Dear Ms. Davidson,
Thank you for your interest in the Del Amo Superfund site. In response to your inquiry, I have provided the following information to supplement the summary description that you found on our webpage. Let me know if you have further questions.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. Your first question asked for more information about the former plant operators. You referenced the following excerpt from the site overview webpage: "... styrene plant operated by Dow Chemical Co., a butadiene plant operated by Shell Oil Co., and a synthetic rubber plant operated by U.S. Rubber Co., Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., and others." First, U.S. Rubber Co. was the predecessor of Uniroyal, and later, Michelin North America Inc. The other parties involved in the operation of the rubber plant consisted of Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company (3M) and Midland Rubber Corporation.

2. Your second question asked where the off site locations for disposal of the sludge, etc were, in terms of today's cities and roads. You referenced the following excerpt from the site overview webpage: "Settled sludge from the separator units was disposed of either off site or in a waste disposal area located on site." It is not known where these off-site locations were. Our investigations were unable to identify these locations.

For additional information, see the Site History section of the remedial investigation report, available on the site overview webpage (www.epa.gov/region09/delamo), Documents and Reports section, Technical Documents subsection. The report is listed as "06/28/07 Remedial Investigation Report, Soil & NAPL Operable Unit, Del Amo Superfund Site, Los Angeles, California." The direct link is: http://yosemite.epa.gov/r9/sfund/r9sfdocw.nsf/3dc283e6c5d6056f88257426007417a2/a43f999ec9af83c288257370058b9a31OpenDocument

Hi- As a public records request I am asking for some clarification in your description on the site http://yosemite.epa.gov/r9/sfund/r9sfdocw.nsf/ViewByEPAID/CAD029544731/OpenDocument&Start=1&Cc=1 where it states:
From 1943 until 1972, the Del Amo Facility site was a center of large-scale industrial activity. Originally built to produce synthetic rubber during World War II and owned by the United States government, the 280-acre operation consisted of a styrene plant operated by Dow Chemical Co., a butadiene plant operated by Shell Oil Co., and a synthetic rubber plant operated by U.S. Rubber Co., and others.

And in addition, can you please tell me where are the off site locations for disposal of the mentioned below, in terms of today's cities and roads? "Settled sludge from the separator units was disposed of either off site or in a waste pond located on site."

Can you please send me a list of the "others". Thank you very much.
Joan Davidson