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We are pleased to provide you with two (2) copies of the final report for the Iqaluit Sewage Sludge Management Composting Pilot Study. An electronic copy will also be sent by email.

If you have any questions regarding the above please contact the undersigned at 780-453-0910.

Sincerely,
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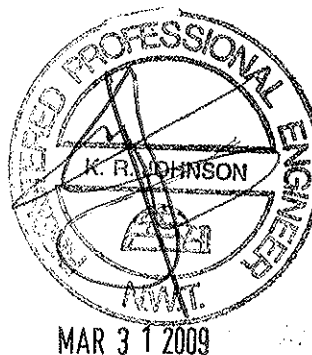


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1.0 INTRODUCTION

The City of Iqaluit, Nunavut is in the process of upgrading to a conventional activated sludge wastewater treatment system for its municipal sewage. The first phase of the project (primary treatment) was commissioned in May 2006, and the second phase (secondary treatment) is planned for the next five (5) to ten (10) years. The design, construction, and operation of this facility present challenges that are unique to Iqaluit's harsh arctic environment. One of these challenges is how to dispose of the sewage sludge produced by the sewage treatment facility.

Sewage sludge, produced as a waste product during modern sewage treatment, has specific handling, treatment and disposal requirements. Sludge has high levels of pathogens and high nutrient characteristics, so sludge must usually be treated before disposal in order to protect public health and the receiving environment. Most municipalities in Canada are aware of the need to treat sewage sludge before disposal.

However, sewage sludge treatment in the Canadian north is not well established. Municipal sewage sludge in the north is hidden as an inherent part of a sewage lagoon. Sludge essentially becomes part of the lagoon as it settles to the lagoon bottom, and only requires removal every 10 (ten) to 15 (fifteen) years. With such infrequent sludge disposal, it is easy to ignore municipal sewage sludge entirely. In addition, sludge management techniques used in more southern climates are not necessarily effective in the Northwest Territories and Nunavut because of the challenging environmental and social conditions.

The City of Iqaluit recognized the need for a sewage sludge management plan and retained AECOM Canada Ltd. to complete the plan. AECOM began by identifying available sludge management technologies, and then applied screening criteria to produce a short list of technologies for detailed evaluation. These technologies were reviewed for their applicability in a northern context, and it was recommended that freeze-thaw dewatering and composting was the most appropriate choice for Iqaluit.

With freeze-thaw dewatering and composting selected as the sludge treatment processes, the City applied for funding to begin a pilot project in order to determine how effective the technology would actually be for Iqaluit's sewage sludge. The Federation of Canadian Municipalities approved the City's grant application for equipment and testing. A pilot dewatering and composting facility was constructed next to the landfill in 2006.

AECOM was asked by the City of Iqaluit to determine the effectiveness of the sludge management pilot project. AECOM proposed to do this by analyzing samples of the compost and comparing these samples to the raw sludge. To this end, composted sludge samples were taken from the pilot sludge management area in October 2008, along with raw sewage sludge samples from the site. Samples of Iqaluit's raw sewage sludge were also taken in March, May and June of 2006. This report summarizes the results of the sampling.

2.0 SLUDGE COMPOSTING PROCESS

The sludge management facility is located next to the municipal landfill. Raw sludge is piled at the east end of the site, and four (4) composting piles (windrows) are established on concrete slabs towards the west end of the site. The area is fenced, with two gated entrances: one direct access through a gate from the road on the west side of the site, and an access road from the main gate at the landfill entrance. See **Appendix A** for the site layout.

Freezing and thawing is used to dewater the raw sewage sludge. During spring and fall months, the sludge freezes and thaws, which separates the solid sludge particles from the water. When complete thawing occurs from May to June, some of the separated water drains away. This freeze-thaw process produces a dryer sludge material available for composting.

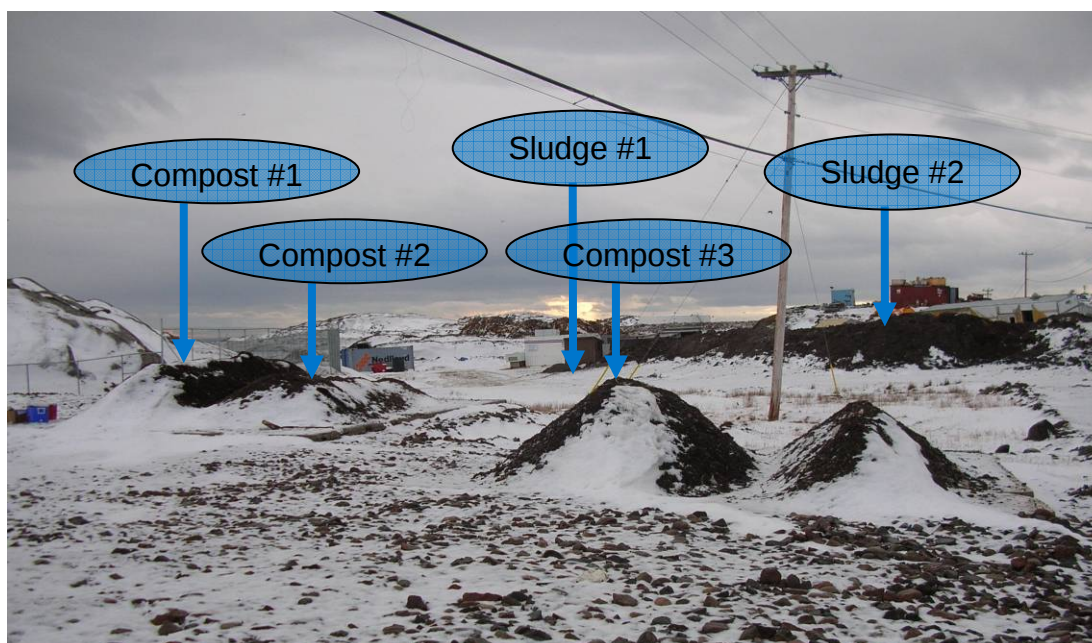
To begin the composting process, dewatered sludge is mixed with wood chips (produced by shredding) at a ratio of approximately 2:1 wood:sludge, and piled in rows. The compost should be turned regularly to encourage aerobic conditions inside the pile. Over the summer months, composting will occur, and a "maturing" phase can occur over the following winter months.

3.0 SAMPLING RESULTS

3.1 2008 Samples

On October 28, 2008 samples of raw sludge and composted material were collected from the City's sludge management facility. See **Figures 1** and **2** below for the sampling locations. The samples were stored in coolers and delivered to Bodycote (Norwest Labs) in Edmonton for analysis on October 30.

Figure 1: 2008 Sample Locations



The sample results were received by AECOM on November 11, 2008. **Table 1** shows the results for the 2008 compost and sludge samples. See **Appendix C** for copies of the Bodycote testing results.

Appendix D contains brief descriptions of the analyzed parameters. Some of the important parameters are discussed in Section 4.

Figure 2: Iqaluit Pilot Sludge Management Site Overview



Table 1: October 2008 Sample Results

Parameter	Unit	Compost #1	Compost #2	Compost #3	Sludge #1	Sludge #2
Aggregate Organic Constituents						
Organic Matter	% weight	10.8	8.3	8.6	84.2	9 ¹
Water	%	32.1				
Solids	%	67.4				
Oil (dry wt.)	%	0.68				
Oil (wet wt.)	%	0.46				
Classification						
Nitrogen (TKN)	%	0.35	0.29	0.32	0.35	0.28
Metals						
Mercury	mg/kg	0.12				
Aluminum	mg/kg	6190				
Antimony	mg/kg	3.1				
Arsenic	mg/kg	5.1				
Barium	mg/kg	69				
Beryllium	mg/kg	0.2				
Bismuth	mg/kg	3.3				
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.11				
Chromium	mg/kg	27.7				
Calcium	mg/kg	17700				
Cobalt	mg/kg	5.1				
Copper	mg/kg	283				
Iron	mg/kg	18800				
Lead	mg/kg	87.9				
Magnesium	mg/kg	3400				
Manganese	mg/kg	282				
Molybdenum	mg/kg	4				
Nickel	mg/kg	19				
Phosphorus	mg/kg	1620	1410	1470	2090	1340
Selenium	mg/kg	0.6				
Silicon	mg/kg	680				
Silver	mg/kg	1.4				
Strontium	mg/kg	64				
Thalium	mg/kg	<0.05				
Tin	mg/kg	6				
Titanium	mg/kg	213				
Vanadium	mg/kg	15.5				
Zinc	mg/kg	357				
Microbiological Analysis						
Total Coliforms	MPN/g	<3	7	43	>1,100,000	23000
Fecal Coliforms	MPN/g	<3	7	7	1,100,000	23000

¹ The low organic matter result for Sludge Sample #2 may be an anomaly.

Parameter	Unit	Compost #1	Compost #2	Compost #3	Sludge #1	Sludge #2
Physical and Aggregate Properties						
Solids (wet wt.)	%	55.7	56.2	60.9	19.6	44.8
Soil Acidity						
pH		7.4				
EC (sat.paste equiv)		5.66				
EC (soil:water)		2.75				
Water Soluble Parameters						
BOD (extractable)	mg/kg	3400				104000

3.2 2006 Samples

AECOM staff took samples of raw sludge from Iqaluit (the WWTP or the sludge management site) in March 2006, May 2006, and again in June 2006. Two (2) letter reports on the sampling were produced, dated April 25, 2006 and July 11, 2006.

In summary these reports stated that:

1. Untreated Iqaluit sludge has a high concentration of total solids (around 20%) compared to typical primary sludge (around 6%).
2. Untreated Iqaluit sludge contains a high concentration of Total Coliforms and Fecal Coliforms, with >1,100,000 MPN/g measured for both parameters in both the March and June samples.
3. Untreated Iqaluit sludge contains a low concentration of metals compared to typical wastewater sludge.

The sludge sample taken in March 2006 was analyzed for many different parameters, including various trace metals. The results can be compared to those of the Compost #1 sample taken in 2008, as shown in **Table 2** below.

Table 2: Comparison of Compost and Sludge on All Parameters

Parameter	Unit	Compost (2008)	Sludge (2006)
Aggregate Organic Constituents			
Organic Matter	% weight	10.8	NT
Water	%	32.1	80.2
Solids	%	67.4	17.6
Oil (dry wt.)	%	0.68	11
Oil (wet wt.)	%	0.46	2.16
Classification			
Nitrogen (TKN)	%	0.35	1.08
Metals			
Mercury	mg/kg	0.12	0.08
Aluminum	mg/kg	6190	NT
Antimony	mg/kg	3.1	0.4
Arsenic	mg/kg	5.1	0.4

Parameter	Unit	Compost (2008)	Sludge (2006)
Barium	mg/kg	69	24
Beryllium	mg/kg	0.2	0.2
Bismuth	mg/kg	3.3	NT
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.11	0.17
Chromium	mg/kg	27.7	2.7
Calcium	mg/kg	17700	NT
Cobalt	mg/kg	5.1	0.2
Copper	mg/kg	283	170
Iron	mg/kg	18800	NT
Lead	mg/kg	87.9	3.9
Magnesium	mg/kg	3400	NT
Manganese	mg/kg	282	NT
Molybdenum	mg/kg	4	2
Nickel	mg/kg	19	2.2
Phosphorus	mg/kg	1620	1420
Selenium	mg/kg	0.6	0.9
Silicon	mg/kg	680	NT
Silver	mg/kg	1.4	1
Strontium	mg/kg	64	NT
Thalium	mg/kg	<0.05	0.1
Tin	mg/kg	6	2
Titanium	mg/kg	213	NT
Vanadium	mg/kg	15.5	1
Zinc	mg/kg	357	200
Microbiological Analysis			
Total Coliforms	MPN/g	<3	>1,100,000
Fecal Coliforms	MPN/g	<3	>1,100,000
Escherichia coli	MPN/g		1,100,000
Physical and Aggregate Properties			
Solids (wet wt.) / Total Solids	%	55.7	19.5
Soil Acidity			
pH		7.4	5.6
Water Soluble Parameters			
BOD (extractable)	mg/kg	3400	39500

*NT: Not Tested

4.0 DISCUSSION

4.1 Microbiological Content

The composting process is reducing the number of total and fecal coliforms to a great extent. As shown in **Table 3**, the Most Probable Number of both total and fecal coliforms is very high in Iqaluit's raw sewage sludge; lower in a sample of sludge that has undergone a freeze-thaw dewatering cycle; and very low in the composting material. Both the 2008 and 2006 sample results were used to generate the averages in **Table 3**.

Table 3: Total and Fecal Coliforms in Iqaluit Sludge and Compost

	Units	Average Raw Sludge	Dewatered Sludge	Average Compost
Total Coliforms	MPN/g	> 852,500	23,000	18
Fecal Coliforms	MPN/g	> 852,500	23,000	6

The US Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) classifies sewage sludge as either Class A or Class B with respect to pathogen content. Either of these classes of treated sludge can be land applied. The EPA regulation states that a composted sludge is considered Class A if the compost temperature is maintained at 55°C or higher for fifteen (15) days or longer, and the aerated pile is turned a minimum of five times during this period. Compost is considered Class B if the temperature of the compost is raised to 40°C or higher for five (5) days or longer, and the temperature exceeds 55°C for at least four (4) hours during this period. The operating temperature of Iqaluit's compost piles during the summer is unknown.

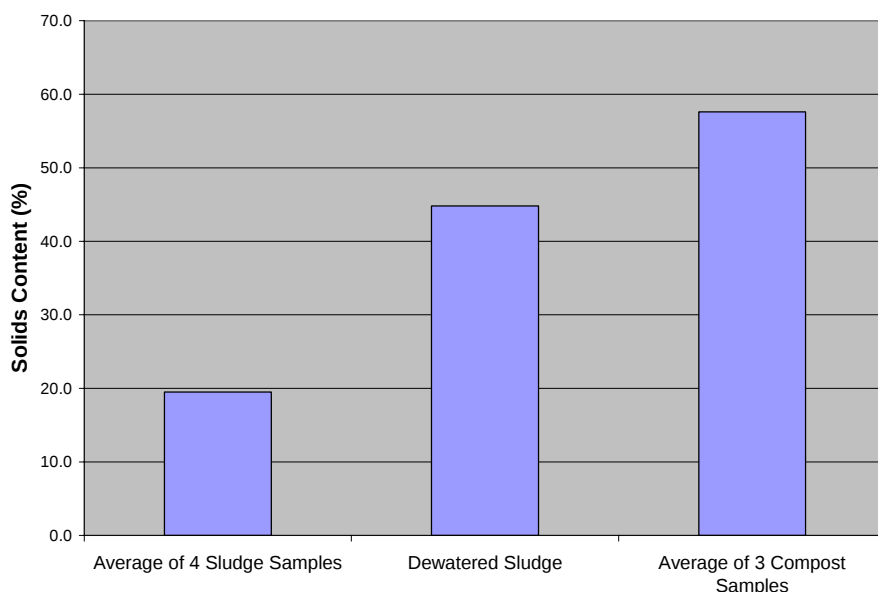
Iqaluit's treated sludge (compost) is either Class A or Class B with respect to pathogens. One of the alternative ways for a treated sludge to be classified as Class B is if the average fecal coliform count of seven samples is less than 2,000,000 Most Probable Number per gram of total solids (dry weight basis). Iqaluit's compost is well below this limit for fecal coliforms, so the compost is at least Class B. There are also several alternatives for a treated sludge to classify as Class A, such as having low test counts for certain pathogens. This has not been examined in detail for Iqaluit's compost.

4.2 Solids Content

The freeze-thaw dewatering process, combined with the composting treatment stage, appears to be effective at increasing the solids content of the sludge material. Raw sewage sludge from Iqaluit's WWTP is about 20% solids. As noted in the April 2006 letter report, this is higher than typical for primary sludge which is generally about 6% solids. After the sludge undergoes freeze-thaw dewatering and is mixed with dry wood chip material, the average solids content of the composting material is 58%.

One of the October 2008 sludge samples appears to have advanced in the freeze-thaw dewatering cycle, since the solids content is 44.8% while four other sludge samples have solids contents of 18, 19.5, 19.6 and 20.9% respectively. This could indicate that the freeze-thaw process is successfully dewatering the sludge. However, no firm conclusions can be made about the effectiveness of the freeze-thaw process due to the limited number of samples.

Figure 3: Solids Content

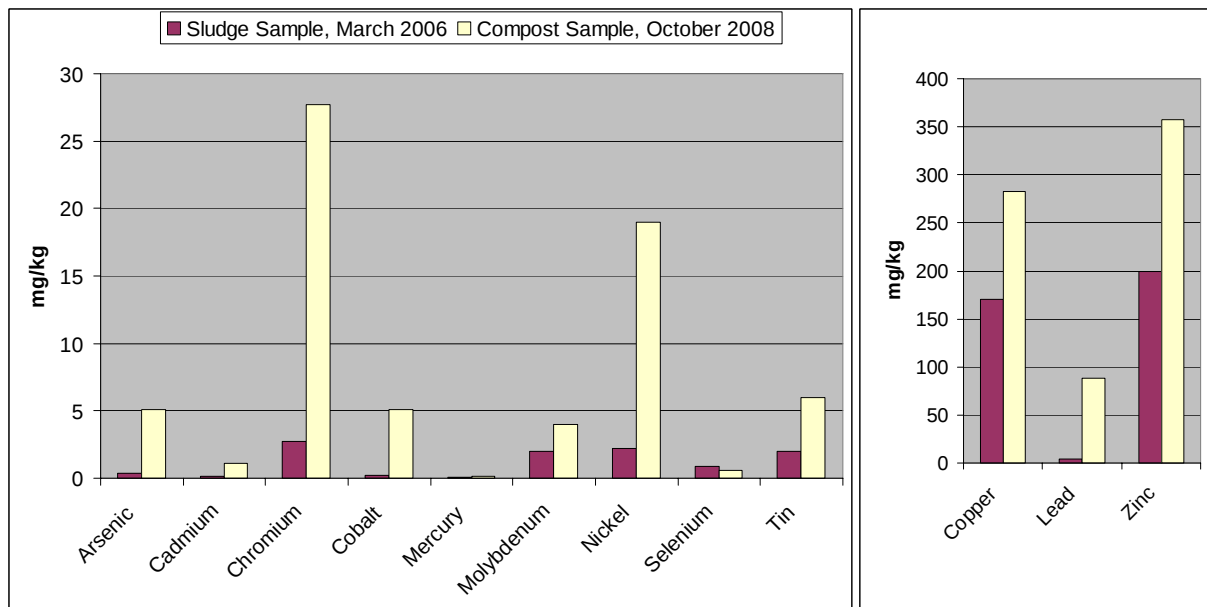


4.3 Metals Content

In the April 25, 2006 letter report on Iqaluit's raw sewage sludge, it was noted that the Iqaluit March 2006 sludge sample had low concentrations for several key metals. The following charts compare the metals concentrations in Iqaluit sludge and compost. The metals concentrations measured in the October 2008 compost sample were somewhat higher than concentrations in the March 2006 raw sludge sample.

A rational explanation for this increase may be the source of the wood waste, which is shredded wood products and contains metal associated with nails and fixtures.

Figure 4: Metals in Sewage Sludge



The metals shown above have an impact on how a treated sludge (biosolid) may be used or disposed of. Except for tin, these twelve (12) metals are considered "of principle concern" in biosolids used for land application by the Ontario Ministry of Environment (1996). Ten (10) of them are regulated by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for sewage sludge to be used in land application.

USEPA pollutant limits for sewage sludge are shown in **Table 4** below. Treated sludge must be below the Ceiling Concentration limits for any land application. For application on agricultural land, forest, a public contact site, or a reclamation site, the sludge must meet a more stringent Monthly Average Concentration, or else the application of sludge must be limited by a maximum cumulative pollutant loading rate in kilograms per hectare.

Table 4: US EPA Pollutant Limits for Land Applied Sewage Sludge

Pollutant	Units	Land Application ²		Surface Disposal ³
		Ceiling Concentration	Monthly Average Concentration	Maximum Concentration
Arsenic	mg/kg	75	41	73
Cadmium	mg/kg	85	39	
Chromium	mg/kg			600
Mercury	mg/kg	57	17	
Molybdenum	mg/kg	75		
Nickel	mg/kg	420	420	420
Selenium	mg/kg	100	100	
Copper	mg/kg	4300	1500	
Lead	mg/kg	840	300	
Zinc	mg/kg	7500	2800	

Iqaluit's sludge (treated and untreated) is well within the US EPA limits as shown in **Table 4**. Therefore, based on trace heavy metals content, the compost is suitable for land application.

5.0 CONCLUSIONS

Based on the sampling to date, the freeze-thaw dewatering and composting processes are effectively treating Iqaluit's sewage sludge. Compost samples showed a dramatic reduction in total and fecal coliforms compared to the raw sludge samples. As well, the solids content of compost samples and one partially treated sludge sample was much higher than that of the raw sewage sludge. The processes do not appear to have any significant impact on some contaminants, including metals, but this result is expected.

It is worth noting that the metals concentrations in Iqaluit's sewage sludge and compost are below the US EPA limits on sludge for surface disposal and land application. Iqaluit's treated compost has very low pathogen counts, and likely could be classified as Class B sewage sludge or even Class A. This means that the treated compost is suitable for land disposal and some types of land application.

² Land application is defined as the spreading of sewage sludge onto land to condition soil or fertilize vegetation.

³ Surface disposal is defined as placing sewage sludge on an area of land for final disposal.

6.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

AECOM recommends that the City of Iqaluit continue to use freeze-thaw dewatering and composting to treat the sludge from its Wastewater Treatment Plant. These processes are successfully reducing the microbiological content and increasing the solids content of the sewage sludge. In addition, the technology is cost-effective and requires a modest amount of work to operate and maintain, particularly when compared to other technologies.

Based on a cursory examination of US EPA sewage sludge use and disposal regulations, Iqaluit's treated sewage sludge (compost) is suitable for use as a cover material at the landfill.

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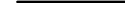
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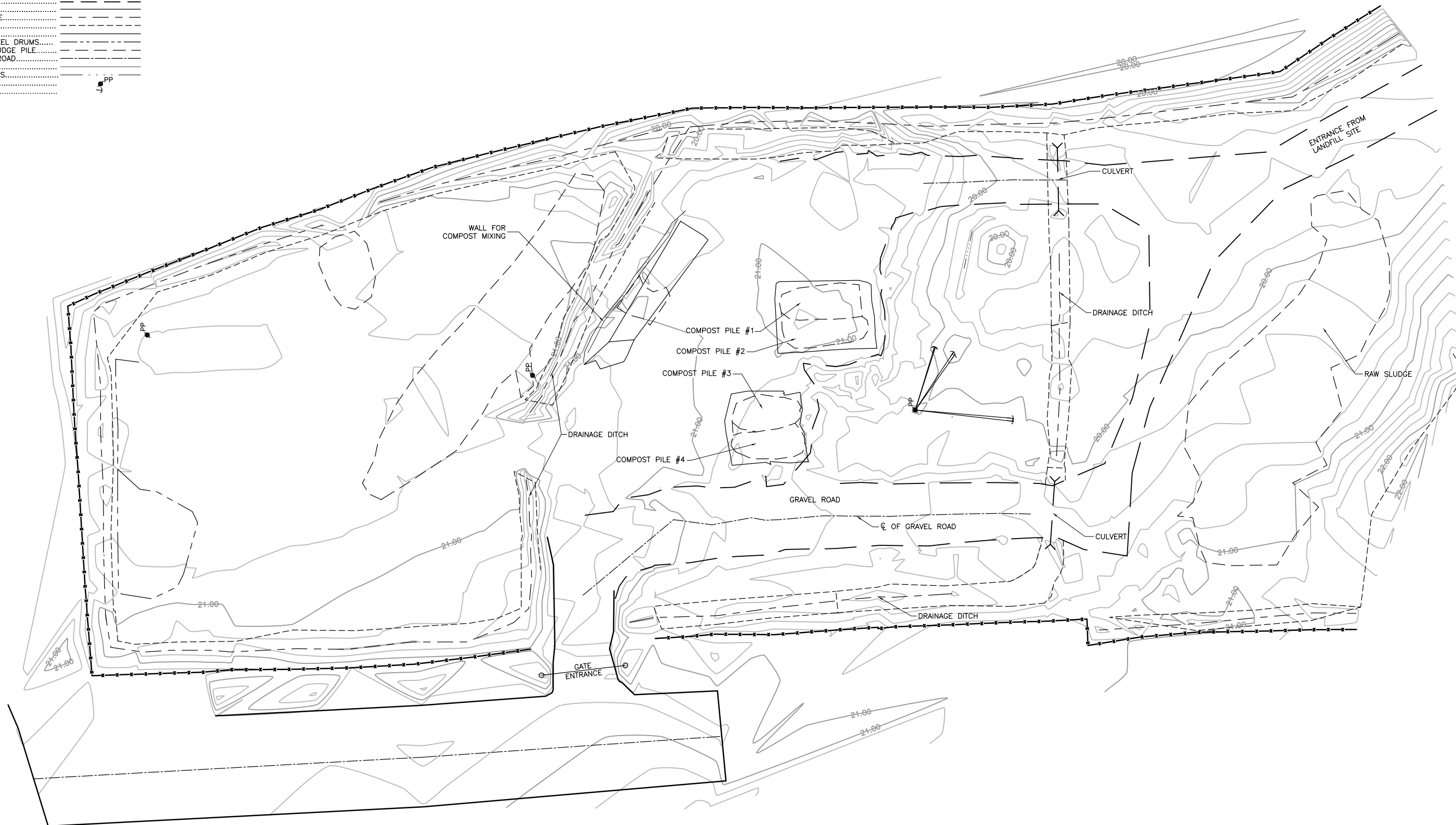
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Appendix A

Sludge Management Site Layout

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FENCE LINE.....	
EDGE OF ROAD.....	
EDGE OF GRAVEL.....	
CONCRETE PAD.....	
DITCH CENTER LINE.....	
TOP OF SLOPE.....	
GUIDE WIRE.....	
PERIMETER OF STEEL DRUMS.....	
PERIMETER OF SLUDGE PILE.....	
CENTER LINE OF ROAD.....	
CONTOUR.....	
CENTERLINE SWALES.....	
POWER POLE.....	
GUIDE WIRE TIE.....	



SLUDGE MANAGEMENT AREA

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Appendix B

Sludge Management Site Photographs



Compost on Concrete Slabs



Compost



Access from Main Landfill Entrance



Gated Access Direct from Road

Appendix C

Sample Testing Results

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2008 Sample Results

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Sample Location
Sample Description Compost Pile #1
Matrix Soil

Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Nominal Detection Limit
Soil Acidity						
pH	1:2 Soil:Water	pH	7.4			
Electrical Conductivity	Sat. Paste equiv based on 1:2	dS/m at 25 C	5.66			0.02
Electrical Conductivity	1:2 Soil:Water	dS/m at 25 C	2.75			0.01

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		Sample Date				
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		Sample Description	Compost Pile #1	Compost Pile #2	Compost Pile #3	
		Matrix	Soil	Soil	Soil	
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Nominal Detection Limit
Aggregate Organic Constituents						
Organic Matter		% by weight	10.8	8.3	8.6	0.1
Oil	Dean Stark, dry wt.	%	0.68			0.05
Oil	Dean Stark, wet wt.	%	0.46			0.05
Water		%	32.1			0.1
Solids		%	67.4			0.1
Classification						
Total Nitrogen	TKN	%	0.35	0.29	0.32	0.02
Metals Strong Acid Digestion						
Mercury	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	0.12			0.01
Aluminum	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	6190			20
Antimony	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	3.1			0.2
Arsenic	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	5.1			0.2
Barium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	69			1
Beryllium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	0.2			0.1
Bismuth	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	3.3			0.5
Cadmium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	1.11			0.01
Chromium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	27.7			0.5
Calcium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	17700			200
Cobalt	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	5.1			0.1
Copper	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	283			1
Iron	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	18800			100
Lead	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	87.9			0.1
Magnesium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	3400			100
Manganese	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	282			10
Molybdenum	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	4			1
Nickel	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	19.0			0.5
Phosphorus	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	1620	1410	1470	30
Selenium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	0.6			0.3
Silicon	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	680			50
Silver	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	1.4			0.1
Strontium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	64			1
Thallium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	<0.05			0.05
Tin	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	6			1
Titanium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	213			0.5
Vanadium	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	15.5			0.1
Zinc	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	357			1

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T5S 1J4	LSD:	Report Number: 1169559
Attn: Cortney McCracken	P.O.:	
Sampled By: Cortney McCracken	Acct code:	
Company:		

		Reference Number	652276-1	652276-2	652276-3	
		Sample Date				
		Sample Time				
		Sample Location				
		Sample Description	Compost Pile #1	Compost Pile #2	Compost Pile #3	
		Matrix	Soil	Soil	Soil	
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Nominal Detection Limit
Microbiological Analysis						
Total Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	<3	7	43	3
Fecal Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	<3	7	7	
Physical and Aggregate Properties						
% solids	Wet Weight	%	55.7	56.2	60.9	0.1

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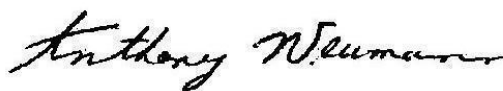
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		Reference Number	652276-1	652276-5	
		Sample Date			
		Sample Time			
		Sample Location			
		Sample Description	Compost Pile #1	Sludge (South)	
		Matrix	Soil	Soil	
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Nominal Detection Limit
Water Soluble Parameters					
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Extractable	mg/kg	3400	104000	20

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		Reference Number	652276-4	652276-5	
		Sample Date			
		Sample Time			
		Sample Location			
		Sample Description	Sludge (North)	Sludge (South)	
		Matrix	Soil	Soil	
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Nominal Detection Limit
Aggregate Organic Constituents					
Organic Matter		% by weight	84.2	9.0	0.1
Classification					
Total Nitrogen	TKN	%	0.35	0.28	0.02
Metals Strong Acid Digestion					
Phosphorus	Strong Acid Extractable	mg/kg	2090	1340	30
Microbiological Analysis					
Total Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	>1100000	23000	3
Fecal Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	1100000	23000	
Physical and Aggregate Properties					
% solids	Wet Weight	%	19.6	44.8	0.1


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Aggregate Organic Constituents

Replicates	Units	Replicate 1	Replicate 2	% RSD Criteria	Absolute Criteria	Passed QC
Oil	%	0.10	0.08	20	0.10	yes
Water	%	27.6	26.4	20	3.0	yes
Solids	%	72.3	73.5	20	3.0	yes

Date Acquired: October 30, 2008

Control Sample	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
Organic Matter	% by weight	7.9	6.7	9.7	yes
Oil	%	2.18	1.96	2.44	yes
Water	%	1.6	1.3	3.1	yes
Solids	%	96.3	92.7	98.7	yes

Date Acquired: October 30, 2008

Classification

Replicates	Units	Replicate 1	Replicate 2	% RSD Criteria	Absolute Criteria	Passed QC
Total Nitrogen	%	0.05	0.05	10	0.02	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Metals Strong Acid Digestion

Blanks	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
Mercury	mg/kg	<0.01	-0.07	0.09	yes
Aluminum	mg/kg	<20	-4	5	yes
Antimony	mg/kg	<0.2	-0.2	0.2	yes
Arsenic	mg/kg	<0.2	-0.1	0.2	yes
Barium	mg/kg	<1	-0	1	yes
Beryllium	mg/kg	<0.1	-0.1	0.1	yes
Bismuth	mg/kg	<0.5	-0.4	0.5	yes
Cadmium	mg/kg	<0.01	-0.01	0.01	yes
Chromium	mg/kg	<0.5	-0.4	0.5	yes
Calcium	mg/kg	<200	-0	0	yes
Cobalt	mg/kg	<0.1	-0.1	0.1	yes
Copper	mg/kg	<1	-1	1	yes
Iron	mg/kg	<100	-15	15	yes
Lead	mg/kg	<0.1	-0.1	0.1	yes
Magnesium	mg/kg	<100	-0	0	yes
Manganese	mg/kg	<10	-0	0	yes
Molybdenum	mg/kg	<1	-1	1	yes
Nickel	mg/kg	<0.5	-0.5	0.5	yes
Phosphorus	mg/kg	<30	-0	0	yes
Selenium	mg/kg	<0.3	-0.2	0.2	yes

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Metals Strong Acid Digestion - Continued

Blanks	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
Silicon	mg/kg	<50	-0	0	yes
Silver	mg/kg	<0.1	-0.1	0.1	yes
Strontium	mg/kg	<1	-1	1	yes
Thallium	mg/kg	<0.05	-0.04	0.05	yes
Tin	mg/kg	4	1	6	yes
Titanium	mg/kg	<0.5	-0.1	0.5	yes
Vanadium	mg/kg	<0.1	-0.1	0.1	yes
Zinc	mg/kg	<1	-1	1	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Replicates	Units	Replicate 1	Replicate 2	% RSD Criteria	Absolute Criteria	Passed QC
Mercury	mg/kg	1.90	1.74	10	0.03	yes
Barium	mg/kg	4450	4490	20	2	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Control Sample	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
Mercury	mg/kg	0.31	0.24	0.34	yes
Aluminum	mg/kg	16900	8849	23459	yes
Antimony	mg/kg	0.8	0.2	1.1	yes
Arsenic	mg/kg	84.3	61.4	120.8	yes
Barium	mg/kg	260	188	336	yes
Beryllium	mg/kg	1	0.6	1.2	yes
Bismuth	mg/kg	1.6	0.1	3.5	yes
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.85	1.28	2.90	yes
Chromium	mg/kg	45.7	29.8	61.0	yes
Calcium	mg/kg	124000	103212	151212	yes
Cobalt	mg/kg	13.9	9.8	18.6	yes
Copper	mg/kg	178	147	262	yes
Iron	mg/kg	25200	17736	33498	yes
Lead	mg/kg	118	84.9	161.7	yes
Magnesium	mg/kg	12300	9353	17687	yes
Manganese	mg/kg	542	381	719	yes
Molybdenum	mg/kg	4	2	4	yes
Nickel	mg/kg	59.0	42.9	87.3	yes
Phosphorus	mg/kg	810	401	1007	yes
Selenium	mg/kg	0.7	0.5	1.1	yes
Silicon	mg/kg	1560	-227	1933	yes
Silver	mg/kg	0.9	0.6	1.5	yes
Strontium	mg/kg	236	170	324	yes
Thallium	mg/kg	0.39	0.26	0.50	yes
Tin	mg/kg	4	1	7	yes
Titanium	mg/kg	1220	877.0	1603.0	yes
Vanadium	mg/kg	50.7	32.6	63.4	yes

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Metals Strong Acid Digestion - Continued

Control Sample	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
Zinc	mg/kg	467	331	715	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Physical and Aggregate Properties

Replicates	Units	Replicate 1	Replicate 2	% RSD Criteria	Absolute Criteria	Passed QC
Moisture	%	43.7	41.2	10		yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Soil Acidity

Blanks	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
pH	pH	6.2	5.6	7.4	yes
Electrical Conductivity	dS/m at 25 C	<0.01	-0.00	0.01	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

Control Sample	Units	Measured	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Passed QC
pH	pH	6.3	6.1	6.7	yes
Electrical Conductivity	dS/m at 25 C	0.45	0.29	0.65	yes

Date Acquired: October 31, 2008

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Method of Analysis

Method Name	Reference	Method	Date Analysis Started	Location
Coliforms- MPN (Enviro)	APHA	Fecal Coliform Procedure, 9221 E	30-Oct-08	BTG Calgary
Coliforms- MPN (Enviro)	APHA	Standard Total Coliform Fermentation Technique, 9221 B	30-Oct-08	BTG Calgary
Mercury (Hot Block) in Soil	US EPA	* Determination of Hg in Sediment by Cold Vapor Atomic Absorption Spec, 245.5	31-Oct-08	BTG Edmonton
Metals ICP-MS (Hot Block) in soil	SW-846	* Acid Digestion of Sediments, Sludges, and Soils, EPA 3050B	31-Oct-08	BTG Edmonton
Oil in soil by Dean-Stark	Dean-Stark	* Determination of the Bitumen, Water and Solids in Oil Sand, ACOSA	30-Oct-08	BTG Edmonton
Organic Matter by Ignition	McKeague	* Loss on Ignition (LOI), 3.8	01-Nov-08	BTG Edmonton
pH and Conductivity in general soil 1:2	McKeague	* 1:2 Soil:Water Ratio, 4.12	31-Oct-08	BTG Edmonton
TKN in Soil	Ext. Lab	Analysis Completed by External Laboratory,	31-Oct-08	BTG Winnipeg

* Bodycote method(s) based on reference method

References

APHA	Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater
Dean-Stark	ACOSA Reference Method
Ext. Lab	External Laboratory
McKeague	Manual on Soil Sampling and Methods of Analysis
SW-846	Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste
US EPA	US Environmental Protection Agency Test Methods

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Sample Results from Previous Years



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474455
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Information to be included on Report and Invoice Project ID: 93107 Project Name: IGA - LDI - 2006 Project Location: Various Legal Location: — PO#: — Proj. Acct. Code: — Agreement ID: 40857	RUSH Please contact the laboratory to confirm rush dates and times before submitting samples. Upon filling out this section, client accepts that surcharges will be attached to this analysis Requirement: all analyses or as indicated ☐ or ☐ Date Required: _____ Signature: _____ Norwest Authorization: _____	Sample Custody (Please Print) Sampled by: M. Mathrani Sm. Company: ET Signature: SM I authorize Norwest Labs to proceed with the work indicated on this form: Date: 2006 06 29 Initial: MM Received by: ☐ Coolers Waybill # _____ Date ☐ Boxes Company _____ Time ☐ Samples
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	Sample Identification	Location	Dept. IN CM M	Date / Time Sampled	Matrix	Sampling Method	↓	Enter tests above (✓ relevant samples below)											
								ROUTINE	W S O / B O D	NUTRIENTS	W W 3	METALS / TW 22	H G						
1	As Noted on Bottles/Labels		SURFACE	June 28	Water	Grab	2	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓						
2	"		"	"	"	"	3				✓								
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NWL Number 474455-1
Sample Date Jun 28, 2006
Sample Description IQA-SWDF
Matrix Water

Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Inorganic Nonmetallic Parameters						
Kjeldahl Nitrogen	Total	mg/L	20.7			0.06
Phosphorus	Total	mg/L	0.8			0.05
Metals Total						
Calcium	Total	mg/L	203			0.2
Iron	Total	mg/L	12.8			0.1
Magnesium	Total	mg/L	49.0			0.1
Manganese	Total	mg/L	1.02			0.005
Potassium	Total	mg/L	61.7			0.4
Silicon	Total	mg/L	9.42			0.05
Sodium	Total	mg/L	207			0.4
Sulfur	Total	mg/L	105			0.3
Mercury	Total	mg/L	0.0001			0.0001
Aluminum	Total	mg/L	5.01			0.005
Antimony	Total	mg/L	0.0238			0.0002
Arsenic	Total	mg/L	0.018			0.0002
Barium	Total	mg/L	0.12			0.001
Beryllium	Total	mg/L	<0.0002			0.0001
Bismuth	Total	mg/L	<0.001			0.0005
Boron	Total	mg/L	1.06			0.002
Cadmium	Total	mg/L	0.00236			0.00001
Chromium	Total	mg/L	0.0241			0.0005
Cobalt	Total	mg/L	0.0024			0.0001
Copper	Total	mg/L	0.294			0.001
Lead	Total	mg/L	0.0993			0.0001
Lithium	Total	mg/L	0.02			0.001
Molybdenum	Total	mg/L	<0.002			0.001
Nickel	Total	mg/L	0.0226			0.0005
Selenium	Total	mg/L	0.0009			0.0002
Silver	Total	mg/L	0.0006			0.0001
Strontium	Total	mg/L	1.01			0.001
Thallium	Total	mg/L	<0.0001			0.00005
Tin	Total	mg/L	0.02			0.001
Titanium	Total	mg/L	0.382			0.0005
Uranium	Total	mg/L	<0.001			0.0005
Vanadium	Total	mg/L	0.010			0.0001



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NWL Number 474455-1
Sample Date Jun 28, 2006
Sample Description IQA-SWDF
Matrix Water

Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Metals Total - Continued						
Zinc	Total	mg/L	0.763			0.001
Zirconium	Total	mg/L	0.005			0.001
Routine Water						
pH			7.52			
Electrical Conductivity		µS/cm at 25 C	2050			1
Calcium	Dissolved	mg/L	180			0.2
Magnesium	Dissolved	mg/L	52			0.1
Sodium	Dissolved	mg/L	198			0.4
Potassium	Dissolved	mg/L	59			0.4
Iron	Dissolved	mg/L	0.70			0.01
Manganese	Dissolved	mg/L	0.78			0.005
Chloride	Dissolved	mg/L	249			0.4
Nitrate - N		mg/L	<0.05			0.01
Nitrite - N		mg/L	<0.02			0.005
Nitrate and Nitrite - N		mg/L	<0.07			0.02
Sulfate (SO4)	Dissolved	mg/L	307			0.9
Hydroxide		mg/L	<5			5
Carbonate		mg/L	<6			6
Bicarbonate		mg/L	578			5
P-Alkalinity	as CaCO3	mg/L	<5			5
T-Alkalinity	as CaCO3	mg/L	474			5
Total Dissolved Solids	Calculated	mg/L	1330			1
Hardness	Dissolved as CaCO3	mg/L	660			
Ionic Balance	Dissolved	%	100			



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Project
ID: 93107
Name: IQA-LDI-2006
Location: Various
LSD:
P.O.:
Acct. Code:

NWL Lot ID: 474455
Control Number: E 262008
Date Received: Jun 29, 2006
Date Reported: Jul 10, 2006
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		NWL Number	474455-1	474455-3		
		Sample Date	Jun 28, 2006	Jun 28, 2006		
		Sample Description	IQA-SWDF	Sludge		
		Matrix	Water	Soil		
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Aggregate Organic Constituents						
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	5 Day	mg/L	269	-		4
Organic Matter		% by weight	-	83.2		0.1
Physical and Aggregate Properties						
Temperature of observed pH		°C	18.5	-		
Solids	Total Suspended	mg/L	868	-		1
% solids	Wet Weight	%	-	20.9		0.1
		NWL Number	474455-2	474455-3		
		Sample Date	Jun 28, 2006	Jun 28, 2006		
		Sample Description	IQA-SWDF	Sludge		
		Matrix	Water	Soil		
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Microbiological Analysis						
Total Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	-	>1100000		3
Fecal Coliforms	Membrane Filtration	CFU/100 mL	<1	-		
Fecal Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	-	>1100000		
		NWL Number	474455-3			
		Sample Date	Jun 28, 2006			
		Sample Description	Sludge			
		Matrix	Soil			
Analyte		Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Classification						
Total Nitrogen	TKN	%	1.29			0.01
Metals Strong Acid Digestion						
Phosphorus	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	2780			30
Water Soluble Parameters						
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Extractable	mg/kg	19500			20
Chemical Oxygen Demand		ug/g	7100			25

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Operations Chemist



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Control Number E 241020

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	Sample Identification	Location	Depth IN CM M	Date / Time Sampled	Matrix	Sampling Method	Number of Containers	Enter tests above (✓ relevant samples below)											
								COD	BOD	MW6TS	CL43	CL40	SSI	CPDI	MTP	Other	Other	Other	Other
1	Sewage Sludge	IGALUIT Landfill Site	—	May 3, 2006		Grab	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
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NWL Number 467089-1
Sample Date May 03, 2006
Sample Description IQALUIT Landfill Site /
Sewage Sludge
Matrix Waste - industrial

Analyte	Units	Results	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Aggregate Organic Constituents					
Organic Matter	% by weight	85.6			0.1
Classification					
Total Nitrogen TKN	%	1.22			0.01
Metals Strong Acid Digestion					
Phosphorus Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	1720			30
Microbiological Analysis					
Total Coliforms MPN	MPN/g	>110000			3
Fecal Coliforms MPN	MPN/g	>110000			
Physical and Aggregate Properties					
% solids Wet Weight	%	18.0			0.1
Water Soluble Parameters					
Biochemical Oxygen Demand Extractable	mg/kg	30400			20
Chemical Oxygen Demand	ug/g	23200			25

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NWL Number 450064-1
Sample Date Mar 10, 2006
Sample Description WWTP / Wastewater
Sludge
Matrix Waste - industrial

Analyte	Units	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Aggregate Organic Constituents				
Oil	Dean Stark, dry wt.	%	11.00	0.05
Oil	Dean Stark, wet wt.	%	2.16	0.05
Water		%	80.2	0.1
Solids		%	17.6	0.1
Classification				
Nitrogen	Total	%	1.08	0.02
Hot Water Soluble				
Boron	Water Soluble	ug/g	1	0.1
Metals Strong Acid Digestion				
Mercury	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	0.08	0.01
Antimony	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<0.4	0.2
Arsenic	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<0.4	0.2
Barium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	24	1
Beryllium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<0.2	0.1
Cadmium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	0.17	0.01
Chromium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	2.7	0.5
Cobalt	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<0.2	0.1
Copper	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	170	1
Lead	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	3.9	0.1
Molybdenum	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<2	1
Nickel	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	2.2	0.5
Phosphorus	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	1420	15
Selenium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	0.9	0.3
Silver	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	1	0.1
Thallium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<0.1	0.05
Tin	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	<2	1
Vanadium	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	1	0.1
Zinc	Strong Acid Extractable	ug/g	200	1
Microbiological Analysis				
Total Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	>1100000	3
Fecal Coliforms	MPN	MPN/g	>1100000	
Escherichia coli	MPN	MPN/g	1100000	
Physical and Aggregate Properties				
Total Solids	As Received	% by weight	19.50	0.01
Total Solids, Fixed	As Received	% by weight	0.62	0.01



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NWL Number 450064-1
Sample Date Mar 10, 2006
Sample Description WWTP / Wastewater
Sludge
Matrix Waste - industrial

Analyte	Units	Results	Results	Detection Limit
Physical and Aggregate Properties - Continued				
Total Solids, Volatile	As Received	% by weight	18.90	0.01
Soil Acidity				
pH	1:2 Soil:CaCl2 sol.	pH	5.6	
Water Soluble Parameters				
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Extractable	mg/kg	39500	20

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Appendix D

Descriptions of Sampling Parameters

Parameter	Description
Organic matter	The weight loss on ignition test method was used to determine organic matter for Iqaluit sludge/compost samples. This method correlates the weight loss from a dry soil sample when exposed to high temperatures with oxidizable organic carbon.
Solids / Water	Two different tests were done on Iqaluit samples to determine solids content. The water and solids results reported under Aggregate Organic Constituents were found using Dean Stark analysis, which is mainly used to determine the sample's oil content. The solids content reported under Physical and Aggregate Properties is determined based on the sample moisture content. This method analyzes the difference in weight between the wet sample and the sample after oven-drying for at least four hours.
Oil	Oil content was determined for some samples using Dean Stark analysis. This analysis uses toluene reflux (a reaction in a distilling apparatus) to separate the oil, water and solid components of the sample.
Nitrogen	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen is the sum of organic nitrogen and ammonia. Organic nitrogen includes natural matter such as proteins, urea, and many synthetic organic materials. Ammonia is mainly produced through reactions involving organic nitrogen-containing compounds and urea.
Metals	Trace metals concentrations were determined in the lab by strong acid digestion (nitric acid). This method provides 'total' metal concentrations for most practical intents, although some structural soil elements such as aluminum and potassium are only partially extracted.
Total Coliforms	Total Coliforms include all coliform bacteria, which are used as an indicator of microbiological quality in water and wastewater. The Most Probable Number (MPN) of total coliforms was determined for Iqaluit sludge/compost using a multiple-tube fermentation procedure. The MPN is the statistically probable number of coliform bacteria (in a 100-mL sample) that would give the results found in the laboratory.
Fecal Coliforms / E.coli	Fecal Coliforms are coliform bacteria that are found only in the feces of warm-blooded mammals. These can be separated from non-fecal coliforms using elevated-temperature tests. Most Probable Number analysis was used for Iqaluit sludge and compost testing (see Total Coliforms).
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)	Five-day BOD (BOD₅) describes the nitrogenous and carbonaceous oxygen demand of organisms present in the sample over a 5 day incubation period. BOD is the difference between the final and initial Dissolved Oxygen (DO) levels in the sample. This parameter gives a general indication of the quality of wastewaters.

Parameter	Description
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	COD analysis is a relatively quick test where the sample is oxidized with a strong chemical oxidant. The COD is a measurement of the oxygen required for this chemical oxidation. COD gives an indication of the amount of organic matter in the sample.

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