

Department of Toxic Substances Control
Project Status Update
for
Wyle Laboratories Norco Facility Site
November 28, 2005

SITE INVESTIGATION/CLEANUP

- We are preparing a response letter to Wyle, reiterating our requirement that they take measures to reduce the trace levels of vinyl chloride in some of the classrooms in the Science Building at Norco High School. In response to our first letter, Wyle had proposed doing more investigation instead of taking immediate mitigation measures. Wyle has already agreed to our requirement for them to continue monitoring indoor air, soil gas, and groundwater at the High School on a regular basis.
- Workers are continuing to install the piping for the soil vapor extraction wells on Golden West Lane. The piping connects the wells with the vacuum unit, which will be installed on the Wyle property. The cleanup system will use a vacuum unit to pull chemical vapors from the soil near the southern end of Golden West Lane. These vapors come from contaminated groundwater that has moved offsite from Wyle. The chemical vapors will be put through carbon filters and the cleaned air will be discharged into the open. The vacuum unit will be installed on the Wyle property within the next few weeks.

Ongoing Remedial Investigation activities:

Last week

Onsite:

- Installed GORE modules for passive soil gas sampling in Area A.
- Continued grading, slab construction, and installation of piping for soil vapor extraction vacuum unit.

Offsite:

- Repaired landscaping at 2297 and 2270 Golden West Lane, where piping and extraction/monitoring wells were installed.

Sampling planned for this week

Onsite:

- Continue slab construction and installation of piping for soil vapor extraction vacuum unit.
- Measure water levels in onsite groundwater monitoring wells MW-14 and 15.

Offsite:

- Continue to repair landscaping at 2297 and 2270 Golden West Lane, where piping and extraction/monitoring wells were installed.
- Measure water levels in offsite groundwater monitoring wells MW-16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- No change from last week's update.