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BA1 1330 Broadway LLC c/o TMG Partners Attention: Mr. Adam Chall 100 Bush Street, 26<sup>th</sup> Floor San Francisco, California 94104

#### GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL DECOMMISSIONING REPORT 420 13<sup>th</sup> STREET OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA Fuel Leak Case No. RO0000576 (closed) Geotracker Global ID T0600101641

Dear Mr. Chall:

This Groundwater Monitoring Well Decommissioning Report has been prepared by PES Environmental, Inc. (PES) for BA1 1330 Broadway LLC for the commercial property located at 420 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Oakland, California (the site). The purpose of this report is to document completion of groundwater monitoring well decommissioning activities performed on March 22, 2016. The site is a commercial parking garage associated with an adjacent office tower building located at 1330 Broadway. The location of the site and office building are shown on Plate 1, and a Site Plan is presented as Plate 2.

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

In 1992, four underground storage tanks (consisting of a 4,500-gallon diesel tank, a 500-gallon waste oil tank, a 3,000-gallon diesel tank, and a 6,000-gallon gasoline tank) were removed from the sidewalk area in front of the parking garage at 420 13<sup>th</sup> Street. After identification of a petroleum release, a leaking underground storage tank (LUST) case was opened by Alameda County Department of Environmental Health (ACEH), the lead environmental agency for underground fuel tank releases. The tanks were removed, and site investigations were subsequently completed with ACEH's oversight. Approximately 93 tons of soil was over-excavated and disposed off-site as part of the tank removals. As part of the investigations, a soil boring for sampling was drilled in the public right-of-way within 13<sup>th</sup> Street and, under a minor encroachment permit obtained from the City of Oakland, the sol boring was converted to a groundwater monitoring well (MW-1). The location of the well is shown on Plate 2. Monitoring of well MW-1 was conducted in 1993 and 1994. Based on the groundwater monitoring results, indicating the absence of a material impact to groundwater quality, the

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LUST case was closed by ACEH and a Remedial Action Completion Certificate was issued in May 1994<sup>1</sup>.

The site and adjacent office building were acquired by BA1 1330 Broadway LLC in November 2015, and it was determined at that time that Well MW-1 had not been decommissioned during the 1994 case closure.

#### WELL DESTRUCTION PROCEDURES

#### **Preliminary Activities**

Prior to completing site work for the decommissioning: (1) a well destruction permit was obtained from the Alameda County Public Works Agency (ACPWA); (2) Underground Service Alert was contacted at least 48 hours before beginning site activities; and (3) a site-specific Health and Safety Plan, compliant with applicable federal and California Occupational Safety and Health Administration guidelines, and Title 29 CFR 1910.120, was prepared for the activities described herein<sup>2</sup>. A copy of the ACPWA permit is presented in Appendix A. In addition, obstruction and excavation permits were obtained from the City of Oakland Planning and Building Department.

PES retained Confluence Environmental Field Service, of Sacramento, California, to perform the well decommissioning activities. Confluence is a licensed drilling contractor possessing a valid C-57 water well contractor's license issued by the State of California. The work was performed under the direction of Christopher J. Baldassari, a licensed California Professional Geologist.

#### **Groundwater Monitoring Well Destruction Procedures**

Well destruction activities were conducted in accordance with the ACPWA permit and applicable California requirements (i.e., California Well Standards Bulletins 74-81<sup>3</sup> and 74-90<sup>4</sup>). The well destruction activities were also conducted with supervision of an ACPWA inspector.

The monitoring well was constructed of 4-inch diameter PVC blank and screened casing. The screened interval was 20 to 35 feet below the ground surface. The well was destroyed by pressure grouting with neat cement grout. Pressure was applied to the injected

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ACEH, 1994. *Remedial Action Completion Certification, 1330 Broadway, Suite 1426, Oakland, CA 94612.* May 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> PES Environmental, Inc., 2016. *Health and Safety Plan, 1330 Broadway, Oakland, California.* March 16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> California Department of Water Resources (DWR), 1981. *Water Well Standards: State of California, Bulletin 74-81*. December.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> DWR, 1991. California Well Standards, Bulletin 74-90 (Supplement to Bulletin 74-81). June.

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grout for 5 minutes at 25 pounds per square inch to ensure all voids were filled. Approximately 3.75 cubic feet of grout was injected to seal the well.

After completion of pressure grouting, the steel traffic-rated surface enclosure (i.e., a Christy box) was removed. The street surface was repaired to match the surrounding pavement in accordance with the City of Oakland permit requirements and under supervision of a City of Oakland Public Works inspector.

No waste drilling spoils, displaced groundwater, or grout overfill was generated during the well destruction activities. Inert concrete, asphalt and metal debris, consisting of the Christy box and surrounding street surface materials, was transported off-site for recycling or disposal.

In accordance with ACPWA permit conditions, a California Department of Water Resources Well Completion Report (WCR) was prepared for the destroyed groundwater monitoring well, and the original WCR and a site map will be submitted to ACPWA. A copy of the WCR is presented as Appendix B.

#### CLOSING

As described above, the monitoring well was decommissioned in accordance with State and local regulations, as well as the City of Oakland minor encroachment permit requirements associated with the former well. A request for rescission of the minor encroachment permit associated with the former monitoring well will be provided to the City of Oakland under separate cover.

We trust this is the information you require at this time.

Very truly yours,

#### PES ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.

Christopher J. Baldassari, P.G. No. 8920 Senior-Geologist

Robert S. Creps, P.E

Principal Engineer



Attachments: Plate 1 – Site Location Plate 2 – Site Vicinity Appendix A – ACPWA Well Destruction Permit Appendix B – State of California Well Completion Report

#### PLATES



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#### APPENDIX A

#### ACPWA WELL DESTRUCTION PERMIT

#### Alameda County Public Works Agency - Water Resources Well Permit



399 Elmhurst Street Hayward, CA 94544-1395 Telephone: (510)670-6633 Fax:(510)782-1939

#### Application Approved on: 03/08/2016 By jamesy

Permit Numbers: W2016-0142

	a one objection by jamesy	Permits Valid from 03/14/2016 to 03/14/2016							
Application Id: Site Location:	1456856372512 1330 Broadway, Oakland.	City of Project Site: Alameda							
Project Start Date: Assigned Inspector:	Well is located on 13th Street between Franklin Street and Broadway 03/14/2016 Completion Date:03/14/2016 Contact Lindsay Furuyama at (925) 956-2311 or Lfuruyama@groundzonees.com								
Applicant:	PES Environmental, Inc James Phillips	Phone: 415-250-2864							
Property Owner:	1682 Novato Blvd., Suite 100, Novato, CA 9494 City of Oakland	Phone:							
Client:	City of Oakland, Oakland, CA 94612 c/o TMG Partners BA1 1330 Broadway LLC	Phone:							
Contact:	100 Bush Street, 26th Floor, San Francisco, CA James Phillips	Phone: 415-250-2864 Cell: 415-250-2864							
	Receipt Number: WR2016-0092 Payer Name : James Phillips								

#### **Works Requesting Permits:**

Well Destruction-Monitoring - 1 WellsWork Total: \$397.00Driller: Confluence Environmental Inc Lic #: 913194 - Method: tremiWork Total: \$397.00											
Specifications Permit # Issued Date Expire Date Owner Well Hole Diam. Casing Seal Depth Max. Depth State Well # Orig. DWR #											
Permit #	Issued Date	Expire Date	Owner Well Id	Hole Diam.	Casing Diam.	Seal Depth	Max. Depth	State Well #	Orig. Permit #	DWR #	
W2016-	03/08/2016	06/12/2016	MW-1	2.25 in.	2.00 in.	3.00 ft	35.00 ft				

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#### **Specific Work Permit Conditions**

1. Drilling Permit(s) can be voided/ cancelled only in writing. It is the applicant's responsibility to notify Alameda County Public Works Agency, Water Resources Section in writing for an extension or to cancel the drilling permit application. No drilling permit application(s) shall be extended beyond ninety (90) days from the original start date. Applicants may not cancel a drilling permit application after the completion date of the permit issued has passed.

2. Prior to any drilling activities, it shall be the applicant's responsibility to contact and coordinate an Underground Service Alert (USA), obtain encroachment permit(s), excavation permit(s) or any other permits or agreements required for that Federal, State, County or City, and follow all City or County Ordinances. No work shall begin until all the permits and requirements have been approved or obtained. It shall also be the applicants responsibilities to provide to the Cities or to Alameda County an Traffic Safety Plan for any lane closures or detours planned. No work shall begin until all the permits and requirements have been approved or obtained.

3. Compliance with the well-sealing specifications shall not exempt the well-sealing contractor from complying with appropriate State reporting-requirements related to well construction or destruction (Sections 13750 through 13755 (Division 7, Chapter 10, Article 3) of the California Water Code). Contractor must complete State DWR Form 188 and mail original to the Alameda County Public Works Agency, Water Resources Section, within 60 days. Include permit number and site map.

#### Alameda County Public Works Agency - Water Resources Well Permit

4. Applicant shall submit the copies of the approved encroachment permit to this office within 10 days.

5. Permittee shall assume entire responsibility for all activities and uses under this permit and shall indemnify, defend and save the Alameda County Public Works Agency, its officers, agents, and employees free and harmless from any and all expense, cost and liability in connection with or resulting from the exercise of this Permit including, but not limited to, property damage, personal injury and wrongful death.

6. Applicant shall contact assigned inspector listed on the top of the permit at least five (5) working days prior to starting, once the permit has been approved. Confirm the scheduled date(s) at least 24 hours prior to drilling.

7. Permittee, permittee's contractors, consultants or agents shall be responsible to assure that all material or waters generated during drilling, boring destruction, and/or other activities associated with this Permit will be safely handled, properly managed, and disposed of according to all applicable federal, state, and local statutes regulating such. In no case shall these materials and/or waters be allowed to enter, or potentially enter, on or off-site storm sewers, dry wells, or waterways or be allowed to move off the property where work is being completed.

8. Remove the Christy box or similar structure.

Destroy well by grouting neat cement with a tremie pipe or pressure grouting (25 psi for 5min.) to the bottom of the well and by filling with neat cement to three (3-5) feet below surface grade. Allow the sealing material to spill over the top of the casing to fill any annular space between casing and soil.

After the seal has set, backfill the remaining hole with concrete or compacted material to match existing conditions.

9. Copy of approved drilling permit must be on site at all times. Failure to present or show proof of the approved permit application on site shall result in a fine of \$500.00.

10. Electronic Reporting Regulations (Chapter 30, Division 3 of Title 23 & Division 3 of Title 27, CCR) require electronic submission of any report or data required by a regulatory agency from a cleanup site. Submission dates are set by a Regional Water Board or by a regulatory agency. Once a report/data is successfully uploaded, as required, you have met the reporting requirement (i.e. the compliance measure for electronic submittals is the actual upload itself). The upload date should be on or prior to the regulatory due date.

PES Environmental, Inc.

#### **APPENDIX B**

#### STATE OF CALIFORNIA WELL COMPLETION REPORT

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### STATE OF CALIFORNIA DWR WELL COMPLETION REPORT (WELL LOGS)

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