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DATE: 9/23/91  
PROJECT NUMBER: 60026.07  
SUBJECT: ARCO STATION 276 LOCATED AT  
10600 MACARTHUR BOULEVARD, OAKLAND,  
CALIFORNIA

FROM: JOEL COFFMAN  
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ADDENDUM TWO TO WORK PLAN  
at  
ARCO Station 276  
10600 MacArthur Boulevard  
Oakland, California

60026.07

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**Subject:** Addendum Two to Work Plan for Subsurface Investigations and Remediation at ARCO Station 276, 10600 MacArthur Boulevard, Oakland, California.

Mr. Carmel:

As you requested, this letter has been prepared to serve as Addendum Two to the Work Plan (RESNA/Applied GeoSystems [RESNA] 60026.03, June 27, 1991) for the subject site, and is in response to the letters from Alameda County Health Care Services Agency (ACHCSA) dated June 12 and August 7, 1991 requesting a work plan specifying remedial measures to be employed at the site and additional laboratory analysis during quarterly groundwater monitoring.

At the request of Mr. Paul Smith of ACHCSA, Addendum Two to Work Plan has been prepared in an effort to accelerate investigation and initiate interim remediation (as necessary) at the site. The location of the subject site is shown on the Site Vicinity Map, Plate 1.

RESNA's recommended approach and project tasks to perform this phase of subsurface investigation at this site include the following: researching City of Oakland Fire Department and ACHCSA records in attempt to identify possible offsite sources of hydrocarbons and solvents, drilling and sampling one additional onsite soil boring (B-6) in the area of highest hydrocarbon and solvent concentrations in groundwater in the deeper water-bearing zone at the site, installing one 6-inch diameter groundwater recovery well (RW-1) in boring B-6, developing, measuring water levels, and sampling the recovery well in conjunction with measuring and sampling monitoring wells MW-1 through MW-5, surveying the recovery well for top-of-casing elevation relative to mean sea level datum by a licensed surveyor, performing laboratory analyses of soil and groundwater samples, performing an aquifer pump test using recovery well RW-1 as a pumping well, initiate the permitting process for

eventual discharge of recovered and treated groundwater, and preparing a report of the findings, conclusions and recommendations.

The purpose of this work is to evaluate further the extent of gasoline hydrocarbons and solvents in the soil and groundwater, and to provide information necessary for interim remediation system design at the site.

### PROPOSED WORK

RESNA recommends the following work at the site based on the previous investigation:

- Step 1: submit Addendum Two to Work Plan to ACHCSA describing the proposed work for this phase for the subject site;
- Step 2: research records of City of Oakland Fire Department and ACHCSA to identify potential offsite sources of gasoline hydrocarbons and solvents;
- Step 3: update the site safety plan, obtain permits for installation of recovery well RW-1, and drill and obtain soil samples for soil classification and laboratory analysis from one onsite soil boring (B-6) as shown on Plate 2, Proposed Recovery Well. Drill boring B-6 up to 5 feet into a possible perching or confining layer beneath the first encountered groundwater in the second water bearing zone (total depths of approximately 45 feet below the ground surface) and install one 6-inch diameter groundwater recovery well (RW-1) in boring B-6. The purpose of the boring/recovery well is to further evaluate the presence of gasoline hydrocarbons and solvents in soil and groundwater, for use in evaluation of the gradient of the deeper groundwater-bearing zone beneath the site, and to provide a future extraction point for groundwater recovery;
- Step 4: submit selected soil samples, under Chain of Custody Record, from boring B-6 to a State-certified laboratory for analysis for total petroleum hydrocarbons as gasoline (TPHg) and benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes (BTEX) by Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) methods 5030/8015/8020, respectively. Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) will be analyzed in representative soil samples collected from B-6 using EPA Method 8240;

- Step 5: survey the recovery well to a National Geodetic Vertical Datum for elevation relative to mean sea level (msl);
- Step 6: develop the recovery well;
- Step 7: measure depths-to-water, record visual evidence of floating product in initial groundwater samples, and purge and collect groundwater samples for laboratory analysis from wells RW-1 and MW-1 through MW-5. Submit groundwater samples to a State-certified laboratory for analysis for TPHg and BTEX by EPA methods 5030/8015/602 and for VOCs using EPA method 624. Chain of Custody Records will be maintained for all samples;
- Step 8: perform a pump test using recovery well RW-1 as the pumping well. Data obtained from this pumping test permits the determination of the sustainable pumping rate from the pumping well and an estimate of the hydraulic conductivity and storativity of the aquifer. The information is also used to determine the zone of capture of the extraction well and the feasibility of groundwater extraction as an effective means of remediation at the site;
- Step 9: initiate National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) or other permit application process for eventual discharge of recovered and treated groundwater; and
- Step 10: prepare a report to include results of the investigation, our conclusions, and recommendations for possible future work at the site.

Field work proposed in this Addendum Two to Work Plan will be performed according to the Field Methods included in Appendix A (Field Protocol) of the above referenced Work Plan for Subsurface Investigations and Remediation for the subject site. A preliminary time schedule to perform Steps 1 through 10 is shown on Plate 3. Subsequent addenda to the Work Plan will be prepared and submitted to ARCO and proper regulatory agencies as necessary to describe future work proposed at the site.

Copies of this Addendum Two should be forwarded to:

Mr. Lester Feldman  
Regional Water Quality Control Board  
San Francisco Bay Region  
2101 Webster Street, Suite 500  
Oakland, California 94612

Addendum Two to Work Plan  
ARCO Station 276, Oakland, California

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Mr. Paul Smith  
Alameda County Health Care Services Agency  
Hazardous Materials Division  
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If you have any questions or comments about this Addendum Two to Work Plan, please call us at (408) 264-7723.

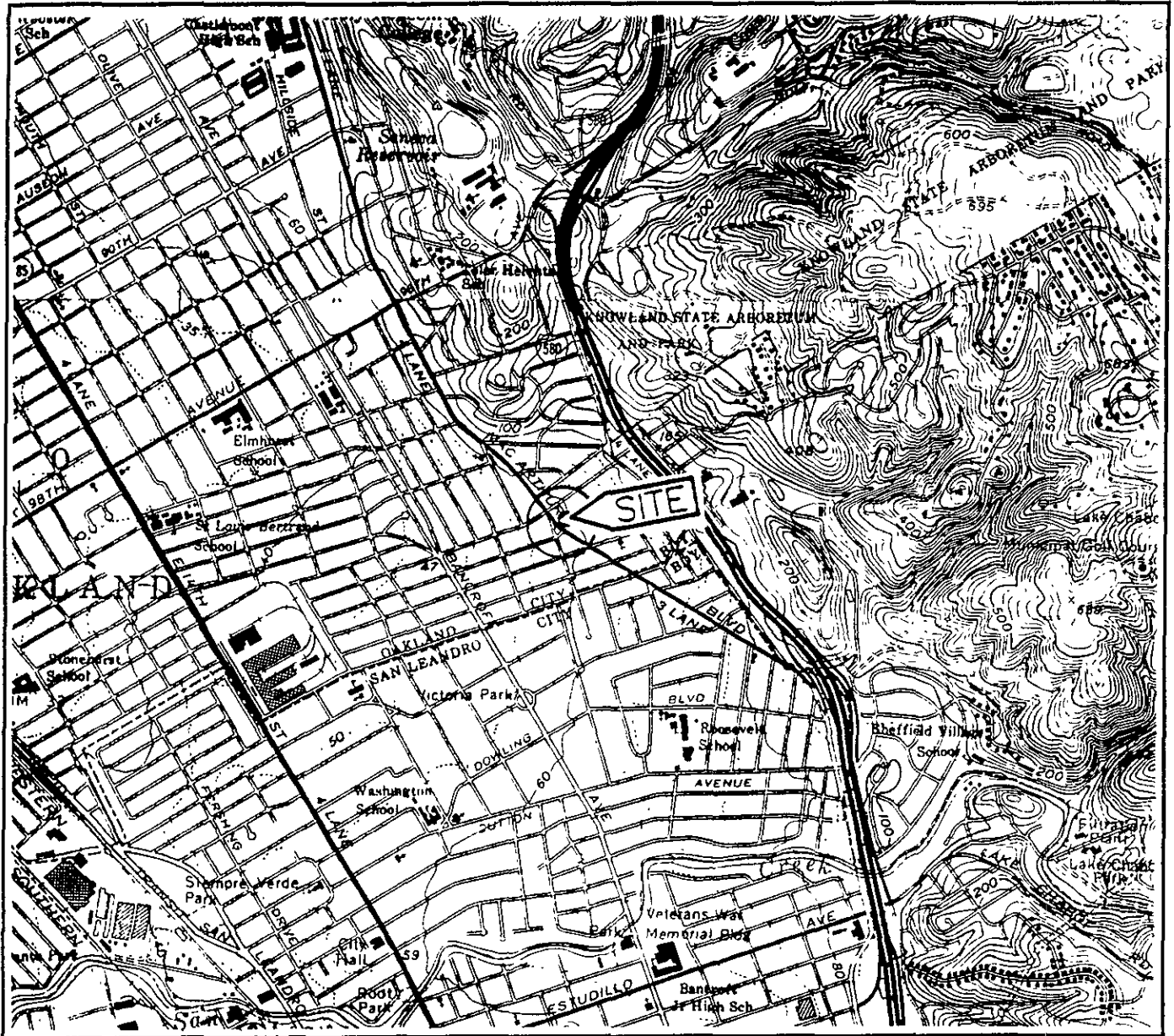
Sincerely,  
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Joel Coffman  
Project Geologist

Enclosures:           Plate 1, Site Vicinity Map  
                          Plate 2, Proposed Boring/Recovery Well Location  
                          Plate 3, Preliminary Time Schedule

cc:                    H.C. Winsor, ARCO Products Company

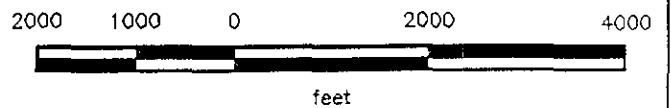


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**LEGEND**

● = Site Location

Approximate Scale



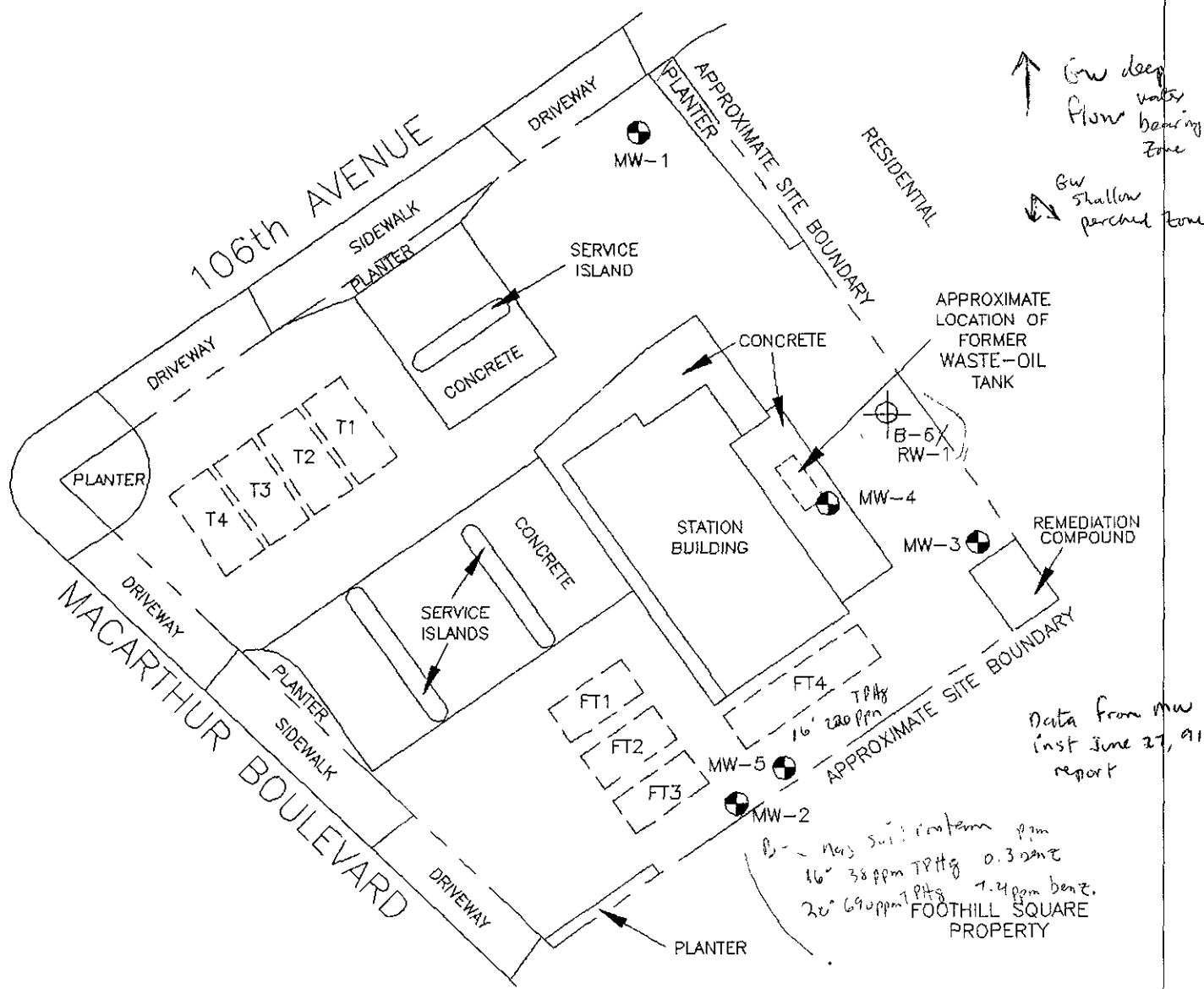
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**SITE VICINITY MAP**  
**ARCO Station 276**  
**10600 MacArthur Boulevard**  
**Oakland, California**

**PLATE**

**1**

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**EXPLANATION**

B-6/RW-1 = Proposed boring/recovery well

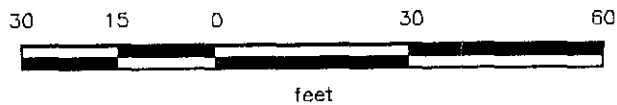
MW-5 = Monitoring well (Applied GeoSystems, 1989)

T4 = Existing underground Storage Tanks

FT4 = Former underground Storage Tanks



Approximate Scale



Source: Modified from plan supplied by ARCO and surveyed by Ron Archer, Civil Engineer, Inc.

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**PROPOSED BORING/  
RECOVERY WELL LOCATION  
ARCO Station 276  
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**PLATE**

**2**

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STEP 1:  
Submit Addendum Two to  
Work Plan

STEP 2 & 3:  
Perform well and  
records research

STEP 4:  
Update Site Safety Plan  
and drill boring/install well

STEP 5:  
Submit soil samples for  
Laboratory Analysis and  
receive results

STEP 6:  
Survey well

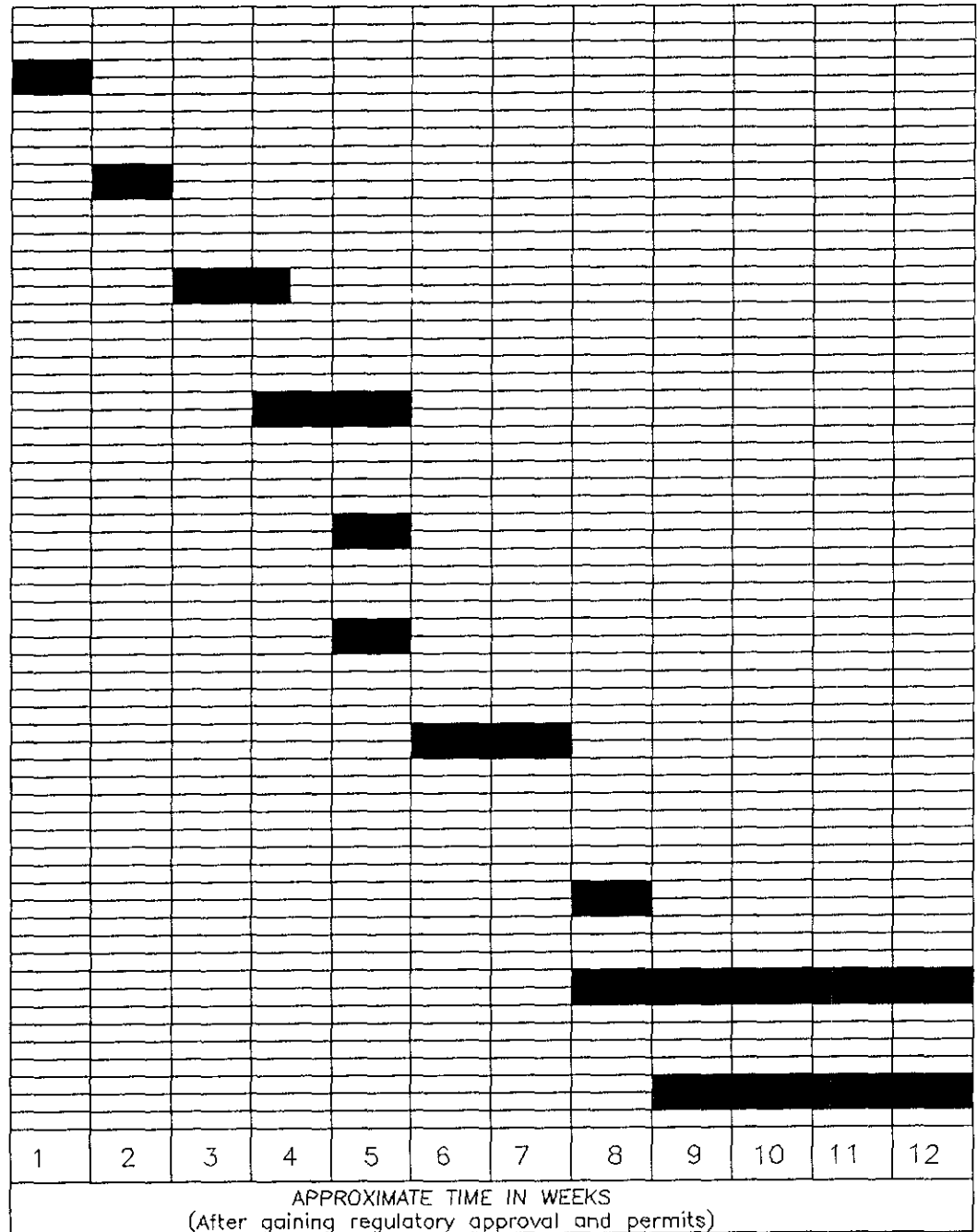
STEP 7:  
Develop well

STEP 8:  
Measure water levels and  
sample well, submit water  
samples for Laboratory  
Analysis and receive results

STEP 9:  
Perform pump test

STEP 10:  
Initiate NPDES Permitting  
process

STEP 11:  
Prepare Report



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**PRELIMINARY TIME SCHEDULE**  
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**PLATE**  
**3**

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