



2022-11-23 WTP 20L Sewage

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Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted November 24th, 2022, by Agnico Eagle Meadowbank division. This detailed report is submitted to the Inspector in compliance with the conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License 2AM-WTP1830, Part H, Item 8c.

Spill Description

During an inspection of the Amaruq camp, a small quantity of frozen sewage was observed on the ground near the sewage transfer pipe.



Spill Location: N 65°23'59.1" W 96°40'37.2" on IOL

There were no off-site impacts or discharges. Distance to the closest water body is 320m to Whale Tail South Lake.

Cause of Spill

Human Error

Remediation Actions

Approximately 1m³ of contaminated snow and sewage was collected and brought to the Meadowbank tailings area for disposal.



Corrective measures

AEM will install protective caps on all sewage discharge outlets. AEM will follow best spill practices and ensure vacuum truck operators install secondary containment at the discharge outlets when collecting sewage.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Whale Tail site on November 23rd, 2022, and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.



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