

# TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM



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| <b>RE:</b>    | <b>MEADOWBANK GOLD PROJECT<br/>2007 BASELINE GROUNDWATER QUALITY</b> |                    |                                  |

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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

The following technical memorandum provides results from the 2007 groundwater monitoring program and compares the new data to those of previous years. Completion of the groundwater monitoring program is a condition of the Meadowbank Project Certificate No.004 issued by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) on December 30, 2006.

### **1.1 Background**

Since 2003, seven groundwater monitoring wells have been installed at the project site, to evaluate the baseline groundwater quality at the Goose Island and Portage pits, and underneath the proposed tailings basin in the North Arm of Second Portage Lake. Groundwater flow and quality data obtained from these areas have been used as input into the water quality model for the site (Golder, 2005; 2007).

The last round of groundwater quality monitoring and well replacement prior to 2007 occurred in August and early September 2006. During that time, three replacement wells were installed. The new wells were developed and all new and existing wells were extensively purged prior to sampling. The successful well development and purging of wells together with acceptable duplication of the 2006 results have provided a high level of confidence in the adequacy of the 2006 data to represent actual baseline groundwater concentrations at the site (Golder, 2006). Mine development has not been initiated since 2006 in the areas where groundwater monitoring wells are installed.

Due to property ownership transfer and associated intense camp activity that occurred at the onset of the field season, the 2007 groundwater monitoring session was initiated on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007 and the 30 to 40 days required to complete the program meant that only one sampling session could be completed in 2007. This has been communicated to NIRB in a correspondence by Agnico-Eagle Mines Ltd. (AE, 2007).

## **2.0 SITE CONDITIONS**

The Goose Island and Portage pits will be developed in areas of thawed permafrost (talik) underneath Third Portage Lake, while the tailings are proposed to be deposited in the basin of the North arm of Second Portage Lake where a talik also exists. Groundwater monitoring data was used to predict the quality of water accumulating in the pits during operation, and to determine baseline groundwater quality underneath the tailings basin before tailing deposition. To this end, groundwater monitoring wells have been installed to sample talik water in these areas, in each of the three main lithologies that will be encountered in the Goose Island and Portage pits, namely Iron Formation (IF), Intermediate Volcanic (IV) and Ultramafic (UM) rock. No groundwater monitoring wells have been installed at the Vault deposit, as the Vault pit will be developed in continuous permafrost or in a talik that does not extend down through the permafrost (referred to as a “closed talik”).

Four of the seven wells were installed in 2003: MW03-01, MW03-02, MW03-03, and MW03-04. During subsequent sampling events, it was discovered that three of these wells (MW03-02, MW03-03, and MW03-04) developed internal damage likely due to freezing, rendering them inoperable (Golder, 2004a; 2004b). In 2006, three additional wells (MW06-05, MW06-06, and MW06-07) were installed to replace the damaged wells. Figure 1 shows the locations of the groundwater monitoring wells.

During the 2007 groundwater sampling, the three wells installed in 2006 were also found to be inoperable due to breakage or internal malfunction (MW06-05, MW06-06, and MW06-07). Only one groundwater well could therefore be sampled in 2007. Well MW03-01 was sampled on two occasions in August 2007.

### **2.1 Well Development and Sampling Procedures**

Prior to sampling, the permafrost around well MW03-01 was thawed over a period of 4 days, by energizing the heater cables attached to the wells. The well was purged to remove standing water inside the well and to induce the flow of fresh groundwater from the rock formation. Purging was conducted using compressed air through flexible 5/8-inch (o.d.) High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) WaTerra® tubing. Groundwater was continually airlifted from the wells until electrical conductivity and pH readings stabilized (values remaining within 10% for three consecutive

readings). Field parameter readings and descriptions of water clarity and colour observed during well purging are included in groundwater sampling data sheets, in Appendix I.

Groundwater was sampled immediately after purging, using a Solinst® stainless steel Double Valve Pump (DVP) and ¼" Low Density Polyethylene (LDPE) tubing. Compressed nitrogen gas was used to evacuate water that entered the sampler unit. Nitrogen gas is stable and avoids alteration of groundwater chemistry during sampling. Water samples were collected using guideline procedures described by the USEPA (2002). Indicator parameters (conductivity, pH) were measured during well development, purging and sampling. Groundwater samples were collected in clean, laboratory-supplied containers. Where required, preservatives were added to the sample bottles prior to sample collection, to minimize chemical alteration during transport to the laboratory. Samples analyzed for dissolved metals were filtered through a 45 µm inline filter.

## **2.2 Analyses**

### ***Field Parameters***

Measurements of groundwater temperature, pH, electrical conductivity, total dissolved solids (TDS), and dissolved oxygen were obtained in the field during purging and sampling. Measurements were recorded on groundwater sampling data sheets included in Appendix I. Alkalinity was also measured during sampling.

### ***Laboratory Parameters***

All groundwater samples were stored in coolers with ice packs and sealed before being shipped to the CANTEST laboratory in Winnipeg for chemical analyses. These analyses included: pH, conductivity, alkalinity (total, bicarbonate, carbonate, and hydroxide), hardness, total suspended solids (TSS), major anions (including sulphate, chloride and fluoride), total metals, dissolved metals, and nutrients (nitrate, nitrite, ammonia nitrogen, TKN, and total phosphate). Samples were collected under strict Chain-of-Custody (COC) procedures to ensure that samples were not compromised during shipping to CANTEST. A copy of the COC form and certificate of analysis are included in Appendix II.

## **2.3 Comparative Guidelines**

Water accumulating in the pits will be pumped to the stormwater attenuation ponds, and the water from these ponds will be monitored prior to discharge to Third Portage Lake. Groundwater quality data is therefore compared to the Metal Mining Effluent Regulations (MMER; DFO, 2002). For consistency with previous reports, groundwater quality was also compared to the Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment's (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines for the protection of freshwater aquatic life (CEQG-fw, updated 2006). This

comparison is qualitative only, as groundwater in the pit will not be discharged directly to the environment. Guidelines for metals are defined for total rather than dissolved phases in both the CEQG and MMER.

## **2.4 Quality Assurance/Quality Control**

Guideline procedures provided by the USEPA (2002) were followed to ensure that the samples collected from the wells were representative of water flowing through the targeted rock formations. These procedures included the following:

- measurement of field parameters at selected intervals until stable readings (within 10% of each other) were acquired;
- minimizing the exposure of the sampled water to the atmosphere;
- using compressed, inert gas (nitrogen) to evacuate samples;
- conducting in-situ measurements of sensitive chemical parameters (pH, conductivity, dissolved oxygen, alkalinity, where applicable);
- keeping the samples refrigerated on ice from the time of collection until shipment to the laboratory; and,
- shipping the samples to the laboratory in temperature-regulated coolers within the specified sample holding times.

Upon collection of each sample, standard chain of custody procedures were adhered to.

A duplicate (FD) sample was collected for the groundwater sample. The relative percent difference (RPD) was calculated for the pair of FD samples, and each set of results was compared for reproducibility. For results greater than or equal to five times the method detection limit (MDL), a water quality objective of 20% RPD or less was established as per USEPA recommended methods (USEPA, 1994). Where one or both results of the duplicate pair were less than 5 times the MDL, a margin of +/- MDL was considered acceptable.

## **3.0 RESULTS**

### **3.1 Monitoring Well Conditions**

The following provides a summary of the physical conditions observed at monitoring wells MW06-05, MW06-06 and MW06-07 and MW03-01. The other wells were not monitored.

### ***Well MW03-01***

This well was installed in ultramafic (UM) rock. Groundwater purged from this well was clear, relatively free of sediment, and the well pipe was in good condition. Approximately 4 well volumes (defined as the volume of water in the piezometer relative to the regional groundwater table) were purged from this well over 5 days prior to sampling. The sample intake point was positioned above the screened interval (of 185 m to 200 m depth), at a depth of 170 m.

### ***Well MW06-05***

This well was installed in Intermediate Volcanic (IV) rock at Goose Island. In 2006, the well became obstructed at approximately 56 m depth and sampling equipment could not be lowered deeper than that point. This well was thawed to observe its condition in 2007 but the obstruction remained and the well could not be developed or sampled during the 2007 program.

### ***Well MW06-06***

This well was installed in Iron Formation (IF) rock at Goose Island. A malfunction of the heat trace cable, possibly a short circuit, prevented thawing of the well and consequently, could not be sampled. As the heat trace cables attached to the wells were energized to melt the permafrost, it was observed that a large amount of electrical power was drawn out of the generator resulting in melting of the fusible element in a 40 Ampere rated fuse. The site electrician investigated and advised that the heat trace cables had gone to ground possibly due to a break in the wiring. The cause for the break in wiring is not known but possibly due to freezing or freeze-thaw.

### ***Well MW06-07***

This well was installed in layered Intermediate Volcanic (IV) and quartzite (QTZ) rock on the south side of the Northwest arm of Second Portage Lake. Similar to MW06-06, the middle and/or lower section of heat trace tape was concluded to have gone to ground (short-circuited) by the site electrician. Consequently, permafrost could not be melted and groundwater could not be sampled.

## **3.2 Water Quality Data**

The groundwater quality results obtained in 2003, 2004, 2006 and 2007 are presented in Table 1 (at end of text). All results met MMER monthly mean criteria (2002), while some results exceed the CEQG-fw. Since salinity of groundwater was of interest to groundwater modelling (Golder, 2007) to predict the quality of water that would accumulated within the Goose Island and Portage open pits during operation, the concentration of constituents used to predict salinity are presented in Table 2. Results show that calculated total dissolved solids (TDS), sodium and chloride concentrations at MW03-01 in 2007 are within, and in the lower end of, the range of

concentrations previously obtained and utilized in the most recent update to the site water quality model (Golder, 2007).

**Table 2: Concentration of Constituents that Relate to Groundwater Salinity.**

| Location                                    | Monitoring Well      | Lithology  | sampling year | Average calculated TDS <sup>1</sup> (mg/L) | Average sodium <sup>2</sup> (mg/L) | Average chloride <sup>2</sup> (mg/L) |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------------|------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Goose Island                                | MW03-01              | UM         | 2003          | 793                                        | 21                                 | 624                                  |
|                                             |                      |            | 2004          | 1335                                       | 327                                | 845                                  |
|                                             |                      |            | 2006          | 228                                        | 28                                 | 65                                   |
|                                             |                      |            | 2007          | 296                                        | 35                                 | 126                                  |
|                                             | MW03-02              | IF         | 2003          | 387                                        | 6                                  | 5                                    |
|                                             |                      |            | 2004          | 499                                        | 90                                 | 255                                  |
| MW06-06 <sup>3</sup>                        | IF                   | 2006       | 633           | 57                                         | 318                                |                                      |
| North Portage                               | MW03-03              | Portage IV | 2003          | 254                                        | 16                                 | 50                                   |
|                                             |                      |            | 2004          | 239                                        | 32                                 | 121                                  |
| Average, Goose Island and Portage pit areas |                      |            |               | 518                                        | 68                                 | 268                                  |
| Second Portage Lake                         | MW03-04              | Portage IV | 2003          | 154                                        | 53                                 | 13                                   |
|                                             | MW06-07 <sup>4</sup> | QTZ/ IV    | 2006          | 194                                        | 8                                  | 33                                   |
| Average, tailings disposal area             |                      |            |               | 174                                        | 30                                 | 23                                   |

Notes: 1. average of all results from that year

2. average dissolved concentration, all results from that year.

3. replaces well MW03-02

4. replaces well MW03-04

Figure 2 is a trilinear (Piper) plot showing general trends in the major ion chemistry of groundwater for the different lithologies. Lake water quality is also shown for comparison (Azimuth, 2003). Lake water quality has a fairly consistent chemical signature while the chemistry of groundwater shows distinct signatures for each lithology. Groundwater generally plots away from the signature of lake water, although groundwater from two of the IV wells (MW03-03 and tailing basin well MW06-07) is chemically similar to that of lake water.

### **Well MW03-01**

Two groundwater samples were collected in August 2007 from monitoring well MW03-01. Although salinity components (sodium and chloride) are slightly higher in 2007 than in 2006, they are within the range of values measured since 2003. Dissolved metals and metalloid concentrations at this location in 2007 do not differ appreciably from those reported in 2006. The chemical signature is also similar to that determined from 2006 data. The following provides further details on salinity, major ion and metal concentrations.

In 2007, the field conductivity of the first sample collected from MW03-01 was 776 uS/cm, which is higher than the 2006 values (382 to 538 uS/cm), but significantly lower than those

reported in 2003 to 2004 (1855 and 2500 uS/cm, respectively). Conductivity and TDS follow similar trends in time.

Chloride concentrations in 2007 (126 mg/L, for both samples) are similar to those of 2006 (128 mg/L) while sodium concentrations are slightly lower in 2007 (34.2 and 35 mg/L) than in 2006 (52.5 mg/L).

In the 2007 sample, the concentrations of other major ions that contribute to salinity (calcium and magnesium, sulphate and bicarbonate) are also within the ranges of 2006 data.

Total and dissolved metal concentrations from MW03-1 in 2007 were below the MMER for all regulated parameters. Total and dissolved metal concentrations for the samples collected from MW03-01 were below the CEQG-fw guidelines with the exception of dissolved fluoride and total iron which showed a marginal exceedance to their respective guideline.

### ***Quality Assurance/Quality Control***

Groundwater monitoring well MW03-01 was sampled twice on August 17, 2007. Both samples were analyzed for the same suite of parameters. Table 3 presents the Relative Percent Difference (RPD) calculated from each duplicated result, per the following:

$$\text{RPD} = \frac{\text{absolute [difference (concentration of a given parameter)]}}{[\text{average (concentration of a given parameter)}]} \times 100$$

The large majority of analytical results have adequate precision, as the RPD values are generally less than the target level of 20%. Exceptions to this include total suspended solids (40% RPD) and total phosphorous (35 % RPD) which are slightly above the target level.

## **4.0 CONCLUSION**

The 2007 groundwater monitoring program for the Meadowbank site occurred during August of 2007. Property ownership transfer and intense camp activity that occurred in 2007 precluded the completion of two sampling rounds and the replacement of defective wells. Out of the 7 monitoring wells installed at the site since 2003, one well remained operable in 2007. The one operable well MW03-01 was sampled in duplicate in August 2007.

Groundwater quality from MW03-01 in 2007 met MMER monthly mean criteria for all regulated parameters. Minor exceedances to the freshwater CEQG occurred for dissolved fluoride and total iron. Salinity components (TDS, sodium and chloride concentrations) were slightly higher in 2007 than in 2006, but fell within the range of values measured since 2003. Dissolved metals and

metalloid concentrations at this location in 2007 did not differ appreciably from those reported in 2006. The chemical signatures were also similar to those obtained from 2006 data.

The groundwater quality at MW03-01 has remained fairly consistent between 2006 and 2007, supporting the contention that the 2006 data constitute adequate baseline information for the areas investigated.

Monitoring well design and installation methods have been reviewed and are being revised to improve the robustness of the next generation of installations.

Yours truly,

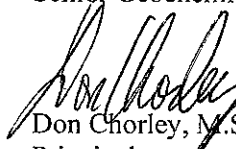
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Attachments: Tables 1 and 3;  
Figures 1 and 2;  
Appendices I and II.



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Table 1  
Groundwater Quality Results  
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| Laboratory sample number<br>Date<br>QA/QC |      | Canadian Water Quality<br>Guideline (Freshwater<br>Aquatic Life) <sup>6</sup> | Metal Mine<br>Effluent<br>Regulation <sup>7</sup> | Ultramafic Rock     |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
|-------------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--|
|                                           |      |                                                                               |                                                   | Goose Island        |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
|                                           |      |                                                                               |                                                   | UM                  |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
|                                           |      |                                                                               |                                                   | MW03-01             |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
|                                           |      | (CEQG)                                                                        | (MMER)                                            | 9755-2<br>07-Sep-03 | 9755-3<br>07-Sep-03<br>FD | 9044-01<br>Aug-7-04 | 9044-02<br>Aug-7-04<br>FD | 12393-01<br>Aug-8-06 | 12393-02<br>Aug-8-06<br>FD | 12395-01<br>Aug-14-06 | 8581-01<br>Aug-17-07 | 8581-02<br>Aug-17-07<br>FD |  |
| FIELD PARAMETERS                          |      |                                                                               |                                                   |                     |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
| Depth of Screen Midpoint (m)              |      | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     | 6.0-9.5                                           | 150                 | 150                       | 150                 | -                         | 150                  | 150                        | 150                   | 150                  | 150                        |  |
| Temperature (oC)                          |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 11.7                | 11.7                      | 8                   | -                         | 7.7                  | -                          | 9.9                   | 6.7                  | -                          |  |
| pH (s.u.)                                 |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 7.36                | 7.36                      | 8.03                | -                         | 7.93                 | -                          | 7.58                  | 7.43                 | -                          |  |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)                      |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 1855                | 1855                      | 2500                | -                         | 382                  | -                          | 538                   | 776                  | -                          |  |
| Redox (mV)                                |      |                                                                               |                                                   | -                   | -                         | 119                 | -                         | -                    | -                          | -                     | -                    | -                          |  |
| Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)                   |      | 5.5 - 9.5                                                                     |                                                   | 2.0                 | 2.0                       | 2.0                 | -                         | 8.6                  | -                          | 4.8                   | 3.8                  | -                          |  |
| Alkalinity (mg/L as CaCO3)                |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 19 - 22             | 19 - 22                   | 27                  | -                         | 33.9                 | -                          | 48.8                  | 39                   | -                          |  |
| TDS (mg/L)                                |      |                                                                               |                                                   | -                   | -                         | -                   | -                         | 193                  | -                          | 405                   | 389                  | -                          |  |
| Clarity                                   |      |                                                                               |                                                   | minor silt          | minor silt                | clear               | -                         | clear                | clear                      | clear                 |                      |                            |  |
| LABORATORY PARAMETERS                     |      |                                                                               |                                                   |                     |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
| Calculated TDS (mg/L)                     |      | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     | 6.0-9.5                                           | 793                 | 793                       | 1335                | -                         | 125                  | 126                        | 292                   | 249                  | 250                        |  |
| pH (s.u.)                                 |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 7.24                | 7.3                       | 7.46                | -                         | -                    | -                          | 7.36                  | 6.78                 | 6.96                       |  |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)                      |      |                                                                               |                                                   | -                   | -                         | 2900                | -                         | -                    | -                          | 634                   | 588                  | 583                        |  |
| Total Alkalinity CaCO3 (mg/L)             |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 30                  | 30                        | 27.3                | -                         | -                    | -                          | 51                    | 36.7                 | 36.7                       |  |
| Bicarbonate Alkalinity HCO3 (mg/L)        |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 36.6                | 36.6                      | 33.3                | -                         | -                    | -                          | 62.2                  | 44.8                 | 44.8                       |  |
| Carbonate Alkalinity CO3 (mg/L)           |      | < 0.5                                                                         | < 0.5                                             | < 0.5               | -                         | -                   | -                         | < 0.5                | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                 |                      |                            |  |
| Hydroxide Alkalinity OH (mg/L)            |      | < 0.5                                                                         | < 0.5                                             | < 0.5               | -                         | -                   | -                         | < 0.5                | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                 |                      |                            |  |
| Dissolved Sulphate SO4 (mg/L)             |      | 15.6                                                                          | 15.8                                              | 15.9                | -                         | 42.8                | 43.1                      | 51.1                 | 46.5                       | 46.3                  |                      |                            |  |
| Hardness CaCO3 (mg/L)*                    |      | 262                                                                           | 267                                               | 380                 | -                         | 75.9                | 77.3                      | 150                  | 107                        | 109                   |                      |                            |  |
| Hardness (Total) CaCO3 (mg/L)*            |      | 318                                                                           | 388                                               | 391                 | -                         | 82                  | 81.6                      | 148                  | 116                        | 112                   |                      |                            |  |
| Total Suspended Solids                    |      |                                                                               |                                                   | 13                  | -                         | -                   | -                         | 4                    | 2                          | 3                     |                      |                            |  |
| Water Type                                |      |                                                                               |                                                   | Ca-Cl               | Ca-Cl                     | Na + K-Na-Cl        | -                         | Ca-Na-Mg-Cl-SO4-HCO3 | Ca-Na-Mg-Cl-SO4            | Na-Ca-Mg-Cl           | Na-Ca-Mg-Cl-SO4      | Na-Ca-Mg-Cl-SO4            |  |
| Total Metals (mg/L)                       |      |                                                                               |                                                   |                     |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                     | Al   | 0.005 - 0.1                                                                   | 0.5                                               | 4.16                | 1.2                       | 0.25                | -                         | 0.4                  | 0.48                       | 0.13                  | 0.053                | 0.059                      |  |
| Antimony                                  | Sb   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | 0.0004              | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Arsenic                                   | As   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | 0.017                     | 0.004               | -                         | 0.0005               | 0.0006                     | 0.002                 | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Barium                                    | Ba   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.18                | 0.2                       | 0.027               | -                         | 0.028                | 0.052                      | 0.053                 | 0.052                | 0.052                      |  |
| Beryllium                                 | Be   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Bismuth                                   | Bi   | <0.001                                                                        | <0.001                                            | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002             | <0.0002                   | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | < 0.001               |                      |                            |  |
| Boron                                     | B    | 0.00000094-0.000107 <sup>#</sup>                                              |                                                   | 0.59                | 1.07                      | 2.43                | -                         | 0.11                 | 0.11                       | 0.27                  | 0.23                 | 0.23                       |  |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                      | Cd   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.00024             | 0.00037                   | <0.00004            | -                         | <0.00004             | <0.00004                   | < 0.0002              | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                   |  |
| Calcium                                   | Ca   |                                                                               |                                                   | 72                  | 87.1                      | 95.4                | -                         | 19.1                 | 19.1                       | 33.4                  | 26.1                 | 25.1                       |  |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                     | Cr   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.049               | 0.32                      | 0.004               | -                         | 0.0017               | 0.0021                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Cobalt                                    | Co   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.004               | 0.016                     | 0.0009              | -                         | 0.0005               | 0.0005                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                       | Cu   | 0.002 - 0.004                                                                 | 0.3                                               | 0.044               | 0.071                     | 0.0035              | -                         | 0.0022               | 0.002                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | 0.001                      |  |
| Iron                                      | Fe   |                                                                               |                                                   | 6.05                | 10.7                      | 1.14                | -                         | 1.02                 | 1.11                       | 1.1                   | 0.94                 | 0.93                       |  |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                         | Pb   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.013               | 0.03                      | 0.0025              | -                         | 0.0015               | 0.0013                     | < 0.001               | 0.001                | 0.001                      |  |
| Lithium                                   | Li   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.025               | 0.031                     | 0.04                | -                         | 0.0031               | 0.0032                     | 0.006                 | < 0.005              | < 0.005                    |  |
| Magnesium                                 | Mg   |                                                                               |                                                   | 33.2                | 41.5                      | 37.1                | -                         | 8.29                 | 8.2                        | 15.6                  | 12.4                 | 12.1                       |  |
| Manganese                                 | Mn   | 0.0000004                                                                     | 0.073                                             | 0.073               | 0.72                      | 0.415               | -                         | 0.309                | 0.304                      | 0.93                  | 0.77                 | 0.75                       |  |
| Mercury                                   | Hg   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.00002            | -                         | <0.00002            | <0.00002                  | < 0.00002            | < 0.00002                  | < 0.00002             | < 0.00002            | < 0.00002                  |  |
| Molybdenum                                | Mo   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0005             | 0.011                     | 0.0083              | -                         | 0.013                | 0.013                      | 0.012                 | 0.0084               | 0.0084                     |  |
| Nickel <sup>6</sup>                       | Ni   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.056               | 0.13                      | 0.0045              | -                         | 0.002                | 0.0022                     | < 0.001               | 0.001                | 0.001                      |  |
| Phosphorus                                | P    |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.069               | 0.075                     | 0.16                | -                         | <0.03                | <0.03                      | < 0.15                | < 0.15               | < 0.15                     |  |
| Potassium                                 | K    | 0.001                                                                         |                                                   | 7.31                | 9.1                       | 9.13                | -                         | 3.63                 | 3.68                       | 6.1                   | 4.7                  | 4.5                        |  |
| Selenium                                  | Se   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Silicon                                   | SiO2 |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.4                 | 4.12                      | 5.07                | -                         | 2.31                 | 2.71                       | 2.7                   | 1.4                  | 1.3                        |  |
| Silver                                    | Ag   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0064              | 0.011                     | 0.00028             | -                         | <0.00005             | <0.00005                   | < 0.00025             | < 0.00025            | < 0.00025                  |  |
| Sodium                                    | Na   |                                                                               |                                                   | 22                  | 25                        | 357                 | -                         | 16                   | 15.9                       | 50.5                  | 39.1                 | 37.5                       |  |
| Strontium                                 | Sr   | 0.00010                                                                       |                                                   | 0.68                | 0.79                      | 1.56                | -                         | 0.12                 | 0.12                       | 0.28                  | 0.24                 | 0.24                       |  |
| Tellurium                                 | Te   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Thallium                                  | Tl   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0001             | <0.0001                   | <0.00002            | -                         | <0.00002             | <0.00002                   | < 0.0001              | < 0.0001             | < 0.0001                   |  |
| Thorium                                   | Th   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0005             | 0.0038                    | <0.0001             | -                         | 0.0005               | 0.0006                     | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   |  |
| Tin                                       | Sn   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | 0.002                     | 0.0009              | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Titanium                                  | Ti   | 0.0008                                                                        |                                                   | 0.01                | 0.22                      | 0.01                | -                         | 0.024                | 0.029                      | 0.006                 | 0.003                | 0.003                      |  |
| Uranium                                   | U    |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0012              | 0.0017                    | 0.0003              | -                         | 0.0006               | 0.0006                     | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   |  |
| Vanadium                                  | V    |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | 0.029                     | 0.0004              | -                         | 0.0007               | 0.0008                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Zinc                                      | Zn   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.063               | 0.087                     | 0.007               | -                         | 0.005                | 0.005                      | < 0.005               | 0.009                | 0.009                      |  |
| Zirconium                                 | Zr   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0010             | <0.0010                   | <0.002              | -                         | <0.002               | <0.002                     | < 0.01                | < 0.01               | < 0.01                     |  |
| Dissolved Metals (mg/L)                   |      |                                                                               |                                                   |                     |                           |                     |                           |                      |                            |                       |                      |                            |  |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                     | Al   | 0.005 - 0.1                                                                   | 0.5                                               | 0.051               | 0.011                     | 0.005               | -                         | 0.3                  | 0.3                        | < 0.005               | < 0.005              | 0.011                      |  |
| Antimony                                  | Sb   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | 0.0002              | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Arsenic                                   | As   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | 0.003                     | 0.0038              | -                         | 0.0005               | 0.0005                     | 0.003                 | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Barium                                    | Ba   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.12                | 0.13                      | 0.3                 | -                         | 0.025                | 0.025                      | 0.048                 | 0.051                | 0.051                      |  |
| Beryllium                                 | Be   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Bismuth                                   | Bi   | <0.001                                                                        | <0.001                                            | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002             | <0.0002                   | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | < 0.001               |                      |                            |  |
| Boron                                     | B    | 0.00000094-0.000107 <sup>#</sup>                                              |                                                   | 0.53                | 1.03                      | 2.39                | -                         | 0.1                  | 0.1                        | 0.27                  | 0.2                  | 0.21                       |  |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                      | Cd   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.00007             | 0.00012                   | <0.00004            | -                         | <0.00004             | <0.00004                   | < 0.0002              | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                   |  |
| Calcium                                   | Ca   |                                                                               |                                                   | 65.6                | 67                        | 94.2                | -                         | 17.6                 | 17.9                       | 33.7                  | 24                   | 24.5                       |  |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                     | Cr   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | 0.0002              | -                         | 0.0012               | 0.0012                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Cobalt                                    | Co   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.001               | 0.001                     | 0.0008              | -                         | 0.0004               | 0.0004                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                       | Cu   | 0.002 - 0.004                                                                 | 0.3                                               | 0.002               | 0.002                     | 0.0004              | -                         | 0.0016               | 0.0016                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | 0.001                      |  |
| Iron                                      | Fe   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.05               | 0.07                      | 0.08                | -                         | 0.84                 | 0.85                       | 0.2                   | < 0.05               | < 0.05                     |  |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                         | Pb   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | 0.0014               | 0.0012                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Lithium                                   | Li   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.017               | 0.017                     | 0.033               | -                         | 0.0028               | 0.0027                     | 0.005                 | < 0.005              | < 0.005                    |  |
| Magnesium                                 | Mg   |                                                                               |                                                   | 23.4                | 24.3                      | 35.1                | -                         | 7.76                 | 7.92                       | 16.1                  | 11.4                 | 11.6                       |  |
| Manganese                                 | Mn   | 0.0000004                                                                     | 0.073                                             | 0.06                | 0.28                      | 0.381               | -                         | 0.286                | 0.293                      | 0.980                 | 0.700                | 0.720                      |  |
| Mercury                                   | Hg   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.00002            | -                         | <0.00002            | -                         | <0.00002             | <0.00002                   | < 0.00002             | < 0.00002            | < 0.00002                  |  |
| Molybdenum                                | Mo   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0005             | 0.0057                    | 0.0076              | -                         | 0.012                | 0.012                      | 0.013                 | 0.0079               | 0.0079                     |  |
| Nickel <sup>6</sup>                       | Ni   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.006               | 0.005                     | 0.0026              | -                         | 0.0019               | 0.0019                     | < 0.001               | 0.001                | 0.001                      |  |
| Phosphorus                                | P    |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.1                 | 0.15                      | 0.04                | -                         | <0.03                | <0.03                      | < 0.15                | < 0.15               | < 0.15                     |  |
| Potassium                                 | K    | 0.001                                                                         |                                                   | 5.71                | 5.95                      | 8.56                | -                         | 3.27                 | 3.28                       | 6.1                   | 4.3                  | 4.4                        |  |
| Selenium                                  | Se   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Silicon                                   | SiO2 |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.32                | 3.27                      | 3.89                | -                         | 1.96                 | 1.98                       | 2.50                  | 1.20                 | 1.20                       |  |
| Silver                                    | Ag   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0001             | <0.0001                   | <0.00005            | -                         | <0.00005             | <0.00005                   | < 0.00025             | < 0.00025            | < 0.00025                  |  |
| Sodium                                    | Na   |                                                                               |                                                   | 20                  | 22                        | 327.0               | -                         | 15.0                 | 15.6                       | 52.5                  | 34.2                 | 35.0                       |  |
| Strontium                                 | Sr   | 0.0008                                                                        |                                                   | 0.58                | 0.59                      | 1.46                | -                         | 0.111                | 0.114                      | 0.29                  | 0.22                 | 0.22                       |  |
| Tellurium                                 | Te   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Thallium                                  | Tl   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0001             | <0.0001                   | <0.00002            | -                         | <0.00002             | <0.00002                   | < 0.0001              | < 0.0001             | < 0.0001                   |  |
| Thorium                                   | Th   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0005             | <0.0005                   | <0.0001             | -                         | 0.0004               | 0.0004                     | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   |  |
| Tin                                       | Sn   |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | <0.0002              | <0.0002                    | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Titanium                                  | Ti   | 0.03                                                                          | 0.5                                               | <0.001              | <0.001                    | 0.0003              | -                         | 0.019                | 0.018                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Uranium                                   | U    |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0006              | 0.0006                    | 0.0003              | -                         | 0.0006               | 0.0006                     | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   |  |
| Vanadium                                  | V    |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001              | <0.001                    | <0.0002             | -                         | 0.0006               | 0.0006                     | < 0.001               | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    |  |
| Zinc                                      | Zn   |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.006               | <0.005                    | 0.002               | -                         | 0.005                | 0.005                      | < 0.005               | < 0.005              | 0.005                      |  |

Table 1  
Groundwater Quality Results  
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|                                    |           | Canadian Water Quality<br>Guideline (Freshwater<br>Aquatic Life) <sup>6</sup> | Metal Mine<br>Effluent<br>Regulation <sup>7</sup> | Iron Formation Rock  |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
|                                    |           |                                                                               |                                                   | Goose Island         |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
|                                    |           |                                                                               |                                                   | IF                   |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
|                                    |           |                                                                               |                                                   | MW03-02              |                      |                                             | MW06-06                    |                       |                             |
| Laboratory sample number<br>Date   |           | (CEQG)                                                                        | (MMER)                                            | 9756-03<br>28-Sep-03 | 9043-01<br>Jul 31-04 | 9043-01<br>Jul 31-04<br>Decant <sup>#</sup> | 9043-02<br>Jul 31-04<br>FD | 12567-01<br>24-Aug-06 | 12567-02<br>24-Aug-06<br>FD |
| QA/QC                              |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| FIELD PARAMETERS                   |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Depth of Screen Midpoint (m)       |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 143                  | 143                  | 143                                         | 143                        | 173                   | 173                         |
| Temperature (oC)                   |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 3.5                  | 12                   | -                                           | -                          | 12.4                  | -                           |
| pH (s.u.)                          |           | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     | 6.0-9.5                                           | 7.68                 | 7.19                 | -                                           | -                          | 7.59                  | -                           |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)               |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 660                  | 1104                 | -                                           | -                          | 1306                  | -                           |
| Redox (mV)                         |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 8.2                  | 32                   | -                                           | -                          | -                     | -                           |
| Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)            |           | 5.5 - 9.5                                                                     |                                                   | 0.8                  | 7.0                  | -                                           | -                          | 1.2                   | -                           |
| Alkalinity (mg/L as CaCO3)         |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 96 - 100             | 51                   | -                                           | -                          | 46.3                  | -                           |
| TDS (mg/L)                         |           |                                                                               |                                                   | -                    | -                    | -                                           | -                          | 650                   | -                           |
| Clarity                            |           |                                                                               |                                                   | clear                | silty                | clear                                       | silty                      | clear                 | clear                       |
| LABORATORY PARAMETERS              |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Calculated TDS (mg/L)              |           | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     | 6.0-9.5                                           | 387                  | 499                  | -                                           | -                          | 588                   | 678                         |
| pH (s.u.)                          |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 7.04                 | 7.25                 | -                                           | 7.34                       | 7.33                  | 7.29                        |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)               |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 1270                 | 1270                 | -                                           | 1280                       | 1210                  | 1200                        |
| Total Alkalinity CaCO3 (mg/L)      |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 103                  | 41.6                 | -                                           | 42.9                       | 49.9                  | 49.9                        |
| Bicarbonate Alkalinity HCO3 (mg/L) |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 125                  | 50.8                 | -                                           | 52.4                       | 60.9                  | 60.9                        |
| Carbonate Alkalinity CO3 (mg/L)    |           |                                                                               |                                                   | < 0.5                | < 0.5                | -                                           | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                 | < 0.5                       |
| Hydroxide Alkalinity OH (mg/L)     |           |                                                                               |                                                   | < 0.5                | < 0.5                | -                                           | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                 | < 0.5                       |
| Dissolved Sulphate SO4 (mg/L)      |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 263                  | 38.4                 | -                                           | 38.2                       | 65.1                  | 56                          |
| Hardness CaCO3 (mg/L)*             |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 290                  | 308                  | -                                           | -                          | 345                   | 347                         |
| Hardness (Total) CaCO3 (mg/L)*     |           |                                                                               |                                                   | 316                  | 313                  | 292                                         | -                          | 326                   | 316                         |
| Total Suspended Solids             |           |                                                                               |                                                   | -                    | 96                   | -                                           | 90                         | 16                    | 28                          |
| Water Type                         |           |                                                                               |                                                   | Ca-Mg-SO4-HCO3       | Na + K-Na-Ca-Mg-Cl   | Na + K-Na-Ca-Mg-Cl                          | -                          | Ca-Na-Cl              | Ca-Na-Cl                    |
| Total Metals (mg/L)                |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>              | Al        | 0.005 - 0.1                                                                   |                                                   | 1.07                 | 2.31                 | 0.37                                        | -                          | 0.16                  | 0.13                        |
| Antimony                           | Sb        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | 0.0003               | 0.0002                                      | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Arsenic                            | As        | 0.005                                                                         | 0.5                                               | 0.002                | 0.0038               | 0.002                                       | -                          | 0.003                 | 0.003                       |
| Barium                             | Ba        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.028                | 0.096                | 0.076                                       | -                          | 0.024                 | 0.024                       |
| Beryllium                          | Be        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                                    | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Bismuth                            | Bi        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                                    | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Boron                              | B         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.06                 | 0.97                 | 0.87                                        | -                          | 0.36                  | 0.31                        |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>               | Cd        | 0.00000094-0.000107 <sup>#</sup>                                              |                                                   | <0.0002              | 0.00018              | 0.0001                                      | -                          | <0.0002               | <0.0002                     |
| Calcium                            | Ca        |                                                                               |                                                   | 68.3                 | 74.7                 | 72.5                                        | -                          | 89.3                  | 86.1                        |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>              | Cr        | 0.001 / 0.0089                                                                |                                                   | 0.003                | 0.008                | 0.0012                                      | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Cobalt                             | Co        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.004                | 0.0072               | 0.0045                                      | -                          | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                | Cu        | 0.002 - 0.004                                                                 | 0.3                                               | 0.004                | 0.007                | 0.002                                       | -                          | 0.001                 | 0.005                       |
| Iron                               | Fe        | 0.3                                                                           |                                                   | 2.96                 | 4.72                 | 0.68                                        | -                          | 0.57                  | 0.57                        |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                  | Pb        | 0.001 - 0.007                                                                 | 0.2                                               | 0.002                | 0.0035               | 0.0005                                      | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Lithium                            | Li        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.021                | 0.021                | 0.017                                       | -                          | 0.029                 | 0.028                       |
| Magnesium                          | Mg        |                                                                               |                                                   | 35.2                 | 30.7                 | 27                                          | -                          | 25                    | 24.5                        |
| Manganese                          | Mn        |                                                                               |                                                   | 1.04                 | 0.517                | 0.417                                       | -                          | 0.41                  | 0.43                        |
| Mercury                            | Hg        | 0.000004                                                                      |                                                   | <0.00002             | < 0.00002            | < 0.00002                                   | -                          | <0.00002              | <0.00002                    |
| Molybdenum                         | Mo        | 0.073                                                                         |                                                   | 0.022                | 0.015                | 0.013                                       | -                          | 0.0087                | 0.009                       |
| Nickel <sup>5</sup>                | Ni        | 0.025 - 0.15                                                                  | 0.5                                               | 0.008                | 0.017                | 0.011                                       | -                          | 0.007                 | 0.01                        |
| Phosphorus                         | P         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.19                 | 0.34                 | 0.09                                        | -                          | 1.2                   | 1.2                         |
| Potassium                          | K         |                                                                               |                                                   | 5.94                 | 7.8                  | 6.9                                         | -                          | 6.7                   | 6.5                         |
| Selenium                           | Se        | 0.001                                                                         |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                                    | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Silicon                            | SiO2      |                                                                               |                                                   | 10.7                 | 13.8                 | 7.57                                        | -                          | 4.7                   | 4.6                         |
| Silver                             | Ag        | 0.00010                                                                       |                                                   | <0.0001              | 0.00067              | 0.00016                                     | -                          | <0.00025              | <0.00025                    |
| Sodium                             | Na        |                                                                               |                                                   | 6.81                 | 91.9                 | 84.9                                        | -                          | 59                    | 55.9                        |
| Strontium                          | Sr        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.26                 | 0.759                | 0.691                                       | -                          | 0.75                  | 0.72                        |
| Tellurium                          | Te        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                                    | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Thallium                           | Tl        | 0.0008                                                                        |                                                   | <0.0001              | 0.00006              | < 0.00002                                   | -                          | <0.0001               | <0.0001                     |
| Thorium                            | Th        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0007               | < 0.0001             | < 0.0001                                    | -                          | <0.0005               | <0.0005                     |
| Tin                                | Sn        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | 0.0003               | < 0.0002                                    | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Titanium                           | Ti        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.063                | 0.158                | 0.02                                        | -                          | 0.005                 | 0.005                       |
| Uranium                            | U         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0084               | 0.002                | 0.0013                                      | -                          | 0.0018                | 0.0018                      |
| Vanadium                           | V         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.002                | 0.0039               | 0.0006                                      | -                          | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Zinc                               | Zn        | 0.03                                                                          | 0.5                                               | 0.014                | 0.042                | 0.015                                       | -                          | <0.005                | <0.005                      |
| Zirconium                          | Zr        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0010              | < 0.002              | < 0.002                                     | -                          | <0.01                 | <0.01                       |
| Dissolved Metals (mg/L)            |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>              | Al        | 0.005 - 0.1                                                                   |                                                   | 0.47                 | 0.019                | -                                           | -                          | <0.005                | <0.005                      |
| Antimony                           | Sb        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | 0.0003               | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Arsenic                            | As        | 0.005                                                                         | 0.5                                               | 0.002                | 0.002                | -                                           | -                          | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Barium                             | Ba        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.023                | 0.086                | -                                           | -                          | 0.018                 | 0.019                       |
| Beryllium                          | Be        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Bismuth                            | Bi        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Boron                              | B         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.06                 | 0.94                 | -                                           | -                          | 0.37                  | 0.44                        |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>               | Cd        | 0.00000094-0.000107 <sup>#</sup>                                              |                                                   | <0.0002              | 0.00016              | -                                           | -                          | <0.0002               | <0.0002                     |
| Calcium                            | Ca        |                                                                               |                                                   | 63.1                 | 73.5                 | -                                           | -                          | 87.1                  | 85.3                        |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>              | Cr        | 0.001 / 0.0089                                                                |                                                   | 0.001                | 0.0004               | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Cobalt                             | Co        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.004                | 0.0060               | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                | Cu        | 0.002 - 0.004                                                                 | 0.3                                               | 0.004                | 0.0014               | -                                           | -                          | 0.001                 | <0.001                      |
| Iron                               | Fe        | 0.3                                                                           |                                                   | 1.91                 | 0.05                 | -                                           | -                          | <0.05                 | <0.05                       |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                  | Pb        | 0.001 - 0.007                                                                 | 0.2                                               | 0.001                | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Lithium                            | Li        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.019                | 0.016                | -                                           | -                          | 0.028                 | 0.025                       |
| Magnesium                          | Mg        |                                                                               |                                                   | 32.1                 | 30.2                 | -                                           | -                          | 24.0                  | 23.6                        |
| Manganese                          | Mn        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.96                 | 0.492                | -                                           | -                          | 0.006                 | 0.003                       |
| Mercury                            | Hg        | 0.000004                                                                      |                                                   | <0.00002             | < 0.02               | -                                           | -                          | <0.00002              | <0.00002                    |
| Molybdenum                         | Mo        | 0.073                                                                         |                                                   | 0.018                | 0.014                | -                                           | -                          | 0.0081                | 0.0069                      |
| Nickel <sup>5</sup>                | Ni        | 0.025 - 0.15                                                                  | 0.5                                               | 0.007                | 0.012                | -                                           | -                          | 0.005                 | 0.004                       |
| Phosphorus                         | P         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.16                 | < 0.03               | -                                           | -                          | 0.9                   | 0.8                         |
| Potassium                          | K         |                                                                               |                                                   | 5.36                 | 7.43                 | -                                           | -                          | 6.6                   | 5.8                         |
| Selenium                           | Se        | 0.001                                                                         |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Silicon                            | SiO2      |                                                                               |                                                   | 7.98                 | 5.88                 | -                                           | -                          | 4.1                   | 3.8                         |
| Silver                             | Ag        | 0.0001                                                                        |                                                   | <0.0001              | < 0.00005            | -                                           | -                          | <0.00025              | <0.00025                    |
| Sodium                             | Na        |                                                                               |                                                   | 6.29                 | 89.5                 | -                                           | -                          | 58.2                  | 55.9                        |
| Strontium                          | Sr        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.24                 | 0.736                | -                                           | -                          | 0.72                  | 0.76                        |
| Tellurium                          | Te        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Thallium                           | Tl        | 0.0008                                                                        |                                                   | <0.0001              | < 0.00002            | -                                           | -                          | <0.0001               | <0.0001                     |
| Thorium                            | Th        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0005              | < 0.0001             | -                                           | -                          | <0.0005               | <0.0005                     |
| Tin                                | Sn        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Titanium                           | Ti        |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.024                | 0.0008               | -                                           | -                          | <0.001                | <0.001                      |
| Uranium                            | U         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.0077               | 0.0013               | -                                           | -                          | 0.0016                | 0.0014                      |
| Vanadium                           | V         |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.001               | < 0.0002             | -                                           | -                          | 0.001                 | 0.001                       |
| Zinc                               | Zn        | 0.03                                                                          | 0.5                                               | 0.012                | 0.029                | -                                           | -                          | <0.005                | <0.005                      |
| Zirconium                          | Zr        |                                                                               |                                                   | <0.0010              | < 0.002              | -                                           | -                          | <0.01                 | <0.01                       |
| Dissolved Anions (mg/L)            |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Dissolved Fluoride <sup>4</sup>    | F         | 0.12                                                                          |                                                   | 0.35                 | 0.6                  | -                                           | 0.57                       | 0.55                  | 0.63                        |
| Dissolved Chloride                 | Cl        |                                                                               |                                                   | 5.4                  | 251                  | -                                           | 259                        | 304                   | 331                         |
| Nutrients (mg/L)                   |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Total Nitrogen                     | N         |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Nitrate and Nitrite                | NO3 + NO2 |                                                                               |                                                   | < 0.05               | < 0.05               | -                                           | < 0.05                     | -                     | -                           |
| Dissolved Nitrate <sup>5</sup>     | NO3       | 13                                                                            |                                                   | < 0.05               | < 0.05               | -                                           | < 0.05                     | < 0.25                | < 0.25                      |
| Nitrite                            | NO2       | 0.060                                                                         |                                                   | 0.005                | 0.006                | -                                           | 0.007                      | 0.005                 | 0.004                       |
| Ammonia Nitrogen                   | N         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.19                 | 0.07                 | -                                           | 0.05                       | -                     | -                           |
| Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen            | N         |                                                                               |                                                   | -                    | 0.4                  | -                                           | -                          | 0.6                   | 0.6                         |
| Total Phosphorus                   | P         |                                                                               |                                                   | 0.10                 | 0.23                 | -                                           | 0.25                       | -                     | -                           |
| Cyanide (mg/L)                     |           |                                                                               |                                                   |                      |                      |                                             |                            |                       |                             |
| Total                              | CN        |                                                                               | 1.0                                               | -                    | <0.01                | -                                           | -                          | -                     | -                           |
| Free                               | CN        |                                                                               |                                                   | -                    | <0.1                 | -                                           | -                          | -                     | -                           |

NOTES:  
1. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline is pH, calcium and DOC dependent. Exceedances identified apply pH criterion.  
2. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline for chromium depends on valence of chromium ion (Cr(III) = 0.0089 mg/L, Cr(VI) = 0.001 mg/L).  
3. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline is hardness dependent.  
4. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline listed for inorganic fluorides.  
5. CEQG stipulates that concentrations that stimulate weed growth should be avoided.  
6. CEQG (2003 update) Freshwater Guidelines and Criteria are based on **total** metal concentrations.  
7. Maximum authorized monthly mean concentration (based on **total** concentration) (June 6, 2002).  
8. Sample decanted off of 9043-01 due to high TSS and reanalysed for total metals  
9. Values in *italics* indicate detection limit is above standard  
# Range is site specific  
< = less than the analytical detection limit.  
- = not analyzed.  
\* Hardness calculated from calcium and magnesium concentrations  
\*\* Laboratory measured values.  
FD= Field Duplicate

Table 1  
Groundwater Quality Results  
Meadowbank Project  
Agnico-Eagle Mines Ltd.

| Laboratory sample number<br>Date<br>QAI/QC | Canadian Water Quality<br>Guideline (Freshwater<br>Aquatic Life) <sup>5</sup> | (CEQG)                | Metal Mine<br>Effluent<br>Regulation <sup>7</sup> | Intermediate Volcanic Rock |                         |                           | Intermediate Volcanic                       |                       |                             |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
|                                            |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | North Portage              |                         |                           | Second Portage Arm (tailings disposal area) |                       |                             |
|                                            |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | IV                         |                         |                           | IV                                          |                       | QTZ / IV                    |
|                                            |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | MW03-03                    |                         |                           | MW03-04                                     |                       | MW06-07                     |
|                                            |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 9756-02<br>25-Sep-03       | 9045-01<br>Aug-9-04     | 9045-02<br>Aug-9-04<br>FD | 9756-01<br>18-Sep-03                        | 12568-01<br>30-Aug-06 | 12568-02<br>30-Aug-06<br>FD |
| FIELD PARAMETERS                           |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Depth of Screen Midpoint (m)               |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 111                        | 111                     | 111                       | 169                                         | 205                   | 205                         |
| Temperature (oC)                           |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 2.2                        | 10.3                    | -                         | 3.3                                         | 5                     | 5                           |
| pH (s.u.)                                  | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     |                       | 6.0-9.5                                           | 8.63                       | 7.77                    | -                         | 7.67                                        | 8                     | 8                           |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)                       |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 350                        | 627                     | -                         | 370 - 450                                   | 440                   | 440                         |
| Redox (mV)                                 |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 79.9                       | 3                       | -                         | -                                           | -                     | -                           |
| Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)                    | 5.5 - 9.5                                                                     |                       |                                                   | 1.0                        | 1.5                     | -                         | -                                           | 8.0                   | 8.0                         |
| Alkalinity (mg/L as CaCO3)                 |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 87                         | 102                     | -                         | -                                           | 84                    | 84                          |
| TDS (mg/L)                                 |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         | -                         | -                                           | 220                   | 220                         |
| Clarity                                    |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | clear                      | clear                   | -                         | cloudy                                      | clear                 | clear                       |
| LABORATORY PARAMETERS                      |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Calculated TDS (mg/L)                      |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 254                        | 239                     |                           | 154                                         | 172**                 | 162**                       |
| pH (s.u.)                                  | 6.5 - 9.0                                                                     |                       | 6.0-9.5                                           | 7.83                       | 7.96                    | -                         | -                                           | 7.54                  | 7.57                        |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)                       |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | -                          | 640                     | -                         | -                                           | 281                   | 285                         |
| Total Alkalinity CaCO3 (mg/L)              |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 93.8                       | 133                     | -                         | -                                           | 89                    | 89                          |
| Bicarbonate Alkalinity HCO3 (mg/L)         |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 114                        | 162                     | -                         | -                                           | 108                   | 108                         |
| Carbonate Alkalinity CO3 (mg/L)            |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                   | -                         | -                                           | < 0.5                 | < 0.5                       |
| Hydroxide Alkalinity OH (mg/L)             |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | < 0.5                      | < 0.5                   | -                         | -                                           | < 0.5                 | < 0.5                       |
| Dissolved Sulphate SO4 (mg/L)              |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 26.6                       | 6.2                     | -                         | 63.8                                        | 4                     | 3.76                        |
| Hardness CaCO3 (mg/L)*                     |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 136                        | 210                     | -                         | 53                                          | 106                   | 107                         |
| Hardness (Total) CaCO3 (mg/L)*             |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | 144                        | 216                     | -                         | -                                           | 124                   | 128                         |
| Total Suspended Solids                     |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            | 1                       | -                         | -                                           | 11                    | 11                          |
| Water Type                                 |                                                                               |                       |                                                   | Mg-Ca-Na + K-HCO3-Cl       | Ca-Mg-Na + K-Na-Cl-HCO3 | -                         | Na + K-Na-SO4-HCO3                          | Ca-Mg-HCO3-Cl         | Ca-Mg-HCO3-Cl               |
| Total Metals (mg/L)                        |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                      | Al                                                                            | 0.005 - 0.1           |                                                   | 0.018                      | 0.12                    | -                         | -                                           | 1.08                  | 1.06                        |
| Antimony                                   | Sb                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.002                      | 0.0002                  | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Arsenic                                    | As                                                                            | 0.005                 | 0.5                                               | 0.004                      | 0.015                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.001                 | 0.002                       |
| Barium                                     | Ba                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.02                       | 0.05                    | -                         | -                                           | 0.11                  | 0.11                        |
| Beryllium                                  | Be                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Bismuth                                    | Bi                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Boron                                      | B                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.09                       | 0.19                    | -                         | -                                           | < 0.05                | < 0.05                      |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                       | Cd                                                                            | 0.00000094-0.000107 # |                                                   | <0.0002                    | 0.00006                 | -                         | -                                           | < 0.0002              | < 0.0002                    |
| Calcium                                    | Ca                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 28                         | 47.7                    | -                         | -                                           | 34.9                  | 36.4                        |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                      | Cr                                                                            | 0.001 / 0.0089        |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.001                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.006                 | 0.005                       |
| Cobalt                                     | Co                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0004                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.001                 | 0.001                       |
| Copper <sup>2</sup>                        | Cu                                                                            | 0.002 - 0.004         | 0.3                                               | <0.001                     | 0.0014                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.011                 | 0.011                       |
| Iron                                       | Fe                                                                            | 0.3                   |                                                   | <0.05                      | 0.46                    | -                         | -                                           | 1.5                   | 1.58                        |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                          | Pb                                                                            | 0.001 - 0.007         | 0.2                                               | 0.001                      | 0.0006                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.001                 | 0.001                       |
| Lithium                                    | Li                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.007                      | 0.0092                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.004                 | 0.004                       |
| Magnesium                                  | Mg                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 18                         | 23.5                    | -                         | -                                           | 8.81                  | 9.04                        |
| Manganese                                  | Mn                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.11                       | 0.131                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.073                 | 0.074                       |
| Mercury                                    | Hg                                                                            | 0.000004              |                                                   | <0.00002                   | < 0.00002               | -                         | -                                           | < 0.00002             | < 0.00002                   |
| Molybdenum                                 | Mo                                                                            | 0.073                 |                                                   | 0.056                      | 0.093                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.005                 | 0.0048                      |
| Nickel <sup>2</sup>                        | Ni                                                                            | 0.025 - 0.15          | 0.5                                               | 0.003                      | 0.0024                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.005                 | 0.005                       |
| Phosphorus                                 | P                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.07                       | 0.08                    | -                         | -                                           | 0.4                   | 0.4                         |
| Potassium                                  | K                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 3.51                       | 2.65                    | -                         | -                                           | 2.7                   | 2.8                         |
| Selenium                                   | Se                                                                            | 0.001                 |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Silicon                                    | SiO2                                                                          |                       |                                                   | 3.78                       | 5.96                    | -                         | -                                           | 5                     | 5                           |
| Silver                                     | Ag                                                                            | 0.00010               |                                                   | <0.0001                    | 0.0001                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.0009                | 0.0009                      |
| Sodium                                     | Na                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 17.6                       | 33.6                    | -                         | -                                           | 8.85                  | 9.12                        |
| Strontium                                  | Sr                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.26                       | 0.581                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.23                  | 0.24                        |
| Tellurium                                  | Te                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Thallium                                   | Tl                                                                            | 0.0008                |                                                   | <0.0001                    | < 0.00002               | -                         | -                                           | < 0.0001              | < 0.0001                    |
| Thorium                                    | Th                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.0005                    | < 0.0001                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005                    |
| Tin                                        | Sn                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | -                                           | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Titanium                                   | Ti                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0045                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.032                 | 0.031                       |
| Uranium                                    | U                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.012                      | 0.0088                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.0095                | 0.0097                      |
| Vanadium                                   | V                                                                             |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0002                  | -                         | -                                           | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Zinc                                       | Zn                                                                            | 0.03                  | 0.5                                               | <0.005                     | 0.006                   | -                         | -                                           | 0.006                 | 0.006                       |
| Zirconium                                  | Zr                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.0010                    | < 0.002                 | -                         | -                                           | < 0.01                | < 0.01                      |
| Dissolved Metals (mg/L)                    |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                      | Al                                                                            | 0.005 - 0.1           |                                                   | 0.018                      | 0.006                   | -                         | 0.72                                        | 0.04                  | 0.042                       |
| Antimony                                   | Sb                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.002                      | < 0.0002                | -                         | 0.001                                       | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Arsenic                                    | As                                                                            | 0.005                 | 0.5                                               | 0.004                      | 0.013                   | -                         | 0.007                                       | < 0.001               | 0.0010                      |
| Barium                                     | Ba                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.018                      | 0.048                   | -                         | 0.03                                        | 0.086                 | 0.086                       |
| Beryllium                                  | Be                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Bismuth                                    | Bi                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Boron                                      | B                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.08                       | 0.17                    | -                         | <0.05                                       | < 0.05                | < 0.05                      |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                       | Cd                                                                            | 0.00000094-0.000107 # |                                                   | <0.0002                    | 0.00004                 | -                         | <0.0002                                     | < 0.0002              | < 0.0002                    |
| Calcium                                    | Ca                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 26.3                       | 47.1                    | -                         | 15                                          | 31                    | 31.5                        |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                      | Cr                                                                            | 0.001 / 0.0089        |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0003                  | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Cobalt                                     | Co                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0003                  | -                         | 0.003                                       | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Copper <sup>2</sup>                        | Cu                                                                            | 0.002 - 0.004         | 0.3                                               | <0.001                     | 0.0002                  | -                         | 0.006                                       | 0.005                 | 0.008                       |
| Iron                                       | Fe                                                                            | 0.3                   |                                                   | <0.05                      | < 0.01                  | -                         | 0.55                                        | < 0.05                | 0.05                        |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                          | Pb                                                                            | 0.001 - 0.007         | 0.2                                               | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | 0.006                                       | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Lithium                                    | Li                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.007                      | 0.0081                  | -                         | 0.015                                       | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Magnesium                                  | Mg                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 17.1                       | 22.4                    | -                         | 3.81                                        | 6.83                  | 6.92                        |
| Manganese                                  | Mn                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.1                        | 0.130                   | -                         | 0.049                                       | 0.032                 | 0.032                       |
| Mercury                                    | Hg                                                                            | 0.000004              |                                                   | <0.00002                   | < 0.02                  | -                         | <0.00002                                    | < 0.00002             | < 0.00002                   |
| Molybdenum                                 | Mo                                                                            | 0.073                 |                                                   | 0.052                      | 0.09                    | -                         | 0.024                                       | 0.004                 | 0.0042                      |
| Nickel <sup>2</sup>                        | Ni                                                                            | 0.025 - 0.15          | 0.5                                               | 0.003                      | 0.0018                  | -                         | 0.003                                       | 0.002                 | 0.002                       |
| Phosphorus                                 | P                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.07                       | < 0.03                  | -                         | 5.58                                        | 0.3                   | 0.3                         |
| Potassium                                  | K                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 3.33                       | 2.64                    | -                         | 5.44                                        | 2.3                   | 2.3                         |
| Selenium                                   | Se                                                                            | 0.001                 |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Silicon                                    | SiO2                                                                          |                       |                                                   | 3.62                       | 5.70                    | -                         | 10.2                                        | 2.70                  | 2.70                        |
| Silver                                     | Ag                                                                            | 0.0001                |                                                   | <0.0001                    | < 0.00005               | -                         | <0.0001                                     | < 0.00025             | < 0.00025                   |
| Sodium                                     | Na                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 16.5                       | 32.0                    | -                         | 52.9                                        | 7.7                   | 7.8                         |
| Strontium                                  | Sr                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 0.24                       | 0.556                   | -                         | 0.14                                        | 0.2                   | 0.2                         |
| Tellurium                                  | Te                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Thallium                                   | Tl                                                                            | 0.0008                |                                                   | <0.0001                    | < 0.00002               | -                         | <0.0001                                     | < 0.0001              | < 0.0001                    |
| Thorium                                    | Th                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.0005                    | < 0.0001                | -                         | <0.0005                                     | < 0.0005              | < 0.0005                    |
| Tin                                        | Sn                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Titanium                                   | Ti                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | 0.0003                  | -                         | 0.003                                       | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Uranium                                    | U                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.012                      | 0.0087                  | -                         | 0.013                                       | 0.008                 | 0.008                       |
| Vanadium                                   | V                                                                             |                       |                                                   | <0.001                     | < 0.0002                | -                         | <0.001                                      | < 0.001               | < 0.001                     |
| Zinc                                       | Zn                                                                            | 0.03                  | 0.5                                               | <0.005                     | 0.004                   | -                         | 0.022                                       | < 0.005               | < 0.005                     |
| Zirconium                                  | Zr                                                                            |                       |                                                   | <0.0010                    | < 0.002                 | -                         | <0.0010                                     | < 0.01                | < 0.01                      |
| Dissolved Anions (mg/L)                    |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Dissolved Fluoride <sup>5</sup>            | F                                                                             | 0.12                  |                                                   | 0.46                       | 0.38                    | -                         | 0.34                                        | 0.2                   | 0.11                        |
| Dissolved Chloride                         | Cl                                                                            |                       |                                                   | 50.4                       | 121                     | -                         | 13.4                                        | 33.3                  | 33.5                        |
| Nutrients (mg/L)                           |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Total Nitrogen                             | N                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.15                       | < 0.05                  | < 0.01                    | < 0.05                                      | -                     | -                           |
| Nitrate and Nitrite                        | NO3 + NO2                                                                     |                       |                                                   | 0.15                       | < 0.05                  | -                         | < 0.05                                      | 0.12                  | 0.12                        |
| Dissolved Nitrate <sup>6</sup>             | NO3                                                                           | 13                    |                                                   | 0.003                      | < 0.002                 | -                         | 0.004                                       | 0.003                 | 0.003                       |
| Nitrite                                    | NO2                                                                           | 0.060                 |                                                   | 0.08                       | -                       | -                         | -                                           | -                     | -                           |
| Ammonia Nitrogen                           | N                                                                             |                       |                                                   | -                          | 0.2                     | 0.2                       | -                                           | -                     | -                           |
| Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen                    | N                                                                             |                       |                                                   | 0.07                       | 0.05                    | 0.10                      | -                                           | -                     | -                           |
| Total Phosphorus                           | P                                                                             |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Cyanide (mg/L)                             |                                                                               |                       |                                                   |                            |                         |                           |                                             |                       |                             |
| Total                                      | CN                                                                            |                       | 1.0                                               | -                          | <0.01                   | <0.01                     | -                                           | -                     | -                           |
| Free                                       | CN                                                                            |                       |                                                   | -                          | <0.1                    | <0.1                      | -                                           | -                     | -                           |

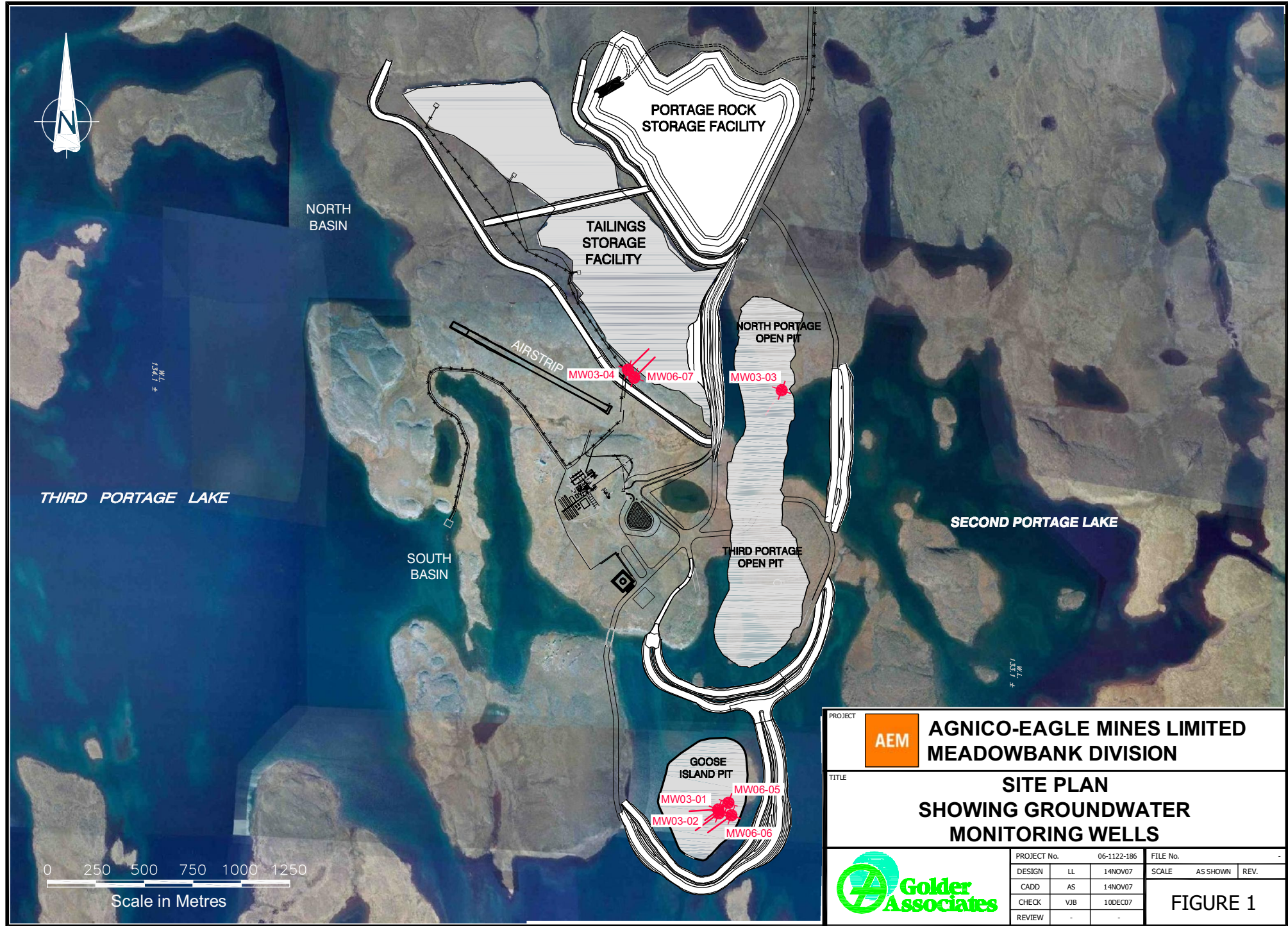
NOTES:  
1. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline is pH, calcium and DOC dependent. Exceedances identified apply pH criterion.  
2. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline for chromium depends on valence of chromium ion (Cr(III) = 0.0089 mg/L, Cr(VI) = 0.001 mg/L).  
3. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline is hardness dependent.  
4. Freshwater Aquatic Life Guideline listed for inorganic fluuorides.  
5. CEQG stipulates that concentrations that stimulate weed growth should be avoided.  
6. CEQG (2003 update) Freshwater Guidelines and Criteria are based on **total** metal concentrations.  
7. Maximum authorized monthly mean concentration (based on **total** concentration) (June 6, 2002).  
8. Sample decanted off of 9043-01 due to high TSS and reanalysed for total metals  
9. Values in italics indicate detection limit is above standard  
# Range is site specific  
< = less than the analytical detection limit.  
- = not analyzed.  
\* Hardness calculated from calcium and magnesium concentrations  
\*\* Laboratory measured values.  
FD= Field Duplicate

Table 3  
QA/QC of Groundwater Quality Results  
Meadowbank Project  
Agnico-Eagle Mines Ltd.

| Laboratory sample number<br><br>Date<br>QA/QC |           | Goose Island         |                            | RPD (%) | Method Detection Limit |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------------------|
|                                               |           | UM                   |                            |         |                        |
|                                               |           | MW03-01              |                            |         |                        |
|                                               |           | 8581-01<br>Aug-17-07 | 8581-02<br>Aug-17-07<br>FD |         |                        |
| LABORATORY PARAMETERS                         |           |                      |                            |         |                        |
| Calculated TDS (mg/L)                         |           | 299                  | 338                        | 12.2    | -                      |
| pH (s.u.)                                     |           | 6.78                 | 6.96                       | 2.6     | -                      |
| Conductivity (uS/cm)                          |           | 588                  | 583                        | 0.9     | -                      |
| Total Alkalinity CaCO3 (mg/L)                 |           | 36.7                 | 36.7                       | 0       | 1                      |
| Bicarbonate Alkalinity HCO3 (mg/L)            |           | 44.8                 | 44.8                       | 0       | 0.5                    |
| Carbonate Alkalinity CO3 (mg/L)               |           | < 0.5                | < 0.5                      | -       | 0.5                    |
| Hydroxide Alkalinity OH (mg/L)                |           | < 0.5                | < 0.5                      | -       | 0.5                    |
| Dissolved Sulphate SO4 (mg/L)                 |           | 46.5                 | 46.3                       | 0.4     | 0.5                    |
| Hardness CaCO3 (mg/L)                         |           | 107                  | 109                        | 1.9     | 1                      |
| Hardness (Total) CaCO3 (mg/L)                 |           | 116                  | 112                        | 3.5     | 1                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                        |           | 2                    | 3                          | 40.0    | 1                      |
| Total Metals (mg/L)                           |           |                      |                            |         |                        |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                         | Al        | 0.053                | 0.059                      | 10.7    | 0.005                  |
| Antimony                                      | Sb        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Arsenic                                       | As        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Barium                                        | Ba        | 0.053                | 0.052                      | 1.9     | 0.001                  |
| Beryllium                                     | Be        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Bismuth                                       | Bi        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Boron                                         | B         | 0.23                 | 0.23                       | 0       | 0.05                   |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                          | Cd        | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                   | -       | 0.0002                 |
| Calcium                                       | Ca        | 26.1                 | 25.1                       | 3.9     | 0.05                   |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                         | Cr        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Cobalt                                        | Co        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                           | Cu        | 0.001                | 0.001                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Iron                                          | Fe        | 0.94                 | 0.93                       | 1.1     | 0.05                   |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                             | Pb        | 0.001                | 0.001                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Lithium                                       | Li        | < 0.005              | < 0.005                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Magnesium                                     | Mg        | 12.4                 | 12.1                       | 2.4     | 0.05                   |
| Manganese                                     | Mn        | 0.77                 | 0.75                       | 2.6     | 0.001                  |
| Mercury                                       | Hg        | < 0.02               | < 0.02                     | -       | 0.00002                |
| Molybdenum                                    | Mo        | 0.0084               | 0.0084                     | 0       | 0.0005                 |
| Nickel <sup>3</sup>                           | Ni        | 0.001                | 0.001                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Phosphorus                                    | P         | < 0.15               | < 0.15                     | -       | 0.01                   |
| Potassium                                     | K         | 4.7                  | 4.5                        | 4.3     | 0.01                   |
| Selenium                                      | Se        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Silicon                                       | SiO2      | 1.4                  | 1.3                        | 7.4     | 0.05                   |
| Silver                                        | Ag        | < 0.00025            | < 0.00025                  | -       | 0.00010                |
| Sodium                                        | Na        | 39.1                 | 37.5                       | 4.2     | 0.05                   |
| Strontium                                     | Sr        | 0.24                 | 0.24                       | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Tellurium                                     | Te        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Thallium                                      | Tl        | < 0.0001             | < 0.0001                   | -       | 0.0001                 |
| Thorium                                       | Th        | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   | -       | 0.0005                 |
| Tin                                           | Sn        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Titanium                                      | Ti        | 0.003                | 0.003                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Uranium                                       | U         | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   | -       | 0.0005                 |
| Vanadium                                      | V         | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Zinc                                          | Zn        | 0.009                | 0.009                      | 0       | 0.005                  |
| Zirconium                                     | Zr        | < 0.01               | < 0.01                     | -       | 0.001                  |
| Dissolved Metals (mg/L)                       |           |                      |                            |         |                        |
| Aluminum <sup>1</sup>                         | Al        | < 0.005              | 0.011                      | -       | 0.005                  |
| Antimony                                      | Sb        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Arsenic                                       | As        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.0010                 |
| Barium                                        | Ba        | 0.048                | 0.051                      | 6.1     | 0.001                  |
| Beryllium                                     | Be        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Bismuth                                       | Bi        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Boron                                         | B         | 0.2                  | 0.21                       | 4.9     | 0.05                   |
| Cadmium <sup>3</sup>                          | Cd        | < 0.0002             | < 0.0002                   | -       | 0.0002                 |
| Calcium                                       | Ca        | 24                   | 24.5                       | 2.1     | 0.05                   |
| Chromium <sup>2</sup>                         | Cr        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Cobalt                                        | Co        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.0010                 |
| Copper <sup>3</sup>                           | Cu        | < 0.001              | 0.001                      | -       | 0.001                  |
| Iron                                          | Fe        | < 0.05               | < 0.05                     | -       | 0.05                   |
| Lead <sup>3</sup>                             | Pb        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Lithium                                       | Li        | < 0.005              | < 0.005                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Magnesium                                     | Mg        | 11.4                 | 11.6                       | 1.7     | 0.05                   |
| Manganese                                     | Mn        | 0.700                | 0.720                      | 2.8     | 0.001                  |
| Mercury                                       | Hg        | < 0.02               | < 0.02                     | -       | 0.00002                |
| Molybdenum                                    | Mo        | 0.008                | 0.008                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Nickel <sup>3</sup>                           | Ni        | 0.001                | 0.001                      | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Phosphorus                                    | P         | < 0.15               | < 0.15                     | -       | 0.01                   |
| Potassium                                     | K         | 4.3                  | 4.4                        | 2.3     | 0.01                   |
| Selenium                                      | Se        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Silicon                                       | SiO2      | 1.20                 | 1.20                       | 0       | 0.05                   |
| Silver                                        | Ag        | < 0.00025            | < 0.00025                  | -       | 0.0001                 |
| Sodium                                        | Na        | 34.2                 | 35.0                       | 2.3     | 0.1                    |
| Strontium                                     | Sr        | 0.22                 | 0.22                       | 0       | 0.001                  |
| Tellurium                                     | Te        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Thallium                                      | Tl        | < 0.0001             | < 0.0001                   | -       | 0.0001                 |
| Thorium                                       | Th        | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   | -       | 0.0005                 |
| Tin                                           | Sn        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Titanium                                      | Ti        | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Uranium                                       | U         | < 0.0005             | < 0.0005                   | -       | 0.0005                 |
| Vanadium                                      | V         | < 0.001              | < 0.001                    | -       | 0.001                  |
| Zinc                                          | Zn        | < 0.005              | 0.005                      | -       | 0.005                  |
| Zirconium                                     | Zr        | < 0.01               | < 0.01                     | -       | 0.001                  |
| Dissolved Anions (mg/L)                       |           |                      |                            |         |                        |
| Dissolved Fluoride                            | F         | 0.18                 | 0.18                       | 0       | 0.05                   |
| Dissolved Chloride                            | Cl        | 126                  | 126                        | 0       | 0.2                    |
| Nutrients (mg/L)                              |           |                      |                            |         |                        |
| Total Nitrogen                                | N         | < 0.2                | 0.3                        | -       | 0.20                   |
| Nitrate and Nitrite                           | NO3 + NO2 | -                    | -                          | -       | 0.01 / 0.05            |
| Dissolved Nitrate <sup>5</sup>                | NO3       | < 0.01               | 0.09                       | -       | 0.05                   |
| Nitrite                                       | NO2       | 0.002                | < 0.002                    | -       | 0.00                   |
| Ammonia Nitrogen                              | N         | 0.14                 | 0.15                       | 6.9     | 0.01                   |
| Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen                       | N         | < 0.2                | 0.2                        | -       | 0.20                   |
| Total Phosphorus                              | P         | 0.01                 | 0.02                       | 35.3    | 0.02                   |

NOTES:  
< = Less than the analytical detection limit  
- = Not analyzed.  
\* RPD considered acceptable since one or more results are less than five times the method detection limit  
\*\* Laboratory measured values  
FD = Field Duplicate



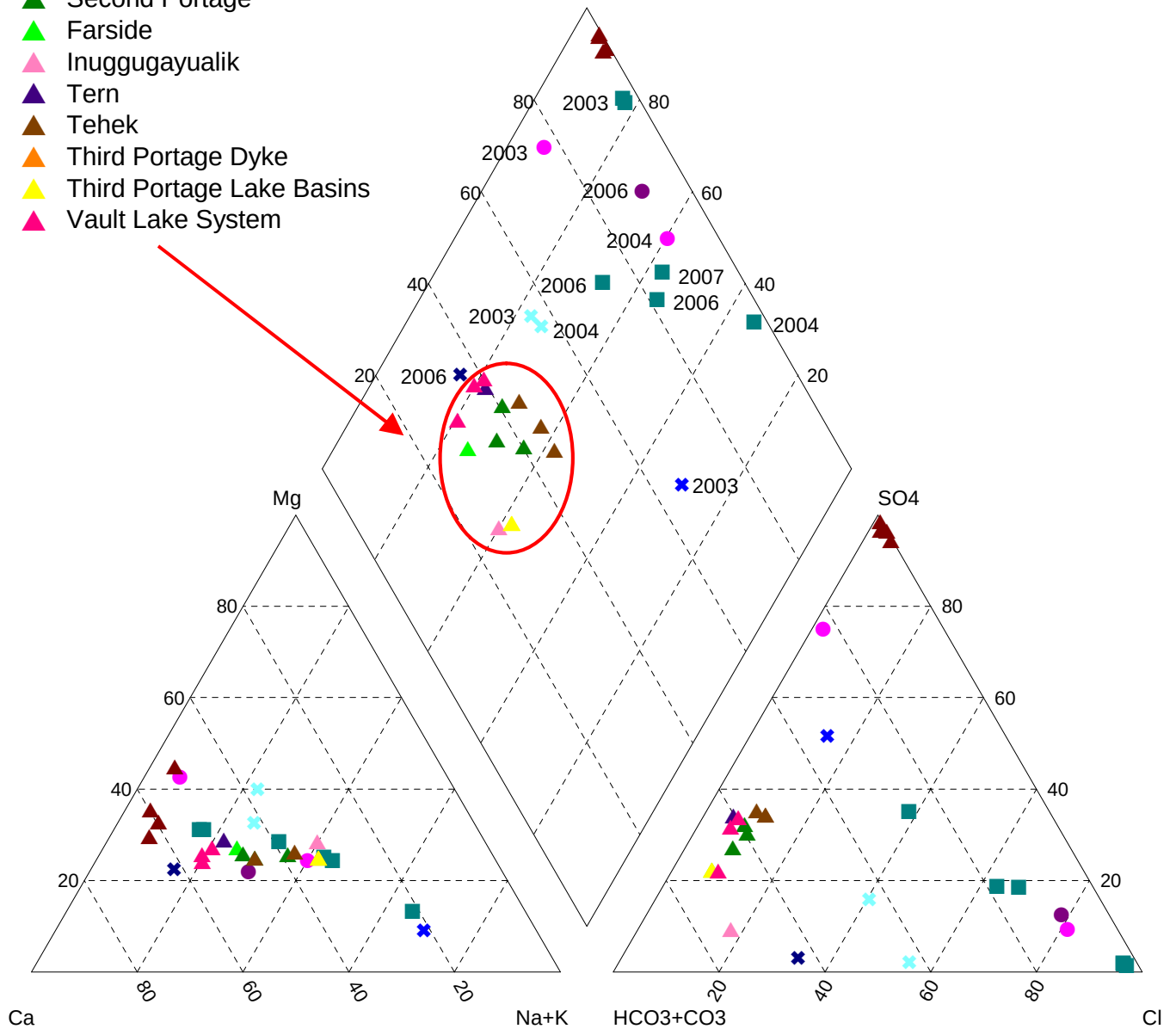


Surface Water (Sep 2002):

▲ Third Portage Trenches

Lake Water (Sep 2003):

- ▲ Second Portage
- ▲ Farside
- ▲ Inuggugayualik
- ▲ Tern
- ▲ Tehek
- ▲ Third Portage Dyke
- ▲ Third Portage Lake Basins
- ▲ Vault Lake System



Groundwater Samples:

- MW03-01 (UM)
- MW03-02 (IF)
- MW06-06 (IF)
- ✕ MW03-03 (IV)
- ✕ MW03-04 (IV Tailings)
- ✕ MW06-07 (QTZ-IV Tailings)

|         |  |                                                   |     |               |           |
|---------|--|---------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------|-----------|
| PROJECT |  | AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED<br>MEADOWBANK DIVISION |     |               |           |
| TITLE   |  | TRILINEAR PLOT OF LAKE AND<br>GROUNDWATER SAMPLES |     |               |           |
|         |  | PROJECT No. 06-1122-186                           |     | FILE No. ---- |           |
|         |  | DESIGN                                            | LL  | 10DEC07       | SCALE N/A |
|         |  | CADD                                              | LL  | 10DEC07       | REV.      |
|         |  | CHECK                                             | VJB | 10DEC07       |           |
|         |  | REVIEW                                            |     |               |           |
|         |  | FIGURE 2                                          |     |               |           |

APPENDIX I

GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT/  
PURGING/ SAMPLING  
DATA SHEETS



# Groundwater Development and Purging/Sampling Data Sheet

(1 of 3)  
☒ Development  
☐ Purging/Sampling

Well No. MW03-01  
 Location: GOOSE ISLAND, MEADOWBANK  
 Weather: SUNNY COOL  
 Temperature: ± 14-16 °C

Project No. 06-1122-386  
 Completed By: R. COELHO + M. ROY (A-E)  
 Date: 12-17 AUG 2007  
 Time: \_\_\_\_\_

## MONITORING WELL INFORMATION

Depth to water Below Top of Casing: A 2.730 metres  
 Depth to Bottom of Well Below Top of Casing: B 2.00 metres  
 Diameter Standpipe: C 1.25" IDPT

One well volume:

(A-B)\*2.0 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 51 mm (2.0 inch) diameter well

(A-B)\*1.1 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 38 mm (1.5 inch) diameter well

(A-B)\*0.83 = 164 litres - for sch. 80 1.25" diam

## EQUIPMENT LIST

pH and Temp. Meter: Model HANNA 991300 Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration Buffers: ☒ 4 ☒ 7 ☐ 10  
 Conductivity Meter: Model " Serial No. " Calibration Solution: 1413 uS/cm  
 Dissolved Oxygen Meter: Model YSI Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ D.O. Chemet Ampoule  
 Pump: ☐ None ☒ Watterra ☐ Peristaltic ☐ Submersible Bailer: ☒ None ☐ Stainless Steel ☐ Teflon ☐ PVC  
 Sample Intake Depth: WITH AIR-LIFTING SET-UP

## WELL DEVELOPMENT/PURGING

Purge Volume: Well Vol. X 24 = 636 litres  
 Flow Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ L/min. Start: AUG-12-2007 10:50 am Finish: AUG-17-2007 10:20 am

| Time  | Volume Removed (L) | Temp. (°C) | pH (Units) | Cond. (uS/cm) | Redox (mV/ppm) | Dis. O <sub>2</sub> (mg/L or %) | Remarks                                 |
|-------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 11:05 | 60                 | 8.1        | 7.66       | 399           | 200            | 13.05                           | Air nozzle c = 110m                     |
| 12:05 | 85                 | 8.2        | 7.34       | 480           | 235            | 14.72                           | Air nozzle c = 148m                     |
| 14:00 | 105                | 8.4        | 7.46       | 322           | 157            | 13.46                           | Very slow recovery ←                    |
| 16:16 | 115                | 9.2        | 7.47       | 256           | 127            | 12.48                           |                                         |
| 17:15 | 125                |            |            |               |                |                                 | No param. measured - final purge of day |
| 09:33 | 145                | 6.0        | 6.84↑      | 223           | 111            | 15.52                           | Air nozzle c = 115m                     |
| 10:00 | 180                | 6.0        | 7.38       | 549           | 258            | 17.63                           | Air nozzle c = 148m                     |
| 12:20 | 195                | 9.6        | 7.29       | 230           | 115            | 13.43                           |                                         |
| 14:40 | 210                | 8.6        | 7.50       | 447           | 216            | 13.56                           |                                         |
| 16:45 | 225                | 8.6        | 7.54       | 360           | 178            | 13.69                           |                                         |
| 11:14 | 290                | 6.8        | 7.22       | 764           | 381            | 13.16                           | Air nozzle c 115m                       |
| 11:30 | 305                | 7.6        | 7.46       | 965           | 478            | 13.80                           | Air nozzle c 150m                       |

## Comments:

Odour: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sheen: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Turbidity: Clear ☒ Very Silty  
 Other: END (12-AUG) START (12-AUG 11:05)

| Analysis | Type                                                            | Container Size |        |        |        |     |     |     | Filtered                                                 | Preservatives |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-----|-----|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
|          |                                                                 | 40 mL          | 100 mL | 250 mL | 500 mL | 1 L | 2 L | 4 L |                                                          |               |
|          | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        |        |     |     |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |               |
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|          | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        |        |     |     |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |               |

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SCN No. \_\_\_\_\_ Consumables: ☐ Watterra Tubing ☐ HDPE Tubing ☐ Groundwater Filter: 0 or 1  
☐ Silicon Tubing ☐ D.O. Ampoules



# Groundwater Development and Purging/Sampling Data Sheet

(2 of 3)  
☒ Development  
☐ Purging/Sampling

Well No. MW03-01  
 Location: GOOSE ISLAND MEADOWBANK  
 Weather: WINDY, COOL  
 Temperature: = 8-10°C

Project No. 06-1122-386  
 Completed By: R. COELHO + SP (A-E)  
 Date: 12-17 AUG 2007  
 Time: \_\_\_\_\_

## MONITORING WELL INFORMATION

Depth to water Below Top of Casing: A 2.730 metres  
 Depth to Bottom of Well Below Top of Casing: B 2.00 metres  
 Diameter Standpipe: C 1.25" ID → 164 L (Sch 80, 1.25" diam OD)

One well volume:  
 (A-B)\*2.0 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 51 mm (2.0 inch) diameter well  
 (A-B)\*1.1 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 38 mm (1.5 inch) diameter well

## EQUIPMENT LIST

pH and Temp. Meter: Model HANNA991300 Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration Buffers: ☒ 4 ☒ 7 ☐ 10  
 Conductivity Meter: Model \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration Solution: 1413 uS/cm  
 Dissolved Oxygen Meter: Model YSI Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ D.O. Chemet Ampoule  
 Pump: ☐ None ☒ Watterra ☐ Peristaltic ☐ Submersible Bailer: ☒ None ☐ Stainless Steel ☐ Teflon ☐ PVC  
 Sample Intake Depth: AIR-LIFTING SET-UP

## WELL DEVELOPMENT/PURGING

Purge Volume: Well Vol. X 24 = 636 litres  
 Flow Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ L/min. Start: AUG-12-2007 10:50 am Finish: AUG-17-2007 10:20 am

| Time  | Volume Removed (L) | Temp. (°C) | pH (Units) | Cond. (uS/cm) | Redox (mV/PPM) | Dis. O <sub>2</sub> (mg/L) or % | Remarks           |
|-------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| 14:05 | 325                | 8.6        | 7.44       | 974           | 474            | 13.92                           |                   |
| 16:15 | 340                | 9.2        | 7.46       | 964           | 476            | 13.05                           |                   |
| 17:15 | 345                | 9.7        | 7.23       | 468           | 230            | 13.86                           |                   |
| 09:00 | 365                | 5.7        | 7.20       | 259           | 127            | 14.02                           | Air nozzle @ 115m |
| 09:45 | 425                | 6.2        | 7.29       | 962           | 482            | 13.47                           | Air nozzle @ 150m |
| 11:45 | 440                | 6.5        | 7.08       | 274           | 132            | 13.14                           |                   |
| 14:10 | 455                | 7.0        | 7.22       | 879           | 439            | 13.22                           |                   |
| 16:15 | 470                | 6.6        | 7.24       | 579           | 291            | 15.13                           |                   |
| 17:15 | 478                | 8.1        | 7.20       | 586           | 292            | 13.45                           |                   |
| 09:00 | 498                | 6.2        | 6.94       | 253           | 127            | -                               |                   |
| 09:05 | 518                | 5.8        | 7.10       | 233           | 117            | -                               |                   |

### Comments:

Odour: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sheen: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Turbidity: Clear ☒ Very Silty  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

| Analysis | Type                                                            | Container Size |        |        |        |     |     |     | Filtered                     |                             | Preservatives |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-----|-----|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|          |                                                                 | 40 mL          | 100 mL | 250 mL | 500 mL | 1 L | 2 L | 4 L | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |               |
|          | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        |        |     |     |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |               |
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|          | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        |        |     |     |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |               |

SCN No. \_\_\_\_\_ Consumables: ☐ Watterra Tubing ☐ HDPE Tubing ☐ Groundwater Filter: ☐ 0 or 1  
☐ Silicon Tubing ☐ D.O. Ampoules



# Groundwater Development and Purging/Sampling Data Sheet

(3 of 3)  
☐ Development  
☒ Purging/Sampling

Well No. MW03-D1  
 Location: GOOSE ISLAND MEADOWBANK  
 Weather: WINDY, COOL  
 Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_

Project No. 06-1122-386  
 Completed By: R COELHO + SP (A-E)  
 Date: 12-17 AUG 2007  
 Time: \_\_\_\_\_

## MONITORING WELL INFORMATION

Depth to water Below Top of Casing: A 2.730 metres  
 Depth to Bottom of Well Below Top of Casing: B 2.00 metres  
 Diameter Standpipe: C 1.25" mm → 164 L (sch 80, 1.25" diam)  
 One well volume: (A-B)\*2.0 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 51 mm (2.0 inch) diameter well  
 (A-B)\*1.1 = \_\_\_\_\_ litres - for a 38 mm (1.5 inch) diameter well

## EQUIPMENT LIST

pH and Temp. Meter: Model HANNA 991300 Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration Buffers: ☒ 4 ☒ 7 ☐ 10  
 Conductivity Meter: Model \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Calibration Solution: 1413 us/cm  
 Dissolved Oxygen Meter: Model YSI Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ D.O. Chemet Ampoule  
 Pump: ☐ None ☐ Waterra ☐ Peristaltic ☒ Submersible Bailer: ☒ None ☐ Stainless Steel ☐ Teflon ☐ PVC  
 Sample Intake Depth: 170 m DOUBLE VALVE PUMP (NITROGEN)

## WELL DEVELOPMENT/PURGING

Purge Volume: Well Vol. X 4 = 636 litres  
 Flow Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ L/min. Start: 10:50 am Finish: 10:20 am  
 AUG-12-2007 AUG-17-2007

| Time  | Volume Removed (L) | Temp. (°C) | pH (Units) | Cond. (uS/cm) | Redox (mV/ppm) | Dis. O <sub>2</sub> (mg/L) or % | Remarks                                           |
|-------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 11:30 | 526                | 9.6        | 8.00       | 2462          | 1229           | 4.30                            | DVP @ 170 m btoe                                  |
| 13:58 | 546                | 10.4       | 7.85       | 2486          | 1242           | 3.04                            |                                                   |
| 14:25 | 566                | 9.5        | 7.75       | 1932          | 967            | 3.12                            |                                                   |
| 15:27 | 586                | 10.5       | 7.34       | 1455          | 724            | 3.25                            |                                                   |
| 17:00 | 606                | 11.4       | 7.47       | 1184          | 592            | 4.96                            |                                                   |
| 18:20 | 618                | 12.4       | 7.43       | 950           | 487            | 4.21                            |                                                   |
| 9:00  | 622                | -          | -          | 2555          | -              | -                               |                                                   |
| 10:20 | 636                | 6.7        | 7.43       | 776           | 389            | 3.78                            | SAMPLES COLLECTED<br>8581-01 + 8581-02 (FD)       |
|       |                    |            |            |               |                |                                 | → FIELD ALKALINITY = 38 mg/L of CaCO <sub>3</sub> |

## Comments:

Odour: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sheen: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Turbidity: Clear ☒ Very Silty  
 Other: SAMPLES

| Analysis         | Type                                                                       | Container Size |        |        |            |     |            |     | Filtered                                                            |  | Preservatives                  |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|------------|-----|------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
|                  |                                                                            | 40 mL          | 100 mL | 250 mL | 500 mL     | 1 L | 2 L        | 4 L |                                                                     |  |                                |
| RAW              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        | 1 + 1 (FD) | -   | 1 + 1 (FD) | -   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  | NONE                           |
| TOT. METALS      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        | 1 + 1 (FD) | -   |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  | HNO <sub>3</sub>               |
| DISS. METALS     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        | 1 + 1 (FD) | -   |            |     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |  | HNO <sub>3</sub>               |
| TKN + TOT. PHOSP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass |                |        |        | 1 + 1 (FD) | -   |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  | H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> |
|                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass            |                |        |        |            |     |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No            |  |                                |
|                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass            |                |        |        |            |     |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No            |  |                                |
|                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass            |                |        |        |            |     |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No            |  |                                |
|                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass            |                |        |        |            |     |            |     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No            |  |                                |

SCN No. 8581-01 Consumables: ☐ Waterra Tubing ☒ HDPE Tubing 1 m ☒ Groundwater Filter: 0 or ①  
☒ Silicon Tubing 6" ☐ D.O. Ampoules \_\_\_\_\_

APPENDIX II

CHAIN OF CUSTODY FORMS AND  
LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORTS





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# CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD/ANALYSIS REQUEST

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|                                                   |                                                    |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Project Number: 06-1122-386 / 3000                | Laboratory Name: CANTEST LTD                       |
| Short Title: MEADOWBANK GROUNDWATER SAMPLING 2007 | Address: 645 BERRY ST, WINNIPEG, MB R3M 1A7        |
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|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----|------|--|--------------------|
| Sample Control<br>Number (SCN)              | Sample<br>Location | Sa. # | Sample<br>Depth<br>(m) | Sample<br>Matrix<br>(over) | Date<br>Sampled<br>(D / M / Y) | Time<br>Sampled<br>(HH:MM) | Sample<br>Type<br>(over) | QAQC<br>Code<br>(over) | Related<br>SCN<br>(over) | Number of Containers | TOT METALS<br>Incl. AS,<br>SH, HG,<br>DISS METALS | TSS, HARD IONS | NITROGEN SPECIES | SPECIATED AMMONIUM<br>(PH +)<br>PHYSICAL PARAM. (Cond) | FREE + TOTAL AMMONIUM | NOTES (P.N. TRN etc) | TDS | RUSH |  |                    |
| 8581 - 01                                   | MW03-01            | 1     | 170m                   | WATER                      | 17/8/07                        | 10:30                      | DISC                     | FDA                    | 8581-02                  | 5                    |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  | * DISS METALS      |
| 8581 - 02                                   | MW03-01            | 2     | 170m                   | WATER                      | 17/8/07                        | 10:30                      | DISC                     | FD                     | 8581-01                  | 5                    |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  | FIELD FILTRATE     |
| - 03                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  | PREPARED BY<br>HMC |
| - 04                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 05                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 06                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 07                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 08                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 09                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 10                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 11                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |
| - 12                                        |                    |       |                        |                            |                                |                            |                          |                        |                          |                      |                                                   |                |                  |                                                        |                       |                      |     |      |  |                    |

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|                            |                                     |                      |                   |                        |         |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------|
| Relinquished by: Signature | Company                             | Date                 | Time              | Received by: Signature | Company |
|                            | GAL                                 | 17                   | - AUG - 2007      |                        |         |
| Relinquished by: Signature | Company                             | Date                 | Time              | Received by: Signature | Company |
|                            |                                     |                      |                   |                        |         |
| Method of Shipment:        | Waybill No.:                        | Received for Lab by: |                   | Date                   | Time    |
| Shipped by:                | Shipment Condition:<br>Seal Intact: | Temp (°C)            | Cooler opened by: | Date                   | Time    |

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**Instructions**

Sample Control Number – Include chain-of-custody form number as prefix.

Sample Matrix – Soil, Water, Air, Refuse, Sludge.

Sample Type – Discrete, Composite, Grab.

QA/QC Code - FD = Field duplicate (homogenized)

FR = Field replicate (unhomogenized)

FB = Field blank

TB = Travel blank

Related SCN – Note associated sample control number for field duplicates or related composite sample control number for discrete samples.

Remarks – Note any special instructions for analytical lab.

Comments: Note any general comments for this set of samples. If samples are time sensitive, please provide the lab with the earliest time of sampling. I.e.: Earliest sample time: time, date

## Analysis Report



**REPORT ON:** Analysis of Water Samples

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Att'n: Ms. Valerie Bertrand

**PROJECT NAME:** 06-1122-386/3000

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**NUMBER OF SAMPLES:** 2

**REPORT DATE:** September 4, 2007

**DATE SUBMITTED:** August 24, 2007

**GROUP NUMBER:** 80824033

**SAMPLE TYPE:** Water

**NOTE:** Results contained in this report refer only to the testing of samples as submitted. Other information is available on request.

### TEST METHODS:

**Anions in Water by Ion Chromatography** - was determined based on Method 4110 in Standard Methods (21st Edition) and EPA Method 300.0 (Revision 2.1).

**Nitrate and Nitrite in Water** - was performed using Flow Injection Analysis where Nitrate is reduced to nitrite by passing the sample through a cadmium reduction column. The nitrite produced is then determined by diazotizing sulphanilamide and N-(1-naphthyl)-ethylenediamine dihydrochloride to form a reddish azo dye which is then measured colorimetrically at 540 nm.

**Ammonia in Water** - was performed using Flow Injection Analysis where the aqueous sample is injected into a carrier stream, which merges a sodium hydroxide stream. Gaseous ammonia is formed, which diffuses through a gas permeable membrane into an indicator stream. This indicator stream is comprised of a mixture of acid-base indicators, which will react with the ammonia gas; resulting in a colour shift which is measured photometrically @ 590 nm.

**Total Dissolved Solids in Water** - was determined based on Method 2540 C in Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater (21st Edition).

**Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen in Water** - was determined based on Method 4500-N in Standard Methods (21st Edition) and Method X325 in the BC Laboratory Manual (2005).

**Total Suspended Solids in Water** - was determined based on Method 2540 D in Standard Methods (21st Edition) and Method X332 in the BC Laboratory Manual (2005).

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Supervisor, Inorganic Testing

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**Conventional Parameters** - analyses were performed using procedures based on those described in the most current editions of "British Columbia Environmental Laboratory Manual for the Analysis of Water, Wastewater, Sediment and Biological Materials", (2005 edition) Province of British Columbia and "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater" (21st Edition), published by the American Public Health Association.

**Conventional Parameters - Winnipeg Laboratory (Unit D-675 Berry Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3H 1A7):** - Analyses performed at Cantest's Winnipeg facilities follow procedures based on those described in the "British Columbia Environmental Laboratory Manual for the Analysis of Water, Wastewater, Sediment and Biological Materials" (2005 Edition) and "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater" (21st Edition).

**Mercury in Water** - analysis was performed using procedures based on U. S. EPA Method 245.7, oxidative digestion using bromination, and analysis using Cold Vapour Atomic Fluorescence Spectroscopy.

**Metals in Water** - analysis was performed using Inductively Coupled Plasma Optical Emission Spectroscopy (ICP), Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectroscopy (ICP/MS).

**Dissolved Metals in Water** - Samples were filtered in the laboratory and quantitatively determined using Inductively Coupled Plasma Optical Emission Spectroscopy (ICP) and/or Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectroscopy (ICP/MS).

**COMMENTS:**

pH, TDS, nitrate and nitrite exceeded hold time upon receipt at Winnipeg. Proceeded with analysis as per client previous requests for this project/ Client requested total and free cyanide. Informed client that we do not do Free cyanide analysis. Cyanide analysis could not be performed as a NaOH preserved bottle was not submitted as there was insufficient sample volume to split for Cyanide analysis.

**TEST RESULTS:**

(See following pages)



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Conventional Parameters in Water

| CLIENT SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION: |                   | 8581-01   | 8581-02   | DETECTION LIMIT | UNITS     |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| DATE SAMPLED:                 |                   | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 |                 |           |
| CANTEST ID:                   |                   | 708240131 | 708240142 | DETECTION LIMIT | UNITS     |
| Hardness                      | CaCO <sub>3</sub> | 107       | 109       |                 |           |
| Hardness (Total)              | CaCO <sub>3</sub> | 116       | 112       | 1               | mg/L      |
| Total Dissolved Solids        |                   | 299       | 338       | 10              | mg/L      |
| Total Suspended Solids        |                   | 2         | 3         | 1               | mg/L      |
| Dissolved Fluoride            | F                 | 0.18      | 0.18      | 0.1             | mg/L      |
| Dissolved Chloride            | Cl                | 126       | 126       | 0.4             | mg/L      |
| Nitrate and Nitrite           | N                 | <         | 0.09      | 0.01            | mg/L      |
| Nitrate                       | N                 | <         | 0.09      | 0.01            | mg/L      |
| Dissolved Sulphate            | SO <sub>4</sub>   | 46.5      | 46.3      | 1               | mg/L      |
| Ammonia Nitrogen              | N                 | 0.14      | 0.15      | 0.01            | mg/L      |
| Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen       | N                 | <         | 0.2       | 0.2             | mg/L      |
| Total Nitrogen                | N                 | <         | 0.3       | 0.2             | mg/L      |
| Total Phosphorus              | P                 | 0.014     | 0.020     | 0.001           | mg/L as P |

mg/L = milligrams per liter  
< = Less than detection limit

mg/L as P = milligrams per liter as P

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**Metals Analysis in Water**

| CLIENT SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION: |    | 8581-01   | 8581-01   | 8581-02   | 8581-02   |                 |       |
|-------------------------------|----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| SAMPLE PREPARATION:           |    | TOTAL     | DISSOLVED | TOTAL     | DISSOLVED |                 |       |
| DATE SAMPLED:                 |    | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 |                 |       |
| CANTEST ID:                   |    | 708240131 | 708240131 | 708240142 | 708240142 | DETECTION LIMIT | UNITS |
| Aluminum                      | Al | 0.053     | <         | 0.059     | 0.011     | 0.005           | mg/L  |
| Antimony                      | Sb | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Arsenic                       | As | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Barium                        | Ba | 0.053     | 0.048     | 0.052     | 0.051     | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Beryllium                     | Be | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Bismuth                       | Bi | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Boron                         | B  | 0.23      | 0.20      | 0.23      | 0.21      | 0.05            | mg/L  |
| Cadmium                       | Cd | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.0002          | mg/L  |
| Calcium                       | Ca | 26.1      | 24.0      | 25.1      | 24.5      | 0.05            | mg/L  |
| Chromium                      | Cr | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Cobalt                        | Co | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Copper                        | Cu | 0.001     | <         | 0.001     | 0.001     | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Iron                          | Fe | 0.94      | <         | 0.93      | <         | 0.05            | mg/L  |
| Lead                          | Pb | 0.001     | <         | 0.001     | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Lithium                       | Li | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.005           | mg/L  |
| Magnesium                     | Mg | 12.4      | 11.4      | 12.1      | 11.6      | 0.05            | mg/L  |
| Manganese                     | Mn | 0.77      | 0.70      | 0.75      | 0.72      | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Mercury                       | Hg | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.02            | µg/L  |
| Molybdenum                    | Mo | 0.0084    | 0.0079    | 0.0084    | 0.0079    | 0.0005          | mg/L  |
| Nickel                        | Ni | 0.001     | 0.001     | 0.001     | 0.001     | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Phosphorus                    | P  | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.15            | mg/L  |
| Potassium                     | K  | 4.7       | 4.3       | 4.5       | 4.4       | 0.1             | mg/L  |
| Selenium                      | Se | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Silicon                       | Si | 1.4       | 1.2       | 1.3       | 1.2       | 0.25            | mg/L  |
| Silver                        | Ag | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.00025         | mg/L  |
| Sodium                        | Na | 39.1      | 34.2      | 37.5      | 35.0      | 0.05            | mg/L  |
| Strontium                     | Sr | 0.24      | 0.22      | 0.24      | 0.22      | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Tellurium                     | Te | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Thallium                      | Tl | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.0001          | mg/L  |
| Thorium                       | Th | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.0005          | mg/L  |
| Tin                           | Sn | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |

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**Metals Analysis in Water**

|                               |    |           |           |           |           |                 |       |
|-------------------------------|----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| CLIENT SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION: |    | 8581-01   | 8581-01   | 8581-02   | 8581-02   |                 |       |
| SAMPLE PREPARATION:           |    | TOTAL     | DISSOLVED | TOTAL     | DISSOLVED |                 |       |
| DATE SAMPLED:                 |    | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 |                 |       |
| CANTEST ID:                   |    | 708240131 | 708240131 | 708240142 | 708240142 | DETECTION LIMIT | UNITS |
| Titanium                      | Ti | 0.003     | <         | 0.003     | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Uranium                       | U  | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.0005          | mg/L  |
| Vanadium                      | V  | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.001           | mg/L  |
| Zinc                          | Zn | 0.009     | <         | 0.009     | 0.005     | 0.005           | mg/L  |
| Zirconium                     | Zr | <         | <         | <         | <         | 0.01            | mg/L  |

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µg/L = micrograms per liter

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Conventional Parameters-Winnipeg Laboratory- in Water

|                                         |           |           |                 |            |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|------------|
| CLIENT SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION:           | 8581-01   | 8581-02   |                 |            |
| DATE SAMPLED:                           | Aug 17/07 | Aug 17/07 |                 |            |
| CANTEST ID:                             | 708240131 | 708240142 |                 |            |
|                                         |           |           | DETECTION LIMIT | UNITS      |
| pH, Laboratory                          | 6.78      | 6.96      | -               | pH units   |
| Conductivity                            | 588       | 583       | 1               | $\mu$ S/cm |
| Total Alkalinity CaCO <sub>3</sub>      | 36.7      | 36.7      | 1               | mg/L       |
| Bicarbonate Alkalinity HCO <sub>3</sub> | 44.8      | 44.8      | 0.5             | mg/L       |
| Carbonate Alkalinity CO <sub>3</sub>    | <         | <         | 0.5             | mg/L       |
| Hydroxide Alkalinity OH                 | <         | <         | 0.5             | mg/L       |
| Nitrite N                               | 0.002     | <         | 0.002           | mg/L       |

$\mu$ S/cm = microsiemens per centimeter

mg/L = milligrams per liter

< = Less than detection limit