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August 10, 1989

Rafat Shahid  
Alameda County Environmental Health Department  
80 Swan Way #200  
Oakland, California 94621


Re: Former Chevron Facility #94612  
San Leandro Street at 37th  
Oakland, California

Dear Mr. Shahid:

Enclosed are the results of the quarterly ground water sampling conducted by Weiss Associates at the above-referenced site. As indicated in the report, the water sample was analyzed for total purgeable petroleum hydrocarbons (TPPH) and aromatic hydrocarbons. The water sample from well VH-1 contained TPPH at 15,000 parts per billion (ppb), benzene at 2,200 ppb, ethylbenzene at 540 ppb, toluene at 120 ppb, and xylenes at 310 ppb. Chevron will continue to monitor the ground water beneath the site on a quarterly basis. If you have any questions or comments, please contact John Randall at (415) 842-9625.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information contained in the attached report is true and correct, and that any recommended actions are appropriate under the circumstances, to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,  
D. Moller

By   
John Randall  
Engineer

JMR/wa  
Enclosure

cc: Don Dalke, Regional Water Quality Control Board, 1111 Jackson Street,  
Oakland, California 94607

Mark Lindquist, 1600 Broadway, Suite 280, Oakland, California 94612



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July 6, 1989

Lisa Marinaro  
Chevron USA  
P.O. Box 5004  
San Ramon, CA 94583-0804

Re: Former Chevron Service Station #94612  
San Leandro Street at 37th  
Oakland, California  
WA Job #4-438-01

Dear Ms. Marinaro:

Weiss Associates (WA) collected a ground water sample from one monitoring well on June 1, 1989 as part of the quarterly ground water monitoring program at former Chevron Service Station #94612 in Oakland, California (Figures 1 and 2). The ground water sample from monitoring well VH-1 contained benzene above the California Department of Health Services (DHS) maximum contaminant level (MCL) for drinking water as well as toluene above the DHS recommended action level for drinking water.

#### GROUND WATER SAMPLING

Scott MacLeod, WA geologist, collected a ground water sample from monitoring well VH-1 on June 1, 1989. Prior to sampling, the well was purged of at least four well-casing volumes of ground water, approximately 50 gallons, using a steam-cleaned bladder pump. The ground water sample was pumped into a 40 ml glass volatile organic analysis vial (VOA) with a Teflon septum, preserved with sodium bisulfate, and refrigerated for transport to Superior Analytical Laboratory, Inc. of San Francisco, California. To reduce the possibility of sample contamination during transport or storage, the sample was sealed within a plastic guard bottle containing granular activated carbon. The water sample collection records and chain of custody forms are included as Attachments A and B, respectively.

A travel blank of certified organic-free distilled water, supplied by the laboratory, accompanied the sample to provide assurance that contamination was not introduced during sample bottle transport or sample storage.

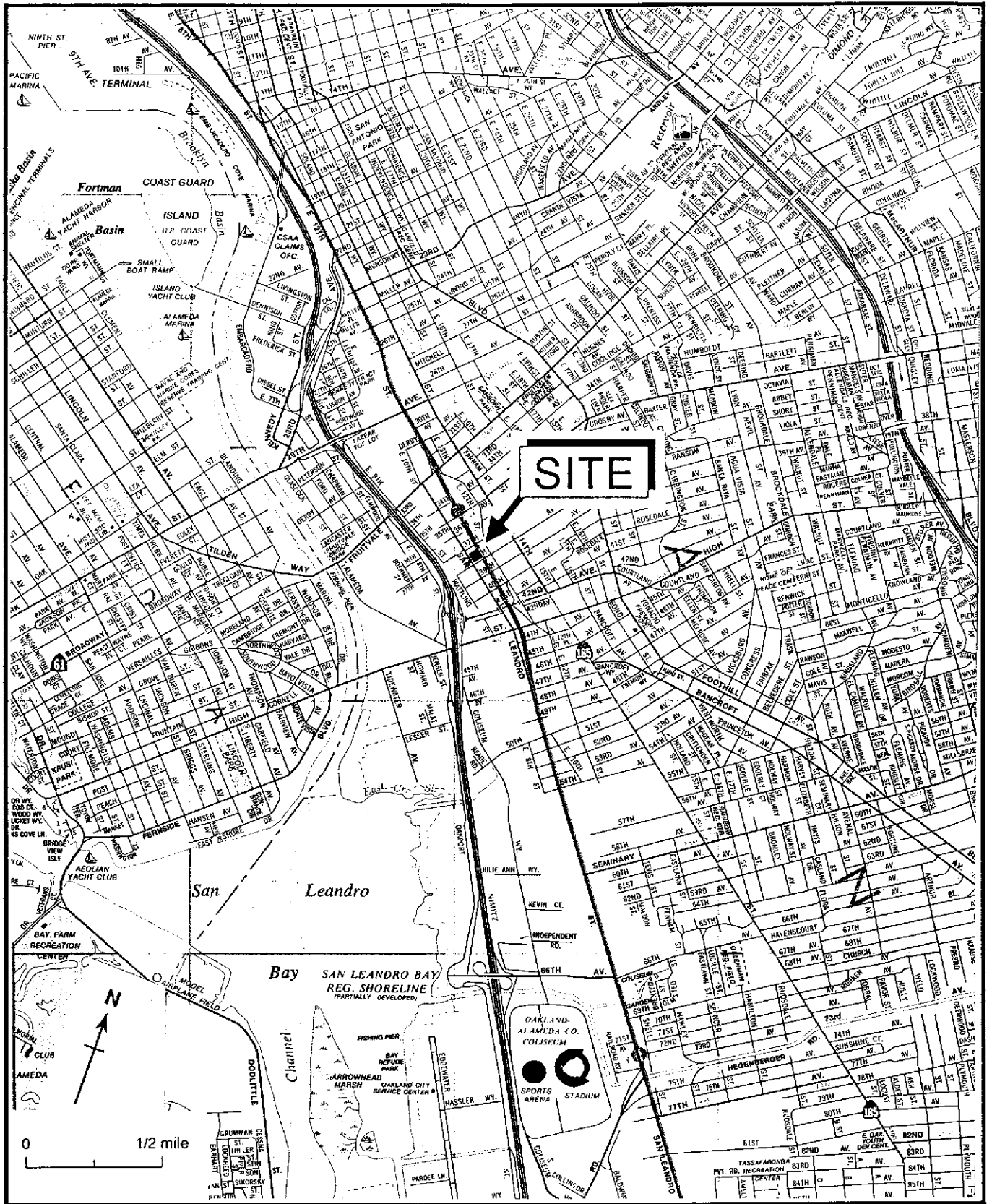


Figure 1. Site Location Map - Chevron Service Station #94612, Oakland, California

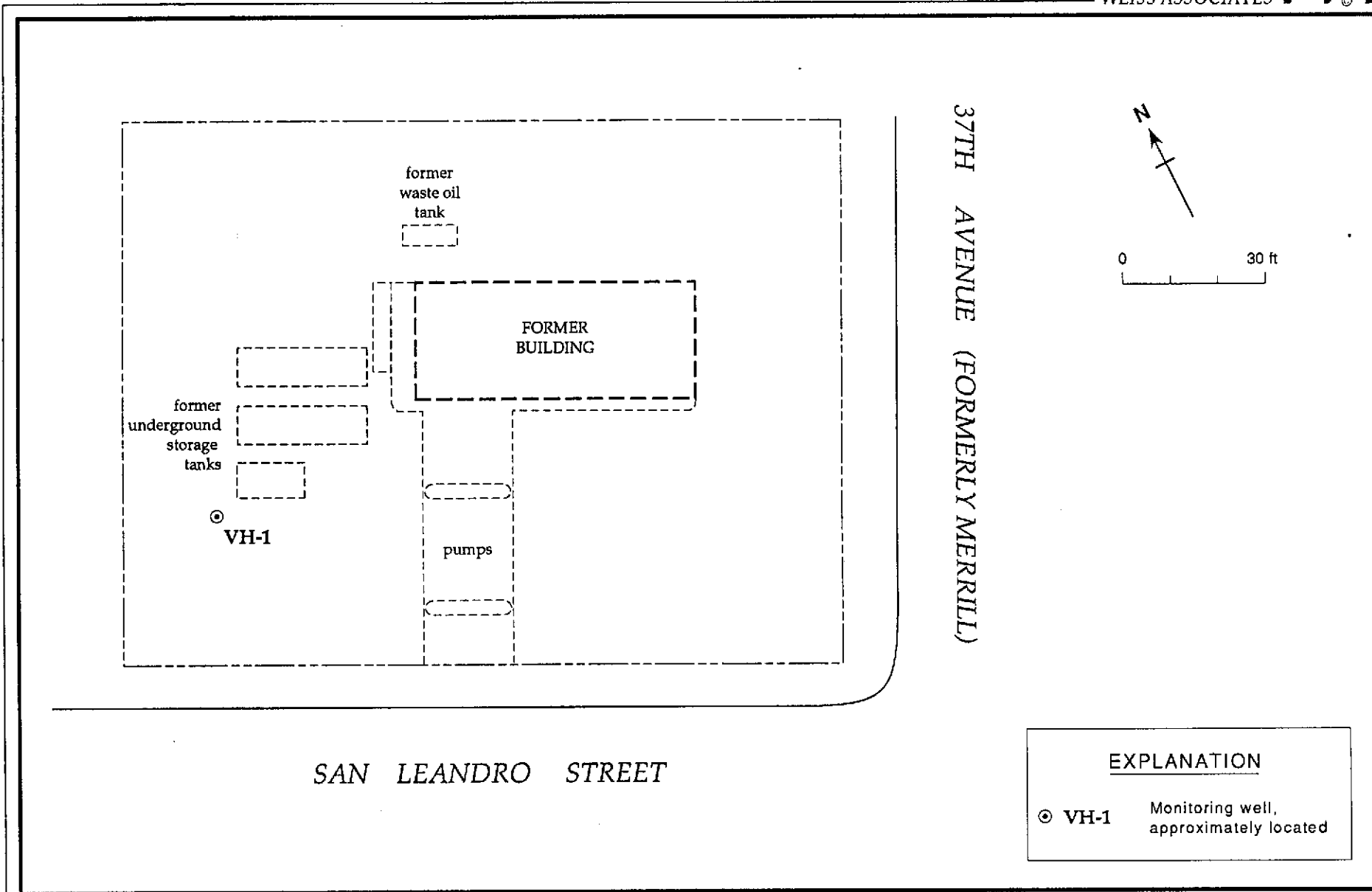


Figure 2. Monitoring Well Location - Former Chevron Service Station #94612, Oakland, California

Ms. Lisa Marinaro  
July 6, 1989

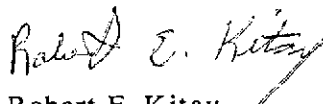
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**CHEMICAL ANALYSES**

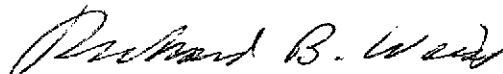
The water sample was analyzed for total purgable petroleum hydrocarbons (TPPH) by modified EPA Method 8015 and for benzene, ethylbenzene, toluene and xylenes (BETX) by EPA Method 602. The results of the water analysis are presented in Table 1 and the analytic report is included as Attachment C. Analytic results for this sampling are generally consistent with results from the previous sampling in August 1988.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide hydrogeologic consulting services to Chevron and trust that this report meets your needs. If you have any questions, please call Sharon Halper.

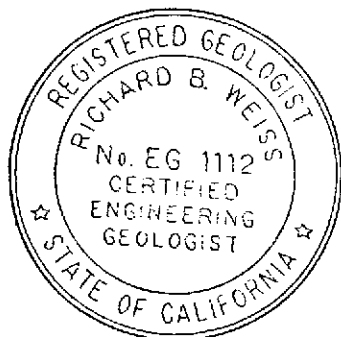
Sincerely,  
Weiss Associates



Robert E. Kitay  
Staff Geologist



Richard B. Weiss  
Principal Hydrogeologist



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- Attachments: A - Water Sample Collection Records  
B - Chain of Custody  
C - Analytic Report

TABLE 1. Analytic Results for Ground Water - Former Chevron Service Station #94612, Oakland, California

Sample ID	Date Sampled	Analytic Lab	Analytic Method	TPPH	B	E	T	X	TL	C
				-----parts per billion----->						
VH-1	8-10-88	CCAS	524.2/8240/7421/407	11,000	3,300	520	200	540	43	43,000
	6-01-89	SUP	8015/602	15,000	2,200	540	120	310	---	---
Travel Blank	6-01-89	SUP	8015/602	<500	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	---	---
DHS MCLs		-	-	NAL	1	620	100**	1,750	NAL	NAL

Abbreviations:

TPPH = Total Purgable Petroleum Hydrocarbons  
 B = Benzene  
 E = Ethylbenzene  
 T = Toluene  
 X = Xylenes  
 C = Chloride  
 TL = Total Lead  
 --- = Not Analyzed  
 DHS MCLs = Department of Health Services  
 maximum contaminant levels for drinking water  
 \*\* = DHS recommended action level for drinking water  
 NAL = No action level has been established by DHS

*(gasoline)*

Analytic Laboratory:

CCAS = Central Coast Analytical Services of Goleta, California  
 SUP = Superior Analytical Laboratory of San Francisco, California

Analytic Methods:

8015 = Modified EPA Method 8015, TPPH  
 602 = EPA Method 602, Aromatic Volatile Hydrocarbons  
 524.2/8240 = Fuel Fingerprint Analysis - EPA Method 524.2/8240,  
 Total Fuel and Aromatic Volatile Hydrocarbons  
 7421 = EPA Method 7421, Total Lead  
 407 = American Public Health Association Standard Method 407,  
 Chloride



**WATER SAMPLING DATA** Well Name 25/3W 8E80 Date 6-1-87 Time 9:32  
 Job Name/Number Chemical Oakland III 4-438-01 Initials NSM  
 Well  Spring  Surface  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Location Inside Restroom  
 WELL DATA: Well type M (Describe; M = monitoring well)

Depth to Water 10.32 ft (pump/stat) Maximum Drawdown Limit (MDL) \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 Well depth 28.54 + .11 ft (sounded) Well depth \_\_\_\_\_ ft (spec)  
 Well diameter 4 in. TOC height above ground \_\_\_\_\_ ft Water elev. \_\_\_\_\_ ft

Volume Evacuated:	Pumped	Pumped	Bailed
Time: Stop	<u>9:32</u>		
Start	<u>8:50</u>		
Total hrs/min	<u>:42</u>		
Total Evacuated	<u>50</u> gal.		
Evacuation Rate	<u>1.2</u> gpm		

**Formulas/Conversions**  
 r = well radius in ft  
 h = ht of water col in ft  
 vol. in cyl. =  $\pi r^2 h$   
 7.48 gal/ft<sup>3</sup>  
 V<sub>2</sub>" casing = 0.163 gal/ft  
 V<sub>3</sub>" casing = 0.367 gal/ft  
 V<sub>4</sub>" casing = 0.653 gal/ft  
 V<sub>4.5</sub>" casing = 0.826 gal/ft  
 V<sub>6</sub>" casing = 1.47 gal/ft  
 V<sub>8</sub>" casing = 2.61 gal/ft

Pump # and type WAISW #D Bailer # and type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hose # and type Non-skein cleaned polyethylene

Sampling Port: Rate \_\_\_\_\_ gpm Volume \_\_\_\_\_ gal.  
 Location/description \_\_\_\_\_

Initial height of water in casing = 18.33 ft; volume = 11.97 gal.  $\times 4$   
 Evacuation at drawdown limit = 3 x initial volume = \_\_\_\_\_ gal.  
 Evacuation at sampling point = 1 x initial volume = \_\_\_\_\_ gal.  
 Total to be evacuated = 47.9 gal.

Water Color: None Odor: Gasoline  
 Description of sediment and/or foreign matter in sample: None

Point of collection: end of polyethylene hose  
 Depth to water during pumping \_\_\_\_\_ ft — time Sampling 11.07 ft 9:34 time  
 Pumped dry? NO After \_\_\_\_\_ gal. Recovery rate \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDITIONAL COMMENTS, LOCATION SKETCH, ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS, e.g., weather, van running nearby, problems with equipment or sampling, etc., pump on/off times, etc. (over). Soft well bottom

**CHEMICAL DATA** on tank  
 Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °C Thermometer # \_\_\_\_\_ Specific Conductance \_\_\_\_\_ umhos  
 pH \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration  4.0,  7.0,  10.0 Calibration Temp. 20.0 °C

**SAMPLES COLLECTED:**

Sample ID No.	Bottle/Cap (Specify)	Filtered (size, u) (N = No)	Preservative (specify) (R = Refrigerated)	Analysis	Lab
(2) 069438-1	40 ml C/V	N	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> R	1,2-BETX	Superior
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Bottles: P = Polyethylene; Pp = Polypropylene; C or B = Clear/Brown Glass; O = Other (describe)  
 Additional Cap Codes: Py = Polyseal; V = VOA/Teflon septa; M = Metal





# 10020

SEND RESULTS TO: Sharon Halper

WA Personnel: Be sure to include copy of this form in the field sampling files

Project ID: 4-438-01

CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY RECORD AND ANALYTIC INSTRUCTIONS

Shuttle Inventory Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping Seal No. \_\_\_\_\_

Sampled by: NSM Laboratory Name: Superior

NOTES TO LAB:

- 1) Specify analytic method and detection limit in report.
- 2) Notify us if there are any anomalous peaks on GC or other scans.
- 3) ANY QUESTIONS/CLARIFICATIONS: CALL US.

No. of Con-tainers	Sample ID	Sampling Date	Container Type <sup>A</sup>	Sample/Analyze/ Hold <sup>B</sup>	Turn-around <sup>C</sup>	Analyze For:	Analytic Method/ Detection Limit	Comments
2	069438-1	6-1-89	W/VOL	A	N	GC + BETX	—	No HSO <sub>4</sub> pres.
2	069438-21	"	"	A	N	"	—	No pres

1 S. Yacobi 6-1-89 Released by (Signature), Date  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Received by (Signature), Date  
 3 Dr. [Signature] 6/2/89 Released by (Signature), Date  
 4 Michael De [Signature] 6/2/89 Shipping Carrier, Method, Date  
 5 [Signature] 6-2-89 Released by (Signature), Date  
 6 Clairie [Signature] Received by Lab Personnel, Date, Telephone  
 x \_\_\_\_\_ Seal Intact?, Number

A Sample Type Codes: W = Water, S = Soil, O = Other (Specify) Container Type Codes: P = Plastic bottles, G = Glass bottle, T = Brass tube, O = Other (Specify)  
 B Analyze/Hold: A = Analyze; HOLD (spell out) = DO NOT ANALYZE UNLESS NECESSARY OR REQUESTED.  
 C N = Normal Turnaround, F = 1-Week Turnaround, R = 24-hour Turnaround

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C E R T I F I C A T E   O F   A N A L Y S I S

LABORATORY NO.: 10020  
CLIENT: Weiss Associates

DATE RECEIVED: 06-02-89  
DATE REPORTED: 06-06-89  
JOB NO.: 4-438-01

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Laboratory Number	Customer	Sample Identification	Date Sampled
10020-1		069438-1	6-1-89
10020-2		069438-21	6-1-89

Laboratory Number:            1            2

ANALYTE LIST	Amounts/Quantitation Limits (ug/L)	
OIL AND GREASE:	NA	NA
TPH/GASOLINE RANGE:	15000	ND<500
TPH/DIESEL RANGE:	NA	NA
BENZENE:	2200	ND<0.5
TOLUENE:	120	ND<0.5
ETHYL BENZENE:	540	ND<0.5
XYLENES:	310	ND<0.5

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ANALYSIS FOR TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS  
Diesel by Modified EPA SW-846 Method 8015  
Gasoline by Purge and Trap: EPA Method 8015/5030  
ANALYSIS FOR BENZENE, TOLUENE, ETHYL BENZENE & XYLENES  
by EPA SW-846 Methods 5030 and 8020

Page 2 of 2  
QA/QC INFORMATION  
SET: 10020

NA = ANALYSIS NOT REQUESTED  
ND = ANALYTE NOT DETECTED ABOVE QUANTITATION LIMIT

ug/L = part per billion (ppb)

OIL AND GREASE ANALYSIS By Standard Methods Method 503E:  
Duplicate RPD= NA.  
Minimum Detection limit in Water: 5000 ug/L.

Modified EPA Method 8015 for Extractable Hydrocarbons:  
Minimum Quantitation Limit for Diesel in Water: 1000 ug/L.  
Daily Standards run at 200 mg/L: RPD Diesel =NA.  
MS/MSD: Average Diesel Recovery= NA: Duplicate RPD = NA.

8015/5030 Total Purgable Petroleum Hydrocarbons  
Minimum Quantitation Limit for Gasoline in Water: 500 ug/L.  
Daily Standards run at 2 mg/L; RPD Gasoline= 5.  
MS/MSD: Average Gasoline Recovery = 92%:Duplicate RPD = 0.

8020/BTXE:  
Minimum Quantitation Limit in Water: 0.50 ug/L.  
Daily Standard run at 20 ug/L: RPD < 15.  
MS/MSD: Average Recovery = 103%: Duplicate RPD =<5.

Les Partridge, Ph.D.

  
Laboratory Manager

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