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**Subject:** Clare Central Site Restoration and Sampling Update  
**Attachments:** TABLE 2 - GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS.xlsx; Figure 7 - TCE Groundwater Isoconcentration Map (January 2023).pdf

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Hi Adam:

As you know GZA conducted remedial activities from August to November 2022 at the Clare Central property located at 1003/1033 W. Atkinson Avenue in the City of Milwaukee. A total of 1679 tons of contaminated soil was removed from the site and the resulting excavation was backfilled. A passive vapor mitigation system was also installed. We provided a project update to you on February 3, 2023. The BRRTs number for the Site is: **02-41-549867**.

GZA has recently been coordinating the remaining site restoration activities with the contractors. These activities include final concrete and asphalt for the parking lot and alley, landscaping, and installation of a new dumpster containment system. We will also be conducting the next round of post-remedial groundwater and indoor air sampling this coming week.

You may know that GZA and our team observed and/or was exposed to several dangerous incidents at the site last year that involved gun use and unauthorized site access. More recently, GZA was made aware of a number of serious safety incidents that occurred on the property since the completion of our remedial activities. We value the safety of our employees and want to reduce the potential risks associated with our on-site activity.

With the safety of personnel in mind, beginning this week GZA will reduce the number of wells for post remediation groundwater monitoring from 11 to 2. The wells proposed for sampling include MW-2 and MW-4R, which are the only two wells with detectable concentrations of CVOCs since 2011. The remaining wells (MW-1, MW-3, MW-5, MW-6, MW-7, MW-8, MW-9, MW-10, and MW-11) have been sampled between 4 and 6 times since 2011. The sampling events spanned the winter, summer, and spring months. In each sampling event the concentrations of CVOCs were non-detect.

A summary of the analytical data and well location map are attached. Sampling 2 wells instead of 11 greatly reduces the time spent on Site, reduces the need to sample the wells on 11<sup>th</sup> street which receives a lot of activity near the only local liquor store, and does not hinder our post remediation monitoring because we will still be monitoring the impacted wells.

A construction completion and post-remediation sampling report is currently under preparation. The report will be forwarded to you upon receipt of the analytical results from the groundwater and vapor sampling conducted this coming week.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. Should you have any questions regarding the proposed groundwater strategy, please feel free to contact me.

Regards,

**James F. Drought, P.H.**  
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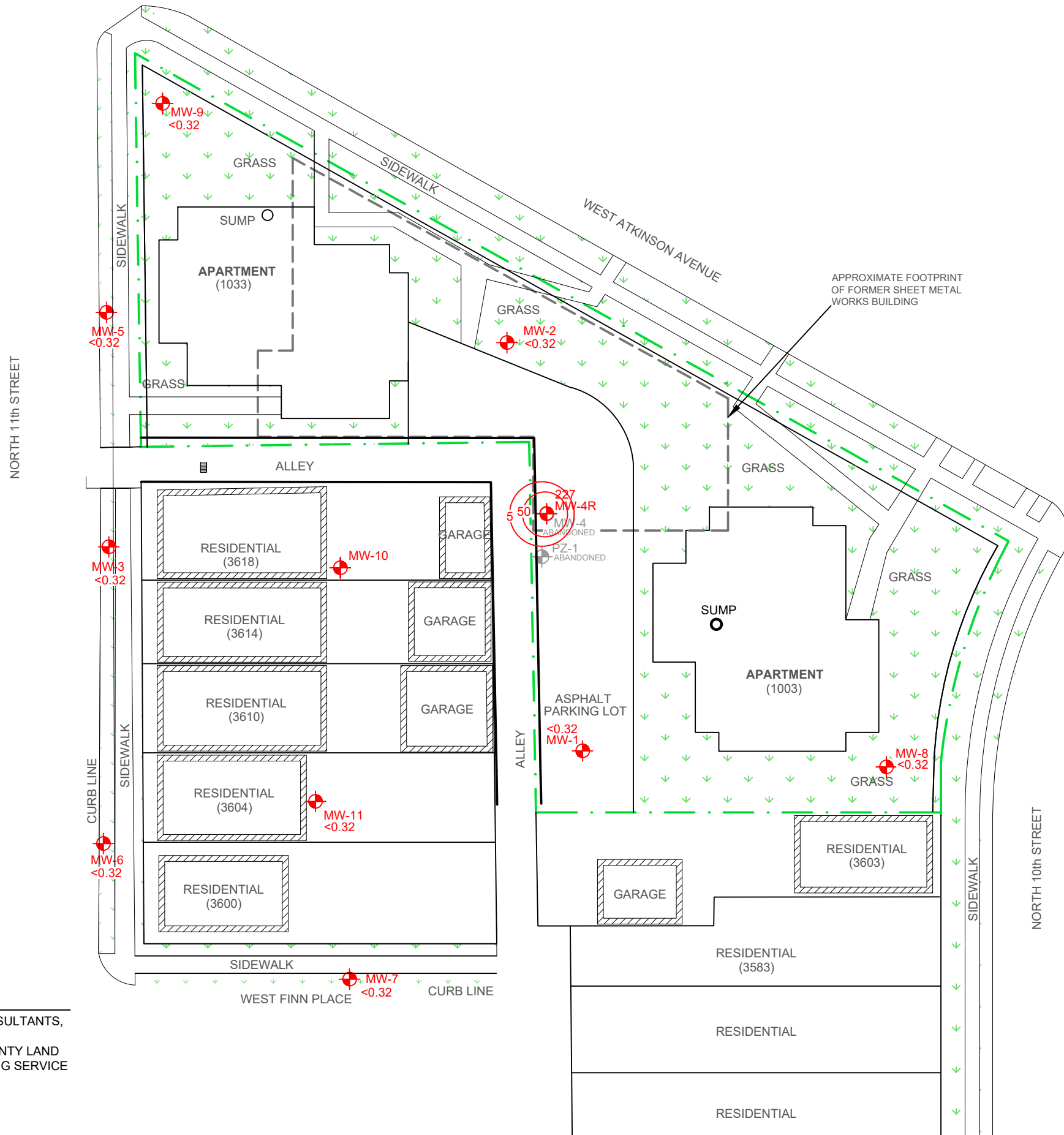
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**NOTES**

1. BASE MAP DEVELOPED BY TERRACON CONSULTANTS, INC. (TERRACON).
2. TERRACON MAP SOURCE: MILWAUKEE COUNTY LAND INFORMATION OFFICE INTERACTIVE MAPPING SERVICE WEBSITE (2010 AERIAL).
3. 'TCE' = TRICHLOROETHYLENE
4. 'BGS' = BELOW GROUND SURFACE
5. GZA COULD NOT SAMPLE MW-10

**ISOCONCENTRATION LEGEND**

TRICHLOROETHYLENE (TCE) ISOCONCENTRATION CONTOUR, UG/L

**LEGEND**

- APPROXIMATE SITE BOUNDARY
- GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL LOCATION
- GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL LOCATION (ABANDONED)
- <0.32** CONCENTRATIONS OF TCE (ug/l)

NO.	ISSUE/DESCRIPTION	BY	DATE

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**CLARE CENTRAL  
1003 AND 1033 WEST ATKINSON AVENUE  
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN**

**TCE GROUNDWATER  
ISOCONCENTRATION MAP  
(JANUARY 2023)**

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DATE: 2/9/2023	PROJECT NO. 20.0156038.04	REVISION NO.	

TABLE 2  
GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS  
1003 and 1033 West Atkinson Avenue  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

	Units	WAC 140		MW-1			
		PAL	ES	3/24/2011	2/12/2015	5/11/2017	1/24/2023
Sample Date				3/24/2011	2/12/2015	5/11/2017	1/24/2023
Collected By				Terracon	Sigma	Terracon	GZA
<u>VOCs</u>							
Tetrachloroethane	µg/l	0.5	5	NR	NR	NR	< 0.41
Toluene	µg/l	200	1,000	< 0.5	< 0.44	< 0.5	NA <
Trichloroethylene	µg/l	0.5	5	< 0.2	< 0.47	< 0.33	< 0.32 <
Trichlorofluoromethane	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
Vinyl chloride	µg/l	0.02	0.2	< 0.2	< 0.17	< 0.18	< 0.17
cis-1,2-Dichloroethane	µg/l	7	70	< 0.5	< 0.45	< 0.26	< 0.47 <
cis-1,3-Dichloropropane	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
Xylenes (Total)	µg/l	400	2000	< 0.5	< 3.1	< 1.5	NA <
m&p-Xylene	µg/l	400	2000	NR	NR	NR	NA
o-Xylene	µg/l			NR	NR	NR	NA
n-Butylbenzene	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
n-Propylbenzene	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
p-Isopropyltoluene	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
sec-Butylbenzene	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
tert-Butylbenzene	µg/l	NS	NS	NR	NR	NR	NA
trans-1,2-Dichloroethane	µg/l	20	100	< 0.5	< 0.54	< 0.26	< 0.53 <
trans-1,3-Dichloropropane	µg/l	0.004	0.4	NR	NR	NR	NA
<u>PAHs</u>							
Acenaphthene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Acenaphthylene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Anthracene	µg/l	600	3,000	NA	NA	NA	NA
Benzo (a) anthracene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Benzo (a) pyrene	µg/l	0.02	0.2	NA	NA	NA	NA
Benzo (b) fluorene	µg/l	0.02	0.2	NA	NA	NA	NA
Benzo (ghi) perylene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Benzo (k) fluorene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chrysene	µg/l	0.02	0.2	NA	NA	NA	NA
Dibenzo (a,h) anthracene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fluoranthene	µg/l	80	400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fluorene	µg/l	80	400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Indeno (1,2,3-cd) pyrene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
1-Methylnaphthalene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-Methylnaphthalene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Naphthalene	µg/l	10	100	NA	NA	NA	NA
Phenanthrene	µg/l	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pyrene	µg/l	50	250	NA	NA	NA	NA
<u>Metals</u>							
Mercury	ug/l	2	0.2	NA	NA	NA	NA
Arsenic	ug/l	10	1	NA	NA	NA	NA

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GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS

			1003 and 1033 West Atkinson Avenue 400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Barium	ug/l	2000	400	NA	NA	NA	NA
Cadmium	ug/l	5	0.5	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chromium	ug/l	100	10	NA	NA	NA	NA
Lead	ug/l	15	1.5	NA	NA	NA	NA
Selenium	ug/l	50	10	NA	NA	NA	NA
Silver	ug/l	50	10	NA	NA	NA	NA









TABLE 2  
GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS

NA	NA	NA	1003 and 1033 West Atkinson Avenue	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA	NA	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA	NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA	NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA	NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NA	NA	NA		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA



























TABLE 2  
GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS  
1003 and 1033 West Atkinson Avenue  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

**Notes:**

1. 2023 samples were collected by GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. (GZA) and submitted to Pace® Analytical Services (Pace) for analysis of chlorinated VOCs (cVOCs) by United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA)

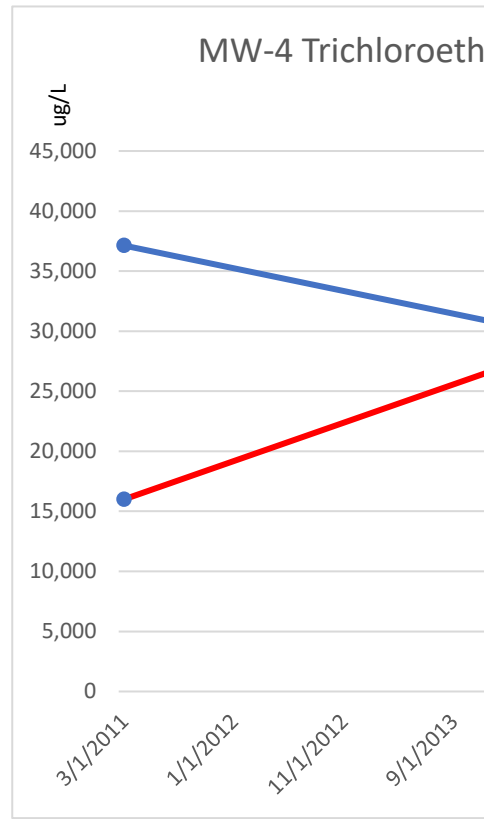
**TABLE 3**  
**GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL RESULTS - PFAS/PFOA**  
**1003 and 1033 West Atkinson Avenue**  
**Milwaukee, Wisconsin**

	Units	WAC 140		MW-3	MW-4
		PAL	ES		
<b>Sample Date</b>				8/26/2019	8/26/2019
<b>PFAS and PFOA</b>					
13C3_PFPPrOPrA	ng/L	NS	NS	59	54
13C2_PFOA	ng/L	NS	NS	7.5	8
13C4_PFOS	ng/L	NS	NS	21	23
d3-MeFOSAA	ng/L	NS	NS	33	34
13C2_PFHxA	ng/L	NS	NS	7.7	5.9
13C2_PFDA	ng/L	NS	NS	7.4	7.5
d5-EtFOSAA	ng/L	NS	NS	26	27
PFBA	ug/l	2*	10*	0.0022	0.004
PFPeA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	5.4
PFBS	ug/l	90*	450*	0.0068	0.0021
PFHxA	ug/l	30*	150*	<0.0019	0.0071
PFPPrOPrA	ng/L	NS	NS	<3.7	<3.8
PFPHpA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	<1.9
NaDONA	ng/L	NS	NS	<3.7	<3.8
PFHxS	ng/L	4*	40*	<1.7	<u>4.2</u>
PFOA	ng/L	2.0	20.0	<1.9	<u>2.5</u>
PFNA	ng/L	3*	30*	<1.9	<1.9
PFOS	ng/L	2.0	20.0	<1.8	<1.8
PFDA	ng/L	60*	300*	<1.9	<1.9
PFDuA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	<1.9
N-MeFOSAA	ng/L	NS	NS	<3.7	<3.8
N-EtFOSAA	ng/L	2*	20*	<3.7	<3.8
PFDS	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.8	<1.8
PFDoA	ng/L	100*	500*	<1.9	<1.9
PFPTrDA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	<1.9
PFPTeDA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	<1.9
PFPHxDA	ng/L	NS	NS	<1.9	<1.9
PFODA	ug/l	80*	400*	<0.0019	<0.0019

**Notes:**

1. Groundwater samples were analyzed by Pace Analytical of Green Bay, Wisconsin.
2. Analytical results are presented in nanograms per liter (ng/l); equivalent to parts per trillion (ppt).
3. Results for compounds that were analyzed by the laboratory presented.
4. Wisconsin Administrative Code (WAC) Chapter NR 140 Enforcement Standards (ES) and Preventive Action Limits (PAL) provided are based on the June 2019 provisional standards.
5. Underlined font indicates a concentration in exceedance of a PAL. **Bold red** font indicates a concentration in exceedance of an ES.
6. < = Analytes were not present at concentrations above the laboratory detection limit.
7. NS - No Standard

MW-4				
	3/24/2011	2/12/2015	3/21/2019	8/26/2019
Trichloroet	Terracon	Sigma	GZA	GZA
GW Elevati	16,000	31,000	30,000	38,200
	9.9	7.53	4.1	6.25





# ene - Concentration vs Time and Depth to Water

