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October 31, 2005

Ms. Deborah Williams Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation 610 University Avenue Fairbanks, Alaska 99709

RE:

2005 Monitoring Well Replacement Report

Former Texaco Service Station 21-1079

1501 South Cushman Street

Fairbanks, Alaska

SECOR Project No.: 77CH.21079.04.0270

Dear Ms. Williams:

SECOR International Incorporated (SECOR), on behalf of Chevron Environmental Management Company (Chevron), has prepared this letter for the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) to document the installation of one replacement groundwater monitoring well at the above-referenced site (Figure 1). The onsite monitoring well was installed to replace MW-3 which was abandoned in August 2004 due to damage from a snow plow. This work was done in accordance with ADEC's approval to SECOR's request to replace MW-3 dated September 12, 2005 (Attachment 1).

## **ONSITE ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES AND FINDINGS**

On September 26, 2005, SECOR supervised Discovery Drilling Incorporated (Discovery) of Anchorage, Alaska in the installation of one replacement monitoring well (MW-3R) to the depth of approximately 22 feet below ground surface (bgs), and constructed a 2-inch PVC monitoring well. As per ADEC approval, no soil samples were collected for logging or sampling due to the proximity of the location to the original well site (Attachment 2). The boring log for MW-3R, well construction details, and the original boring log for MW-3 are included in Attachment 2. The monitoring well was developed and sampled by Oasis Environmental Incorporated in September 2005. The analytical results from the groundwater sampling will be included in the second Semi-Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report for 2005 for the above-referenced site. Field and Laboratory Procedures are detailed in Attachment 3.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding these activities, please feel free to contact David Weigner at (916) 861-0400 extension 277.

Sincerely,

**SECOR International Incorporated** 

Ben McKenna Staff Geologist

David Weigner Project Manager Ms. Deborah Williams October 31, 2005 Page 2

### Enclosures:

Figure 1

Site Plan

Attachment 1 ADEC Correspondence

Attachment 2

Boring Log and Field Documentation

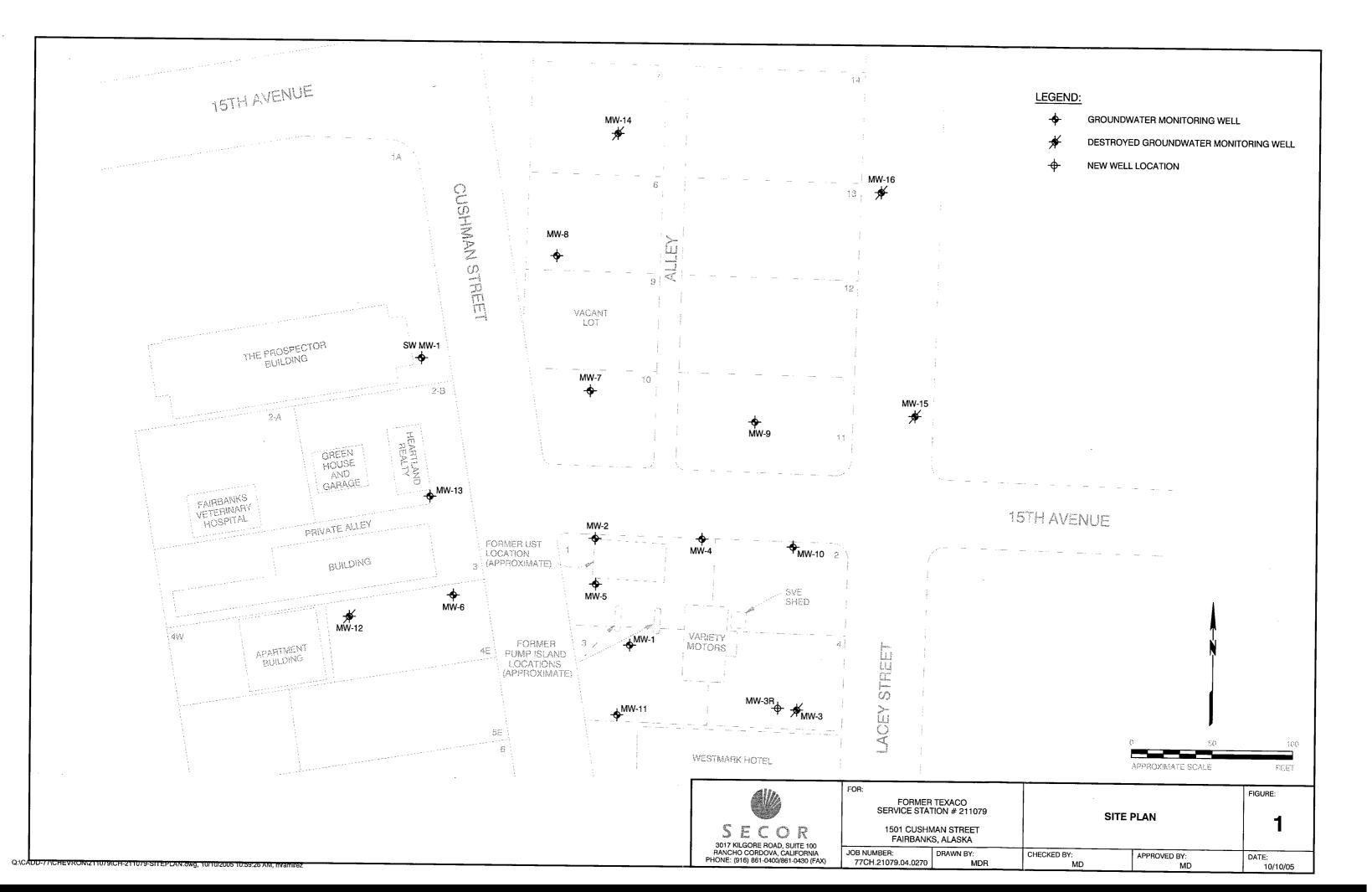
Attachment 3

Field and Laboratory Procedures

CC:

Stacie Hartung-Frerichs, Chevron Environmental Management Company, San Ramon, California

**FIGURES** 



## ATTACHMENT 1 ADEC CORRESPONDENCE

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October 31, 2005

From: David Weigner [dweigner@secor.com]
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 3:03 PM

To: Tonya Myers; Jocelyn Jackson

Subject: FW: Well Replacement at Facility #211079

Thank you,

David Weigner

SECOR International, Inc. (916) 861-0400 ext. 277 (916) 861-0430 fax (916) 284-5709 cell dweigner@secor.com

From: Williams, Deborah [mailto:Deborah\_Williams@dec.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 2:34 PM

To: David Weigner

Subject: RE: Well Replacement at Facility #211079

ADEC approves of the following proposal to replace the former MW-3 monitoring well. Let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Deb.

----Original Message-----

From: David Weigner [mailto:dweigner@secor.com]

Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 1:28 PM

To: Williams, Deborah

Cc: Brian Silva

Subject: RE: Well Replacement at Facility #211079

I'm sorry. I forgot to attach it.

David Weigner

SECOR International, Inc. (916) 861-0400 ext. 277 (916) 861-0430 fax (916) 284-5709 cell dweigner@secor.com

From: Williams, Deborah [mailto:Deborah\_Williams@dec.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 2:16 PM

To: David Weigner

Subject: RE: Well Replacement at Facility #211079

Hi David -

The attachment did not come through on my end. Do you mind sending it again?

Thanks. Deb.

----Original Message----

From: David Weigner [mailto:dweigner@secor.com]

Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 12:39 PM

To: Williams, Deborah

Cc: Brian Silva; David Weigner

Subject: Well Replacement at Facility #211079

Deborah,

SECOR would like to request approval to reinstall groundwater monitoring well MW-3 at 1501 South Cushman in Fairbanks. MW-3 was abandoned in August 2004 because a large volume of gravel was inside the well casing which could not be removed or repaired. SECOR also would like to request permission to advance the soil boring without logging the lithology of the soil or collecting soil samples due to the close proximity of abandoned well MW-3. Field personnel will screen the soil for petroleum hydrocarbon impacts per the site-specific health and safety plan and note differences in the lithology from the original MW-3 boring log used during these activities.

The work will commence the week of September 26<sup>th</sup> and coincide with field work that is currently scheduled for the FAIR area. Soil cuttings (IDW) from this well installation will be properly drummed, labeled, and temporarily stored on site. Pending laboratory analysis, the IDW will be transported along with the IDW from the FAIR area to Anchorage Soil Recycling (ASR) in Anchorage where it will be treated as necessary. A Site Plan is attached above illustrating the proposed location. Please let me know at your earliest convenience if this work is acceptable as preparation is scheduled to be underway this week. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns pertaining to this work.

Thank you,

David Weigner
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## ATTACHMENT 2 BORING LOG

2005 Monitoring Well Replacement Report Former Texaco Service Station 21-1079 1501 South Cushman Street Fairbanks, Alaska SECOR Project No.: 77CH.21079.04.0270

October 31, 2005

PROJECT: Monitoring Well Replacement

LOCATION: 1501 Cushman Street, Fairbanks, Alaska PROJECT NUMBER: 77CH.21079.04.0270

DRILLING:

STARTED 9/26/05

**COMPLETED: 9/26/05 COMPLETED: 9/26/05** 

INSTALLATION: STARTED 9/26/05 DRILLING COMPANY: Discovery **DRILLING EQUIPMENT: CME 75** 

DRILLING METHOD: Hollow Stem Auger

SAMPLING EQUIPMENT:

WELL / PROBEHOLE / BOREHOLE NO:

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NORTHING (ft): LATITUDE:

GROUND ELEV (ft):

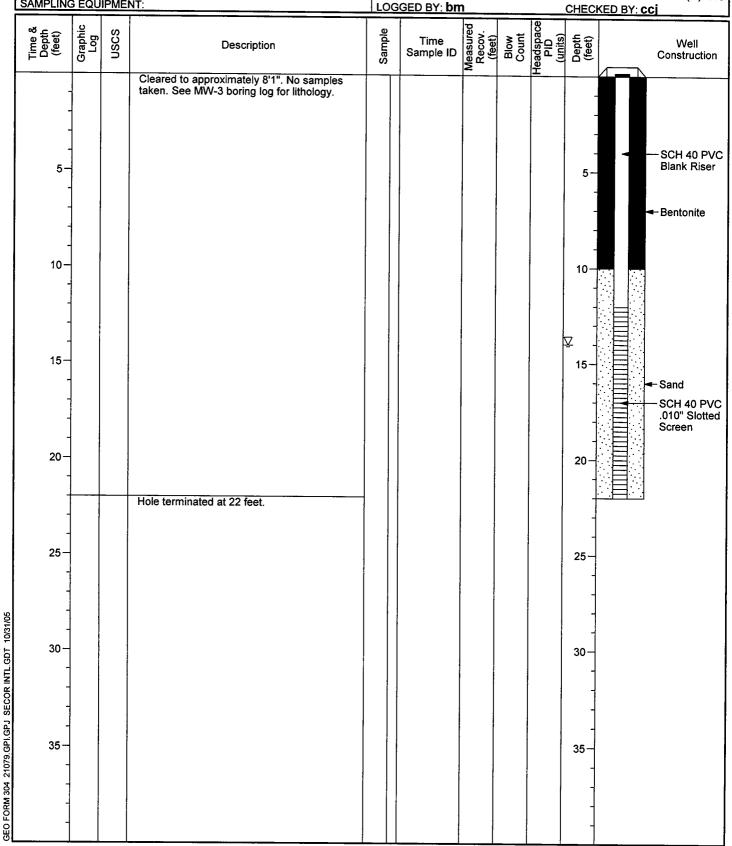
INITIAL DTW (ft): 14 9/26/05 STATIC DTW (ft): NE

WELL CASING DIAMETER (in): 2.0

EASTING (ft): LONGITUDE: TOC ELEV (ft):

BOREHOLE DEPTH (ft): 22.0 WELL DEPTH (ft): 22.0

BOREHOLE DIAMETER (in): 8.0



#### LOG OF EXPLORATORY BORING **PROJECT NAME** TEXACO SITE - TES FACILITY #63-057-0003 LOCATION 1501 CUSHMAN ST, FAIRBANKS, ALASKA

**DRILLED BY DISCOVERY DRILL METHOD** 

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REFERENCE ELEV.

25.00' 9/2/92

TOTAL DEPTH **DATE COMPLETED** 

BLOWS PER RECOVERY DATA-SAMPLES LITHOLOGIC 6 INCHES (FT) LOGGER LOGIC DESCRIPTION PID COLUMN (PPM) SILTY SAND (SM); tan to gray; 35% non-plastic silt; 40% fine to coarse sand; 25% fine to medium gravel (3/4" diameter); damp.

> SILT (ML) brown; 85% non-plastic silt; 10% fine sand; trace fine gravel (3/4" diameter); stiff; damp; no noticable odor.

SANDY GRAVEL (GW); brown; 10% non-plastic silt; 35% fine to coarse sand; 55% fine to medium gravel (11/2" diameter); medium dense.

At 10'; tan; 5% non-plastic silt; 35% fine to coarse sand; 60% fine to medium gravel; dense.

At 14'; first encountered groundwater.

Increasing gravel from 15.0 to 16.5 feet.

Increasing sand.

REMARKS
Drilled using continuous flight, hollow stem auger equipment. Samples were collected using a split-spoon sampler. Upon completion, the boring was converted into a 25-foot-deep, 4-inch-diameter ground water monitoring well.

## LOG OF EXPLORATORY BORING

PROJECT NAME LOCATION DRILLED BY DRILL METHOD LOGGED BY TEXACO SITE - TES FACILITY #63-057-0003 1501 CUSHMAN ST, FAIRBANKS, ALASKA

DISCOVERY

HSA

**Russell Thompson** 

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REFERENCE ELEV.

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TOTAL DEPTH DATE COMPLETED 25**.00'** 9/2/92

BLOWS PER RECOVERY 6 INCHES (FT) DATA-LOGGER PID COLUMN COLUMN COLUMN COLUMN SINGLE CO
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- 35 — -

REMARKS
Drilled using continuous flight, hollow stem auger equipment. Samples were collected using a split-spoon sampler.
Upon completion, the boring was converted into a 25-foot-deep, 4-inch-diameter ground water monitoring well.

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# ATTACHMENT 3 FIELD AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES

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## FIELD AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES

Former Texaco Service Station 21-1079, 1501 Cushman Street, Fairbanks, Alaska

#### Site Safety Plan

Prior to fieldwork, a Site Health and Safety Plan (SHSP) was prepared. The SHSP was prepared as required by the Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA) Standard "Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response" guidelines (29 CFR 1910.120) and the Alaska Department of Labor's General Safety Code, Section 01.0102 (8 AAC 61.010). The project manager, field staff and contractors reviewed the SHSP prior to beginning field operations.

## **Groundwater Monitoring Well Drilling**

The soil boring for the monitoring well was advanced using 8-inch hollow-stem auger drilling equipment to approximately 22 feet below ground surface (bgs). Down-hole sampling equipment was washed in Alconox, or a similar solution between samples.

## **Groundwater Monitoring Well Installation**

The boring was converted to a monitoring well by installing 2-inch diameter, flush-threaded, Schedule 40 PVC casing with 0.010 inch factory-slotted screen in the boring. Approximately 10 feet of screen was placed in the bottom of the boring. Graded sand, appropriate to the screen size, was placed in the annular space across the entire screened interval, and does not extend more than 2 feet above the top of the screened interval of the well. A bentonite seal extends from the sand pack to the well box. The well casing was topped with a locking cap and the wellhead contained in a watertight well box that is traffic rated and flush mounted.

### **Laboratory Procedures**

Selected soil samples and groundwater samples collected were analyzed for GRO (Gasoline Range Organics) by Alaska method AK 101, DRO (Diesel Range Organics) by Alaska method AK 102. Polynuclear Aromatic Compounds (PAH's) by EPA method 8270C, and BTEX (Benzene, Toluene, Ethylene, and total Xylenes) by EPA method 8260.

#### **Soil Cuttings**

Soil cuttings generated during drilling operations were temporarily stored onsite at the Chevron facility location in 55-gallon drums pending characterization and disposal. Soil cuttings will be transported to an appropriate offsite disposal facility.