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SUBJECT: WORKPLAN FOR SITE CHARACTERIZATION

SITE: 3001 – 3015 EAST 12TH STREET OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA 94601

Dear Ms. Donna Drogos,

TEC Accutite is pleased to submit this workplan for site characterization for the above referenced site. The workplan is being provided to the Alameda County Environmental Health to facilitate evaluation of the site for clearance/endorsement of residential use.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation with this project. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact the undersigned at mmullaney@tecaccutite.com or (650) 616-1209.

Sincerely,

TEC Accutite

Marc Mullaney, PG# 7438 Sr. Project Manager

cc: Mr. Randall Whitney, Pacific Thomas Capital, 1818 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, California 94596

WORKPLAN FOR SITE CHARACTERIZATION

3001 – 3015 East 12th Street Oakland, California **94601**

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TEC ACCUTITE PROJECT #: E-241

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ALAMEDA COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

AND

MR. RANDALL WHITNEY PACIFIC THOMAS CAPITAL

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1.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

The site is located in an area of mixed industrial, commercial and residential development. A Vicinity Map is presented as Figure 1. The site consists of an approximate 7,500 square foot parcel located on the west side of East 12th Street between 30th Avenue and Derby Avenue in Oakland, California. The site consists of two commercial buildings identified as 3005 and 3007 East 12th Street and two vacant lots. One vacant lot is between the commercial buildings and the other lot occupies the 3001 East 12th Street address. The parcel is identified as Assessor's Parcel Number 025-0693-004, Alameda County, California. A Site Map is presented as Figure 2, and a composite map including a parcel map is presented as Figure 3.

1.1 Site Geography

The site is situated at an elevation of approximately 30 feet above sea level. On a regional basis, surface topography slopes gently to the southwest.

1.2 Site Geology

Findings from TEC Accutite's August 7, 2007 limited subsurface investigation indicate geologic conditions encountered in the boring locations (B-1 and B-2) consist of interlaying clays and sands with some gravel. No staining or hydrocarbon odors were observed in any borings.

1.3 Site Groundwater

Reportedly, groundwater in the area is initially encountered at depths of between 10 and 32 feet below surface grade (bsg), with stabilized water levels measured at depths of about 7 to 10 feet bsg, and groundwater in the general vicinity of the site generally flows toward the southeast or southwest (Northgate Environmental Management, Inc., May 7, 2007).

Findings from TEC Accutite's August, 2007 limited subsurface investigation indicate groundwater was encountered beneath the site at approximate depths of 24 feet bsg in boring B-1 and 28 feet bsg in boring B-2, and appeared to be confined or semi-confined.

2.0 SITE ENVIRONMENTAL BACKGROUND

A review of site history indicates that a variety of businesses have occupied the site since the early 1920s, including "hay and fuel" storage, a coal yard, a furniture warehouse, a stove repair shop, an automobile radio shop, a lighting store, and a transmission repair shop. The review by *Northgate Environmental Management, Inc.* indicated that no Recognized Environmental Conditions are associated with the site; however, *Northgate Environmental Management, Inc.* recognized the presence of two onsite and three offsite areas of potential environmental concern and recommended further investigation. These areas and issues include:

- 3001 E. 12th Street: Use permit from Oakland Building Department in 2005 for a transmission repair shop;
- 3007 E. 12th Street: Sanborn map of 1950 indicates use as a "hay and fuel yard";
- Property to the adjacent east of the site is an auto body repair shop;
- Property located across E. 12th Street to the northeast of the site (the Goodwill property) is a closed Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST) site with no further action recommended;
- Property located more than 900 feet from the site at 3050 E. 15th Street (former Melrose Ford) is a closed Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST) site with no further action recommended.



A detailed site vicinity map indicating the locations of these areas of concern is presented as Figure 4.

- **June 2007** At the request of *Pacific Thomas Capital*, TEC Accutite advanced two soil borings onsite (B-1 and B-2) and three soil borings offsite (B-3, B-4 and B-5). Geologic conditions encountered in the boring locations (B-1 and B-2) consist of interlayering clays and sands with some gravel; Soils appeared to be stained green in boring B-5 at depths of 7 to 10 feet bsg; no other staining was observed; no hydrocarbons odors were observed. Analytical results of soil of this investigation indicated concentrations above respective ESLs of chromium in borings B-1 and B-2, chromium in borings B-3 and B-4, and nickel in boring B-4. The concentrations found are typical of background soil concentrations in this region. Analytical results of grab groundwater indicate a concentration of nickel slightly above the respective ESL in borings B-1. TEC Accutite recommended no further action is warranted for the site and the property be un-restricted for the highest and best use.
- **December 2007** Addendum to the TEC Accutite's Limited Subsurface Investigation Report dated August 7, 2007 provided to the Alameda County Environmental Health to facilitate evaluation of the site for clearance/endorsement for unrestricted use.

3.0 SCOPE OF WORK

3.1 Task #1 Permitting

Upon approval of this workplan, TEC Accutite will apply for the drilling permit(s) from the Alameda County Environmental Health (ACEH) to advance a maximum of three soil borings.

3.2 Task #2 Health and Safety Plan

Prior to conducting field activities, a site-specific Health and Safety Plan will be prepared.

3.3 Task #3 Clearing Utilities

The proposed drilling locations will be marked with white paint and Underground Service Alert (USA) will be contacted at least 48 hours prior to conducting fieldwork to identify underground utilities. In addition, TEC Accutite will contract an underground utility locator to clear all boring locations for possible underground utilities prior to beginning work.

3.4 Task #4 Soil Borings

TEC Accutite proposes to advance three soil borings to characterize soil and groundwater beneath the site. The soil borings will be advanced onsite at locations of potential environmental concerns, indicated by available historical data, and locations intended to delineate potential onsite impact. Borings B-6 and B-7 would be advanced in the apparent locations of the former "hay and fuel" storage, as indicated on the Sanborn fire map of 1950 (Figure 3 and Attachment A). Boring B-8 would be advanced crossgradient to the northwest of the former "hay and fuel" storage area, in an effort to delineate any impact to soil and groundwater.



TEC Accutite will supervise a C-57 licensed subcontractor to drill three borings using direct-push technology. TEC Accutite will continuously core each boring to a maximum depth of approximately 28 ft bsg. Soils will be logged for lithology using the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS) and any staining/odors will also be noted. Soil samples will be retained approximately every two to three feet. A split of each soil sample will be collected and placed in a Ziploc[®] bag, which will be sealed with air space and allowed to volatilize. A PID will be utilized to measure ionizable gases in the Ziploc[®] bags. From each boring, soil samples that appear to be impacted, as determined by staining, odors and/or elevated PID readings, or which appear to be representative of soil each boring will be submitted for analysis.

A minimum of one selected soil sample (based on PID, lithology and field observations) and one grab groundwater sample from each soil boring will be analyzed for the following: Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) as gasoline (g), benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX), and Volatile Organics (VOCs) by EPA Method 8260, TPH as diesel (d) and hydraulic fluid/motor oil (mo) by EPA Method 8015M, semi-volatile compounds for pentachlorophenol (PCP) & polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAHs) by EPA Method 8270, semi-volatile compounds for polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) by EPA Method 8082A, and for metals (cadmium (Cd), chromium (Cr), copper (Cu), lead (Pb), nickel (Ni), silver (Ag), and zinc (Zn)) by EPA Method 6010B.

Once the soil and groundwater samples have been collected, the drilling subcontractor will grout in place all borings with neat cement.

3.5 Task #5 Waste Disposal

Any soil and/or water waste generated during field activities will be placed in 55-gallon DOT-rated drums, labeled, and temporarily stored onsite pending transportation to an approved disposal or recycling facility.

3.6 Task #6 Report Preparation and Regulatory Liaison

TEC Accutite will prepare a detailed report summarizing all field activities and analytical findings of the site characterization event. Digital and/or paper copies of the report will be submitted to ACEH and the client.

4.0 SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

TEC Accutite will begin permitting procedures after receiving written approval of this workplan from ACEH. Upon receiving the appropriate permits, TEC Accutite will implement the workplan within 60 days and prepare a report documenting the activities within 45 days of completion of all field work.

TEC Accutite would like to thank you in advance for your assistance and prompt attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact Marc Mullaney at mmullaney@tecaccutite.com or (650) 616-1209 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely, **TEC Accutite**

Nathan W. Smith Project Geologist

Marc Mullaney, PG# 7438 Sr. Project Manager





REFERENCES <u>5.0</u>

- Northgate Environmental Management, Inc., May 7, 2007, "*Phase I Environmental Site Assessment, 3001 3007 East 12th St., Oakland, CA.*" TEC Accutite, August 7, 2007, "*Limited Subsurface Investigation Report, 3001 3007 East 12th St., Oakland, CA.*" -
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TABLES



Table 1Summary of Historical Soil Analytical Data3001 - 3015 East 12th StreetOakland, California

Sample	Depth	Date	TPHg	TPHd	TPHmo	BTEX	VOC's	PCP &	PCB's				Metals			
ID	(feet)							PAH's		Cd	Cr	Cu	Pb	Ni	Ag	Zn
								Со	ncentratio	ons in mg	/Kg					
	ESL		83	83	370	var	var	var	0.22	1.7		230	200	150	20	600
B-1 @ 8fbg	8	6/6/2007	<0.1	<2.0	<4.0	ND	ND	ND	ND	<1.0	65	28	12	110	<1.0	64
B-2 @14fbg	14	6/6/2007	<0.1	<2.0	<4.0	ND	ND	ND	ND	<1.0	80	32	8.3	110	<1.0	51
B-3 @12fbg	12	6/6/2007	<0.1	<2.0	10.7	ND	ND	ND	ND	2.7	62	73	45	81	<1.0	140
B-4 @14fbg	14	6/6/2007	<0.1	<2.0	<4.0	ND	ND	ND	0.272*	<1.0	95	33	6.9	180	<1.0	52
B-5 @ 8fbg	8	6/6/2007	<0.1	<2.0	<4.0	ND	ND	ND	ND	<1.0	41	28	12	92	<1.0	55

Notes:

BOLD = Concentration exceeds ESL

(fbg) = feet below surface grade

TPHg = Total petroleum hydrocarbons as gasoline by EPA Method 8015.

TPHd = Total petroleum hydrocarbons as diesel by EPA Method 8015.

TPHmo = Total petroleum hydrocarbons as motor oil by EPA Method 8015.

BTEX = Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes by EPA Method 8260B.

VOC's = volatile organic compounds including 1,2-Dibromoethane, 1,2-Dichloroethane, Ethyl tert Butyl Ether, Isopropyl ether, Methyl tert-butyl ether, t-Butyl alcohol, tert-amyl methyl ether by EPA Method 8260B.

PCPs & PAH's = semi-volatile compounds by EPA Method 8270C.

PCB's = semi-volatile compounds by EPA Method 8082.

Metals: Cd = Cadmium, Cr = Chromium, Cu = Copper, PB = Lead, Ni = Nickel, Ag = Silver, and Zn = Zinc by EPA Method 6010B.

ND = all individual analytes not detected at or above laboratory detection limits for this method

* = Aroclor 1016 (PCB) detected by EPA Method 8082; all other analytes ND for this method.

ESL = Environmental Screening Level for subsurface soil (< 3M BGS), Table A-1, groundwater IS a current or potential drinking water resource, residential land use (CRWQCB Interim Final – November 2007 (revised May 2008)).



Table 2Summary of Historical Grab Groundwater Analytical Data3001 - 3007 E 12th StreetOakland, California

Sample	Date	TPHg	TPHd	TPHmo	BTEX	VOC's	PCP &	PCB's				Metals			
ID							PAH's		Cd	Cr	Cu	Pb	Ni	Ag	Zn
							Co	oncentrati	ions in µç	g/L					
ESL		100	100	100	var	var	var	0.014	0.25	50	3.1	2.5	8.2	0.19	81
B-1	6/6/2007	<58	<77	<14	ND	ND	ND	<1.0	<0.2	<2.0	<3.0	<2.0	11	3**	8.6
B-2	6/6/2007	<57	<42.4	<21.2	ND	ND	ND	<1.0	<0.2	2**	<3.0	<2.0	7**	2**	20

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** = considered an estimated value (reported between Maximum Detection Limit and Reporting Limit)

var = variable ESL's, unique for each constituent.

ESL = Environmental Screening Level for Groundwater, groundwater IS a current or potential drinking water resource, Table F-1a (CRWQCB Interim Final – November 2007 (revised May 2008)).



FIGURES









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FIGURE #2 SITE MAP TRACED OVER PARCEL MAP



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