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March 7, 2012

Mr. Frank Capilla Can Am Plumbing, Inc. 151 Wyoming Street Pleasanton, CA 94566

Subject: Distribution of Public Notification for Fuel Leak Case No. RO0002425 and GeoTracker Global ID T0600156201, Can Am Plumbing, 151 Wyoming Street, Pleasanton, CA 94566

Dear Mr. Capilla:

Alameda County Environmental Health (ACEH) is reviewing the fuel case file for the above referenced site for potential case closure. Public participation is a requirement for the Corrective Action Plan and case closure process. In order to notify potentially affected members of the public of the potential fuel leak case closure, we request that you distribute the attached Notification of Potential Case Closure to the addresses shown on attached mailing list **no later than March 15, 2012**. The Notification of Potential Case Closure requests that landowners or residents submit any comments or questions to ACEH regarding potential case closure by April 24, 2012. Following distribution by U.S. Mail to the attached mailing list, please submit written verification of the date that the Notification of Potential Case Closure was distributed. ACEH will consider all comments from the public prior to potential case closure.

# **TECHNICAL REPORT REQUEST**

Please submit technical reports to Alameda County Environmental Health (Attention: Jerry Wickham), according to the following schedule:

 March 16, 2012 – Verification that the Notification of Potential Case Closure was distributed to the attached mailing list

If you have any questions, please call me at (510) 567-6791 or send me an electronic mail message at <a href="mailto:jerry.wickham@acgov.org">jerry.wickham@acgov.org</a>. Online case files are available for review at the following website: <a href="http://www.acgov.org/aceh/index.htm">http://www.acgov.org/aceh/index.htm</a>. If your email address does not appear on the cover page of this notification ACEH is requesting you provide your email address so that we can correspond with you quickly and efficiently regarding your case.

Sincerely,

Jerry Wickham, California PG 3766, CEG 1177, and CHG 297 Senior Hazardous Materials Specialist Responsible Parties RO0002425 March 7, 2012 Page 2

Attachments: Public Notification of Potential Case Closure (for distribution)

Mailing List

Responsible Party(ies) Legal Requirements/Obligations

Enclosure: ACEH Electronic Report Upload (ftp) Instructions

cc: Danielle Stefani, Livermore Pleasanton Fire Department, 3560 Nevada St, Pleasanton, CA 94566 (Sent via E-mail to: dstefani@lpfire.org)

Colleen Winey (QIC 8021), Zone 7 Water Agency, 100 North Canyons Pkwy, Livermore, CA 94551 (Sent via E-mail to: <a href="mailto:cwiney@zone7water.com">cwiney@zone7water.com</a>

Martin O'Gara, Can Am Plumbing, Inc., 151 Wyoming Street, Pleasanton, CA 94566 (Sent via E-mail to: MartyO@canamplumbing.com)

Douglas Lee, Gettler-Ryan, Inc., 6747 Sierra Court, Suite J, Dublin, CA 94568 (Sent via E-mail to: dlee@grinc.com)

Donna Drogos, ACEH (Sent via E-mail to: <a href="mailto:donna.drogos@acgov.org">donna.drogos@acgov.org</a>)
Jerry Wickham, ACEH (Sent via E-mail to: <a href="mailto:jerry.wickham@acgov.org">jerry.wickham@acgov.org</a>)

GeoTracker, eFile

Owner	Address	City	Zip
LNB ENTERPRISES	35 WYOMING ST	PLEASANTON CA	94566
NAPIER HARRY & BEVERLEY TRS	2744 SILVERADO LN	LIVERMORE CA	94550
BRUTSCHE LEO C & NORMA J TRS	2279 PIKE CT	CONCORD CA	94520
GIBSON CYNTHIA TR ETAL	2646 BECARD CT	PLEASANTON CA	94566
GIL JEFFREY T & DENISE M TRS	9293 TESLA RD	LIVERMORE CA	94550
SARJI SEDIGHEH TR	9011 LUPIN WAY	LIVERMORE CA	94550
AMINIAN MICHAEL M TR & NG YI PIN	P.O. BOX 907	PLEASANTON CA	94566
CRESCO EXPRESS	20 CALIFORNIA AVENUE	PLEASANTON CA	94566
CLASSIC CARS	14 CALIFORNIA AVENUE	PLEASANTON CA	94566

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# NOTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL CASE CLOSURE CAN AM PLUMBING March 7, 2012

Site Location: 151 Wyoming Street, Pleasanton, CA 94566 Fuel Leak Case RO0002425 and GeoTracker Global ID T0600156201

**Summary** – This fact sheet has been prepared to inform community members and other interested parties of potential case closure for a fuel leak case at 151 Wyoming Street in Pleasanton, California (see attached map on back). The site currently consists of a parking area between two commercial buildings. Surrounding land use is commercial.

The fuel leaks originated from two 1,000-gallon underground storage tanks (USTs) that were reportedly installed in 1972 and were removed in June 1999. During removal of the two USTs on June 10, 1999, petroleum hydrocarbons and fuel oxygenates were detected in two soil samples collected from the sidewalls of the tank pit and in a groundwater sample collected from the tank pit monitoring well. Various site investigation activities were conducted at the site and in the surrounding areas from January 2000 to March 2009 to define the nature and extent of contamination. A total of 25 soil borings, 13 cone penetration test borings, and the installation and sampling of 17 groundwater monitoring wells or piezometers were conducted on the site and in the surrounding area.

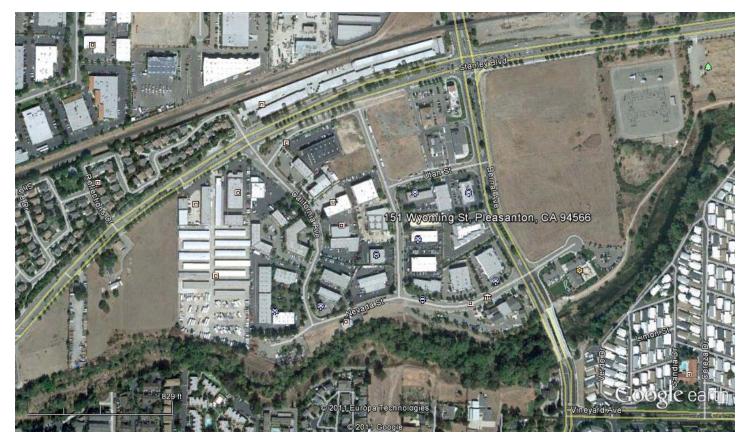
The investigations indicate that fuel oxygenates (methyl tert-butyl ether [MTBE] and tert-butanol [TBA]) are the primary chemicals of concern. MTBE and TBA have been detected in soil within an area surrounding the former USTs and dispenser. A plume of dissolved MTBE and TBA in groundwater extends approximately 150 feet north from the former USTs.

The depth to groundwater varies seasonally but is encountered within various vertical zones at depths ranging from roughly 20 to 50 feet below ground surface (bgs). A perched groundwater zone where groundwater is less than 10 feet bgs occurs within the former tank pit. Multi-level groundwater sampling indicates that MTBE is present in groundwater to a depth of approximately 80 feet bgs in the area of the former USTs.

Quarterly groundwater monitoring was conducted at the site from January 2000 until June 2011. The groundwater monitoring data indicate that the plume containing MTBE and TBA appears to be stable and is unlikely to migrate significantly beyond its current extent. Water quality is expected to be restored over the long term by natural attenuation processes. The nearest water supply wells are more than 1,000 feet from the edge of the plume and are not expected to be impacted by the plume. Site investigation activities have been completed and it does not appear that the fuel release presents a risk to human health for surrounding residents or workers. Therefore, ACEH is considering potential closure of the fuel leak case.

**Next Step** – The public is invited to review and comment on the potential closure of the fuel leak case. The entire case file can be viewed over the Internet on the ACEH website (<a href="http://www.acgov.org/aceh/lop/ust.htm">http://www.acgov.org/aceh/lop/ust.htm</a>) or the State of California Water Resources Control Board Geotracker website (<a href="http://geotracker.swrcb.ca.gov">http://geotracker.swrcb.ca.gov</a>). Please send written comments to Jerry Wickham at the address below; all comments will be forwarded to the responsible parties. **Comments received by April 24**, **2012** will be considered and responded to prior to a final determination on the proposed case closure.

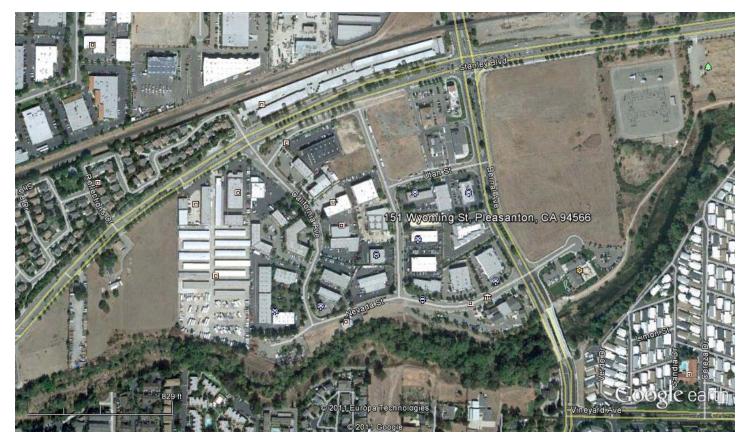
Additional information: Contact Jerry Wickham of the Alameda County Department of Environmental Health, 1131 Harbor Bay Parkway, Alameda, CA 94502 at 510-567-6791 or by email at <a href="mailto:jerry.wickham@acgov.org">jerry.wickham@acgov.org</a>.





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#### Attachment 1

### Responsible Party(ies) Legal Requirements / Obligations

### REPORT REQUESTS

These reports are being requested pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Section 25296.10. 23 CCR Sections 2652 through 2654, and 2721 through 2728 outline the responsibilities of a responsible party in response to an unauthorized release from a petroleum UST system, and require your compliance with this request.

### **ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL OF REPORTS**

ACEH's Environmental Cleanup Oversight Programs (LOP and SLIC) require submission of reports in electronic form. The electronic copy replaces paper copies and is expected to be used for all public information requests, regulatory review, and compliance/enforcement activities. Instructions for submission of electronic documents to the Alameda County Environmental Cleanup Oversight Program FTP site are provided on the attached "Electronic Report Upload Instructions." Submission of reports to the Alameda County FTP site is an addition to existing requirements for electronic submittal of information to the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) GeoTracker website. In September 2004, the SWRCB adopted regulations that require electronic submittal of information for all groundwater cleanup programs. For several years, responsible parties for cleanup of leaks from underground storage tanks (USTs) have been required to submit groundwater analytical data, surveyed locations of monitoring wells, and other data to the GeoTracker database over the Internet. Beginning July 1, 2005, these same reporting requirements were added to Spills, Leaks, Investigations, and Cleanup (SLIC) sites. Beginning July 1, 2005, electronic submittal of a complete copy of all reports for all sites is required in GeoTracker (in PDF format). Please visit **SWRCB** website information on these requirements the for more (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\_issues/programs/ust/electronic\_submittal/).

#### PERJURY STATEMENT

All work plans, technical reports, or technical documents submitted to ACEH must be accompanied by a cover letter from the responsible party that states, at a minimum, the following: "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." This letter must be signed by an officer or legally authorized representative of your company. Please include a cover letter satisfying these requirements with all future reports and technical documents submitted for this fuel leak case.

# PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION & CONCLUSIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS

The California Business and Professions Code (Sections 6735, 6835, and 7835.1) requires that work plans and technical or implementation reports containing geologic or engineering evaluations and/or judgments be performed under the direction of an appropriately registered or certified professional. For your submittal to be considered a valid technical report, you are to present site specific data, data interpretations, and recommendations prepared by an appropriately licensed professional and include the professional registration stamp, signature, and statement of professional certification. Please ensure all that all technical reports submitted for this fuel leak case meet this requirement.

#### UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUP FUND

Please note that delays in investigation, later reports, or enforcement actions may result in your becoming ineligible to receive grant money from the state's Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund (Senate Bill 2004) to reimburse you for the cost of cleanup.

# AGENCY OVERSIGHT

If it appears as though significant delays are occurring or reports are not submitted as requested, we will consider referring your case to the Regional Board or other appropriate agency, including the County District Attorney, for possible enforcement actions. California Health and Safety Code, Section 25299.76 authorizes enforcement including administrative action or monetary penalties of up to \$10,000 per day for each day of violation.

# Alameda County Environmental Cleanup Oversight Programs (LOP and SLIC)

**REVISION DATE:** July 20, 2010

ISSUE DATE: July 5, 2005

**PREVIOUS REVISIONS:** October 31, 2005; December 16, 2005; March 27, 2009; July 8, 2010

**SECTION:** Miscellaneous Administrative Topics & Procedures

SUBJECT: Electronic Report Upload (ftp) Instructions

The Alameda County Environmental Cleanup Oversight Programs (LOP and SLIC) require submission of all reports in electronic form to the county's ftp site. Paper copies of reports will no longer be accepted. The electronic copy replaces the paper copy and will be used for all public information requests, regulatory review, and compliance/enforcement activities.

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

- Please do not submit reports as attachments to electronic mail.
- Entire report including cover letter must be submitted to the ftp site as a single portable document format (PDF) with no password protection.
- It is preferable that reports be converted to PDF format from their original format, (e.g., Microsoft Word) rather than scanned.
- Signature pages and perjury statements must be included and have either original or electronic signature.
- <u>Do not</u> password protect the document. Once indexed and inserted into the correct electronic case file, the
  document will be secured in compliance with the County's current security standards and a password. <u>Documents</u>
  with password protection <u>will not</u> be accepted.
- Each page in the PDF document should be rotated in the direction that will make it easiest to read on a computer monitor.
- Reports must be named and saved using the following naming convention:

RO#\_Report Name\_Year-Month-Date (e.g., RO#5555\_WorkPlan\_2005-06-14)

#### **Submission Instructions**

- 1) Obtain User Name and Password
  - a) Contact the Alameda County Environmental Health Department to obtain a User Name and Password to upload files to the ftp site.
    - i) Send an e-mail to deh.loptoxic@acgov.org
  - b) In the subject line of your request, be sure to include "ftp PASSWORD REQUEST" and in the body of your request, include the Contact Information, Site Addresses, and the Case Numbers (RO# available in Geotracker) you will be posting for.
- 2) Upload Files to the ftp Site
  - a) Using Internet Explorer (IE4+), go to ftp://alcoftp1.acgov.org
    - (i) Note: Netscape, Safari, and Firefox browsers will not open the FTP site as they are NOT being supported at this time.
  - b) Click on Page located on the Command bar on upper right side of window, and then scroll down to Open FTP Site in Windows Explorer.
  - c) Enter your User Name and Password. (Note: Both are Case Sensitive.)
  - d) Open "My Computer" on your computer and navigate to the file(s) you wish to upload to the ftp site.
  - e) With both "My Computer" and the ftp site open in separate windows, drag and drop the file(s) from "My Computer" to the ftp window.
- 3) Send E-mail Notifications to the Environmental Cleanup Oversight Programs
  - a) Send email to <a href="mailto:deh.loptoxic@acgov.org">deh.loptoxic@acgov.org</a> notify us that you have placed a report on our ftp site.
  - b) Copy your Caseworker on the e-mail. Your Caseworker's e-mail address is the entire first name then a period and entire last name @acgov.org. (e.g., firstname.lastname@acgov.org)
  - c) The subject line of the e-mail must start with the RO# followed by **Report Upload**. (e.g., Subject: RO1234 Report Upload) If site is a new case without an RO#, use the street address instead.
  - d) If your document meets the above requirements and you follow the submission instructions, you will receive a notification by email indicating that your document was successfully uploaded to the ftp site.