

September 30, 2011

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Re: Consent Decree, Civil Action Nos. JFM-97-558, JFM-97-559 Coke Oven Area Interim Measures Progress Report August 2011

Dear Mr. Fan and Ms. Brown:

Enclosed with this correspondence is the **Coke Oven Area Interim Measures Progress Report August 2011** completed for the RG Steel (formerly Severstal) Sparrows Point Facility in accordance with the requirements outlined in US EPA's September 2, 2010 approval letter for the Coke Oven Area Interim Measures work associated with the referenced Consent Decree. This report was distributed electronically on September 30th, 2011 in accordance with the outlined reporting requirements; this correspondence provides paper copies for your use.

The report summarizes implementation progress for the approved interim measures (IMs) that have been developed to address identified environmental conditions at the Coke Oven Area through August 31, 2011.

Please contact me at (410) 388-6622 should questions arise during your review of the enclosed progress report.

Sincerely,

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COKE OVEN AREA INTERIM MEASURES PROGRESS REPORT (AUGUST 2011)

Prepared for

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September 30, 2011



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Introduction

In accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (US EPA)'s September 2, 2010 letter, this document is the monthly progress report for August 2011 for the US EPA-approved interim measures (IMs) that have been developed to address identified environmental conditions at the Coke Oven Area (COA) Special Study Area at the RG Steel Sparrows Point Facility (formerly Severstal Sparrows Point Facility) located in Sparrows Point, Maryland. This progress report summarizes IM progress for August 2011.

For mutual ease of understanding, and as agreed during the June 3, 2010 teleconference with US EPA, the following designations are applied in this document to the six (6) IM "Cells" (**Figure 1**) at the COA:

- Cell 1: Prototype Air Sparge/Soil Vapor Extraction (AS/SVE) System in the Former Benzol Processing Area,
- Cell 2: AS/SVE and Dual Phase Groundwater Extraction System in Former Coal Storage Area,
- Cell 3: AS/SVE System in "Cove" Area,
- Cell 4: In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-treatment Area,
- Cell 5: Groundwater Extraction at the Turning Basin Area, and
- Cell 6: Light Non-Aqueous Phase Liquid (LNAPL) Recovery at the Former Benzol Processing Area.

As of August 31, 2011, Cells 1, 3, 4 and 6 continue to be operational. Groundwater samples were collected from Cell 4 on August 5, 2011 to evaluate the effects of the first amendment dosing event which occurred in early July 2011. The remaining Cells (Cells 2 and 5) are in various stages of evaluation, design, and under permitting considerations by Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE).

Cell 1: Prototype AS/SVE System in the Former Benzol Processing Area

Cell 1 consists of a prototype IM, which includes AS/SVE coupled with vapor destruction via an electric catalytic oxidation (CATOX) unit. **Figure 2** shows the system layout of Cell 1 and locations of the major design components including the air sparging wells and vapor collection trenches.

August 2011 Operational Performance

Operational performance of Cell 1 during this reporting period is summarized in **Table 1**. In summary, the CATOX unit operated for 711 hours (95.6 %) during this reporting period. Operations were in conformance with the manufacturer's specifications at all times that soil gases were collected in accordance with the May 20, 2011 modified permit-to-construct conditions.

Hydrocarbon removal rates ranged from approximately 0.4 to 0.6 pounds per operating hour (approximately 10.6 to 15.1 pounds per operating day for an estimated monthly total of 398 pounds). **Table 1** also includes a cumulative summary of operational performance since system startup on August 3, 2010. In total, Cell 1 has destroyed approximately 8,873 pounds of recovered hydrocarbons. **Figure 3** presents a graph of the cumulative estimated monthly hydrocarbon recovery in Cell 1 since the startup of the IM system.

Soil gas samples were collected for laboratory and/or field instrument (e.g., photoionization detector [PID]) analysis to monitor CATOX unit performance. Untreated soil gas samples were collected in Tedlar[®] bags, which were submitted to TestAmerica Laboratories, Inc. in Knoxville, Tennessee (TestAmerica) for analysis by US EPA Method TO-15. Influent soil gas hydrocarbon concentrations, collected on August 11 and 31, 2011, were 274 and 378 parts per million by volume (ppmv), respectively, as summarized in **Table 2**.

Hydrocarbon removal calculations were based entirely on the analytical results and the corresponding field-measured influent flow rate at the time of sampling. Calculations were based on the following two (2) assumptions:

• The analytical sample from August 11, 2011 is representative of soil vapor concentrations during the first 11 operating days of August because the same extraction wells (V-1 thru V-6) and sparge wells (AS-1 thru AS-8) were online during system operation. Also, the CATOX unit operated within the manufacturer's specifications with operational temperatures generally stable and within normal ranges.

• The analytical sample from August 31, 2011 represents soil vapor concentrations during the last 20 operating days of August because the same extraction wells (V-1, -2, -4, -5) and sparge wells (AS-1 thru AS-6) were online during system operation. Also, the CATOX unit operated within the manufacturer's specifications with operational temperatures generally stable and within normal ranges.

August 2011 Groundwater Monitoring Results

Groundwater samples were collected on August 3, 2011 from the following wells:

- BP-MW-09 (upgradient of Cell 1),
- CO18-PZM006 (upgradient of Cell 1 at edge of berm), and
- CO02-PZM006 (downgradient of Cell 1).

The groundwater samples were submitted to Microbac Laboratories, Inc. of Baltimore, Maryland (Microbac) for the analyses shown in **Table 3**. These data indicate benzene is the most prevalent volatile organic compound (VOC) constituent.

Figure 4 presents a graph of the total measured VOC concentration in Cell 1 groundwater for each well by month since the startup of the IM system. A generally decreasing total VOC concentration trend is documented at wells CO18-PZM006 and BP-MW-09 since system startup in August 2010. The VOC concentration trend at well C002-PZM006 remains relatively unchanged for the last several months. The identified trend for these monitoring wells will continue to be monitored and assessed during system operation in future months.

Cell 3: AS/SVE System in the "Cove" Area

Cell 3 consists of an AS/SVE system coupled with vapor destruction via an electric CATOX unit. **Figure 1** shows the location of the Cell 3 AS/SVE treatment area at the COA. The major design components are described in the Cell 3 final design report (*Coke Oven Area Interim Measures Cell 3 "Cove" Area Air Sparge/Soil Vapor Extraction System Design*), submitted to US EPA on March 1, 2011.

August 2011 Operational Performance

Operational performance of Cell 3 during this reporting period is summarized in **Table 4**. In summary, the CATOX unit operated for 718 hours (96.5 %) during August. Operations were in conformance with the manufacturer's specifications at all times that soil gases were collected in accordance with the May 20, 2011 modified permit-to-construct conditions.

Hydrocarbon removal rates averaged approximately 0.06 to 0.16 pounds per operating hour (approximately 1.3 to 3.9 pounds per operating day for a total of 104 pounds) during this reporting period. **Table 4** also includes a cumulative summary of operational performance since system startup on June 24, 2011. In total, Cell 3 has destroyed approximately 187 pounds of recovered hydrocarbons. **Figure 3** presents a graph of the cumulative estimated monthly hydrocarbon recovery in Cell 3 since the startup of the IM system.

Soil gas samples were collected for laboratory and/or field instrument (e.g., PID) analysis to monitor CATOX unit performance. Untreated soil gas samples were collected in Tedlar[®] bags, which were submitted to TestAmerica. Influent soil gas hydrocarbon concentrations collected on August 11 and 31, 2011, were 23.3 and 95 ppmv, respectively, as summarized in **Table 5**.

Hydrocarbon removal calculations were based entirely on the analytical results and the corresponding field-measured influent flow rate at the time of sampling. The mass removal calculations assume that the average of the two (2) analytical samples is representative of hydrocarbon concentrations for the entire month of August. This assumption is based on the fact that the same sparge wells (AS-3 thru AS-13) and extraction wells (V-2 thru V-4) were online when the system was operational.

August 2011 Cell 3 Groundwater Monitoring

Groundwater samples were collected on August 3, 2011 from the following wells (Figure 1):

• MW-CELL3-1 (downgradient of Cell 3),

- MW-CELL3-2 (upgradient of Cell 3),
- MW-CELL3-3 (upgradient of Cell 3, and
- CO30-PZM015 (downgradient of Cell 3).

The groundwater samples were submitted to Microbac for the analyses shown in **Table 6**. These data indicate that benzene is the most prevalent VOC constituent.

Figure 5 presents a graph of the total measured VOC concentration in Cell 3 groundwater for each well by month relative to the baseline concentrations collected in February 2011. The trends for these monitoring wells will continue to be monitored and assessed during system operation in future months.

Cell 4: In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-treatment Area

Cell 4 consists of an in-situ anaerobic bio-treatment system including extraction and mixing of groundwater in an above ground storage tank containing a nutrient amendment solution and reinjection of groundwater. A schematic layout of the Cell 4 system is shown in **Figure 7**. The major design components are described in the Cell 4 final design report (*Coke Oven Area Interim Measures Cell 4 In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-Treatment System Design*), submitted to US EPA on March 31, 2011.

August 2011 Operations

The first amendment dosing event occurred on July 6 and 7, 2011 and was summarized in the *July 2011 Monthly Progress Report*. As per the approved design concept, groundwater in Cell 4 was monitored in August 2011 to document potential impacts of the July 2011 dosing event.

August 2011 Groundwater Monitoring Results

Groundwater samples were collected on August 5, 2011 (approximately four [4] weeks after the initial nutrient amendment) for comparison to the baseline samples collected on June 28 (approximately one [1] week prior to nutrient amendment). Groundwater samples were collected from the following wells (**Figure 6**):

| • | OBS-6 | ٠ | Cell 4-3 |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| • | OBS-8 | • | Cell 4-4 |
| • | EXT-2 | • | Cell 4-5 |
| • | AS-2 | • | Cell 4-6 |
| • | Cell 4-1 | • | Cell 4-7 |

The groundwater samples were submitted to Microbac for the analyses shown in **Table 7**. These data indicate naphthalene is the most prevalent VOC constituent.

Figure 8 presents a graph of the total VOC concentrations in Cell 4 groundwater before and after the dosing event. Trends for these monitoring wells will continue to be monitored and assessed during system operation in future months.

Cell 6: LNAPL Extraction at the Former Benzol Processing Area

The Cell 6 LNAPL monitoring and recovery system was monitored approximately weekly during August (four [4] site visits). **Table 8** summarizes LNAPL occurrence and recovery observed during the reporting period along with the cumulative LNAPL recovery since the beginning of the project. **Figure 9** illustrates the well locations. During August, approximately 184 gallons (1,346 pounds) of LNAPL was recovered, bringing the total recovered LNAPL to 5,959 gallons (43,664 pounds) as of August 31, 2011. The LNAPL was recovered from the following wells:

| | LNAPL R | | | |
|----------|-----------------------|---|-------|--|
| Well | During August 2011 | Total | Notes | |
| BP-MW-05 | 96 / 703 | thru August 31, 2011 5,125 / 37,552 | | |
| RW-04 | 93 / 678 | 597 / 4,317 | | |
| BP-MW-08 | -4.8 / -35 | 224 / 1,640 | (a) | |
| BP-MW-11 | 0 / 0 | 7.8 / 57 | (b) | |
| RW-03 | 0 / 0 | 4.0 / 29 | (c) | |
| RW-01 | 0 / 0 | 1.3 / 10 | (c) | |
| RW-02 | 0 / 0 | 0.8 / 5 | (c) | |

(a) Tank measurement variability

(b) Recovery system moved from BP-MW-11 to BP-MW-08 on September 8, 2010.

(c) Manual bailing.

During the reporting period, the range of LNAPL thicknesses varied as summarized below (wells are not listed if LNAPL was not present):

- RW-04 (0.31 to 2.55 ft),
- BP-MW-05 (0.72 to 1.21 ft),
- BP-MW-08 (0.32 to 3.62 ft),
- BP-MW-11 (0.16 to 0.50 ft),
- RW-02 (0.10 to 0.17 ft),
- BP-MW-10 (0.09 to 0.31 ft),
- RW-03 (0.03 to 0.53 ft),
- RW-01 (0.10 to 0.44 ft), and
- BP-MW-07 (0.00 to 0.01 ft).

No LNAPL was observed in wells RW-05, BP-MW-06, BP-MW-09, or CO19-PZM004. For all wells in which LNAPL accumulated, **Table 9** provides well-specific details concerning the measured depths to LNAPL, the water table, and calculated LNAPL thicknesses.

Tables

Table 1Summary of Operating ConditionsCell 1: Prototype AS/SVE System in Former Benzol Processing AreaFormer Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial MeasuresRG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

ParameterUnitsQuantityTotal CATOX Operating Time (August 1 - August 31, 2011)hours711Overall CATOX Operational Time%96Estimated Total Hydrocarbons Destroyedpounds398Estimated Hydrocarbon Removal Ratepounds/hour0.4 to 0.6

Cell 1 August 2011 Estimated Hydrocarbon Recovery

| , , , | | , |
|---|-------------|----------|
| Parameter | Units | Quantity |
| Total ICE/CATOX Operating Time (August 3, 2010 - August 31, 2011) | hours | 6,082 |
| Overall ICE/CATOX Operational Time | % | 64.0 |
| Estimated Total Hydrocarbons Destroyed | pounds | 8,874 |
| Estimated Average Hydrocarbon Removal Rate | pounds/hour | 1.46 |

Cell 1 Cumulative Summary of Estimated Hydrocarbon Recovery

Table 2

Summary of Soil Gas Analytical Results Cell 1: Prototype AS/SVE System in Former Benzol Processing Area Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| | Sample ID Date | 8/11/2011 | 0/04/0011 |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|
| | | J,, _ J | 8/31/2011 |
| | Time | 10:40 | 11:00 |
| С | ilution Factor | 26240.69 | 9312.80 |
| Analyte | Units | | |
| TO-15 Volatile Organics | | | |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Acetone | ppb | < 130,000 U | < 47,000 U |
| Ethylbenzene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 2-Hexanone | ppb | < 13,000 U | < 4,700 U |
| Methylene Chloride | ppb | < 13,000 U | 18,000 |
| Benzene | ppb | 230,000 | 300,000 |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Tetrachloroethene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Toluene | ppb | 37,000 | 48,000 |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Trichloroethene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Vinyl Chloride | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| o-Xylene | ppb | < 5,200 U | 3,300 |
| m-Xylene & p-Xylene | ppb | 7,200 | 9,000 |
| 2-Butanone (MEK) | ppb | < 26,000 U | < 9,300 U |
| 4-Methyl-2-pentanone (MIBK) | ppb | < 13,000 U | < 4,700 U |
| Bromoform | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Carbon Disulfide | ppb | < 13,000 U | < 4,700 U |
| Carbon tetrachloride | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Chlorobenzene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Chloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Chloroform | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene | ppb | < 5,200 U | < 1,900 U |
| Total Volatile Organics | ppb | 274,200 | 378,300 |
| Hydrocarbons | | | |

Notes:

<Blank> = Not Measured

BOLD = Analyte detected

ppb = parts per billion

</U = Analyte not detected above corresponding laboratory reporting limit

Table 3Summary of Groundwater Analytical ResultsCell 1: Prototype AS/SVE System in Former Benzol Processing AreaFormer Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial MeasuresRG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| 5 | Sample ID | CO02-PZM006 | CO18-PZM006 | BP-MW-09 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Date | 8/4/2011 | 8/4/2011 | 8/4/2011 |
| | Time | 11:15 | 10:30 | 15:17 |
| Analyte | Units | | | |
| Water Quality Parameters | | | | |
| Temperature | deg C | 20.56 | 27.79 | 18.95 |
| рН | std units | 7.91 | 6.78 | 11.41 |
| ORP | mV | | -53 | -371 |
| Conductivity | mS/cm | 1.86 | 3.02 | 2.06 |
| Turbidity | NTU | 221 | 217 | 202 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | mg/L | 4.41 | 0.93 | 0.00 |
| Volatile Organics | | | | |
| Vinyl Chloride | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Chloroethane | µg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Acetone | μg/L | < 120,000 U | < 120,000 U | < 120,000 U |
| Carbon Disulfide | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Methylene Chloride | μg/L | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 2-Butanone (MEK) | μg/L | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U |
| Chloroform | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Benzene | μg/L | 600,000 | 240,000 | 220,000 |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Trichloroethene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (MIBK) | μg/L | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 5,000 | < 5,000 | < 5,000 |
| Toluene | μg/L | 52,000 | 35,000 | 56,000 |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 2-Hexanone (MBK) | μg/L | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U | < 25,000 U |
| Tetrachloroethene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Chlorobenzene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Ethylbenzene | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Bromoform | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U | < 5,000 U |
| Total Xylenes | μg/L | < 15,000 U | < 15,000 U | 36,000 |
| Total Volatile Organics | μg/L | 652,000 | 275,000 | 312,000 |

Notes:

-- = Not Measured

Bold = Analyte Detected

deg C = degrees Celcius

mg/L =Milligram per liter

mS/cm = Microsiements per Centimeter

mV = Millivolts

NA = Standard not available or not currently established

NTU = Nephelometric Turbidity Units

ORP = Oxidation Reduction Potential

std units = standard units

</U = Analyte not detected above corresponding laboratory reporting limit

 $\mu g/L = Micrograms per liter$

Table 4 Summary of Operating Conditions Cell 3: AS/SVE System in the "Cove" Area Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

Cell 3 August 2011 Estimated Hydrocarbon Recovery

| Parameter | Units | Quantity |
|---|-------------|--------------|
| Total CATOX Operating Time (August 1 - August 31, 2011) | hours | 718 |
| Overall CATOX Operational Time | % | 96.5 |
| Estimated Total Hydrocarbons Destroyed | pounds | 104 |
| Estimated Hydrocarbon Removal Rate | pounds/hour | 0.06 to 0.16 |

| Parameter | Units | Quantity |
|--|-------------|----------|
| Total ICE/CATOX Operating Time (June 24, 2011 - August 31, 2011) | hours | 1,455 |
| Overall ICE/CATOX Operational Time | % | 89.0 |
| Estimated Total Hydrocarbons Destroyed | pounds | 187 |
| Estimated Hydrocarbon Removal Rate | pounds/hour | 0.13 |

Cell 3 Cumulative Summary of Estimated Hydrocarbon Recovery

Table 5Summary of Soil Gas Analytical ResultsCell 3: AS/SVE System in the "Cove" AreaFormer Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial MeasuresRG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| | CATOX Influent | CATOX Influent | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|--|
| | 8/11/2011 | 8/31/2011 | | |
| | Time | | 10:30 | |
| C | ilution Factor | 1917.33 | 10211.13 | |
| Analyte | Units | | | |
| TO-15 Volatile Organics | | | | |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Acetone | ppb | < 9,600 U | < 51,000 U | |
| Ethylbenzene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 2-Hexanone | ppb | < 380 U | < 5,100 U | |
| Methylene Chloride | ppb | 1,400 | < 5,100 U | |
| Benzene | ppb | 20,000 | 90,000 | |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Tetrachloroethene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Toluene | ppb | 1,500 | 5,100 | |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Trichloroethene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Vinyl Chloride | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| o-Xylene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| m-Xylene & p-Xylene | ppb | 430 | < 2,000 U | |
| 2-Butanone (MEK) | ppb | < 1,900 U | < 10,000 U | |
| 4-Methyl-2-pentanone (MIBK) | ppb | < 960 U | < 5,100 U | |
| Bromoform | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Carbon Disulfide | ppb | < 380 U | < 5,100 U | |
| Carbon tetrachloride | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Chlorobenzene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Chloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Chloroform | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene | ppb | < 380 U | < 2,000 U | |
| Total Volatile Organics | ppb | 23,330 | 95,100 | |
| Hydrocarbons | | | | |
| | | | | |

Notes:

[1] Laboratory error - cross-contamination of Methylene Chloride

(laboratory cleaning agent)

<Blank> = Not Measured

BOLD = Analyte detected

ppb = parts per billion

</U = Analyte not detected above corresponding laboratory reporting limit

Table 3Summary of Groundwater Analytical ResultsCell 3: AS/SVE System in the "Cove" AreaFormer Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial MeasuresRG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| | Sample ID | CO30-PZM015 | MW-CELL 3-1 | MW-CELL 3-2 | MW-CELL 3-3 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Date | 8/3/2011 | 8/3/2011 | 8/3/2011 | 8/3/2011 |
| Analyte | Units | | | | |
| Water Quality Parameters | | | | | |
| Temperature | deg C | 18.95 | 18.30 | 18.05 | 19.14 |
| рН | std units | 12.26 | 12.15 | 12.82 | 12.52 |
| ORP | mV | -308 | -335 | -311 | -334 |
| Conductivity | mS/cm | 3.11 | 3.16 | 2.45 | 4.97 |
| Turbidity | NTU | 167 | 222 | 304 | 229 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | mg/L | 0.00 | 4.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Volatile Organics | | | | | |
| Vinyl Chloride | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Chloroethane | µg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene | µg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Acetone | μg/L | < 25,000 U | < 2,500 U | < 2,500 U | < 25,000 U |
| Carbon Disulfide | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Methylene Chloride | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 500 U | < 500 U | < 5,000 U |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 2-Butanone (MEK) | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 500 U | < 500 U | < 5,000 U |
| Chloroform | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Benzene | μg/L | 58,000 | 17,000 | 22,000 | 34,000 |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Trichloroethene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (MIBK) | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 500 U | < 500 U | < 5,000 U |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Toluene | μg/L | 4,200 | 1,600 | 2,000 | 2,900 |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 2-Hexanone (MBK) | μg/L | < 5,000 U | < 500 U | < 500 U | < 5,000 U |
| Tetrachloroethene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Chlorobenzene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Ethylbenzene | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Bromoform | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 1,000 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 1,000 U |
| Xylenes, Total | μg/L | < 3,000 U | 480 | 540 | < 3,000 U |
| Total Volatile Organics | μg/L | 62,200 | 19,080 | 24,540 | 36,900 |

Notes:

-- = Not Measured

Bold = Analyte Detected

deg C = degrees Celcius

mg/L =Milligram per liter

mS/cm = Microsiements per Centimeter

mV = Millivolts

NA = Standard not available or not currently established

NTU = Nephelometric Turbidity Units

ORP = Oxidation Reduction Potential

std units = standard units

</U = Analyte not detected above corresponding laboratory reporting limit

 μ g/L = Micrograms per liter

Table 7Summary of Groundwater Analytical ResultsCell 4: In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-Treatment AreaFormer Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial MeasuresRG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| | Sample ID | OBS-6 | OBS-8 | EXT-2 | AS-2 | Cell 4-3 | Cell 4-4 | Cell 4-5 | Cell 4-6 | Cell 4-7 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Date | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/04/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 |
| | Units | | | | | | | | | |
| Water Quality Parameters | | - | • | | • | • | • | | | |
| Temperature | deg C | 18.31 | 17.94 | 18.52 | 17.56 | 18.37 | 17.80 | 11.74 | 17.95 | 18.40 |
| рН | std units | 12.17 | 11.80 | 11.81 | 11.24 | 11.27 | 11.70 | 11.80 | 12.17 | 12.31 |
| ORP | mV | -224 | -300 | -329.0 | -300 | -402 | -283 | -295 | -250 | -281 |
| Conductivity | mS/cm | 2.940 | 2.070 | 2.600 | 3.570 | 2.010 | 1.910 | 2.340 | 3.350 | 4.180 |
| Turbidity | NTU | 231 | 268 | 198 | 345 | 201 | 197 | 181 | 232 | 258 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | mg/L | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Field Sampling | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nitrate | mg/L | | | | | | | | | |
| Sulfate | mg/L | | | | | | | | | |
| Volatile Organics | | | | | | | | | | |
| Vinyl Chloride | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Chloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Acetone | μg/L | < 2,500 U |
| Carbon Disulfide | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Methylene Chloride | μg/L | < 500 U |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 2-Butanone (MEK) | μg/L | < 500 U |
| Chloroform | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Benzene | μg/L | 1,000 | 830 | 700 | 7,500 | 780 | 970 | 1,100 | 880 | 1,700 |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Trichloroethene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (MIBK) | μg/L | < 500 U |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Toluene | μg/L | 810 | 560 | 490 | 5,500 | 610 | 650 | 840 | 720 | 1,200 |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 2-Hexanone (MBK) | μg/L | < 500 U |
| Tetrachloroethene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Chlorobenzene | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |
| Ethylbenzene | μg/L | < 100 U | < 100 U | < 100 U | 120 | < 100 U |
| Bromoform | μg/L | < 100 U |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | μg/L | < 100 U |

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| | Sample ID | OBS-6 | OBS-8 | EXT-2 | AS-2 | Cell 4-3 | Cell 4-4 | Cell 4-5 | Cell 4-6 | Cell 4-7 |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Date | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/04/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 | 08/05/11 |
| | Units | | | | | | | | | |
| Xylenes, Total | μg/L | 910 | 760 | 800 | 3,400 | 760 | 880 | 1,000 | 820 | 1,800 |
| Naphthalene | μg/L | 17,000 | 7,300 | 12,000 | 15,000 | 8,600 | 7,400 | 12,000 | 8,400 | 21,000 |
| Total Volatile Organics | μg/L | 19,720 | 9,450 | 13,990 | 31,520 | 10,750 | 9,900 | 14,940 | 10,820 | 25,700 |
| Microbiology | | | | | | | | | | |
| Heterotrophic Plate Count | CFU/ml | | | 1,100 | | | < 1.0 U | | < 1.0 U | |
| Wet Chemistry | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ferric Iron | mg/L | < 0.015 U |
| Ferrous Iron | mg/L | 1.3 | 0.60 | 0.47 | 1.1 | < 0.010 U | 0.47 | 0.47 | 0.31 | 0.81 |
| Nitrite-N | mg/L | 0.29 | 0.034 | 0.028 | 0.13 | < 0.012 U | 0.044 | 0.031 | 0.035 | 0.17 |
| Nitrate-N | mg/L | < 0.050 U |
| Nitrate/Nitrite-N | mg/L | < 0.050 U | < 0.050 U | < 0.050 U | 0.052 | < 0.050 U | < 0.050 U | < 0.050 U | < 0.050 U | 0.17 |
| Orthophosphate as P | mg/L | < 0.010 U | 0.011 | < 0.010 U | 0.019 | < 0.010 U | 0.015 | 0.043 | 0.082 | 0.012 |
| Sulfate as SO4 | mg/L | 210 | 370 | 450 | 1,500 | 470 | 400 | 440 | 300 | 540 |
| Sulfite as SO3 | mg/L | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen | mg/L | 16 | 29 | 74 | 310 | 57 | < 1.0 U | 36 | 28 | 52 |
| Metals | | - | - | - | ÷ | | | - | - | - |
| Iron, Total | mg/L | 0.31 | 0.59 | 0.27 | 0.66 | 0.22 | 0.44 | 0.35 | 0.19 | 0.41 |

Notes:

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deg C = degrees Celcius

E = Exceeds Instrument Calibration

mg/L =Milligram per liter

mS/cm = Microsiements per Centimeter

mV = Millivolts

NA = Standard not available or not currently established

NTU = Nephelometric Turbidity Units

ORP = Oxidation Reduction Potential

std units = standard units

 $<\!\!/U$ = Analyte not detected above corresponding laboratory reporting limit

µg/L = Micrograms per liter

Table 8 LNAPL Occurrence and Recovery Cell 6: LNAPL Recovery System in Former Benzol Processing Area Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| Well | LNAPL Occurrence During August 2011 (ft) | | ice | Total LNAPL R | LNAPL Rec | ive Total overed thru 31, 2011 | LNAPL Recovered During August 2011 | | | |
|-------------|---|------|--------|---------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|----------|-----|
| | | | 1 (ft) | Begin | End | (gal) | (lbs) (a) | (gal) | (lbs) (a | a) |
| BP-MW-05 | 0.72 | to | 1.21 | 28-Jan-10 | On-going (b) | 5,125 | 37,552 | 96 | 703 | |
| RW-04 | 0.31 | to | 2.55 | 23-Jul-10 | On-going (b) | 597 | 4,371 | 93 | 678 | |
| BP-MW-08 | 0.32 | to | 3.62 | 8-Sep-10 | On-going (b) | 224 | 1,640 | -4.8 | -35 | (d) |
| BP-MW-11 | 0.16 | to | 0.50 | 23-Jul-10 | 8-Sep-10 | 7.8 | 57 | 0 | 0 | |
| RW-01 | 0.01 | to | 0.44 | 28-Oct-10 | On-going (c) | 1.3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | |
| RW-03 | 0.03 | to | 0.53 | 11/24/2010 | On-going (c) | 4.0 | 29 | 0 | 0 | |
| RW-02 | 0.01 | to | 0.17 | 1/28/2011 | On-going (c) | 0.8 | 5 | 0 | 0 | |
| BP-MW-10 | 0.09 | to | 0.31 | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| BP-MW-07 | 0.00 | to | 0.01 | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| RW-05 | | none | | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| BP-MW-06 | none | | | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| BP-MW-09 | none | | | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| CO19-PZM004 | none | | | na | na | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | | Total Recovery: | 5,959 | 43,664 | 184 | 1,346 | |

Notes:

(a) Weight is calculated based on average BP-MW-05 and BP-MW-08 oil density of 0.878 grams per cubic centimeter, measured by EA (2009) by ASTM method D1481.

(b) Skimmer

(c) Bailing

(d) Tank measurement variability

Table 9

Depths (feet) to Water and LNAPL Cell 6: LNAPL Recovery System in Former Benzol Processing Area Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC

| | | RW-01 | | | RW-02 | | RW-03 | | | | | |
|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Date | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | | | |
| | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | | | |
| 8/4/2011 | 11.44 | 11.88 | 0.44 | 11.74 | 11.91 | 0.17 | 9.45 | 9.76 | 0.31 | | | |
| 8/11/2011 | 11.43 | 11.61 | 0.18 | 11.77 | 11.91 | 0.14 | 9.50 | 9.81 | 0.31 | | | |
| 8/17/2011 | 10.50 | 10.77 | 0.27 | 11.06 | 11.21 | 0.15 | 8.77 | 9.30 | 0.53 | | | |
| 8/31/2011 | 9.35 | 9.45 | 0.10 | 9.69 | 9.79 | 0.10 | 7.62 | 7.65 | 0.03 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | RW-04 | | | BP-MW-05 | | | BP-MW-07 | | | | | |
| Date | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | | | |
| | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | | | |
| 8/4/2011 | 9.80 | 10.11 | 0.31 | 11.19 | 12.30 | 1.11 | 11.04 | 11.05 | 0.01 | | | |
| 8/11/2011 | 9.80 | 10.32 | 0.52 | 11.21 | 11.93 | 0.72 | 11.11 | 11.12 | 0.01 | | | |
| 8/17/2011 | 9.02 | 9.73 | 0.71 | 10.60 | 11.25 | 0.65 | 10.41 | 10.41 | 0.00 | | | |
| 8/31/2011 | 6.20 | 8.75 | 2.55 | 9.34 | 10.55 | 1.21 | 9.22 | 9.22 | 0.00 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | BP-MW-08 | | | BP-MW-10 | | | BP-MW-11 | | | | | |
| Date | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | Depth to | Depth to | LNAPL | | | |
| | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | LNAPL | Water | Thickness | | | |
| 8/4/2011 | 12.25 | 12.65 | 0.40 | 8.63 | 8.94 | 0.31 | 11.26 | 11.76 | 0.50 | | | |
| 8/11/2011 | 12.26 | 12.58 | 0.32 | 8.74 | 8.98 | 0.24 | 11.35 | 11.85 | 0.50 | | | |
| 8/17/2011 | 11.56 | 12.03 | 0.47 | 7.15 | 7.26 | 0.11 | 10.25 | 10.75 | 0.50 | | | |
| 8/31/2011 | 9.11 | 12.73 | 3.62 | 6.90 | 6.99 | 0.09 | 9.33 | 9.49 | 0.16 | | | |

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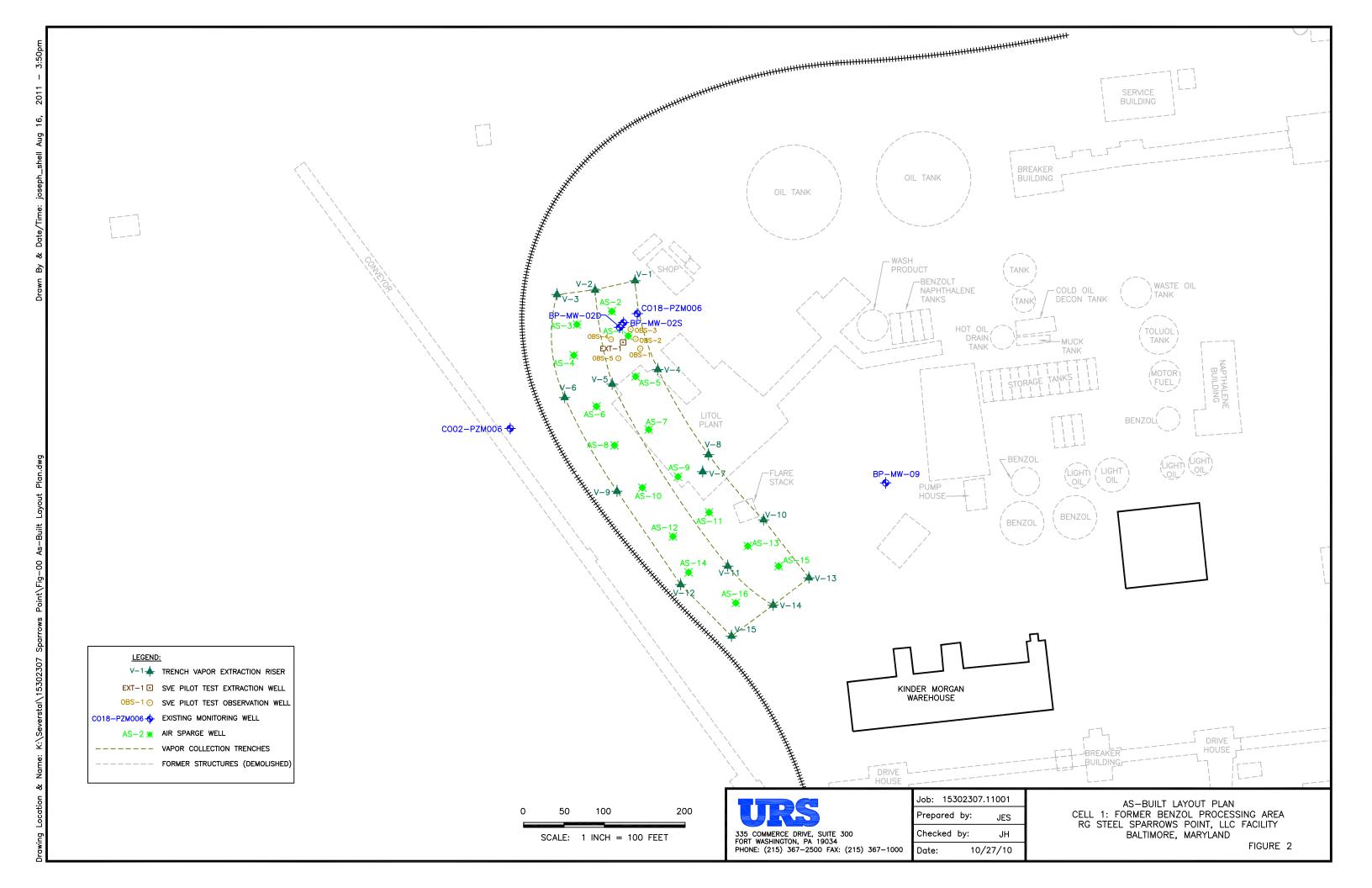
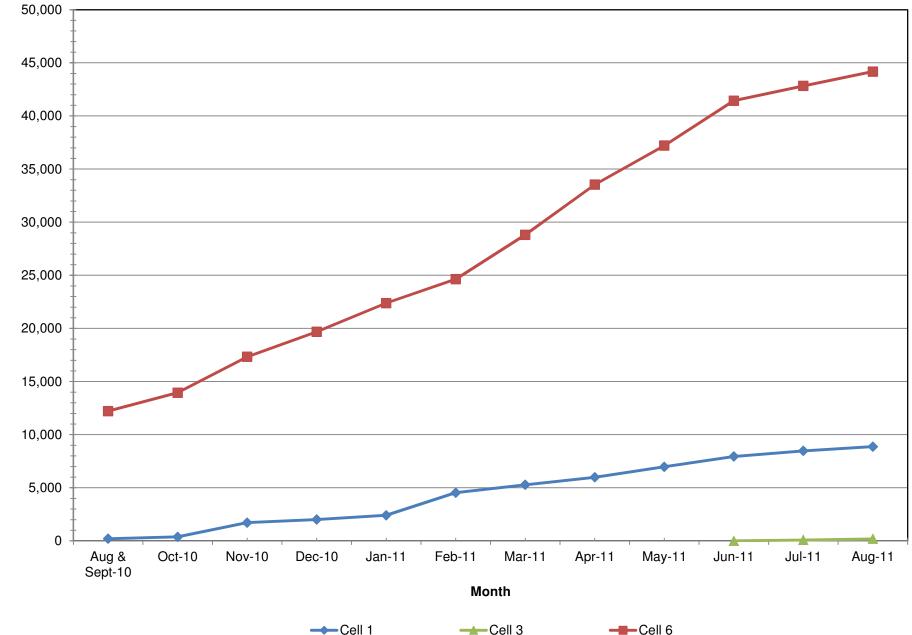
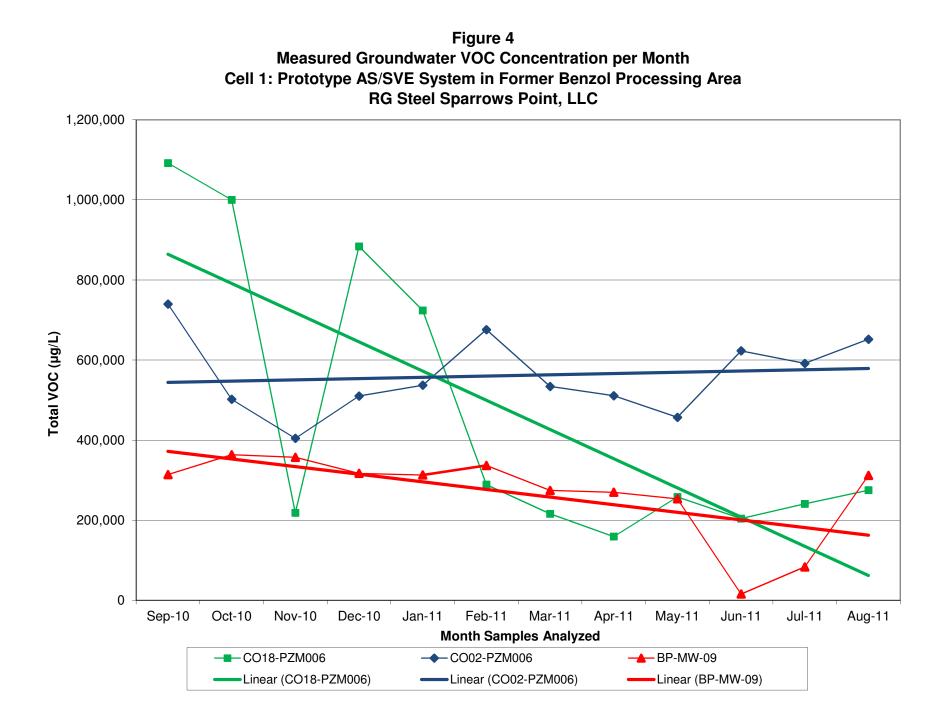
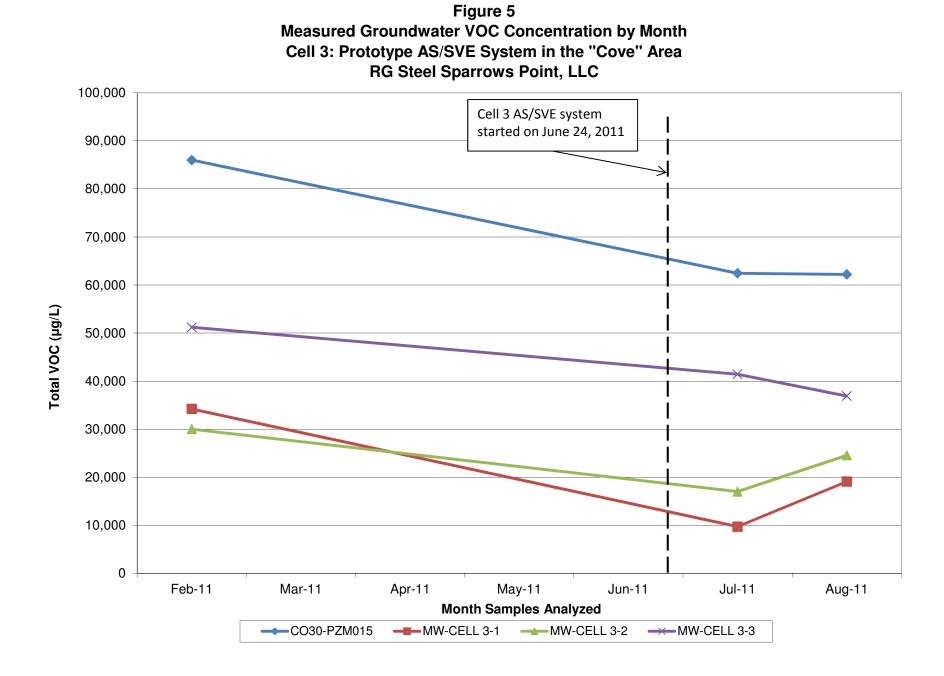


Figure 3 Cumulative Summary of Estimated Hydrocarbon Recovery Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC



Hydrocarbon Recovery (Ibs)





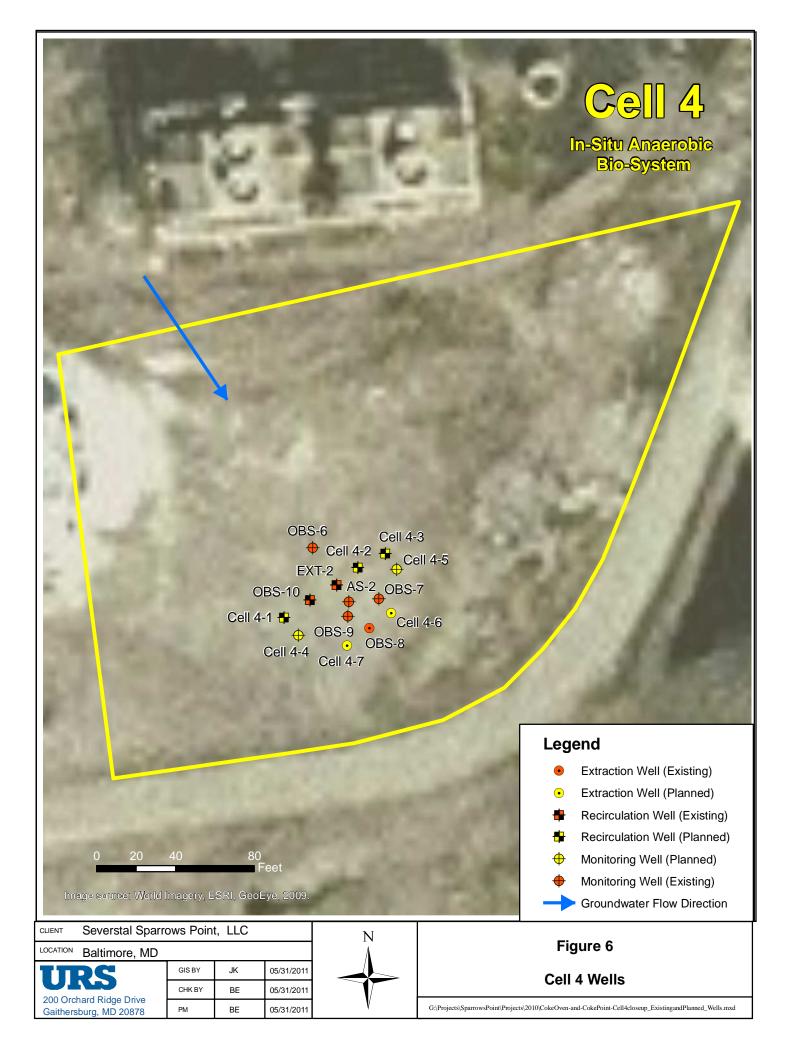
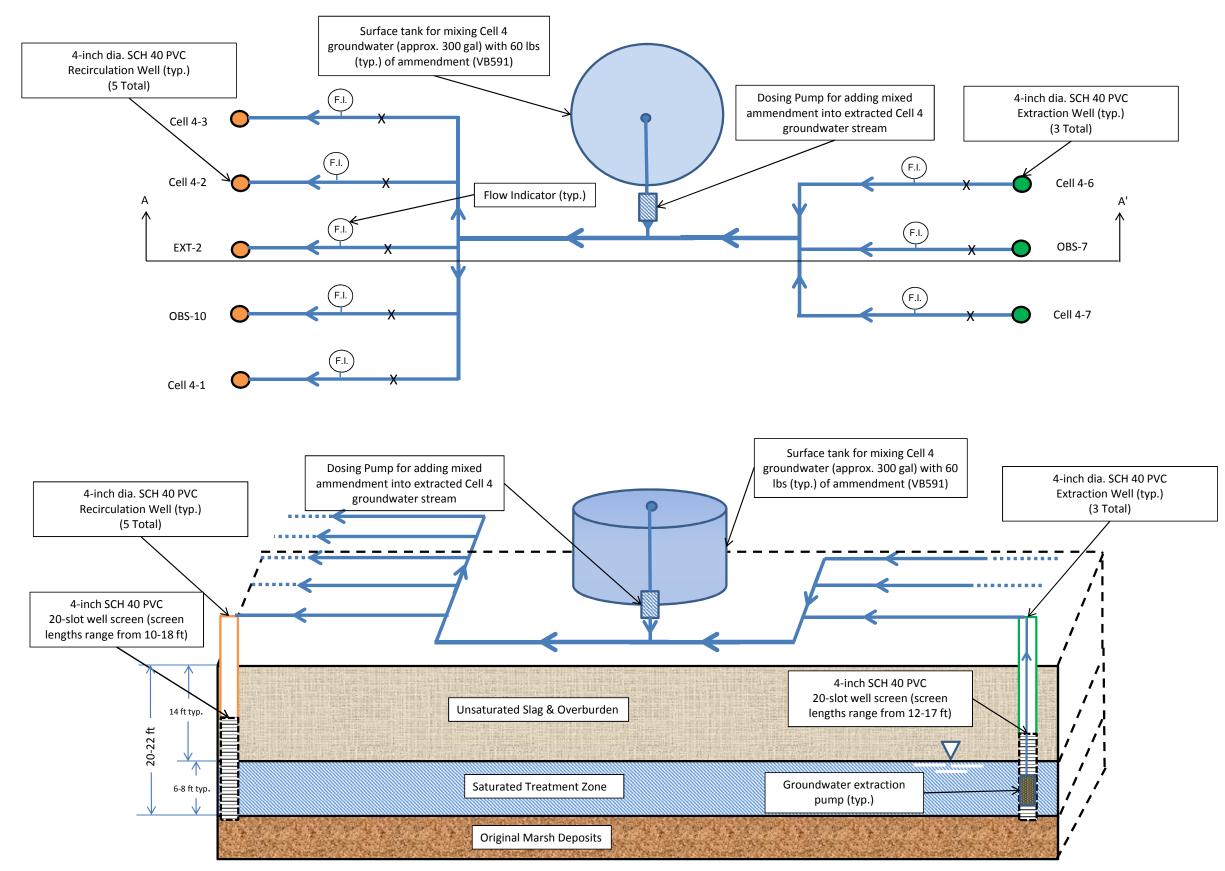
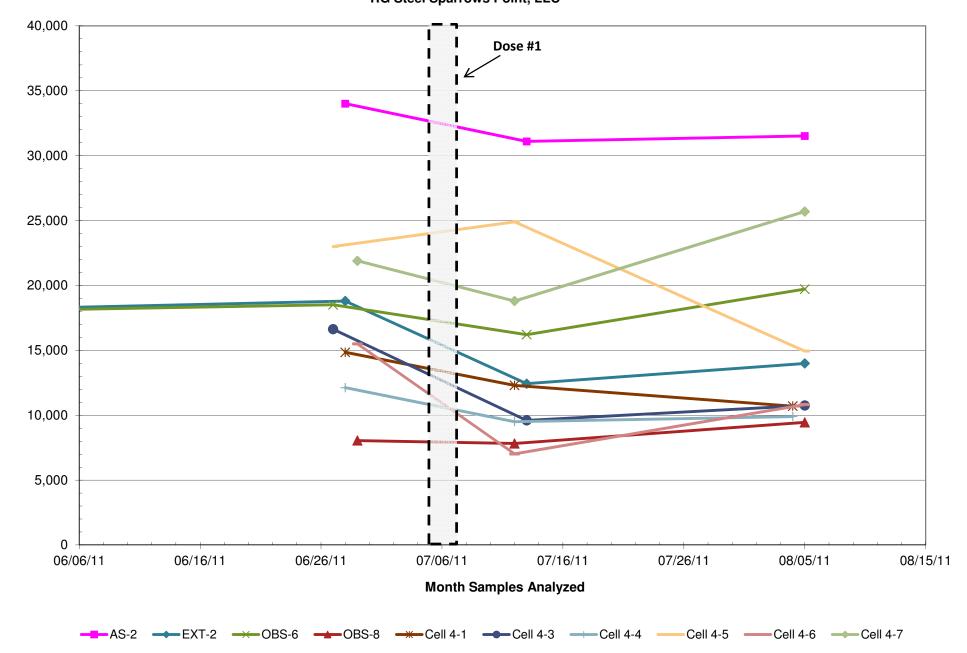


Figure 7 Schematic Layout and Sections Cell 4 In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-Treatment System Former Coke Oven Area Interim Remedial Measures RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC



Section A-A' (not to scale)

Figure 8 Measured Groundwater VOC Concentration per Month Cell 4: In-Situ Anaerobic Bio-Treatment Area RG Steel Sparrows Point, LLC



Total VOC (µg/L)

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