

**HTW BCT Meeting Minutes for Operable Unit 1**  
**Former Fort Ord, California**  
**March 15, 2007**

An HTW BCT meeting was held on 15 March 2007, at the BRAC Conference Room, Former Fort Ord, California. Attendees included the following representatives:

Sue Goss, DTSC	David Eisen, USACE
Grant Himebaugh, RWQCB	George Siller, USACE
Bill Collins, Fort Ord BRAC	Don Jones, HGL
Martin Hausladen EPA	Mike Bombard, HGL
Chuck Holman, AHTNA	Ed Ticken, MACTEC
Derek Lieberman, Fort Ord/AHTNA	Peter Kelsall, Shaw
Bill Mabey, Tech Law	

A summary of key discussions, issues and decisions/actions is presented below.

1. Groundwater Remediation Project Update

- HCPP System operation is proceeding smoothly and has treated over 13 million gallons of extracted groundwater since operation began on 01 July 2006.
- The most recent influent sample for which we have laboratory results was collected on 29 January and detected TCE at a concentration of 2.9 µg/L. The effluent concentration remained at “non-detect” (the method detection limit is 0.5 µg/L).
- Based on the measured flow rates and TCE concentrations, the system has removed approximately 0.66 pounds of TCE since operation began.
- The average total pumping rate has been approximately 37 gallons per minute (gpm)

2. Quarterly LTM Status Reports

- Draft 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2006 Groundwater Monitoring Report was submitted to stakeholders on 13 March 2007.
- HGL received 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006 groundwater monitoring data back from validation. The 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter and Annual 2006 Groundwater Monitoring Report is in preparation
- HGL personnel are conducting 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2006 groundwater sampling during the week of 12 March 2007

3. Other Submittals

- The Draft Interim Hydraulic Control Pilot Project Evaluation Report is to be submitted on 30 March 2006 as scheduled.
- The Final 2006 Rare Plant Survey and Annual Fort Ord Natural Reserve Impact Report was submitted to the Army on 23 February 2007.

4. FFA Schedule

- HGL requested that the Explanation of Significant Difference be removed from the FFA Schedule due to the change to ROD Amendment. The regulatory agencies agreed with this change. HGL indicated that the Proposed Plan and ROD Amendment schedule will be determined after the contract modification has been issued by the Army.

That concluded the discussion of HGL efforts on OU-1. The next meeting is scheduled for 11 April 2007 at 1:00 PM.