## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY RICHMOND FIELD STATION MONTHLY SUMMARY REPORT

## **OCTOBER 15, 2009**

This monthly summary report (MSR) summarizes environmental site investigation and remediation activities conducted on behalf of The Regents of the University of California (UC) at the University of California, Berkeley's Richmond Field Station in accordance with Section 6.3 of the California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) Site Investigation and Remediation Order (Order), Docket No. I/SE-RAO 06/07-004, effective on September 20, 2006.

- a. Specific actions taken by or on behalf of Respondents during the previous calendar month (September 2009).
  - Implementation of invasive plant control continued as required by the *Invasive/Exotic Vegetation Management Program*.
  - UC Berkeley submitted a written response to DTSC's comments on the draft Field Sampling Workplan (FSW) on September 18, 2009.
  - Feral animal trapping was completed as required by the *Feral Animal Management Program*.
  - On September 3, 2009, UC Berkeley met with the US Army Corps of Engineers and DTSC to orient the Corps new Regulatory Project Manager Nina Cavett to the Western Stege Marsh restoration project.
- b. Actions expected to be undertaken during the current calendar month (October 2009).
  - Implementation of invasive plant control will continue as required by the *Invasive/Exotic Vegetation Management Program*.
  - It is anticipated that UC Berkeley will submit the final FSW to DTSC in October or November, within 30 days following DTSC's concurrence with UC Berkeley's response to DTSC's comments on the draft FSW.
  - Semi-annual stormwater samples were collected from Western Stege Marsh on October 13, 2009 as required by the *Groundwater, Surface Water and Sediment Monitoring Plan*. This sampling event completes the early season storm sampling activity for the Western Stege Marsh Monitoring Year 5 (2009) required by the monitoring plan.

- c. All planned activities for the next month (November 2009).
  - Implementation of invasive plant control will continue as required by the *Invasive/Exotic Vegetation Management Program*.
  - Feral animal trapping will be completed as required by the *Feral Animal Management Program*.
  - Semi-annual surface water and sediment samples will be collected from Western Stege Marsh as required by the *Groundwater*, *Surface Water and Sediment Monitoring Plan*.
- d. Any requirements under the Order that were not completed.
  - None.
- e. Any problems or anticipated problems in complying with this Order.
  - Completion of the Field Sampling Workplan and other tasks is dependent on the ability to meet with DTSC staff on a timely basis and may require adjusting schedules and extensions of deadlines.