
State Water Resources Control Board

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CLOSURE DENIAL REVIEW FOR PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK
CASE, CHEVRON SERVICE STATION 9-1325, 1704 SARATOGA AVENUE, SAN JOSE,
SANTA CLARA COUNTY

Dear Ms. Lathrop:

State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) Resolution No. 2012-062 requires that State Water Board staff review a lead agency's decision when the lead agency has denied a request by a responsible party for an underground storage tank (UST) case closure pursuant to the Low-Threat UST Case Closure Policy.

The subject site has the following identification numbers:

- GeoTracker No. T0608509697
- Santa Clara County Case No. 07S1W29K03f
- San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board Case No. 14-703

State Water Board staff reviewed the closure request dated June 25, 2013, the closure denial from Santa Clara County dated August 7, 2013, and information within the GeoTracker record. Santa Clara County disagrees with the proposed UST case closure because General and Media-Specific Criteria have not been met.

After careful consideration of the GeoTracker record, I have determined that this site does not meet General Criteria d (which is a requirement for removing free product to the maximum extent practicable). On August 8, 2013, free product was measured in well SVE-4 for the first time since November 2008 at a thickness of 1.5 feet. On September 23, 2013, the existing soil vapor extraction treatment system resumed operation at the site and continues to this day.

The remaining free product poses a threat to human health, safety, and the environment. Criteria for low-threat UST case closure have not been met at this time, and therefore, closure of the UST case is not appropriate.

If you have any questions, please contact Ben Heningburg at (916) 341-5749 or benjamin.heningburg@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



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