Project #18687



May 5, 2021

Mr. Thomas Wentland and Mr. Lee Delcore Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources 1155 Pilgrim Rd, PO Box 408 Plymouth, WI 53073-0408

RE: Scope of Work for Supplemental Site Investigation- PZ-03 Area Former Moss-American Facility, 8716 N. Granville Rd., Milwaukee, WI FID # 241378280

Dear Mr. Wentland and Mr. Delcore:

The Sigma Group, Inc. (Sigma) is pleased to present this Scope of Work for additional site investigation for the above-referenced property (hereinafter "the site"). This Scope of Work presents services and estimated costs to determine the degree and extent of soil and groundwater contamination identified through additional investigation performed in March 2021 in the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03.

BACKGROUND

Remedial activities were completed in the 1990s through 2000s, and in 2017 – 2018. Postremediation quarterly groundwater monitoring is being performed in fulfillment of the Scope of Work prepared by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) in August 2019 and the Work Plan prepared by Sigma in September 2019. Quarterly monitoring began in October 2019 and is scheduled to continue through the summer of 2021. Between 36 and 46 monitoring wells have been sampled each quarter for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, xylenes (BTEX), and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs). The sampling network overlaid on a historic aerial photograph base map is shown in **Figure 1**, and without an aerial base map in **Figure 2**.

Review of the quarterly groundwater monitoring data indicate contaminant concentrations within most of the monitoring wells are less than the limits of detection or at relatively low levels (less than the NR 140 Enforcement Standards [ESs] or Preventive Action Limits [PALs]). However, concentrations of naphthalene within three monitoring wells (MW-33S, PZ-02, and PZ-03) have been fluctuating or at persistently high concentrations. Concentrations of naphthalene within monitoring well PZ-03 has been found to exceed the NR 140 ES by a factor of 40, indicating the presence of contaminant mass (free phase product) in the vicinity. Concentrations of naphthalene within monitoring wells MW-33S and PZ-02 have fluctuated and exceeded the NR 140 PAL and ES. It is important to note that naphthalene is a fingerprint constituent of creosote historically used at the site.

Due to the high concentrations of naphthalene, additional investigation was proposed in December 2020 and completed in March 2021. A total of 26 soil borings were advanced, 39 soil samples were submitted for laboratory analysis, ten monitoring wells were installed, and ten groundwater samples were submitted for laboratory analysis. Results are detailed in a separate report (*Summary Report of Additional Site Investigation*, prepared by Sigma, May 4, 2021), and summarized on the attached **Figures 3** and **4**.

Results of the investigation in the vicinity of monitoring wells MW-33S and PZ-02 indicate impacted groundwater is limited in extent and that no free product was observed. Naphthalene impacts within soil are limited to four locations at concentrations slightly higher than the NR 720 groundwater pathway RCL. The naphthalene impacts within groundwater were identified at concentrations greater than the NR 140 PAL and ES but not indicative of free product.

In contrast, results of the investigation in the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03 indicate high concentrations of naphthalene in both soil and groundwater, and free product was observed. The highest concentration of naphthalene within soil was reported at 1230 mg/kg, or 50 times higher than the industrial direct contact RCL. The highest concentration of naphthalene within groundwater was reported at 4100 μ g/L, or 40 times higher than the NR 140 ES. Naphthalene impacts were identified based on soil sample results and the observed presence of free product at depths ranging from 7.5 to 13 feet bgs, with the highest concentrations detected at 8 to 10 feet bgs.

The degree and extent of naphthalene impacts within the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03 is well defined within soil in all directions except to the east-southeast, and is well defined within groundwater in all directions except to the east-southeast and to the north, as presented in **Figures 3** and **4**. Additional soil boring and monitoring well installation is required to define the extent of the free product to the east, and to determine whether naphthalene groundwater impacts extend to the north of monitoring well PZ-03. Due to the high concentrations of naphthalene identified in the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03, remedial action is required to meet the conditions of the EPA Record of Decision (ROD). The additional investigation will facilitate the development of appropriate remedial action options.

SCOPE OF WORK

Sigma proposes to conduct the following site investigation activities to determine the degree and extent of naphthalene impacts (specifically free product) in the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03.

<u>Soil Boring Installation</u> – Advance a total of eight direct-push soil borings with an ATVmounted hydraulic Geoprobe[®] rig at the approximate location shown in **Figure 5**. Seven direct-push soil borings will be installed to the east of monitoring well PZ-03E, and one direct-push soil boring will be installed to the north of monitoring well PZ-03B. Each soil boring will be installed to a depth of 15 feet below ground surface (bgs) and continuously

sampled. Final locations of the soil borings will be field determined based on visible presence of free product.

<u>Soil Sampling</u> – Collect soil samples continuously to the termination depth of each boring, visually inspect each sample for the presence of free product or an oily sheen, log samples in general accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System, and screen samples in the field with a calibrated photoionization detector (PID) to determine if volatile organic vapors are present. Collect two samples per boring for laboratory analysis based on visual inspection and/or elevated PID readings. Submit soil samples for laboratory analysis of BTEX and PAHs. For QA/QC purposes, one methanol blank sample will be analyzed for BTEX. Additionally, six samples will be submitted for laboratory analysis of gasoline range organics (GRO), diesel range organics (DRO), and total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) to facilitate the evaluation of the remedial action options.

<u>Monitoring Well Installation</u> – Install three NR 141-compliant monitoring wells at select locations of completed direct-push soil borings. Two monitoring wells will be installed at select soil borings to the east of monitoring well PZ-03E, and one monitoring wells will be installed to the north of monitoring well PZ-03B. The specific soil borings selected for monitoring wells east of monitoring well PZ-03B will be based on field assessment of PID readings or visual evidence of free product or an oily sheen.

The monitoring wells will be installed by over drilling the selected soil borings with an ATVmounted rotary drill rig and hollow stem augers. Each hollow stem auger soil boring will be drilled to a depth of 15 feet bgs. Each borehole will be completed as a NR 141-compliant groundwater monitoring well with a two-inch casing. The monitoring wells will be protected with stickup metal protective casings. The construction details of the monitoring wells will be documented on WDNR form 4400-113A.

<u>Monitoring Well Development</u> - Develop the three monitoring wells in accordance with NR 141 regulations to remove fine sediment from the bottom of the well casing and establish a hydraulic connection with the saturated soils surrounding the well screen. The well development activities will be documented on the prescribed WDNR form.

<u>Groundwater Sampling</u> – Groundwater sampling will be performed following existing project protocols. The three newly installed monitoring wells will be measured for in situ parameters, purged, allowed to equilibrate for 24 hours, and then sampled for BTEX and PAHs. For QA/QC purposes, one duplicate sample will be analyzed for BTEX and PAHs, one equipment blank and one trip blank will be analyzed for BTEX.

Groundwater elevations at representative monitoring wells on site will be measured to determine the groundwater flow direction across the site. The monitoring wells will be selected from both the existing (installed in 2019 or prior) network and the newly installed wells and will be measured on the same day.

<u>Survey</u> – The soil boring and monitoring well locations and elevations will be surveyed with a Trimble[®] R8 GPS unit for the preparation of environmental figures for project documentation and groundwater elevation assessment.

<u>Investigative Waste Disposal</u> – Soil and groundwater investigative waste will be drummed and staged on site for pick up by Veolia, Inc. under the existing project contract.

<u>Data Evaluation and Reporting</u> – Sigma will tabulate, compile, and evaluate the data from the additional site investigation to determine the degree and extent of naphthalene contamination (specifically free product) in the vicinity of monitoring well PZ-03. The results will be compiled in a report including a narrative of findings, data tables, figures, soil boring logs, monitoring well construction and development forms, soil boring abandonment forms, and laboratory analytical reports. The report will include remedial action options to address the residual naphthalene contamination associated with the free product.

ESTIMATED COSTS

The total estimated cost to complete the scope of work described above is detailed on **Table 1** and summarized as follows:

Soil boring and monitoring well installation (drilling subcontractor):	\$ 5,112
Laboratory fees:	\$ 3,350
Investigative Waste Disposal (Veolia):	\$ 6,369
In-field engineering services (oversight, sampling etc.):	\$ 12,020
Data evaluation and report preparation:	<u>\$ 11,160</u>

Total \$ 38,011

The estimated costs for the soil boring and monitoring well installation (subcontractor drilling and in-field engineering services) assumes that the drilling work takes two days to complete barring any inclement weather conditions. The fee for laboratory analysis assumes a normal (two week) turn around time. The cost estimate includes one round of groundwater sampling from the newly installed wells. Sigma's services will be billed on a time and materials basis and will not exceed the recommended budget without prior justification and authorization from WDNR.

PROJECT SCHEDULE

Sigma is prepared to begin work as soon as authorization is received. Due to the site complexities, Sigma will attempt to schedule the drilling during dry weather, and anticipates scheduling drilling in May. Typical laboratory turn around time is 14 days, and Sigma anticipates delivery of the investigation summary and remedial action options report approximately 6 to 8 weeks following receipt of laboratory reports.

We appreciate the opportunity to assist you with this project. Please call us at (414) 643-4200 if you have any questions about this proposal.

Sincerely,

THE SIGMA GROUP, INC.

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Attachments:

Figure 1	Monitoring Well Location Map on 1967 Historical Aerial Photo
Figure 2	Monitoring Well Location Map
Figure 3	Soil Quality Map – PZ-03 Area
Figure 4	Groundwater Quality Map
Figure 5	Proposed Soil Boring/Monitoring Well Map
Table 1	Estimated Costs







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SOIL QUALITY MAP PZ-03 AREA

MW-35S

FIGURE

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	3/2/21		
	6-8	8-10	
VOCs			
В	< 0.5	< 0.5	
E	1.36	2.8	
Т	< 0.5	0.54 J	
Х	1.98 J	3.84 J	
PAHs			
Anth	117	2.69	
B(a)a	{[26.2]}	[1.36]	
B(a)p	{[7.40] }	[0.35 J]	
B(b)f	[11.3]	0.56	
B(k)f	4.50	0.252 J	
Chrys	25.4	1.21	
Fluoran.	177	8.90	
Fluor.	163	7.70	
Indeno	[1.78 J]	<0.126	
Nap	{ [192] }	{[28.7] }	
Pyr.	120	6.10	

	GP-113			
	3/2	/21		
	6-8	8-10		
VOCs				
В	< 0.5	<0.5		
E	1.36	2.8		
Т	< 0.5	0.54 J		
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B(a)a	{[26.2] }	[1.36]		
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Indeno	[1.78 J]	<0.126		

	3/2	2/21
	8-10	10-12
VOCs		
В	<1.25	<0.5
E	8.0	1.06 J
Т	1.68 J	< 0.5
Х	13.8	1.80 J
PAHs		
Anth	217	49.0
B(a)a	{[116]}	{[23.7] }
B(a)p	{[32.0] }	{[6.60] }
B(b)f	{[50.0] }	[9.40]
B(k)f	[17.8]	4.70
Chrys	103	22.2
Fluoran.	760	158
Fluor.	650	137
Indeno	[7.90 J]	[1.76 J]
Nap	{[1230] }	{[276] }
Pvr.	520	108

GP_111

GP-103				
	3/1	3/1/21		
	8-10	10-12		
VOCs				
В	< 0.025	< 0.025		
E	< 0.025	< 0.025		
Т	< 0.025	< 0.025		
Х	< 0.075	< 0.075		
PAHs				
Anth	0.0108 J	0.033		
B(a)a	< 0.0158	0.0252 J		
B(a)p	< 0.0142	< 0.0142		
B(b)f	< 0.0099	0.0122 J		
B(k)f	< 0.0091	< 0.0091		
Chrys	< 0.0124	0.0175 J		
Fluoran.	0.0313 J	0.12		
Fluor.	0.228	0.45		
Indeno	< 0.0126	< 0.0126		
Nap	0.191	0.33		
Dvr	0.0222.1	0.085		

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	GP-105	
	3/1	1/21
	6-8	8-10
Cs		
	< 0.025	< 0.025
	< 0.025	< 0.025
	< 0.025	< 0.025
	< 0.075	< 0.075
Hs		
h	< 0.0073	< 0.0073
)a	< 0.0158	< 0.0158
)p	< 0.0142	< 0.0142
)f	< 0.0099	< 0.0099
)f	< 0.0091	< 0.0091
ys	< 0.0124	< 0.0124
oran.	< 0.0091	0.094
or.	< 0.0094	0.086
eno	< 0.0126	< 0.0126
)	< 0.0096	0.0302 J
	< 0.0091	0.065

CP 110		
010/04		
3/2/21		
	8-10	
VOCs		
В	< 0.025	
E	< 0.025	
Т	< 0.025	
х	<0.075	
PAHs		
Anth	< 0.0073	
B(a)a	<0.0158	
B(a)p	< 0.0142	
B(b)f	< 0.0099	
B(k)f	< 0.0091	
Chrys	< 0.0124	
Fluoran.	< 0.0091	
Fluor.	< 0.0094	
Indeno	< 0.0126	
Nap	0.046	
Pyr.	< 0.0091	

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TABLE 1Cost Estimate for Additional Site Investigation
(Vicinity of PZ-03)Former Moss American Facility
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TASKS AND DETAILS TOTALS **Engineering Services** (Drilling coordination, installation oversight, surveying, sampling and project mgt.) 8 GP, 3 MW Installation Oversight (2 days in-field) KK- QC 2 hrs @ \$150 /hr \$300 MI 8 hrs @ \$150 /hr \$1,200 16 hrs @ ASL- coord, some field time \$90 /hr \$1,440 \$2,000 Staff- field 25 hrs @ \$80 /hr Staff- prep, logs, notes 20 hrs @ \$90 /hr \$1,800 Work truck mileage (34 mi/trip) 100 miles \$0.75 /mile \$75 PID 2 days \$70 /day \$140 \$100 /day GPS Survey unit 1 days \$100 50 pairs \$25 Gloves \$0.50 /pair Ziploc Bags 100 each \$0.25 /each \$25 subtotal \$7,105 Well Development and 1 Round of Sampling 2 hrs @ KK- QC \$165 /hr \$330 MI 4 hrs @ \$150 /hr \$600 ASL 8 hrs @ \$90 /hr \$720 Field tech - well dev 12 hrs @ \$75 /hr \$900 Field tech - water level measure 8 hrs @ \$75 /hr \$600 Field tech - well sampling 10 hrs @ \$75 /hr \$750 Work truck mileage 100 miles \$0.75 /mile \$75 WLI \$25 /day 4 days \$100 Bailer 6 bailers \$15 /each \$90 **Peristaltic Pump** 3 days \$50 /day \$150 Tubing 2 est \$25 /day \$50 ph, redox, DO meters 1 days \$100 /day \$100 **Turbidity meter** \$50 /day 1 days \$50 Hach kits 3 wells \$5 /each \$15 Drums 7 drums \$55 /each \$385 \$12,020.00 subtotal \$4,915 **Subcontractor Drilling Services** Drilling Services (8 GPs to 15'; 3 MWs to 15') Mobilization - GPs 1 each @ \$750 / each \$750 **Geoprobe Drilling** 120 feet @ \$7 / foot \$840 **Borehole Abandonment** 75 feet @ \$1.50 / foot \$113 HSA Drilling 45 feet @ \$18 / foot \$810 NR 141-compliant Well Installation 45 feet @ \$18 / foot \$810 Well Protectors 3 each @ \$200 / each \$600 Decon 2 days @ \$250 / day \$500 3 each @ \$75 / each \$225 Drums - soil \$465 Contingency 10 % subtotal \$5,112 \$5,112.25 **Subcontractor Laboratory Services** Laboratory Services (Soil - Synergy) BTEX 17 @ \$25 /sample \$425 PAHs 17 @ \$65 /sample \$1,105 MeOH blank \$25 /sample 1@ \$25 DRO 6@ \$25 /sample \$150 \$25 /sample GRO \$150 6@

\$100 /sample

\$25 /sample

\$65 /sample

\$25 /sample

subtotal

subtotal

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10 %

10 %

Investigative Waste Disposal

Laboratory Services (GW -Synergy) - 1 events

TPH

BTEX

PAHs

Equip, trip

Contingency

Contingency

ASL	8 hrs @	\$90 /hr	\$720	
Veolia - soil	3@	\$170 /drum	\$510	
Veolia - groundwater (plus mob etc)	12 @	\$380 /drum	\$4,560	
Mark up	10 %		\$579	
		subt	otal \$6,369	\$6,369.00

Summary Report, Data Evaluation, and Remedial Action Options Report



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\$600

\$246

\$150 \$390

> \$50 \$59

\$649

\$3,349.50

\$2,701