

Questions & Answers
Auto Stop and Neillsville 76 – Bundled Sites
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1. Please clarify the time limits on completing Phase I and II of the project. Phase I must be done in the first 6 months after accepted bid. Phase II??? The specs say both must be done in 6 months and quarterly monitoring of all wells for a year won't allow for that.

Answer: Phase II of the project will be required to begin within 6 months of the completion of Phase I. To reiterate, Phase II is **monthly** (not quarterly) groundwater sampling for one year.

2. Your Request for Bid states "site consists of 10 MW's, one vapor recovery well, and 12 pumping wells". Then it adds, " RP has taken responsibility of all the monitoring wells associated with the closed remedial action regarding as Mary Lou's Restaurant". I assume the Mary Lou Rest. wells are NOT to be sampled since that site is closed.(?)

Answer: The wells that were formerly associated with Mary Lou's Restaurant **will** be included in all the sampling events described in the bid spec.

3. The Auto Stop is described as "site consists of five monitoring points".

Therefore, it appears there are 15 existing monitoring wells plus the 4 newly installed wells (Phase I) which is 19 wells total to be sampled monthly for 12 months. Plus, the 4 newly installed wells are to be sampled in Phase I prior to beginning Phase II (I suggest this is unnecessary since you plan to sample all of the wells 12 times in one year...why sample the 4 new ones an additional time??).

Answer: Groundwater sampling events will be conducted from wells that have been sampled previously. These wells are located at the Auto Stop, Neillsville 76 and Mary Lou's Restaurant.

The newly installed wells should be sampled at the same interval as the other sampling events to determine direction and contamination levels of the aquifer in a specific point in time. Also, if it takes 6 months for Phase II of the project to begin the newly installed wells will have sat for that amount of time and should be sampled.