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Meeting with John Groh of Scott Co.

Matt Shier, attorney for former owner

Christine Norton, attorney for tenant (assuming responsibility)

Kenneth Franey, attorney for ?

Discussing expedited closure of case;

Their argument

- 1) 3 wells on site now, GW data shows no problem
- 2) over a year has passed since tank full,
- 3) bankruptcy proceedings require the case be closed before all legal matters can be finalized
- 4) tidally influenced area, no plane migration concerns,

My Response:

- 1) Tidal influence not particularly significant as 3 wells present on site,
- 2) Over a year has passed but only 1 data point to show,
- 3) Our oversight, closure process is not set up to consider bankruptcy or other property related matters.

I have no basic objection for closing this case. There does not seem to be a ground water problem now and slight potential for one in the future (only TOC contain-

nutrient in soil \approx 400 ppm.

I recommended that they conduct the quarterly monitoring currently due. I would discuss the case with the Board during next water meeting to see what, if any, objection they would have to considering the case for closure without 4 quarterly samples. If not, I will consider signing off the case if the next round of sampling supports the first, indicating no ground water problem exists.