Norwalk Tank Farm Update

Defense Energy Support Center-Americas West Norwalk Tank Farm Restoration Advisory Board

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Presentation Overview

- General Site Activities
 - Remediation System Update
- Holifield Park Investigation Results
 - First Quarter 2009 Sentry Groundwater Monitoring Results
- Planned Activities

General Site Activities

- Weekly System Inspections January 1 through March 31
- System Performance & Compliance Sampling Jan. 9, 14; Feb. 3, 25; Mar. 5, 18, 26, 31
- Groundwater Treatment System (GWTS) Granular Activated Carbon (GAC) Change Outs – Both (2) vessels completed on February 16 and March 24
- NPDES Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) Submitted February 11th for Q4 2008
- First Quarter 2009 Sentry Groundwater Monitoring W3 of February
- Draft Conceptual Site Model (CSM) Submitted February 13th
- Supplemental Investigation Report for Holifield Park and Dolland Elementary School – Submitted March 26th

Remediation System Update

- Groundwater extracted and treated:
 - 813,980 gallons in Q1 2009
 - 44.4 million gallons, since April 1996
- Soil vapor extraction system (SVES) Remained Out of Operation
- System Performance Since April 1996 through December 2008
 - Total Hydrocarbons Mass Removed: 428,722 gallons
 - Approx. 215,870 gallons recycled and destroyed
 - Estimated 212,851 gallons of hydrocarbons destroyed due to enhanced biodegradation

Remediation System Update -GWTS Operations Summary

- System Off Over Following Periods:
 - Dec 31 Jan 7: Awaiting shipment of MYCLEX filters & change-out
 - Jan 26: System off briefly to change MYCLEX filters
 - Feb 6 Feb 12: Quarterly Groundwater Monitoring
 - Feb 13 Feb 24: Cleaned out surge tank and repaired leak, GAC change-out
 - Mar 3 Mar 4: Repair leak at meter
 - Mar 24 Mar 26: GAC change-out
- System **On** Over Following Periods:
 - Jan 8 Jan 26: System restart, continuous operation
 - Jan 27 Feb 6: System restart, continuous operation
 - Feb 24 Mar 3: System restart, continuous operation
 - Mar 4 Mar 24: System restart, continuous operation
 - Mar 26 Mar 31: System restart, continuous operation

Holifield Park Investigation

- January 7 and 12, 2009 supplemental investigation tasks:
 - Installed 6 soil vapor probes and 2 groundwater monitoring wells
 - Collected 7 soil gas samples
 - Collected 5 soil samples
 - Collected 50 HydropunchTM groundwater samples
- Samples analyzed for: TPH as gasoline, TPH as JP5, and volatile organic compounds

Holifield Park Sampling Locations



Holifield Park Investigation Results

- Soil gas and soil have not been impacted with site-related VOCs above action levels
- Dissolved groundwater plume has been fully defined; therefore there is no need for additional investigation
 - Lateral extent of groundwater impacts above action levels is limited to approximately 300 feet east of DESC property beneath the park
 - Groundwater impacted above action levels does not extend beneath Dolland Elementary School property

Holifield Park Investigation Results -Benzene Concentrations in Groundwater



Holifield Park Investigation Results - TPH as Gasoline Concentrations in Groundwater



Holifield Park Investigation Results - TPH as JP-5 Concentrations in Groundwater



Holifield Park Groundwater Containment

- Groundwater impacted above action levels in the area near GMW-62 will be contained and pulled back to the DFSP Norwalk site property via an expansion of the existing DFSP Norwalk GWTS
- An additional 6-inch diameter extraction well will be installed within site boundaries
 - An additional 4-inch diameter groundwater monitoring well will be installed in the park within the capture zone to gauge system performance

First Quarter 2009 Sentry Groundwater Monitoring

- 80 wells were gauged
- 11 wells were sampled
- Free product was detected in 3 wells (GW-15, TF-17, and TF-20) with thickness measured as 0.04, 1.61, and 0.61 feet
 - Groundwater elevations generally decreased in the uppermost aquifer beneath the site

First Quarter 2009 Sentry Groundwater Monitoring Results

Well	TPH as JP5	TPH as Gasoline	Benzene	Toluene	Ethyl- benzene	Total Xylenes	1,2-DCA	МТВЕ
GMW-47	460	170	< 0.50 ⁶	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	< 0.50	< 0.50
GMW-57	140	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	< 0.50	< 0.50
GMW-58	2200	1000	36	< 0.50	0.85	< 1.0	< 0.50	0.55
GMW-59	2600	2500	650	< 2.5	< 2.5	< 5.0	< 2.5	3.2
GMW-60	490	1600	200	< 1.0	2.5	< 2.0	< 1.0	< 1.0
GMW-61	< 100	1100	340	< 2.5	13	57	< 2.5	< 2.5
GMW-62	1600	3600	1800	5.1	150	164	< 5.0	< 5.0
GMW-63	< 100	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	< 0.50	< 0.50
GMW-64	< 100	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	< 0.50	< 0.50
MW-14	< 100	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	1.1	1.6
MW-14 (Dup)	< 100	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	1	1.5
MW-22 MID	< 100	< 100	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 0.50	< 1.0	15	18

Samples collected on February 12, 2009. Results in milligrams per liter.

Planned Activities for Next Quarter

- Continue weekly system inspections, required sampling, evaluation, and optimization
- Conduct 2nd quarter groundwater monitoring semiannual event (W3 April)
- Conduct weed abatement
- GWTS expansion in the eastern area to cover groundwater under Holifield Park
- GWTS upgrade (to include purchase and installation of additional treatment vessel)
- SVES upgrade and restart
- Supplemental on-site investigation:
 - Northeast corner
 - Water tank area
 - Truck fill area historical data review, confirmation sampling, area assessment and remedial strategy

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