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January 29, 1999

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Dear Ms. chu:


Subject: Second Quarterly Groundwater Monitoring Report
AC Transit, 1177 47th Street, Emeryville

AC Transit hereby submits the enclosed second quarterly groundwater monitoring report for the AC Transit facility located at 1177 47th Street in Emeryville. The report was prepared by our consultant, Environmental Decision Group.

Ground water samples from the ten on-site monitoring wells (MW-1 through MW-10) were collected and analyzed for total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH), benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes. In addition, depth to ground water was measured in each well and ground water contour maps were developed for the report. The sample results indicate that TPH was detected in all monitoring wells except MW-4. Concentrations of TPH ranged from 120 to 6,100 ppb. In addition, benzene was present in well MW-6 at a concentration of 45 ppb. The free phase hydrocarbon layer detected in well MW-6 was limited to a sheen for this sampling event.

If you have any questions regarding this information or other matters pertaining to this site, please call me at (510) 577-8869.

Sincerely,


Suzanne Patton, P.E.
Environmental Manager

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**GROUNDWATER MONITORING
REPORT FOR THE
AC TRANSIT FACILITY LOCATED AT 1177 47TH STREET,
EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA**

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- Next QMR, include lab data
- January 21, 2000 - GW should be analyzed for TPH, IPHd, IPHm, BTEX, MBE
- JST removal report
- Are wells W1, W2 and W3 available for sampling
- any reports of following west station for diesel release into tunnel OK



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**GROUNDWATER MONITORING
REPORT FOR THE
AC TRANSIT FACILITY
LOCATED AT 1177 47th STREET,
EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA**

January 20, 2000

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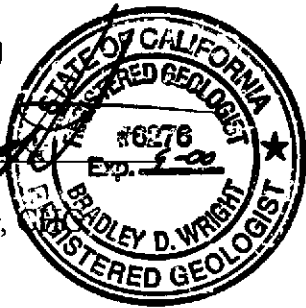


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INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results from the November 1999 sampling event for the AC Transit Facility located at 1177 47th Street, Emeryville, California (Site). Groundwater sampling of monitor wells MW-1 through MW-10 was reinstated in August 1999, in accordance with directives from Alameda County Health Care Services. AC Transit retained Safety-Kleen Consulting to perform this work.

OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF WORK

Work performed during this sampling event included measuring depth to water in the monitor wells and sample collection. Groundwater samples were analyzed for total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) using Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Method 8015 and benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and xylenes (BTEX) using EPA Method 8260B.

A site map displaying the monitoring well locations is presented as Figure 1. Chain-of-custody documents are included in Appendix A. Field data sheets and certified analytical reports are kept on file and are available upon request.

Groundwater Elevations and Flow Direction

On November 23, 1999, all site monitor wells were inspected and measured for presence of free phase hydrocarbons and depth to groundwater. Measurements of depths to groundwater are presented on Table 1 and were used to construct the groundwater elevation contours shown in Figure 1. The free phase hydrocarbon detected in MW-6 during the August 1999 sampling event was not present during this sampling event, however a hydrocarbon sheen was detected. As shown on Figure 1, groundwater flow is to the west at a gradient of 0.018 feet/foot.

Groundwater Sampling Activities

The monitor wells were purged a minimum of three casing volumes using a centrifugal pump and samples were collected using disposable polyethylene bailers. During well purging, field parameters for pH, electrical conductivity and temperature were monitored using calibrated field meters. Purge water was transferred to 55-gallon drums and placed in the Site's drum waste storage area.

Groundwater samples were transferred to 40-milliliter glass vials preserved with hydrochloric acid and one-liter non-preserved amber glass containers and placed in an ice-filled cooler for shipment under chain-of-custody to a State of California certified laboratory. A trip blank was submitted for analysis by EPA Method 8260.

Groundwater Analytical Results

Table 2 presents groundwater analytical results for the November 1999 sampling event. TPH was detected in all Site monitor wells except for MW-4. Concentrations of TPH above laboratory reporting limits ranged from 120 to 6,100 parts per billion (ppb). In addition, benzene was detected in well MW-6, at a concentration of 45 ppb, which is above the maximum contaminant level (MCL) of 1.0 ppb. Concentrations of TPH and BTEX declined over those reported during the August 1999 sampling event at all wells except for concentrations of TPH detected in MW-5.

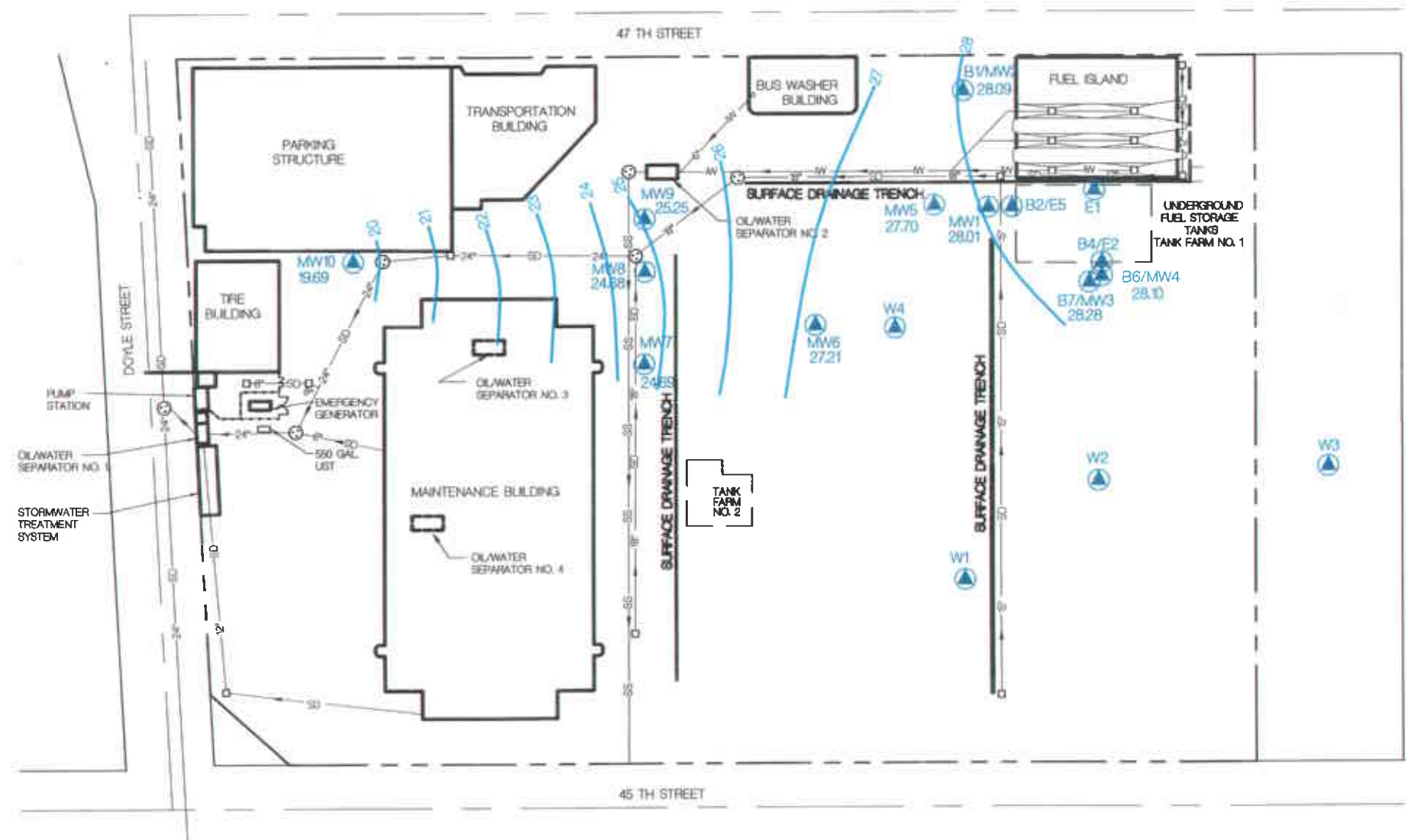
No analytes were detected in the trip blanks or method blanks. A lab control spike and lab control spike duplicate passed the EPA's criteria for acceptance.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS






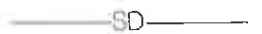



- The free phase hydrocarbon layer detected in monitor well MW-6 during the August 1999 sampling event was limited to a sheen during the November 1999 sampling event.
- Groundwater flow direction was interpreted to be toward the west at a gradient of 0.018 feet/foot.
- Concentrations in excess of MCLs was limited to 45 ppb benzene detected in monitor well MW-6.

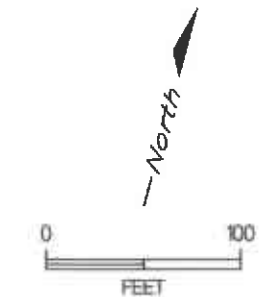
PROJECTED WORK AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- Quarterly groundwater monitoring is scheduled for February 2000.



LEGEND

-  MANHOLE
-  CATCH BASIN
-  MONITORING WELL
-  POTENTIOMETRIC SURFACE ELEVATION
-  POTENTIOMETRIC SURFACE CONTOUR
-  SD STORM DRAIN PIPELINE
-  SS SANITARY SEWER PIPELINE
-  IW INDUSTRIAL WASTE PIPELINE
-  CHAIN LINK FENCE



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EMERYVILLE FACILITY - OAKLAND CALIFORNIA

FIGURE 1

AC TRANSIT - POTENTIOMETRIC SURFACE MAP

SCALE: 1" = 100'

DWG NO: 792551-004

TABLE 1
GROUNDWATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS
AC TRANSIT
1177 47TH STREET, EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA

Well	Date	Top of Casing Elevation (ft-msl)	Product Thickness (feet)	DTW (feet)	Groundwater Elevation (ft-msl)	Groundwater Elevation Corrected from
						Product Thickness*
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MW-1	8/31/99	32.56	None	3.24	29.32	NA
	11/23/99		None	4.55	28.01	NA
MW-2	8/31/99	32.12	None	5.24	26.88	NA
	11/23/99		None	4.03	28.09	NA
MW-3	8/31/99	34.06	None	6.15	27.91	NA
	11/23/99		None	5.78	28.28	NA
MW-4	8/31/99	34.11	None	6.22	27.89	NA
	11/23/99		None	6.01	28.10	NA
MW-5	8/31/99	31.70	None	4.51	27.19	NA
	11/23/99		None	4.00	27.70	NA
MW-6	8/31/99	31.02	0.40	4.40	26.62	26.94
	11/23/99		Sheen	3.81	27.21	NA
MW-7	8/31/99	29.62	None	5.47	24.15	NA
	11/23/99		None	4.93	24.69	NA
MW-8	8/31/99	29.43	None	5.35	24.08	NA
	11/23/99		None	4.75	24.68	NA
MW-9	8/31/99	29.18	None	4.15	25.03	NA
	11/23/99		None	3.93	25.25	NA
MW-10	8/31/99	29.13	None	9.59	19.54	NA
	11/23/99		None	9.44	19.69	NA

Notes:

* used 0.8 specific gravity of product

ft-msl: feet-mean sea level

DTW: Depth to Water

NA: Not applicable

TABLE 2
ANALYTICAL RESULTS GROUNDWATER SAMPLES
AC TRANSIT
1177 47TH STREET, EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA

Well	Date	TPH	Benzene	Toluene	Ethylbenzene	Xylenes
		MCL (ppb)	1.0	150	700	1,750
MW-1	8/31/99	310	<1.0	2.4	1	1.6
	11/23/99	250	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-2	8/31/99	180	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	1.2
	11/23/99	120	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
MW-3	8/31/99	2,700	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
	11/23/99	640	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-4	8/31/99	<50	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	1.6
	11/23/99	<50	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-5	8/31/99	250	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	1
	11/23/99	300	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
MW-6	8/31/99	140,000	77	18	31	49
	11/23/99	6,100	45	14	6.9	48
MW-7	8/31/99	1,400	<1.0	2.9	2.3	2.7
	11/23/99	530	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-8	8/31/99	230	<1.0	<1.0	1.2	<1.0
	11/23/99	220	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-9	8/31/99	2,800	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	1.1
	11/23/99	1,300	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
MW-10	8/31/99	1,100	<1.0	1.2	2.0	<1.0
	11/23/99	1,200	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0

Notes:

ppb: parts per billion

TPH: total petroleum hydrocarbons

MCL: maximum contaminant level

APPENDIX A

CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY

Chain of Custody Record



QUA-4124 0797

Client Safety Klean Consulting		Project Manager Brad Wright		Date 11/20/99	Chain of Custody Number 26791
Address 2233 Santa Clara Ave Suite 7		Telephone Number (Area Code)/Fax Number 510 337 8660		Lab Number	Page _____ of _____

City Alameda	State CA	Zip Code 94501	Site Contact	Lab Contact	Analysis (Attach list if more space is needed)	Special Instructions/ Conditions of Receipt
Project Name AC Transit Emeryville			Carrier/Waybill Number			

Sample I.D. No. and Description (Containers for each sample may be combined on one line)	Date	Time	Matrix			Containers & Preservatives						Analysis	Special Instructions/ Conditions of Receipt	
			Aqueous	Sed.	Soil	Unpres.	H2SO4	HNO3	HCl	NaOH	ZnAc			NaOH
MW-3	11/23/99	1135	X			X								Brad 11/24/99
MW-4		1150												
MW-1		1210												
MW-5		1230												
MW-2		1315												
MW-10		1330												
MW-8		1425												
MW-7		1435												
MW-9		1505												
MW-6		1525												

Possible Hazard Identification			Sample Disposal			(A fee may be assessed if samples are retained longer than 3 months)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Hazard	<input type="checkbox"/> Flammable	<input type="checkbox"/> Skin Irritant	<input type="checkbox"/> Poison B	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Return To Client	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disposal By Lab	<input type="checkbox"/> Archive For _____ Months	

Turn Around Time Required	QC Requirements (Specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> 24 Hours <input type="checkbox"/> 48 Hours <input type="checkbox"/> 7 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 14 Days <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 21 Days <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Standard

1. Relinquished By Ch Lalsal	Date 11/23/99	Time 1630	1. Received By URS	Date 11/23/99	Time 1630
2. Relinquished By	Date	Time	2. Received By M... To ...	Date 11/24/99	Time 1100
3. Relinquished By	Date	Time	3. Received By	Date	Time

Comments

Chain of Custody Record



QUA-4124 0787

Client: **Safety-Kleen Consulting** Project Manager: **Brad Wright** Date: **11/23/99** Chain of Custody Number: **26787**
 Address: **2233 Santa Clara Ave, Suite 7** Telephone Number (Area Code)/Fax Number: **510 337 8660** Lab Number: _____
 City: **Alameda** State: **CA** Zip Code: **94501** Site Contact: _____ Lab Contact: _____
 Project Name: **AC Transit Emeryville** Carrier/Waybill Number: _____
 Contract/Purchase Order/Quote No.: **792551**

Sample I.D. No. and Description (Containers for each sample may be combined on one line)	Date	Time	Matrix			Containers & Preservatives							Analysis (Attach list if more space is needed)	Special Instructions/ Conditions of Receipt	
			Aqueous	Solid	Soil	Unpres.	H2SO4	HNO3	HCl	NaOH	ZnAc/NaOH				
MW-3	11/23/99	1135	X									X			2 VOAs
MW-4		1150													
MW-1		1210													
MW-5		1230													
MW-2		1315													
MW-10		1330													
MW-8		1425													
MW-7		1435													
MW-9		1505													
MW-6		1525													
Trip Blank		0900													

Possible Hazard Identification: Non-Hazard Flammable Skin Irritant Poison B Unknown Return To Client Disposal By Lab Archive For _____ Months (A fee may be assessed if samples are retained longer than 3 months)

Turn Around Time Required: 24 Hours 48 Hours 7 Days 14 Days 21 Days Other _____
 QC Requirements (Specify): **Standard**

1. Relinquished By: Chhala Date: 11/23/99 Time: 1630	1. Received By: UPS Date: 11/23/99 Time: 1630
2. Relinquished By: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____	2. Received By: M. P. G. Davis Date: 1/24/00 Time: 11:00
3. Relinquished By: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____	3. Received By: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____

Comments: _____