

**State of California**  
**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD**  
**LOS ANGELES REGION**  
**320 West 4th Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles**  
**FACT SHEET**  
**WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS**  
**FOR**  
**CHEVRON EMC**  
**(Former UNOCAL Station NO. 6990)**  
**NPDES NO. CAG994004**  
**CI-8365**

**FACILITY LOCATION**

20000 Bloomfield Avenue  
Cerritos, CA 90703

**FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS**

145 S. State College Boulevard  
Brea, CA 92821

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Chevron EMC (Discharger) operates a groundwater treatment system at 20000 Bloomfield Avenue, Cerritos (See Figure 1 for the site location). The primary contaminants in groundwater at the site include total petroleum hydrocarbons, benzene, and tertiary butyl alcohol. The treatment system consists of sand filters, bag filters, and three granulated activated carbon (GAC) vessels connected in series (See Figure 2 for treatment process). Further treatment may be necessary to ensure that the concentrations of heavy metals in the discharge remain below the effluent limitations. Currently, the treated groundwater from the site is discharged into a nearby storm drain under the General NPDES Permit No. CAG834001, Order No.R4-2002-0125.

On June 21, 2007, the Discharger submitted a completed Notice of Intent (NOI) Form to continue enrollment under the general NPDES permit. Regional Board staff has reviewed the NOI submittals and determined that the discharge from the site is more appropriately regulated under NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, Order No. R4-2003-0111. The existing enrollment under NPDES Permit No. 834001, Order No. R4-2002-0125 will be terminated in a separate letter. Order No. R4-2003-0111 supersedes Order No. R4-2002-0125 and continues the facility enrollment under the general NPDES permit.

**VOLUME AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE**

Approximately 15,000 gallons per day of treated groundwater is discharged from the site to Discharge Point 1 (Latitude 33°50'54", Longitude 118°03'45"). The discharge flows into Coyote Creek, a water of the United States.

**APPLICABLE EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS**

Based on the information provided in the NPDES Application Supplemental Requirements, the following constituents listed in the Table below have been determined to show reasonable potential to exist in the discharge. The receiving waterbody for the discharge, Coyote Creek, has designated beneficial use of MUN (Potential). Therefore, the discharge

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limitations under the "Other Waters" column in Section E.1.a. and b. of Order No. R4-2003-0111 apply to the discharge. The discharge limitations in Attachment B of Order No. R4-2003-0111 are not applicable to the discharge.

This Table lists the specific constituents and effluent limitations applicable to the discharge.

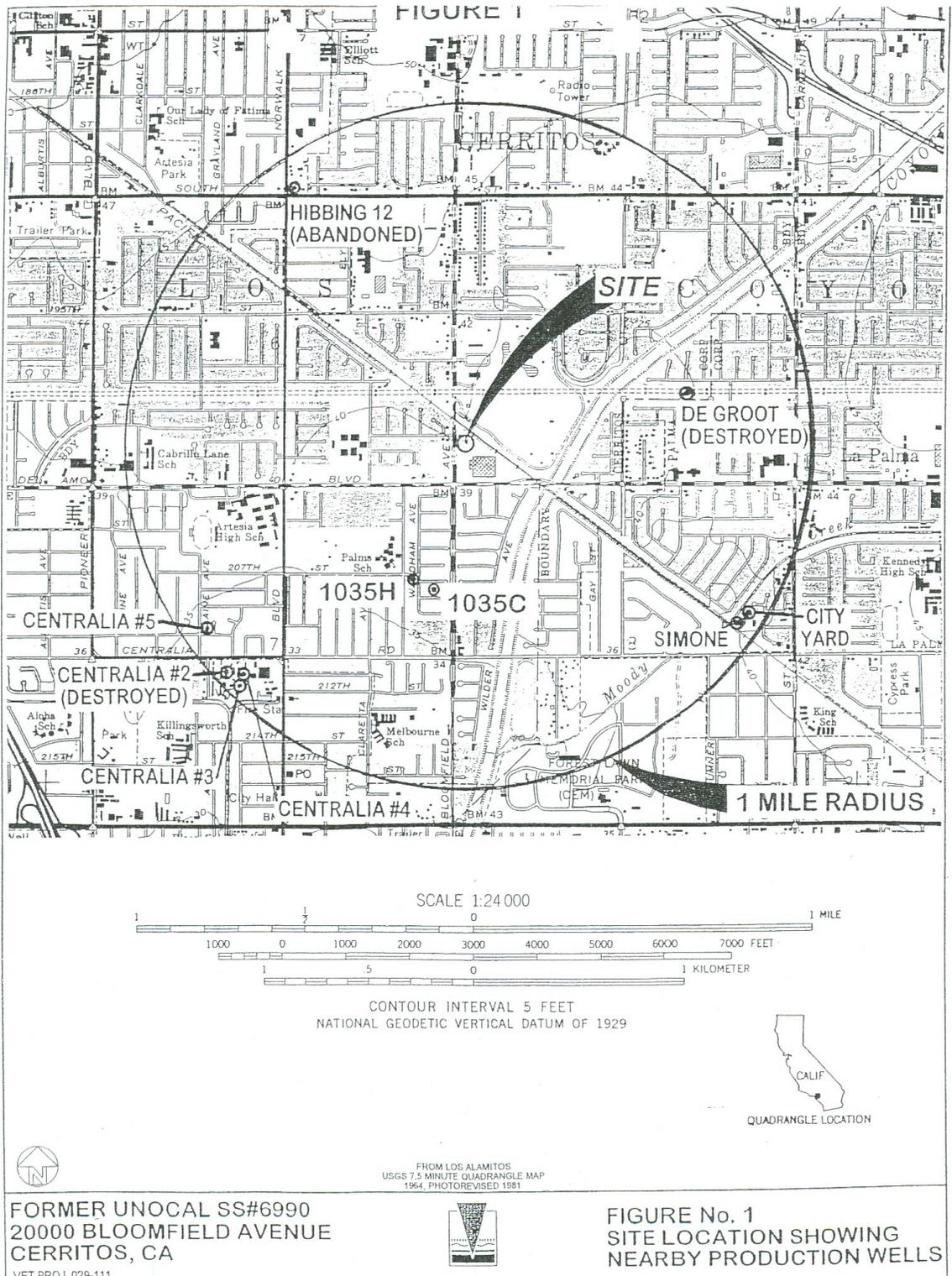
| Constituents                            | Units | Discharge Limitations |                 |
|---|-------|-----------------------|-----------------|
|   |       | Daily Maximum         | Monthly Average |
| Total Suspended Solids                  | mg/L  | 150                   | 50              |
| Turbidity                               | NTU   | 150                   | 50              |
| BOD <sub>5</sub> 20°C                   | mg/L  | 30                    | 20              |
| Oil and Grease                          | mg/L  | 15                    | 10              |
| Settleable Solids                       | ml/L  | 0.3                   | 0.1             |
| Sulfides                                | mg/L  | 1.0                   | ---             |
| Residual Chlorine                       | mg/L  | 0.1                   | ---             |
| Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons            | ug/L  | 100                   | ---             |
| Benzene                                 | ug/L  | 1.0                   | ---             |
| Toluene                                 | ug/L  | 150                   | ---             |
| Xylenes                                 | ug/L  | 1750                  | ---             |
| Ethylbenzene                            | ug/L  | 700                   | ---             |
| Naphthalene                             | ug/L  | 21                    | ---             |
| Methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE)      | ug/L  | 5.0                   | 5.0             |
| Tertiary butyl alcohol (TBA)            | ug/L  | 12                    | 12              |
| Copper                                  | ug/L  | 44.4                  | 22.1            |
| Lead                                    | ug/L  | 25.6                  | 12.8            |
| Methylene Blue Active Substances (MBAS) | mg/L  | 0.5                   | ---             |

## FREQUENCY OF DISCHARGE

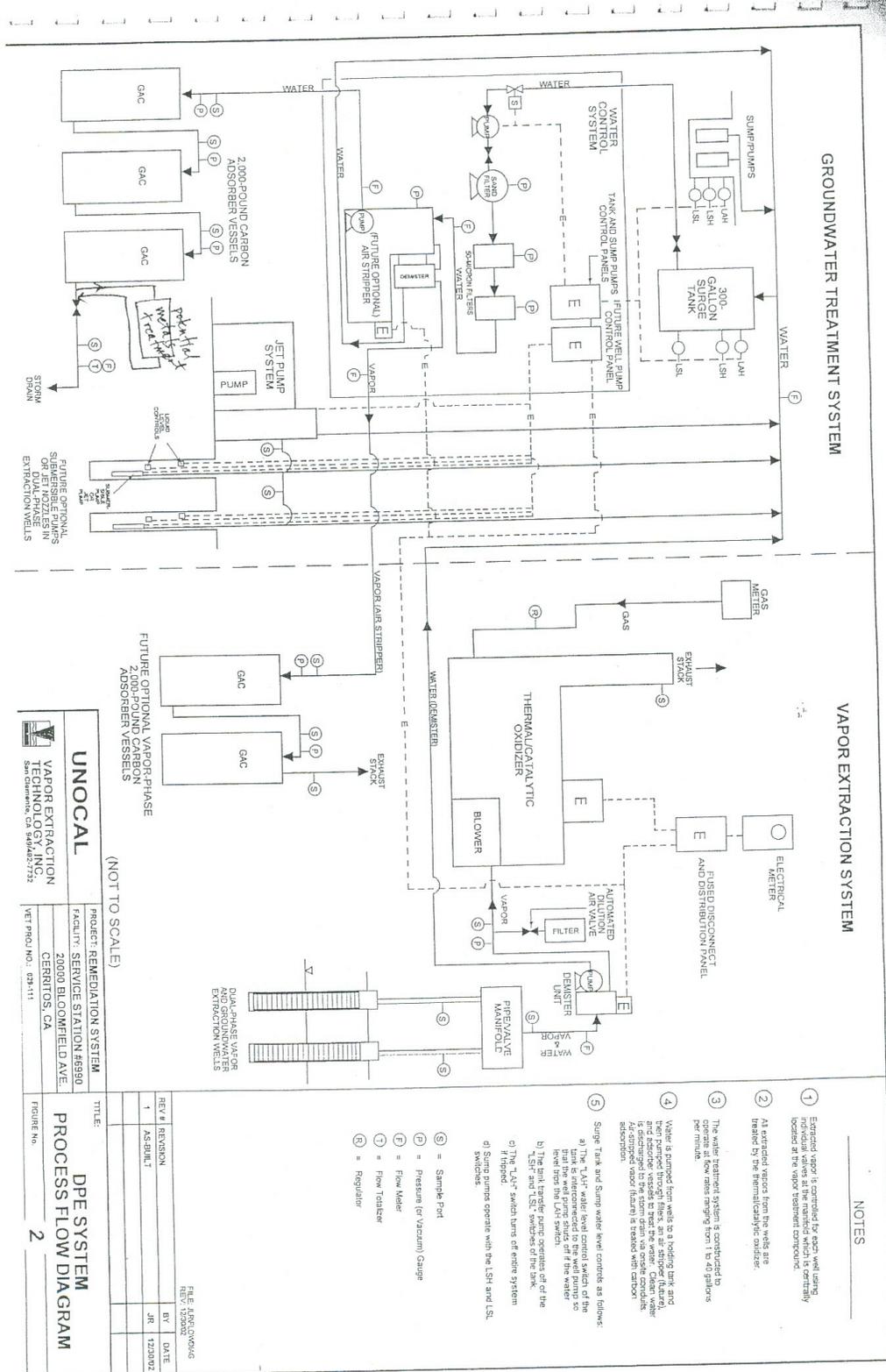
The treated groundwater discharge is intermittent and will last for the duration of the treatment system operation.

## REUSE OF WATER

It is not economically feasible to haul all the wastewater to off-site disposal facility. The property and the immediate vicinity have no landscaped areas that require irrigation using the groundwater. There are no other feasible reuse options for the discharge. Therefore, the treated wastewater will be discharged to Coyote Creek in compliance with the requirements of the attached order.



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 CERRITOS, CA

VE PROJ. NO.: 021-113

TITLE:  
**DPE SYSTEM  
 PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM**

FIGURE No. **2**