

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY CAMP STANLEY STORAGE ACTIVITY, MCAAP 25800 RALPH FAIR ROAD, BOERNE, TX 78015-4800

October 30, 2012

U-003-13



SUBJECT: Sampling of Water Well RFR-11, Located at 25360 Old Fredericksburg Road

Dear

Camp Stanley Storage Activity (CSSA) collected groundwater samples from your well (RFR-11) on 8/30/12. These samples were submitted to a laboratory contracted by CSSA's environmental contractor for volatile organic compound (VOC) analysis. This letter provides you with the VOC data from the laboratory results and a formal thank you for your assistance in this groundwater monitoring effort.

An abbreviated summary of analytical results compared to maximum contaminant levels (MCLs) allowed in drinking water by the U.S. EPA under the Safe Drinking Water Act is provided below:

Date Sampled	VOC Compound	Result (ppb)	MCL (ppb)
Well RFR-11, loca	ted at 25360 Old Fredericksburg Road		
8/30/12	Tetrachloroethene (PCE)	0.54F	5
	Trichloroethene (TCE)	2.92	5
	cis-1,2-Dichloroethene (DCE)	<0.07 (non-detect)	70

<sup>\*</sup>The "F" qualifier indicates the value is above the laboratory method detection limit, but below the laboratory reporting limit for the compound.

Based on the analytical data, levels of the VOCs TCE and PCE were identified in the water sample from your well before granular activated carbon (GAC) filtration. These levels are below the applicable MCL and do not affect usability of your well. The concentrations reported for the VOC PCE was above the MCL in the past. Therefore, a filtration system was installed on your well.

Carbonair Environmental Systems of San Marcos, Texas installed the GAC filtration system on your well. The system will remain in operation for the foreseeable future or until significant reductions in contamination levels are seen in the water in your well before it enters the filtration system. As we discussed at the time of installation, CSSA will continue to be responsible for all costs associated with operation and maintenance of this system. CSSA will continue to send a representative every three weeks to exchange the five-micron pre-and post-filters in the system.

Carbonair exchanged the first carbon canister and performed other routine maintenance on your system in July 2012. If you experience any problems with the system, please let the

installer or CSSA know immediately. Carbonair is very responsive and can make additional maintenance visits if needed.

On 8/30/12, CSSA collected a sample from your well RFR-11 after the water was processed through the granular activated carbon (GAC) filter system. This sample is representative of the water being delivered to you for daily use. Based on the analytical data, no VOCs related to CSSA's groundwater investigation were identified in the sample after the second carbon canister (A2). This level is below the applicable MCL and does not affect the usability of your well. A summary of the post-GAC analytical results is provided below. Copies of the laboratory data sheets are attached. CSSA will collect additional confirmation samples on a 6month basis to confirm the system remains effective.

Date Sampled	VOC compound	Result (ppb)	MCL (ppb)
Well RFR-11-A2,	located at 25360 Old Frederick	ksburg Road	
8/30/12	PCE	PCE <0.06 (non-detect)	
	TCE	<0.05 (non-detect)	5
P	cis-1,2-DCE	<0.07 (non-detect)	70

<sup>\*</sup>The "F" qualifier indicates the value is above the laboratory method detection limit, but below the laboratory reporting limit for the compound.

As part of the ongoing CSSA environmental program, we are continuing to investigate and cleanup VOC source areas on the installation and to track these compounds in groundwater onand off post. As part of this effort, your well is scheduled to be sampled again in December 2012.

Again, we would like to thank you for your cooperation. We regret that your well has been impacted, but remain committed to making sure your water is safe to use and keeping you informed. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Gabriel Moreno-Fergusson, Environmental Program Manager, at (210) 295-7014.

Sincerely,

Jason D. Shirley

Installation Manager

## Enclosure

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## **AFCEE** ORGANIC ANALYSES DATA SHEET 2 **RESULTS**

Analytical Method: EPA 8260B

Preparatory Method:

5030B

AAB #: 120910AS-170767

Lab Name: APPL, Inc

Contract #: \*G012

Lab Sample ID: AY67494

Matrix: Water

Field Sample ID: RFR-11 % Solids: NA

Initial Calibration ID: S120831

Date Received: 31-Aug-12

Date Prepared: 10-Sep-12

Date Analyzed: 10-Sep-12

Concentration Units: ug/L

Analyte	MDL	RL	Concentration	Dilution	Confirm	Qualifier
1,1-DCE	0.12	1.2	0.12	1		U
CIS-1,2-DCE	0.07	1.2	0.07	1		U
TCE	0.05	1.0	2.92	1		
TETRACHLOROETHENE	0.06	1.4	0.54	1		F
TRANS-1,2-DCE	0.08	0.6	0.08	1		U
VINYL CHLORIDE	0.08	1.1	0.08	1		U

Surrogate	Recovery	Control Limits	Qualifier
SURROGATE: 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE-	106	69-139	
SURROGATE: 4-BROMOFLUOROBENZ	108	75-125	
SURROGATE: DIBROMOFLUOROMETH	110	75-125	
SURROGATE: TOLUENE-D8 (S)	104	75-125	

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1,4	-DICHLOROBENZENE-D4 (IS)	)	
CH	ILOROBENZENE-D5 (IS)		
FL	UOROBENZENE (IS)		

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## AFCEE ORGANIC ANALYSES DATA SHEET 2 RESULTS

Analytical Method: EPA 8260B

Preparatory Method: 5030B

AAB #: 121018BT-172073

Lab Name: APPL, Inc

Contract #: \*G012

Field Sample ID: RFR-11-A2

Lab Sample ID: AY70271

Matrix: Water

% Solids: NA

Initial Calibration ID: T121015

Date Received: 16-Oct-12 Date Prepared: 19-Oct-12

Date Analyzed: 19-Oct-12

Concentration Units: ug/L

Analyte	MDL	RL	Concentration	Dilution	Confirm	Qualifier
1,1-DCE	0.12	1.2	0.12	1		U
CIS-1,2-DCE	0.07	1.2	0.07	_ 1		U
TCE	0.05	1.0	0.05	1		U
TETRACHLOROETHENE	0.06	1.4	0.06	1		U
TRANS-1,2-DCE	0.08	0.6	0.08	1		U
VINYL CHLORIDE	0.08	1.1	0.08	1		U

Surrogate	Recovery	<b>Control Limits</b>	Qualifier
SURROGATE: 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE-	92.9	69-139	
SURROGATE: 4-BROMOFLUOROBENZ	99.0	75-125	
SURROGATE: DIBROMOFLUOROMETH	97.7	75-125	
SURROGATE: TOLUENE-D8 (S)	99.2	75-125	

Internal Std	Qualifier
1,4-DICHLOROBENZENE-D4 (IS)	
CHLOROBENZENE-D5 (IS)	
FLUOROBENZENE (IS)	

Comments:

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