



2025-10-12 WTM 600L Windshield washer fluid

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Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted October 12th, 2025, 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 operations at the Whale Tail Mine, a hose connected to a windshield washer fluid tote was inadvertently left open, resulting in a spill of approximately 600 liters onto the ground at the fuel farm pad. The windshield washer fluid spilled is a methanol-based product.



Spill Location: 65°24'10.0"N 96°39'59.7"W on IOL

The spill remained within the mine operations footprint. There were no off-site impacts or discharges. Distance to the closest water body is approximately 375m to Lake A56.

Cause of Spill

Human Error

Remediation Actions

The main valve on the tote was subsequently closed to stop the release. A loader was dispatched to collect the contaminated material, which was transported to the Meadowbank Tailings Storage Facility for disposal.



Corrective measures

As a preventive measure, a sign was installed to increase user awareness about closing the valve on the system. Additionally, modifications to the hose support were completed. The design of the windshield washer fluid dispenser will also be reviewed, and appropriate modifications will be implemented if deemed necessary.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Whale Tail site on October 12th, 2025, and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.



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