

ATTACHMENT 05

PREVIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION

LCS INC. SUPPLEMENTAL PHASE II ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT, LIMITED FOCUSED SUBSURFACE SOIL & INVESTIGATION, 300 OHIO STREET, BUFFALO, NEW YORK, NYSDEC SPILL NUMBER 0904777. PREPARED FOR THE NYSDEC, SEPTEMBER 2010.

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Previous Environmental Investigations 300 Ohio Street Site Brownfield Cleanup Program Application

A summary of the previous environmental site investigation completed for the Site is presented below.

September 2010 – Supplemental Phase II Environmental Site Assessment, Limited Focused Subsurface Soil & Investigation

LCS Inc. (LCS) conducted a limited site investigation of a portion of the subject property, and the findings are summarized below. Note that the initial May 2010 investigation results were incorporated into the findings of the September 2010 report.

- Visual and olfactory evidence of impacted soil/fill was noted in multiple soil boring locations by field personnel. Elevated photoionization detector (PID) readings for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) were detected in multiple locations across the site, with readings as high as 1,897 ppm being detected.
- Petroleum-impacted soil exceeding NYSDEC Part 375 Industrial SCOs and NYSDEC CP-51 SSCOs for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and semivolatile organic compounds (SVOCs) were detected at multiple soil boring locations across the site.
- Elevated PID readings were noted in 280 out of 301 soil sample locations.

The former Petroleum Sales and Services, Inc site is listed on the NYSDEC Petroleum Bulk Storage Record (PBS No. 9-383511) as containing at least 12 underground storage tanks (USTs) and one above-ground storage tank (AST). City of Buffalo Municipal records indicate that several of the tanks have been replaced due to former leaking USTs.

This portion of the Site is also listed on the NYSDEC Spills Database including at least 12 spill events between 1988 and 2010.

Facility Information

Site No.: 9-383511
Status: Active
Expiration Date: 08/17/2007
Site Type: PBS
Site Name: SAM'S TRUCK STOP #110
Address: 300 OHIO ST
Locality: BUFFALO
State: NY
Zipcode: 14204
County: Erie

Owner(s) Information

Owner: PETROLEUM SALES & SERVICE
 300 OHIO ST . BUFFALO, NY. 14204
Mail Contact: PETROLEUM SALES & SERVICE
 300 OHIO ST . BUFFALO, NY. 14204

Tank Information

13 Tanks Found

| Tank No | Tank Location | Status | Capacity (Gal.) |
|---------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Underground | In Service | 10000 |
| 10 | Underground | In Service | 6000 |
| 11 | Underground | Closed - Removed | 12000 |
| 12 | Underground | Closed - In Place | 20000 |
| 13 | Aboveground - in contact with soil | Closed - Removed | 1000 |
| 2 | Underground | In Service | 3000 |
| 3 | Underground | In Service | 6000 |
| 4 | Underground | Closed - Removed | 11000 |
| 5 | Underground | Closed - Removed | 2000 |
| 6 | Underground | In Service | 11000 |
| 7 | Underground | Closed - In Place | 20000 |
| 8 | Underground | In Service | 10000 |
| 9 | Underground | In Service | 10000 |



Spill Incidents Database Search Results

Record Count: 13 Rows: 1 to 13

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| | Spill Number | Date Spill Reported | Spill Name | County | City/Town | Address |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | 8804555 | 08/25/1988 | PETROLEUM SALES | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 2. | 9009917 | 12/12/1990 | OIL IN NFG EXCAVATION | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 3. | 9104400 | 07/24/1991 | PETROLEUM SALES & SERVICE | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 4. | 9110763 | 01/16/1992 | PETROLEUM SALES & SERVICE | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 5. | 9302663 | 05/27/1993 | SAM'S TRUCK STOP | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 6. | 9302840 | 05/27/1993 | SAM'S TRUCK STOP | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 7. | 9510010 | 11/11/1995 | SAM'S TRUCK STOP | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 8. | 9610492 | 11/15/1996 | PETRO USA | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 9. | 9709878 | 11/24/1997 | SAM'S TRUCK STOP | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 10. | 9800568 | 04/14/1998 | PETROLEUM SALES & SERVICE | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 11. | 9805444 | 07/31/1998 | PETROLEUM SALES AND SERVI | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 12. | 0904777 | 07/24/2009 | FORMER SAM'S TRUCK STOP | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |
| 13. | 0911296 | 01/15/2010 | ROADSIDE | Erie | BUFFALO | 300 OHIO STREET |

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September 17, 2010 - Revised

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SYRACUSE
NEW YORK

**Re: Supplemental Phase II Environmental Site Assessment
Limited and Focused Subsurface Soil & Investigation
300 Ohio Street
Buffalo, New York
LCS Project #10B667.22
NYSDEC Spill Number 0904777**

ALBANY
NEW YORK

Dear Mr. Warren:

NEW YORK CITY
NEW YORK

Background

At your request, Lender Consulting Services, Inc. (LCS) documented site investigation activities completed on March 31 through April 2, 2010 at 300 Ohio Street, Buffalo, New York (See Figure 1). The results of that investigation are summarized in LCS' Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Report dated May 7, 2010.

**VALLEY
COTTAGE**
NEW YORK

Subsequently, at your request, LCS documented additional site investigation activities completed on July 26 and July 27, 2010. All test boring locations and soil sampling was completed at the direction of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and/or their contractors.

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PITTSBURGH
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For the ease of the reader, the results of the field activities summarized in LCS' Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Report dated May 7, 2010, have been included within this report.

ALTOONA
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Site Description

The subject property was historically utilized as a gasoline and diesel filling station and petroleum distribution operation. Multiple gasoline, diesel, #2 heating oil and kerosene underground storage tanks (USTs) are currently or were historically located on the subjected property. Five inoperative pump islands are currently located west and south of the subject structure. The topography of the site is generally level at grade. The Buffalo River is located approximately 250 feet from the subject property; although, does not border the subject property. The subject property is located in a primarily industrial setting.

BALTIMORE
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Introduction

The purpose of this intrusive study was to better assess the environmental quality of on-site soils in accessible locations of the subject property. Soil samples were collected for stratigraphic characterization and field monitoring. Select soil samples were submitted for laboratory analysis to supplement field observations.

CLEVELAND
OHIO

The following is a summary of the methods and results of the investigation.

Methods of Investigation

Soil

Soil samples were collected on March 31 through April 2, July 26 and July 27, 2010 with a track-mounted percussion and hydraulically driven drive system equipped with an approximate 2-inch diameter, approximate 48-inch long macro-core sampler. Soil samples were collected within each borehole continuously from the ground surface until a depth of between approximately eight and 16 feet below the ground surface (ft. bgs). Any downhole equipment was decontaminated with an Alconox and tap water wash and tap water rinse between boreholes. The cutting shoes were decontaminated in a similar manner between collection of each sample.

The physical characteristics of all soil samples were classified using the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS) (Visual-Manual Method) and placed in separate sealable containers to allow any vapors to accumulate in the headspace. After several minutes, the container was opened slightly and total volatile organic compound (VOC) concentrations in air within the sample container were measured using a photoionization detector (PID). (The PID is designed to detect VOCs, such as those associated with petroleum.) Based on the field observations and/or screening results, soils were selected for analysis (see below).

Sample Analysis

Following labeling of the laboratory-supplied sample containers, selected samples were placed on ice. The samples were then submitted, under standard chain-of-custody, to a New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) approved laboratory for analysis in accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) SW-846 Methods as summarized below.

The following table summarizes the specific analytical testing performed and their respective sample locations.

| Sample Location | Analytical Testing Performed |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| BH1 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH10 (0-2 ft. bgs) | |
| BH11 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH13 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH15 (0-2 ft. bgs) | |
| BH18 (0-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH19 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH21 (6-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH23 (6-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH24 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH25 (0-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH26 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH27 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH28 (6-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH29 (10-12 ft. bgs) | |
| BH30 (8-12 ft. bgs) | |
| BH31 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH34 (6-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH37 (0-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH38 (6-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH40 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH41 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH42 (2-4 ft. bgs) | VOCs (STARS List), SVOCs (STARS List) |
| BH43 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH44 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH45 (4-6 ft. bgs) | |
| BH46 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH47 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH48 (4-6 ft. bgs) | |
| BH50 (4-6 ft. bgs) | |
| BH51 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH52 (0-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH53 (4-6 ft. bgs) | |
| BH54 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH55 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH56 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH58 (0-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH59 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH60 (8-10 ft. bgs) | |
| BH61 (0-2 ft. bgs) | |
| BH62 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH63 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH64 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |
| BH65 (2-4 ft. bgs) | |
| BH66 (4-8 ft. bgs) | |

ft. bgs = feet below ground surface

VOCs (STARS List+ 10 TICs) = Spill Technology and Remediation Series

volatile organic compounds + 10 Tentatively Identified Compounds via USEPA Test Method 8260

SVOCs (STARS List + 20 TICs) = Spill Technology and Remediation Series

semi-volatile organic compounds + 20 Tentatively Identified Compound via USEPA Test Method 8270

Results of Field Investigation

Sixty-six boreholes (BH1 through BH35 and BH37 through BH66) were completed in accessible areas of the subject property proximate to the environmental concerns. Test boring BH36 was not completed due to its proximity to two natural gas utility lines. (See Figure 2.) A total of 301 soil samples were collected for geologic description. Fill material consisting of asphalt, brick, gravel, clay, sand and silt was noted within all of the test borings with the exception of BH26, BH31, BH40 through BH42, BH52, BH55, BH57, BH62 and BH66 to a maximum depth of approximately eight ft. bgs. Generally, the native soils encountered consisted of varying mixtures of gravel, sand, silt and clay to the bottom of the test borings. Apparent groundwater was encountered in BH1, BH4, BH7, BH12, BH18, BH20, BH25, BH29 through BH34, BH37, BH56 and BH58 between approximately four and 12 ft. bgs. Equipment refusal was encountered within test boring BH7, BH49, BH61 and BH65 between approximately two and eight ft. bgs. The cause of the equipment refusal could not be determined; however, is suspected to be due to urban fill materials on-site.

PID measurements were above total ambient air background VOC measurements (i.e., 0.0 parts per million, ppm) in 280 of the 301 soil samples collected. These elevated concentrations ranged from 0.1 parts per million (ppm) to 1,897 ppm (BH11, ~2-4 ft. bgs). Petroleum-type odors were detected in soil samples collected from test borings BH1, BH11, BH12, BH15, BH18, BH19, BH23 through BH29, BH31, BH37, BH38, BH41, BH45, BH51 through BH56, and BH58 through BH63 between approximately the ground surface and 16 ft. bgs. Petroleum-type staining was observed in soil samples collected from test borings BH38, BH41, BH53, BH62 and BH63 between approximately two and eight ft. bgs. In LCS' experience, the PID measurements and field observations (i.e., odors/staining) suggest petroleum-type impact located west, south and east of the subject structure.

Refer to the attached subsurface logs for soil classification for each sample interval, field observations and PID measurements.

Investigation Analytical Results

The soil samples collected and analyzed detected the following analytes. The respective concentrations as well as applicable regulatory guidance values are also listed for comparison. Analytes not detected are not shown.

VOCs by USEPA SW-846 Method 8260 (STARS List)

| Sample ID | BH1 | BH10 | BH11 | BH13 | BH15 | BH18 | BH19 | BH21 | BH23 | BH24 | BH25 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Date Sampled | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives |
| Sample Depth | 8-10 ft. bgs | 0-2 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 0-2 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Benzene | <34 | 10 J | 900 J | <22 | <1,700 | 750 | 2,000 | 1,200 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 80 | 60 |
| Toluene | <34 | 19 | <2,100 | <22 | <1,700 | 400 J | 700 J | <410 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 1,500 | 700 |
| Ethylbenzene | <34 | 140 | 2,000 J | 22 | <1,700 | 960 | 5,300 | 2,200 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 5,500 | 1,000 |
| m,p-Xylene | <34 | 68 | 4,900 J | 110 | <1,700 | 1,500 | 3,200 | 1,900 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 1,200* | 260* |
| o-Xylene | <34 | 7 J | 1,000 J | 27 | <1,700 | 400 J | <780 | 200 J | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 1,200* | 260* |
| Isopropylbenzene | <34 | 92 | <2,100 | <22 | <1,700 | 4,900 | 3,000 | 400 J | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 2,300 | NL |
| n-Propylbenzene | <34 | 230 | 2,000 J | 22 | <1,700 | 3,300 | 2,400 | 300 J | <41,000 | 2,000 J | 400 J | 3,700 | 3,900 |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene | <34 | 360 | 3,500 | 69 | <1,700 | 2,900 | 3,300 | 200 J | <41,000 | 900 J | <740 | 3,300 | 8,400 |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene | <34 | 450 | 12,000 | 240 | <1,700 | 2,600 | 1,200 | 630 | <41,000 | 1,000 J | 700 J | 10,000 | 3,600 |
| tert-Butyl Benzene | <34 | <18 | <2,100 | <22 | <1,700 | 600 J | 700 J | <410 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| sec-Butylbenzene | <34 | 50 | <2,100 | <22 | <1,700 | 500 J | 500 J | <410 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 10,000 | 5,900 |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene | <34 | 51 | <2,100 | <22 | <1,700 | 500 J | 500 J | <410 | <41,000 | <1,900 | <740 | 10,000 | NL |
| n-Butylbenzene | <34 | 130 | 1,000 J | <22 | <1,700 | 1,500 | 1,400 | <410 | <41,000 | 1,000 J | <740 | 10,000 | 12,000 |
| Naphthalene | <34 | 210 | 2,900 | 36 | 2,300 | 2,800 | 3,300 | 580 | <41,000 | 2,100 | 920 | 13,000 | 12,000 |

VOCs by USEPA SW-846 Method 8260 (STARS List)

| Sample ID | BH26 | BH27 | BH28 | BH29 | BH30 | BH31 | BH34 | BH37 | BH38 | BH40 | BH41 | BH42 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Date Sampled | 4/1/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives |
| Sample Depth | 8-10 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 10-12 ft. bgs | 8-12 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Benzene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 80 | 60 |
| Toluene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 1,500 | 700 |
| Ethylbenzene | <710 | 2,000 J | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | 3,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 5,500 | 1,000 |
| m,p-Xylene | <710 | 2,400 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | 1,300 | <700 | 4,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 1,200* | 260* |
| o-Xylene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 1,200* | 260* |
| Isopropylbenzene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | 1,000 J | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 2,300 | NL |
| n-Propylbenzene | <710 | 2,000 J | 1,000 J | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | 400 J | 1,800 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 3,700 | 3,900 |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene | <710 | 2,400 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | 400 J | <700 | 3,000 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 3,300 | 8,400 |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene | <710 | 4,600 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | 1,200 | <700 | 13,000 | <860 | <780 | 1,900 | <390 | 10,000 | 3,600 |
| sec-Butylbenzene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| tert-Butyl Benzene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 10,000 | 5,900 |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 10,000 | NL |
| n-Butylbenzene | <710 | <1,800 | <1,800 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | <1,700 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | <390 | 10,000 | 12,000 |
| Naphthalene | <710 | 1,000 J | 3,100 | <36,000 | <750 | <770 | <700 | 4,500 | <860 | <780 | <1,900 | 1,800 | 13,000 | 12,000 |

ug/kg = micrograms per kilogram
ft. bgs = feet below ground surface
* = Based on the sum of the Total Xylenes.
J = Analyte detected below quantitation limits.
TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives = Division Technical and Remediation Series
(STARS = Spill Technology and Remediation Series
(TAGM 4045); Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels and addendum (August, 2001)
Underlined = Analyte that is detected above the TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives.
= Analyte that is detected above the Part 375 (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives.

VOCs by USEPA SW-946 Method 8260 (STARS List)

| Sample ID | BH43 | BH44 | BH45 | BH46 | BH47 | BH48 | BH50 | BH51 | BH52 | BH53 | BH54 | BH55 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Date Sampled | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | 7/26/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives |
| Sample Depth | 2-4 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 4-6 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 4-6 ft. bgs | 4-6 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 4-6 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Benzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 64 | <3.400 | 7.500 | 14.000 | <1.800 | 80 | 60 |
| Toluene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | <36 | <3.400 | <3.800 | 43.000 | <1.800 | 1.500 | 700 |
| Ethylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 280 | <3.400 | 32.000 | 52.000 | 5.100 | 5.500 | 1,000 |
| m,p-Xylene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 110 | 44.000 | 58.000 | 170.000 | <1.800 | 1,200* | 260* |
| o-Xylene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 45 | <3.400 | 13.000 | 66.000 | <1.800 | 1,200* | 260* |
| Isopropylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | 7.100 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 200 | <3.400 | 21.000 | 41.000 | 5.100 | 2.300 | NL |
| n-Propylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | 7.800 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 200 | <3.400 | 20.000 | 39.000 | 6.900 | 3.700 | 3,900 |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 120 | 16.000 | 20.000 | 51.000 | <1.800 | 10,000 | 8,400 |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 130 | 43.000 | 70.000 | 150.000 | <1.800 | 10,000 | 3,600 |
| sec-Butylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | <36 | <3.400 | <3.800 | <9.200 | <1.800 | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| tert-Butyl Benzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | <36 | <3.400 | <3.800 | <9.200 | <1.800 | 10,000 | 5,900 |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene | <3.5 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | <36 | <3.400 | <3.800 | <9.200 | <1.800 | 10,000 | NL |
| n-Butylbenzene | <3.5 | <3.70 | 6.000 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 56 | <3.400 | 11.000 | 10.000 | 4.600 | 10,000 | 12,000 |
| Naphthalene | 18 | <3.70 | <4.700 | <2.200 | <3.6 | <3.70 | <3.30 | 92 | <3.400 | 8.400 | <9.200 | <1.800 | 13,000 | 12,000 |

VOCs by USEPA SW-946 Method 8260 (STARS List)

| Sample ID | BH56 | BH58 | BH59 | BH60 | BH61 | BH62 | BH63 | BH64 | BH65 | BH66 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Date Sampled | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | 7/27/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives |
| Sample Depth | 8-10 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 0-2 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Benzene | <40 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | <410 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 80 | 60 |
| Toluene | <40 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | 510 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 1,500 | 700 |
| Ethylbenzene | <40 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | <410 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 5,500 | 1,000 |
| m,p-Xylene | 60 | 12,000 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | 710 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 1,200* | 260* |
| o-Xylene | 49 | 13,000 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | 530 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 1,200* | 260* |
| Isopropylbenzene | 71 | 7,600 | <3,700 | 35 | <3,300 | 970 | 2,200 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 2,300 | NL |
| n-Propylbenzene | 73 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | 1,100 | 5,100 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 3,700 | 3,900 |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene | 130 | 170,000 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | 610 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 3,300 | 8,400 |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene | 220 | 38,000 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | 570 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 10,000 | 3,600 |
| sec-Butylbenzene | 45 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | 1,200 | 2,100 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| tert-Butyl Benzene | <40 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | <410 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 10,000 | 5,900 |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene | 58 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | <400 | <410 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 10,000 | NL |
| n-Butylbenzene | 50 | <7,400 | <3,700 | <35 | <3,300 | 1,600 | 4,500 | <49 | <340 | <36 | 10,000 | 12,000 |
| Naphthalene | <40 | 15,000 | <3,700 | <35 | 3,800 | <400 | <410 | 620 | <340 | <36 | 13,000 | 12,000 |

ug/kg = micrograms per kilogram
 ft. bgs = feet below ground surface
 * = Based on the sum of the Total Xylenes.
 J = Analyte detected below quantitation limits

TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives = Division Technical and Remediation Series
 (TAGM 4046). Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels and addendum (August, 2001)
 Underlined = Analyte that is detected above the TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives.
 Underlined = Analyte that is detected above the Part 375 (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives.

SVOCs by USEPA SW-846 Method 8270 (STARS list)

| Sample ID | BH1 | BH10 | BH11 | BH13 | BH15 | BH18 | BH19 | BH21 | BH23 | BH24 | BH25 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---|--|
| Date Sampled | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 3/31/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | 4/1/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg |
| Sample Depth | 8-10 ft. bgs | 0-2 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 0-2 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Acenaphthene | <3,700 | <40,000 | <460 | <4,900 | <37,000 | <41,000 | <43,000 | <450 | <460 | <42,000 | <810 | 50,000* | 20,000 |
| Fluorene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 200 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | <41,000 | 8,000 J | <450 | <460 | 8,000 J | <810 | 50,000* | 30,000 |
| Phenanthrene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 630 | <4,900 | 10,000 J | 20,000 J | 30,000 J | <450 | 870 | 40,000 J | 5,000 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Anthracene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 100 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | <41,000 | 9,000 J | <450 | <460 | 10,000 J | <810 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Fluoranthene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 730 | <4,900 | 5,000 J | 8,000 J | 40,000 J | <450 | 100 J | 40,000 J | 890 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Pyrene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 550 | <4,900 | 6,000 J | 8,000 J | 30,000 J | <450 | 100 J | 30,000 J | 860 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Benz(a)anthracene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 300 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | 5,000 J | 20,000 J | <450 | <460 | 20,000 J | 300 J | 224 or MDL | 1,000 |
| Benz(k)fluoranthene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 300 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | 5,000 J | 20,000 J | <450 | <460 | 10,000 J | 300 J | 400 | 1,000 |
| Benz(b)fluoranthene | <3,700 | <40,000 | 300 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | 7,000 J | 10,000 J | <450 | <460 | 8,000 J | <810 | 220 or MDL | 1,000 |
| Benz(a)pyrene | 800 J | 4,000 J | 200 J | <4,900 | <37,000 | 5,000 J | 20,000 J | 1,900 | <460 | 10,000 J | <810 | 220 or MDL | 800 |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene | <3,700 | 4,000 J | <460 | <4,900 | <37,000 | <41,000 | <43,000 | <450 | <460 | <42,000 | <810 | 3,200 | 500 |
| Benzof(g,h,i)perylene | <3,700 | 5,000 J | <460 | <4,900 | <37,000 | <41,000 | 10,000 J | <450 | <460 | <42,000 | <810 | 50,000* | 100,000 |

SVOCs by USEPA SW-846 Method 8270 (STARS list)

| Sample ID | BH26 | BH27 | BH28 | BH29 | BH30 | BH31 | BH34 | BH37 | BH38 | BH40 | BH41 | BH42 | TAGM | Part 375 |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|---|--|
| Date Sampled | 4/1/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | 4/2/10 | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg |
| Sample Depth | 8-10 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 10-12 ft. bgs | 8-12 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 0-4 ft. bgs | 6-8 ft. bgs | 8-10 ft. bgs | 4-8 ft. bgs | 2-4 ft. bgs | Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg | (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives ug/kg |
| Units | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg | ug/kg |
| Acenaphthene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | <410 | 900 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | <41,000 | 200,000 J | 50,000* | 20,000 |
| Fluorene | <390 | <400 | 14,000 | 70 J | <410 | 800 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 7,000 J | 200,000 J | 50,000* | 30,000 |
| Phenanthrene | 60 J | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 300 J | 9,400 | 60 J | 1,000 J | 600 J | 10,000 J | 30,000 J | 1,900,000 J | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Anthracene | <390 | 90 J | <3,900 | <390 | 300 J | 12,000 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 20,000 J | 660,000 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Fluoranthene | <390 | 40 J | <3,900 | <390 | 200 J | 10,000 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 91,000 | 2,600,000 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Pyrene | <390 | <400 | 3,000 J | <390 | 100 J | 5,400 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 84,000 | 2,200,000 | 50,000* | 100,000 |
| Benz(a)anthracene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 100 J | 5,400 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 53,000 | 1,200,000 | 224 or MDL | 1,000 |
| Chrysene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 100 J | 5,100 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 72,000 | 1,300,000 | 400 | 1,000 |
| Benzof(g,h,i)perylene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 90 J | 4,000 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 95,000 | 970,000 | 220 or MDL | 1,000 |
| Benzof(k,l)perylene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 90 J | 3,000 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 95,000 | 1,900,000 | 220 or MDL | 800 |
| Benzof(a,b)perylene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | 100 J | 5,000 | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 120,000 | 1,800,000 | 61 or MDL | 1,000 |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | <410 | 3,000 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 61,000 | 1,000,000 | 3,200 | 500 |
| Benzof(g,h,i)perylene | <390 | <400 | <3,900 | <390 | <410 | 4,000 J | <380 | <3,600 | <4,700 | <4,300 | 100,000 | 1,200,000 | 50,000* | 100,000 |

ug/kg = micrograms per kilogram
 ft. bgs = feet below ground surface
 J = Analyte detected below quantitation limits
 STARS = Spill Technology and Remediation Series
 * = Total SVOCs must be ≤ 500,000ug/kg, and individual non-carcinogenic SVOCs must be ≤ 50,000ug/kg
 TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives = Division Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum (TAGM 4046); Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels and addendum (August, 2001)
 B = This analyte was also detected within the laboratory's method blank and may be the result of laboratory contamination.
 Underlined = Analyte that is detected above the TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives.
 = Analyte that is detected above the Part 375 (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives.

Conclusions

The purpose of this intrusive study was to better assess the environmental quality of on-site soils in accessible locations of the subject property proximate to the historic pump islands and the current and historic USTs. All test boring locations and soil sampling was completed at the direction of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and/or their contractors.

The following tables summarize the field observations and the laboratory results.

| Sample ID | Depth of Refusal | Depth of Groundwater | Highest PID Reading | | Petroleum-Type Odors | Petroleum-Type Staining | Free Product | Analytes Detected Above Regulatory Criteria |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---|
| | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ppm | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | |
| BH1 | None | 12 | 1,541 | 8-10 | 8-10 | None | None | Yes |
| BH2 | None | None | 1.7 | 0-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH3 | None | None | 0.4 | 0-2 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH4 | None | 8 | None | None | None | None | None | NA |
| BH5 | None | None | 0.6 | 2-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH6 | None | None | 3.5 | 0-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH7 | 8 | 4 | 2.9 | 2-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH8 | None | None | 1.8 | 0-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH9 | None | None | 3.2 | 0-2 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH10 | None | None | 35.1 | 0-2 | None | None | None | Yes |
| BH11 | None | None | 1,897 | 4-8 | 1-11 | None | None | Yes |
| BH12 | None | 8 | 583 | 8-12 | 3-4 | None | None | NA |
| BH13 | None | None | 13.2 | 4-8 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH14 | None | None | 1.5 | 8-10 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH15 | None | None | 52.3 | 0.4-2 | 0-5 | None | None | No** |
| BH16 | None | None | 2.7 | 10-12 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH17 | None | None | 1.8 | 2-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH18 | None | 8 | 527 | 0.4-4 | 3-10 | None | None | Yes |
| BH19 | None | None | 923 | 2-4 | 1-10 | None | None | Yes |
| BH20 | None | 9 | 2.8 | 8-10 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH21 | None | None | 21.3 | 6-8 | None | None | None | Yes |
| BH22 | None | None | 6.8 | 6-8 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH23 | None | None | 303 | 6-8 | 3-8 | None | None | No** |
| BH24 | None | None | 616 | 2-4 | 3-5.5 | None | None | No** |
| BH25 | None | 8 | 157 | 0.4-4 | 0-10 | None | None | Yes |
| BH26 | None | None | 175 | 8-10 | 8-10 | None | None | No |
| BH27 | None | None | 998 | 8-10 | 2-12 | None | None | Yes |
| BH28 | None | None | 523 | 6-8 | 1-8 | None | None | No** |
| BH29 | None | 8 | >999 | 10-12 | 8-12 | None | None | No** |
| BH30 | None | 11 | 26 | 8-12 | None | None | None | Yes |
| BH31 | None | 8 | 663 | 8-10 | 8-11 | None | None | Yes |
| BH32 | None | 9 | 6 | 4-8 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH33 | None | 10 | 3 | 0.4-12 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH34 | None | 8 | 22.5 | 6-8 | None | None | None | No |
| BH35 | None | None | 5 | 4-8 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH36 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| BH37 | None | 10 | >999 | 0.4-8, 12-16 | 0.4-16 | None | None | Yes |
| BH38 | None | None | >999 | 4-8 | 6-8 | 6-8 | None | Yes |
| BH39 | None | None | 8 | 0-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH40 | None | None | 27 | 0-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH41 | None | None | 392 | 4-8 | 4-8 | 4-8 | None | Yes |
| BH42 | None | None | 10 | 2-4 | None | None | None | Yes |

NA = not analyzed

* = test boring was not completed due to proximity to natural gas utility lines

** = elevated laboratory method detection limit

| Sample ID | Depth of Refusal | Depth of Groundwater | Highest PID Reading | | Petroleum-Type Odors | Petroleum-Type Staining | Free Product | Analytes Detected Above Regulatory Criteria |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---|
| | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ppm | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | ft. bgs | |
| BH43 | None | None | 6 | 2-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH44 | None | None | 40 | 2-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH45 | None | None | 810 | 4-6 | 4-7 | None | None | Yes |
| BH46 | None | None | 172 | 8-10 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH47 | None | None | 6 | 2-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH48 | None | None | 2 | 0-8, 10-12 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH49 | 4 | None | 1 | 0-4 | None | None | None | NA |
| BH50 | None | None | 1 | 0-6 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH51 | None | None | 339 | 2-4 | 2-8 | None | None | No |
| BH52 | None | None | >999 | 0-4 | 0-8 | None | None | Yes |
| BH53 | None | None | >999 | 0-8 | 2-10 | 2-8 | None | Yes |
| BH54 | None | None | >999 | 2-8 | 2-8 | None | None | Yes |
| BH55 | None | None | 668 | 4-8 | 4-10 | None | None | No** |
| BH56 | None | 12 | >999 | 8-10 | 8-12 | None | None | No |
| BH57 | NR | NR | NR | NR | NR | NR | NR | NR |
| BH58 | None | 8 | >999 | 0-4 | 1-10 | None | None | Yes |
| BH59 | None | None | 448 | 8-10 | 1-10 | None | None | No** |
| BH60 | None | None | 336 | 8-10 | 8-12 | None | None | No |
| BH61 | 2 | None | 672 | 0-2 | 0.4-2 | None | None | No** |
| BH62 | None | None | >999 | 0-2, 4-8 | 4-8 | 4-8 | None | No** |
| BH63 | None | None | >999 | 4-8 | 4-8 | 4-8 | None | Yes |
| BH64 | None | None | 9 | 0-2 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH65 | 7 | None | 25 | 2-4 | None | None | None | No** |
| BH66 | None | None | 2 | 4-12 | None | None | None | No** |

NA = not analyzed

NR = no recovery

* = test boring was not completed due to proximity to natural gas utility lines

** = elevated laboratory method detection limit

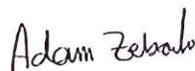
Based on the analytical results, analytes were detected at concentrations above TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives and Part 375 (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives in soil samples collected from west, south and east of the subject structure. Analytes were not detected at concentrations above TAGM Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives or Part 375 (Unrestricted) Soil Cleanup Objectives in soil samples collected from test borings BH15, BH23, BH28, BH29, BH40, BH46, BH55, BH59, BH61 and BH62. Based on the field observations (i.e. elevated PID readings, odors, staining) analytes may be present in soil samples collected from those test borings; however, were not detected due to elevated laboratory method detection limits.

Recommendations

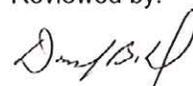
Contaminated soil and groundwater (if any) should be remediated in accordance with the requirements of the NYSDEC. Similarly, non compliant UST systems should be properly abandoned (i.e., closed-in-place or excavated and removed).

Thank you for allowing LCS to service your environmental needs. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to call our office.

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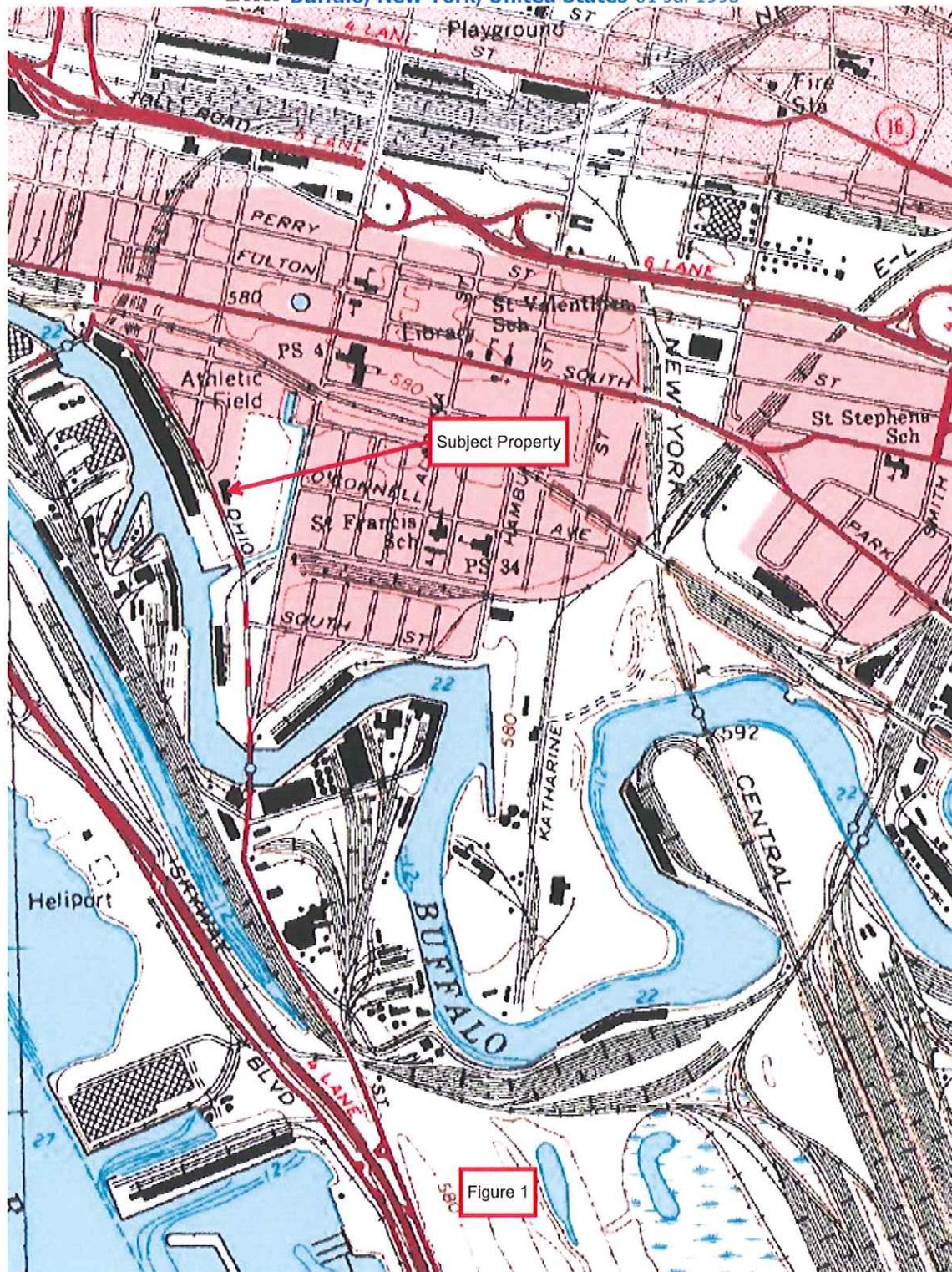


Figure 1

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SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION MAP

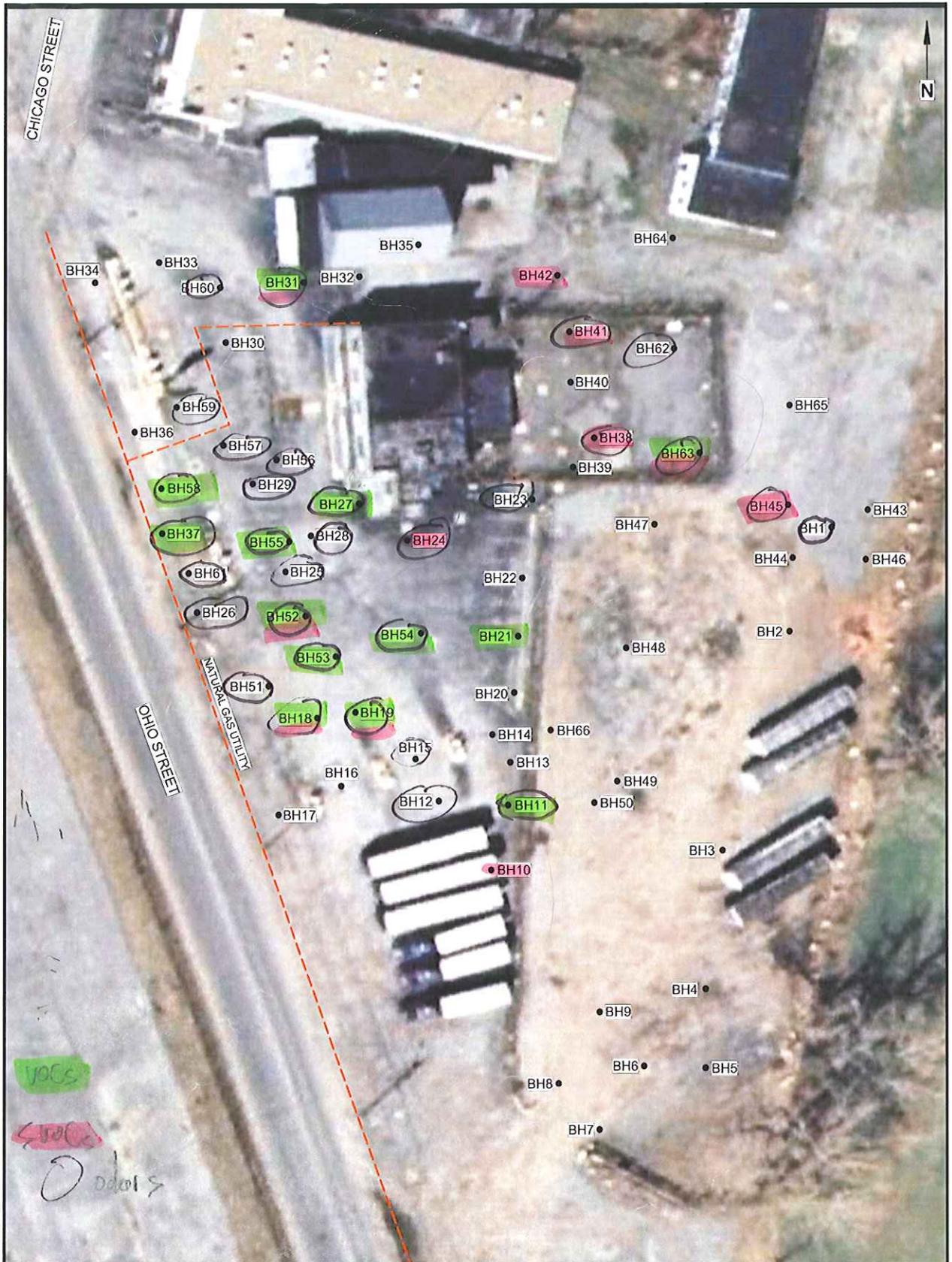


FIGURE 2 - SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN
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