

Circle K 1461 Coordination Meeting Minutes

Meeting Time: 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm **Page:** 1 of 2
Meeting Location: MS Teams **Date:** 3 February 2026
Meeting Date: 1/27/2026
Project: Circle K Environmental Cleanup – Treatment System Operations Update

Persons Attending:

<i>Kennedy Jenks</i>	<i>Ecology</i>	<i>ERRG</i>
Spenser Kuhn	Olu Akeroro	Jennifer Sonnichsen
		Fernando Idiarte
		Spencer Slominski

Subject:

1. Clogged filter:

- Cleaning of filter and liquid GAC vessels. RW-7 appears to be the culprit well when operating, including clogging PID and interfering with accuracy of instrument. Clogging occurs faster when there is a lot of water being pulled. The last time well RW-7 was being used was during summer 2025, when there was less flow and vacuum, so these issues were not observed. Minimal sediment, mostly water that creates a film.
- Solutions included reducing flow to keep storage tank from alarming (reduced greater than half the flow, same wells remain online). No alarms at those rates. Increased flows to see if conditions would return. Still no issues. Will try to resume normal flows.
- Olu: Can we tell if the film is coming from aquifer or if it is developing within the system?
- Spencer: Coming from water within aquifer/interacting with ambient once into system, maybe bacterial?
- Oly – Pictures provided (24 December 2025 email from Fernando) would make it look greasy or oil, like it is pulling NAPL. Does that seem correct?
- Fernando – No, it's a film that develops over time inside the system components.

2. System Operations update:

- GAC vessel media changeout occurred 11 December 2025. Working on scheduling next changeout for February.
- System is not yet operating at full flow; will resume on next site visit.
- Vapor Carbon:
 - Continues to meet effluent compliance.
- Water analytical:
 - Remains below discharge limits.

3. KJ Comments on December Progress Report:

- None noted during meeting.
- Previously commented that date referenced as February 2025 on second bullet of third section of page 3 ("Potential problems") should be 2026.

4. Upcoming Deliverables – Q4 report will be out in February, to include additional figures

5. Next event: February 20th, Q1 GW event