interoffice
MEMORANDUM

To: Janet Hicks, Health Department

From: J. Randall Lyman, Pretreatment Coordinator

Subject: 4915 S. Farm Road 137 (Scenic)

Date: June 9, 1998

CC: Ed Malter, Bob Schaefer, Jim Fry, Wayne Latimer, file

Our office has been contacted regarding what appears to be sewage surfacing in the front lawn of the above address. The owner has been contacted by the occupants and the owner indicates that the septic system is in the 'back' yard. The owner plans to be in Springfield within the next couple of weeks. The City has a 24-inch force main pumping sewage from the James River Lift Station along the east side of Scenic (F.R. 137) but Wayne Latimer, Sewer Maintenance Supervisor, could find no problem with the City force main. We believe if a leak on the force main were to occur it would follow a path of least resistance and would surface along the west bank of Allendale lake. Wayne also indicated he probed around with a rod and used a metal locator and found some evidence pointing to the septic system being located in the rear of the house. He found no indication of a septic tank in the front yard, however, other than the surfacing area. This address and the immediate vicinity is not served by City or other sanitary sewer. We understand that we should probably turn this investigation over to your jurisdiction for further study, i.e. dye testing etc. See the attached for location and more information. If you need any assistance or we can answer any questions, please let us know.

Randy Lyman

Pretreatment Coordinator

Wayne Latimer

Sewer Maintenance Supervisor

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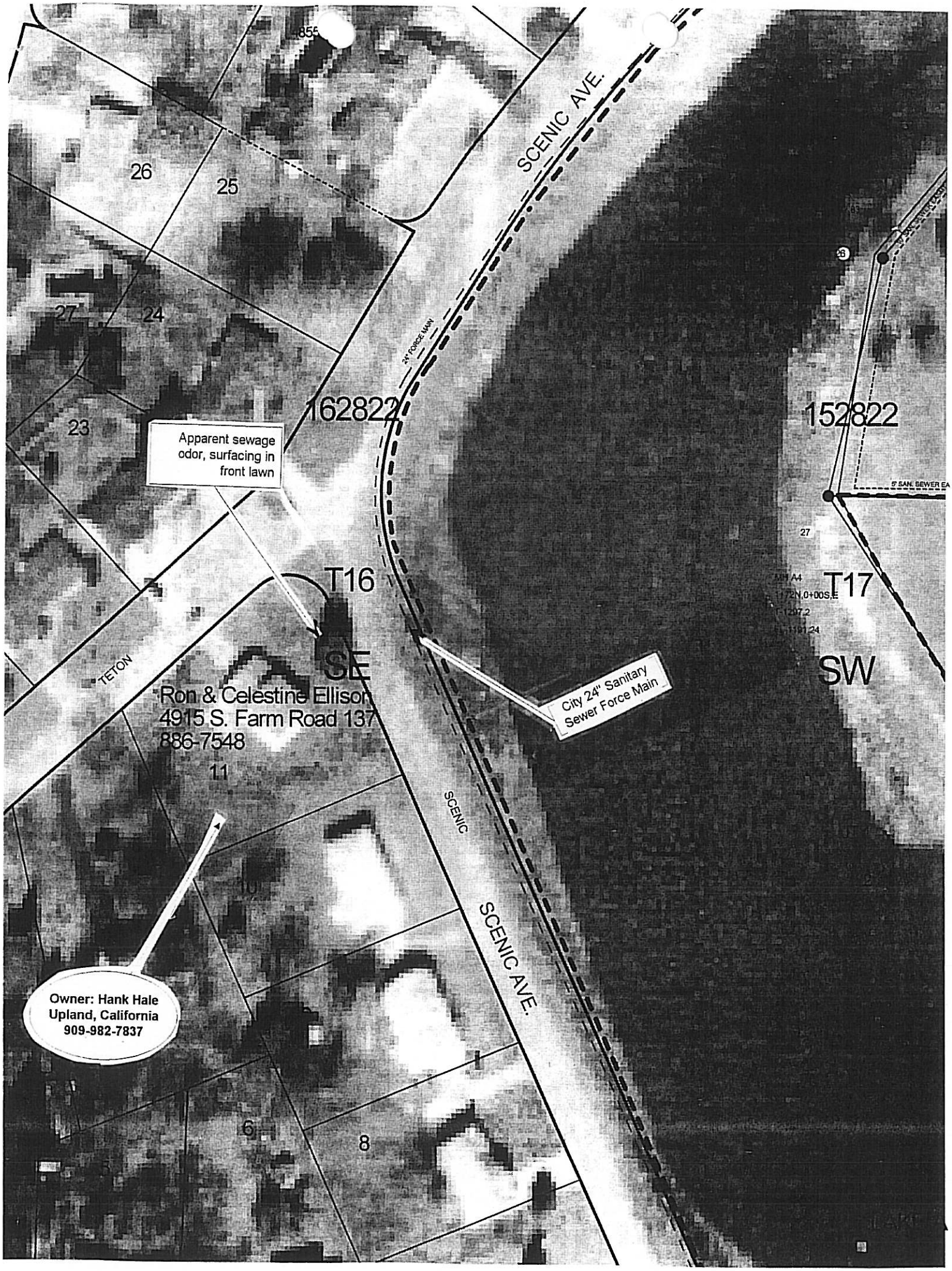
(Scenic) 4915 S. F.R. 137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Ron & Celestine Ellison
4915 S. Farm Road 137
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