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December 23, 2002

Mr. Leroy Griffin Oakland Fire Department Fire Prevention Bureau 250 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Suite 3341 Oakland, CA 94612

SUBJECT:

EXCAVATION AND OFFSITE DISPOSAL OF LEAD-BEARING SOIL

Vacant Property 1455 5th Street Oakland, California

Dear Mr. Griffin:

Aqua Science Engineers (ASE) has been contracted by the property owners, Andy and Jean Hall, to remove lead-bearing soil previously identified at the above-referenced site. Enclosed, you will find copies of assessment reports identifying the location of the affected soil, and a brief scope of work for the remediation of the property.

We respectfully request that your agency passes this case onto the Alameda County Health Care Services Agency (ACHCSA) for their oversight and involvement. We have already taken the liberty of contacting the ACHCSA to determine their availability and willingness to accept this case. We have been told by the ACHCSA that they would accept the case.

The property is to be sold upon completion of the remedial activities. Your assistance in this matter as soon as possible would be greatly appreciated.

Should any questions or comments arise, please feel free to give us a call at (925) 820-9391.

Respectfully submitted,

AQUA SCIENCE ENGINEERS, INC.

David Allen, R.E.A.

Senior Project Manager

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cc: Andy and Jean Hall, Property Owners