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February 6, 2004

Joseph & Zella Aldridge  
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Oakland, CA 94610

Subject: Fuel Leak Case No. RO0002599, Aldridge Property, 1636 Trestle Glen Rd.,  
Oakland, CA 94610

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Aldridge:

The Oakland Fire Department reported the discovery of a release from the 350 gallon heating oil underground storage tank (UST) system on your property on September 25, 2003. The release was reported to the Alameda County Environmental Health (ACEH), the lead agency for oversight of investigation and cleanup of petroleum hydrocarbon releases in Oakland. We have recently reviewed the information in our file and determined that up to 4,400 mg/kg Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons Diesel (TPHD) were detected in soil collected 9 feet below ground surface (bgs) beneath the center of the tank. Thus, a soil and groundwater investigation is needed at this site.

Please investigate the extent of soil and groundwater contamination beneath your site. This type of investigation usually involves drilling one or more soil borings and collecting soil and groundwater samples for chemical analysis. If significant contamination is present, groundwater monitoring wells may be needed and groundwater sampled to properly characterize groundwater contamination.

Submit a work plan detailing your proposal to define the extent of soil and/or groundwater contamination by April 6, 2004. This report is being requested pursuant to the California Regional Water Quality Control Board's (Regional Board) authority under Section 13267 of the California Water Code.

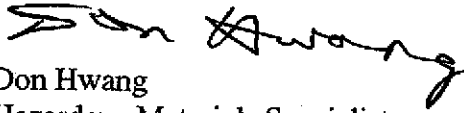
#### UST CLEANUP FUND

Please be aware that you may be eligible for reimbursement of the costs of investigation from the California UST Cleanup Fund (Fund). In some cases, a deductible amount may apply. If you believe you meet the eligibility requirements, I strongly encourage you to contact the Fund for an application.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (510) 567-6746.

Sincerely,



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