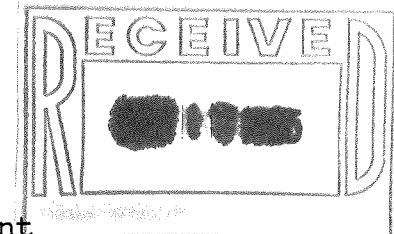




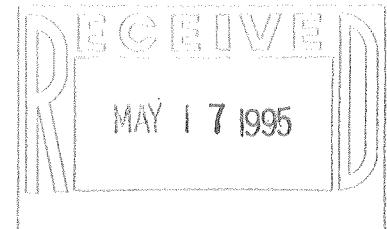
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November 21, 1994

Mr. Timothy O'Connor, Supervising Engineer
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Re: Item 5 Remedial Action Work Plan
Waites Wharf, Newport, Rhode Island



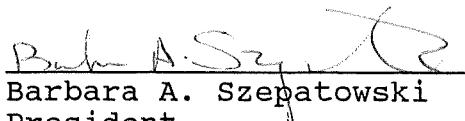
Dear Mr. O'Connor:

As required by the August 5, 1994 letter of Joseph T. Martella of the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management (RIDEM), to Richard P. Bennett, Esq.; enclosed is a copy of the total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH) analysis completed on a soil sample taken from the Waites Wharf property. This sample was collected from the zero to two (2) foot range in the only area on the property which was not paved and which had previously "reported TPH concentrations exceeding 500 ppm at any point throughout the boring". SAI determined this sample location from the review of the TRC Environmental Consultants Inc., Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Report dated April 1992, specifically Tables 4-3 - Phase IIa Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon Values Above Detection Levels (page 20) and 4-8 - Phase IIb Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon Values Above Detection Levels (page 30). This sample was collected from the approximate location of "SB-5" as shown on Figure 5 - Soil Boring and Monitoring Well Locations (page 17).

As discussed in the October 12, 1995 meeting with John Sheehan, Esq., RIDEM's concern was to prevent an exposure of TPH to the public. The remaining areas which had previously been sampled for TPH and showed readings which exceed the 500 ppm limit, are all paved.

Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
SAI CONSULTING COMPANY


Barbara A. Szepatowski
President
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Enclosure



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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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Jamestown, RI 02835

DATE RECEIVED: 10/27/94
DATE REPORTED: 11/18/94
P.O. #:
INVOICE #: G6293

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION: One (1) soil sample labelled Southeast corner
Station 01 (Harbour Realty LLC)

Subject sample has been analyzed by our laboratory with the
following results:

PARAMETER	RESULTS
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons	<32.4 mg/kg*

*calculated on a dry weight basis

Reference: Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods, U.S. EPA, SW-846, November 1986,
3rd edition, Update I, July 1992.

If you have any questions regarding this work, or if we may be
of further assistance, please contact us.

Approved by:

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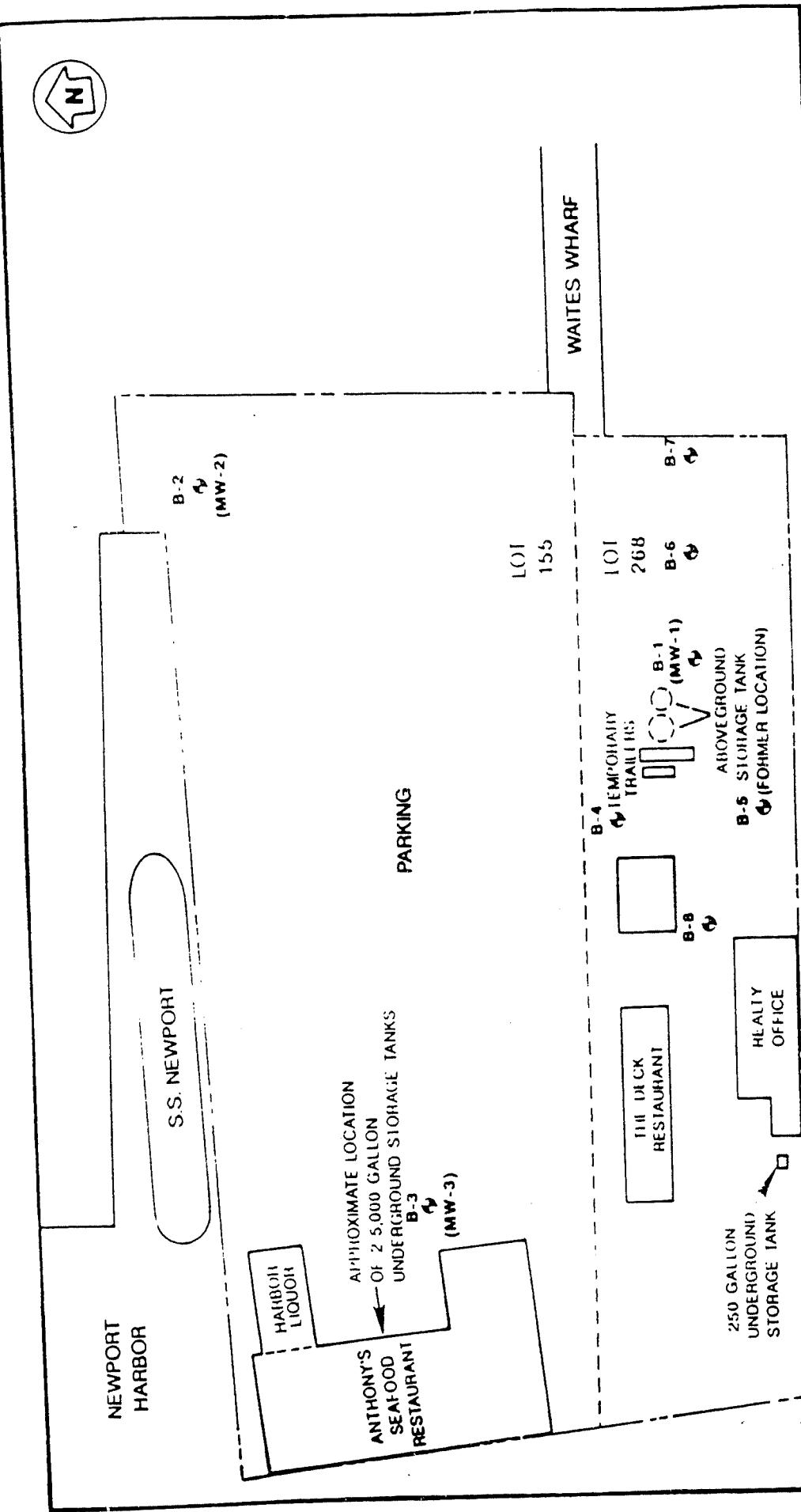
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FIGURE 3.

PHASE IIa
SOIL BORING AND MONITORING
WFII LOCATIONS

TABLE 4-3

PHASE IIa
TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS (EPA METHOD 418.1)
VALUES ABOVE DETECTION LEVELS

SAMPLE DEPTH (FEET)	SOIL BORINGS							
	B-1	B-2	B-3	B-4	B-5	B-6	B-7	B-8
0-1								
1-3								
3-5								
5-7		19	8.5	19	606	480	270	160
7-9	370							
9-11								
11-13								
13-15								
15-17	5.8	47	2					

Note: Values in boxes indicate TPH concentrations at respective depths.
 All values expressed as parts per million (ppm).

TABLE 4-8

PHASE IIb
TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS (EPA METHOD 410.1)
VALUES ABOVE DETECTION LEVELS

SAMPLE DEPTH (FEET)	SOIL BORINGS							
	SB-1	SB-2	SB-3	SB-4	SB-5	SB-6	SB-7	SB-8
0-2								
2-4						710	12	
4-6	90	WATER TABLE				5724		
6-8			29					35
8-10		95		22		<10	20	
10-12					10			
12-14								

SAMPLE DEPTH (FEET)	SOIL BORINGS						
	SB-9	SB-10	SB-11	SB-12	SB-13	SB-14	SB-15
0-2							
2-4							
4-6	1300						
6-8		275		18	WATER TABLE		
8-10			56		20.2	517	810
10-12	10	10					
12-14			10		12	12	<10

Note: Values in boxes indicate TPH concentrations at the respective depths.
 All values expressed as parts per million (ppm).
 Indicated water table depth is based on minimum recorded depths to water and is subject to tidal variation