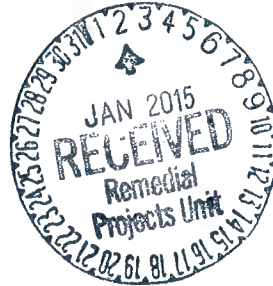




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Ms. Danielle Taber
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Re: Response to Notice for Public Comments on West Van Buren Area WQARF Site

Dear Ms. Taber,

In response to the notice for public comments, we support the goal of expeditiously mitigating groundwater contamination. In fact, within the City of Goodyear there exists two National Priority Listed (NPL) superfund sites known as the Phoenix Goodyear Airport (PGA-N) and the Phoenix Goodyear Airport South (PGA-S) superfund sites. Also, in between these two superfund sites exists a State Water Quality Assurance Revolving Fund (WQARF) site known as Western Avenue. The City of Goodyear continues to work very diligently with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ), PGA-N, and PGA-S responsible parties on remediation efforts. To this end, the City supports regional efforts that clean up the environment and protect the public health.

Sincerely,

Mark Holmes,
Water Resources Manager

