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July to December 2018 Semi-Annual Progress Report  
Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation  
Operable Unit 3 (OU3), NYSDEC Site ID # 1-30-003A,  
Bethpage, New York

ENVIRONMENT

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Dear Jason:

In accordance with Section III of Administrative Order on Consent (AOC) Index # W1-0018-04-01, and the May 2011 Work Plan for Modification of AOC Progress Report (work plan), this letter report describes OU3 activities performed by Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation (Northrop Grumman) from July through December 2018. Activities planned for January through June 2019 are also summarized. In accordance with the approved work plan, these reports will be submitted to the NYSDEC on a semi-annual basis until it is determined that the reports are no longer necessary. The site plan showing well locations is provided on **Figure 1**.

## **OU3 ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED DURING JULY THROUGH DECEMBER 2018**

### **Bethpage Park Soil Gas Containment System (Formerly Soil Gas IRM)**

- Continued Operation, Maintenance, and Monitoring (OM&M) of the Bethpage Park Soil Gas Containment System (BPSGCS)
- Submitted BPSGCS Quarterly OM&M Reports (August and November 2018, respectively) to the NYSDEC

### **Bethpage Park Groundwater Containment System (Formerly Groundwater IRM)**

- Continued OM&M of the Bethpage Park Groundwater Containment System (BPGWCS)
- Submitted BPGWCS Quarterly OM&M Reports (August and November 2018, respectively) to the NYSDEC

### **Other**

- Performed quarterly monitoring rounds for Monitoring Wells MW109-3 and MW111-4 from July through December 2018. Performed monthly monitoring round for Monitoring Well MW116-5 in July 2018. Validated data obtained from the July through December 2018 period are provided in **Table 1**.
- The dedicated pump in Monitoring Well MW116-5 failed to function prior to the August 2018 sampling round. Dedicated sampling equipment was removed in December 2018 for inspection and repair, at the earliest subcontractor availability.

## **OU3 ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED DURING JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 2019**

### **Bethpage Park Soil Gas Containment System**

- Continue OM&M of the BPSGCS
- Submit OU3 BPSGCS Annual 2018 Report (March 2019) and First Quarter 2019 Report (May 2019) to the NYSDEC

### **Bethpage Park Groundwater Containment System**

- Continue OM&M of the BPGWCS
- Submit OU3 BPGWCS Annual 2018 Report (March 2019) and First Quarter 2019 Report (May 2019) to the NYSDEC

### **Other**

- Sampling of Monitoring Well MW116-5 will resume once the repaired, dedicated sampling equipment is installed. Re-installation of the equipment is scheduled for January 2019 pending access and subcontractor availability. Perform quarterly monitoring rounds for Monitoring Wells MW109-3 and MW111-4 and monthly monitoring rounds for Monitoring Well MW116-5.

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Feel free to call us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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**Table 1.**  
**Concentrations of Volatile Organic Compounds and 1,4-Dioxane in**  
**Groundwater Samples Collected from Monitoring Wells,**  
**Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation,**  
**Bethpage, New York.**

Constituents (units in ug/L)	Location ID: Sample Date:	MW-109-3 7/13/2018	MW-109-3 11/14/2018	MW-111-4 7/13/2018	MW-111-4 11/14/2018	MW-116-5 7/1/2018
1,1,1-Trichloroethane		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<b>3.5 J</b>
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0
1,1,2-Trichloroethane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<b>3.4 J</b>
1,1-Dichloroethane		<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9.7</b>
1,1-Dichloroethene		<1.0	<b>0.67 J</b>	<b>4.5 J</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>11.9</b>
1,2-Dichloroethane		<b>0.96 J</b>	<b>0.89 J</b>	<b>4.4 J</b>	<b>4.3 J</b>	<b>28.1</b>
1,2-Dichloropropane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<b>8.1</b>
1,3-Butadiene		<5.0	<5.0	<1.0	<25	<25
1-chloro-1,1-difluoroethane		<5.0	<5.0	<50	<25	<25
2-Butanone		<10	<10	<50	<50	<50
2-Hexanone		<5.0	<5.0	<20	<25	<25
4-methyl-2-pentanone		<5.0	<5.0	<10	<25	<25
Acetone		<10	<10	<10	<50	<50
Benzene		<0.50	<0.50	<1.0	<2.5	<2.5
Bromodichloromethane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Bromoform		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0
Bromomethane		<2.0	<2.0	<5.0	<10	<10
Carbon Disulfide		<2.0	<2.0	<1.0	<10	<10
Carbon Tetrachloride		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<b>3.6</b>
Chlorobenzene		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0
Chlorodifluoromethane (Freon 22)		<5.0	<5.0	<5.0	<25	<25
Chloroethane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Chloroform		<b>5.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.0 J</b>	<b>3.4 J</b>	<b>25.6</b>
Chloromethane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
cis-1,2-dichloroethene		<b>154</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>491</b>
cis-1,3-dichloropropene		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Dibromochloromethane		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Dichlorodifluoromethane (Freon 12)		<2.0	<2.0	<10	<10	<10
Ethylbenzene		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Methylene Chloride		<2.0	<2.0	<10	<10	<10
Styrene		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Tetrachloroethene		<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<5.0
Toluene		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
trans-1,2-dichloroethene		<b>0.77J</b>	<b>0.92 J</b>	<b>2.8 J</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>5.7</b>
trans-1,3-dichloropropene		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Trichloroethylene		<b>177</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>1630</b>	<b>3080</b>
Trichlorotrifluoroethane (Freon 113)		<5.0	<5.0	<20	<25	<25
Vinyl Chloride		<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0
Xylene-o		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
Xylenes - m,p		<1.0	<1.0	<5.0	<5.0	<5.0
<b>TVOCs</b>		<b>340</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>3,700</b>
1,4-Dioxane		<b>4.7</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>43</b>

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**Notes and Abbreviations:**

Results validated following protocols specified in March 2006 RI/FS Work Plan (ARCADIS G&M, Inc. 2006).

Samples analyzed for TCL VOCs using EPA Method 8260C.

Samples analyzed for 1,4-Dioxane using USEPA Method 8270D SIM.

TVOCs are rounded to two significant figures.

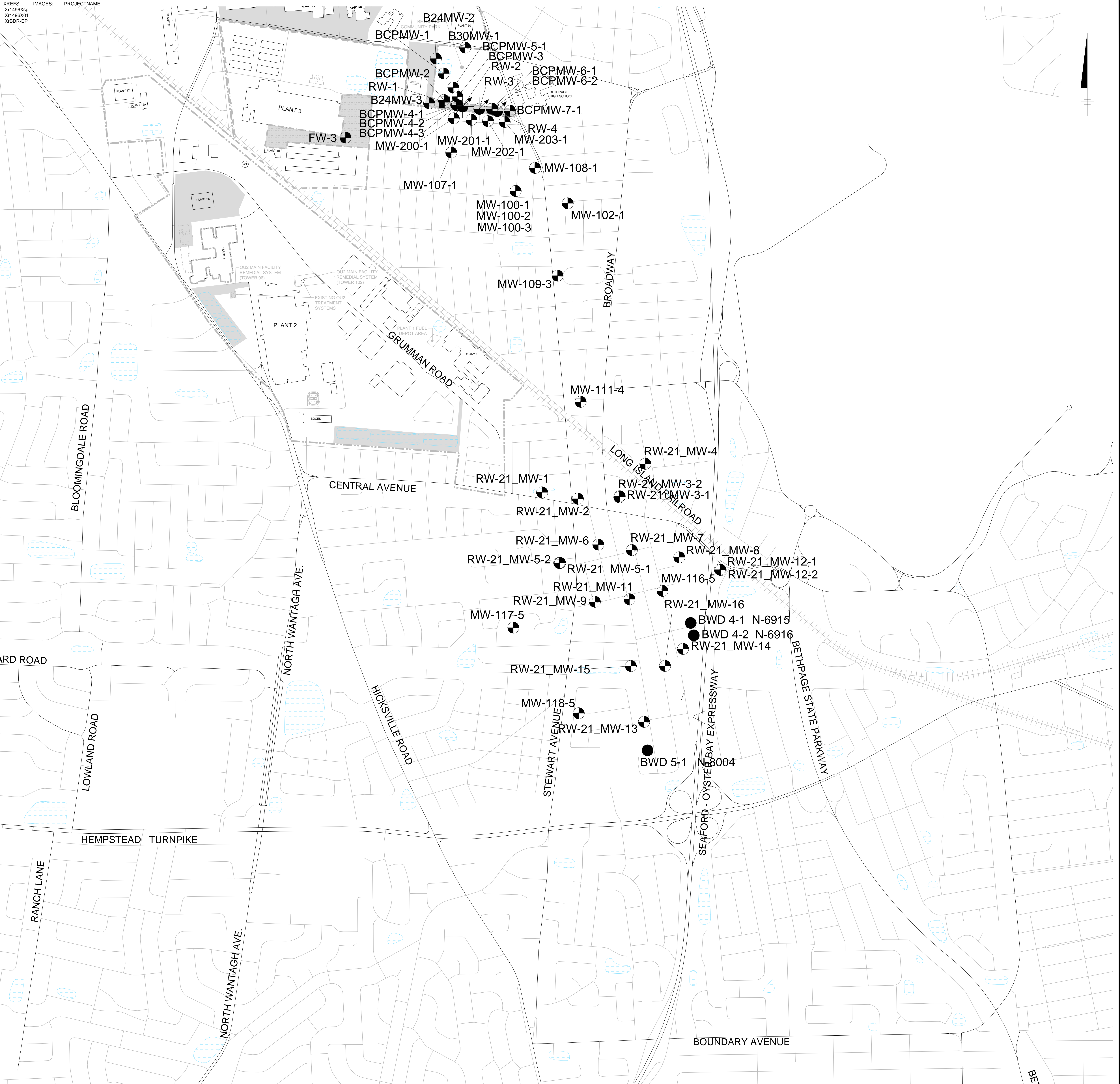
**Bold value indicates a detection.**

RI/FS	Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
TCL	Target compound list
VOC	Volatile Organic Compound
TVOC	Total Volatile Organic Compounds
ug/L	Micrograms per liter
J	Value is estimated

# FIGURES



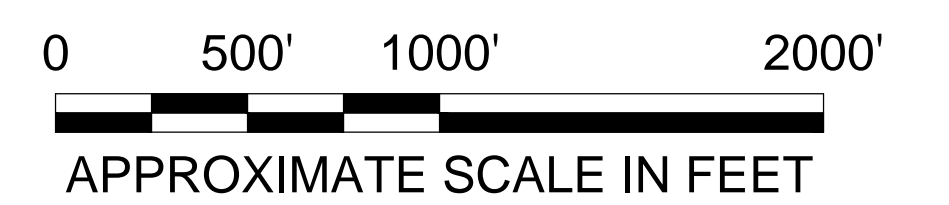




EXPLANATION:

- FORMER NORTHROP GRUMMAN PROPERTY BOUNDARY
- - - - - FORMER OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION PROPERTY BOUNDARY
- █ NORTHROP GRUMMAN PROPERTY
- ▨ FORMER NAVAL WEAPONS INDUSTRIAL RESERVE PLANT
- ⊕ MONITORING WELL
- ⊗ REMEDIAL WELL
- ☼ INJECTION WELL
- PUBLIC SUPPLY WELL

WELL LOCATIONS ARE APPROXIMATE  
 NAVY AND BETHPAGE WELLS  
 SHOWN FOR REFERENCE PURPOSES



NORTHROP GRUMMAN SYSTEMS CORPORATION BETHPAGE, NEW YORK	
<b>SITE PLAN SHOWING OU3 WELL LOCATIONS</b>	
ARCADIS	Design & Consultancy for natural and built assets
FIGURE	<b>1</b>