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Subject:

Addendum to Work Plan

1249 67th Street

Emeryville, California

Dear Mr. Chan:

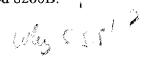
On behalf of Pulte Home Corporation (Pulte), Geomatrix Consultants, Inc. (Geomatrix), has prepared this addendum to supplement the February 19, 2003 Work Plan (Work Plan) to characterize environmental conditions at the 1249 67th Street site (the site; Figure 1) in Emeryville, California. This addendum is based on our phone conversation with you regarding your comments on the Work Plan. The primary objective of the proposed work is to collect additional soil and groundwater data to support a site-specific human health risk assessment and, if necessary, a site management plan (SMP) to manage residual chemicals at the site. Details for the additional work and an estimated schedule are presented below.

ADDENDUM TO WORK PLAN

Per your request, soil samples collected from the Site will also include analyses for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and organochlorine pesticides.

Additional Analyses for Proposed Soil Samples

As indicated in the Work Plan, nine (9) soil borings will be advanced at locations where the proposed development includes yards and common areas (Figure 2). Soil samples will be collected for chemical analyses from depths of approximately 1 to 1.5 feet and 5 to 5.5 feet below ground surface (bgs). Soil samples collected from the shallowest depth interval will be analyzed for arsenic and Leaking Underground Fuel Tank (LUFT) metals (cadmium, chromium, nickel, lead, and zinc) and polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PNAs) by a state-certified laboratory using EPA Methods 6010B and 8270C selective ion monitoring (SIM) mode, respectively. In addition, per your request, these shallow soil samples also will be analyzed for organochlorine pesticides using EPA Method 8081B. Soil samples collected from approximately 5 to 5.5 feet bgs will be analyzed for VOCs using EPA Method 8260B.





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ESTIMATED SCHEDULE

Based on the current plans for site redevelopment, the existing buildings on the property will be demolished beginning during in late November 2003. Contingent on the weather, we will begin field activities on November 24, 2003.

We appreciate your review of this addendum to the Work Plan and look forward to the County's concurrence with the overall site characterization approach. Please call either of the undersigned if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely yours,

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Attachments: Figure 1: Site Location Map

Figure 2: Grab Groundwater Analytical Results for VOCs and Proposed

Sampling Locations

cc: Mr. Mike Kim, Pulte Home Corporation

Mr. Ravi Arulanantham, Geomatrix

