From: Wickham, Jerry, Env. Health

**Sent:** Thursday, March 05, 2009 11:56 AM

To: 'Jonas, Mark'

Cc: Syrstad, Eric; mark@borsuk.com

Subject: RE: Extension Request, Site Characterization -

Borsuk 540188, RO0000266

Mark,

Semi-annual sampling for MW-1, -2, -4, and -5 during the first and third quarters is acceptable.

Unfortunately, I don't have influence to move permits through the City of Oakland. The lead time must be factored into your schedules.

Regards,

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### Dear Jerry:

Thank you. Work is progressing on this task. If we have continued delay with respect to acquiring access, we may ask for your support. Also, the eight week TAT for the City of Oakland to review an encroachment permit is too long. Do you have any influence with the City of Oakland to turn around an encroachment permit in less than a month?

Also, the current monitoring schedule is quarterly for MW-1, MW-2, MW-4, and MW-5. MW-3 and MW-6 is sampling annually, during the first quarter. Do we have authorization to change MW-1, MW-2, MW-4, and MW-5 to semiannually (1st and 3rd quarter)?

Thank you again for your time.

Sincerely,

# Mark Jonas

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Subject: RE: Extension Request, Site Characterization - Borsuk 540188, RO0000266

Based upon your request, the schedule for submittal of a Site Investigation Report for case RO0266 is extended for a second time to June 30, 2009. Please assure that the case moves forward to meet the June 30, 2009 deadline. Long schedule delays, which result in prolonged groundwater monitoring and higher costs, are to be avoided. Based on the long history of groundwater monitoring results for the site, we request that you suspend quarterly groundwater monitoring immediately until progress is made on the site investigation.

## Regards,

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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 03, 2009 4:13 PM

To: Wickham, Jerry, Env. Health

Cc: Syrstad, Eric

Subject: Extension Request, Site Characterization - Borsuk 540188, RO0000266

#### Dear Jerry:

We are requesting an extension to June 30, 2009 to complete the site characterization and report for the Borsuk site (RO0000266), located at 1432 Harrison Street, in Oakland, California. The reasons for this extension are difficulties in acquiring permits from the City of Oakland and in acquiring approved access agreements. An additional reason is the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund's January 28, 2009 letter regarding delay in reimbursement payments. The City of Oakland best case scenario is an eight (8)

week turn around to review and approve the encroachment permit. We have initiated work on this project, having performed various pre-field activities. Work is continuing in a diligence manner.

Sincerely,

## **Mark Jonas**

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