

County of San Luis Obispo Onsite Environmental Coordinator  
Guadalupe 8X Sump Removal  
Update 1-20-2016

The Chevron team (Entact/Padre) began the 8X sump removal this morning as described and discussed in the 1-15-2016 MACC conference call. The following photo-report provides a description of the activities that have been completed as of yet in the 8X area and also provides any of the interested parties an opportunity to identify additional requests in terms of special monitoring requirements for any tasks associated with these activities.

The San Luis Obispo County Onsite Environmental Coordinator (OEC) continues to be present during all of the 8X sump removal activities.



Access corridor along the 7X Road and current ORV Trail used for all equipment access to the 8X Site.



8X Site prior to any ground disturbance. Sand fence shows the area of the old 8X Remediation site.



Mini-excavator used to clear clean overburden off of the sump material. This clean overburden will eventually be used to backfill over the excavation pit at the conclusion of excavation.



Sump material was loaded directly into the bucket of a tracked front-end loader which was then tracked back out along the beach and out the 7X Access Road. Sump material was dumped into haul trucks which then hauled the material to the M3 Stockpile Site.





Excavating sump material. Although much of the exterior material was hard, deeper material in the interior of the sump was more pliable.



As visible in the photo above, the sump material was excavated to an approximate depth of 2-3 feet. The area was sampled and will be backfilled with clean overburden after all the sump material has been removed. Chevron anticipates at least one additional full day of excavation.