
State Water Resources Control Board

October 20, 2015

Shell Oil Products
Attention: Ms. Deborah Pryor
20945 South Wilmington Avenue
Carson, CA 90810-1028

Dear Ms. Pryor:

CLOSURE DENIAL REVIEW FOR PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CASE,
SHELL, 2500 SOUTH GAREY AVENUE, POMONA, LOS ANGELES COUNTY

State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) Resolution No. 2012-0062 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 (Policy).

The subject case has the following identification numbers:

- State Water Board, GeoTracker No. T0603737443
- Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Water Board), Case No. R-26414

State Water Board staff reviewed the closure request dated April 24, 2015 and the response from the Los Angeles Water Board. After careful consideration of the GeoTracker record, State Water Board staff agrees with the Los Angeles Water Board staff determination that all of the Policy criteria have not been met. Based on information in the above-referenced GeoTracker record, this agency finds that the subject case does not meet the following Policy criteria:

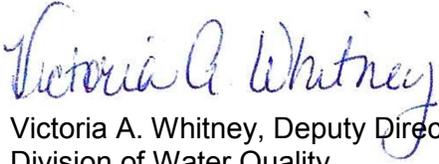
- **Groundwater Media-Specific Criteria**

Despite previous remedial efforts, intermittent free product continues to be present on-site. Free product was recently observed to be nearly one inch thick. Additional free product removal may be required to achieve low risk closure.

Contaminants remaining at the subject site continue to pose a potential threat to human health, safety, and the environment. Criteria for low-threat UST case closure have not been met at this time, therefore closure of the UST case is not appropriate.

If you have any questions, please contact George Lockwood at (916) 341-5752 or George.Lockwood@Waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



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