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Mr. Shay Wideman The Valero Companies Director-Environmental Liability Management 685 West Third Street Hanford, California 93230

SUBJECT Notification of Upcoming Drilling Activities

Former Exxon Service Station 70234 3450 35th Avenue, Oakland, California

Mr. Wideman:

At the request of ExxonMobil Environmental Services Company, on behalf of ExxonMobil Oil Corporation (ExxonMobil), Environmental Resolutions, Inc. (ERI) is notifying you of upcoming environmental activities at the subject sites. The field activities will involve advancing three off-site soil borings (SB19 through SB21), installation of four on-site groundwater monitoring wells (MW4 through MW7), and the installation of two off-site groundwater monitoring wells (MW8 and MW9) at the locations shown on the attached Proposed Boring and Well Locations map. Work is being performed at the direction of the Alameda County Health Care Services Agency, Environmental Health Services.

Specific field activities related to the work include:

- An on-site project orientation meeting.
- Marking proposed boring locations on the pavement for Underground Service Alert.
- Performing an underground utility survey.
- Excavating the upper 8 feet of the borings using hand and vacuum excavation equipment (borehole clearance).
- Advancing soil borings for collection of soil and groundwater samples and installation of groundwater monitoring wells.
- Surface restoration.
- Well development activities.
- Coordinate Survey.

The proposed schedule of activities is outlined below. ERI encourages you to attend the Project Orientation Meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, February 17, 2009, at 10:00 A.M., to discuss the work scope and associated logistical and safety issues.

The anticipated schedule of activities is as follows:

Project Orientation Meeting: February 17, 2009, 9:00 A.M. Borehole Clearance: February 25 through 27, 2009, 8:00 A.M.

Drilling Activities: March 2 through 6, 2009, 8:00 A.M. Survey Activities: March 9, 2009 (time to be determined)

Well Development Activities: March 10 and 11, 2009 (time to be determined)

Soil cuttings and rinsate water from drilling activities will be placed in 55-gallon drums and stored at the former

service station pending characterization and disposal. Upon receipt of laboratory analytical results of soil samples from the drums, ERI will coordinate with ExxonMobil for disposal of the soil and water.

ERI appreciates your cooperation in ensuring that field work occurs safely and efficiently. Please call Ms. Paula Sime, ERI's project manager for this site, at (707) 766-2000 with any questions regarding the work.

Sincerely,

Environmental Resolutions, Inc.

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Attachment:

Proposed Boring and Well Locations

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