

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NO FURTHER ACTION REQUIRED (CONDITIONAL), UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CASE #040039, GRIDLEY PIT STOP, 1344 HIGHWAY 99, GRIDLEY, BUTTE COUNTY

This letter confirms the completion of site investigation and corrective action for the former underground storage tanks (USTs) located at the above-described location. In February 2017, a majority of the remediation and monitoring wells were properly destroyed. However, remediation wells AS-1 and OS-6 through OS-19 were not destroyed. Wells OS-6 and OS-7 were paved over with asphalt in the highway right-of-way and posed a safety issue due to proximity to a gas pipeline. Wells AS-1 and OS-8 through OS-19 could not be located, even using ground penetrating radar surveys. Well destruction activities were summarized in the 28 February 2017 *Well Destruction Results Report* submitted by your consultant Apex Envirotech, Inc.

Based on the information in the above-referenced file and with the provision that the information provided to this agency was accurate and representative of site conditions, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) finds that the site investigation and corrective action carried out at your underground storage tank site is **in compliance** with the requirements of subdivisions (a) and (b) of Section 25296.10 of the Health and Safety Code and with corrective action regulations adopted pursuant to Section 25299.3 of the Health and Safety Code, and that no further action related to the petroleum release(s) at the site is required until such time as:

- (1) the missing wells (AS-1, OS-8 through OS-19) are located or
- (2) asphalt removal or replacement allows access to wells OS-6 and OS-7.

The Discharger shall notify the Central Valley Water Board if and when these wells are encountered or become accessible. At that time, the case shall be reopened and the wells properly decommissioned.

This notice is issued pursuant to subdivision (g) of Section 25296.10 of the Health and Safety Code.

Claims for reimbursement of corrective action costs submitted to the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund more than 365 days after the date of this letter or issuance or activation of the

Fund's Letter of Commitment, whichever occurs later, will not be reimbursed unless one of the following exceptions applies:

1. Claims are submitted pursuant to Section 25299.57, subdivision (k) (reopened UST case); or
2. Submission within the timeframe was beyond the claimant's reasonable control, ongoing work is required for closure that will result in the submission of claims beyond that time period, or that under the circumstances of the case, it would be unreasonable or inequitable to impose the 365-day time period.

If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Buciak at (530) 224-4854, Melissa.Buciak@waterboards.ca.gov, or the footer address.



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Enclosure: Technical Memorandum

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