

Final Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report

Broadway-Pantano Water Quality Assurance Revolving Fund Site

Erratum

Since 1993, Tucson Water has had the policy of discontinuing use of any water supply well which contains a volatile organic compound exceeding one-half the Maximum Contaminant Level. (The Maximum Contaminant Level is the federal drinking water standard.) The State of Arizona's Department of Environmental Quality's (ADEQ's) Broadway-Pantano Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report (GOU RI Report), which was finalized on June 1, 2012, describes the aforementioned Tucson Water policy on the following pages:

Page IV, Executive Summary, "Potential Human Health Risk" (Executive Summary);
Page 16, Section 2.8, "Present and Future Groundwater Uses";
Page 71, Section 7.1, "Production Well Operating Guidelines"; and
Page 72, Section 7.1, "Production Well Operating Guidelines";

On September 19, 2012, the Water Quality and Operations Administrator from the Water Resources Management Department within Tucson Water transmitted the following communication to ADEQ:

The half-MCL criteria [sic] is no longer a Tucson Water policy. All of our wells will be operated based on water quality standards set by US EPA and AZDEQ. Any well can be operated using discretionary water quality criteria purely for internal operational considerations.