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Dear Community Member,

We invite you to fill out and return the enclosed Community Survey about the **Former Pomona Manufactured Gas Plant (MPG)** site located at 148 North Huntington Street, Pomona, CA 91766. The Department of Toxic Substances Control needs your feedback to determine the best way to keep you informed, and to plan future outreach efforts.



Who is the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) and what do we do?

DTSC is part of the California Environmental Protection Agency (CAL EPA). We regulate the storage and handling of hazardous waste materials and oversee cleanup projects. DTSC will ensure that corrective action at the **Former Pomona Manufactured Gas Plant (MPG)** (Site) will be protective of human health and the environment.

Site History

The former MGP site is located at 148 North Huntington Street, Pomona, California. This site covers approximately 1.3 acres of land. From 1887 until 1917, coal gas and oil gas plant operated at site. The site believed to have been converted to a natural gas storage and distribution facility during 1917. It remained in operation as natural gas storage and distribution facility until 1955. The City of Pomona Water Department has utilized the site as a corporate yard and operating base since 1955.

Contaminates:

The COCs (Chemicals of Concern) are Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs), metals, Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) and Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)

Site Cleanup Status:

A Voluntary Cleanup Agreement (VCA) was signed in July 2001 to investigate and if needed, remediate the site. Soil sampling was completed in 2004. PAHs contamination extended through most of the site to a maximum depth of 30 feet.

A Draft Removal Action Workplan (RAW) for the former Pomona Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) Site is being developed at this time. The objective of the RAW is to remove soils with chemicals of concern (COCs) that exceed unrestricted residential use levels, which will be protective of future intrusive workers and future site occupants. The Site is currently used by the City of Pomona as a maintenance yard and will continue to be used as such after remediation has been completed.

Thank you for filling out our survey. Please use the self-addressed envelope and **return by July 7, 2017.**

Surveys may also be **mailed** to:
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DTSC Public Participation Specialist
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For more information please contact:
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Please return your complete survey, Thank you

Community Survey

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances by restoring contaminated resources, enforcing hazardous waste laws, reducing hazardous waste generation, and encouraging the manufacture of chemically safer products.

Former Pomona Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP)

Please return the Community Survey **by July 14, 2017**, to Elsa Lopez using the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

1. Please mark your current knowledge about this Facility

- I do not know anything about this Facility.
- I have heard about this Facility
- I know a lot about this Facility.

2. Please mark your interest in this Facility.

- I have no interest.
- I have some interest.
- I am very interested.

3. Please mark your willingness to attend a meeting regarding this Facility.

- I would not attend a meeting.
- I would attend a meeting.

4. Do you have a language preference for receiving information about this Facility?

- English
- Spanish
- Other _____

5. If we want to tell you more about this Facility. What is the best way to give you information?

- Printed material and/or letters.
- E-mail: _____
- On DTSC Web Site
- By newspaper. _____
- By radio. _____
- Community meetings.
When is the best time for you to attend?
 Weekdays (9 am- 5 pm)
 Weeknights (5pm or later)
 Saturdays

6. We sometimes need to talk with community members to learn more. Would you be willing to talk with us?

- No
- Yes - How may we contact you?

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone number _____

Email _____

7. Do you know of anyone we should contact?

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

8. List any concerns about this facility:

If you have questions regarding this Site, please contact us.
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