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## **Community Notice, August 2014**

# Former Athens Tank Farm, Community Open House Announcement

You are invited to a *Community Open House* to update you on the on-site and off-site environmental investigation and cleanup activities related to the former Athens Tank Farm, a 122-acre site in the Willowbrook area of unincorporated Los Angeles County. The site includes the Earvin Magic Johnson Regional Park ("Park"), the Ujima Housing Corporation (UHC) properties, and the former Ujima Village apartment complex. This entire area is collectively referred to as the "site". As you may know, environmental work being conducted has been under the regulatory lead of the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) with support from the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC). This is a co-lead role where the Regional Board is lead for site cleanup and enforcement and DTSC is lead on the required health risk assessment and any indoor air sampling activities, and is also lead on community outreach efforts. Under the oversight of the Regional Board, ExxonMobil is investigating soil, soil gas and groundwater impacts at the site.

#### **How You Can Participate – Community Open House**

The Regional Board and DTSC will provide updated information on the status of the environmental investigation and cleanup of the site. Additionally, staff from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) will be available to listen to your health or exposure concerns related to the Athens Tank Farm Site and discuss opportunities to improve community health. Please join us for this important community event.

### **COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE ANNOUNCEMENT**

Saturday, September 13<sup>th</sup> 2014 Open House 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Enterprise Park Gymnasium 13055 Clovis Avenue, Los Angeles 90059-3432

DTSC invites you to a *Community Open House*. *The Regional Board and the California Department of Public Health* will participate. The Open House will take place from **1:00 pm to 5:00 pm**. There will be information tables where agencies will be available to meet with you and hear any concerns you may have related to the site.

For questions on this Open House event, please contact Stacey Lear, DTSC Public Participation Specialist at (714) 484-5354 direct or via e-mail: Stacey.Lear@dtsc.ca.gov.





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#### Where to Find Project Documents

Copies of investigation results and other related project documents are available for public review at the following Information Repositories:

#### **AC Bilbrew Library**

150 East El Segundo Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90061-2356 (310) 538-3350 call for hours

#### Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 200 Los Angeles, CA 90013-1105

(213) 576-6600 by appointment or (213) 576-6717 fax request

#### **Dept. of Toxic Substances Control**

Regional Records Office 5796 Corporate Avenue Cypress, CA 90630-4732

(714) 484-5337 Mon – Fri: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm - Please contact Julie Johnson for an appointment

You may also view these documents electronically at <a href="www.geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/search.asp">www.geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/search.asp</a>.

#### Who to Contact at DTSC or the Regional Board for Information

If you have any questions about the project or project related activities please contact the following DTSC or Regional Board staff:

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For more information about the former Athens Tank Farm site visit <a href="www.EnviroStor.dtsc.ca.gov">www.EnviroStor.dtsc.ca.gov</a>. For more information about DTSC, please visit our website at <a href="www.dtsc.ca.gov">www.dtsc.ca.gov</a>. ExxonMobil established a toll-free information line for project information. Please call 1-866-278-7207 to access additional information from ExxonMobil.

#### **Notice to Hearing Impaired Individuals**

TDD users can use the California Relay Service at 1-888-877-5378 to reach Ms. Stacey Lear, Public Participation Specialist at (714) 484-5354 or toll-free 1-866-495-5651.



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