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MEMORANDUM

TO: Jim Harrington, P.E., Director, Remedial Bureau A

FROM: Nick Acampora, Project Manager, Region 1 Spill Prevention and Response

- **THRU:** Karen Gomez, P.E., ROSE, Region 1
- **RE:** Negative BCP Significant Threat Determination Site Name: Former Cibro Petroleum Terminal Site #: BCP #C130153 (C/T/V) Island Park, Nassau County Significant Threat: Site <u>does not</u> pose a significant threat.

DATE: 08/16/2012

Based on all investigations performed to date and review of the December 2011 Supplemental Remedial Investigation Field Work Report, we have concluded that the site does not present a significant threat to human health or the environment.

Please find attached the supporting documentation (e.g. attach significant threat determination worksheet and/or conclusions of RI report and DOH concurrence).

Attachments

ec w/att: Jim Harrington, P.E., Director, Remedial Bureau A Walter Parish, RHWRE, Region 1 Karen Gomez, P.E., Regional Spill Engineer Nick Acampora, Project Manager

(01-04-11)



NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION BCP Significant Threat Determination Report

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8/22/2012					
Site Code	C130153	Site Name	Former Cibro Petroleum Terminal Site		
City	Island Park	Town	Hempstead		
Region	1	County	Nassau		
Current Cla	assification A				
Estimated Size 11.5600		Allowable Use Commercial			
Significant Threat: -		Project Ma	nager Nick Acampora		

Summary of Approvals

Originator/Supervisor:

Regional Hazardous Waste Remedial Engineer: :

BEEI of NYSDOH:

CO Bureau Director: , Director, :

Assistant Division Director: :

Basis for Significant Threat Determination

The presence of petroleum contamination currently does not pose a significant threat to the environment pursuant to 375-2.7(a)(4).

Site Description - Last Review: 08/21/2012

The former "Cibro Terminal" site is comprised of approximately 11.6 acres located in an urban portion of Island Park, Nassau County, Long Island.

The main site features include foundations of the former above ground tanks and truck racks; one masonary structure at the southeast corner of the parcel previously used as an equipment and boiler rooom; bulkheads; an asphalt roadway (Washington Avenue extention) and temporary office trailers at the north end of the parcel.

The site was used as a petroleum storage facility from the 1940's thru 1988 when the facility was closed and all related infrastructure was removed (tanks, truck racks etc.)over the subsequent 2 years. Between 1990 and 2003 the site remained vacant. Since 2003, the site has been utilized for the storage of clean soil; crushed rock and concrete.

The site is bounded on three sides by Wreck Lead Channel and a canal identified on some maps as "The Basin" and on the north by dense residential development. The surrounding area consists of a combination of residential; light industrial and commercial/retail establishments.



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Site Name Former Cibro Petroleum Terminal Site

The historical use of the site appears to have led to petroleum contamination to the soil and groundwater primarily at the eastern and southern portions of the site.

As of this update, several subsurface investigations by different contractors have been completed since 1988. The most recent investigation having been performed in 2011 as a result of a Formal Dispute Resolution. In addition, a Pilot Test was completed 2009-10 to help determine the most appropriate remedial technologies for the site.

The site remains essentially vacant and fenced to prevent unauthorized entry.

Contaminants of Concern (Including Materials Disposed)	Quantity Disposed		
OU 01 Petroleum Products	UNKNOWN		
Analytical Data Available for : Groundwater, Surface Water	, Soil, Soil Vapor		
Applicable Standards Exceeded for: Groundwater, Soil			

Site Environmental Assessment - Last Review: 08/21/2012

The primary contaminants of concern at the site known at this time include constituents normally associated with petroleum and a small area of low level PCB contamination.

Previous investigations indicate that petroluem hydrocarbons have impacted the soil throughout the site. However, the majority of the soil contamination is primarily located on the eastern half of the parcel from the northern property line extending to the southern boundary where the Washington Avenue extention bisects the property.

The low level PCB contamination (less than 1 ppm)is located at the south western section of the property within the tidal wetland boundary. Marine Habitat Protection staff have indicated that any disturbance in this area would not be beneficial to the environment and have recommended that the area remain undisturbed.

Groundwater contamination has been identified throughout the site. Again, the most significant amount of ground water contamination is located at the eastern half of the site.

The surface water of Wreck Lead Channel and The Basin had been previously impacted by petroleum leaching thru the bulkhead, although recent inspections have not indicated any significant leaching at this time.

Exceedances of standards, criteria, and guidance include numerous petroleum hydrocarbons in groundwater and soil.

The site historically presented an environmental threat due to the ongoing releases from the source area soils to ground and surface waters.



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Site Name Former Cibro Petroleum Terminal Site

Site Health Assessment - Last Update: 08/09/2012

People are not drinking the contaminated groundwater because the area is served by a public water supply that obtains its water from a different source. The site is fenced and people are not expected to come into contact with contaminated groundwater or subsurface soils unless they dig below the ground surface. Contact with contaminated sediments is unlikely as the contamination is limited; the area is tidal and overgrown with dense vegetation. Volatile organic compounds in the groundwater may move into the soil vapor (air spaces within the soil), which in turn may move into overlying buildings and affect the indoor air quality. This process, which is similar to the movement of radon gas from the subsurface into the indoor air of buildings, is referred to as soil vapor intrusion. The potential for soil vapor intrusion to occur will be evaluated should structures be developed on the site. Vapor intrusion concerns are limited to the on-site property only.

	Start		End	
OU 01 Agreement	9/30/05	ACT	4/14/06	ACT
Agreement Amendment	12/1/09	ACT	3/1/11	ACT
Application Approval	4/6/05	ACT	9/30/05	ACT
Application Completion	3/28/05	ACT	4/6/05	ACT
OGC Docket - Other	12/1/09	ACT	3/1/11	ACT
Remedial Design	3/31/11	ACT	10/30/12	PLN
Remedial Investigation	11/1/06	ACT	9/30/12	PLN
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Remedy Description and Cost

Remedy Description for Operable Unit 01

Planned remedy is In-Situ soil remediation in combination with excavation and off-site disposal.

Total Cost

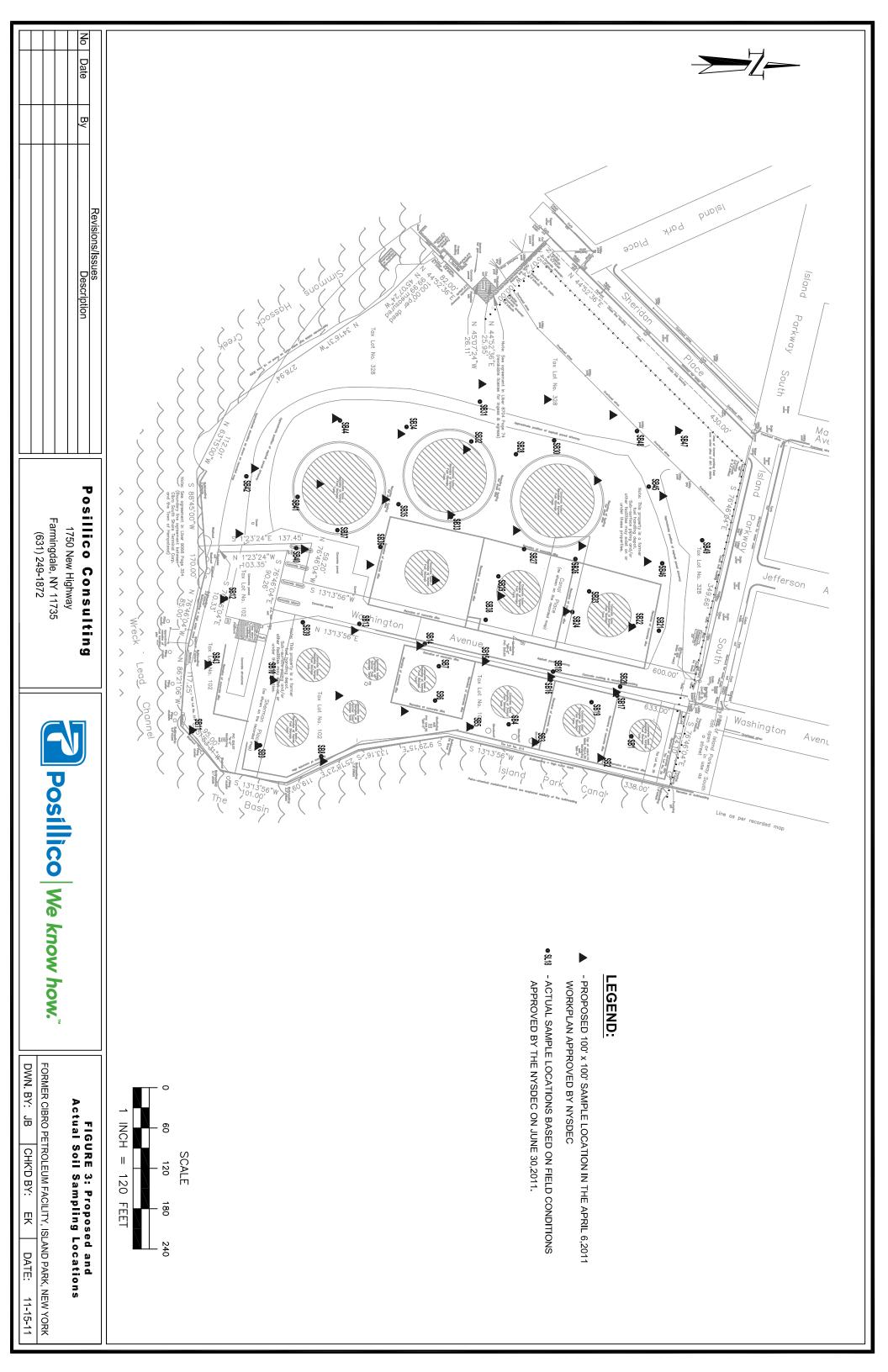


SIGNIFICANT THREAT DETERMINATION WORKSHEET



 State Superfund Program 6 NYCRR 375-2.7 X Brownfield Cleanup Program ECL 27-1411.1(c)

Site Name:Former Cibro Oil Terminal Site		Site	ID No. <u>C130153</u>			
City/Town: Island Park, Hempstead		County: Nassau .				
 Has all available and relevant evidence regarding the Site been reviewed and the factors in 375-2.7(a)(3) considered? 	$\frac{X}{(go to 2)}$	□ No (stop)	Unsure (stop)			
2. Does Site contamination result in significant adverse impacts (375-2.7(a)(1)) to	0:					
a. species that are endangered, threatened, or of concern?	□ Yes (go to b)	$\frac{X}{(go to b)}$	□ Unsure (go to b)			
b. protected streams, tidal/freshwater wetlands, or significant fish and wildlife habitat?		$\frac{X}{(go to c)}$	□ Unsure (go to c)			
c. flora or fauna from bioaccumulation or leads to a recommendation to limit consumption?	□ Yes (go to d)	<u>X</u> No (go to d)	□ Unsure (go to d)			
d. fish, shellfish, crustacea, or wildlife from concentrations that cause adverse/chronic effects?	□ Yes (go to e)	\underline{X} No (go to e)	□ Unsure (go to e)			
e. the environment due to a fire, spill, explosion, or reaction that generates toxic gases, vapors, fumes, mists or dusts?	□ Yes (go to f)	$\frac{X}{(go to f)}$	□ Unsure (go to f)			
f. areas where individuals or water supplies may be present and NYSDOH has determined there to be a significantly increased risk to public health (including from soil vapor)?	□ Yes (go to 3)	<u>X</u> No (go to 3)	□ Unsure (go to 3)			
 Does Site contamination result in significant environmental damage (375-2.7(a)(2))? 	□ Yes (go to 4)	$\frac{X}{(go to 4)}$	□ Unsure (stop)			
If any box in items 2 or 3 have been checked "Yes," the site presents a significant threat to public health or the environment; check here.Significant threat to: 						
5. If no boxes in items 2 or 3 have been checked "Yes," the site does not present <u>X</u> Not a Significant Threat			ıt			
Nick Acampora Project Manager Name (Signature) Date						
Bureau Director/RHWRE Name/Title (Print) Bureau Director/RHWRE Name (Si	ignature) Date	e				
		1	07/29/10			





Nirav R. Shah, M.D., M.P.H. Commissioner NEW YORK state department of HEALTH

Sue Kelly Executive Deputy Commissioner

August 7, 2012

Mr. James Harrington Division of Environmental Remediation NYS Department of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, 12th Floor Albany, NY 12233

Re:

Significant Threat Determination Former Cibro Terminal Site #C130153 Island Park (V), Nassau County

Dear Mr. Harrington:

Staff reviewed the *December 2011 Supplemental Remedial Investigation Report* for the above referenced site. Based on that review, I understand environmental investigation results indicated limited impacts to groundwater and soils. Groundwater is not used, or expected to be used in the future, as a potable water source as public water is available in the area, therefore exposure to contaminated groundwater is not likely. Exposure to contaminated sediments is unlikely due to limited detections of site-related contaminants and their location in a tidally-influenced wetland area. Stockpiles of excavated and treated soil remain on the site, but are covered with tarps and are located within a lined, bermed area. A fence limits site access. Sampling indicates that soil vapor intrusion is not a concern for off-site buildings. Since the site is vacant and not occupied, soil vapor intrusion is not a concern at this time.

Based on this information, I believe that the Former Cibro Terminal site does not represent a significant threat to public health.

Sincerely,

stt. m Charlotte M. Bethoney

Charlotte M. Bethoney Acting Section Chief, Southern Section Bureau of Environmental Exposure Investigation

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