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May 13, 1992

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Ms. Pamela Evans  
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Hazardous Materials Program  
80 Swan Way, Room 200  
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Re: Chevron Service Station No. 9-6607  
2340 Otis Drive, Alameda, California

Dear Ms. Evans :

Enclosed is the quarterly groundwater monitoring and sampling report dated May 5, 1992 for the above referenced site.

During this sampling period, samples obtained from wells, MW-1, MW-3, and MW-4, were again nondetect (ND) for total petroleum hydrocarbon as gasoline (TPH-G), benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX) while MW-2 had 180 ppb TPH-G, 9.6 ppb benzene, and 0.8 ppb ethylbenzene. Depth to water ranged from 7.12 feet to 8.07 feet.

The groundwater elevation map does not have the direction of groundwater but does have the groundwater elevations. The reason for omitting the direction of groundwater according to the consultant was the slight variation in elevation made it difficult to accurately determine the flow of groundwater.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at (510) 842-8752.

Sincerely,

Chevron U.S.A., Inc.

Kenneth Kan  
Engineer

LKAN/MacFile 9-6607R1

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Eddie So, RWQCB-San Francisco Bay Area  
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Mr. Steve Willer, Chevron U.S.A. Products Co.

May 5, 1992  
Project No. RC05003

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Mr. Ken Kan  
Chevron U.S.A. Products Company  
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2410 Camino Ramon  
San Ramon, California 94583-0804

SUBJECT: April 1992 Quarterly Ground-Water Monitoring and Sampling Report,  
Chevron Service Station #9-6607, 2340 Otis Drive, Alameda, California.

Dear Mr. Kan:

This letter presents the quarterly ground-water sampling results for the above-referenced Chevron U.S.A. Products Company (Chevron) service station. The scope of work for this project was presented to Chevron in a previous letter from Geraghty & Miller, Inc. (Geraghty & Miller) dated November 26, 1991.

### **FIELD AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES**

Ground-water monitoring was performed on April 20, 1992. Prior to sampling, depth-to-water measurements were obtained and each well was checked for the presence of liquid-phase hydrocarbons. Liquid-phase hydrocarbons were not observed during this quarterly sampling event. A minimum of three casing volumes of water was purged from each well prior to sampling, using a surface diaphragm pump. Cumulative ground-water monitoring data are presented in Table 1. All equipment that entered the wells was washed in a solution of Micro™ (a nonphosphate detergent) and water, then triple rinsed in deionized water prior to sampling each well. Following purging, ground-water samples were collected using a polyethylene disposable bailer. A new bailer was used for each well. The purged water was stored in 55-gallon drums and retained on-site for subsequent disposal by Erickson, Inc. of Richmond, California, under contract to Chevron.

Ground-water samples for laboratory analysis were placed in the appropriate United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) approved containers, placed on ice, and transported to Superior Precision Analytical, Inc., located in Martinez, California. The water samples were analyzed for total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) as gasoline (USEPA

Method 8015, modified); benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX) (USEPA Method 8020); and for oil and grease (Standard Method 503E).

## **RESULTS OF QUARTERLY SAMPLING**

### **DEPTH TO WATER**

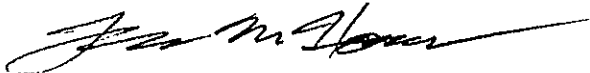
The depth-to-water measurements are presented in Table 1. The ground-water elevations are presented in Figure 1. Because the maximum difference in ground-water elevations across the site is only 0.10 foot, which indicates that the ground-water surface is relatively flat (<0.001 foot per foot) within the area of the monitoring wells, small variations in the depth to water in any one well can significantly affect the apparent direction of ground-water flow. Therefore, the ground-water surface elevation has not been contoured. Regional direction of ground-water flow is toward San Francisco Bay to the west of the site.

### **GROUND-WATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

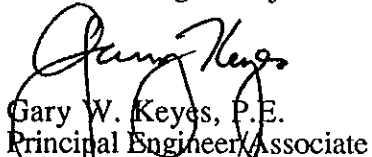
The cumulative ground-water analytical results are presented in Table 2. Copies of the certified laboratory report and chain-of-custody documentation are included in Attachment 1.

Geraghty & Miller is pleased to be of service to Chevron. If you have any questions regarding this report, please call the undersigned at (510) 233-3200.

Sincerely,  
GERAGHTY & MILLER, INC.



Thomas M. Howard  
Senior Geologist/Project Manager



Gary W. Keyes, P.E.  
Principal Engineer/Associate

- Enclosures: Table 1 Cumulative Ground-Water Monitoring Data  
Table 2 Cumulative Ground-Water Analytical Results  
Figure 1 Ground-Water Elevation Map
- Attachments: Attachment 1 Copies of Certified Analytical Report and Chain-of-Custody Documentation

**Table 1: Cumulative Ground-Water Monitoring Data**  
 Chevron Service Station #9-6607  
 2340 Otis Drive, Alameda, California.

Monitor Well	Date	TOC Elevation (feet)	DTW (feet)	DTB (feet)	Actual Purge Volume (gallons)	Water Elevation (feet)	LPH Thickness (feet)
MW-1	21-Aug-91	7.12	6.10	24.60	36	1.02	---
	9-Jan-92		3.96		42	3.16	---
	20-Apr-92		3.90		42	3.22	---
MW-2	21-Aug-91	7.43	6.40	24.90	14	1.03	---
	9-Jan-92		4.23		41	3.20	---
	20-Apr-92		4.17		41	3.26	---
MW-3	21-Aug-91	8.07	7.10	24.95	35	0.97	---
	9-Jan-92		5.03		39	3.04	---
	20-Apr-92		4.91		40	3.16	---
MW-4	21-Aug-91	7.85	6.85	20.85	12	1.00	---
	9-Jan-92		4.70		40	3.15	---
	20-Apr-92		4.64		24	3.21	---

TOC: Top of casing above mean sea level.  
 DTW: Depth to water below top of casing.  
 DTB: Depth to bottom below top of casing.  
 LPH: Liquid-phase hydrocarbons.  
 ---: No liquid-phase hydrocarbons observed.

**Table 2: Cumulative Ground-Water Analytical Results**  
 Chevron Service Station #9-6607  
 2340 Otis Drive, Alameda, California.

Monitor Well	Date	TPH as gasoline (µg/L) (a)	Benzene (µg/L) (b)	Toluene (µg/L) (b)	Ethylbenzene (µg/L) (b)	Xylenes (µg/L) (b)	Oil & Grease (µg/L) (c)
MW-1	21-Aug-91	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	NA
	9-Jan-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND (<5000)
	20-Apr-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	NA
MW-2	21-Aug-91	430	170.	0.9	1.	3.6	NA
	9-Jan-92	58(d)	16.	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND (<5000)
	20-Apr-92	180	9.6	ND(<0.5)	0.8	ND(<0.5)	NA
MW-3	21-Aug-91	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	NA
	9-Jan-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND (<5000)
	20-Apr-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	NA
MW-4	21-Aug-91	ND(<50)	0.6	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<5000)
	9-Jan-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<5000)
	20-Apr-92	ND(<50)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<0.5)	ND(<5000)

(a) Analyzed by USEPA Method 8015, modified.

(b) Analyzed by USEPA 8020.

(c) Analyzed by Standard Method 503E.

(d) Chromatogram reported as having a single peak in the gasoline range.

µg/L: Micrograms per liter.

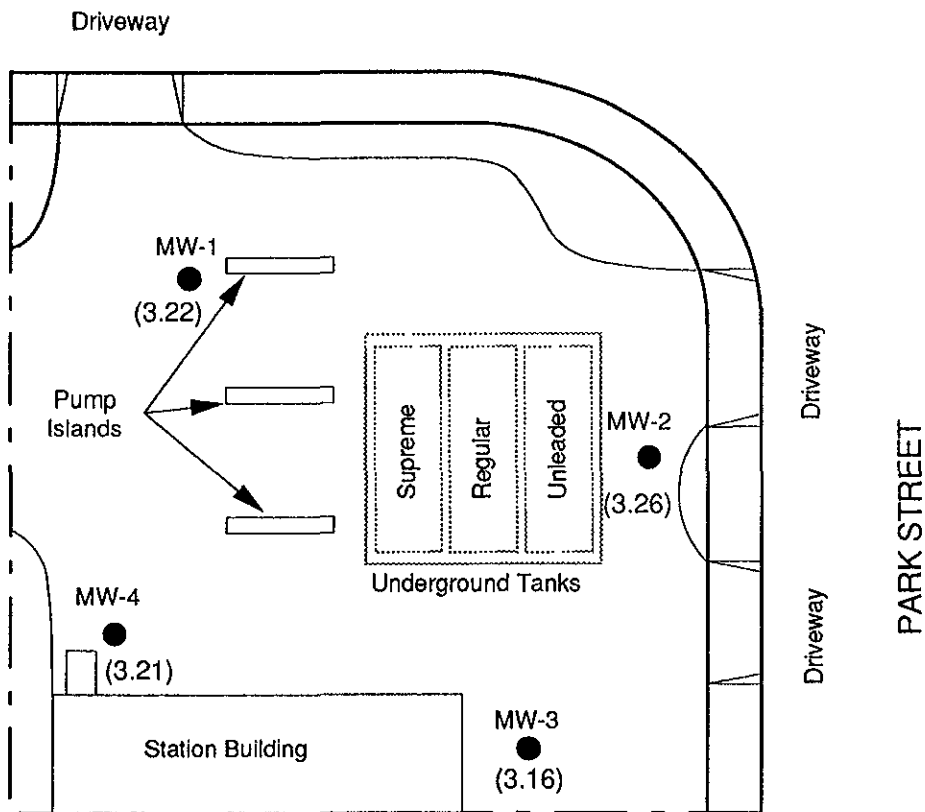
ND: Below laboratory method detection limit.

NA: Not analyzed.

Water samples analyzed by Superior Precision Analytical, Inc., Martinez, California.

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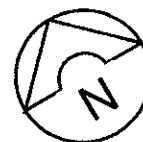


## EXPLANATION

MW-4  
 Approximate Location of Monitor Well

Property line

(3.16) Ground-water elevation in feet above mean sea level, measured on April 20, 1992. Ground-water elevations not contoured. See text for explanation.



Reference: Blaine Tech Services, Inc. Report No. 910409-J-1



Project No. RC05000

### GROUND-WATER ELEVATION MAP

Chevron Service Station #9-6607  
 2340 Otis Drive  
 Alameda, California

FIGURE

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**ATTACHMENT 1**

**COPIES OF CERTIFIED ANALYTICAL REPORT  
AND CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY DOCUMENTATION**





# Superior Precision Analytical, Inc.

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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.: 13026  
CLIENT: Geraghty & Miller Inc.  
CLIENT JOB NO.: RC05003

DATE RECEIVED: 04/21/92  
DATE REPORTED: 04/28/92

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Lab Number	Customer Sample Identification	Date Sampled	Date Analyzed
13026- 1	MW-1	04/20/92	04/22/92
13026- 2	MW-2	04/20/92	04/22/92
13026- 3	MW-3	04/20/92	04/22/92
13026- 4	MW-4	04/20/92	04/28/92

Laboratory Number:	13026 1	13026 2	13026 3	13026 4
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ANALYTE LIST	Amounts/Quantitation Limits (ug/L)			
OIL AND GREASE:	NA	NA	NA	ND<5000
TPH/GASOLINE RANGE:	ND<50	180	ND<50	ND<50
TPH/DIESEL RANGE:	NA	NA	NA	NA
BENZENE:	ND<0.5	9.6	ND<0.5	ND<0.5
TOLUENE:	ND<0.5	ND<0.5	ND<0.5	ND<0.5
ETHYL BENZENE:	ND<0.5	0.8	ND<0.5	ND<0.5
XYLENES:	ND<0.5	ND<0.5	ND<0.5	ND<0.5

Fax copy of Lat Report and COC to Chevron Contact:  Yes  No

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**Chain-of-Custody-Reco.**

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 Project Contact (Name): Kate McCutchen  
 (Phone) 510/233-3200 (Fax Number) 510/233-3204

Chevron Contact (Name): Nancy Vukelich  
 (Phone) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Laboratory Name: Superior - Martinez  
 Laboratory Release Number: 542 4780  
 Samples Collected by (Name): Rick Spencer  
 Collection Date: 4-20-92  
 Signature: Ricky Spencer

Sample Number	Lab Sample Number	Number of Containers	Matrix S = Soil W = Water A = Air C = Charcoal	Type G = Grab C = Composite D = Discrete	Time	Sample Preservation	Iod (Yes or No)	Analytes To Be Performed										Remarks			
								ETEX + TPH GAS (8020 + 8015)	TPH Oils (8015)	Oil and Grease (8020)	Purgeable Hydrocarbons (8010)	Purgeable Aromatics (8020)	Purgeable Organics (8040)	Extractable Organics (8070)	Metals Cd, Cr, Pb, Zn, Ni (NDAP or AA)						
MW-1		3	W	G	1600	HCL	YES	X													
MW-2		3	W	G	1610	HCL	YES	X													
MW-3		3	W	G	1620	HCL	YES	X													
MW-4		3	W	G	1630	HCL	YES	X	X	X											

Relinquished By (Signature): <u>Ricky Spencer</u>	Organization: <u>Out Mine</u>	Date/Time: <u>4-21-92 01100</u>	Received By (Signature): <u>R. Korn</u>	Organization: <u>EXPRESS IT</u>	Date/Time: <u>1230 4-21-92</u>	Turn Around Time (Circle Choice) 24 Hrs. 48 Hrs. 5 Days 10 Days <u>As Contracted</u>
Relinquished By (Signature):	Organization:	Date/Time:	Received By (Signature):	Organization:	Date/Time:	
Relinquished By (Signature):	Organization:	Date/Time:	Received For Laboratory By (Signature): <u>Rebecca G. Jaeger</u>	Date/Time: <u>4/21/92</u>		



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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

### ANALYSIS FOR TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS

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QA/QC INFORMATION  
SET: 13026

NA = ANALYSIS NOT REQUESTED  
ND = ANALYSIS NOT DETECTED ABOVE QUANTITATION LIMIT  
ug/L = parts per billion (ppb)

OIL AND GREASE ANALYSIS By Standard Methods Method 503E:  
Minimum Detection Limit in Water: 5000ug/L

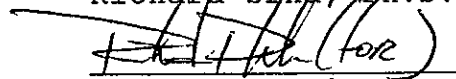
Modified EPA-SW846 Method 8015 for Extractable Hydrocarbons:  
Minimum Quantitation Limit for Diesel in Water: 50ug/L  
Standard Reference: NA

EPA-SW846 Method 8015/5030 Total Purgable Petroleum Hydrocarbons:  
Minimum Quantitation Limit for Gasoline in Water: 50ug/L  
Standard Reference: 10/12/91

SW-846 Method 8020/BTXE  
Minimum Quantitation Limit in Water: 0.5ug/L  
Standard Reference: 04/07/92

ANALYTE	REFERENCE	SPIKE LEVEL	MS/MSD RECOVERY	RPD	CONTROL LIMIT
Oil & Grease	04/02/91	5mg	90/88	2.2	50-125
Diesel	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Gasoline	04/07/92	200ng	96/98	2.0	76-111
Benzene	04/07/92	200ng	90/92	2.8	78-110
Toluene	04/07/92	200ng	85/87	2.3	78-111
Ethyl Benzene	04/07/92	200ng	82/84	3.0	78-118
Total Xylene	04/07/92	600ng	89/91	2.4	73-113

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Laboratory Director