# Investigation Update

CC RVAAP-69 Bldg 1048 Fire Station

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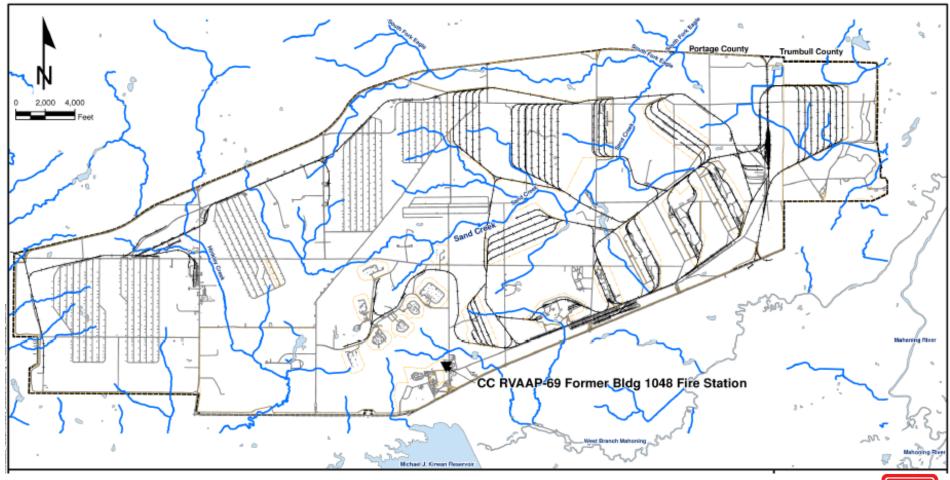


#### Overview

- Site location
- Historical use
- Investigation results to date
- Path forward



#### Site Location







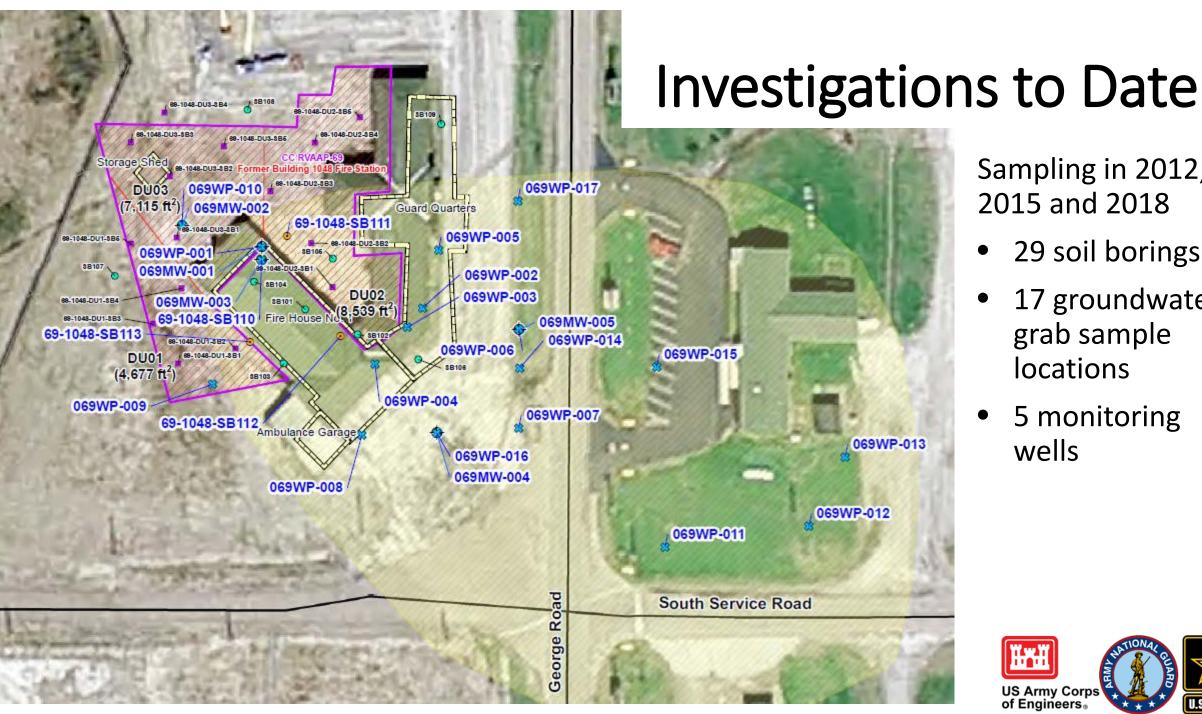
#### **Historical Use**

- Fire station built in early 1940's; demolished 2008
- Carbon tetrachloride fire extinguishers used through 1950's
- Carbon tetrachloride reportedly discharged to the ground behind the building









Sampling in 2012, 2015 and 2018

- 29 soil borings
- 17 groundwater grab sample locations
- 5 monitoring wells



# Investigation Results to Date – Geology

- Brown clays with interbedded silts and sands extend as deep as
  15 to 19 feet below the surface
- Gray clay layer below the brown clays is 4 to 7 feet thick
- Weathered bedrock (Upper Sharon Aquifer) encountered below the gray clay (about 19 to 23 feet below the surface)
- Auger refusal at 28 feet below the surface

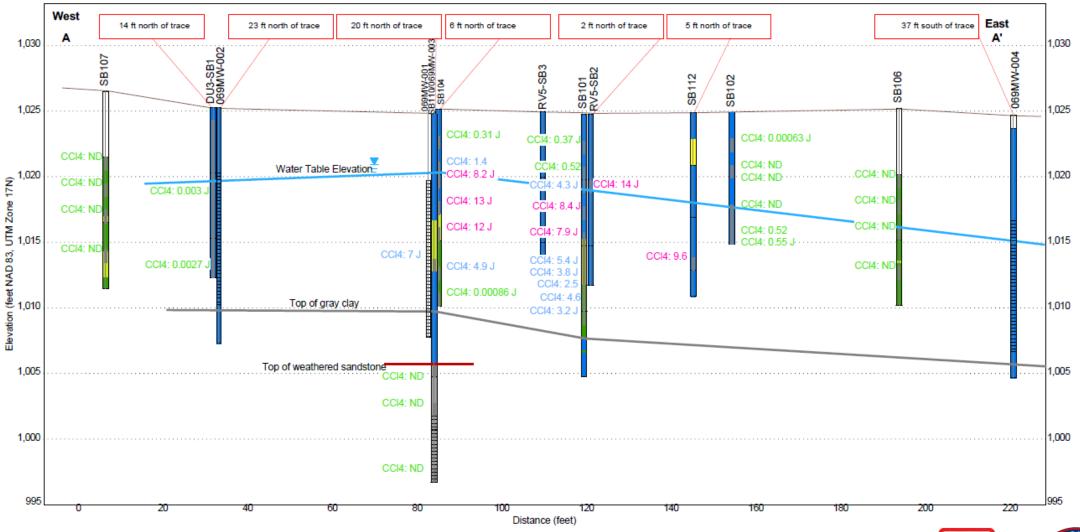




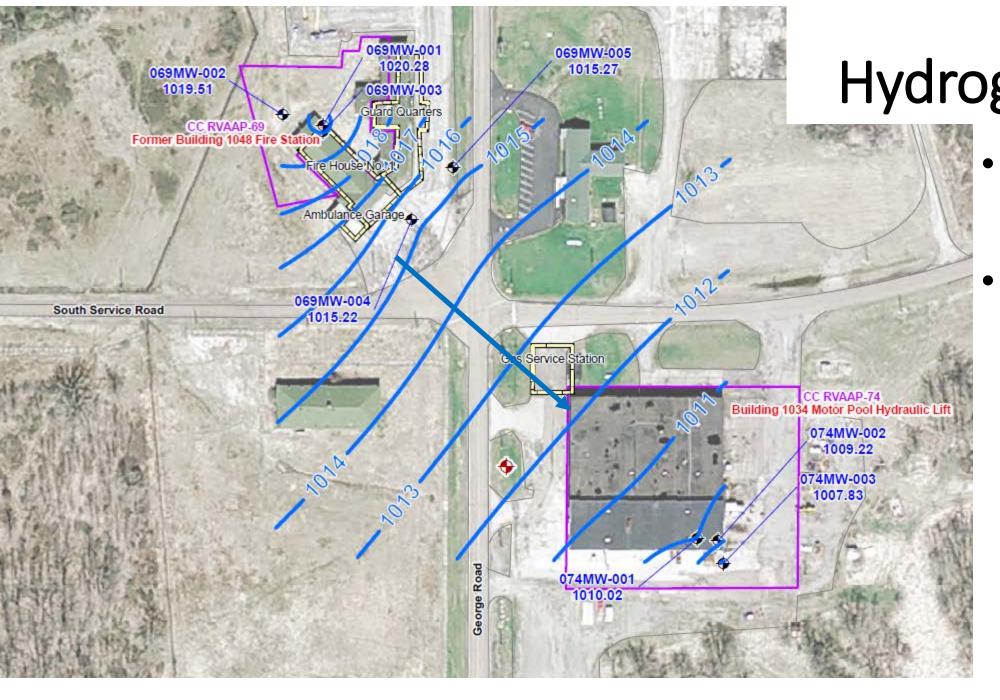




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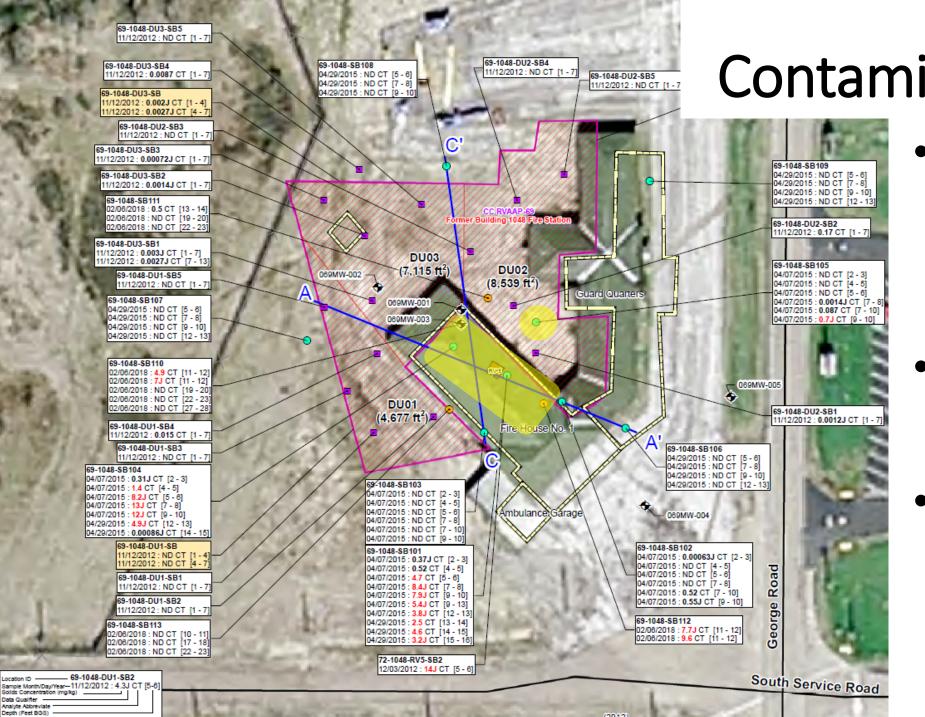






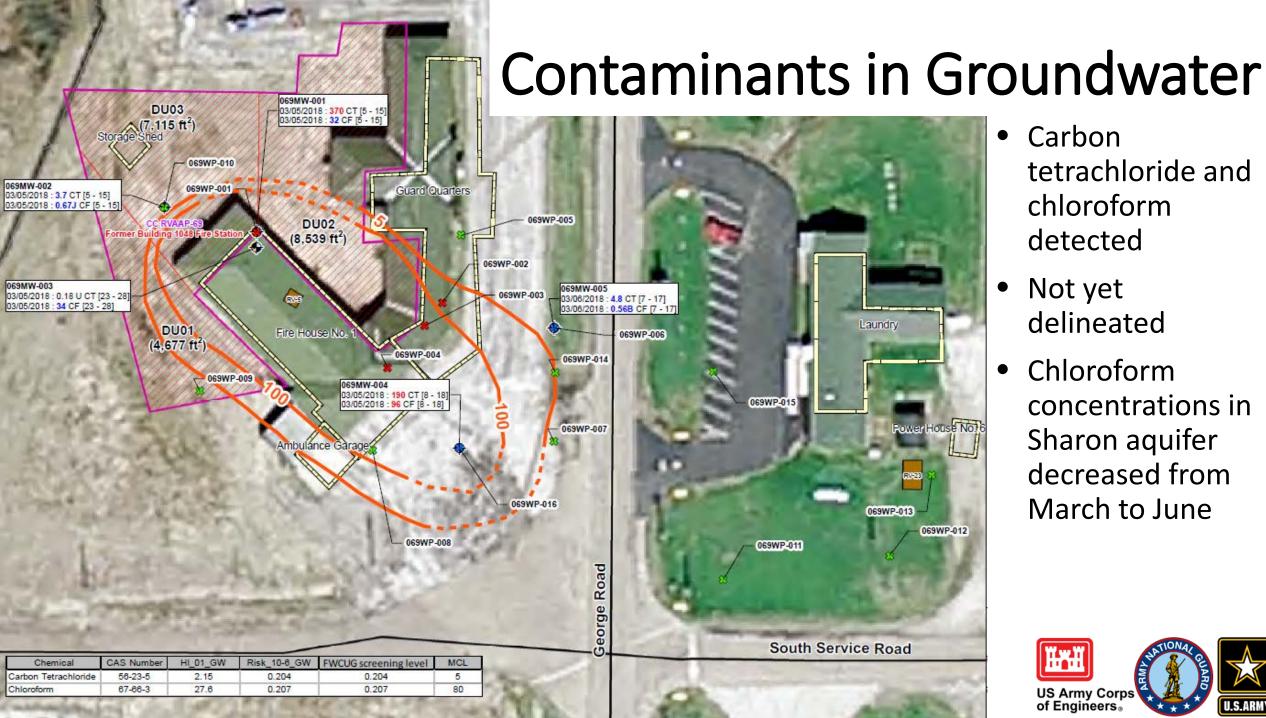
- Hydrogeology
  - Groundwater flows to the southeast
  - Hydraulic head in shallow groundwater is about 3 feet higher than in Upper Sharon Aquifer





- Contaminants in Soil
  - Carbon tetrachloride located within former building footprint
  - Contaminants not found behind former building
  - No contaminants in gray clay or bedrock





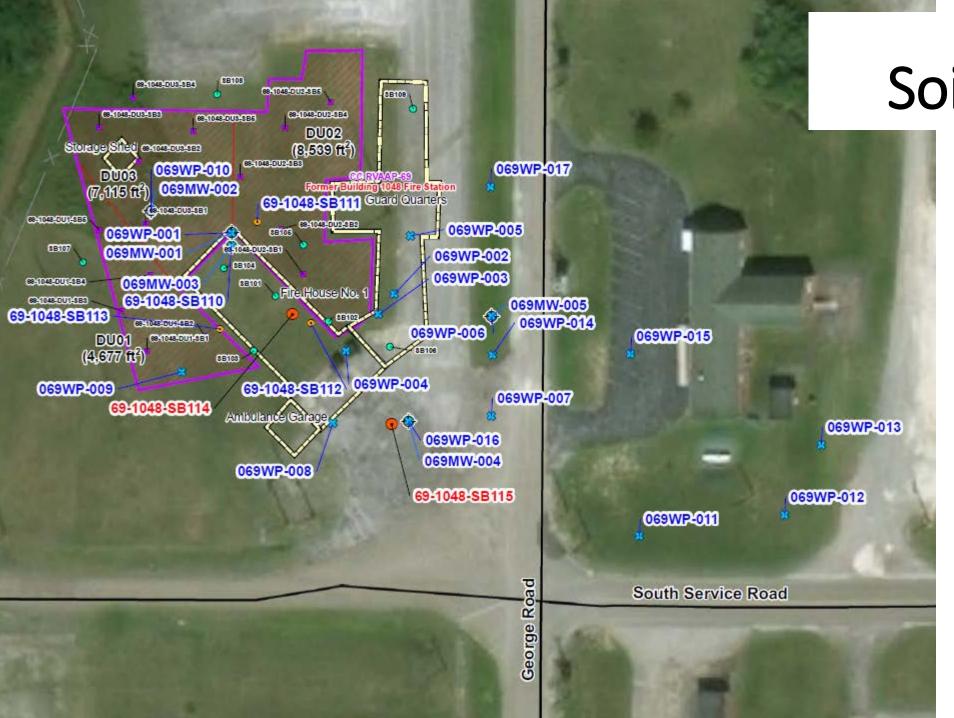
- Carbon tetrachloride and chloroform detected
- Not yet delineated
- Chloroform concentrations in Sharon aquifer decreased from March to June



#### Path Forward

- Complete geology characterization to southeast (extent and thickness of gray clay)
- Confirm vertical extent of contamination to southeast
  - Advance two new soil borings in November 2018
- Complete delineation of groundwater plume
  - Install four new wells in November 2018
- Collect four quarterly groundwater samples from all wells
- Conduct additional sampling as needed depending on results

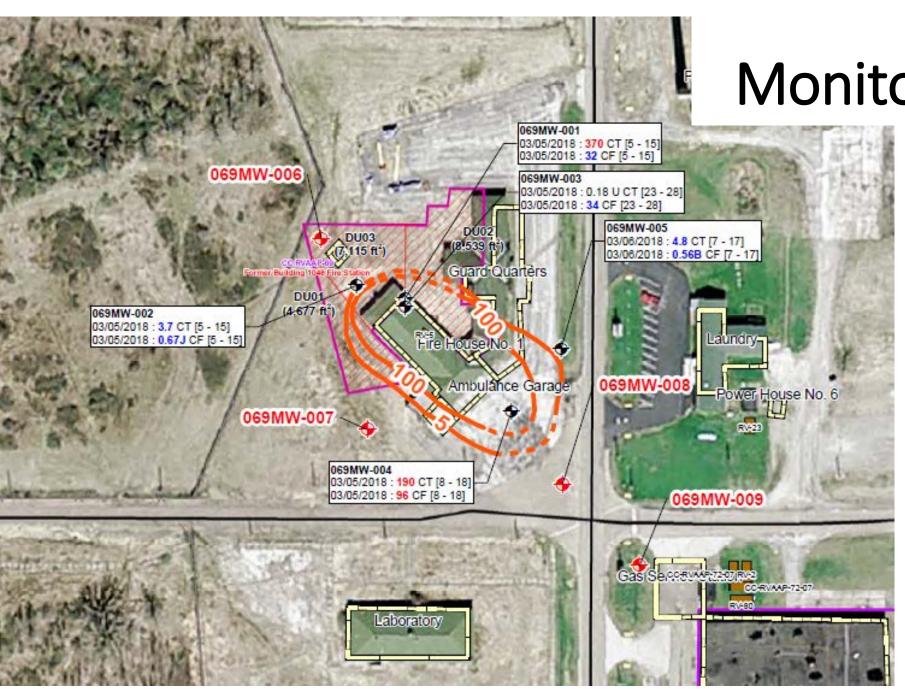




# Soil Borings

- Two soil borings advanced to top of Upper Sharon Aquifer
- Collect soil samples for chemical analysis
- Collect one sample from gray clay layer





Monitoring Wells

- One upgradient
  - One cross-gradient
- Two down-gradient
- Sample all 9 wells for carbon tetrachloride and decay products (chloroform, methylene chloride and choromethane)



