



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION IX
Underground Storage Tanks Program Office
75 Hawthorne Street (WST-8)
San Francisco, CA 94105

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Ms. Lorena Atene
Facility Management
Naa Tsis' Aan Community School, Inc.
P.O. Box 10010
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Dear Ms. Atene:

This correspondence refers to the report submitted for the closure in-place of one 12,000-gallon fiberglass underground storage tank (UST). The in-place closure was authorized by The Navajo Nation EPA due to the proximity of an overhead power line to the tank pit.

Contaminated soil exceeding Navajo Nation and EPA soil cleanup standards was transported to an offsite permitted land disposal facility.

The information submitted has assisted EPA in assessing the status of this site, where one UST was closed in place on December 20, 1999. This site does not appear to pose a current threat to human health and the environment. Therefore, EPA is not requiring further action at this time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lester Kaufman".

Lester Kaufman, Manager
Underground Storage Tanks Program Office

Enclosure

cc: Arlene Luther, Navajo Nation EPA
Alan Downer, Navajo Nation HPD
Jennifer Nakai, iiná bá