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SUBJECT: Sampling of Water Wells OW-HH2 and OW-BARNOWL

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San Antonio, TX 78255

Dear [REDACTED]

Camp Stanley Storage Activity (CSSA) collected groundwater samples from your wells (OW-HH2 and OW-BARNOWL) on 9/8/16. 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.

Based on the analytical data, no VOCs related to CSSA's groundwater investigation were identified in the water samples from your wells. Results from the laboratory analysis are provided as an attachment for the above sampling event.

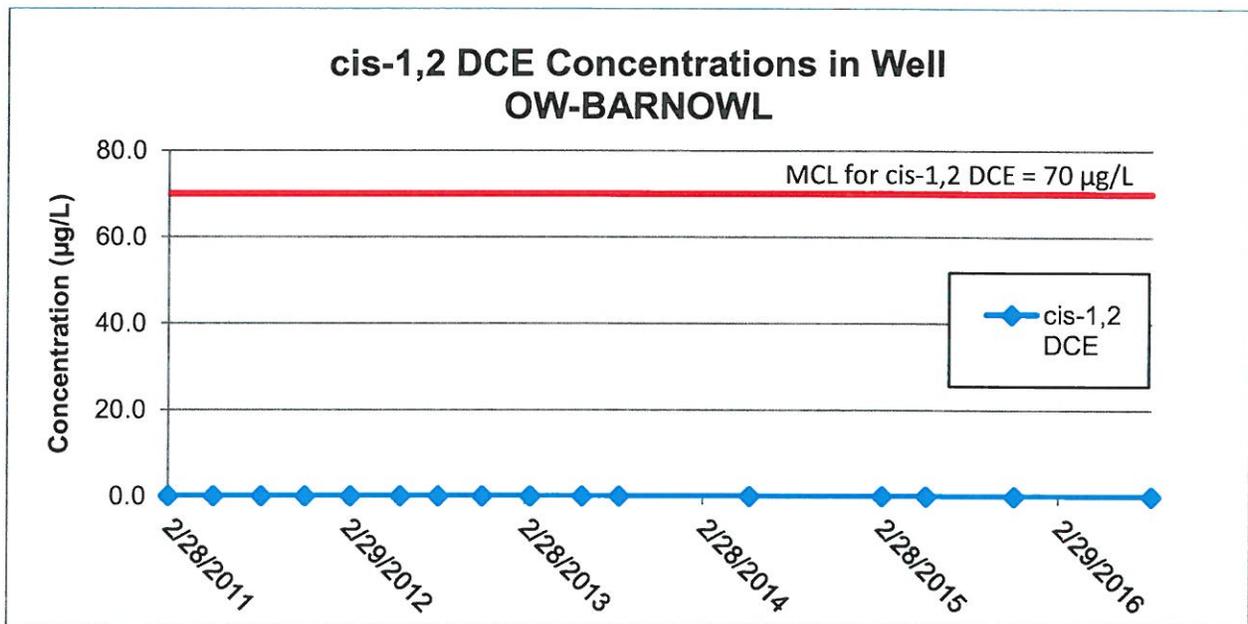
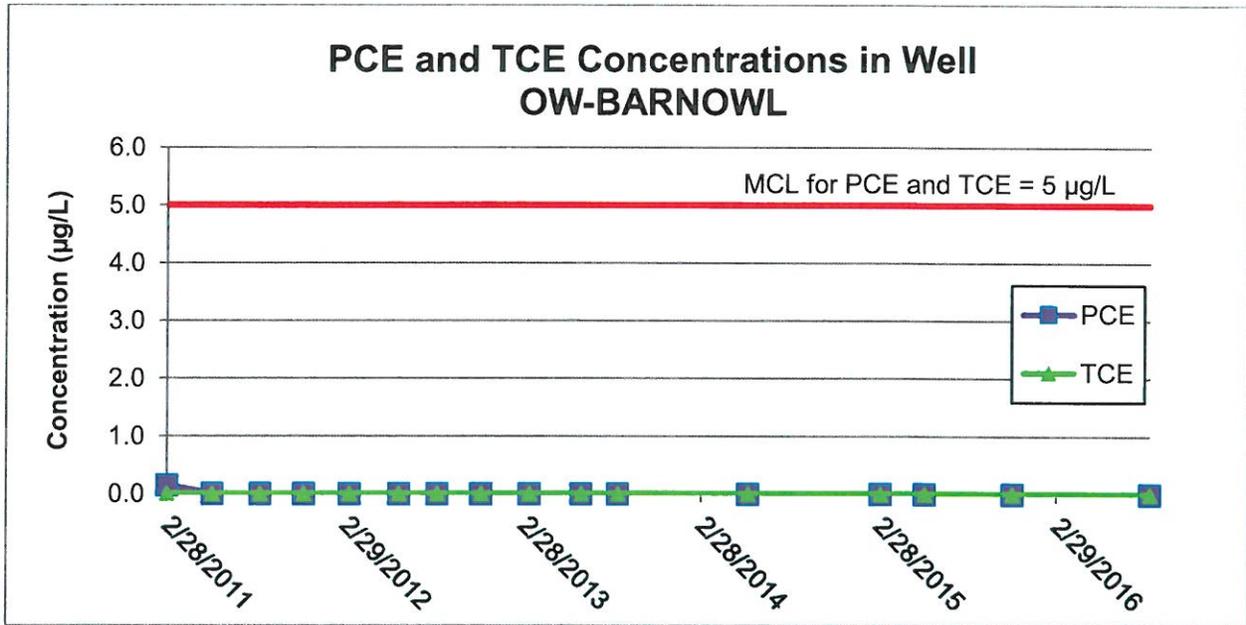
Camp Stanley Storage Activity (CSSA) has been monitoring off-post groundwater for the presence of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) since 1999. The locations and frequencies for sample collection are determined by a process called Long-Term Monitoring Optimization (LTMO), which is performed by CSSA every five years. The most recent LTMO evaluation was performed in 2015, and the resulting recommendations were approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

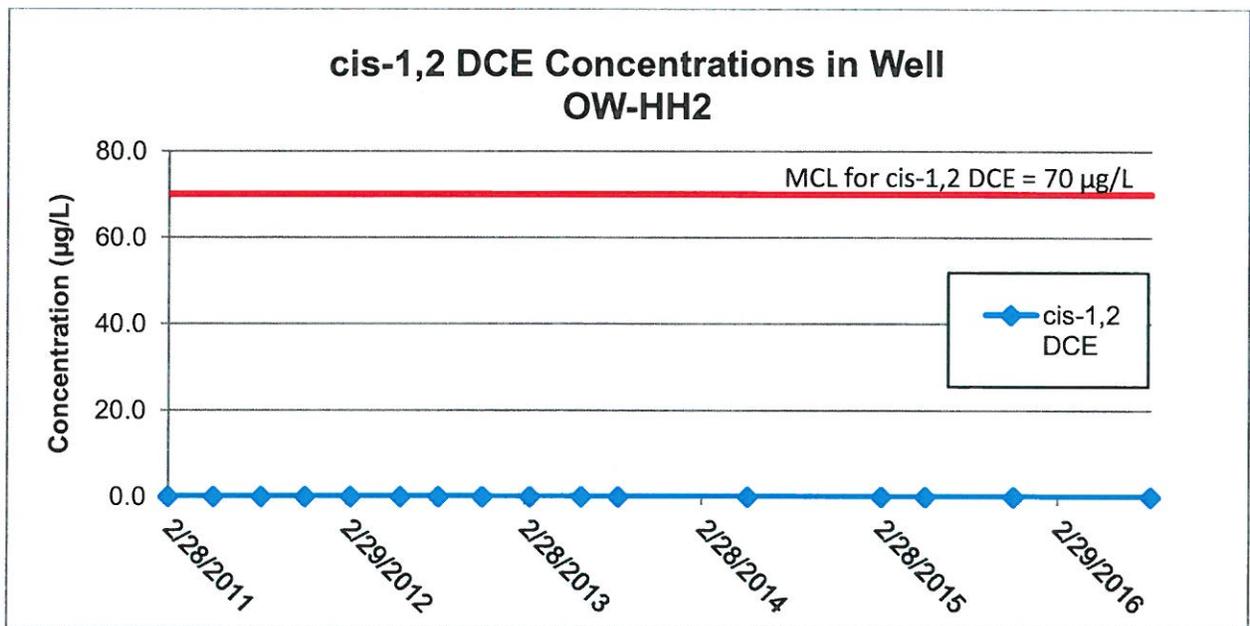
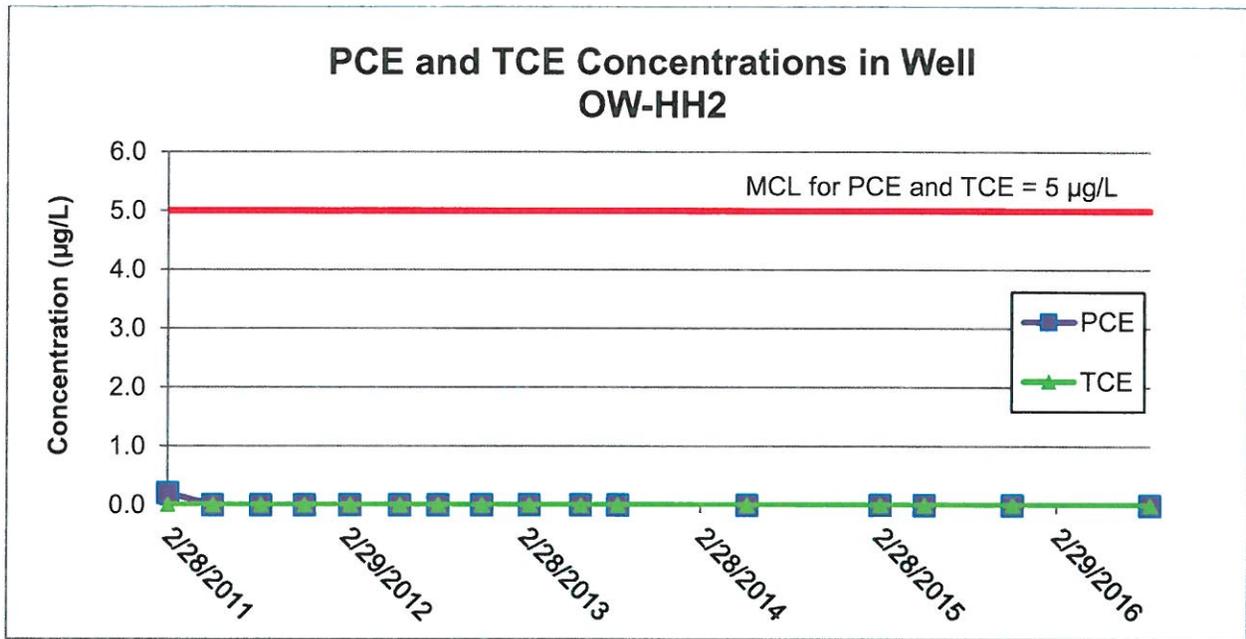
LTMO focuses the groundwater monitoring effort by increasing monitoring frequency and sampling locations in areas where there are data gaps, and eliminating redundant sampling of the groundwater plume. For the mature monitoring program at CSSA, where we have been testing groundwater quality for nearly 20 years, data gaps have been filled and the extent of contamination is well understood. Decreases in monitoring frequency and locations can be implemented in ways that do not sacrifice monitoring objectives, maintain adequate understanding of groundwater conditions, but also provide cost savings.

As a result of the 2015 LTMO evaluation, your wells are two of 41 off-post wells that are recommended for exclusion from future monitoring. Wells recommended for exclusion from future sampling are either greater than 1.5 miles from the CSSA

boundary and the groundwater plume, or they have consecutive non-detect results over the course of 5 years of sampling. Contaminant concentrations in wells greater than 1.5 miles from the CSSA boundary are not expected to increase in the future due to their distance from the plume's source. Wells with consistent non-detect concentrations over 5 years are also unlikely to see a change in their concentrations.

The following charts show the entire history of groundwater sampling results from your wells and compares them to the USEPA Maximum Contaminant Levels (MCLs) for drinking water:





Based on the past results of samples collected at your wells, shown in the above graphs, the USEPA and TCEQ have concurred with removing your wells from the monitoring program. Previously in July 2016, CSSA sent a similar notification to your office that six other wells operated by The Oaks Water Supply Corporation met the same exclusion criteria presented above. Since all of your supply wells have met criteria of being contaminant-free for more than five years, CSSA will no longer need to sample your wells.

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 both on- and off-post.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Felicia Krantz, Environmental Program Manager, at (210) 295-7067.

Sincerely,



Jason D. Shirley  
Installation Manager

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Greg Lyssy, EPA Region 6  
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Ms. Kyle Cunningham, San Antonio Metropolitan Health Dist.  
Ms. Julie Burdey, Parsons

**Qualifiers for laboratory data report:**

U - The analyte was analyzed for, but not detected. The associated numerical value is at or below the MDL.

F - Indicates the value is above the laboratory method detection limit, but below the laboratory reporting limit for the compound.

**Abbreviations:**

MDL – method detection limit

RL – reporting limit

DCE – Dichloroethene

TCE – Trichloroethene

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RESULTS

Analytical Method: EPA 8260B      Preparatory Method: 5030B      AAB #: 160914AM-211879  
 Lab Name: APPL, Inc      Contract #: \*G012  
 Field Sample ID: OW-BARNOWL      Lab Sample ID: AZ42650      Matrix: Water  
 % Solids: NA      Initial Calibration ID: M160911  
 Date Received: 09-Sep-16      Date Prepared: 14-Sep-16      Date Analyzed: 14-Sep-16  
 Concentration Units: ug/L

Analyte	MDL	RL	Concentration	Dilution	Confirm	Qualifier
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
VINYL CHLORIDE	0.08	1.1	0.08	1		U

Surrogate	Recovery	Control Limits	Qualifier
SURROGATE: 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE-	99.1	69-139	
SURROGATE: 4-BROMOFLUOROBENZ	94.9	75-125	
SURROGATE: DIBROMOFLUOROMETH	95.3	75-125	
SURROGATE: TOLUENE-D8 (S)	99.1	75-125	

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

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RESULTS

Analytical Method: EPA 8260B      Preparatory Method: 5030B      AAB #: 160909AT-211660  
 Lab Name: APPL, Inc      Contract #: \*G012  
 Field Sample ID: OW-HH2      Lab Sample ID: AZ42649      Matrix: Water  
 % Solids: NA      Initial Calibration ID: T160904  
 Date Received: 09-Sep-16      Date Prepared: 09-Sep-16      Date Analyzed: 09-Sep-16  
 Concentration Units: ug/L

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SURROGATE: 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE-	103	69-139	
SURROGATE: 4-BROMOFLUOROBENZ	91.8	75-125	
SURROGATE: DIBROMOFLUOROMETH	97.5	75-125	
SURROGATE: TOLUENE-D8 (S)	97.5	75-125	

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

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