

OMAHA - Congressman Terry made the following comment today about the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) grant for Creighton University to clean up a brownfield site in north downtown Omaha . The \$200,000 grant -- the maximum clean up award possible for a site -- is designated for the former Moreco building on Webster Street, where metal from the former plating company has contaminated the site and needs to be cleaned up before redevelopment can occur.

"I am pleased that these funds will go toward redevelopment of this area for the betterment of Omaha ," Terry said. "Clean up of toxic or hazardous substances is a serious concern for any community with a brownfield site. I am a great supporter of economic development and am pleased that the award will help with cleaning up our environment."

Congressman Terry announced that the EPA will formally award Creighton University:

Thursday, May 17, 2007

9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Former Moreco Plating Company Site

1608 Webster Street, Omaha

