

KJ project: 1996002.02 Texaco Strickland Remedial Investigation Field Support

Site visit date: 09/07/2022 Time: 2-2:30pm KJ Staff: Jenny Mital

Observations

Personnel onsite:

- 4 laborers (may include foreman)
- One field engineer from Aspect Consulting: Alec Melone, Staff Geologist

Activities

- Utility potholing was occurring at the time of inspection. No excavation or other construction activities have taken place yet.
- Between the inspection and the last visit in spring 2022, trees around the perimeter of the site have been removed, construction fencing was installed, and erosion control materials were brought in and stockpiled.

Equipment

• 1 vacuum truck

Health and Safety

• Everyone working near the vac truck was wearing hearing protection. Everyone onsite had appropriate PPE including hard hats and vests.

Stockpiling

- N/A; small pothole excavations were covered with boards, no soil piles were visible onsite
- Wooden boards from a small demolished structure are piled in one corner awaiting removal.
- An empty 55-gallon barrel and some other rubbish such as a television is sitting next to the boards.

Fencing to keep the public out?

• Yes, though one citizen was observed crossing the inactive area of the site through an opening in the fence. The crew will probably close the hole in the fence when actual excavation begins.

Conversations

- The onsite geologist, Alec Melone, informed me that potholing was occurring, and excavation would start in a few weeks. I received his business card and informed him that I would be visiting periodically to document site activities for the Department of Ecology.
- I briefly talked to two of the construction crew members who confirmed that they were potholing and that it was ok to go inside the fence.

Attachment: Site visit photos



Potholing activities. Facing west.



Fencing around 68th St. Driveway. Facing north.



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Erosion control materials in southeast corner of site.



Covered pothole location. Facing East.



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Tree removal. Facing West.



Stockpiles of boards and 55-gallon drum. Facing north.