

February 24, 2025

Daniel Nierenberg, P.G.
Division of Environmental Remediation
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
625 Broadway
Albany, New York 12233-7016

Re: Confirmatory Soil Vapor Intrusion Workplan
NYSDEC BCP Site No. C241219
27-10 49th Avenue, Long Island City, Queens, NY

Dear Mr. Nierenberg:

Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C. (Roux), on behalf of Hunters Point SG, LLC (Volunteer), has prepared this Soil Vapor Intrusion (SVI) Workplan (Workplan) for the property located at 27-10 49th Avenue, Long Island City, Queens, New York (Site). In accordance with the Remedial Action Work Plan (RAWP) dated August 2024, approved by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) on September 30, 2024, following Soil Vapor Extraction System (SVES) Expansion commissioning, confirmatory SVI sampling (sub-slab soil vapor and indoor air) will be performed during the heating season to confirm the Sub-Slab Depressurization System (SSDS) is functioning adequately and mitigating soil vapor intrusion into the Site building. Results of the confirmatory indoor air sampling will be included in the FER.

This Workplan includes the scope and methods proposed by Roux to conduct a confirmatory SVI investigation at the Site.

Certification

I, David Kaiser, certify that I am currently a NYS registered professional engineer as defined in 6 NYCRR Part 375 and that this Confirmatory Soil Vapor Intrusion Workplan was prepared in accordance with all applicable statutes and regulations and in substantial conformance with the DER Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation (DER-10).

Scope of Work

Roux will complete a confirmatory SVI investigation at the Site to collect NYSDEC/NYSDOH-required sub-slab soil vapor and indoor air samples during the 2024-2025 heating season. The building will be heated as it would be during regular occupancy prior to and during the sampling. The building will be vacant during the sampling. Prior to SVI sampling, negative pressure field testing of the SSDS will be performed and documented. SSDS field testing will include: Photoionization Detector (PID) readings at the monitoring points; PID readings at the effluent discharge stacks; vacuum readings at the monitoring points; and operational SSDS fan and SVE blower data. The PID used for readings will be capable of detecting part per billion (ppb). Data collected during these readings will be included in the FER and SMP.

The confirmatory SVI investigation will include the collection of two sub-slab soil vapor samples from the proposed sub-slab soil vapor monitoring points to be installed by Roux in the existing building concrete slab, as shown on Drawing 1 (attached). Each proposed sub-slab soil vapor location will be

installed directly beneath building concrete slab using a hammer drill and prefabricated, stainless-steel vapor pin, attached to Teflon-lined polyurethane tubing. Two indoor air samples will be collected from the breathing zone in areas adjacent to each proposed sub-slab monitoring point, as well as one outdoor ambient air sample. Prior to sample collection, Roux will complete an inventory of all chemicals stored in the on-Site building and complete the NYSDOH Indoor Air Quality Questionnaire and Building Inventory Form (Attachment 1). A tracer gas (e.g., helium) will be used to test the monitoring point seals and verify that indoor/ambient air is not inadvertently being drawn into the sample during sample collection. SVI purge and seal verification data will be collected and documented on field logs for inclusion in subsequent report documentation (including vapor point purge air PID readings, tracer gas readings, etc.). Following tracer gas verification, sub-slab soil vapor, indoor air, and outdoor air samples will be collected in accordance with the NYSDOH Guidance. Samples will be collected at each sub-slab soil vapor, indoor air, and ambient outdoor air location over an 8-hour period using laboratory-supplied Summa canisters and calibrated flow controllers. Flow rates for both purging and collecting will not exceed 0.2 liters per minute to minimize outdoor air infiltration during sampling.

All sub-slab soil vapor, indoor air, and ambient outdoor air samples, including quality assurance/quality control sample (duplicate indoor air sample), will be sent to Alpha Analytical, Inc. (Alpha), Pace Analytical (Pace), or Eurofins Environment Testing (Eurofins), which are NYSDOH Environmental Laboratory Approval Program (ELAP)-certified laboratories, under chain of custody procedures. Samples will be analyzed at a standard turnaround time and will be reported as Category B data deliverables. Scope of Work will be performed in accordance with the HASP and QAPP included in the approved August 2024 RAWP.

All sub-slab soil vapor, indoor air and ambient air samples will be analyzed for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) using United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Method TO-15/TO-15 SIM. Results of the confirmatory indoor air sampling will be included in the FER.

Should you have any questions or require further information regarding this Workplan, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

ROUX ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING AND GEOLOGY, D.P.C.



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ATTACHMENT 1

New York State Department of Health Indoor Air Quality Questionnaire
and Building Inventory Center for Environmental Health

**NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
INDOOR AIR QUALITY QUESTIONNAIRE AND BUILDING INVENTORY
CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

This form must be completed for each residence involved in indoor air testing.

Preparer's Name _____ Date/Time Prepared _____

Preparer's Affiliation _____ Phone No. _____

Purpose of Investigation _____

1. OCCUPANT:

Interviewed: Y / N

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____

County: _____

Home Phone: _____ Office Phone: _____

Number of Occupants/persons at this location _____ Age of Occupants _____

2. OWNER OR LANDLORD: (Check if same as occupant ____)

Interviewed: Y / N

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____

County: _____

Home Phone: _____ Office Phone: _____

3. BUILDING CHARACTERISTICS

Type of Building: (Circle appropriate response)

Residential
Industrial

School
Church

Commercial/Multi-use
Other: _____

If the property is residential, type? (Circle appropriate response)

Ranch	2-Family	3-Family
Raised Ranch	Split Level	Colonial
Cape Cod	Contemporary	Mobile Home
Duplex	Apartment House	Townhouses/Condos
Modular	Log Home	Other:_____

If multiple units, how many? _____

If the property is commercial, type?

Business Type(s) _____

Does it include residences (i.e., multi-use)? Y / N If yes, how many? _____

Other characteristics:

Number of floors _____ Building age _____

Is the building insulated? Y / N How air tight? Tight / Average / Not Tight

4. AIRFLOW

Use air current tubes or tracer smoke to evaluate airflow patterns and qualitatively describe:

Airflow between floors

Airflow near source

Outdoor air infiltration

Infiltration into air ducts

5. BASEMENT AND CONSTRUCTION CHARACTERISTICS (Circle all that apply)

- a. Above grade construction: wood frame concrete stone brick
- b. Basement type: full crawlspace slab other _____
- c. Basement floor: concrete dirt stone other _____
- d. Basement floor: uncovered covered covered with _____
- e. Concrete floor: unsealed sealed sealed with _____
- f. Foundation walls: poured block stone other _____
- g. Foundation walls: unsealed sealed sealed with _____
- h. The basement is: wet damp dry moldy
- i. The basement is: finished unfinished partially finished
- j. Sump present? Y / N
- k. Water in sump? Y / N / not applicable

Basement/Lowest level depth below grade: _____(feet)

Identify potential soil vapor entry points and approximate size (e.g., cracks, utility ports, drains)

6. HEATING, VENTING and AIR CONDITIONING (Circle all that apply)

Type of heating system(s) used in this building: (circle all that apply – note primary)

Hot air circulation	Heat pump	Hot water baseboard	
Space Heaters	Stream radiation	Radiant floor	
Electric baseboard	Wood stove	Outdoor wood boiler	Other _____

The primary type of fuel used is:

Natural Gas	Fuel Oil	Kerosene
Electric	Propane	Solar
Wood	Coal	

Domestic hot water tank fueled by: _____

Boiler/furnace located in: Basement Outdoors Main Floor Other _____

Air conditioning: Central Air Window units Open Windows None

Are there air distribution ducts present? Y / N

Describe the supply and cold air return ductwork, and its condition where visible, including whether there is a cold air return and the tightness of duct joints. Indicate the locations on the floor plan diagram.

7. OCCUPANCY

Is basement/lowest level occupied? Full-time Occasionally Seldom Almost Never

Level **General Use of Each Floor (e.g., familyroom, bedroom, laundry, workshop, storage)**

Basement	
1 st Floor	
2 nd Floor	
3 rd Floor	
4 th Floor	

8. FACTORS THAT MAY INFLUENCE INDOOR AIR QUALITY

- | | |
|--|------------------------------------|
| a. Is there an attached garage? | Y / N |
| b. Does the garage have a separate heating unit? | Y / N / NA |
| c. Are petroleum-powered machines or vehicles stored in the garage (e.g., lawnmower, atv, car) | Y / N / NA
Please specify <hr/> |
| d. Has the building ever had a fire? | Y / N When? <hr/> |
| e. Is a kerosene or unvented gas space heater present? | Y / N Where? <hr/> |
| f. Is there a workshop or hobby/craft area? | Y / N Where & Type? <hr/> |
| g. Is there smoking in the building? | Y / N How frequently? <hr/> |
| h. Have cleaning products been used recently? | Y / N When & Type? <hr/> |
| i. Have cosmetic products been used recently? | Y / N When & Type? <hr/> |

- j. Has painting/staining been done in the last 6 months? Y / N Where & When? _____
- k. Is there new carpet, drapes or other textiles? Y / N Where & When? _____
- l. Have air fresheners been used recently? Y / N When & Type? _____
- m. Is there a kitchen exhaust fan? Y / N If yes, where vented? _____
- n. Is there a bathroom exhaust fan? Y / N If yes, where vented? _____
- o. Is there a clothes dryer? Y / N If yes, is it vented outside? Y / N
- p. Has there been a pesticide application? Y / N When & Type? _____

Are there odors in the building?

Y / N

If yes, please describe: _____

Do any of the building occupants use solvents at work?

Y / N

(e.g., chemical manufacturing or laboratory, auto mechanic or auto body shop, painting, fuel oil delivery, boiler mechanic, pesticide application, cosmetologist)

If yes, what types of solvents are used? _____

If yes, are their clothes washed at work?

Y / N

Do any of the building occupants regularly use or work at a dry-cleaning service? (Circle appropriate response)

Yes, use dry-cleaning regularly (weekly)

Yes, use dry-cleaning infrequently (monthly or less)

Yes, work at a dry-cleaning service

No

Unknown

Is there a radon mitigation system for the building/structure? Y / N Date of Installation: _____

Is the system active or passive? Active/Passive

9. WATER AND SEWAGE

Water Supply: Public Water Drilled Well Driven Well Dug Well Other: _____

Sewage Disposal: Public Sewer Septic Tank Leach Field Dry Well Other: _____

10. RELOCATION INFORMATION (for oil spill residential emergency)

a. Provide reasons why relocation is recommended: _____

b. Residents choose to: remain in home relocate to friends/family relocate to hotel/motel

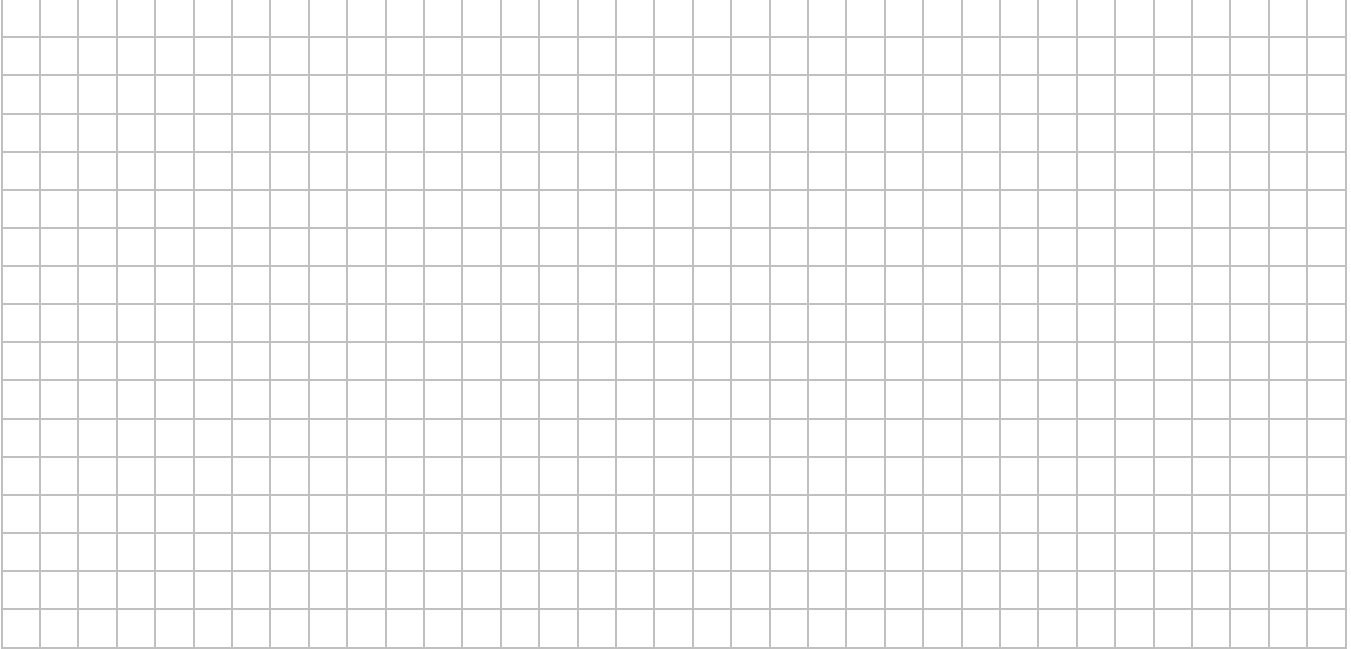
c. Responsibility for costs associated with reimbursement explained? Y / N

d. Relocation package provided and explained to residents? Y / N

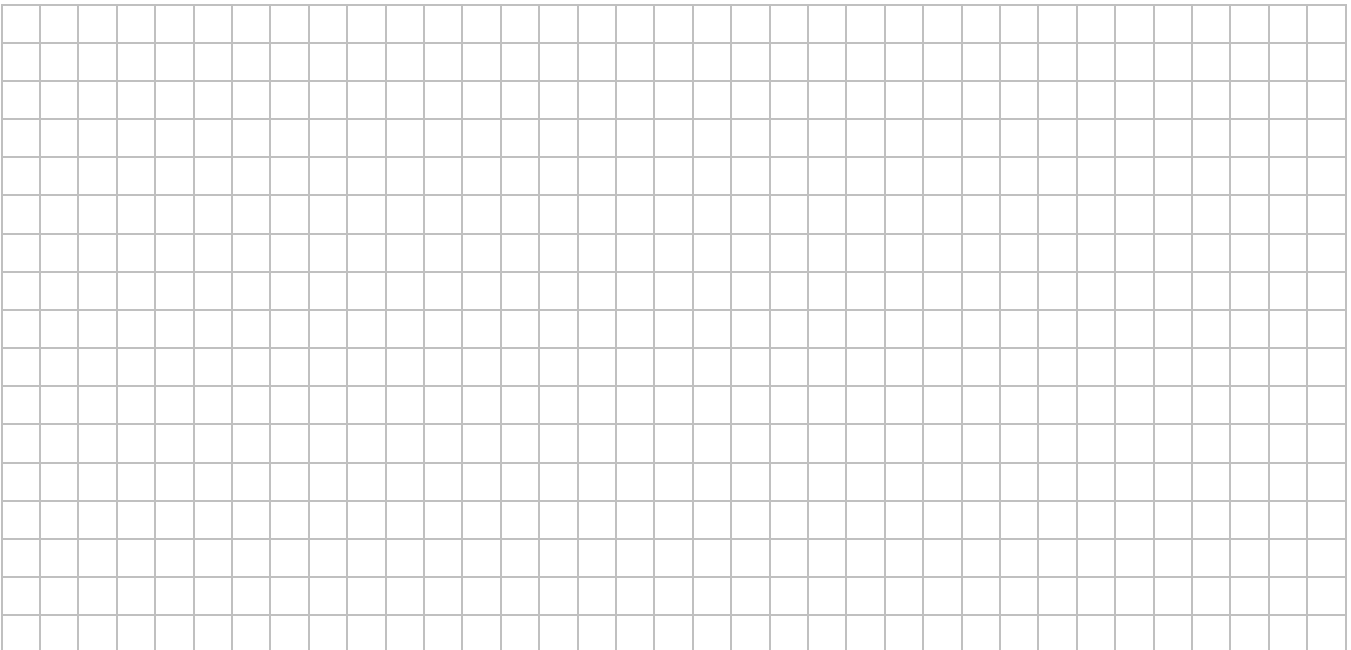
11. FLOOR PLANS

Draw a plan view sketch of the basement and first floor of the building. Indicate air sampling locations, possible indoor air pollution sources and PID meter readings. If the building does not have a basement, please note.

Basement:



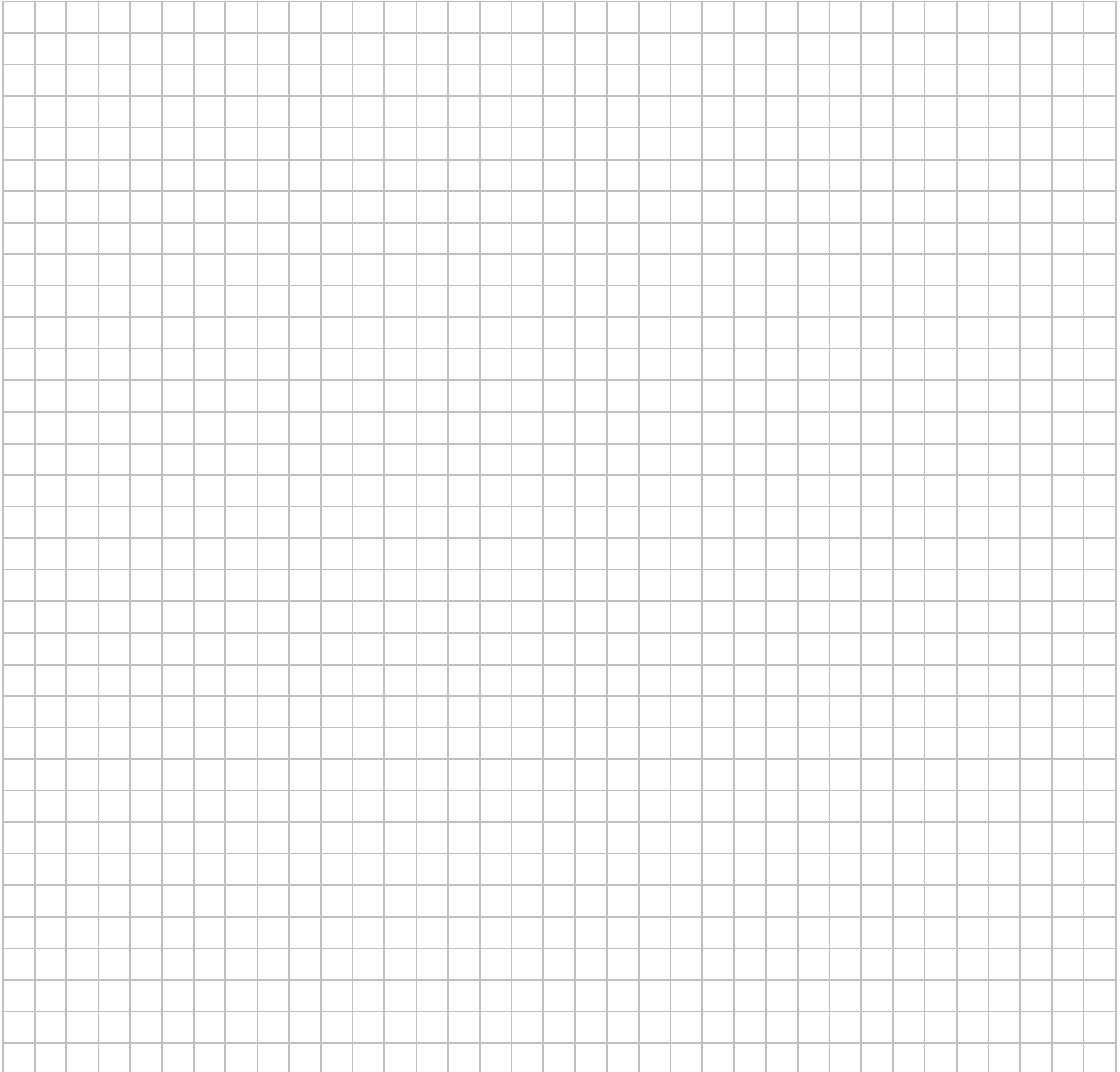
First Floor:



12. OUTDOOR PLOT

Draw a sketch of the area surrounding the building being sampled. If applicable, provide information on spill locations, potential air contamination sources (industries, gas stations, repair shops, landfills, etc.), outdoor air sampling location(s) and PID meter readings.

Also indicate compass direction, wind direction and speed during sampling, the locations of the well and septic system, if applicable, and a qualifying statement to help locate the site on a topographic map.



13. PRODUCT INVENTORY FORM

Make & Model of field instrument used: _____

List specific products found in the residence that have the potential to affect indoor air quality.

[illegible]

* Describe the condition of the product containers as **Unopened (UO)**, **Used (U)**, or **Deteriorated (D)**

**** Photographs of the front and back of product containers can replace the handwritten list of chemical ingredients. However, the photographs must be of good quality and ingredient labels must be legible.**

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DRAWING 1

Soil Vapor Extraction System Expansion Plan and Details

49TH AVENUE / HUNTERS POINT AVENUE

27TH STREET

DUTCH KILLS CREEK

EXISTING SVE POINT

PROPOSED 6" STEEL HEADER PIPE ALONG CEILING TO ROOF RISER TO BLOWER SYSTEM

EXISTING SUB-SLAB DEPRESSURIZATION SYSTEM (TYP.)

EXISTING SAMPLING PORT (TYP.)

PROPOSED 6" STEEL RISER PIPE TO ROOF AND NEW BLOWER SYSTEM

GENERATOR ON CONCRETE PAD

PROPOSED 6" SOLID PVC HEADER PIPING BELOW GRADE (TYP.)

PROPOSED SVE POINT WITH 4" WELL SCREEN PVC PIPING SCREENED FROM 1.5' TO 10' BELOW GRADE (TYP.)

EXISTING SUB-SLAB DEPRESSURIZATION SYSTEM (TYP.)

7,500-GALLON HEATING OIL UST (ABANDONED IN PLACE IN 2005)

EXTERIOR OIL-WATER SEPARATOR AND 550-GALLON WASTE OIL UST (ABANDONED IN PLACE IN 2009)

FORMER LOCATION OF 5 - 4,000-GALLON GASOLINE USTs (REMOVED IN 1990)

SSDS-1 SSDS FAN (RADONAWAY RP265) LOCATED ON ROOF ABOVE RISER PIPE

SSDS-2 SSDS FAN (RADONAWAY RP265) LOCATED ON ROOF ABOVE RISER PIPE

SSDS-3 SSDS FAN (RADONAWAY RP265) LOCATED ON ROOF ABOVE RISER PIPE

SUB-SLAB VAPOR AND INDOOR AIR SAMPLE: SSV-1/IA-1

SUB-SLAB AND INDOOR AIR SAMPLE LOCATIONS COLLECTED FROM PROPOSED PERMANENT VAPOR PIN LOCATIONS

SUB-SLAB VAPOR AND INDOOR AIR SAMPLE: SSV-2/IA-2

AMBIENT AIR SAMPLE: AA-1

AOC-1

AOC-2

AOC-3

FORMER OIL-WATER SEPARATOR (REMOVED IN APRIL 2019)

FORMER HYDRAULIC LIFTS (REMOVED IN MAY 2019)

EXISTING SVE POINT RISER TO BE CONNECTED TO NEW BLOWER SYSTEM ON ROOF

20' 0 20'

DRAWING NO.

1

DRAWING
1 OF 1