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Re: **Addendum to 6/15/07 Soil Vapor Investigation Work Plan
Former Shell-branded Service Station
15275 Washington Avenue
San Leandro, California**

Dear Mr. Jerry Wickham:

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the information and/or recommendations contained in the attached document or report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,
Shell Oil Products US

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Denis L. Brown", is written over a horizontal line.

Denis L. Brown
Project Manager

August 27, 2007
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Mr. Jerry Wickham
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Dear Mr. Wickham,

In response to your July 10, 2007 letter, Delta Consultants (DELTA), on behalf of Shell Oil Products US (Shell), has prepared this addendum to the previously submitted *Soil Vapor Investigation Work Plan* (DELTA, June 15, 2007). The addendum addresses the issues you raised regarding number and locations of proposed vapor samples, and collection of sub-slab samples from the on-site building.

BACKGROUND

Site background is provided in the June 15, 2007 work plan. Existing groundwater monitoring well locations and the general site layout are shown on Figure 1 of this addendum.

ADDENDUM TO THE SOIL VAPOR INVESTIGATION WORK PLAN

In addition to the five soil vapor sample locations proposed in the 6/15/07 Work Plan, we propose collecting vapor samples at nine additional locations (six additional on-site locations, one additional location at the mobile home park adjacent well S-9, and two sub-slab samples inside the former service station building). Locations of all proposed soil vapor sample locations are shown on Figure 2.

Vapor samples from proposed locations PSG-10 to PSG-21 will be collected a minimum depth of five feet below grade (bg), or in the coarsest grained unit above the saturated zone based on past assessment data. For proposed locations PSG-22 and PSG-23 inside the existing building, we will also collect sub-slab samples at approximately 2 feet bg, in addition to the deeper sample. Soil vapor sampling and analysis will be conducted in accordance with the Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (LARWQCB) Well Investigation Program (WIP) Guidelines and Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) Advisory - Active Soil Gas Investigations, dated January 28, 2003, as detailed in the 6/15/07 Work Plan.

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Prefield Activities

DELTA will obtain necessary drilling permits from the Alameda County Public Works Agency, and will prepare a site-specific health and safety plan prior to initiating field activities. DELTA will mark the location of each proposed soil vapor boring, and contact Underground Services Alert a minimum of 48 hours prior to drilling. In addition, a utility locating contractor will be retained to perform a geophysical survey of the proposed boring locations.

Temporary Soil Vapor Probe Installation

The soil vapor sampling will be conducted with temporary probes. For PSG-10 to PSG-21, each location will be hand augured to a depth of approximately 4 feet bg to minimize the possibility of drilling equipment encountering any unidentified underground utilities. A portable, hydraulically powered soil probe unit will then be used to advance the drive rod to the predetermined sample depth. The drive rod will then be pulled back to expose the inlets of the soil vapor probe. During installation of each probe, hydrated bentonite will be used to seal around the drive rod at ground surface to prevent ambient air intrusion from occurring. For locations PSG-22 and PSG-23, a concrete corer will be used to cut through the existing building slab, then a hand auger will be used to advance to the sample locations at approximately 2 feet and 5 feet bg. The open hole will then be sealed with hydrated bentonite prior to sample collection.

The inner soil vapor pathway from probe tip to the surface will be continuously sealed to prevent infiltration. To allow for subsurface conditions to reach equilibrium after probe emplacement, soil vapor sampling will not be conducted for at least 20 minutes following probe installation. This is the DTSC standard procedure for sampling probes installed with the direct push method where the drive rod remains in the ground. Following the equilibration period, the filter screen will be exposed and the soil vapor sample will be extracted by vacuum. A detailed description of this process, as well as the procedures for vapor purging, leak testing, and vapor sample analysis, is included in the 6/15/07 Work Plan.

SCHEDULE

DELTA will commence field activities within approximately 45 days of receipt of work plan approval from the ACEH, pending approval of access agreements by the owners of the former service station, the current business operator, and the owner of the mobile home park. It is anticipated the final report will be completed 45 days following the receipt of the vapor sample laboratory data.

If you have any questions, please call Tom Hargett, DELTA Project Manager, at (408) 826-1868 or Denis Brown, Shell Project Manager, at (707) 865-0251.

Sincerely,

Delta Consultants, Inc.



Sean Gehlke
Staff Geologist



Tom Hargett, PG 5510
Project Manager



Attachments:

Figure 1 – Site Layout Map

Figure 2 – Site Layout with Proposed Soil Borings

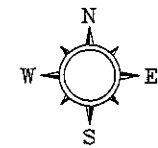
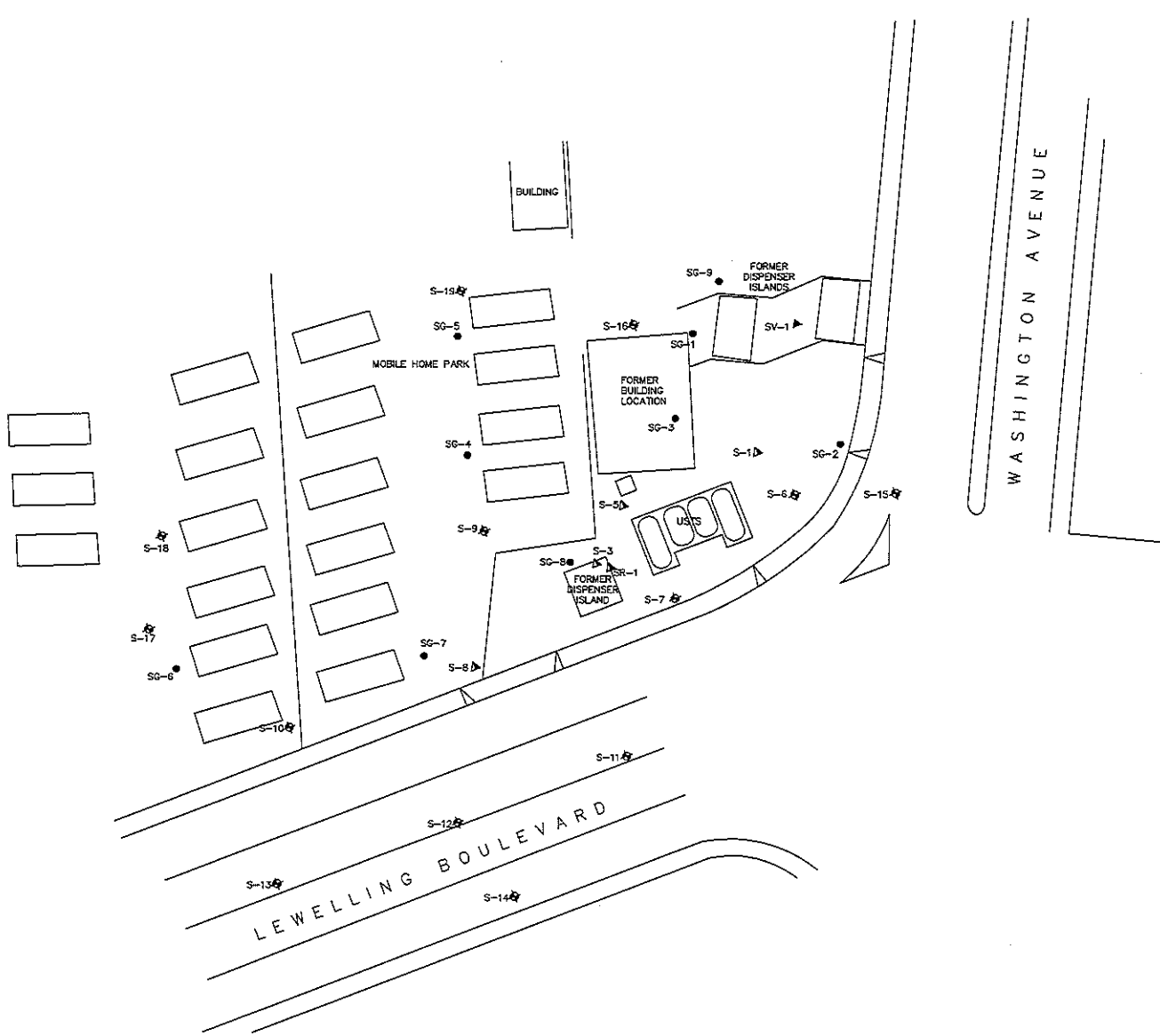
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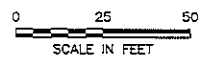
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- LEGEND**
- S-6 ◊ GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL LOCATION AND DESIGNATION
 - S-1 ▲ GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL MODIFIED FOR SOIL VAPOR EXTRACTION
 - SV-1A ▲ SOIL VAPOR EXTRACTION WELL LOCATION AND DESIGNATION
 - S-6 ● SOIL VAPOR SAMPLE LOCATION



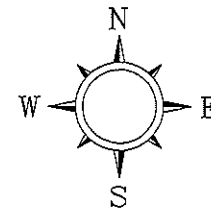
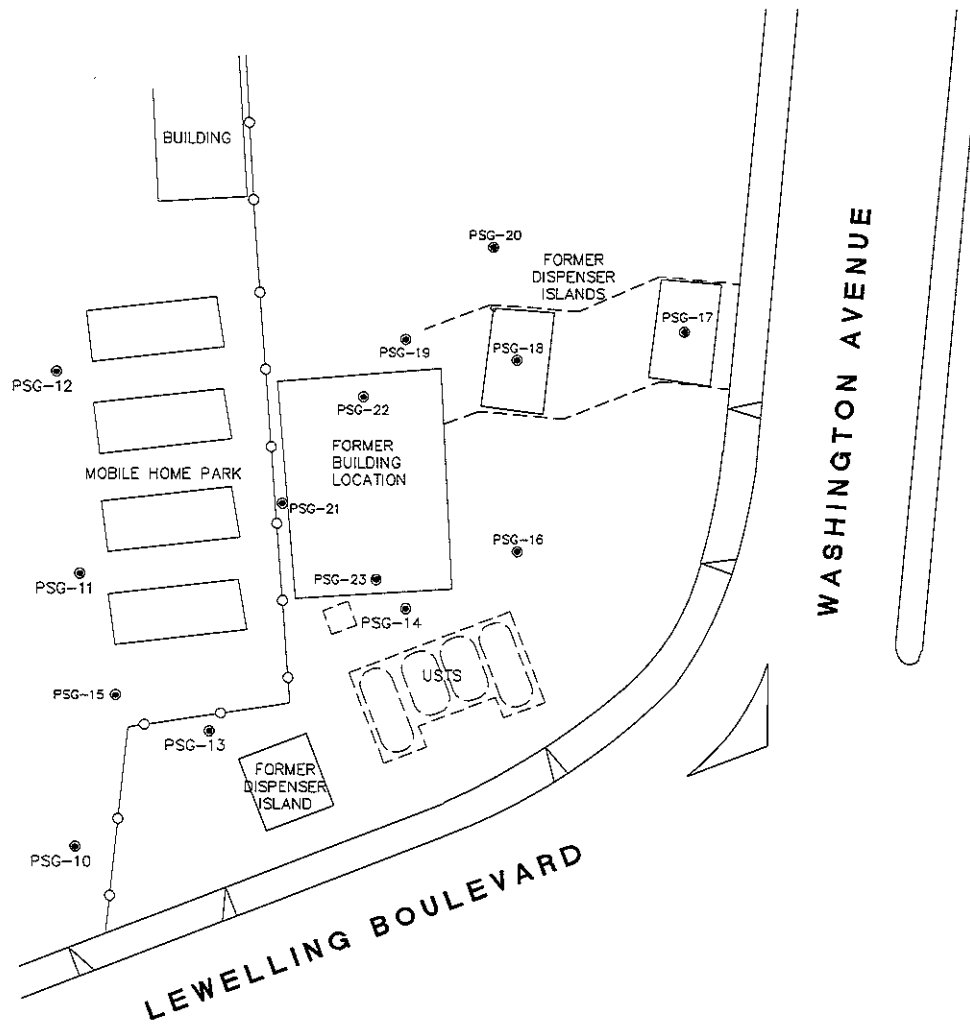
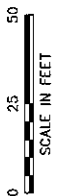
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FIGURE |
SITE LAYOUT MAP

15275 WASHINGTON AVENUE
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 PSG-6 ● PROPOSED SOIL VAPOR SAMPLE LOCATION

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FIGURE 2
SITE LAYOUT WITH PROPOSED SOIL BORINGS
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