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Re: Groundwater and Seep Monitoring Frequency

- **Site Name:** Olympia Dry Cleaners
- **Site Address:** 606 E Union Ave SE, Olympia, Thurston County, WA 98501
- **Facility/Site ID:** 1446
- **Cleanup Site ID:** 4722
- **Consent Decree No.:** 14-2-02104-3 (Ecology Docket DE 10908)

Dear Scott Rose:

Thank you for submitting the March 2020, groundwater monitoring report (report) to the Department of Ecology (Ecology) for our review.¹ The report also included a request to change the number and frequency of samples. Below are Ecology's comments on the report and the change request:

1. Ecology does not agree to change the groundwater monitoring frequency at this time. One additional groundwater sampling event in June 2020, is necessary in order to evaluate your proposal for a reduction in frequency. This additional event is needed due to the lapse in monitoring during 2019. After the results of the June 2020, event have been reviewed, your proposal for reduction will be reconsidered.
2. Ecology agrees that beginning with the June 2020, sampling event, no further groundwater sampling is needed from downgradient well MW-06 or cross-gradient well MW-13 based on current conditions. Neither of these wells has had any detected concentrations of tetrachloroethylene (PCE) or its degradation products during their monitoring history. However, these wells shall continue to be used for the collection of water-level data during each groundwater sampling event. Should Site conditions change or be altered, Ecology may request additional sampling locations.
3. Due to the continued presence of groundwater contamination, seep at the source (SEEP) and downgradient of the filter sock (SEEP-POST) samples shall be collected during each groundwater sampling event, beginning with the June 2020, sampling event.

¹ March 2020 Groundwater Sampling Results Report, Former Olympia Dry Cleaners. Prepared by Associated Environmental Group, LLC, dated April 1, 2020.

Contact Information

If you have any questions please contact me at (360) 407-6247 or steve.teel@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



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