



July 1, 2013

## CITY OF CARSON

Dear Carousel Tract Residents and Homeowners,

The Mayor and City Council cordially invite you to a City-sponsored workshop to discuss the environmental investigation taking place in the Carousel neighborhood related to the former Kast Tank Farm. The meeting will be held on **Thursday, July 18, 2013, at 6:30 p.m.** at the Juanita Millender-McDonald Community Center, Halls AB, 801 East Carson Street, Carson, CA, 90745.

The Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) and the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) will provide information on the status of the environmental investigation and will explain the upcoming process for establishing a cleanup strategy, called a Remedial Action Plan (or RAP), that details how Shell Oil Products US (Shell) will go about cleaning residual oil and other wastes in soil and groundwater in the community that was caused by activities at the Former Kast Tank Farm property. The Regional Board oversees the investigation and cleanup activities in the Carousel Tract community to ensure that all environmental work is conducted in a thorough manner that is most protective of human health and the environment.

The City of Carson is actively encouraging the Regional Board to take all appropriate measures to ensure that the Carousel neighborhood is properly and expeditiously remediated. This workshop provides an opportunity for the community to learn about and provide input on the activities associated with the investigation and cleanup at the site.

For current information on the environmental investigation, please contact the following:

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If you would like to submit questions prior to the City Council meeting, please contact Sheri Repp Loadsman, Planning Officer, at (310) 952-1773, or e-mail your questions to [srepp@carson.ca.us](mailto:srepp@carson.ca.us). We would appreciate receiving your questions by July 16, 2013.

Sincerely,

Jackie Acosta  
Acting City Manager

cc: Mayor and City Council  
Department Directors