

July 15, 2016

Lynn Nakashima Project Manager Department of Toxic Substances Control 700 Heinz Avenue Berkeley, CA 94710

Subject: Draft Phase V Field Sampling Plan, University of California, Berkeley, Richmond Bay Campus, Former Richmond Field Station Site, Richmond, California

Dear Ms. Nakashima:

Please find enclosed the Draft Phase V Field Sampling Plan for the Former Richmond Field Station Site (two copies on paper and disc).

The scope of Phase V consists of characterization activities within the University of California property boundary of the Western Transition Area and old marsh portion of Western Stege Marsh. Recommendations in the Final Phase IV Field Sampling Plan Technical Memorandum included further evaluation of polychlorinated biphenyls in the EPA Meadow North. We are currently under discussions with U.S. EPA regarding additional sampling within the EPA Meadow North with the purpose of evaluating discrete and incremental sample methodologies. A schedule has not been established for this sampling event, and as a result, we recommend EPA Meadow North not be included within the scope of Phase V.

If you have any questions or need further information regarding this submittal, please call me at (Jason.Brodersen@tetratech.com, 510-302-6283) or Karl Hans (khans@berkeley.edu, 510-643-9574).

Sincerely

Jason Brodersen, PG Program Manager

Enclosure

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