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Final Status Survey Summary Report
April 9, 2008
South East Industrial Area
Survey Unit F8000091

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FINAL STATUS SURVEY SUMMARY REPORT

Survey Unit:

F8000091, South East Industrial Area

Survey Unit Description:

Operating History: This area covers the majority of Industrial Area soils exclusive of the building footprints and rail line in this area. Operating records and the HSA document no specific release of radioactivity in these survey areas however this area does border known contaminated areas. The HSA recorded no specific unplanned release events.

Site Characterization: Soil and sediment samples were collected and analyzed for the presence of plant-derived radionuclides. Cs-137 was the only detected nuclide of plant origin with a mean activity level of 0.062 pCi/g and a maximum value of 0.299 pCi/g. (Site background levels of Cs-137 have been determined to be approximately 0.312 pCi/g.) As described in section 2 of the LTP, the area was evaluated using DSIP-0020 and was designated as Class 3.

Survey Unit Design Information:

The Survey Unit Design Parameters are presented in Table 1 below. The survey unit and measurement locations are depicted on the maps in Attachment 1. Direct measurement locations (which consisted of both soil samples and asphalt measurements) were randomly determined and 2346 m² were scanned for approximately 4% coverage. Soil samples were collected at each direct measurement location and analyzed by HPGe detector. The instrumentation used for the survey along with the MDC values are listed in Tables 2-1 and 2-2 in Attachment 2.

Table 1. Survey Unit Design Parameters

Survey Design Parameter	Value	Comment
Survey Area:	F800	South East Industrial Area
Survey Unit:	0091	Open Land Area
Class:	3	LTP Table 5-4
SU Area (m²):	55736	
Evaluator:	Erin L. Brown	
DCGL Cs137 surrogate (pCi/g):	52.6	
Area Factor:	N/A	Class 3
Design DCGL_{me} (pCi/g):	N/A	Class 3
LBGR (pCi/g):	25.6	Adjusted
Design Sigma (pCi/g):	0.042	DTBD-06-001, Table 5-4D
Type I Error:	0.05	
Type II Error:	0.05	
Nuclide:	Cs137	
Sample Area (m²):	N/A	Class 3
Total Area Scanned (m²):	2346	
Scan Coverage (%):	4.2%	Class 3
Z_{1-α} :	1.645	
Z_{1-β} :	1.645	
Sign P:	0.99865	
Calculated Relative Shift:	642.8	
Relative Shift Used:	3	Uses 3.0 if Rel Shift >3
N-Value:	11	
Design N-Value + 20%:	14	NUREG-1575 Table 5-5
Grid Spacing L:	N/A	Class 3

Survey Results:

A total of 30 direct measurements were made in F8000091. The results including mean, median, standard deviation and range are shown in Table 2. All of the direct measurements were less than the DCGL. None of the scan measurements indicated areas of elevated activity. Soil samples were counted to the MDC shown in Table 2-1 of Attachment 2.

Table 2. Direct Measurement Results
(all activity values in pCi/g)

Measurement ID	Cs137 MDA	Cs137 Activity	Uncertainty
Mean:		4.65E-01	
Median:		6.66E-01	
Standard Deviation:		3.66E-01	
Range:	6.14E-02 to 8.96E-01		
F8000091 A0001GD	7.57E-01	< 7.57E-01	
F8000091 A0002GD	8.25E-01	< 8.25E-01	
F8000091 A0003GD	8.22E-01	< 8.22E-01	
F8000091 A0004GD	6.87E-01	< 6.87E-01	
F8000091 A0005GD	8.72E-01	< 8.72E-01	
F8000091 A0007GD	8.96E-01	< 8.96E-01	
F8000091 A0008GD	8.14E-01	< 8.14E-01	
F8000091 A0009GD	8.30E-01	< 8.30E-01	
F8000091 A0010GD	8.57E-01	< 8.57E-01	
F8000091 A0012GD	8.34E-01	< 8.34E-01	
F8000091 A0013GD	8.42E-01	< 8.42E-01	
F8000091 A0015GD	8.36E-01	< 8.36E-01	
F8000091 A0016GD	8.21E-01	< 8.21E-01	
F8000091 C0006GD	7.18E-01	< 7.18E-01	
F8000091 C0011GD	7.06E-01	< 7.06E-01	
F8000091 C0014GD	6.44E-01	< 6.44E-01	
F8000091 S0001SS	6.92E-02	< 6.92E-02	
F8000091 S0002SS	6.61E-02	7.96E-02	4.44E-02
F8000091 S0003SS	9.16E-02	< 9.16E-02	
F8000091 S0004SS	9.24E-02	< 9.24E-02	
F8000091 S0005SS	6.40E-02	< 6.40E-02	
F8000091 S0006SS	8.46E-02	< 8.46E-02	
F8000091 S0007SS	6.14E-02	< 6.14E-02	
F8000091 S0008SS	8.94E-02	< 8.94E-02	
F8000091 S0009SS	6.82E-02	1.09E-01	4.05E-02
F8000091 S0010SS	6.16E-02	7.01E-02	4.73E-02
F8000091 S0011SS	6.29E-02	< 6.29E-02	
F8000091 S0012SS	8.84E-02	< 8.84E-02	

F8000091S0013SS	6.98E-02	< 6.98E-02	
F8000091S0014SS	5.07E-02	1.57E-01	5.88E-02

Survey Unit Data Assessment:

The survey design required 30 direct measurements for the Sign Test. The critical value and the results of the Sign Test are presented in Table 3. The sample mean and median values were less than the DCGL. The sample standard deviation was greater than the design standard deviation. However, both values of sigma result in a relative shift of greater than 3 so no additional samples were required.

Table 3. Data Assessment Results

Survey Results Parameter	Value	Comment
Actual Direct Measurements (N):	30	
Median (pCi/g):	6.66E-01	
Mean (pCi/g):	4.65E-01	
Standard Deviation (pCi/g):	3.66E-01	
Maximum (pCi/g):	8.96E-01	
Sign Test Final N Value:	30	
S+ Value:	30	
Critical Value:	20	
Sufficient Samples Collected:	Yes	
Maximum Value < DCGL:	Yes	
Median Value < DCGL:	Yes	
Mean Value < DCGL:	Yes	
Maximum Value < DCGL_{emc}:	N/A	Class 3
Standard Deviation <= Sigma:	Investigate	No additional samples required
Pass the Sign Test?	Yes	
Reject the Null Hypothesis?	Yes	
The survey unit passes all conditions?	Investigate	The survey unit passes

Survey Unit Investigations and Results:

No investigations were required for either direct or scan measurements and no investigation results are reported.

ALARA Statement:

As stated in Chapter 4 of the LTP, as long as the residual activity within the survey unit is less than the DCGL (i.e. the survey unit average activity is less than the DCGL and the EMC criterion has been met), the ALARA criterion has been met.

Changes in Initial Survey Unit Assumptions:

The survey unit was designed as a Class 3 land survey and the sample results are consistent with that classification. The variability of the survey results was greater than the characterization data used for survey design. However, no additional samples were required. No potential areas of elevated activity were detected.

Conclusion:

The FSS of this survey unit was properly designed as a Class 3 survey based on Table 5-4 of the LTP. The required number of direct measurements was made and the scan coverage met the requirement of Table 5-6 of the LTP. All of the direct measurements were less than the DCGL. No investigations were required.

The direct measurement data support rejection of the null hypothesis, providing high confidence that the survey unit satisfied the release criteria and that the data quality objectives were met.

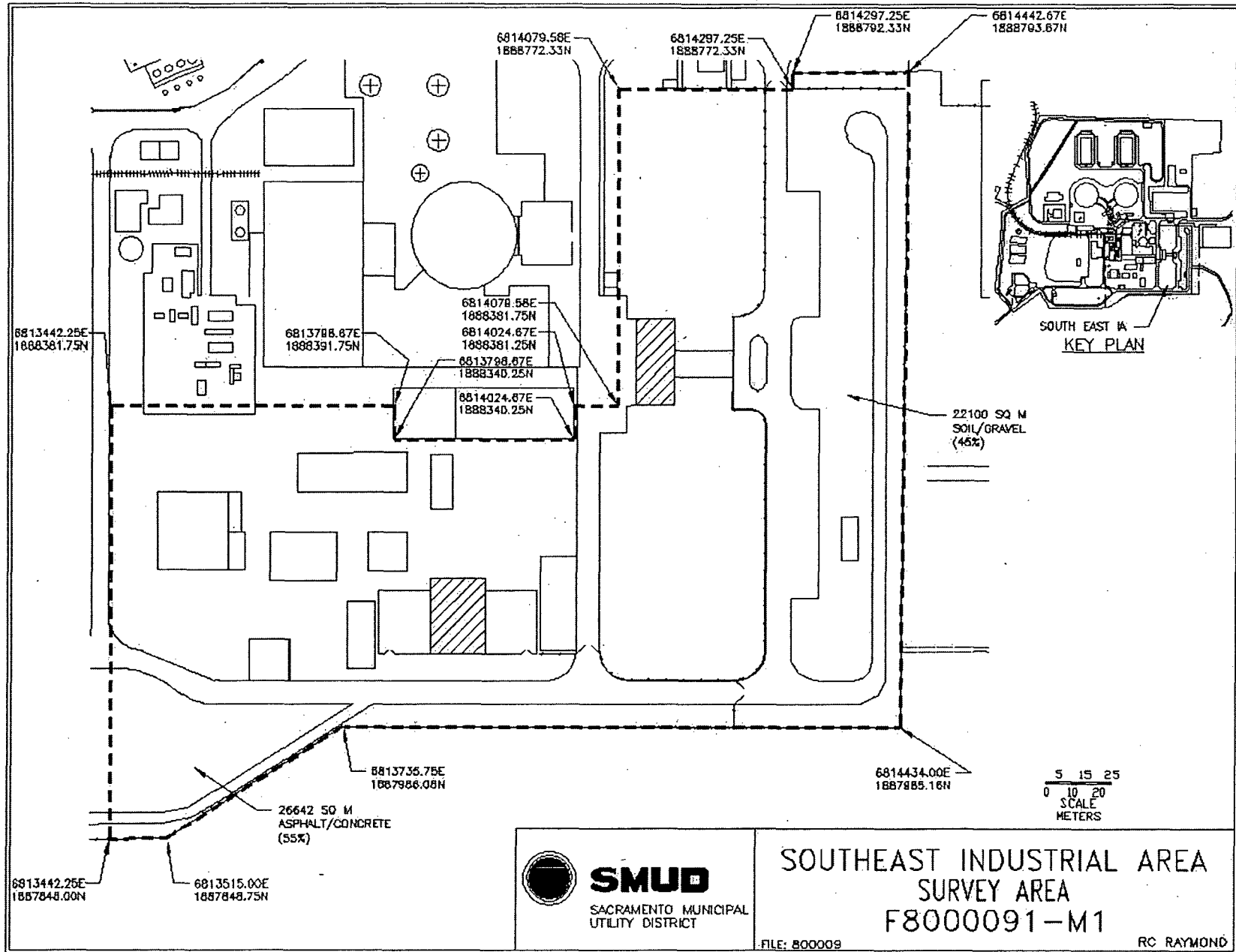
It is concluded that survey unit F8000091 meets the release criteria of 10CFR20.1402.

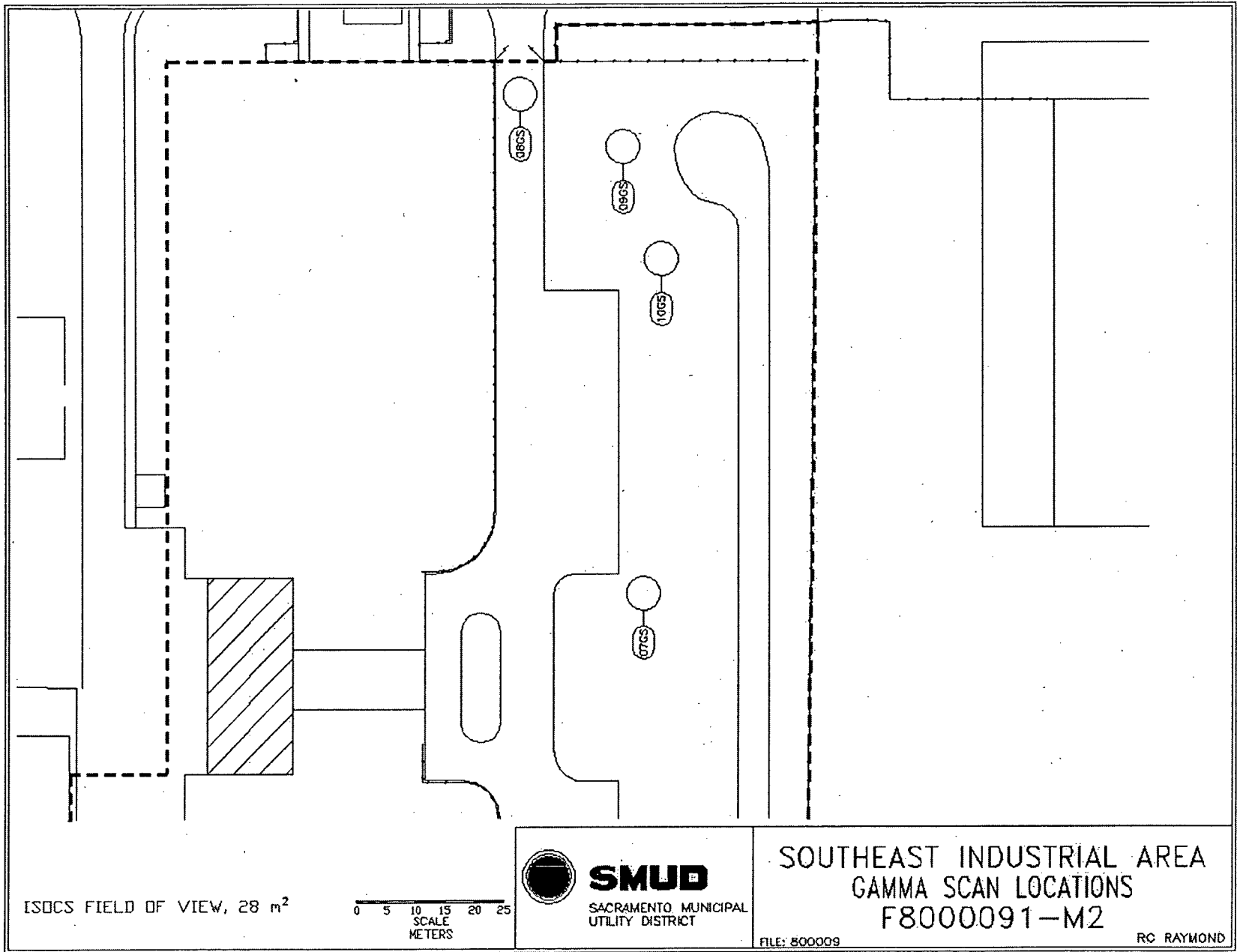
Attachment 1

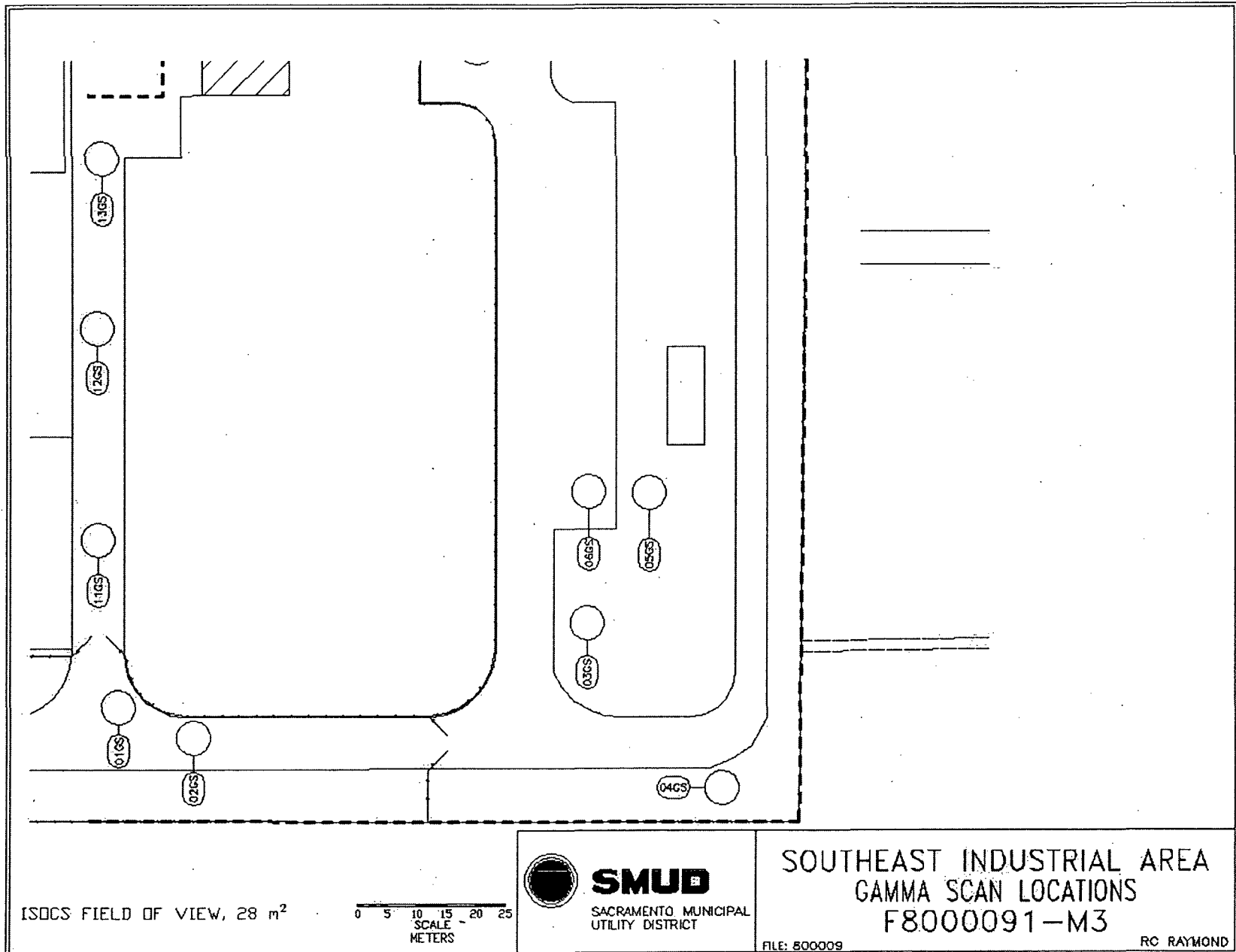
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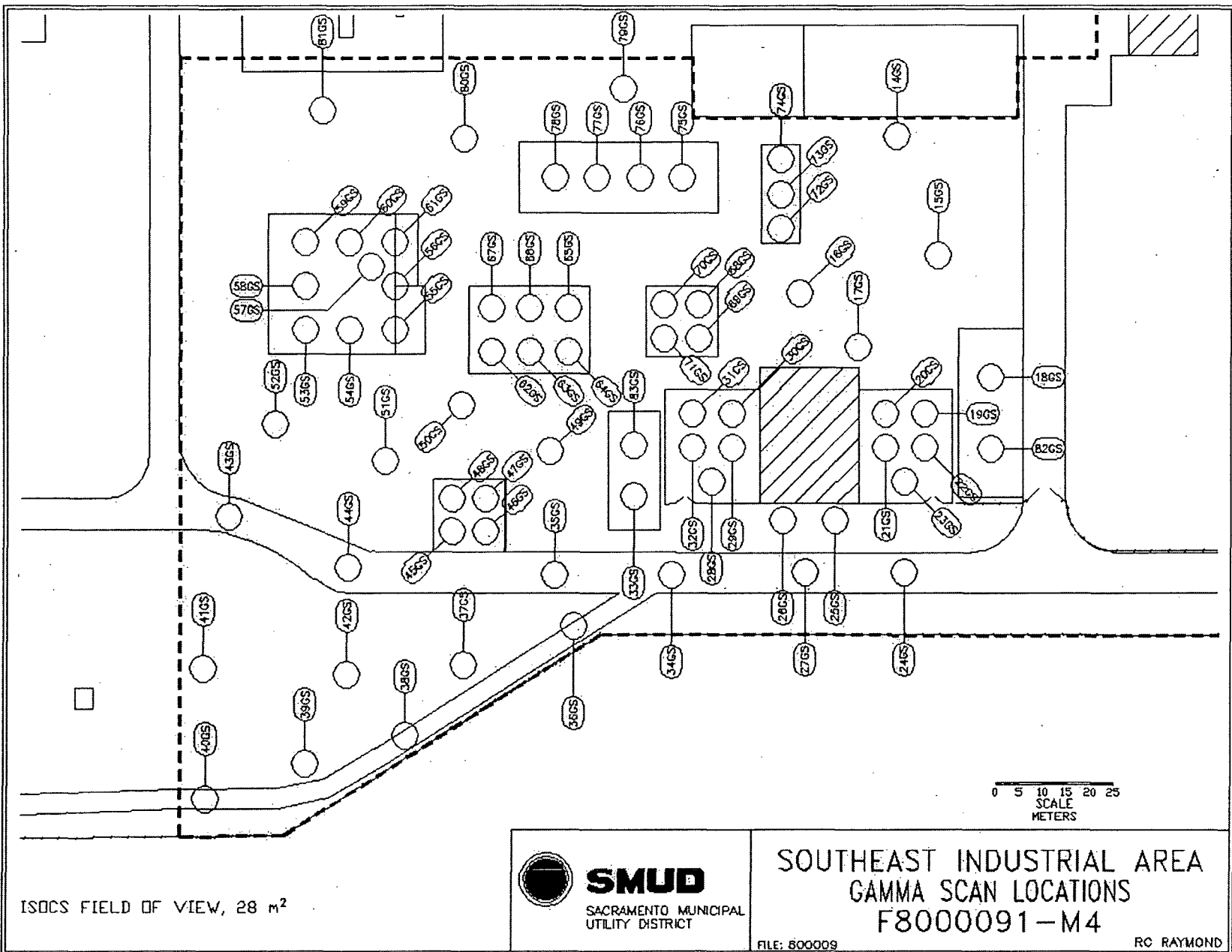
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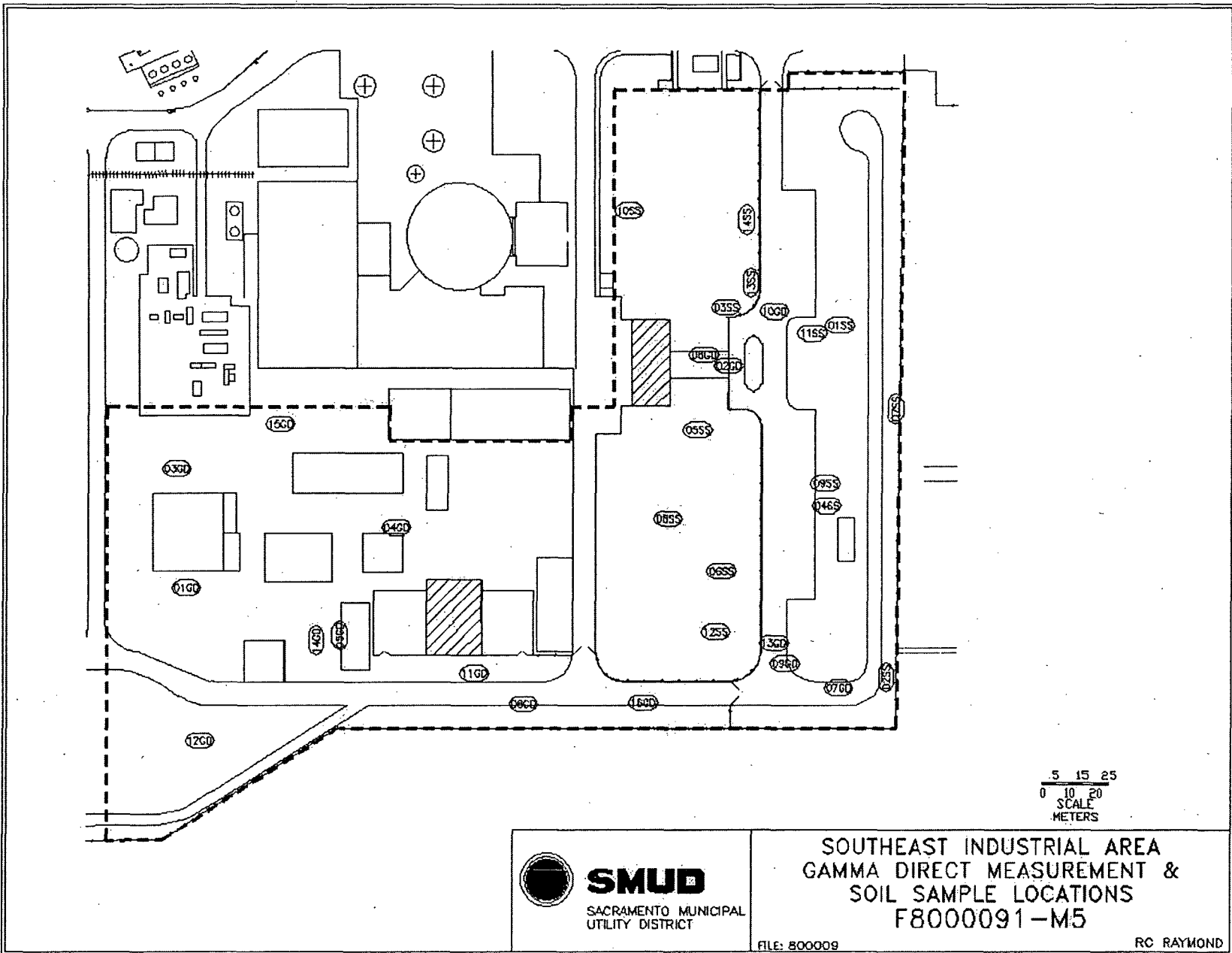
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Attachment 2

Instrumentation

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Table 2-1. Survey Unit Instrumentation.

Instrument	Detector Model No.	Detector Serial No.	MDC
HPGe	N/A	9987008	Soil – 0.06 pCi/g Cs-137
HPGe	N/A	05047773	Soil – 0.09 pCi/g Cs-137
Inspector	N/A	08051294	Concrete 0.7 pCi/g Cs-137 Asphalt – 0.8 pCi/g Cs-137
ISOCS	N/A	2983947	Soil – 0.3 pCi/g Cs-137 Soil – 0.1 pCi/g Co-60 Asphalt – 0.3 pCi/g Cs-137 Concrete- 0.4 pCi/g Cs-137

Table 2-2. Investigation Criteria and DCGL

Instrument	Parameter	Value
ISOCS	Investigation Criteria - Scan	Soil – 23 pCi/g Cs-137 Soil – 5.7 pCi/g Co-60 Asphalt – 23 pCi/g Cs-137
All	DCGL _w	52.6 Cs-137 12.6 Co-60
All	DCGL _{EMC}	N/A

Attachment 3

Investigation

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(none required)

Attachment 4

Data Assessment

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