Tank Closure Report 2235 Clement Avenue Alameda, California

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#### INTRODUCTION

Clement Avenue Associates retained RGA, Inc. to perform a subsurface investigation of a property located at 2235 Clement Avenue, Alameda, California (see Figure 1). The scope of assessment was to delineate the lateral and vertical extent of the hydrocarbon contamination following the removal of an underground storage fuel tank, and subsequent excavation. The subsurface investigation is in response to California Water Code Section 13267 (b). The investigation was performed in accordance with the Work Plan of October 24, 1991, which was approved by the Alameda County Health Care Services, Oakland, California.

#### SITE BACKGROUND

The subject site is in a light industrial/commercial area of the city of Alameda. It is approximately 100 feet from the Oakland Estuary. Present tenants engage in light industrial activities, including metal grinding and lubrication, iron and sand blasting, and boat cleaning and painting.

Previous work performed at the subject site included tank removal on May 10, 1989, by Baseline Environmental Consulting of Emeryville, California. Curtis & Tompkins, Ltd., of Berkeley, California, analyzed the soil samples. Soil samples taken from the north and south walls were analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons. Laboratory results indicated that all the samples contained residual petroleum hydrocarbons.

### GEOLOGY/HYDROGEOLOGY

The subject site is located on an island in the San Francisco Bay. The bay resulted from a Pliocene structural depression that was flooded during the Pleistocene glacial cycle. The site is underlain by Franciscan blocks which consist mostly of metamorphic rocks and greenish graywackes. The site is flanked to the east by the Hayward fault and to the west by the San Andreas fault.

The depth to water is 5 to 10 feet below ground surface, and is subject to tidal influences. The groundwater from Alameda is said to be used for irrigation. The groundwater flow direction is generally northerly, towards the Estuary.

#### FIELD INVESTIGATIONS

Soil Borings

On December 12, 1991, RGA personnel supervised the drilling of three soil borings. Boring B-1 was converted to a monitoring well (MW-1) and was located about four feet down gradient from the former tank location. Borings B-2 and B-3 were located

at the middle, and upgradient from the former tank location (see Figure 2 for detailed boring locations). Borings B-2 and B-3 were drilled to 10 feet below ground surface and B-1 was drilled to 20 feet below ground surface.

Soil samples were collected at 5 foot intervals using a downhole Modified California Split Spoon sampler containing brass sleeves. The middle sleeve was sealed with aluminum foil, plastic caps and duct tape and placed on ice, pending laboratory analyses. The remaining sleeves were put in a zip lock bag. The head space was monitored using a photoionization detector (PID) after 60 seconds, and later the sample was examined for lithology using the unified soil classification system (USCS) (see Appendix A for detailed lithologic descriptions). Before each sampling run, the sampler and brass sleeves were cleaned with trisodium phosphate and double rinsed in water and distilled water.

Selected soil samples were recorded on a chain-of-custody form and sent to state-certified Carter Analytical Laboratories, Campbell, California. The samples were analyzed for total petroleum hydrocarbons as gasoline (TPH g), aromatic hydrocarbons BTEX, and total lead, using EPA methods 5030, 8020, and 7420, respectively.

#### Monitoring Well

To determine the groundwater quality, boring B-1 was converted to monitoring well\* MW-1. Details on the well construction are contained in Appendix A. On December 17, 1991, the monitoring well was developed by bailing more than five well volumes until temperature, turbidity, pH and conductivity were stabilized. Prior to bailing, the well was gauged to determine the static water level, and product level, if any (see Table 1 for detailed well monitoring data). After the well recharged to 90% of it's former volume, a water sample was collected using a disposable bailer, and placed in a 40 ml glass vial. The water sample and field blank were placed on ice while enroute to the laboratory. The samples were analyzed for TPH g, BTEX, and total lead.

## Site Geology

The lithology encountered during drilling consisted of clayey sand from ground surface to 10 feet below ground surface for borings B-2, and B-3, and to 20 feet for boring B-1 (MW-1). The clay was about 30% to 40%, and had low to medium dry strength and low plasticity. The sand was about 60% to 70%, and was hard, rounded, and fine to very fine grains. The soil-water interface was between 8 to 10 feet below ground surface. Details on the soils description are contained in Appendix A.

#### LABORATORY ANALYSES AND RESULTS

Based on field evaluation, three soil samples were analyzed for the presence of hydrocarbons and lead by Carter Analytical Laboratories. One water sample from monitoring well MW-1 and a field blank were also analyzed. Laboratory results indicated that all the soil samples were below detection limits or non-detectable for TPH-G, Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, and Xylenes. Samples MW1-10′, B2-10′, and B3-10′, contained 15.6 ppm, 15.4 ppm, and 13.5 ppm of total lead, respectively, which are below the TTLC regulatory levels. Details on the soils analytical results are contained in Appendix B.

Laboratory results of the groundwater sample, MW-1, and the field blank indicated that the samples were below detection limits or non-detectable for TPH-G, Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, Xylenes, and total lead. Details on the groundwater results are contained in Appendix C.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based on the field observations, results of laboratory analyses of the soil and groundwater and LUFT action levels, no further action is recommended at this site.

# TABLE 1

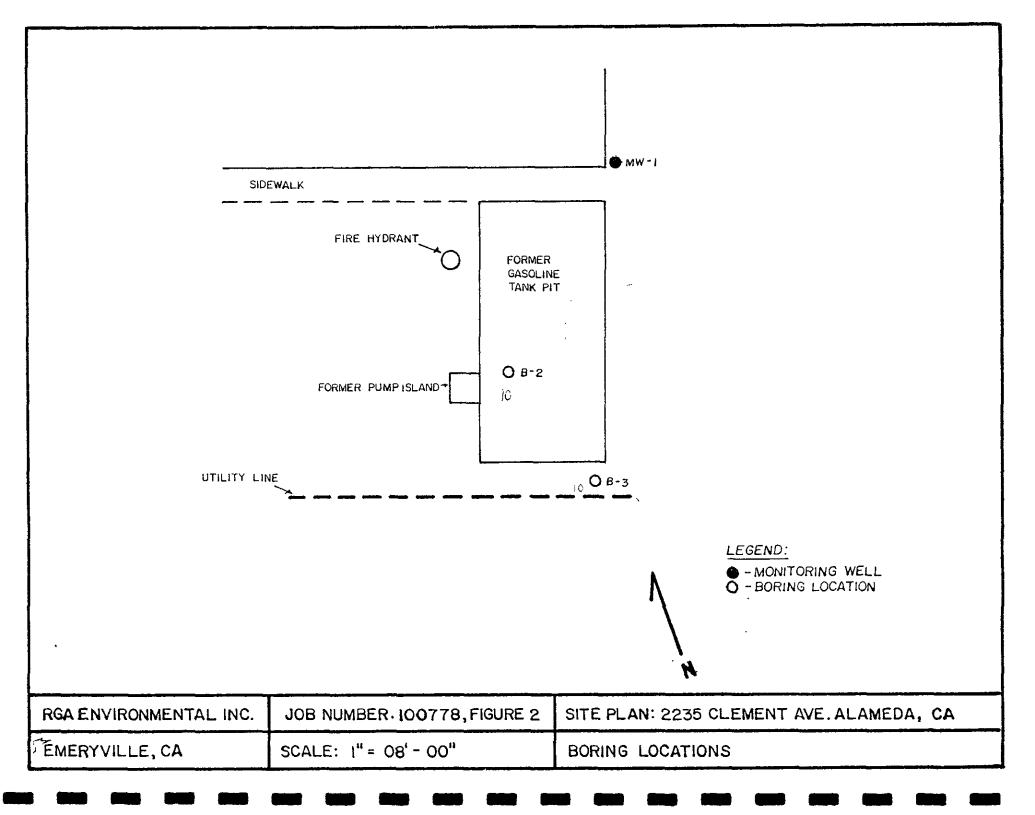
# Groundwater Monitoring Data 2235 Clement Avenue Alameda, California

Well No.	Depth To Water (ft)	Depth to Product (ft)
MW-1	6.43	N/A



# LOCAL AREA SITE LOCATION MAP

• - SITE LOCATION FIGURE - I



### DRILLING AND LITHOLOGIC LOG PROJECT : Clement Avenue Project CLIENT: Clement Avenue Associates PROJECT #: DB - 100778 TOTAL DEPTH OF HOLE: 20 Feet DIAM: 65/8 Inches LOCATION: 2235 Clement Avenue, Alameda, California INITIAL DEPTH - TO GRNDWATR: 10 Feet DATE DRILLED: December 12, 1991 STATIC WATER LEVEL: 6.43 Feet SCREEN DIAMETER: 2 Inches LENGTH: 15 Feet SLOT SIZE: 0.02 Inches CASING DIAMETER: 2Inches LENGTH: 5 Feet SAMPLERTYPE: California Modified Split Spoon Sampler DRILLING CO. HEW Drilling Company, Fast Palo Alto, CADRILLING METHOD: Hollow Stem auger LOGGED BY: Chris Nwabuzoh REVIEWED BY: Ken Korford, CFG # 505 CORESAMPLE CONDITION LEGEND: INDISTURBED DISTURBED NORECOVERY WELL. DEPTH SAMPLES USCS SYMBOL CONSTR DESCRIPTION CONDI-딜 NUMBER TION 0 CLAYEY SAND: Brown; about 40% clay; about 60% very fine to fine, hard, subrounded to rounded sand; low to medium dry strength; low plasticity; moist; slight 8 MW1-5 odor; no reaction with HCL; OVA 80 ppm. CLAYEYSAND: Brown; about 40 % clay; about 60% very fine to fine, hard, subrounded to rounded sand; low to medium dry strength; low plasticity; saturated; no odor; no reaction with HCL; OVA 10 ppm. 6 10 -10 CLAYEY SAND: Same As Above, OVA 1 ppm -15 15 CLAYEY SAND: Same As Above, OVA 1 ppm

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# DRILLING AND LITHOLOGIC LOG BORING #B-2 PROJECT : Clement Avenue Project CLIENT: Clement Avenue Associates PROJECT #: DB - 100778 TOTAL DEPTH OF HOLE: 10 Feet DIAM.; 4 Inches LOCATION: 2235 Clement Avenue, Alameda, California INITIAL DEPTH - TO GRNDWATR: N/A DATE DRILLED: December 12, 1991 STATIC WATER LEVEL: N/A SCREEN DIAMETER: N/A LENGTH: SLOT SIZE: CASING DIAMETER: N/A LENGTH: SAMPLERTYPE: California Modified Split Spoon Sampler DRILLING CO. HEW Drilling Company, Fast Palo Alto DRILLING METHOD: Hollow Stem auger LOGGED BY: Chris Nwabuzoh REVIEWED BY: Ken Korford, CEG #505 CORESAMPLE CONDITION LEGEND: \(\bar{\text{N}}\) UNDISTURBED □ DISTURBED NO RECOVERY SAMPLES DEPTH USCS CONSTR. DESCRIPTION CONDI-NUMBER TION PEAGRAVEL, No hydrocarbon odor. B2-5 5 CLAYEY SAND: Brown; About 40% clsy; about 60% very fine to fine, hard, subrounded sand; low to medium dry strength; low plasticity; moist; no odor; no 10 B2-10 reaction with HCL; OVA 30 ppm. 15 20

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# ANALYSIS REPORT

#### RGA Environmental Consulting 1260 45th Street Emeryville, CA 94608

Revised 12-30-91

DATE: 12-20-91

CONTACT: Chris Nwabuzoh

DB-100778 ORDER NO:12026A-TD P.O. NO: DB-100778

SITE DESCRIPTION: 2235 Clement Ave.

Alameda, CA

#### SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:

Soil

CHAIN OF CUSTODY ID NO:

Sampled: 12-12-91 Received: 12-13-91 Analyzed: 12-18-91 Number of Samples: 3

#### REQUESTED ANALYSIS:

Methods: EPA 6010, Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as Gasoline (TPH-G) and Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, and Nylenes (BTEX).

The analyses reported are considered accurate. Should you wish further support for the reported data, submit your requirements in writing within 10 days. It is Carter Analytical Labs Intent to give you complete satisfaction. Please reference the order number when communicating with us. The invoice is due and payable within 30 days from invoice date.

Hazardous Materials Certification No: 304 • Drinking Water Certification No: 953 from the

State of California • Department of Health Services

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Environmental Data

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Sample	Customer Label	Description	
L1	MW1-10'/MW2-10'	soil	
L2	B2-10'	soil	
L3	B3-10'	soil	

### Sample Preparation

The samples were prepared according to Title 22, Section 66700 for Total Threshold Limit Concentration (TTLC) procedures.

T	<u>itle 1</u>	<u> 22 Wasto Metals</u>	<u>Analysis</u>	for TTLC	<u>levels by EPA</u>	<u>Method 6010</u>
					TTLC	Detection
		L1	L2	$^{\mathrm{L}3}$	Regulatory	Limits
<u>M</u>	<u>etal</u>	(mg/Kg)	(mg/Kg)	<u>(mg/Kg)</u>	Levels	(mg/Kg)
L	ead	15.6	15.4	13.5	1000	0.044

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<u>Sample</u>	Customer Label	Description
L1	MW1-10'/MW2-10'	soil
L2	B2-10'	soil
L3	B3-10'	soil

#### Hydrocarbons and BTEX Analysis of Soil

Sample <u>Number</u>	TPH-G	Benzene (mg/Kg)	Toluene (mg/Kg)	Ethyl Benzene (mg/Kg)	Xylenes (mg/Kg)
L1 L2 L3	LDL LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL
DL: AR (%):	1.0	0.005	0.005 104.0	0.005	0.005

LDL indicates results are less than detection limit.

DL = Detection Limit

AR = Average Recovery

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#### RGA Environmental Consulting 1260 45th Street Emeryville, CA 94608

CONTACT: Chris Nwabuzoh

DATE: 12-31-91

CHAIN OF CUSTODY ID NO:

DB-100778

ORDER NO: 12053-TD P.O. NO: DB-100778

SITE DESCRIPTION:

2235 Clement Ave

Alameda, CA

#### SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:

Water

Sampled: 12-17-91 Received: 12-19-91 Analyzed: 12-21-91 Number of Samples: 5

#### REQUESTED ANALYSIS:

Methods: EPA 6010, EPA 3050, Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as Gasoline (TPH-G) and Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, and Xylenes (BTEX).

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Sample	<u>Customer Label</u>	Description
L1	MW-1 (Liter)	water
L2	MW-1 (VOA)	water
L3	MW-1 (VOA)	water
L1	MW-00 (VOA)	water
L5	MW-00 (VOA)	water

### EPA method 6010 Analysis

	1.2	Т 1	Detection Limit
<u>Metal</u>	(ug/L)	(ug/L)	(ug/L)
Lead	LDL	L.D.L	0.014

LDL indicates results were less than detection limit.

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Environmental Data

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Sample	Customer Label	Description	
L.1	MW-1 (Liter)	water	
1.2	MW-1 (VOA)	water	
1.3	MW-1 (VOA)	water	
L I	MW = 00  (VOA)	water	
L.3	MW-00 (VOA)	water	

### Hydrocarbons and BTEX Analysis of Water

Sample Number	TPH-G (ug/L)	Benzene (ug/L)	Toluene (ug/L)	Ethyl Benzene (ug/L)	Xylenes (ug/L)
L2 L1	LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL	LDL LDL
DL: AR (%):	50.0 1010.	0.5	0.5 105.6	0.5	0.5

LDL indicates results are less than detection limit.

DL = Detection Limit

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