

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY**  
**RICHMOND BAY CAMPUS**  
**RICHMOND FIELD STATION SITE**  
**MONTHLY SUMMARY REPORT**  
**January 16, 2024**

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 Site 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 (December 2023).

- Reporting and Communications; Groundwater Monitoring Investigation: On December 4, 2023, UC Berkeley submitted a summary of the dry-season groundwater levels monitoring event, including a groundwater elevation contour map for the event. UC Berkeley submitted the Final 2023 Groundwater Monitoring Report, dated December 18, following completion of the groundwater investigation-derived waste drums disposal on December 15.
- Reporting and Communication; Eastern Transition Area (ETA) PCB Investigation: UC Berkeley submitted a summary of the ETA PCB investigation conducted in November 2023 to DTSC and EPA on December 19. The summary included proposed additional sampling throughout the ETA.

b. Actions expected to be undertaken during the current calendar month (January 2024).

- Field Activity; ETA PCB Investigation: UC Berkeley implemented the proposed additional sampling during the week of January 8, 2024.
- Reporting and Communication; Western Transition Area (WTA) Phase V Investigation: UC Berkeley will continue preparation of the Phase V implementation summary report. This report will incorporate comments received on the Phase V, WTA Sample Results letter, dated October 16, 2020, and the supplemental investigation defining the extent of the dark product encountered during the original Phase V investigation. This document will incorporate the Phase V Western Stage Marsh Implementation Summary Report, completed in 2018.

c. All planned activities for the next month and beyond (February 2024 and beyond)

- Reporting and Communication; Corporation Yard PCB Removal Action, Sampling: UC Berkeley will submit a summary letter presenting sampling results for PCBs in the East Meadow and DU7 excavation summary.
- Reporting and Communications; Soil Management Plan: UC Berkeley will continue preparation of the Final Soil Management Plan, Revision 3.
- Reporting and Communications; WTA Phase V Implementation Summary Report: UC Berkeley will continue to prepare the WTA Phase V implementation summary report.

- Reporting and Communication; B112 PCB Removal Action: UC Berkeley will issue hard copies of the final implementation summary report for the B112 Transformer Area PCB removal action to DTSC.

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 RAW and TSCA removal actions, continued efforts under the Field Sampling Workplan, and other tasks is dependent on the ability to meet with DTSC and EPA staff on a timely basis and may require adjusting schedules and extensions of deadlines.