

Daily Report 02/14/14

Tetra Tech

Directive #1 - Indoor Air

- Draft Concept Plan for phased approach to indoor air monitoring plus installation of alarm systems and ventilation systems was submitted to DNR on 12/13/12 for comments; the detailed Work Plan was submitted to DNR on 1/14/13 for comments.
- Installed a total of 90 detectors at 41 locations. No positive alarms have occurred to date for either % LEL or H2S.
- A total of ten monitoring pairs and associated transmitters have been provided to Assumption Parish, at their request.
- Continued daily monitor calibration.
- Completed visual inspection and maintenance of the under slab ventilation systems. Liquids found in the systems were removed and transported to the storage tank located at ORW-22.

Plan for today:

- Continue monitor calibration.
- Continue ventilation system operation, maintenance, and monitoring.

<u>Directive #2 – Additional Relief Wells and Directive #3 – Overall Plan as Corrected</u>

- Met with DNR/Shaw on 1/24/13; reached agreement on well designs.
- Radius of Influence (ROI) wells are installed at well pads ORW-5 and ORW-9.
- The field portion of ROI testing was completed July 21st. Report is being finalized.
- Reworked the meter run piping at ORW-58 to be more compact for the enclosure.
- Checked for leaks on the entire well structure at BC-2 (soap test): no leaks were detected. Tightened well seal.
- Layed out 2-inch HDPE pipe from ORW-14 to the frac tank at OGRW-1 in preparation for pump test.
- The silt fence crew completed 1555 linear feet of fencing on Triche Road, and installed 574 linear feet of wire screen backing along the ORW-57 access road.
- WHE finished surface completions at ORW-55, 56, 57, and 58.

Plan for today:

- Continue silt fencing on ORW-57 access road
- Install dewatering piping on Maurice Rd.



<u>Directive #4 – Operation of All Wells</u>

- Flares #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 are operating. One additional flare, and a trailer-mounted backup flare, are available as needed. TBC Flare #1 will require insulation repair prior to being put into service.
- Well work overs are ongoing for all low-producing and non-flowing wells.
- Barton meters have been installed on flowing wells; performed routine maintenance.
- Performed daily flare operation and maintenance.
- Performed daily relief well operation and maintenance.
- Monitored pressure at the PVW wells.
- Opened choke setting slightly on ORW-46, 49, 52, 54, 55 and 56; decreased choke settings on ORW-18, 48, 50 & 53.

Plan for today:

- Complete daily flare, Barton meter, generator, and compressor operation and maintenance activities.
- Continue well dewatering.

Directive #5 – Sinkhole Containment

- Submitted original sinkhole containment design in Joint Application to OCM and COE on 2/14/13.
- A pre-construction meeting for the original containment system was held on-site on 3/14/13 for TBC and contractors.
- Construction of the original sinkhole containment system began 4/1/13; construction was completed 9/23/13.
- During late October 2013 and mid-December 2013, cracks and a drop in elevation occurred along the southern levee of the original containment system. Increased seismic activity was also noted at these times.
- During the week of January 6th, 2014 a new Emergency Use Authorization was submitted and approved for constructing a new southern levee approximately 500 to 1300 feet south of the southern levee of the original containment system.
- Completed visual inspection of the existing containment levee.
- Measured surface elevations of water in the Bayou and inside the containment area using laser sight. Bayou water elevation: 1.2 ft AMSL; Containment water elevation: 0.5 ft AMSL.
- Ran a LevelTroll 300 transducer on a wireline to the depth of the sinkhole with Miller Engineers.



New South Containment Levee

- Construction of the new south containment levee began on 1/8/2014. Tree clearing for this new levee was completed January 15, 2014. The construction of the new south levee is anticipated to be completed in April 2014.
- No materials were imported to the site due to rain. No levee construction was completed. Total new south containment levee completed to date is approximately 3526 linear feet.

Plan for today:

• Rock's Trucking continue construction of the new south containment levee.