costs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Total Approved Budget is presented for informational purposes only.