

**Work Notice
November
2003**

**From November 5 to November 7,
2003, DTSC Plans More Sampling
at Valley Carrier and Public Scales**



7657 AZUSA ROAD, DOS PALOS, CALIFORNIA

DTSC is one of six Boards and Departments within the California Environmental Protection Agency. The Department's mission is to restore, protect and enhance the environment, to ensure public health, environmental quality and economic vitality, by regulating hazardous waste, conducting and overseeing cleanups, and developing and promoting pollution prevention.

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Introduction

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) will sample the groundwater and soil at the former Central Valley Fertilizer site (now occupied by Valley Carrier and Public Scales) located at 7657 Azusa Road in Dos Palos, California. DTSC will do the work from November 5 to November 7, 2003. Previous sampling showed pesticide and metal pollution in the site soil. Our intent with more sampling is to finish the investigation and decide on possible cleanup options.

Description of Work

DTSC will sample some residential wells near the former Central Valley Fertilizer site. Also, we will collect water samples from existing wells used for testing water quality on the property. We also will collect soil samples from the Temple Slough area and the residential property to the northeast side of the site. From both the Slough and the residential property, we will collect samples from the surface and subsurface soils.

DTSC will perform the work from Wednesday, November 5 through Friday, November 7, 2003, beginning at 8 a.m. and ending at 5 p.m. each day. We will conduct sampling following a site health and safety plan. DTSC will keep vehicular traffic and off-site parking to a minimum.

Once the additional soil and groundwater sampling have been completed, DTSC will look over the data and prepare a written report. DTSC will provide a fact sheet to you describing the sampling results and possible cleanup options for the site.

For Additional Information

To look over the field investigation work plan, the health and safety plan, and other related documents, please visit the Dos Palos City Hall, 1546 Golden Gate Avenue, in Dos Palos. If you have questions and wish to speak in Spanish, please contact Fernando Amador at (916) 255-3737 or FAmador@dtsc.ca.gov. Otherwise, please feel free to contact the following DTSC staff at 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826:

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NOTICE TO HEARING IMPAIRED INDIVIDUALS

TDD users can obtain additional information about the Central Valley Fertilizer investigation by using the California State Relay Service (1-888-877-5378) and asking to reach Nathan Schumacher at (916) 255-3650.

If from the Media, please contact Lisa Gray at
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