

# 2025-01-24 WTM\_Coolant\_Diesel\_Hydraulic Oil

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Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025, by Agnico Eagle Meadowbank division. This detailed report is submitted to the Inspector as requested; as due diligence and without prejudice by Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. and in accordance with the conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License 2AM-WTP1830, Part H, Item 8c.

## **Spill Description**

During operations at Whale Tail Mine, a long-haul truck was travelling southbound along the Whale Tail Haul Road and went off the road at KM163. Environment was advised by ERT that multiple leaks were observed at the scene.





Spill location: 65°19'23.61"N, 96°26'56.77"W on IOL

The spill was located along the Whale Tail Haul Road. There were no off-site impacts or discharges. Distance to the closest water body is 170m to an unknow Lake.

# Cause of Spill

Human Error. Operator failed to stop when visibility degraded.

#### **Remediation Actions**

Absorbent material and secondary containment were placed under the active leaks. The equipment was later removed, and the contaminated area was scrapped with an excavator. After further investigation a total of 45L Diesel, 25L of Hydraulic Oil, and 20L of Coolant spilled from the long haul. Approximately 6m<sup>3</sup> of contaminated material was collected and brought to the Meadowbank Tailings Storage Facility.





#### **Corrective measures**

A review of the Whale Tail Haul Road management plan was completed and updated. The updated plan was shared with all LHT operators as well as a site wide communication regarding the procedure.

## Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred on the Whale Tail Haul Road on January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025, and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.



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