

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

May 31, 2022

U-019-22

SUBJECT: Right-of-Entry Access Agreement for Camp Stanley Storage Activity Off-Post Groundwater Monitoring of Residential Drinking Water Wells, Water Well RFR-14, Located at 26445 Ralph Fair Rd.

Boerne, TX 78015

Camp Stanley Storage Activity (CSSA), U.S. Army, would like to welcome you to the neighborhood. CSSA maintains a robust environmental program, and one of its most significant projects involves a proactive groundwater monitoring program to investigate, delineate, and clean up, where possible, groundwater contaminant sources in the area. All activities are thoroughly discussed and coordinated with federal and state environmental regulators. Detailed information on the CSSA Environmental Program with regard to contaminant monitoring and clean-up efforts are included with this letter for your review.

The previous owner, maintaining the water well located at 26445 Ralph Fair Road, participated in our program by allowing Parsons, CSSA's environmental contractor, to sample your drinking water well on a 30-month basis. With your permission, CSSA would like to continue sampling your water well, which we refer to as well RFR-14 in our monitoring program. The sampling process involves notifying you in advance of a sampling activity, then collecting a water sample from a spigot attached directly to your wellhead. The sampling process does not require entry into your home, and can be completed in less than 30 minutes. Once the sample is analyzed and the results are validated by our chemists, we will send you a similar letter documenting the findings of the sampling event.

CSSA analyzes the water drawn from the well for volatile organic compounds (VOCs), more specifically tetrachloroethene (PCE), trichloroethene (TCE), and cis-1,2-dichloroethene (DCE). CSSA most recently collected a groundwater sample from your well RFR-14 (under prior ownership) on March 8, 2022. This sample was submitted to a laboratory for VOC analysis. This letter provides you with the VOC data from the laboratory results. Based on the analytical data, no VOCs related to

CSSA's groundwater investigation were identified in the water sample from your well, RFR-14. These results are provided as an attachment for the above sampling event.

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 on- and off-post. As part of this effort, your well (RFR-14) is scheduled to be sampled again in June 2023, pending your permission.

If you wish to participate, please review and sign the attached right-of-entry access agreement, so we have permission to sample your well. Please return the agreement to CSSA in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed. Upon receipt, I will sign the agreement and send you a copy by mail for your records. A copy of the most recent environmental program fact sheet provided to the community is also attached for your information.

We appreciate your assistance in this matter. Please contact CSSA's environmental contractor, Samantha Elliott, at (210) 347-6012 to discuss scheduling and technicalities of the groundwater monitoring program. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Gabriel Moreno-Fergusson, Environmental Program Manager, at (210) 295-7067.

Sincerely,

T. Glenn Moore Installation Manager

### **Enclosures**

cc: Mr. Greg Lyssy, EPA Region 6

Mr. Timothy Brown, TCEQ Central Office

Mr. Jorge Salazar, TCEQ Region 13

Ms. Kyle Cunningham, San Antonio Metropolitan Health Dist.

Ms. Julie Burdey, Parsons

### DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY RIGHT-OF-ENTRY FOR WATER SAMPLING

CAMP STANLEY STORAGE ACTIVITY

(Project, Installation or Activity)

26445 Ralph Fair Road (Well RFR-14) (Property and Well Identification)

The undersigned, hereinafter called the "Owner", hereby grants the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, hereinafter called the "Government", a permit or right-of-entry upon the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The Owner hereby grants to the Government an irrevocable right to enter in, on, over and across the lands and buildings hereinafter described at any time within a period of sixty (60) months from the date of this instrument, to obtain well water samples as may be necessary to complete the groundwater investigation being made within the local community by the Government and to maintain the Government installed GAC water treatment system.
- 2. This permit includes the right of ingress and egress on adjacent lands of the Owner not described below, provided that such ingress and egress is necessary and not otherwise conveniently available to the Government.
- 3. All hand tools, equipment, and other property taken upon or placed upon the land by the Government shall remain the property of the Government and will be removed by the Government immediately following sampling. Sampling is not expected to require more than thirty minutes per event.
- 4. If any action of the Government's employees or agents in the exercise of this right-of-entry results in damage to the real property, the Government will, in its sole discretion, either repair such damage or make an appropriate settlement with the owner. In no event shall such repair or settlement exceed the fair market value of the fee interest of the real property at the time immediately preceding such damage. The Government's liability under this clause is subject to the availability of appropriations for such payment, and nothing contained in this agreement may be considered as implying that Congress will at a later date appropriate funds sufficient to meet any deficiencies. The provisions of this clause are without prejudice to any rights the Owner may have to make a claim under applicable laws for any damages other than those provided for herein.
- 5. The land and buildings (see address and well number above) affected by this permit or right-ofentry are located in the County of Bexar, State of Texas.

WITNESS MY HAND thisda	y of, 2022.
Owner's Signature	Home Phone Number
Owner's Printed Name	Best Phone Number for Sample Scheduling (Renter's/Tenant Information, if applicable)
Owner's Address CSS	A ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
UNIT	TED STATES OF AMERICA
Ву:	

T. Glenn Moore
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### **Client Sample Results**

Client: Parsons Corporation

Project/Site: Camp Stanley Quarterly Sampling 2022

Client Sample ID: RFR-14\_030822\_N1345

Date Collected: 03/08/22 13:45 Date Received: 03/14/22 08:50 Lab Sample ID: 280-159712-17

**Matrix: Water** 

Job ID: 280-159712-1

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	LOQ	LOD	DL	Unit	D Analyzed	Dil Fac
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	0.150	U	1.00	0.400	0.150	ug/L	03/20/22 15:41	1
Tetrachloroethene	0.200	U	1.00	0.400	0.200	ug/L	03/20/22 15:41	1
Trichloroethene	0.160	U	1.00	0.400	0.160	ug/L	03/20/22 15:41	1
Vinyl chloride	0.100	U	1.50	0.200	0.100	ug/L	03/20/22 15:41	1
Surrogate	%Recovery Qu	ıalifier	Limits			Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 (Surr)	100		81 - 118				03/20/22 15:41	1
4-Bromofluorobenzene (Surr)	95		85 - 114				03/20/22 15:41	1
Dibromofluoromethane (Surr)	103		80 - 119				03/20/22 15:41	1
Toluene-d8 (Surr)	100		89 - 112				03/20/22 15:41	1

### **Definitions/Glossary**

Client: Parsons Corporation Job ID: 280-156314-1

Project/Site: Camp Stanley Quarterly Sampling 2021

### **Qualifiers**

GC	MS	VOA

Qualifier Qualifier Description

Estimated: The analyte was positively identified; the quantitation is an estimation

Q One or more quality control criteria failed.
U Undetected at the Limit of Detection.

**Metals** 

Qualifier Qualifier Description

4 MS, MSD: The analyte present in the original sample is greater than 4 times the matrix spike concentration; therefore, control limits are not

applicable.

J Estimated: The analyte was positively identified; the quantitation is an estimation

Q One or more quality control criteria failed.
U Undetected at the Limit of Detection.

### Glossary

Abbreviation	These commonly	y used abbreviations may	y or ma	y not be	present in this report.
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Eisted under the "D" column to designate that the result is reported on a dry weight basis

%R Percent Recovery
CFL Contains Free Liquid
CFU Colony Forming Unit
CNF Contains No Free Liquid

DER Duplicate Error Ratio (normalized absolute difference)

Dil Fac Dilution Factor

DL Detection Limit (DoD/DOE)

DL, RA, RE, IN Indicates a Dilution, Re-analysis, Re-extraction, or additional Initial metals/anion analysis of the sample

DLC Decision Level Concentration (Radiochemistry)

EDL Estimated Detection Limit (Dioxin)
LOD Limit of Detection (DoD/DOE)
LOQ Limit of Quantitation (DoD/DOE)

MCL EPA recommended "Maximum Contaminant Level"

MDA Minimum Detectable Activity (Radiochemistry)

MDC Minimum Detectable Concentration (Radiochemistry)

MDL Method Detection Limit
ML Minimum Level (Dioxin)
MPN Most Probable Number
MQL Method Quantitation Limit

NC Not Calculated

ND Not Detected at the reporting limit (or MDL or EDL if shown)

NEG Negative / Absent
POS Positive / Present

PQL Practical Quantitation Limit

PRES Presumptive
QC Quality Control

RER Relative Error Ratio (Radiochemistry)

RL Reporting Limit or Requested Limit (Radiochemistry)

RPD Relative Percent Difference, a measure of the relative difference between two points

TEF Toxicity Equivalent Factor (Dioxin)
TEQ Toxicity Equivalent Quotient (Dioxin)

TNTC Too Numerous To Count



Camp Stanley Storage Activity Environmental Program Update

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Stanley, Storage, Activity's (CSSA) environmental program, as well as an ower-view of quarterly ground-state surpling conducted in 2020. CSSA's Adminis-trative Record and results for all groundwater sampling events are available in the USSA Environmental Encyclopedia located on the mernet at www. stan-The purpose of this Fact Sheet is to provide an update on the status of Camp

## Overview of CSSA's Environmental Program

some constituents of petroleum fuels (e.g., gasoline and natural gas). CSSA ceased using VOC solvents in the mid-1990s and monitors for In 1991, routine water well testing by the Texas Department of Health detected the presence of dissolved cleaning solvent tetrachloroethene (PCE) and related degradation products above maximum contaminant make up substances such as paint thinners, dry cleaning solvents, and levels (MCLs) in a former CSSA water supply well (Well CS-MW-Subsequent sampling showed volatile organic compound (VOC) contaminant concentrations greater than MCLs in other wells. VOCs VOCs and metals associated with its past industrial processes. 16)

In May 1999, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) issued a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 3008(h) Administrative Order on Consent (Order) requiring CSSA to identify, investigate, and prevent further spread of releases of hazardous wastes and/or hazardous constituents to the environment, and to ensure that corrective action activities are implemented to protect human health and the environment

Sources of CSSA's groundwater

B-3, this area is referred to as Plume 1 Area of Concern 65 Following completion of a RCRA Facility Investigation and Corrective Measures Study in 2014, the following corrective Unit (SWMU) O-1 and SWMU contamination were determined to be Solid Waste Management (AOC-65) was identified as the source of groundwater contamination at Plume 2

SWMU B-3/ SWMU D-1 Plume 1

measures were documented in proved by USEPA in July 2015

AOC-85 Plume 2

Source area treatment for Plume 1 at SWMU B-3,

- Source area treatment for Plume 2 at AOC-65
- Granular activated carbon (GAC) units on six off-post private drinking water wells,
  - Long-term monitoring of on- and off-post groundwater,
- Land use controls (restricted entry to CSSA and under

### Plume 1 Remediation Status

Plume I continues to be treated using an in-ground bioreactor which has been operating since 2007. Contaminated groundwater is pumped out of the ground and into the bio-

Well CS-MW16-LGR

reactor where contaminants are broken down by natural bacteria reactor, over 257 million gallons into nonhazardous substances Since the construction of the bioof contaminated groundwater have been treated by the system.

ntoring wells within and surrounding SWMU B-3 is analyzed to tions of PCE in groundwater at SWMU B-3 have continued to evaluate the effectiveness of the Groundwater collected from monbioreactor treatment Concentra-

The chart below shows concentrations in PCE (in milligrams per liter [µg/L]) at monitoring well CS-MW16-LGR over the past 10 years of show a decreasing trend over time. bioreactor treatment

1002 PCE Concentration Trend 0101 Concentrations of PCE at SWMU B-3 66. 8101 102 9102 5102 402 5002 MCL = 5 µg/l 2002 102 250 200 150 100 20 PCE Concentration at CS-MW16-LGR (µg/L)

### Plume 2 Remediation Status

Plume 2 continues to be treated using in-situ chemical oxidation, a process by which a substance called an oxidant is applied to the surrounding groundwater where it reacts with contaminants to break them down into nonhazardous substances. This process has been in place since 2012, and prior to that, the area was treated using various other reme-

Well RFR-10 have continued to show a de-creasing trend over time. The chart below shows concentra-AOC-65 is analyzed to evaluate the effectiveness of the ISCO treatment, and to determine if additional oxidant is needed to tions in PCE (in µg/L) at off-post well RFR-10 over the past monitoring wells at AOC-65 and off-post private wells near treat the groundwater. Concendowngradient from AOC-65 trations of PCE in groundwater collected 10 years of treatment. Groundwater

### 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 \_\_\_\_RFR-10 OFR-3 Concentrations of PCE near AOC-65 CE Concentration Trend PCE Concentration (μg/L) · 원 정 전 전 0 5

# 2020 Groundwater On- and Off-Post Sampling Results

On- and off-post groundwater monitoring has been conducted for nearly 30 years and continues on a regular basis. Samples collected during monitoring events are analyzed by a laboratory, and the results are evaluated to determine if the corrective measures in place remain protective of human health and the environment

from all 2020 sampling events. Two on-post monitoring wells (CS-MW1-LGR and CS-MW36-LGR) exceeded the MCLs for PCE and the well's GAC filter. In all other wells tested, any VOCs that were detected had concentrations below the drinking water MCLs for PCE The locations of all on- and off-post wells sampled in 2020 are shown on the map on the back side of this Fact Sheet. Table 1 on the map presents off-post groundwater data for PCE and trichloroethene (TCE) TCE in 2020 Two off-post wells (OFR-3 and RFR-10) exceeded the MCLs for PCE and TCE in samples collected prior to treatment within

All GAC-filtered samples collected in March 2020 and September 2020 were non-detect indicating the GAC units were functioning properly as shown on Table 2. Semi-annual GAC maintenance was performed in March and September 2020 This involved replacing the first carbon canister in each GAC system and other routine maintenance. Carbon canisters were replaced in March 2021 and will be replaced again in September 2021

CSSA will continue to sample both on- and off-post groundwater wells at frequencies approved by USEPA and TCEQ, and to coordinate the groundwater monitoring program with the regulatory agencies and other potentially affected parties in the community

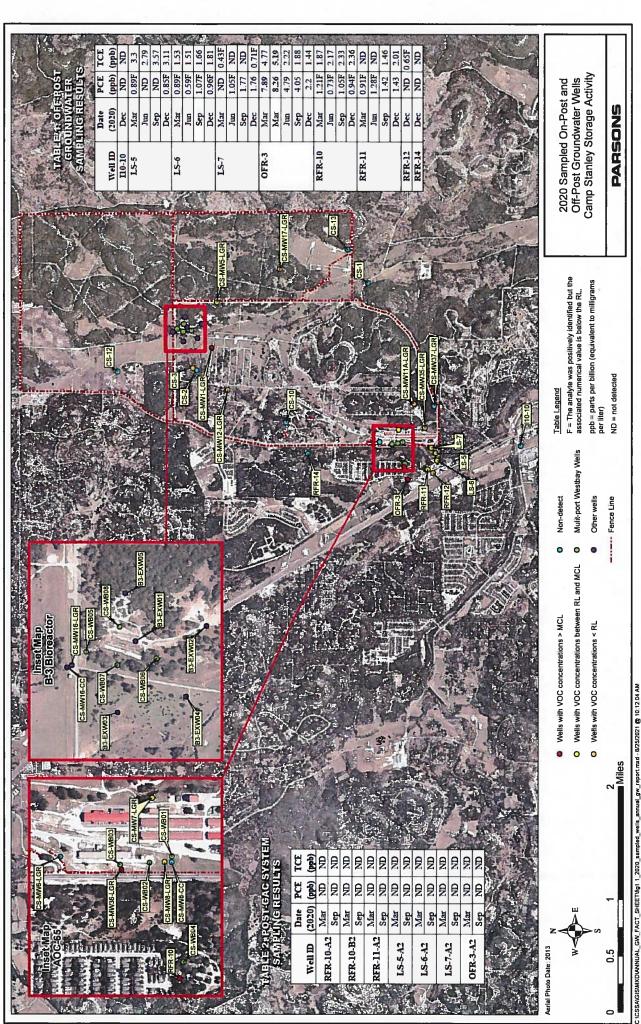
## Activities Planned for the Remainder of 2021

- AOC-65 in-situ chemical oxidation remediation area and the SWMU B-3 bioreactor system to assess the corrective measures impacts on source area contaminant concentrations
- Enhance the bioremediation process at SWMU B-3 through the addition of lactate within the bioreactor trenches
- Apply additional oxidants throughout AOC-65 to distribute ISCO solution over a wider area
- Continued groundwater monitoring at on- and off-post wells in accordance with the most recent long-term monitoring optimiza-tion results and data quality objectives approved by USEPA and
- On-post drinking water system monitoring, operation, and mainte-

### Public Outreach and Future Fact Sheets

CSSA has been issuing Fact Sheets similar to this one since 2000 We will continue to mail Fact Sheets annually to provide information on sampling results, ongoing investigations, and cleanup activities. Each well owner involved in the groundwater monitoring program will continue to receive a separate letter concerning laboratory results for their wells after sampling by CSSA. The public is welcome to comment on this Fact Sheet and the environmental activities at CSSA by writing or calling

- CSSA Installation Manager at (210) 295-7416,
- USEPA Regional Program Manager, Mr. Greg Lyssy, at (214) 665-8317,
- TCEQ Regional Program Manager, Mr Timothy Brown, at (512) 239-6526, or
- SGM Dean Welch, ARNORTH Public Affair Office, office (210) 221-0765, mobile (210) 216-5546, email usarmy jbsa amorth list pao-owner@mail mil



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