



Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

March 19, 2026

Interested Parties:

UST PROGRAM: ELKHORN SUPERETTE, 2016 ELKHORN ROAD, CASTROVILLE, MONTEREY COUNTY - PUBLIC NOTICE OF CASE CLOSURE (GT #T0605369227)

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Coast Region, is the state regulatory agency responsible for the protection of groundwater and surface water quality within the central coast region. As such, we are overseeing the investigation and cleanup of petroleum hydrocarbons released from the underground storage tank (UST) system at the above referenced site. Elkhorn Superette is the party responsible for investigation and cleanup of the site. We are notifying the site property owner, surrounding property owners, and other potentially interested parties of the proposed closure of this case. Please provide your comments or concerns regarding closure of this UST case to this office by **May 22, 2026**. It is not necessary to respond if you have no comments. Information on the UST case investigation and cleanup is available for review on the State Water Resources Control Board's GeoTracker database at:

<http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/?gid=T0605369227>

You can view a site location map at:

https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/map/?global_id=T0605369227

A draft Case Summary Form is available at:

<https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/?surl=vjdvb>

After reviewing the soil and groundwater investigation results, Central Coast Region staff have determined that there is no significant threat to groundwater resources, human health, or the environment from this site. Petroleum hydrocarbon concentrations are minimal and the remaining residual soil contamination is well characterized and declining in size and concentration. The contaminant mass has been removed from the site to the maximum extent practicable, and historical monitoring data indicate contaminant concentrations in soil will likely decrease to below cleanup goals in a reasonable time. Following the public comment period and resolution of any comments, the Executive Officer will issue a case closure letter pursuant to California Underground Storage Tank Regulations.

If you wish to obtain additional information, provide comments, or if you need assistance accessing GeoTracker, please contact **Dillon Kass at (805) 549-3879**, or Joey Sisk at (805) 542-4638. Email addresses are provided below.

Sincerely,

for Ryan E. Lodge
Executive Officer

GeoTracker Global ID: T0605369227

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