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June 11, 2007

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**Re: Periodic – 5 – Year - Review under the MTCA WAC 173-340-420 for the following
Hazardous Waste Site enrolled in the Voluntary Cleanup Program:**

- Site Name: AUBURN SEWAGE LAGOONS
- Site Address: 30TH ST & B ST NW AUBURN WA
- Facility/Site No.: ECOLOGY ID: 15846
- VCP No.: NW0128

DEAR MR BOND:

Thank you for submitting your independent remedial action Groundwater Monitoring reports for the AUBURN SEWAGE LAGOONS facility (Site) for review by the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) under the Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP). Ecology appreciates your initiative in pursuing this administrative option for cleaning up hazardous waste sites under the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA), Chapter 70.105D RCW.

This letter constitutes an advisory opinion regarding whether further remedial action is necessary at the Site to meet the substantive requirements of MTCA and its implementing regulations, Chapter 70.105D RCW and Chapter 173-340 WAC. Ecology is providing this advisory opinion under the specific authority of RCW 70.105D.030(1)(i) and WAC 173-340-515(5).

This opinion does not resolve a person's liability to the state under MTCA or protect a person from contribution claims by third parties for matters addressed by the opinion. The state does not have the authority to settle with any person potentially liable under MTCA except in accordance with RCW 70.105D.040(4). The opinion is advisory only and not binding on Ecology.

Ecology's Toxics Cleanup Program has reviewed the following information regarding the Site:

5-Year Review-PASSED
AUBURN SEWAGE LAGOONS
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1. Groundwater CONFIRMATION Monitoring Results from 11/13/98 TO 2/2/07 BY
GEO ENGINEERS AND SCS ENGINEERING

The documents listed above will be kept in the Central Files of the Northwest Regional Office of Ecology (NWRO) for review by appointment only. Appointments can be made by calling the NWRO resource contact at (425) 649-7190.

The Site is defined by the extent of contamination caused by the following release(s):

- Metals (Arsenic) in the Soil and Groundwater;

The Site is more particularly described in Enclosure A to this letter, which includes a detailed Site diagram. The description of the Site is based solely on the information contained in the documents listed above.

Based on a review of the independent remedial action report and supporting documentation listed above, **Ecology has determined that the independent remedial action(s) performed at the Site are sufficient to meet the substantive requirements contained in MTCA and its implementing regulations, Chapter 70.105D RCW and Chapter 173-340 WAC, for characterizing and addressing any of the contamination at the Site and is further supported by the confirmation monitoring results under the 5 year review process.**

Therefore, pursuant to WAC 173-340-515(5), Ecology is issuing this opinion that you may cease **further groundwater monitoring** at the Site under MTCA.

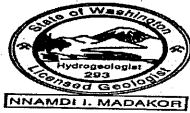
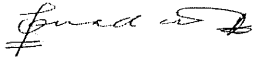
Please note that this opinion is based solely on the information contained in the documents listed above. Therefore, if any of the information contained in those documents is materially false or misleading, then this opinion will automatically be rendered null and void.

The state, Ecology, and its officers and employees make no guarantees or assurances by providing this opinion, and no cause of action against the state, Ecology, its officers or employees may arise from any act or omission in providing this opinion.

Again, Ecology appreciates your initiative in conducting independent remedial action and requesting technical consultation under the VCP. As the cleanup of the Site progresses, you may request additional consultative services under the VCP, including assistance in identifying applicable regulatory requirements and opinions regarding whether remedial actions proposed for or performed at the Site meet those requirements. If you have any questions you may reach me at 360-407-7244.

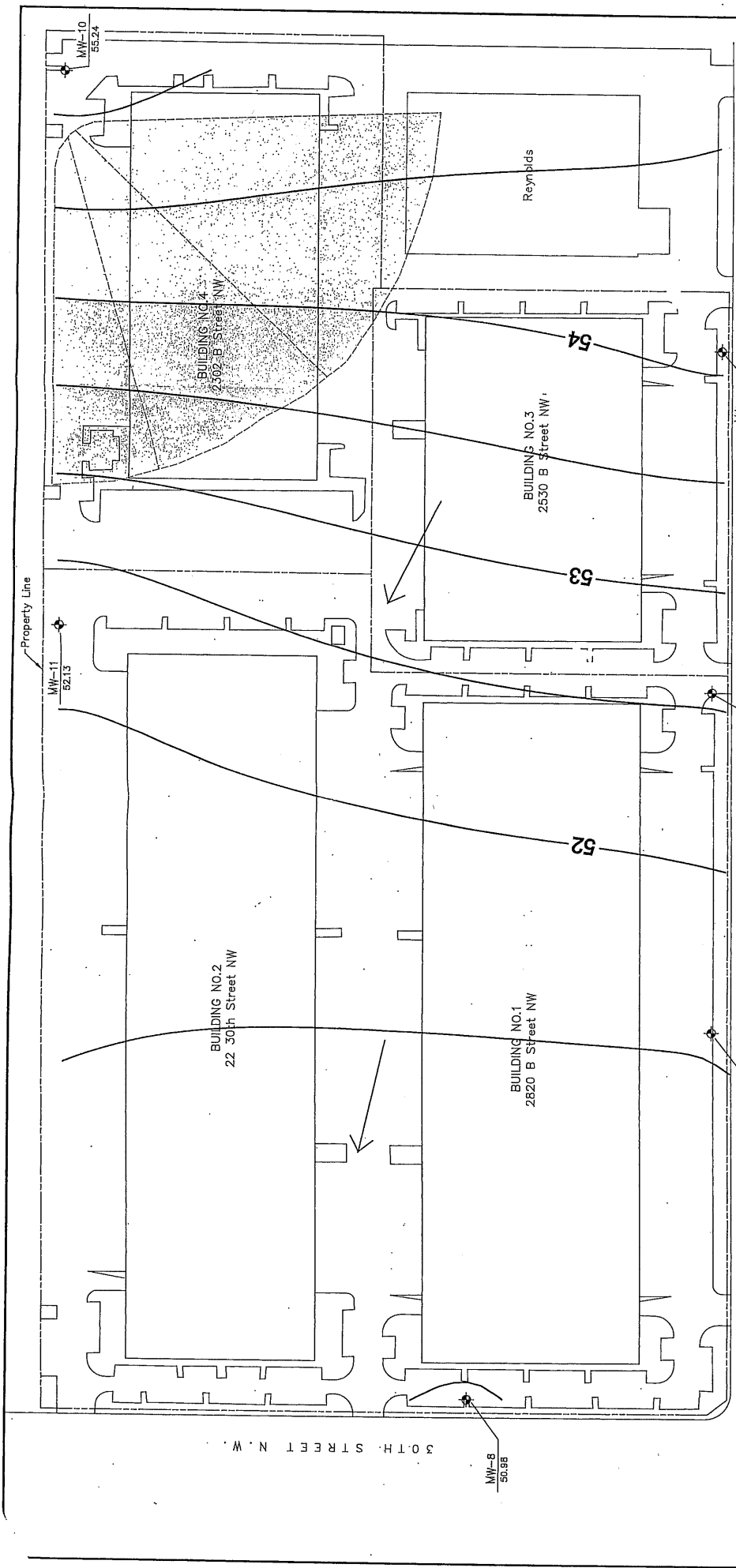
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Sincerely



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cc: Joe Hickey, NWRO Acting VCP Unit Manager.
Sara Maser, NWRO Data Coordinator
Trish Akana, Ecology (NW0128)



LEGEND

- MW-8 50.98: Groundwater Monitoring Well
- 52: Groundwater Elevation based on JAN 2007 Measurements (Feet above Mean Sea Level)
- 52: Estimated Groundwater Elevation Contours (Feet above Mean Sea Level). Contours Interval = 0.5 Feet.
- Approximate Location of Former Salvage Lagoons.
- Estimated Groundwater Flow Direction

B STREET N.W.

WATER LEVEL CONTOUR MAP (JANUARY 2007)

VALLEY CENTRE CORPORATE PARK
AUBURN, WASHINGTON

PROJECT NO.	04204001.01	DES BY	S.B.	DATE	DEC 2006
SCALE		CHE BY	D.Y.	FIGURE	1
CAD FILE	FIGURE 1	APP BY	D.Y.		

SOURCE: Barghausen Consulting Engineers
Permit Set, Civil drawing, 3/17/99

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