Hilton Seattle Hotel Groundwater Current Conditions Seattle, Washington

October 14, 2011

Submitted To: Mr. Frank Finneran General Manager Hilton Seattle Hotel 1301 6th Avenue Seattle, Washington 98101-2304

> By: Shannon & Wilson, Inc. 400 N 34th Street, Suite 100 Seattle, Washington 98103

> > 21-1-12341-002



ALASKA
CALIFORNIA
COLORADO
FLORIDA
MISSOURI
OREGON
WASHINGTON

October 14, 2011

Mr. Frank Finneran General Manager Hilton Seattle Hotel 1301 6th Avenue Seattle, WA 98101-2304

RE: HILTON SEATTLE HOTEL GROUNDWATER CURRENT CONDITIONS, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Dear Mr. Finneran:

This letter report provides the results of our investigation of the current groundwater conditions at the Hilton Seattle Hotel in Seattle, Washington (the Site). Our work was performed in general accordance with our proposal dated July 22, 2011, and included collecting baseline petroleum product and water level measurements, petroleum product sampling and baildown testing (if product was present), groundwater sampling, and reviewing available environmental information to identify potential sources of previously identified contamination at the Site.

BACKGROUND

The Site is located at 1301 6th Avenue in downtown Seattle, Washington, and occupies the southeast quarter of the city block bounded by Union and University Streets, and Fifth and Sixth Avenues (Figure 1). The hotel was built over a parking structure in approximately 1970. Two 2,000-gallon gasoline underground storage tanks (USTs) were installed along the eastern property line in the parking garage during construction of the hotel. Approximately two years after installation, it was reported that one of the two USTs developed a leak and was replaced. The two tanks were abandoned in place in 1985 by filling with cement slurry.

In the early 1990s, gasoline vapors were encountered in an excavation to extend the hotel elevator shaft down to the depth of the pedestrian concourse leading toward Rainier Tower. In 1994, Environmental Associates, Inc. drilled a boring adjacent to the abandoned USTs and confirmed the presence of gasoline-related contamination in soil samples from the boring (Environmental Associates, 1994). In 1997 and 1998, Shannon & Wilson, Inc. conducted site investigations and data evaluations related to closure of two former USTs beneath the Site

Mr. Frank Finneran Hilton Seattle Hotel October 14, 2011 Page 2 of 6

(Shannon & Wilson, 1998a,b). At the time, no soil contamination was detected in borings advanced at the Site, but over a foot of floating product was observed in the upgradient well (MW-5) and dissolved gasoline-range petroleum hydrocarbons were detected in groundwater at MW-5 and also at the down-gradient wells (MW-2, MW-3, and MW-4).

Because floating product was found upgradient of the abandoned USTs and groundwater flow was interpreted to be to the west-northwest at a relatively steep gradient, the source of the gasoline was attributed to an offsite source. The Shannon & Wilson July 1998 report also assessed risks and found no complete exposure pathways exist at the site. Based on the available site information the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) issued a No Further Action (NFA) letter in October 1998.

In a periodic review conducted in February 2010 (Ecology, 2010), Ecology rescinded the NFA, citing the presence of free-floating petroleum product in MW-5 as a concern. The purpose of this current investigation is to assess groundwater conditions at the Site in response to Ecology's concern. The field activities described in the following sections were performed in accordance with our Sampling and Analysis Plan dated August 4, 2011 (Shannon & Wilson, 2011).

BASELINE MEASURMENTS

Baseline water level and product measurements were collected from MW-2, MW-3, MW-4, and MW-5 on August 11, 2011. Free-floating petroleum product was observed in MW-5 at a thickness of 2.3 feet. The thickness observed in 1998 was 1.7 feet. Product was not observed in MW-2, MW-3, and MW-4; however, a petroleum odor was observed at MW-2 and MW-3. A summary of the well measurements collected is presented in Table 1.

Groundwater elevation contours for measurements collected in January 1998 and August 2011 are presented in Figure 2, and cross sections of subsurface conditions at the Site are presented in Figures 3 and 4. For both sets of data, the water level in MW-5 was adjusted to account for the weight of the floating petroleum product encountered. The measurements show the groundwater flow direction to be in the west-northwest direction, with a calculated groundwater flow gradient of 0.018 foot/foot. In January 1998, the groundwater flow gradient was estimated to be 0.026 foot/foot and the flow direction was also west-northwest.

Mr. Frank Finneran Hilton Seattle Hotel October 14, 2011 Page 3 of 6

PRODUCT SAMPLE AND BAILDOWN TESTING RESULTS

A sample of the petroleum product observed in MW-5 was collected on August 11, 2011, and submitted to Fremont Analytical in Seattle, Washington (Fremont), for analysis of gasoline-range hydrocarbons by Method Northwest Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons-Gasoline (NWTPH-G); benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX) by Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Method 8021B; and total lead by EPA Methods 6020/200.8. These results are presented in Table 2. Flashpoint analysis by Method EPA 1010/ASTM D93 was also conducted on the product sample for disposal purposes. The laboratory analytical report is included at the end of this report.

Sample results suggest that the free-floating product in MW-5 is a leaded gasoline. In the United States, the removal of lead from gasoline began in the early 1970s under authority of the Clean Air Act, and its use in motor fuels has been completely phased out since December 1995. While the presence of lead suggests that the product has been subjected to at least 40 years of weathering, the chromatogram presented in the laboratory analytical report show response peaks more indicative of relatively unweathered gasoline.

To evaluate the potential recovery of product observed in MW-5, two product baildown tests were conducted. The first test was conducted on August 24, 2011, and the second on September 6, 2011. Baildown testing involved removing a volume of product from the well and measuring the thickness of the product as the surrounding formation responded to the imposed differential in fluid elevations. Both baildown tests showed rapid recovery of product from the adjacent formation, with product returning to its pre-test thickness in less than an hour. Measured changes in product thickness from the second baildown test are shown in Figure 5. This test involved two separate baildowns. Product and water were removed during the first baildown, and product only was removed during the second. Both cases showed a rapid recovery of product to its initial thickness.

GROUNDWATER SAMPLING RESULTS

Groundwater samples were collected from monitoring wells MW-2, MW-3, and MW-4 on August 25 and 26, 2011. Since product was observed in MW-5, a groundwater sample was not collected, as contamination is known to be present. Groundwater samples were submitted to Fremont for analysis of gasoline-range hydrocarbons by Method NWTPH-G, BTEX by EPA Method 8021B, and total lead by EPA Methods 6020/200.8. Groundwater sampling results are

Mr. Frank Finneran Hilton Seattle Hotel October 14, 2011 Page 4 of 6

shown in Figure 6 as well as in Table 2. The laboratory analytical reports for these samples are presented in Appendix A.

The sample collected from MW-2 had detections of gasoline, benzene, and ethylbenzene above their respective Washington State Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) Method A groundwater cleanup criteria (Ecology, 2007). MW-3 and MW-4 had detections of gasoline below the MTCA Method A groundwater cleanup criterion, and MW-4 had a detection of total lead below the MTCA Method A cleanup criterion.

INVESTIGATION-DERIVED WASTE (IDW)

IDW generated during field activities at the Site include purged groundwater, recovered product, decontamination fluids, used personal protective equipment, and disposable sampling equipment. Purge water, recovered product, and decontamination fluids were contained in a labeled 15-gallon Washington State Department of Transportation-approved drum. Disposal of the drum was coordinated through Emerald Services, Inc. of Seattle, Washington. In accordance with the disposal facility's request, a sample of the drum contents was collected and analyzed for BTEX by EPA Method 8021B. The laboratory analytical report for this sample is presented in Appendix A. The drum was disposed on September 26, 2011, and disposal documentation can be found in Appendix B.

HISTORICAL LAND USE

A review of available environmental information was performed to identify potential sources for the free-floating product observed in MW-5 and dissolved petroleum contamination identified in Site groundwater. Our investigation identified numerous properties in the immediate vicinity of the Site that used USTs to store petroleum products. Table 3 provides a brief summary of our findings for parcels with the potential to impact the Site, and Figure 1 shows the approximate historical locations of UST identified in our search.

Parcels believed to be upgradient of the Site based on local topography include Parcels 5, 7, and 8 (Figure 1). Additionally, the southern portion of parcel occupied by the Site (Parcel 3) may be considered upgradient of the MW-5 location. USTs used to store petroleum products were identified on each of these parcels, and land use activities requiring the use of these USTs all pre-date the phase-out of leaded fuels. Aside from the known contamination at the Site, petroleum from a UST release was identified only at the southern end of Parcel 7. Petroleum contamination in soil was identified at this location in 1995. Two USTs were reportedly removed in 2001, but the status of cleanup efforts initiated in 1995 is unknown.

Mr. Frank Finneran Hilton Seattle Hotel October 14, 2011 Page 5 of 6

CONCLUSIONS

Based on our review of the results presented, we offer the following conclusions regarding the current conditions of groundwater at the Site:

- Free-floating petroleum product believed to be leaded gasoline exists beneath the city sidewalk right-of-way (ROW) adjacent to the Site. While the available data does not delineate the full extent of the product plume, there appears to be a significant amount of petroleum above residual concentrations in the immediate vicinity of MW-5. Based on observations from the initial baildown tests, recovery of the product appears feasible.
- The observed petroleum product in MW-5 appears to be adversely affecting groundwater conditions at the Site. Concentrations of gasoline, benzene, and ethylbenzene are above MTCA Method A groundwater cleanup criterion only in MW-2, which is nearest to MW-5, with concentrations decreasing with increasing distance from MW-5 (at MW-3 and MW-4).
- Because free-floating petroleum product was not observed in what are believed to be hydraulically connected, downgradient wells, the product observed in MW-5 appears to be isolated. This isolation is reinforced by sample results that show the product is relatively unweathered for its presumed age. The unweathered nature of the product suggests that little interaction within the subsurface environment (e.g., exposure to air and hydrocarbon-consuming bacteria) is occurring.
- The mechanism preventing the downgradient migration of product in MW-5 could not be determined based on existing data.
- The prevalence of historical USTs identified in the vicinity of the Site suggests that potential off-site sources exist for the petroleum contamination observed in MW-5; however, because all of the potential sources pre-date the phase-out of leaded fuel and the fact that definitive exploration would need to have occurred in the ROW (i.e., in 6th Avenue), efforts to identify the extent and specific source of contamination would be prohibitive with respect to cost and traffic impacts.

LIMITATIONS

The findings and conclusions documented in this letter report have been prepared for specific application to this project and have been developed in a manner consistent with the level of care and skill normally exercised by members of the environmental science profession currently practicing under similar conditions in the area, and in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in our agreement. The conclusions presented in this letter report are professional opinions based on interpretation of information currently available to us and are made within the

Mr. Frank Finneran Hilton Seattle Hotel October 14, 2011 Page 6 of 6

operational scope, budget, and schedule constraints of this project. No warranty, express or implied, is made.

Shannon & Wilson, Inc. has prepared Appendix C, "Important Information About Your Geotechnical/Environmental Report." While not written specifically for this project, this enclosure should assist you and other in understanding the use and limitations of our reports.

We appreciate the opportunity to be of continued service on this project. If you have any questions, please call me at (206) 695-6851 or Mike Warfel at (206) 695-6700.

Sincerely,

SHANNON & WILSON, INC.

Michael S. Reynolds Environmental Engineer MICHAEL RAY WARFEL

Exp. Pes 4-9-2017

Michael R. Warfel, L.G., L.H.G., Vice President

MSR:MRW/msr

Enc: References

Table 1 – Well Measurements

Table 2 – Product and Groundwater Sampling Results

Table 3 – Land Use Summary (5 pages)

Figure 1 – Site and Exploration Plan

Figure 2 – Groundwater Elevation Contours

Figure 3 - Section A-A'

Figure 4 – Section B-B'

Figure 5 – Baildown Test Results

Figure 6 – Groundwater Contaminant Concentrations

Appendix A – Laboratory Analytical Reports

Appendix B – Disposal Documents

Appendix C – Important Information About Your Geotechnical/Environmental Report

c: Zahoor Ahmed, R.C. Hedreen Co.

REFERENCES

- Environmental Associates, Inc., 1994, Soil and groundwater sampling and testing, Hilton Hotel underground storage tanks, Sixth Avenue and University Street, Seattle, Washington, December 1.
- Shannon & Wilson, Inc., 1998a, Site assessment report, Seattle Hilton Hotel, Seattle, Washington, February.
- Shannon & Wilson, Inc., 1998b, Closure services related to Hilton USTs, Seattle Hilton Hotel, Seattle, Washington, July.
- Shannon & Wilson, Inc., 2011, Seattle Hilton Hotel groundwater current conditions sampling and analysis plan, Seattle, Washington, August 4.
- Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), 1998, Seattle Hilton Hotel parking garage voluntary cleanup program no further action letter, October.
- Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), 2007, The Model Toxics Control Act cleanup regulation, chapter 173-340 WAC: Olympia, Washington, Washington State Department of Ecology, October 12.
- Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), 2010, Periodic review, Hilton Hotel Parking Garage, Facility Site ID#: 56642815, February.

TABLE 1
WELL MEASURMENTS

| Monitoring Well | Grade Elevation (ft) ⁽¹⁾ | Total Depth of Well (ft) | Well Screen Interval (ft) | TOC Distance Below Grade (ft) | Headspace PID Reading (ppm) | Depth to Air/Oil Interface (ft) | Depth to Oil/Water Interface (ft) | Depth to Air/Water Interface (ft) ⁽²⁾ | Estimated Groundwater Elevation (ft) |
|--------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| MW-2 | 162.9 | 35 | 15 - 35 | 0.32 | 88.0 | No produc | t observed. | 21.98 | 140.57 |
| MW-3 | 161.7 | 30 | 15 - 30 | 0.475 | 45.4 | No produc | t observed. | 21.02 | 140.22 |
| MW-4 | 154.6 | 20.5 | 5.5 - 20.5 | 0.265 | 0.3 | No produc | t observed. | 15.4 | 138.90 |
| MW-5 | 175.6 | 39.5 | 20 - 40 | 0.25 | 1319 | 33.58 | 35.91 | 34.21 | 141.17 |

Notes:

ft = feet

PID = photoionization detector

ppm = parts per million

TOC = top of casing

⁽¹⁾ Grade elevation for MW-5 estimated from King County iMap, Aug 2011; relative elevations for other wells based on measurments taken January 1998.

⁽²⁾ Depth to Air/Water Interface in MW-5 corrected for presence of petroleum product using gasoline density of 729 kilograms per cubic meter.

TABLE 2
PRODUCT AND GROUNDWATER SAMPLING RESULTS

| | | | | | | Sampling R | esults (μg/L) | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|
| Monitoring Well | Sample ID | Sample Date | Sample Matrix | Gasoline | Benzene | Toluene | Ethylbenzene | Xylenes | Lead |
| MW-2 | MW-2-082511 | 8/25/2011 | Water | 2,950 | 76.1 | 2.19 | 863 | 22.0 | < 1.0 |
| MW-3 | MW-3-082511 | 8/25/2011 | Water | 153 | < 1.0 | < 1.0 | < 1.0 | 1.35 | < 1.0 |
| MW-4 | MW-4-082611 8/26/2011 Water | | Water | 135 | < 1.0 | < 1.0 | < 1.0 | < 1.0 | 5.57 |
| MW-5 | MW-5-081111 | 8/11/2011 | Product | 75,800,000 (7.58%) | 4,270,000 (0.43%) | 942,000 (0.09%) | 2,270,000 (0.23%) | 4,570,000 (0.46%) | 656 |
| MT | CA Method A G | roundwater Cri | teria | 800 | 5 | 1,000 | 700 | 1,000 | 15 |

Notes:

Bold indicates detection above groundwater cleanup criteria in groundwater sample.

< = detection below reporting limit shown.

 $\mu g/L = micrograms \ per \ liter$

MTCA = Washington State Model Toxics Control Act

TABLE 3 LAND USE SUMMARY

| | Current | Land Use (1) | Historical | Land Use (2) | | Known Environmental Concerns (3) |
|---------------|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|--|---|---|
| Parcel No. | Address | Use | Address | Use | Database Listings | Identified Issues |
| 1 | 1326 5 th Avenue | Office Building and Retail (Skinner Building), 8 Stories, Built 1927 | 1326 5 th Avenue | University of Washington Grounds, 1888 | Allsites, RCRA- NonGen, Manifest | None. |
| 2 | 1325 6 th Avenue | Washington Athletic Club, Hotel and Retail, 21 Stories, Built 1930 | 1321 6 th Avenue | Hotel and Parking, 3 Stories, Built 1909 | Allsites, CSCSL, Finds, LUST, UST, ICR, RCRA- NonGen, Manifest | Petroleum contamination in soil and groundwater from UST leak identified in 1986. Cleanup started in 1995, monitoring as of 1998. Seven USTs removed in 2001, size and contents not specified. |
| 3 | 1301 6 th Avenue | Seattle Hilton Hotel and Parking, 24 Stories, Built 1969 | 1301 6 th Avenue | 1) Parking Lot, Built 1938; 2) Parking Garage, 8 Stories, Built 1969, Gas Pumps on Main Deck, USTs not listed | VCP, Finds, UST, ICR, | Petroleum contamination in soil and groundwater from underground storage tank leak identified in 1996. Historic LUST NFA with Environmental Covenant issued October 1998 after site assessment. 2 2,000-gallon USTs closed in place in 1996, contents not specified. Auto station present in 1966, no release reported. Laundry present in 1925, no release reported. |
| | | | 1305 6 th Avenue | Storage Garage and Gas Station, 1941, Stove Heat, 4 USTs: 4-2,000 gal | | |

TABLE 3 LAND USE SUMMARY

| | Current | Land Use (1) | Historical | Land Use (2) | | Known Environmental Concerns (3) |
|---------------|------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Parcel No. | Address | Use | Address | Use | Database Listings | Identified Issues |
| 4 | 601 Union Street | Office Building (Two Union Square), 56 Stories, Built 1989 | 605 Union Street | Store and Loft, 2 Stories, Built 1923, Roof used for parking | Allsites, Finds, UST, RCRA- NonGen, | Auto stations listed from 1930 to 1980, no release reported. Five USTs removed in 1996: 2 Regular Gasoline, 1 Super Premium Gasoline, 1 Diesel, 1 |
| | | | 1314-18 6 th Avenue | Parking Garage with Fueling (Washington Athletic Club), 3 Stories, Built 1926 | Historical Auto Stations | Waste. Tank sizes not specified. |
| | | | 615-25 Union Street | 1) Gas Station, Present in 1935, Stove Heat, 3 USTs: 2-500 gal, 1,000 gal; 2) Gas Station, Present in 1940, 5 USTs: 2,000 gal, 6,000 gal, 3,000 gal, 1,000 gal, 550 gal; 3) Parking Garage, 3 Stories, Built 1964, 6 USTs: 3,000 gal, 5,000 gal, 6,000 gal, 2,000 gal, 2-550 gal | | |
| | | | 1314 7 th Avenue | Parking with Fueling, 1949, USTs not listed | | |
| | | | 1317 7 th Avenue | Rooming House, 3 Stories, Built 1919 | | |
| | | | 1317 1/2 7 th Avenue | Residence, 1 Story, Built 1919, Stove Heat | | |

TABLE 3 LAND USE SUMMARY

| | Current 1 | Land Use ⁽¹⁾ | Historical | Land Use (2) | | Known Environmental Concerns (3) |
|---------------|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|---|
| Parcel No. | Address | Use | Address | Use | Database Listings | Identified Issues |
| 5 | 600 University Street | Office Building, Retail and Garage (One Union Square), 36 Stories, Built 1980 | | Printing Plant (Seattle Star), 2 Stories, Built 1905-1923 | | Auto stations listed from 1935 to 1944, no release reported. |
| | | | 620 University Street | Parking Lot, 1945 1) Gas Station, Built 1931, USTs not listed; 2) Club (American Legion), 1 Story, Built 1946-47, Stove Heat | | |
| | | | | 1) Office Building, 3 Stories, Built 1905; 2) Parking Lot with Fueling, Present in 1965, 2 USTs: 2-8,000 gal | | |
| 6 | 1200 5 th Avenue | Office Building and Retail (IBM Building), 22 Story, 1964, Fueling in Basement Garage, USTs not specified | 1200 5 th Avenue | | | Auto stations listed from 1925 to 1966, no release reported. 2 USTs removed in 1998: 1 Regular Gasoline, 1 Super Premium Gasoline. Laundry listed in 1960, no release reported. |

TABLE 3 LAND USE SUMMARY

| | Current | Land Use (1) | Historical | Land Use (2) | | Known Environmental Concerns (3) |
|---------------|-----------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| Parcel No. | Address | Use | Address | Use | Database Listings | Identified Issues |
| 7 | 1217 6 th Avenue | Church and Parking (Plymouth Congregational), 3 Story, Built 1968 | 520 Seneca Street 1209-15 6 th Avenue | USTs: 1,000 gal, 2-550 gal; 2) Gas Station, Built 1948, Stove, 3 | | Petroleum contamination in soil from UST leak identified in 1995. Status of cleanup started in 1995 unknown. 2 USTs removed in 2001, size and contents not specified. Auto stations listed from 1940 to 1955. Laundry listed from 1930 to 1935, no release reported. |
| | | | 1209-15 6 th Avenue | 1911 | | |
| 8 | 1200 6 th Avenue | Office Building, Retail and Parking (Transwestern Park Place Building), 21 Stories, Built 1971 | 1200 6 th Avenue | | CSCSL, LUST, UST, Manifest, EDR Historical Auto | Auto stations listed from 1925 to 1951, no release reported. Laundry listed in 1930, no release reported. |
| | | | 1204-10 6 th Avenue | Parking Lot, 1951 | Stations, EDR Historical | |
| | | | 1220 6 th Avenue | Parking Lot with Shelter and Fueling, 1967, Stove Heat, 3 USTs: 3-3,000 gal | Cleaners | |
| | | | 623 University Street | Parking Lot with Shelter, Built 1950, Stove Heat | | |
| | | | 1211 7 th Avenue | Residence, 2 Stories, Built 1909, Stove Heat | | |

TABLE 3 LAND USE SUMMARY

| | Current 1 | Land Use (1) | Historical | Land Use (2) | | Known Environmental Concerns (3) |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|------------|--|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Parcel No. | Address | Use | Address | Use | Database Listings | Identified Issues |
| 8 (cont') | | | | Residence, 1 Story, Built 1909, Stove Heat | | |
| | | | | Stores and Loft, 3 Stories, Built 1909, Stove Heat | | |

Notes:

CSCSL = Confirmed and Suspected Contaminated Sites List

EDR = Environmental Data Resources, Inc.

ICR = Independent Cleanup Report

 $LUST = Leaking\ Underground\ Storage\ Tank$

NFA = No Further Action

RCRA = Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

 $UST = Underground \ Storage \ Tank$

VCP = Voluntary Cleanup Program

⁽¹⁾ Source: King County Parcel Viewer.

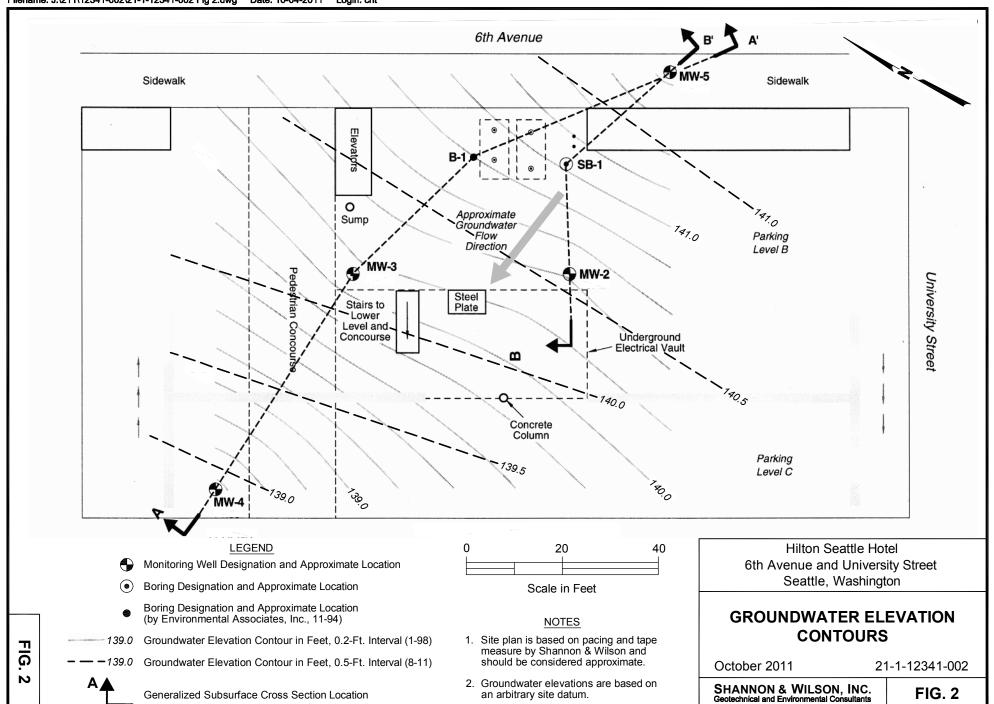
⁽²⁾ Sources: Sanborn Maps (1888, 1893, 1905, 1949, 1950, 1969), Kroll Maps (1938, 1961), Polk Directories (1941, 1951, 1967), Historical Tax Assessor Records.

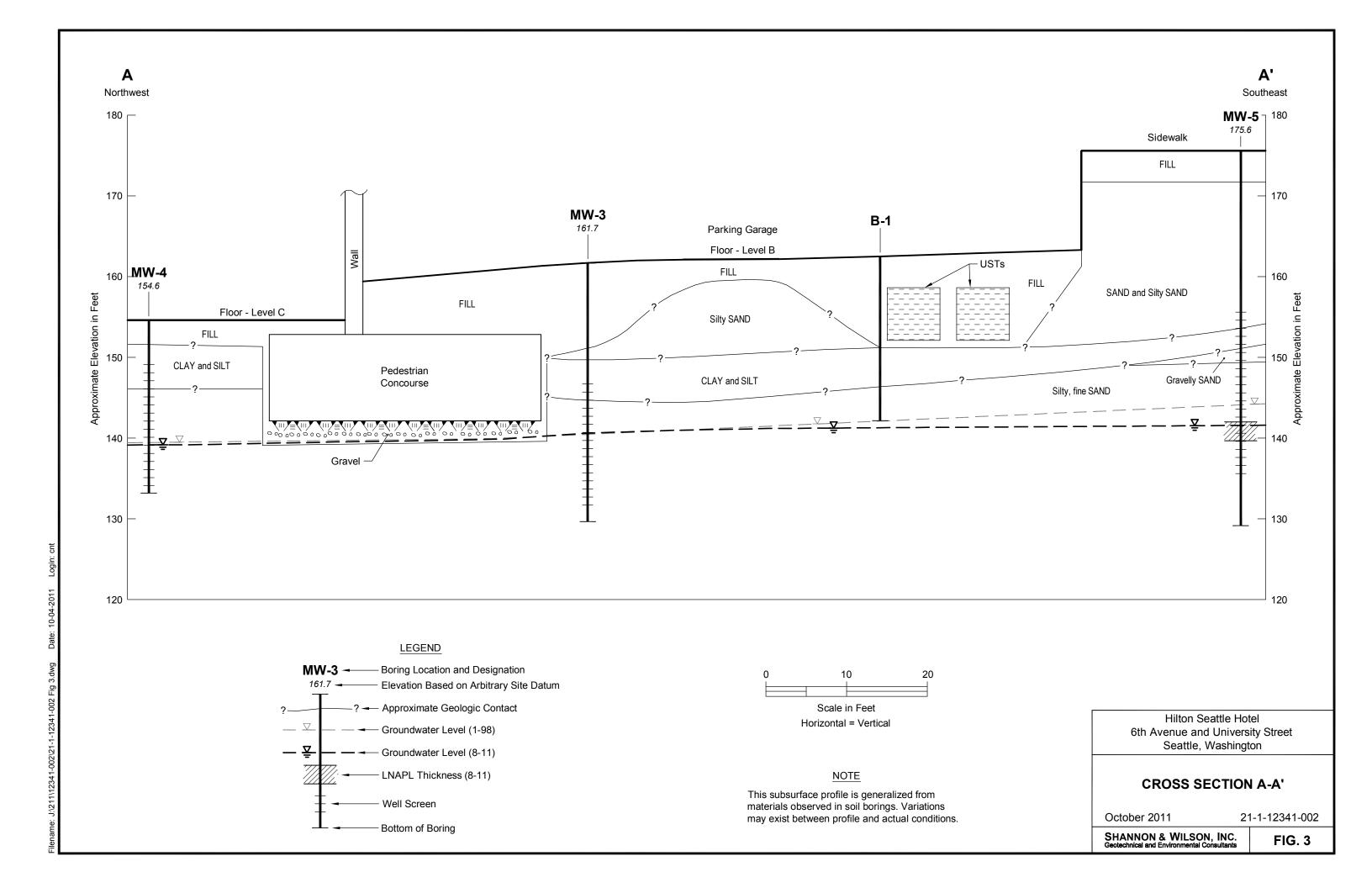
⁽³⁾ Source: Environmental Data Resources Radius Map Report (July 27, 2011).

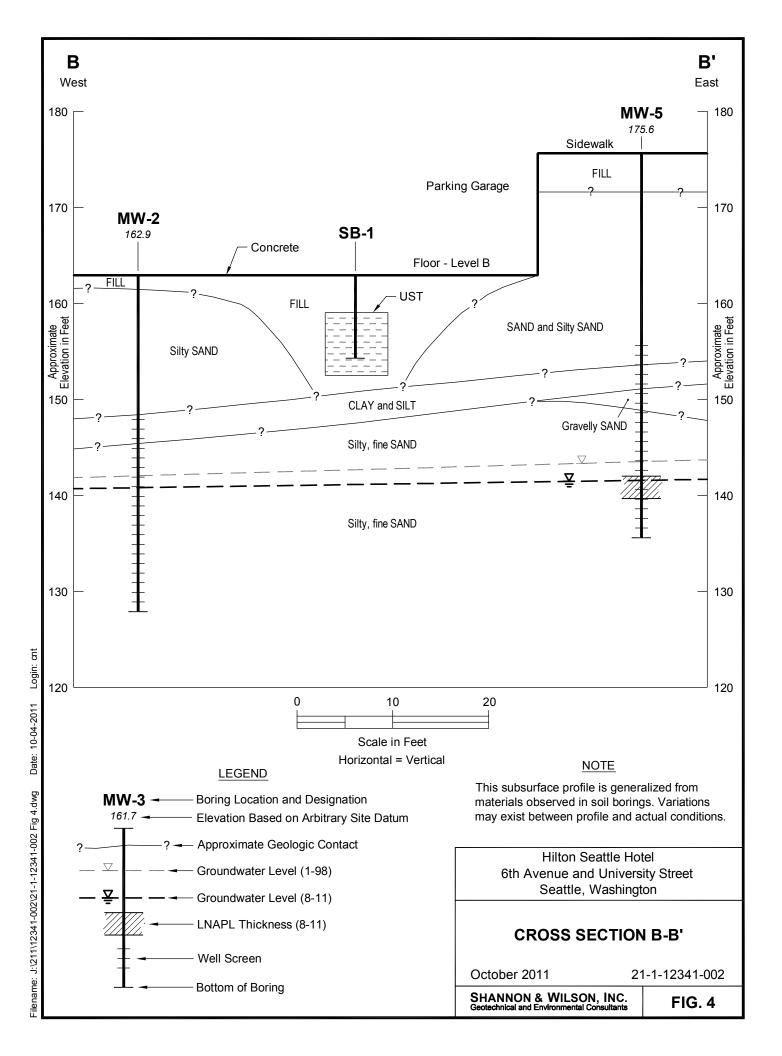
Login: cnt

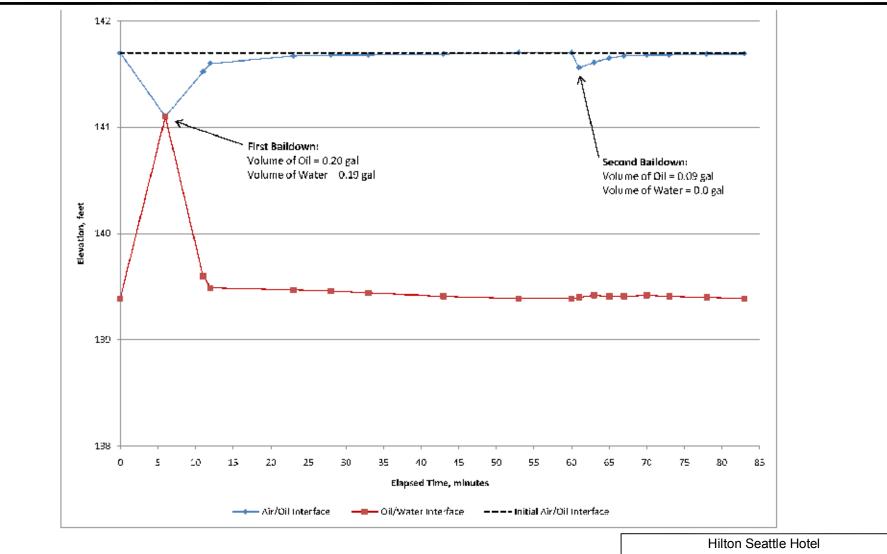
Date: 10-03-2011

Filename: J:\211\12341-002\21-1-12341-002 Fig 1.dwg









6th Avenue and University Street
Seattle, Washington

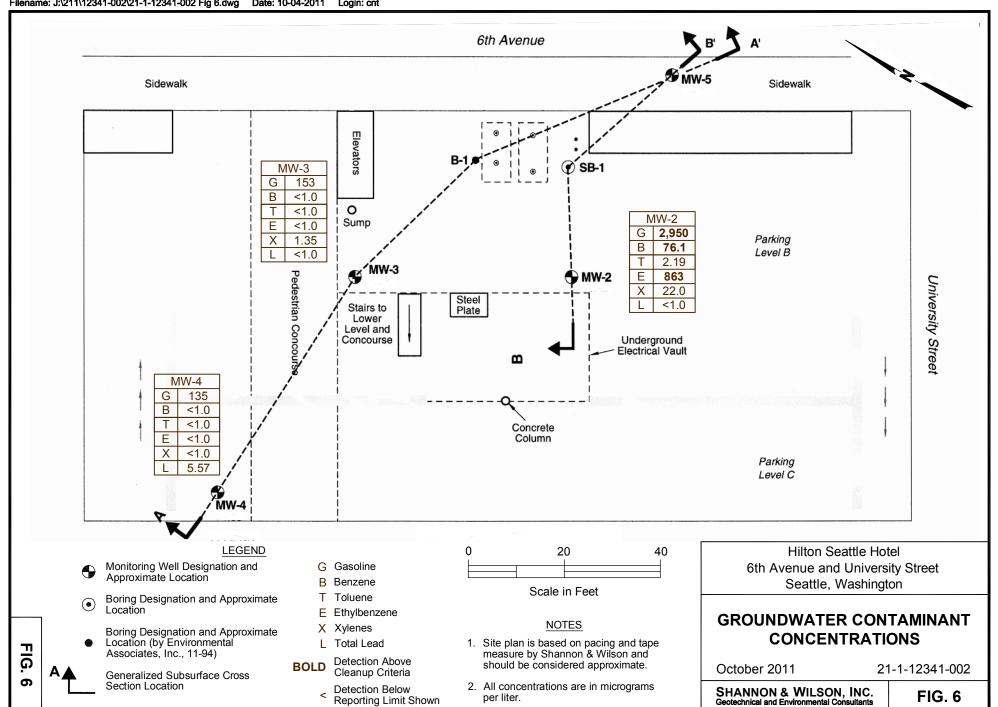
PRODUCT BAILDOWN TEST

October 2011

21-1-12341-002

SHANNON & WILSON, INC. Geotechnical and Environmental Consultants

FIG. 5



APPENDIX A LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORTS



1311 N. 35th St.
Seattle, WA 98103
T: (206) 352-3790
F: (206) 352-7178
info@fremontanalytical.com

Shannon & Wilson Mike Reynolds 400 N. 34th Street, Suite 100 Seattle, Washington 98103

RE: Hilton Seattle Hotel

Lab ID: 1108041

August 15, 2011

Attention Mike Reynolds:

Fremont Analytical, Inc. received 1 sample(s) on 8/11/2011 for the analyses presented in the following report.

Flashpoint by EPA 1010/ASTM D93
Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B)
Total Metals by EPA Method 6020

This report consists of the following:

- Case Narrative
- Analytical Results
- Applicable Quality Control Summary Reports
- Chain of Custody

All analyses were performed consistent with the Quality Assurance program of Fremont Analytical, Inc. Please contact the laboratory if you should have any questions about the results.

Thank you for using Fremont Analytical.

Sincerely,

MGR

Michael Dee

Sr. Chemist / Principal

Date: 08/15/2011



CLIENT:

Shannon & Wilson

Project:

Hilton Seattle Hotel

Lab Order:

1108041

Lab Sample ID 1108041-001 Client Sample ID

MW-5-081111

Date/Time Collected 08/11/2011 9:00 AM

Date/Time Received

Work Order Sample Summary

08/11/2011 10:15 AM

Note: If no "Time Collected" is supplied, a default of 12:00AM is assigned



Case Narrative

WO#: 1108041 Date: 8/15/2011

CLIENT:

Shannon & Wilson

Project:

Hilton Seattle Hotel

I. SAMPLE RECEIPT:

All samples were received intact.

II. GENERAL REPORTING COMMENTS:

Results are reported on a wet weight basis unless dry-weight correction is denoted in the units field on the analytical report ("mg/kg-dry" or "ug/kg-dry").

The validity of the analytical procedures for which data is reported in this analytical report is determined by the Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) and the Method Blank (MB). The LCS and the MB are processed with the samples to ensure method criteria are achieved throughout the entire analytical process.

III. ANALYSES AND EXCEPTIONS:

Exceptions associated with this report will be footnoted in the analytical results page(s) or the quality control summary page(s) and/or noted below.



Analytical Report

WO#: 1108041

Date Reported: 8/15/2011

Client: Shannon & Wilson

Collection Date: 8/11/2011 9:00:00 AM

Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel

Matrix: Oil

Lab ID: 1108041-001

Client Sample ID: MW-5-081111

| Analyses | Result | RL | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--|---------------|------------|------|-------|-----------|----------------------|
| Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTE) | ((EPA Method | 8021B) | | Bato | h ID: 942 | Analyst: SG |
| Benzene | 4,270,000 | 80,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| Toluene | 942,000 | 600,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene | 2,270,000 | 200,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| m,p-Xylene | 3,270,000 | 600,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| o-Xylene | 1,300,000 | 600,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| Gasoline | 75,800,000 | 20,000,000 | | mg/Kg | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 140 | 65-135 | SC | %REC | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 195 | 65-135 | SC | %REC | 200000 | 8/12/2011 5:15:00 PM |
| NOTES: | | * | | | | |
| a and the second | | | | | | |

C - Coelution prevents determination

S - High surrogate recovery attributed to TPH interference. The method is in control as indicated by the MB & LCS.

| Total Metals by EPA Method 6020 | | | Bato | h ID: 94 | O Analyst: MC |
|---------------------------------|---------|------|-------|----------|-----------------------|
| Lead | 656 | 1.56 | mg/Kg | 1 | 8/12/2011 1:44:14 PM |
| Flashpoint by EPA 1010/ASTM D93 | | | Bato | h ID: R | 1495 Analyst: EM |
| Flashpoint | < 18 °F | | °F | 1 | 8/12/2011 10:19:18 AM |

Qualifiers:

B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank

E Value above quantitation range

J Analyte detected below quantitation limits

RL Reporting Limit

D Dilution was required

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

ND Not detected at the Reporting Limit

S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Shannon & Wilson CLIENT:

1108041

Work Order:

Hilton Seattle Hotel

Total Metals by EPA Method 6020 **QC SUMMARY REPORT**

Date: 8/15/2011

| Project: Hilto | Hilton Seattle Hotel | | | | | | | l otal Me | otal Metals by EPA Method 6020 | 'A IMETHO | 9020 |
|----------------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------|-----------------------|------|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------|
| Sample ID: MB-940 | SampType: MBLK | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/12/2011 | Σ | RunNo: 1501 | - | |
| Client ID: MBLKS | Batch ID: 940 | | | | | Analysis Date: | e: 8/12/2011 | Σ | SeqNo: 26911 | 1 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK value SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | %RPD RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | QN | 0.400 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sample ID: LCS-940 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/12/2011 | Σ | RunNo: 1501 | 1 | |
| Client ID: LCSS | Batch ID: 940 | | | | | Analysis Date: 8/12/2011 | e: 8/12/20° | Σ | SeqNo: 26912 | 12 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | 26.8 | 0.200 | 25.00 | 0 | 107 | 80 | 120 | * | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108041-001ADUP | DUP SampType: DUP | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/12/2011 | 1 | RunNo: 1501 | _ | |
| Client ID: MW-5-081111 | Batch ID: 940 | | | | | Analysis Date: 8/12/2011 | e: 8/12/20° | Ξ | SeqNo: 26914 | 41 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | 715 | 1.50 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 656.0 | 8.53 | 30 | |

Value above quantitation range ш Ω м Qualifiers:

Not detected at the Reporting Limit

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

RPD outside accepted recovery limits I Œ

Analyte detected below quantitation limits ㄱ 귒 Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

Reporting Limit

Qual

RPDLimit

%RPD

LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val

%REC

SPK value SPK Ref Val

R

Result

Analyte detected below quantitation limits

Reporting Limit

- 김

Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

RPD outside accepted recovery limits

Iα

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Not detected at the Reporting Limit

шВο

Value above quantitation range

0.0200 0.150 0.0500 0.150

9999

Ethylbenzene

Benzene Toluene

Analyte

m,p-Xylene Qualifiers:



Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B) **QC SUMMARY REPORT** Hilton Seattle Hotel Shannon & Wilson 1108041 Work Order: CLIENT: Project:

Date: 8/15/2011

| Sample ID: 1108041-001ADUP | SampType: DUP | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date: | 8/12/2011 | | RunNo: 1504 | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|------------|-----------|--------------|------|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------|--------------|----------|------|
| Client ID: MW-5-081111 | Batch ID: 942 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/12/2011 | | SeqNo: 26959 | g. | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit F | HighLimit RP | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 4,390,000 | 80,000 | | | | | | 4,268,000 | 2.92 | 30 | |
| Toluene | 000'256 | 000,009 | | | | | | 942,400 | 1.50 | 30 | |
| Ethylbenzene | 2,320,000 | 200,000 | | | | | nex. | 2,272,000 | 2.27 | 30 | |
| m.p-Xylene | 3,310,000 | 000,009 | | | | | | 3,268,000 | 1.32 | 30 | |
| o-Xylene | 1,310,000 | 000'009 | | | | | | 1,300,000 | 0.506 | 30 | |
| Gasoline | 77,800,000 | 20,000,000 | | | | | 7 | 75,800,000 | 2.60 | 30 | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 2,860,000 | | 2,000,000 | | 143 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | SC |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 3,960,000 | | 2,000,000 | | 198 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | SC |
| Sample ID: LCS-942 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date: | 8/12/2011 | - | RunNo: 1504 | | |
| Client ID: LCSS | Batch ID: 942 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/12/2011 | | SedNo: 26962 | 22 | |
| Analyte | Result | 집 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit RP | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 0.618 | 0.0200 | 0.5000 | 0 | 124 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Toluene | 0.604 | 0.150 | 0.5000 | 0 | 121 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 0.491 | | 0.5000 | | 98.2 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 0.492 | | 0.5000 | | 98.5 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Sample ID: MB-942 | SampType: MBLK | | | Units: mg/Kg | | Prep Date: | Prep Date: 8/12/2011 | | RunNo: 1504 | | |
| Client ID: MBLKS | Batch ID: 942 | | | | | Analysis Date: 8/12/2011 | 8/12/2011 | | SeqNo: 26963 | 22 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Chain of Custody Record | 1108011 | of: (| See | | 2341-005 | Comments/Deoth | | | | | | | | | | | Se Sr Sn Ti Ti U V Zn | | Special Remarks: | | | TAT -> 24HR 48HR Standard |
|-------------------------|--|--|-----------------------|---|------------------------|--|---------------|---|----|---|---|-----|---|---|-----|----|----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| in of C | | | 3//5 | ¥~ | 21-1-12 | | | | | | | | | | | | Na Ni (Py Sb | | | 2 | かって | |
| Chai | Laboratory Project No (internal): | - | ス で 子 注 子 | SAK | Project No: | Metals* Dissolved (D) Anions (i.g.*) | | | | | | 1 J | | | | | Hg K Mg Mn Mo Na | 13 | eint: | perature: | | Total Number of Containers: |
| | Labo | Page | Name: | n: ed by: | move @ stannil. com | CI HERBICIDES 8127Y CI PESTICIDES 8081 PCB4 8082 | | | | | | | | | | | Cd Co Cr Cu Fe | Nitrate+Nitrite | Sample Receipt: | Good? Goods Temperature: | Seals Intact?: | Total Numb |
| | | Just 11 2011 | Project Name: | Collected by: | mail: | WWTPH-IGD WWTPH-Dx/Dx Ext WWTPH-IGD | | | | | | | | | | | Al As B Ba Be Ca | Fluoride | | Date Fine | Date/Time | |
| | | Date: Ay | | Tel: 201-675-685 | 6777 | VOA 8260 | X | | | | | | | | | | Individual: Ag | O-Phosphate | | 1900 | 0 | |
| | | | | Stute Tel: 9 | Fax: 226-695-6777 | On the state of Collection | 11/11/8 204 | | | | | | | | | | ollutants TAL | Sulfate Bromide | * | Received X | Received | × |
| ont | The state of the s | Tel: 205-352-3790 Fax: 206-352-7178 | 15. X.X. | 3手公子、 3手公子、 3手を 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 5年 | | Sample Type (Matrix) | JANT O | | | | | | | | | | RCRA-8 Priority Pollutants | Chloride St | | 1015/ | Time | |
| 'emon | 18 18 | | Shirman | 400 2. 3 | Michael Maynolds | | 0 | | - | | | | | | | | MTCA-5 | are Nitrite | • | Satis/Time | Date/Time | 4 |
| | | 2930 Westlake Aur. N. Suite 100 Seattle, WA 98109 | Client: | Address: City, State, Zip | Reports To (PM): 1/M1, | Samole Name | 1 MW-S-081111 | 2 | ംന | 4 | 5 | w | 4 | ω | on. | 10 | *Metals Analysis (Grcle): | **Anions (Grde): Nitrate | | Relinguished | Refinquished |) × |

File : C:\HPCHEM\2\DATA\081211\081212.D

Operator:

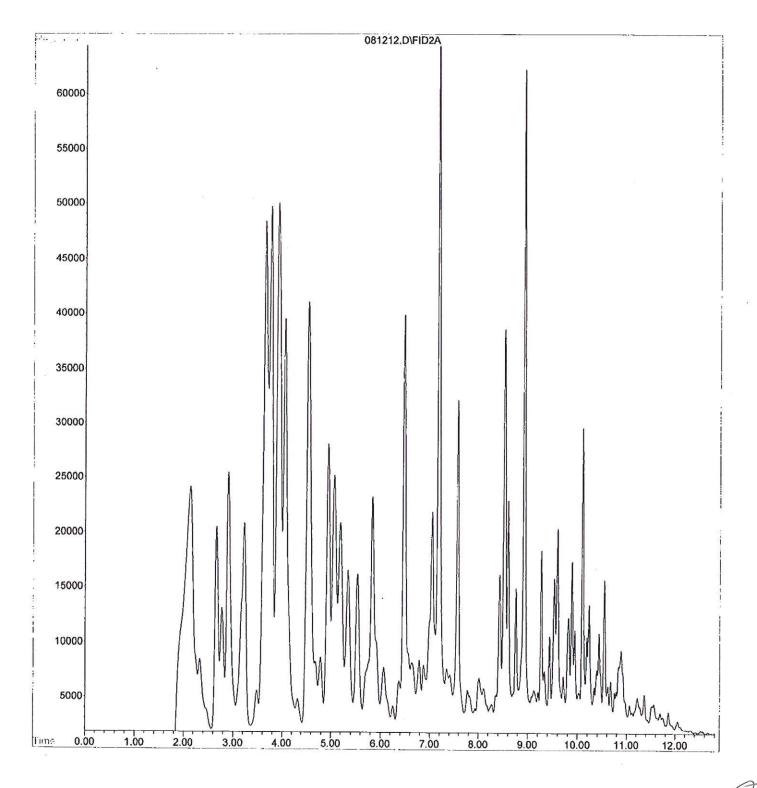
Acquired: 12 Aug 2011 5:15 pm using AcqMethod GXBTEX.M

Instrument: Gx BTEX

Sample Name: 1108041-001A 4,000,000 X

Misc Info : SAMP O-GXBTEX-S

Vial Number: 12







1311 N. 35th St.
Seattle, WA 98103
T: (206) 352-3790
F: (206) 352-7178
info@fremontanalytical.com

Shannon & Wilson Mike Reynolds 400 N. 34th Street, Suite 100 Seattle, Washington 98103

RE: Hilton Seattle Hotel Lab ID: 1108134

September 01, 2011

Attention Mike Reynolds:

Fremont Analytical, Inc. received 2 sample(s) on 8/26/2011 for the analyses presented in the following report.

Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B)
Total Metals by EPA Method 200.8

This report consists of the following:

- Case Narrative
- Analytical Results
- Applicable Quality Control Summary Reports
- Chain of Custody

All analyses were performed consistent with the Quality Assurance program of Fremont Analytical, Inc. Please contact the laboratory if you should have any questions about the results.

Thank you for using Fremont Analytical.

Sincerely,

MGR

Michael Dee

Sr. Chemist / Principal

Date: 09/01/2011



CLIENT: Project:

Shannon & Wilson

Hilton Seattle Hotel

Lab Order:

1108134-001

1108134

Work Order Sample Summary

Lab Sample ID

Client Sample ID

1108134-002

MW-4-082611

DRUM

Date/Time Collected

08/26/2011 8:20 AM

08/26/2011 9:30 AM

Date/Time Received

08/26/2011 10:00 AM

08/26/2011 10:00 AM



Case Narrative

WO#: 1108134 Date: 9/1/2011

CLIENT:

Shannon & Wilson

Project:

Hilton Seattle Hotel

I. SAMPLE RECEIPT:

All samples were received intact. The internal ice chest temperatures were measured on receipt and are recorded on the attached Sample Receipt Checklist.

II. GENERAL REPORTING COMMENTS:

Results are reported on a wet weight basis unless dry-weight correction is denoted in the units field on the analytical report ("mg/kg-dry" or "ug/kg-dry").

Matrix Spike (MS) and MS Duplicate (MSD) samples are tested from an analytical batch of "like" matrix to check for possible matrix effect. The MS and MSD will provide site specific matrix data only for those samples which are spiked by the laboratory. The sample chosen for spike purposes may or may not have been a sample submitted in this sample delivery group. The validity of the analytical procedures for which data is reported in this analytical report is determined by the Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) and the Method Blank (MB). The LCS and the MB are processed with the samples and the MS/MSD to ensure method criteria are achieved throughout the entire analytical process.

III. ANALYSES AND EXCEPTIONS:

Exceptions associated with this report will be footnoted in the analytical results page(s) or the quality control summary page(s) and/or noted below.



Analytical Report

WO#: 1108134

Date Reported: 9/1/2011

Client: Shannon & Wilson

Collection Date: 8/26/2011 8:20:00 AM

Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel Lab ID: 1108134-001

Matrix: Water

Client Sample ID: MW-4-082611

| Analyses | Result | RL | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--------|------|-------|----------|-----------------------|
| Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX | (EPA Method 8 | 021B) | | Bato | h ID: R1 | 706 Analyst: SG |
| Benzene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Toluene | ND | 1.00 | | µg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene | ND | 1.00 | | µg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| m,p-Xylene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| o-Xylene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Gasoline | 135 | 50.0 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 86.6 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 89.2 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/31/2011 11:04:00 PM |
| Total Metals by EPA Method 20 | 00.8 | | | Bato | h ID: 10 | 39 Analyst: BR |
| Lead | 5.57 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/30/2011 6:35:57 PM |

Qualifiers:

B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank

E Value above quantitation range

J Analyte detected below quantitation limits

RL Reporting Limit

D Dilution was required

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

ND Not detected at the Reporting Limit

S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits



Analytical Report

WO#: 1108134

Date Reported: 9/1/2011

Client: Shannon & Wilson

Collection Date: 8/26/2011 9:30:00 AM

Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel Lab ID: 1108134-002

Matrix: Water

Client Sample ID: DRUM

| Analyses | Result | RL | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--------|------|-------|-----------|---------------------|
| Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX | (EPA Method 8 | 021B) | | Batc | h ID: R17 | 706 Analyst: SG |
| Benzene | ND | 1,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| Toluene | ND | 1,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| Ethylbenzene | ND | 1,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| m,p-Xylene | 5,680 | 1,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| o-Xylene | 2,270 | 1,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| Gasoline | 1,950,000 | 50,000 | | μg/L | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 99.6 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 105 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1000 | 9/1/2011 1:17:00 AM |

- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- E Value above quantitation range
- J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
- RL Reporting Limit

- D Dilution was required
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not detected at the Reporting Limit
- S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits



Date: 9/1/2011

| Work Order: 1108134 | 34 | | | | | 796 | Č | TOCOLIMMADY DEDOD | V DED | TOC |
|--|---|------|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|--|---|----------------------------------|------------|-------|
| CLIENT: Shanr | Shannon & Wilson | | | | | | , S | | | |
| | Hilton Seattle Hotel | | | | | | Total Me | Total Metals by EPA Method 200.8 | Method 2 | 200.8 |
| Sample ID: MB-1039 | SampType: MBLK Batch ID: 1039 | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: 8/30/2011 Analysis Date: 8/30/2011 | 011 | RunNo: 1696 SeaNo: 30597 | | |
| | Result | 묍 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | | RPD Ref Val | %RPD R | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | | | |
| Sample ID: LCS-1039 Client ID: LCSW | SampType: LCS Batch ID: 1039 | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: 8/30/2011 Analysis Date: 8/30/2011 | :011 | RunNo: 1696 SeqNo: 30598 | O | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD R | RPDLimit C | Qual |
| Lead | 47.6 | 1.00 | 50.00 | 0 | 95.3 | 85 115 | | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108134-001CDUP Client ID: MW-4-082611 | UP SampType: DUP Batch ID: 1039 | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: 8/30/2011 Analysis Date: 8/30/2011 | :011 | RunNo: 1696 SeqNo: 30600 | | |
| Analyte | Result | 씸 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit HighLimit | t RPD Ref Val | %RPD R | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | 5.83 | 1.00 | | | | | 5.568 | 4.67 | 30 | |
| Sample ID: 1108134-001CMS Client ID: MW-4-082611 | S SampType: MS Batch ID: 1039 | 81 | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: 8/30/2011 Analysis Date: 8/30/2011 | :011 | RunNo: 1696 SeqNo: 30601 | | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit HighLimit | t RPD Ref Val | %RPD R | RPDLimit C | Qual |
| Lead | 244 | 1.00 | 250.0 | 5.568 | 95.3 | 70 130 | | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108134-001CMSD Client ID: MW-4-082611 | SD SampType: MSD Batch ID: 1039 | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: 8/30/2011 Analysis Date: 8/30/2011 | 1011 | RunNo: 1696 SeqNo: 30602 | | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit HighLimit | t RPD Ref Val | %RPD R | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Lead | 243 | 1.00 | 250.0 | 5.568 | 95.1 | 70 130 | 243.8 | 0.199 | 30 | |
| Qualifiers: E Value ab | Value above quantitation range Not detected at the Reporting Limit | | H Holding R RPD ou | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded RPD outside accepted recovery limits | r analysis ex / limits | 2 4 | Analyte detected below quantitation limits Reporting Limit | v quantitation limits | | |



Hilton Seattle Hotel Shannon & Wilson 1108134 Work Order: CLIENT: Project:

Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B)

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Date: 9/1/2011

| Sample ID: 1108134-001ADUP | SampType: DUP | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | _ | RunNo: 1706 | | |
|--------------------------------|---|------|-----------|--|----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|--|----------|------|
| Client ID: MW-4-082611 | Batch ID: R1706 | | | | | Analysis Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | _ | SeqNo: 30764 | 4 | |
| Analyte | Result | 씸 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | ON | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Toluene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Ethylbenzene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| m.p-Xylene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| o-Xylene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Gasoline | 125 | 50.0 | | | | | | 135.0 | 7.69 | 30 | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 9.39 | | 10.00 | | 93.9 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 9.83 | | 10.00 | | 98.3 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Sample ID: 1108134-001AMS | SampType: MS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | _ | RunNo: 1706 | | |
| Client ID: MW-4-082611 | Batch ID: R1706 | | | | | Analysis Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | _ | SeqNo: 30765 | 22 | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 10.1 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 101 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Toluene | 9.97 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 99.7 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 10.5 | | 10.00 | | 105 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 10.3 | | 10.00 | | 103 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108134-001AMSD | SampType: MSD | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | - | RunNo: 1706 | | |
| Client ID: MW-4-082611 | Batch ID: R1706 | | | | | Analysis Date: | e: 9/1/2011 | | SeqNo: 30766 | 9 | |
| Analyte | Result | 묍 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 10.3 | 1.00 | 10.00 | o | 103 | 65 | 135 | 10,11 | 1.86 | 30 | |
| Toluene | 10.2 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 102 | 65 | 135 | 9.973 | 2.01 | 30 | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 10.4 | | 10.00 | | 104 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 10.1 | | 10.00 | | 101 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Qualifiers: E Value above q | Value above quantitation range | | H Holding | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded | r analysis exc | pepea | J Anal | te detected belov | Analyte detected below quantitation limits | ts | |
| O N | Not detected at the Reporting Limit | | R RPD ou | RPD outside accepted recovery limits | / limits | | RL Repo | Reporting Limit | | | |
| S Spike recovery | Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits | ιΩ | | | | | | | | | |



1108134 Work Order:

Shannon & Wilson CLIENT:

Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B)

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Date: 9/1/2011

| Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel | attle Hotel | | | | | Gasolin | e (NWTPH-Gx) & | Gasoline (NWTPH-Gx) & BTEX (EPA Method 8021B) | 8021B) |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|------|-----------|-------------|------|----------------|--------------------------------|---|--------|
| Sample ID: LCS-R1706 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | RunNo: 1706 | |
| Client ID: LCSW | Batch ID: R1706 | | | | | Analysis Date: | e: 8/31/2011 | SeqNo: 30770 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 10.3 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 103 | 65 | 135 | | |
| Toluene | 10.1 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 101 | 65 | 135 | | |
| Gasoline | 525 | 50.0 | 500.0 | 0 | 105 | 92 | 135 | | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 10.3 | | 10.00 | | 103 | 92 | 135 | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 9.94 | | 10.00 | | 99.4 | 65 | 135 | | |
| Sample ID: MB-R1706 | SampType: MBLK | | | Units: pg/L | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/31/2011 | RunNo: 1706 | |
| Client ID: MBLKW | Batch ID: R1706 | | | | | Analysis Date | Analysis Date: 8/31/2011 | SeqNo: 30771 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | ON | 1.00 | | | | | | | |
| Toluene | ON. | 1.00 | | | | | | | |
| Ethylbenzene | <u>Q</u> | 1.00 | | | | | | | |
| m.p-Xylene | ON. | 1.00 | | | | | | | |
| o-Xylene | Q | 1.00 | | | | | | | |
| Gasoline | Q | 50.0 | | | | | | | |
| Surr: 1 Fluorobenzene | 9.82 | | 10.00 | | 98.2 | 65 | 135 | | |
| Surr: 1-Chloro-3-Fluorobenzene | 10.5 | | 10.00 | | 105 | 99 | 135 | | |

| Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded | RPD outside accepted recovery limits |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| I | œ |
| Value above quantitation range | Not detected at the Reporting Limit |
| ш | S |
| Qualifiers: | |

Analyte detected below quantitation limits
 Reporting Limit

Reporting Limit

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits



Sample Log-In Check List

| Clier | nt Name: SW | Work Ord | er Number: | 1108134 | | |
|----------|---|-----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---|
| | ed by: Troy Zehr | Date Rece | eived: | 8/26/2011 | 10:00:00 AM | |
| | | | | | | |
| | ain of Custody Were seals intact? | Yes | П | No 🗌 | Not Present | |
| 1. | Is Chain of Custody complete? | Yes | V | No \square | Not Present | |
| 2. 3. | How was the sample delivered? | 103 | 6.5 | но 🗀 | Not resent | |
| ٥. | The trace and complete control of | | | | | |
| Log | <u>ı In</u> | | | | | |
| 4. | Coolers are present? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | NA 🗆 | |
| 5. | Was an attempt made to cool the samples? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | na 🗆 | |
| 6. | Were all coolers received at a temperature of >0° C to 10.0°C | Yes | V | No \square | NA 🗆 | |
| 7. | Sample(s) in proper container(s)? | Yes | V | No 🗆 | | |
| 8. | Sufficient sample volume for indicated test(s)? | Yes | V | No \square | | |
| 9. | Are samples properly preserved? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| 10. | Was preservative added to bottles? | Yes | | No 🗸 | NA 🗆 | |
| | | | | | | |
| 11. | Is there headspace present in VOA vials? | Yes | | No 🗸 | No VOA Vials | |
| 12. | Did all sample containers arrive in good condition?(unbroken) | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| 13. | Does paperwork match bottle labels? | Yes | \checkmark | No 🗌 | | |
| 1/ | Are matrices correctly identified on Chain of Custody? | Yes | V | No 🗆 | | |
| 15. | Is it clear what analyses were requested? | Yes | V | No 🗆 | | |
| | Were all holding times able to be met? | Yes | ✓ | No \square | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Sp | ecial Handling (if applicable) | | | | | |
| 17. | Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? | Yes | | No 🗌 | NA 🗸 | |
| | Day an Natified | te: | | | | |
| | Person Notified: By Whom: Via | | il 🗌 Pho | ne 🗌 Fax | ☐ In Person | |
| | Regarding: | 3.0000 | - 12 - W | <u> </u> | | |
| | Client Instructions: | | | | | |
| 18. | Additional remarks/Disrepancies | | | | | 5 |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| 100 | Information | | | | | |
| - | tem# Temp °C Condition Cooler 8.9 Good | | | | | |

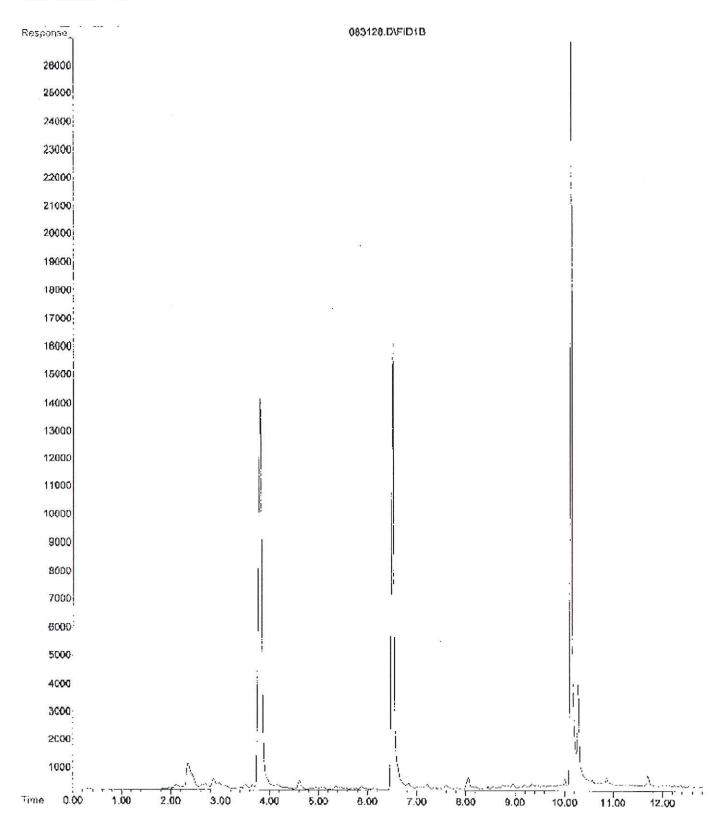
File : C \HPCHEM\2\DATA\083111\083128.D

Operator Acquired

: 31 Aug 2011 11 04 pm using AcqMothod GXETEX.M

Instrument: Gx BTEX Sample Name: 1108134-001A Misc Info : SAMP O-GXBTEX-W

Vial Number: 28



File

C:\HPCHEM\2\DATA\083111\083133.D

Operator

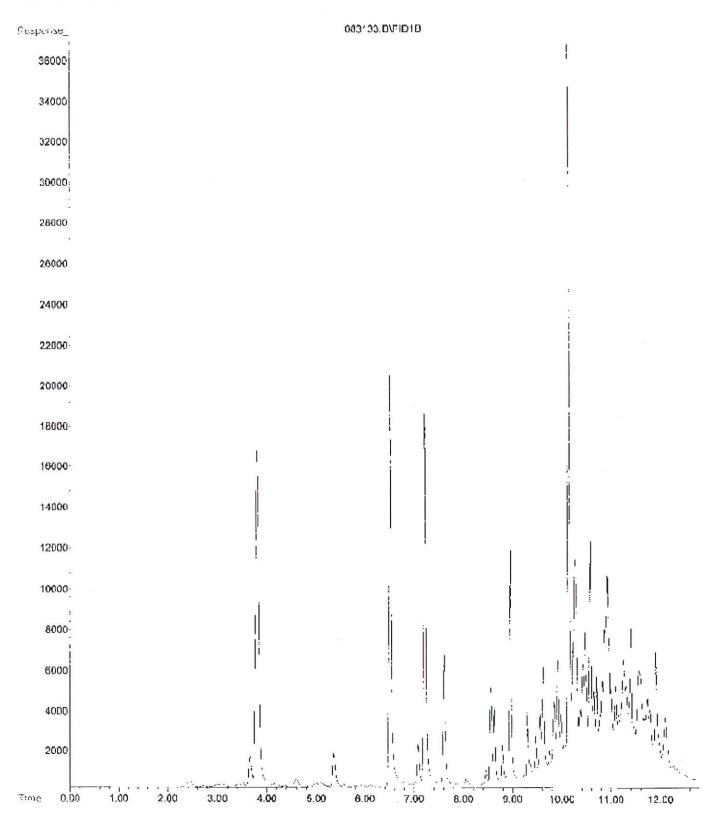
Acquired

1:17 am using AcqMethod GXBTEX.M

1 Sep 2011 Gx BTEX Instrument:

Sample Name. 1108134-002A 10 UL Risc Info : SAMP O GXBTEX-W

Vial Number: 33





1311 N. 35th St. Seattle, WA 98103 T: (206) 352-3790 F: (206) 352-7178 info@fremontanalytical.com

Shannon & Wilson Mike Reynolds 400 N. 34th Street, Suite 100 Seattle, Washington 98103

RE: Hilton Seattle Hotel

Lab ID: 1108125

August 30, 2011

Attention Mike Reynolds:

Fremont Analytical, Inc. received 3 sample(s) on 8/25/2011 for the analyses presented in the following report.

Gasoline by NWTPH-Gx Total Metals by EPA Method 200.8 Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260

This report consists of the following:

- Case Narrative
- Analytical Results
- Applicable Quality Control Summary Reports
- Chain of Custody

All analyses were performed consistent with the Quality Assurance program of Fremont Analytical, Inc. Please contact the laboratory if you should have any questions about the results.

Thank you for using Fremont Analytical.

Sincerely,

Michael Dee

MGR

Sr. Chemist / Principal

Date: 08/30/2011



CLIENT: Project: Shannon & Wilson

Hilton Seattle Hotel

Lab Order:

1108125

Work Order Sample Summary

Lab Sample ID

Client Sample ID

Date/Time Collected Date/Time Received

1108125-001

MW-2-082511 MW-3-082511 08/25/2011 12:25 PM 08/25/2011 2:15 PM 08/25/2011 11:10 AM 08/25/2011 2:15 PM

1108125-002

MW-3-082511 Trip Blank 08/25/2011 11:10 AM 08/17/2011 12:00 AM

08/25/2011 2:15 PM

1108125-003

17/2011 12:00 AM 08/25/2011



Case Narrative

WO#: 1108125 Date: 8/30/2011

CLIENT:

Shannon & Wilson

Project:

Hilton Seattle Hotel

I. SAMPLE RECEIPT:

All samples were received intact. The internal ice chest temperatures were measured on receipt and are recorded on the attached Sample Receipt Checklist.

II. GENERAL REPORTING COMMENTS:

Results are reported on a wet weight basis unless dry-weight correction is denoted in the units field on the analytical report ("mg/kg-dry" or "ug/kg-dry").

Matrix Spike (MS) and MS Duplicate (MSD) samples are tested from an analytical batch of "like" matrix to check for possible matrix effect. The MS and MSD will provide site specific matrix data only for those samples which are spiked by the laboratory. The sample chosen for spike purposes may or may not have been a sample submitted in this sample delivery group. The validity of the analytical procedures for which data is reported in this analytical report is determined by the Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) and the Method Blank (MB). The LCS and the MB are processed with the samples and the MS/MSD to ensure method criteria are achieved throughout the entire analytical process.

III. ANALYSES AND EXCEPTIONS:

Exceptions associated with this report will be footnoted in the analytical results page(s) or the quality control summary page(s) and/or noted below.



Analytical Report

WO#: 1108125

Date Reported: 8/30/2011

Client: Shannon & Wilson

Collection Date: 8/25/2011 12:25:00 PM

Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel **Lab ID:** 1108125-001

Matrix: Water

Client Sample ID: MW-2-082511

| Analyses | Result | RL | Qual | Units | DF | Date | Analyzed |
|-------------------------------|------------|----------|------|-------|-------|---------|---------------|
| Gasoline by NWTPH-Gx | | | | Bato | h ID: | R1686 | Analyst: PH |
| Gasoline | 2,950 | 50.0 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 95.4 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Fluorobenzene | 93.0 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Volatile Organic Compounds by | EPA Method | 8260 | | Bato | h ID: | R1684 | Analyst: PH |
| Benzene | 76.1 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Toluene | 2.19 | 1 00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene | 863 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| m,p-Xylene | 17.6 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| o-Xylene | 4.39 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 111 | 72-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane | 102 | 75.1-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8 | 96.5 | 76 5-134 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/20 | 11 7:33:00 PM |
| Total Metals by EPA Method 20 | 8.0 | | | Bato | h ID: | 1010 | Analyst: BR |
| Lead | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/26/20 | 11 5:35:19 PM |

| A 15 | £1 | D |
|---------|--------|----|
| CJIIAII | fiers: | 13 |

- Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- E Value above quantitation range
- J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
- RL Reporting Limit

- D Dilution was required
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not detected at the Reporting Limit
- S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits



Analytical Report

WO#: 1108125

Date Reported: 8/30/2011

Client: Shannon & Wilson

Collection Date: 8/25/2011 11:10:00 AM

Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel Lab ID: 1108125-002

Matrix: Water

Client Sample ID: MW-3-082511

| Analyses | Result | RL | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|-------------------------------|------------|----------|------|-------|------------|----------------------|
| Gasoline by NWTPH-Gx | | | | Bato | h ID: R168 | 86 Analyst: PH |
| Gasoline | 153 | 50.0 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 84.5 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Surr. Fluorobenzene | 87.5 | 65-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Volatile Organic Compounds by | EPA Method | 8260 | | Bato | h ID: R168 | 34 Analyst: PH |
| Benzene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Toluene | · ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| m,p-Xylene | 1.35 | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| o-Xylene | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 108 | 72-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane | 101 | 75.1-135 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Surr. Toluene-d8 | 96.5 | 76 5-134 | | %REC | 1 | 8/25/2011 8:18:00 PM |
| Total Metals by EPA Method 20 | 0.8 | | | Bato | h ID: 1010 | Analyst: BR |
| Lead | ND | 1.00 | | μg/L | 1 | 8/26/2011 5:48:27 PM |

| - | 15.5.1 | | |
|---|--------|-----|-----|
| | ua | 111 | er. |

- Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- E Value above quantitation range
- J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
- RL Reporting Limit

- D Dilution was required
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not detected at the Reporting Limit
- S Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

ш Ω м



CLIENT:

1108125

Work Order:

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Date: 8/30/2011

Shannon & Wilson

| | OTALLIOL & VVIISOL | | | | | | - T- T- H | COC POSTON AND A STATE OF THE POSTON |
|--------------------|----------------------|------|-----------|-----------------------|------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Project: | Hilton Seattle Hotel | | | | | | l otal IV | lotal Metals by EPA Method 200.6 |
| Sample ID: MB-1010 | 1010 SampType: MBLK | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | Prep Date: 8/25/2011 | RunNo: 1661 |
| Client ID: MBLKW | KW Batch ID: 1010 | | | | | Analysis Date: 8/26/2011 | 8/26/2011 | SeqNo: 30000 |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK value SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit H | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD RPDLimit Qual |
| Lead | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | |

| Sample ID: LCS-1010 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | RunNo: 1661 | |
|----------------------------|----------------|------|-----------|-----------------------|------|----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|------|
| Client ID: LCSW | Batch ID: 1010 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/26/2011 | SeqNo: 30001 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK value SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD RPDLimit Qual | Jual |
| Lead | 52.8 | 1.00 | 50.00 | 0 | 106 | 85 | 115 | | |
| Sample ID: 1108093-003DMS | SampType: MS | | | Units: µg/L · | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/25/2011 | RunNo: 1661 | |
| Client ID: BATCH | Batch ID: 1010 | | | | | Analysis Date | Analysis Date: 8/26/2011 | SeqNo: 30004 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD RPDLimit Qual | Jual |
| Lead | 264 | 1.00 | 250.0 | 0 | 105 | 70 | 130 | | |
| Sample ID: 1108093-003DMSD | SampType: MSD | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 3: 8/25/2011 | RunNo: 1661 | |
| Client ID: BATCH | Batch ID: 1010 | | | | | Analysis Date | Analysis Date: 8/26/2011 | SeqNo: 30005 | |

| Sample ID: | Sample ID: 1108093-003DMSD | SampType: MSD | SD | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Dat | Prep Date: 8/25/2011 | - | RunNo: 1661 | _ | |
|------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|------|-----------|--|--|--------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------|--------------------|------|
| Client ID; BATCH | ВАТСН | Batch ID: 1010 | 010 | | | | | Analysis Dat | Analysis Date: 8/26/2011 | ۲- | SeqNo: 30005 | 05 | |
| Analyte | | LL. | Result | 묍 | SPK value | SPK value SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | %RPD RPDLimit Qual | Qual |
| Lead | | | 268 | 1.00 | 250.0 | 0 | 107 | 70 | 130 | 263.5 | 1.62 | 30 | |
| Sample ID: | Sample ID: 1108125-001CDUP | SampType: DUP | UP | | × | Units: µg/L | | Prep Dat | Prep Date: 8/25/2011 | . | RunNo: 1661 | _ | |
| Client ID: | Client ID: MW-2-082511 | Batch ID: 1010 | 010 | | | | Parameter Communication Commun | Analysis Dat | Analysis Date: 8/26/2011 | Σ- | SeqNo: 30073 | 73 | |
| Analyte | | Д. | Result | R | SPK value | SPK value SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | %REC LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | %RPD RPDLimit Qual | Qual |
| Lead | | | ND | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | ٣) |
| Qualifiers: | ш | Value above quantitation range | | | H Holding | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded | r analysis ex | seeded | J Anal | Analyte detected below quantitation limits | v quantitation lim | īŝ | |
| | ND Not detected a | Not detected at the Reporting Limit | hit | | R RPD out | RPD outside accepted recovery limits | / limits | | RL Repo | Reporting Limit | | | |



Shannon & Wilson CLIENT:

1108125

Work Order:

Gasoline by NWTPH-Gx

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Date: 8/30/2011

| Project: Hilton Seattle Hotel | attle Hotel | | | | | | | | Gasoline by NWTPH-Gx | by NWT | PH-Gx |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|------|-----------|-------------|------|----------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|----------|-------|
| Sample ID: MB-R1686 | SampType: MBLK | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | | RunNo: 1686 | | |
| Client ID: MBLKW | Batch ID: R1686 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | | SeqNo: 30372 | 72 | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit RF | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Gasoline | ON | 50.0 | | | | | | | | | |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 8.07 | | 10.00 | | 80.7 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Fluorobenzene | 9.02 | | 10.00 | | 90.2 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Sample ID: LCS-R1686 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | | RunNo: 1686 | ω | |
| Client ID: LCSW | Batch ID: R1686 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | | SeqNo: 30373 | 73 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit RF | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Gasoline | 412 | 50.0 | 500.0 | 0 | 82.5 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 90.8 | | 10.00 | | 80.6 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Fluorobenzene | 9.14 | | 10.00 | | 91.4 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108125-002ADUP | SampType: DUP | | | Units: pg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | | RunNo: 1686 | 60 | |
| Client ID: MW-3-082511 | Batch ID: R1686 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | | SeqNo: 30376 | 92 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit RF | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Gasoline | 176 | 50.0 | | | | | | 153.5 | 13.7 | 30 | |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 8.08 | | 10.00 | | 80.8 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Surr: Fluorobenzene | 8.76 | | 10.00 | | 87.6 | 65 | 135 | | 0 | | |

Ια Not detected at the Reporting Limit Value above quantitation range ш Ω м Qualifiers:

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded RPD outside accepted recovery limits

Analyte detected below quantitation limits ㄱ 귒

Reporting Limit

Analyte detected below quantitation limits

Reporting Limit

ㄱ 귒

Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

RPD outside accepted recovery limits

ıα

Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

Not detected at the Reporting Limit Value above quantitation range

g σ ш

Qualifiers:



Date: 8/30/2011

Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260 QC SUMMARY REPORT Hilton Seattle Hotel Shannon & Wilson 1108125 Work Order: CLIENT: Project:

| ו וסוכבו: | 10001 | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|------|-----------|-------------|------|----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: MB-R1684 | SampType: MBLK | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 3: 8/25/2011 | _ | RunNo: 1684 | 4 | |
| Client ID: MBLKW | Batch ID: R1684 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 3: 8/25/2011 | · | SeqNo: 30347 | 47 | |
| Analyte | Result | RL | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | |
| Toluene | ON | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | |
| Ethylbenzene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | |
| m.p-Xylene | ON | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | |
| o-Xylene | Q | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 10.8 | | 10.00 | | 108 | 72 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane | 10.6 | | 10.00 | | 106 | 75.1 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Toluene-d8 | 9.48 | | 10.00 | | 94.8 | 76.5 | 134 | | | | |
| Sample ID: LCS-R1684 | SampType: LCS | | | Units: pg/L | | Prep Date: | 3: 8/25/2011 | _ | RunNo: 1684 | 4 | |
| Client ID: LCSW | Batch ID: R1684 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | - | SeqNo: 30348 | 48 | |
| Analyte | Result | 귛 | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 10.6 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 106 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Toluene | 12.0 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 0 | 120 | 99 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 10.6 | | 10.00 | | 106 | 72 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane | 9.78 | | 10.00 | | 97.8 | 75.1 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: Toluene-d8 | 9.41 | | 10.00 | | 94.1 | 76.5 | 134 | X | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108125-001AMS | SampType: MS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | - | RunNo: 1684 | 4 | |
| Client ID: MW-2-082511 | Batch ID: R1684 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | ~ | SeqNo: 30351 | 51 | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | 86.6 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 76.06 | 105 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Toluene | 13.7 | 1.00 | 10.00 | 2.190 | 116 | 65 | 135 | | | | |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 10.0 | | 10.00 | | 100 | 72 | 135 | | | | |



CLIENT:

Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260 **QC SUMMARY REPORT** Hilton Seattle Hotel Shannon & Wilson 1108125 Work Order:

Date: 8/30/2011

| Project: Hilton Sea | Hilton Seattle Hotel | | | | | Volatil | e Organ | Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260 | nds by EP | A Metho | d 8260 |
|--|----------------------|------|-----------|-------------|------|--------------------------|----------------------|---|--------------|----------|--------|
| Sample ID: 1108125-001AMS | SampType: MS | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date | Prep Date: 8/25/2011 | _ | RunNo: 1684 | 4 | |
| Client ID: MW-2-082511 | Batch ID: R1684 | | | | | Analysis Date: 8/25/2011 | 8/25/201 | _ | SeqNo: 30351 | 51 | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | | HighLimit | LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane Surr: Toluene-d8 | 9.71 | | 10.00 | | 97.1 | 75.1 | 135 | | | | |
| | The Million | | | | | 70. 32468020 | 117/12875 | | | | |
| Sample ID: 1108125-002ADUP | SampType: DUP | | | Units: µg/L | | Prep Date: | 8/25/2011 | | RunNo: 1684 | 4 | |
| Client ID: MW-3-082511 | Batch ID: R1684 | | | | | Analysis Date: | 8/25/2011 | - | SeqNo: 30353 | 53 | |
| Analyte | Result | R | SPK value | SPK Ref Val | %REC | LowLimit | HighLimit | LowLimit HighLimit RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Toluene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Ethylbenzene | ON | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| m.p-Xylene | 1.36 | 1.00 | | | | | | 1.350 | 0.738 | 30 | |
| o-Xylene | QN | 1.00 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Surr: 1-Bromo-4-fluorobenzene | 10.7 | | 10.00 | | 107 | 72 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane | 10.4 | | 10.00 | | 104 | 75.1 | 135 | | 0 | | |
| Surr: Toluene-d8 | 9.41 | | 10.00 | | 94.1 | 76.5 | 134 | | 0 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Qualifiers: | ш | Value above quantitation range | I | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded | 7 | Analyte detected below quantitation limits |
|-------------|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| | S | Not detected at the Reporting Limit | œ | RPD outside accepted recovery limits | 2 | Reporting Limit |
| | S | Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits | | | | |



Sample Log-In Check List

| | it Name: | | | Work Orde | | 1108125 8/25/2011 | 2:15:00 PM | |
|------------|----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---|
| Logg | ed by: | Troy Zehr | | | | | | |
| <u>Cha</u> | ain of C | Custody | | | | | | |
| 1. | Werese | eals intact? | | Yes | | No 🗌 | Not Present 🗹 | |
| 2. | Is Chair | of Custody com | plete? | Yes | V | No 🗆 | Not Present | |
| 3. | How wa | s the sample deli | vered? | Clien | 1 | | | |
| Log | ı In | | | | | | | |
| 4. | | are present? | | Yes | V | No 🗆 | NA 🗆 | |
| 5. | Was an | attempt made to | cool the samples? | Yes | v | No 🗌 | NA 🗌 | |
| 6. | Were al | l coolers received | at a temperature of >0°C to 10.0°C | Yes | \checkmark | No 🗌 | № □ | ð |
| 7. | Sample | (s) in proper cont | ainer(s)? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| 8. | Sufficie | nt sample volume | for indicated test(s)? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| 9. | Are san | ples properly pre | served? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| 10. | Was pre | eservative added | to bottles? | Yes | | No 🗸 | NA 🔝 | |
| 11. | Is there | headspace prese | ent in VOA vials? | Yes | П | No 🗸 | No VOA Vials | |
| 12. | | \$ 5 | arrive in good condition?(unbroken) | Yes | ~ | No 🗆 | THO VOX VIGIS | |
| 13. | | perwork match b | | Yes | ✓ | No 🗌 | | |
| 14. | Are mat | rices correctly ide | entified on Chain of Custody? | Yes | V | No 🗀 | | |
| 15. | | r what analyses i | 7.00 Vents | Yes | V | No 🗆 | | |
| | Were al | I holding times at | le to be met? | Yes | V | No 🗌 | | |
| Spe | ecial Ha | andling (if a | oplicable) | | | | | |
| 17. | Was cli | ent notified of all | discrepancies with this order? | Yes | V | No 🗆 | NA 🗆 | _ |
| | 2200 22 | son Notified: | Willie Reynolds | Date: | 6 1 <u>222-2</u> 2 12351 | 8/25/2011 | | |
| | | Whom: | | /ia: 🔽 eMai | ✓ Pho | ne 🗌 Fax | ☐ In Person | |
| | 0.000 | garding: | Total or Dissolved Metals | | | | | |
| | Clie | ent Instructions: | Run as Total Metals | | | | | |
| 10 | | | analysis Alexander | | | | | |

18. Additional remarks/Disrepancies

<u>Item Information</u>

| | Item# | Temp °C | Condition |
|---|--------|---------|-----------|
| Γ | Cooler | 8.0 | Good |

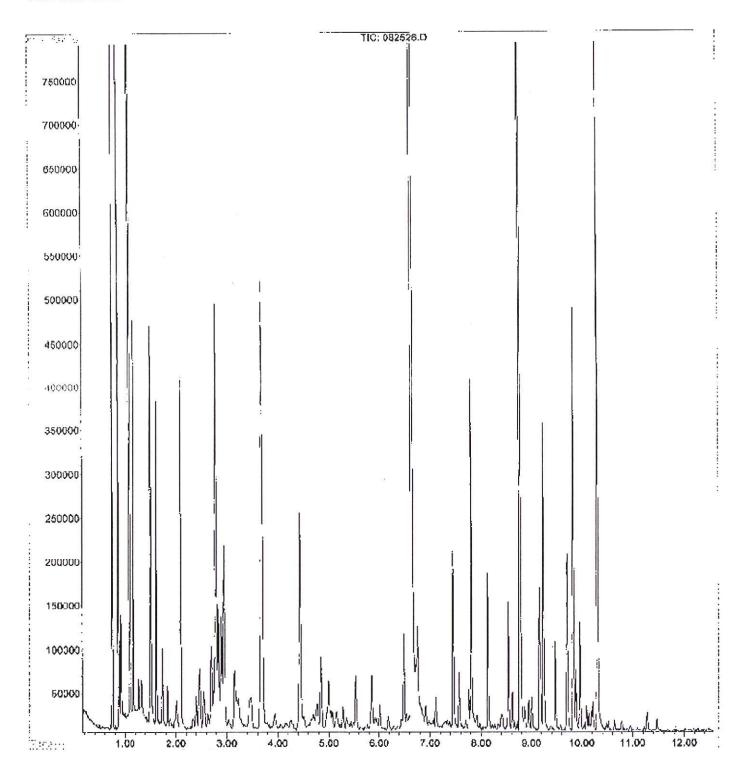
File : C:\HPCHEM\1\DATA\082511\082526.D

Operator :

Acquired : 25 Aug 2011 7:33 pm using AcqMethod OFSL8260

Instrument: GC/MS Ins Sample Name: 1108125-001A Misc Info: SAMP O-VOC-W

Vial Number: 26



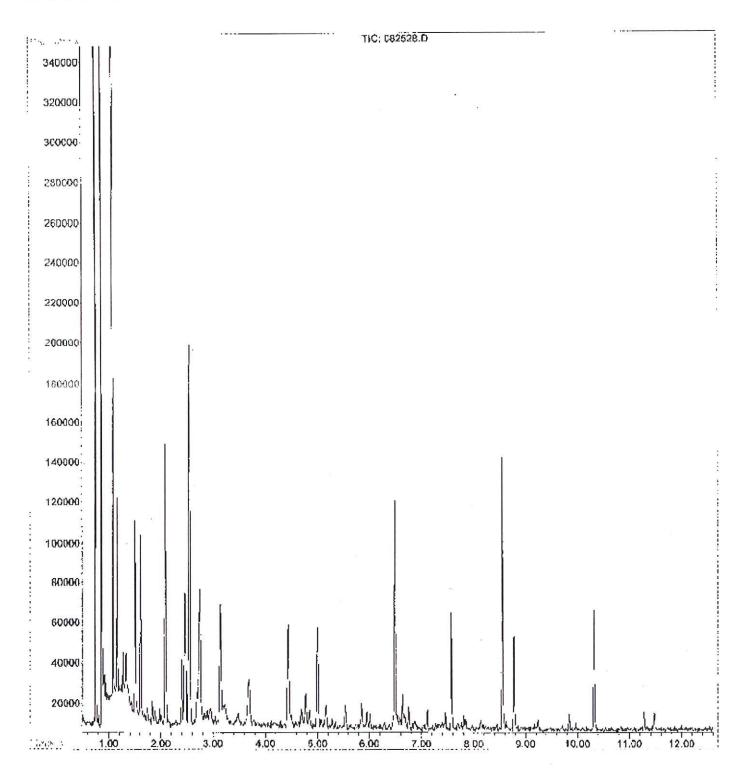
File : C:\HPCHEM\1\DATA\082511\082528.D

Operator:

Acquired: 25 Aug 2011 8:18 pm using AcqMethod OFSL8260

Instrument: GC/MS Ins Sample Name: 1108125-002A Misc Info: SAMP O-VOC-W

Vial Number: 28



| ## Project Name: Total 206-352-3739 Project | Chain of Custody Record |
|--|---------------------------------|
| 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Laboratory Project No internal. |
| Stack-on-1 Miles Service 100 Service Miles | Page. |
| 100 N 27 N S. 10 180 1 | |
| The Minks August Sample | |
| Sample Sample Sample Tive -2-087511 \$\frac{9}{2}\frac{1}{2} | くし ことしし |
| 13. 082511 8/2/11 London 1110 XXX X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X | |
| -3 - 08-25 9/25/4 Leas 1100 X X X X X X X X X | Hold Diese |
| Vericinal: MICA-S RCBA-6 Princing Feduciant: TAL Individual to this do Go | HOLD DUSSE |
| lysis (Gircle): MTGA-5 RCPA-6 Priemy Pollutante TAL Individual Le et de D de Ga Ge Ga | |
| lysis (Gircle): MTG4-5 RCPA-6 Priemy Feilutant: TAL Individual to this de D is de Ca Ca Cu Cu Fe lie K Mg tha Mrate. Nitrate. Nit | |
| Vesi (Gircle): MTCA-5 RCPA-6 Priently Follutant: TAL Individual to this to 0 to 0 or 0 or 1 or 1 or 1 or 1 or 1 or 1 o | |
| Vasia (Circle): MTCA-5 RCBA-8 Priemy Pollutante TAL Individual de al 45 B Be Ga Co de Cu Per High Mighton Michael Mittale With the Charles Suffate Bromide D-Processor Pulpade Mittale With the Cifent Disposality Lab (Alles may be represented and mittales). | |
| 1925 (Circle): MTCA-5 RCPA-6 Priemy Palbasane TAL Individual to this to Be do Co to to fee tig it Might in M | |
| Nysis (Gircle): MITGA-S REPA-6 Priemy Feilutants TAL Individual to strike to be do do do do de fer fer it is Migron Mitchellor Nitrate Nitrate Objecte Suffate Bromitte O-Proposale Nitrate Nitrate Nitrate Proposale (Alimente parameter) in more in the more interesting to the more parameters of the more parameters of the more interesting to the more parameters of | |
| Vasi (Circle): MTCA-5 RCRA-6 Priority Follutants TAL Individual to A to 0 be 0e Ca Co of to feelight Mightin North North North Chorde Suffate Bromide Defrosorier Haoride Mitrate Harte Harte Harte Harte Harte Mitrate Harte Harte Harte Mitrate Harte Harte Harte Management American American Mitrate Harte Harte Management Management American Management M | q |
| Table: Nativate National Coloride Sufface Bromittee O-Proposition National | Ca Co C Cr Cu Pe Hg K Mg 27 |
| Bit | Minate *ilpite |
| Date (Title) | Special Remarks |
| x ~ 10,000 8 25/11 14 | 2 ps 25/11 14:15 |
| , | TAT Next Day 2 Day 3 Day |

SHANNON & WILSON, INC.

APPENDIX B DISPOSAL DOCUMENTS

WWW.emeraldow.com

EMERALD RECYCLING WASTE ACCEPTANCE FORM

See Emerald's list of generic profiles for further instructions.

Please complete all portions of this form for approval.

A COPY OF THIS FORM MUST ACCOMPANY EACH SHIPMENT

| | Gene | erator Name: | HILTON SEA | ATTLE HOT | EL (ETSHIL1: | 301) |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| SERVICES INC. | Gene | erator Address: | 1301 6TH A | VENUE | | |
| y w.cmci ai un w.com | | | SEATTLE, V | VA 98111 | | <u> </u> |
| | Indu | stry Type: | | | | |
| <i>W</i> aste Name/Descrip | tion: | WATER WITH | I GASOLINE | • | | |
| Process Generating | Waste: | | | | | |
| | | WELL PUMP- | OUT | | •••••• | |
| Composition (includ | e perce | entages for each cons | stituent and a | account for | 100% of wast | te): |
| WATER 9 | 8-100% | | | | | |
| GASOLINE | E 0-2% | Chemsen 40 | 72 bbw |) | ····· | |
| Physical State at 70° | F: | | pH: | | | |
| □ Solid ■ Liquid | □Sli □Po | | □ ≤2 □ 2-4 33 >4 - <10 | □ 10-12.5 □≥12.5 □ N/A | 5 | |
| Flashpoint: ■≤100 □ 101-139 □ 140-200 | | 00 flash | Odor (descr | ibe): | | |
| Metals Constituents: | □ _{No} | t suspected | Data repor | rt attached* | | ☐MSDS attached* |
| Other regulated cont | aminar | nts: Not suspect | ed | ata repo | rt attached* | ☐ MSDS attached* |
| Shipping and volume | inforn | nation: | | | | |
| Standard s | hipping | container: | Drum | □Tote | □ Bulk | |
| Estimated | volume | per shipment: | 1 X DM15 | | | |
| Estimated | volume | per year: | | | | |
| Request Submitted by | : | S. WILSON | E | Date: | 5/22/2011 | |
| Broker Name (if appro | priate): | SHANNON & \ | NILSON - MIC | CHAEL REY | 'NOLDS | |
| Profile Number Assign Approved by: | ed: _{} | 02900 Suith | Destination F | , , | Airport Way te: 4 14 11 | □ Vancouver Exp. Date: 4 |
| Special handling instru | ctions: | | | | , | 1 ' |

^{*}All correspondence, data reports, and MSDSs corresponding to this WAF are included with the original WAF only.

The original WAF is filed in the facility operating record.

August 2008 Revision

*** IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL 1-800-424-9300 Contract# 7619 ***

NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST

| Plea | se print or type (Form designed for use on elite (12 pitch) typewriter) | | | | |
|-------------|--|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | NON-HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST 1. Generator's US EPA ID No. E X E M P T | | Manifest Document No | 61562 | 2. Page 1 of 1 |
| | 3. Generator's Name and Mailing Address HILTON SEATTLE HOTEL Ste Address HILTON SEATTL | E HOT | | | |
| | 400 N. 34TH ST. SUITE 100 1301 6TH AVE | | == 104 | | |
| | SEATTLE, WA 98103 SEATTLE, WAS | | | | |
| | 4. Generator's Phone ((206) 695-6851 134283 | | | | |
| | 5. Transporter 1 Company Name 6. US EPA ID Number | | A. State Trans | sporter's ID | |
| | EMERALD SERVICES, INC. W A D O 5 8 3 6 | 4 6 4 | B. Transporte | r 1 Phone (20 | 6) 832-3000 |
| 100 | 7. Transporter 2 Company Name 8. US EPA ID Number | | C. State Tran | | 0, 000 000 |
| - | | | D. Transporte | | |
| 200 | Designated Facility Name and Site Address 10. US EPA ID Number | | E. State Facil | | 7.5 |
| | EMERALD SERVICES INC - AIRPORT | | 2,0,0,0 | .,, | |
| | WAWO AIRPORT WAY S. | | F. Facility's P | hone dana | 000 0000 |
| | SEATTLE, WA 98134 W A D O 5 8 3 6 | 7 1 5 | | (206) | 832-3090 |
| | 11. WASTE DESCRIPTION | | Containers | 13. | 14. |
| | The More Description | No. | Туре | 13. Total Quantity | 14. Unit Wt./Vol. |
| | a. Non-required waste - liquid | | 1 7,72 | | 18,945,000,000,000 |
| The same | ^{a.} Non regulated waste – liquid | | | 1.15 %1 | |
| | | | DM | 16 | G |
| 0 | b. | - | | 1 (| |
| F | U. | | | | |
| N | | | | | |
| GENER | | | | * | |
| A | c. | | | - | |
| A T | | | | | |
| 0 | d. | _ | - | | |
| R | u. | | | | 35x |
| | | | | | |
| | G. Additional Descriptions for Materials Listed Above | | H. Handling C | odes for Wastes Listed Abov | /8 |
| | | | Ti. Handing C | odes for Wastes Listed Abov | , 6 |
| | 1)G02900 Rinse water or process water w/ trace organic | S | | | |
| | | | | | The same |
| | Annua Annua | * | | | 2 |
| | WAF ATTACHED | | | | 1 |
| | 15. Special Handling Instructions and Additional Information | n 000 | 134 0003 | AND OIL EVEN | DENIEW |
| | 15. Special Epoling Instantional Response Cente. NUMBER OR LOCAL OPERATOR, GENERATOR CONTACT: MICHAEL | REYNOI | DS (206) | 695-6851 | SENCY |
| | HOUSEN ON LOCAL OF ENGINEER WAS SOUTH OF THE STATE | | (, | | |
| No. | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | 1/4 | 1/1/ | | |
| | 16. GENERATOR'S CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the contents of this shipment are fully and accurately described on this manifest are not subject to federal hazardous wasten. | bed and are i | all respects | | |
| | | e regulations. | | | |
| | Scotl, lyling | 7 | | | Date |
| | Printed/Typed Name Signature | | | Mon | th Day Year |
| | | | | 9 | 26 (1 |
| Ţ | 17. Transporter 1 Acknowledgement of Receipt of Materials | | 0 0 | | Date |
| TRANSPORTER | Printed/Typed Name Signature | | 16 | Mon | |
| N S | Steve A. Latrance Den | ~ G | 2 Ox | me | 126 11 |
| PO | 18. Transporter 2 Acknowledgement of Receipt of Materials | | | | Date |
| Ŗ | Printed/Typed Name Signature | | | Mon | th Day Year |
| Ė | | | | | |
| | 19. Discrepancy Indication Space | | | | |
| F | Program of Andrew (1994) - 1000 (1995) (1995 | | | | |
| A C | | | | | } |
| ĭ | 20. Facility Owner or Operator; Certification of receipt of the waste materials covered by this manifest, except as noted in | n item 19. | | | |
| Ļ | V 1 2 2 | | | | Date |
| T | Prip@d/Tyged Name Signature Signature | | ~ | Mon | |
| Y | HATOMIO PERSYOZA | 10/ | | 9 | 130111 |
| | THE THE PARTY OF T | | | | ECYCLEO PAPER PARTIES WITH |

APPENDIX C

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR GEOTECHNICAL/ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT

Attachment to and part of Report 21-1-12341-002

Date: October 14, 2011
To: Mr. Frank Finneran

Hilton Seattle Hotel

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR GEOTECHNICAL/ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT

CONSULTING SERVICES ARE PERFORMED FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES AND FOR SPECIFIC CLIENTS.

Consultants prepare reports to meet the specific needs of specific individuals. A report prepared for a civil engineer may not be adequate for a construction contractor or even another civil engineer. Unless indicated otherwise, your consultant prepared your report expressly for you and expressly for the purposes you indicated. No one other than you should apply this report for its intended purpose without first conferring with the consultant. No party should apply this report for any purpose other than that originally contemplated without first conferring with the consultant.

THE CONSULTANT'S REPORT IS BASED ON PROJECT-SPECIFIC FACTORS.

A geotechnical/environmental report is based on a subsurface exploration plan designed to consider a unique set of project-specific factors. Depending on the project, these may include: the general nature of the structure and property involved; its size and configuration; its historical use and practice; the location of the structure on the site and its orientation; other improvements such as access roads, parking lots, and underground utilities; and the additional risk created by scope-of-service limitations imposed by the client. To help avoid costly problems, ask the consultant to evaluate how any factors that change subsequent to the date of the report may affect the recommendations. Unless your consultant indicates otherwise, your report should not be used: (1) when the nature of the proposed project is changed (for example, if an office building will be erected instead of a parking garage, or if a refrigerated warehouse will be built instead of an unrefrigerated one, or chemicals are discovered on or near the site); (2) when the size, elevation, or configuration of the proposed project is altered; (3) when the location or orientation of the proposed project is modified; (4) when there is a change of ownership; or (5) for application to an adjacent site. Consultants cannot accept responsibility for problems that may occur if they are not consulted after factors which were considered in the development of the report have changed.

SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS CAN CHANGE.

Subsurface conditions may be affected as a result of natural processes or human activity. Because a geotechnical/environmental report is based on conditions that existed at the time of subsurface exploration, construction decisions should not be based on a report whose adequacy may have been affected by time. Ask the consultant to advise if additional tests are desirable before construction starts; for example, groundwater conditions commonly vary seasonally.

Construction operations at or adjacent to the site and natural events such as floods, earthquakes, or groundwater fluctuations may also affect subsurface conditions and, thus, the continuing adequacy of a geotechnical/environmental report. The consultant should be kept apprised of any such events, and should be consulted to determine if additional tests are necessary.

MOST RECOMMENDATIONS ARE PROFESSIONAL JUDGMENTS.

Site exploration and testing identifies actual surface and subsurface conditions only at those points where samples are taken. The data were extrapolated by your consultant, who then applied judgment to render an opinion about overall subsurface conditions. The actual interface between materials may be far more gradual or abrupt than your report indicates. Actual conditions in areas not sampled may differ from those predicted in your report. While nothing can be done to prevent such situations, you and your consultant can work together to help reduce their impacts. Retaining your consultant to observe subsurface construction operations can be particularly beneficial in this respect.

Page 1 of 2 4/2010

A REPORT'S CONCLUSIONS ARE PRELIMINARY.

The conclusions contained in your consultant's report are preliminary because they must be based on the assumption that conditions revealed through selective exploratory sampling are indicative of actual conditions throughout a site. Actual subsurface conditions can be discerned only during earthwork; therefore, you should retain your consultant to observe actual conditions and to provide conclusions. Only the consultant who prepared the report is fully familiar with the background information needed to determine whether or not the report's recommendations based on those conclusions are valid and whether or not the contractor is abiding by applicable recommendations. The consultant who developed your report cannot assume responsibility or liability for the adequacy of the report's recommendations if another party is retained to observe construction.

THE CONSULTANT'S REPORT IS SUBJECT TO MISINTERPRETATION.

Costly problems can occur when other design professionals develop their plans based on misinterpretation of a geotechnical/environmental report. To help avoid these problems, the consultant should be retained to work with other project design professionals to explain relevant geotechnical, geological, hydrogeological, and environmental findings, and to review the adequacy of their plans and specifications relative to these issues.

BORING LOGS AND/OR MONITORING WELL DATA SHOULD NOT BE SEPARATED FROM THE REPORT.

Final boring logs developed by the consultant are based upon interpretation of field logs (assembled by site personnel), field test results, and laboratory and/or office evaluation of field samples and data. Only final boring logs and data are customarily included in geotechnical/environmental reports. These final logs should not, under any circumstances, be redrawn for inclusion in architectural or other design drawings, because drafters may commit errors or omissions in the transfer process.

To reduce the likelihood of boring log or monitoring well misinterpretation, contractors should be given ready access to the complete geotechnical engineering/environmental report prepared or authorized for their use. If access is provided only to the report prepared for you, you should advise contractors of the report's limitations, assuming that a contractor was not one of the specific persons for whom the report was prepared, and that developing construction cost estimates was not one of the specific purposes for which it was prepared. While a contractor may gain important knowledge from a report prepared for another party, the contractor should discuss the report with your consultant and perform the additional or alternative work believed necessary to obtain the data specifically appropriate for construction cost estimating purposes. Some clients hold the mistaken impression that simply disclaiming responsibility for the accuracy of subsurface information always insulates them from attendant liability. Providing the best available information to contractors helps prevent costly construction problems and the adversarial attitudes that aggravate them to a disproportionate scale.

READ RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSES CLOSELY.

Because geotechnical/environmental engineering is based extensively on judgment and opinion, it is far less exact than other design disciplines. This situation has resulted in wholly unwarranted claims being lodged against consultants. To help prevent this problem, consultants have developed a number of clauses for use in their contracts, reports and other documents. These responsibility clauses are not exculpatory clauses designed to transfer the consultant's liabilities to other parties; rather, they are definitive clauses that identify where the consultant's responsibilities begin and end. Their use helps all parties involved recognize their individual responsibilities and take appropriate action. Some of these definitive clauses are likely to appear in your report, and you are encouraged to read them closely. Your consultant will be pleased to give full and frank answers to your questions.

The preceding paragraphs are based on information provided by the ASFE/Association of Engineering Firms Practicing in the Geosciences, Silver Spring, Maryland

Page 2 of 2 1/2010