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Progress Report – Second Quarter 2024

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ENVIRONMENT

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Dear Ms. Monahan:

On behalf of Chevron Environmental Management Company (CEMC), Temple Distributing, Temple Family Credit Shelter Trust, and Temple Family Survivor Trust, Arcadis U.S., Inc. (Arcadis) is providing this progress report to document activities performed to satisfy the requirements of Enforcement Order No. DE 14134 (Enforcement Order) associated with the Temple Distributing Carson Oil site located at 808 South Columbus Avenue in Goldendale, Washington (site).

This report summarizes activities completed from April 1 through June 30, 2024.

Description of Actions Taken to Comply with Enforcement Order

- Arcadis submitted the First Quarter Progress Report to Ecology on April 5, 2024.
- Arcadis submitted the First Quarter 2024 Groundwater Monitoring Report to Ecology on May 14, 2024.
- Arcadis received and acknowledged Ecology's June 14, 2024 Comment Letter on the First Quarter 2024 Groundwater Monitoring Report.
- Arcadis' subcontractor, Blaine Tech Services, completed groundwater monitoring on June 26 and 27, 2024.

Changes in Key Personnel

- No changes to key personnel during the reporting period.

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Description of Work Planned for the Next Reporting Period

- Arcadis will continue quarterly groundwater monitoring in 2024.
- Arcadis will prepare a Groundwater Status Report in third quarter 2024. In accordance with the June 14, 2024 Ecology letter, diesel and heavy oil results will be summed together and compared to the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) Method A groundwater cleanup level of 500 µg/L.
- In accordance with the June 14, 2024 Ecology letter and subsequent guidance provided via email by Ecology on June 26, samples during future groundwater monitoring events will be analyzed using Method NWTPH-HCID, and chromatograms will be requested for each sample; product standard and method blanks will also be included in the laboratory analytical reports. Additional sample analysis and the addition of chromatograms will provide Ecology with information to support a determination regarding the separate screening of diesel range organics and heavy oil range organics. The analysis of samples using NWTPH-HCID methods will begin in third quarter 2024 and chromatograms will be provided for laboratory reports starting with the second quarter 2024 data set which is forthcoming.
- Arcadis will prepare and submit quarterly progress reports to Ecology. The progress reports will be provided via email.
- Arcadis will resubmit the Fourth Quarter 2023 and First Quarter 2024 Groundwater Monitoring Reports to Ecology with diesel and heavy oil results summed together and compared to the MTCA Method A groundwater cleanup level of 500 µg/L.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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