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Ms. Susan Hugo Alameda County Environmental Health Department 1131 Harbor Bay Parkway Alameda, California 94502-6577

Subject: Abandoning and Sealing Four Ground-Water Monitoring Wells, Broadway Webster

Medical Plaza, 3300 Webster Street, Oakland, California

Dear Ms. Hugo:

This letter describes work performed on March 12 and 13, 1997, to abandon and seal four shallow ground-water monitoring wells formerly located at the Broadway Webster Medical Plaza, 3300 Webster Street, Oakland, California ("the Site"; Figure 1). These wells were no longer required based on the Alameda County Department of Environmental Health's (ACEHD), and the Regional Water Quality Control Board's (RWQCB's) approval of case closure for the Site on December 11, 1996. The four wells (LF-1 through LF-4) were abandoned and sealed according to guidelines in the State of California Department of Water Resources Bulletin 74-90, dated June 1991, and under a permit obtained from Alameda County Zone 7 Water Agency, (well abandonment permit number 97121). The wells were abandoned and sealed by Gregg Drilling, a licensed drilling contractor, as directed by a Levine Fricke Recon geologist. Copies of field logs of well construction and lithology for the wells are attached.

The shallow 2-inch diameter wells LF-1 (32 feet deep), LF-2 (35 feet deep), LF-3 (27 feet deep), and LF-4 (30 feet deep), were abandoned by drilling out the existing cement grout seal and filter pack to the total depth of each well using a truck-mounted drilling rig, equipped with 8-inch diameter hollow-stem augers. The polyvinyl chloride (PVC) casing of each well and remaining well materials and soils were then withdrawn from the borehole through the hollow stem augers, and as the augers were withdrawn from the borehole. The boreholes were grouted from the bottom to approximately 1 foot bgs with neat cement grout containing approximately 5 percent bentonite. The grout was pumped into the borehole through a tremie hose set at the base of the borehole and the borehole was filled with grout to within one foot of the ground surface. The well boxes were removed and soil was placed in the remaining hole to ground surface. Soil removed from the borings as part of the well abandonment procedure was placed in seven 55-gallon drums and temporarily stored on-site. Soil samples were collected from each drum for chemical analysis for disposal purposes. Pending analytical results, the drums of soil will be disposed of at an appropriate disposal facility.



If you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please call me or Kimberly Brandt.

Sincerely,

Larry P. Lapuyade

Project Hydrogeologist

Attachments

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Mr. Wyman Hong, Zone 7 Water Agency

Mr. John Barnard, Esq.

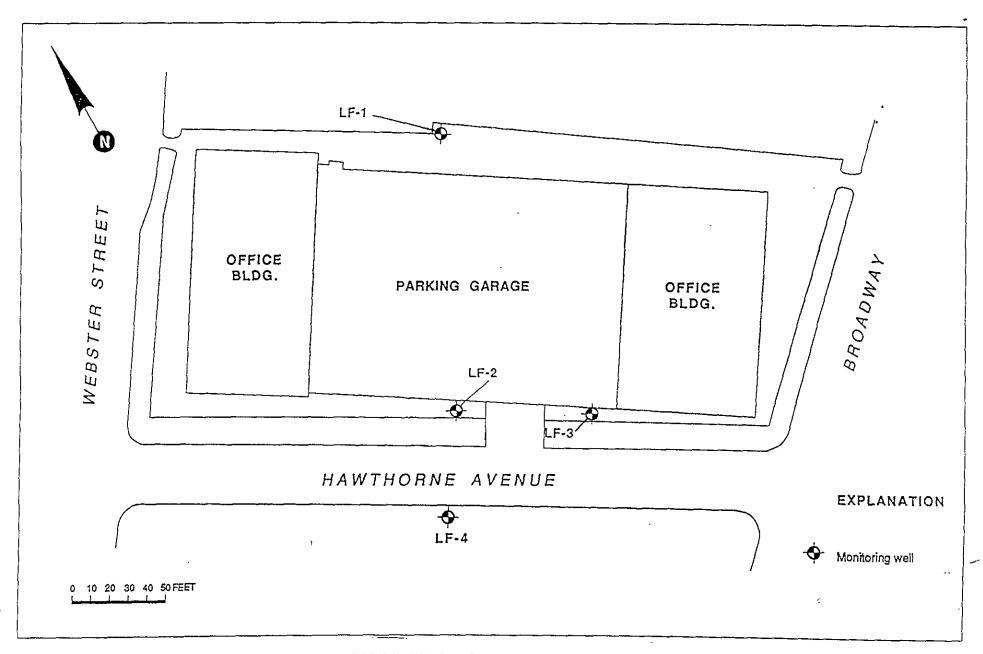
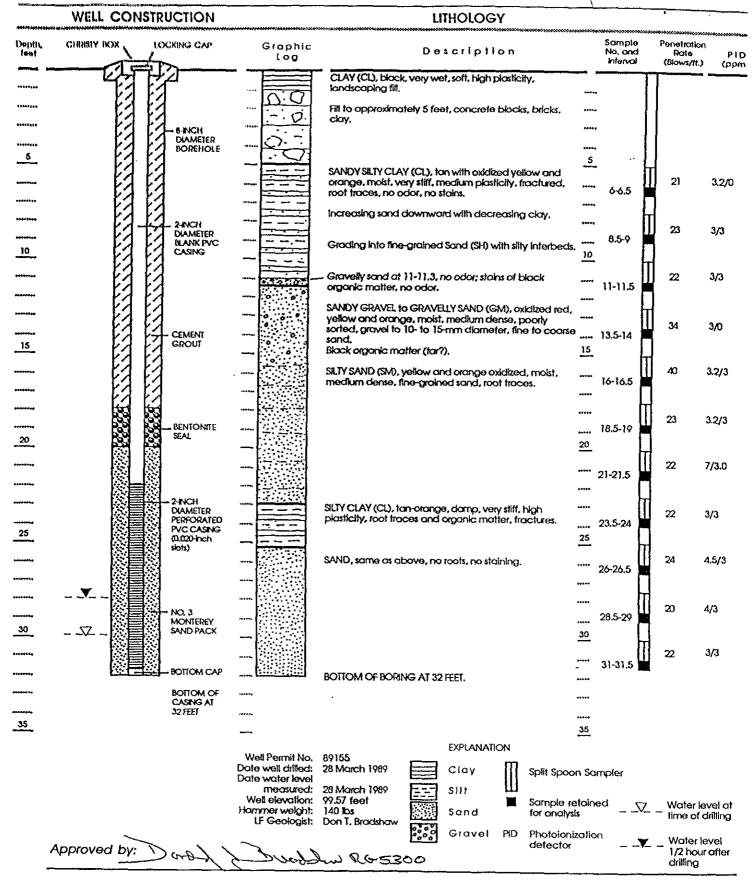


Figure 1: BASE MAP GROUND-WATER MONITORING WELL LOCATIONS



**Figure** 

: WELL CONSTRUCTION AND LITHOLOGY FOR WELL LF-1 (SB-7)

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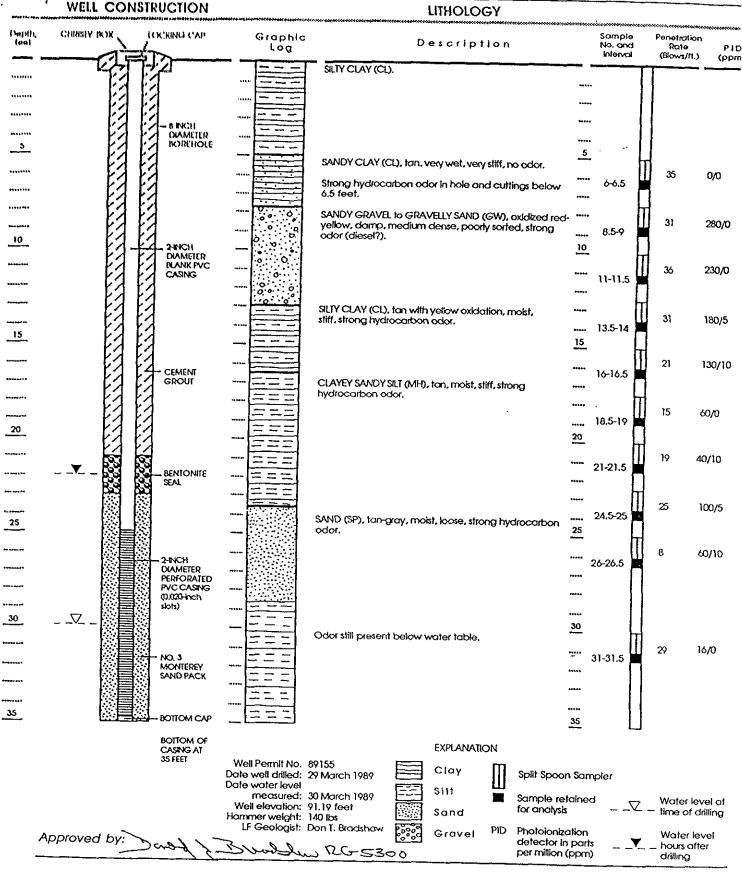
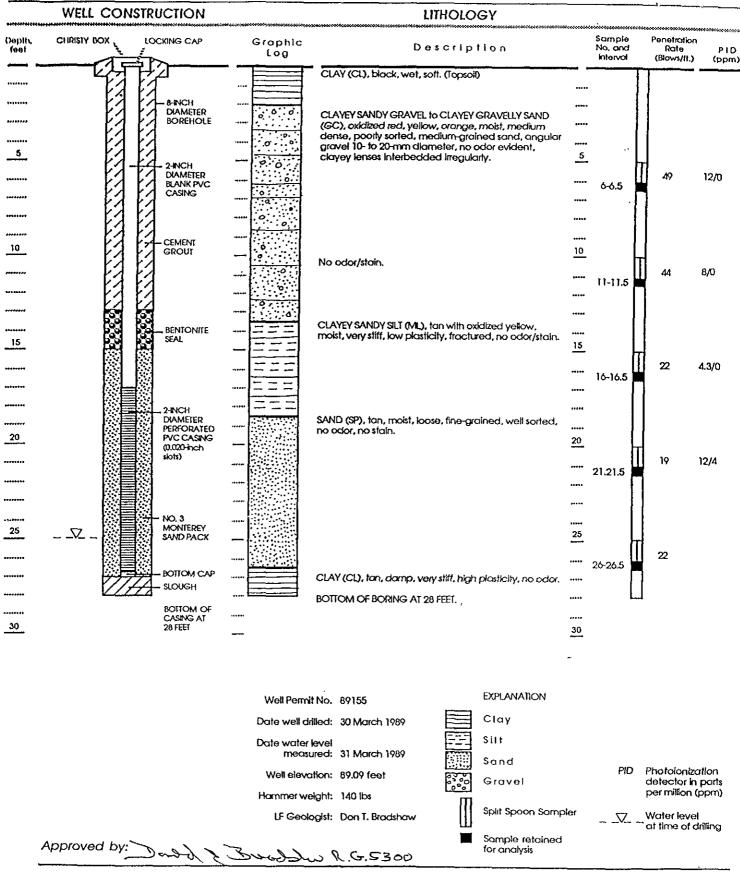


Figure : WELL CONSTRUCTION AND LITHOLOGY FOR WELL LF-2 (SB-11)

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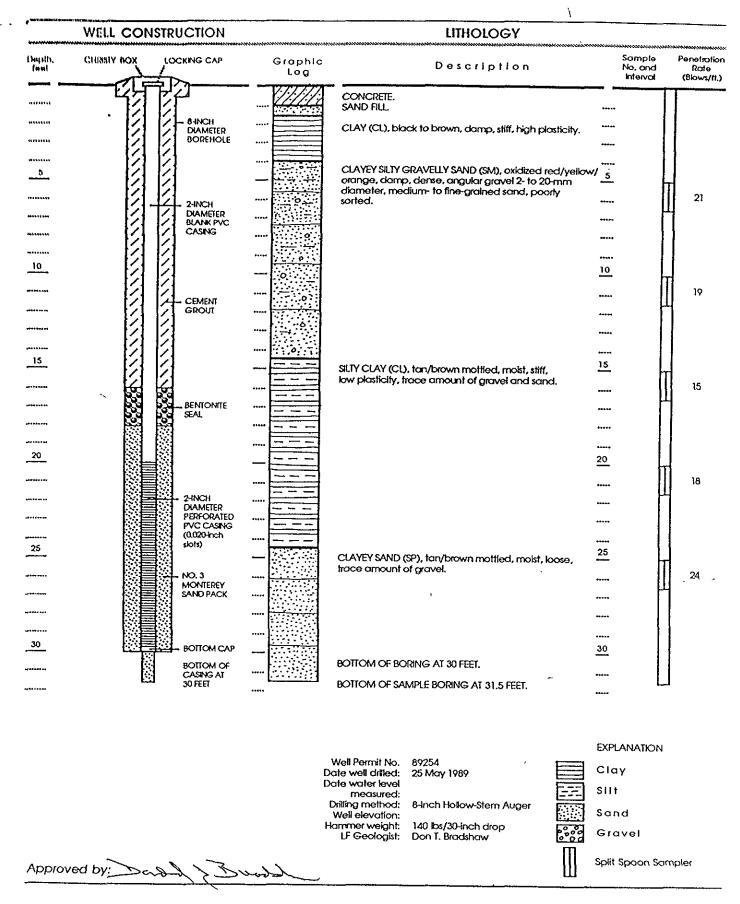
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: WELL CONSTRUCTION AND LITHOLOGY FOR WELL LF-3 (SB-13)

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**Figure** 

: WELL CONSTRUCTION AND LITHOLOGY FOR WELL LF-4

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