



NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD



Draft Removal Action WorkPlan Orland Dry Cleaners 726 Fifth Street Orland, California

Comment Period: October 12, 2007 to November 13, 2007

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is accepting public comments on the Draft Removal Action Work Plan (Draft RAW) for the Orland Dry Cleaners Site. The Draft RAW proposes the remedy for addressing groundwater contaminated with perchloroethylene (PCE), also referred to as tetrachloroethene, from Orland Dry Cleaners which is located at 726 Fifth Street in Orland, California. The public comment period will run from October 12, to November 13, 2007.

Based upon the investigation, the proposed remedy is In-Situ Reductive Dechlorination. Implementation involves injecting emulsified soybean oil into areas of the contaminated groundwater plume to accelerate the natural process of biodegradation, breaking down PCE into relatively benign compounds. DTSC will continue groundwater monitoring on a semi-annual basis to establish trends in contaminant migration and to monitor treatment performance.

In compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), DTSC has reviewed the proposed activities, and determined that they will not have an adverse effect on public health and the environment. Therefore, DTSC has exempted this project from CEQA requirements and has prepared a Notice of Exemption (NOE).

Current Site documents, including the Draft RAW and the CEQA Notice of Exemption are available for public review at the Information Repositories located at:

**Orland City Hall
815 Fourth Street
Orland, California 95963-1714
(916) 865-1601**

**Department of Toxic Substances Control
8800 Cal Center Drive
Sacramento, California 95826
(916) 255-3779 (call for an appointment)**

These and other site related documents may also be viewed online at DTSC's EnviroStor Database:
http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/profile_report.asp?global_id=11720001&cmd=community_involvement

You may submit comment by mail or via email. Comments must be postmarked by **November 13, 2007** or received **no later than 5:00 PM** that same day. Send your comments to:

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