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WORK NOTICE

Zeneca/Former Stauffer Chemical Site
Lot 3, 1415 South 47th Street
Richmond, California

Soil Gas Sampling Planned Starting June 29, 2009

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) will oversee the installation of 17 new soil gas wells, and the collection of soil gas samples from the new and existing soil gas wells in the Lot 3 area of the Zeneca/Former Stauffer Chemical Site. This sampling is being conducted as part of the Lot 3 groundwater treatability study that will evaluate different methods to treat the volatile organic compounds found in the groundwater. The soil gas data will be used to help locate where the study areas should be located.

The new soil gas wells will be installed using probes that will be pushed into the ground by a drill rig. After reviewing the soil vapor sample results that were collected in December 2008, new wells are being installed to help better identify the distribution of soil gas vapor. It is anticipated that the installation of the new soil gas wells, and the sampling of the new and existing soil gas wells will take approximately three weeks.

Work is expected to begin at 7:00 am and can extend to 7:00 pm.

The procedures used to install the soil gas wells and collect the soil gas samples are protective of human health and the environment and will not release any of the contamination into the atmosphere. Trained environmental contractors will be installing the wells and collecting the samples.

Additional information can be found at: www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public. In the City entry field, type "Richmond", then click on the "Get Report button at the bottom of the page. Then scroll to the bottom of the page and in the Jump to Page section, click on "2". Scroll down the page to "Zeneca Richmond" and click on "[Report]" to the left of the entry. This will reveal the Zeneca home page where you can access documents related to this site.

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