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RE: Monthly Status Report, April 2009, Charlie Burch Site, Spring, Texas.
VCP No. 421.

Activities Completed During April 2009

The following activities were conducted during the subject reporting period:

- ***Groundwater Pump-and-Treat System in Source Area:*** Completed the bi-weekly system operation, maintenance, and monitoring site visits on 7 and 20 April 2009. Finalized the approach to conduct a 24-hour pump test at RW-CB-2 and 8-hour pump tests at RW-CB-3 and RW-CB-5 to be completed in May 2009.

- ***Groundwater Pump-and-Treat System on the 13-Acre Tract:*** Completed monthly and annual operation and maintenance site inspection on 22-23 April 2009. Work activities performed during the two day maintenance visit included site grade work to ensure access to the site, replacement of fittings on the carbon vessels due to observed corrosion, and pulling the pump in CB-MW-03 to inspect the line and pressure wash the pump.

- ***Plume Remediation (MaxOx Pilot Study):*** GES continued bench-scale testing to obtain a better understanding of the production of trihalomethanes in the pilot study formation wells following chemical injections completed in August 2008. Results from the bench-scale testing will be included in the MaxOx pilot study report tentatively scheduled to be completed in June 2009.

  Collected groundwater samples from the MaxOx pilot study injection and observation wells on 17 April 2009. Samples were analyzed for volatile organic compounds to continue monitoring the groundwater following the pumping conducted by GES in December 2008 to capture chemical byproducts from the MaxOx injections.

- ***Plume Remediation (Enhanced Anaerobic Biodegradation [EAB] Pilot Study):*** Conducted the 8-month post-EAB injection sampling event on 16 April 2009. Samples were submitted for testing in accordance with the EAB pilot study work plan. Results from the EAB groundwater sampling will be included in the EAB pilot study report tentatively scheduled to be completed in June 2009. Additional groundwater samples were collected and submitted to Sirem and Microbial Insights for microbiological/enzyme testing on 23 April 2009.

- ***Information Website:*** Continued to update project information on the website at URL: http://charlieburchproject.com/.

Activities Planned for May 2009

The following activities are planned during the next reporting period:

- ***Groundwater Pump-and-Treat System in Source Area:*** Continue system operation and evaluation of system performance as part of optimization efforts.

  A 24-hour pumping test will be performed on RW-CB-2, and 8-hour pumping tests will be performed on RW-CB-3 and RW-CB-5. Following the completion of the pumping tests, a technical report for the aquifer testing will be prepared. Complete preparation of technical summary report for source area investigation.

- ***Groundwater Pump-and-Treat System on the 13-Acre Tract:*** Continue system operation, perform required and scheduled maintenance activities, and conduct monthly operation and maintenance site inspection.

- ***Plume Remediation:*** Conduct evaluation of pilot study groundwater data for both the studies and begin preparation of pilot study reports.

- ***Innocent Owner/Operator Program (IOP)Certificates:*** Continue to work with the Amerson property legal counsel to obtain signatures and proof of ownership information from all 29 property owners and submit revised IOP application.

- ***Information Website:*** Continue to operate website to provide information regarding work at the Charlie Burch site. Public notification letters will be mailed to the contact list established for the site to make them aware that the Annual Groundwater Report has been posted on the public website.