



December 14, 2021

NWB File No. 2AM-WTP1830

NIRB File No.: 16MN056

Karén Kharatyan
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Nunavut Water Board
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Re: 2AM-WTP1830 –60-Day Notice Whale Tail Emulsion Plant

Dear Karén Kharatyan,

Agnico Eagle Mines Limited (Agnico Eagle) is writing to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) to provide 60-day notice for the commission and construction of an Emulsion Plant for the Whale Tail Pit Project under Type A Water Licence (2AM-WTP1830).

With the eventual start of production of the underground mine at Whale Tail, a new Emulsion Plant will be built to accommodate emulsion requirements for the underground mine and also supply the open pit. In January 2022, Agnico Eagle will have commissioned the new Whale Tail Emulsion Plant to start producing emulsion for the open pit and the underground mine. This plant will allow the mine to end the transportation of emulsion along the Haul Road from Meadowbank; thereby producing the appropriate explosive products for both underground and surface mines on-site.

The new plant will produce at a rate of 40,000 kg of emulsion per day, while having a capacity of storage of 135,000 kg of emulsion (3x45,000 kg stainless steel silos) in the existing building. The general layout will respect the quantity distances as prescribed by the *National Standard of Canada CAN/BNQ 2910-510/2015 Explosives – Quantity Distances*.

The mixing area will be covered with an EPDM GEOTOUCH membrane to protect against any infiltration. This area will slope so the flow is collected in one centralized sump location. Refer to the Attachment for further details.

The daily fresh water requirement of the Emulsion Plant will be approximately 8 m³ per day. When required, the Emulsion Plant will be supplied with water from Nemo Lake from a tanker truck that will fill the plant's 24,500 liter tank.

Attachment A provides the following details of the Emulsion Plant:

- Building;
- General arrangement;
- Location; and
- Containment grading.

Agnico Eagle acknowledges Management Plans will need to be revised to reflect the Emulsion Plant and will submit the following plans under a forthcoming cover:

- Ammonia Management Plan;
- Spill Contingency Plan; and
- Water Management Plan

Closure

Agnico Eagle is committed to responsibly manage waste and water resources in accordance with the Type A Water Licence 2AM-WTP1830, the Project Certificate No. 008-Amendment 001, and objectives as outlined in Management Plans for the Project.

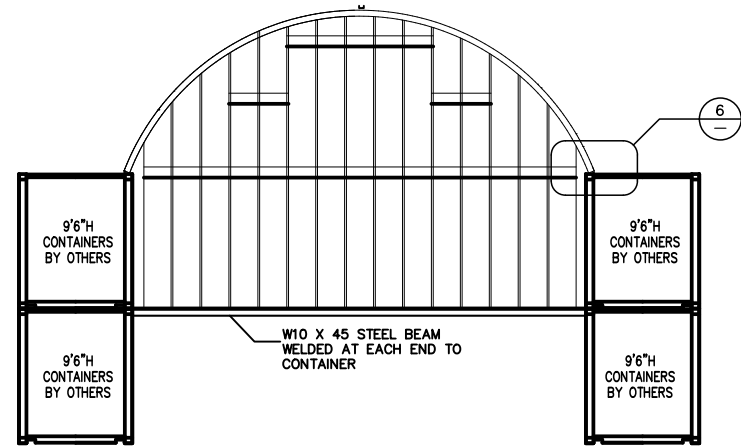
Agnico Eagle is respectfully requesting the Nunavut Water Board to expedite the review of the Whale Tail Emulsion Plant and provide approval by January 7, 2022.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

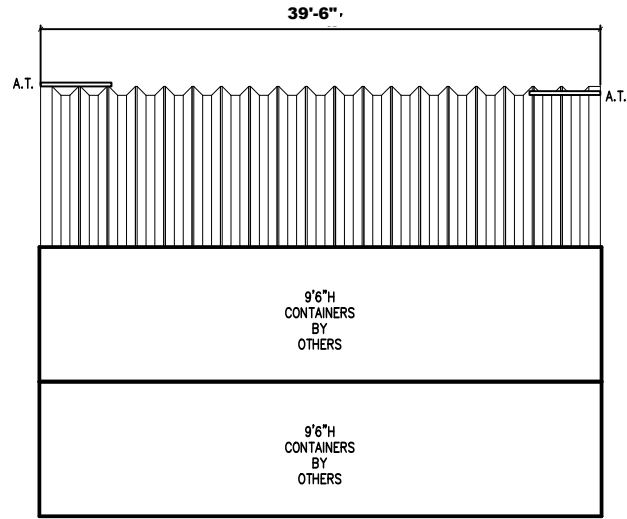
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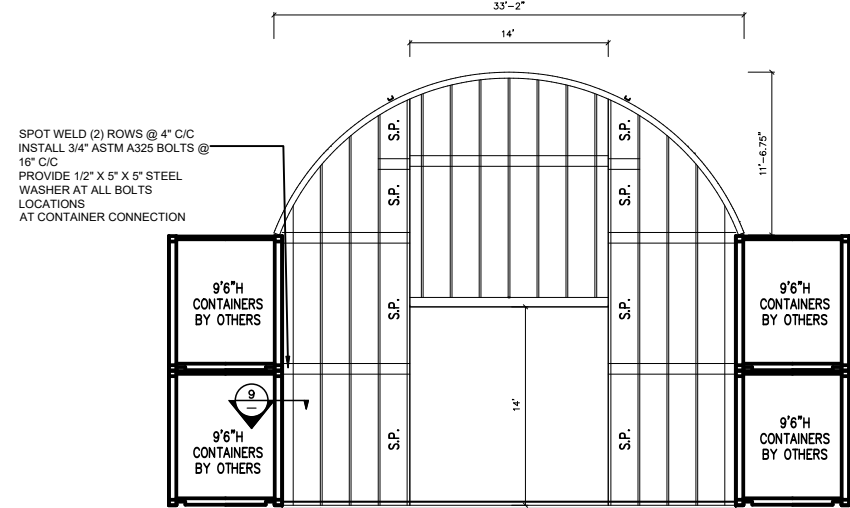
Michel Groleau
Superintendent, Permitting & Regulatory Affairs
Agnico Eagle Mines Limited



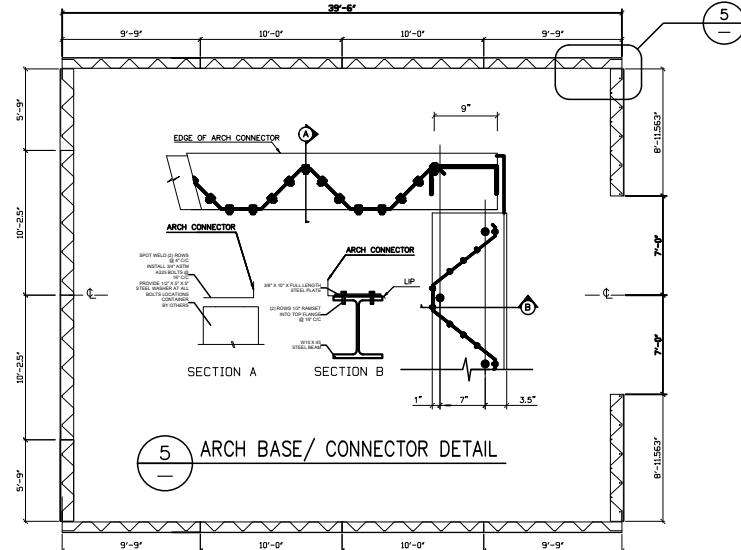
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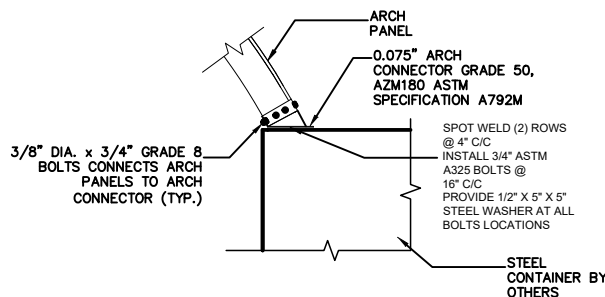
2 SIDE ELEVATION



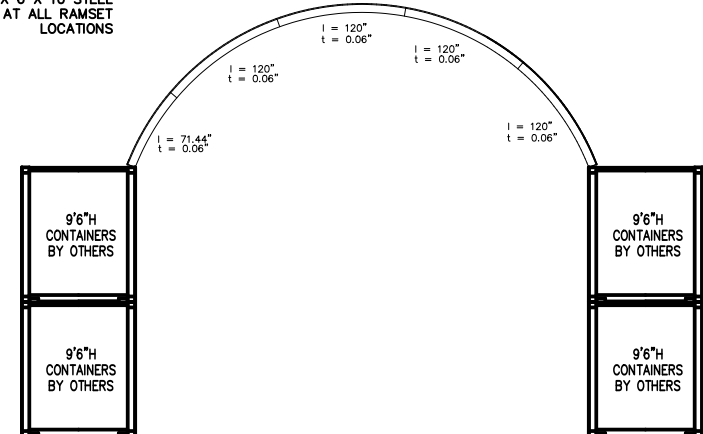
3 FRONT ELEVATION
S.P. = STRONGER PANEL (t=0.075" + 0.05" DOUBLE PANEL)



5 ARCH BASE/ CONNECTOR DETAIL

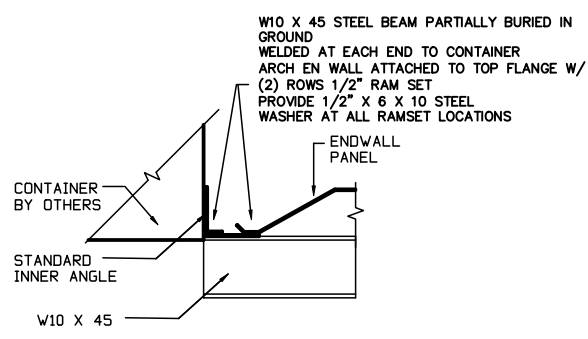


6 ARCH BASE/ CONNECTOR DETAIL



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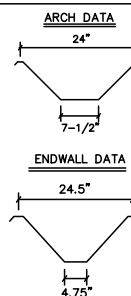
4 ARCH BASE/ CONNECTOR DETAIL



9 CONTAINER CONNECTION DETAIL

SPECIFIED ARCH REACTIONS PER ARCH END		
LOAD TYPE	Rh (lbs/ft)	Rv (lbs/ft)
DEAD LOAD	102	173
LIVE LOAD	234	347
SNOW LOAD	654	1052
EXTERNAL WIND	-137	-284
INTERNAL WIND PRESSURE	-95	-248

NOTES:
1. STEEL CONTAINER BY OTHERS
2. ADEQUACY OF CONTAINERS TO SUPPORT ANCHORAGE IS BY OTHERS AND TO INCLUDE BUT NOT LIMITED TO
- SUPPLY / INSTALL OF ADDITIONAL PLATES
- SUPPLY / INSTALL OF ANY STIFFENERS

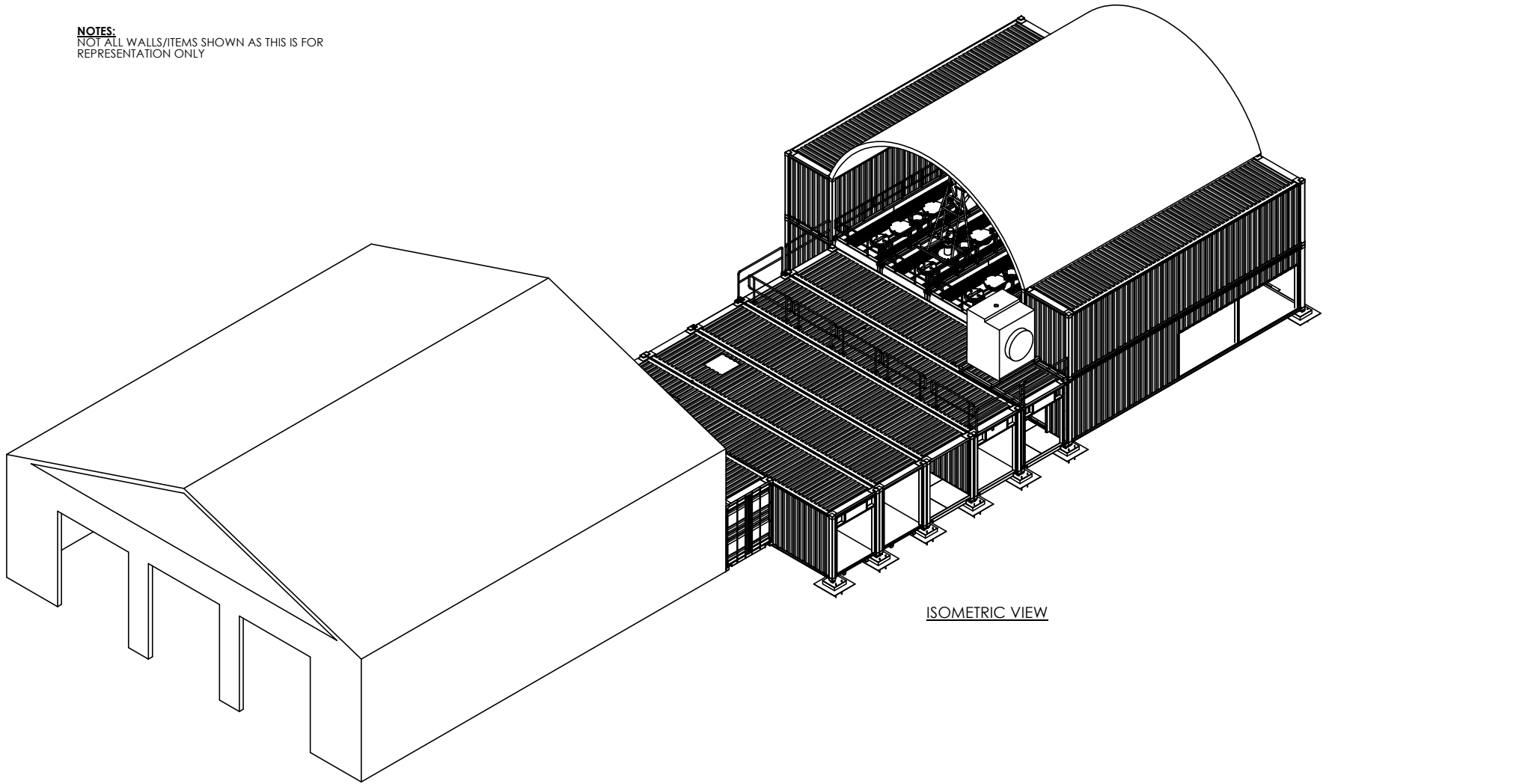


BOLTS: SAE GRADE 2 OR ASTM A307
FRONT ENDWALL STEEL THICKNESS = 1.27mm
REAR ENDWALL STEEL THICKNESS = 1.02mm
ARCH STEEL THICKNESS - SEE ARCH PROFILE
GALVALUME SHEET STEEL:
STRUCTURAL QUALITY ASTM SPECIFICATION A792M
55% ALUMINUM-ZINC ALLOY (HOT DIP COATING)
345 MPa MINIMUM YIELD
450 MPa MINIMUM TENSILE
OTHER SECTIONS SHALL CONFORM TO:
ASTM A36 (Fy = 250 MPa)
ARCH DESIGN DATA IN ACCORDANCE WITH NBC 2015:
L: LIVE LOAD (kPa) = 1.0
Se: GROUND SNOW (kPa) = 3.4
Cb: ROOF SNOW FACTOR = 0.80
Cw: WIND EXPOSURE FACTOR = 1.0
Cs: SLOPE FACTOR = 1.0
Sr: RAIN LOAD (kPa) = 0.2
IMPORTANCE FACTOR (SNOW) = 1.0
p: WIND EXTERNAL PRESSURE (kPa) = 0.51
q: VELOCITY PRESSURE (1/50) (kPa) = 0.54
Ce: WIND EXPOSURE FACTOR = 0.95
Cg: GUST EFFECT FACTOR = 2.0
Sa (0.2): HORIZONTAL SPECTRAL ACCELERATION = 0.068

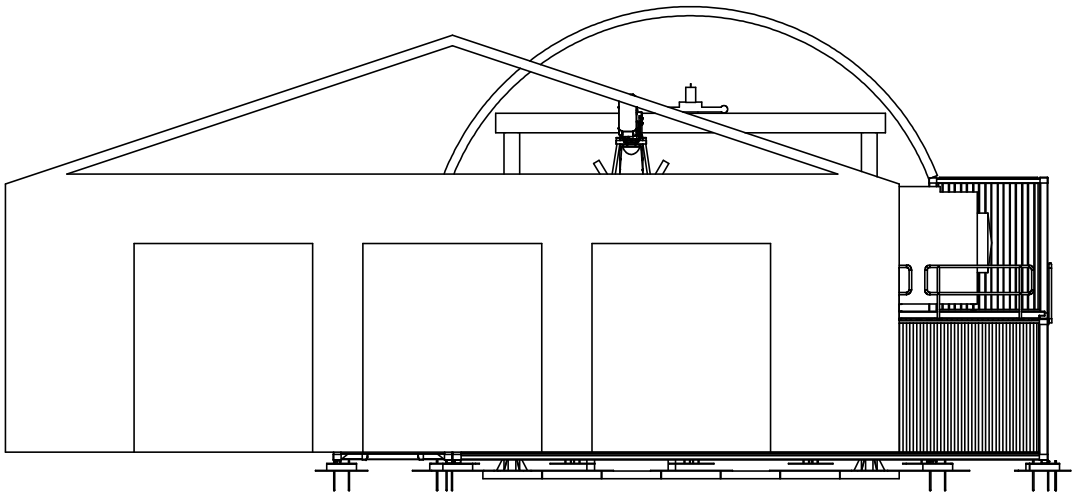
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June 7, 2021

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ANCHORAGE OF ARCH BUILDING TO STEEL SHIPPING CONTAINERS
SCALE: N.T.S. APPROVED BY: CHECKED BY: DATE: MAY 18TH, 2021
PROJECT: TYLER WILLIAMS MEADOWBANK AERODROME, NU
MODEL: TTE-0521-048-FST-26
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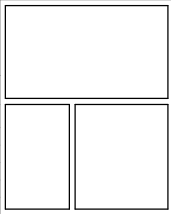


RIGHT VIEW

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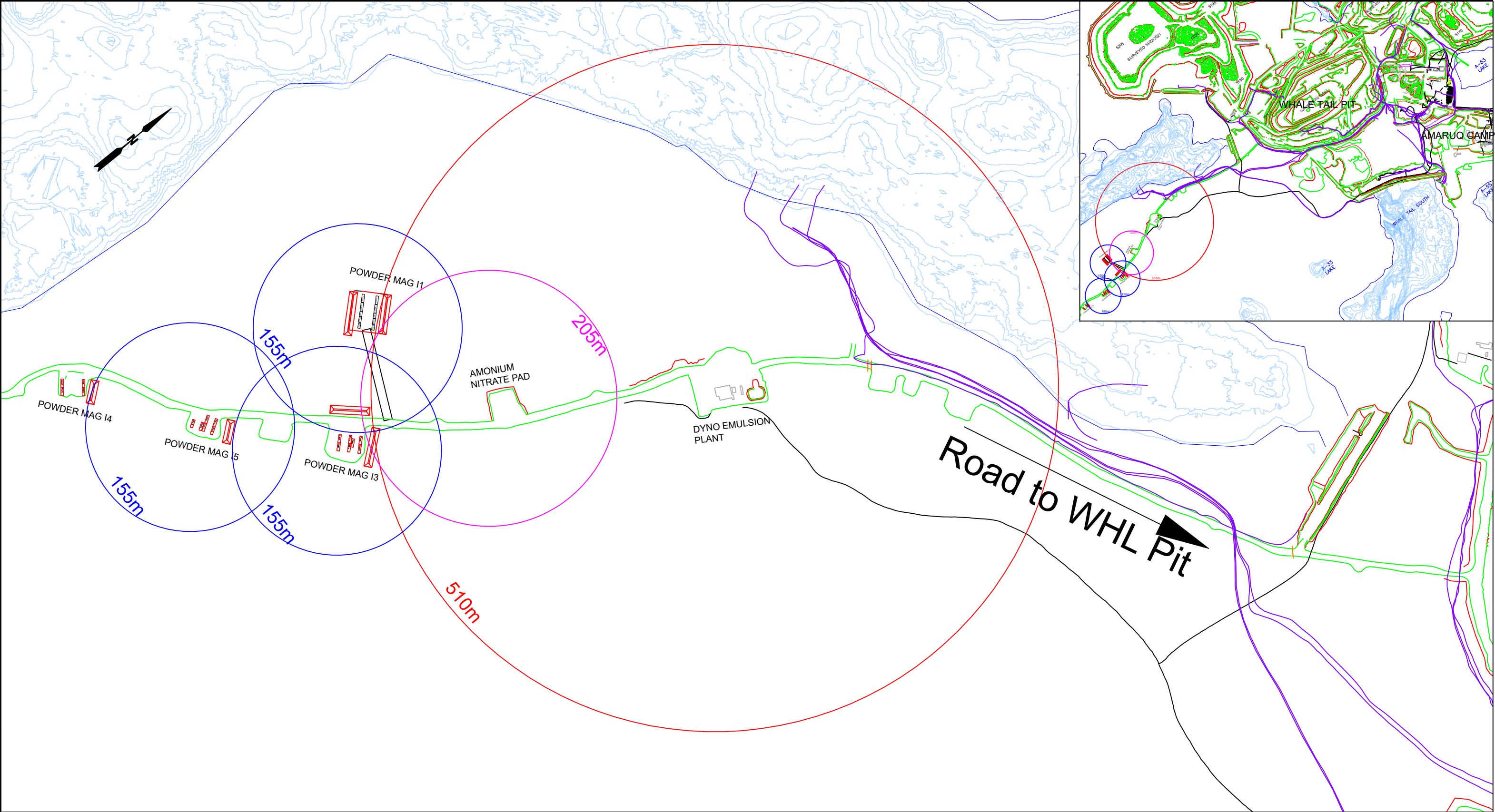
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