



Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) Plan

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Certification

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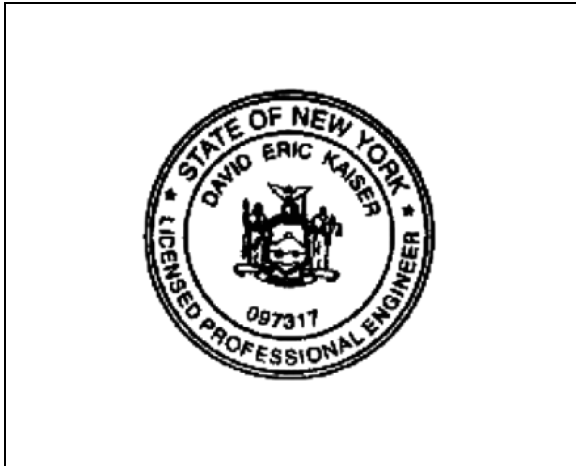
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Acronym List

Acronym	Definition
AECOM	AECOM USA, Inc.
CAMP	Community Air Monitoring Plan
CHASP	Construction Health and Safety Plan
EC	Engineering Control
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment
MRA	Metropolitan Realty Associates
NFA	No Further Action
NYCDEP	New York City Department of Environmental Protection
NYCDOT	New York City Department of Transportation
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
RAO	Remedial Action Objective
IRM	Remedial Action Plan
RCR	Remedial Closure Report
REC	Recognized Environmental Concern
SIR	Sub-Slab Investigation Letter Report
SSDS	Sub-Slab Depressurization System
UST	Underground Storage Tank
VOCs	Volatile Organic Compounds

1. Introduction

Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C. (Roux), on behalf of Metropolitan Realty Associates, LLC (MRA), has prepared this Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) Plan. An IRM is a discrete set of planned actions for both emergency and non-emergency situations that can be conducted without the extensive investigation and evaluation of a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS).

The intent is to establish short term remedial action objectives for the proposed remedial action at the property located at 47-25 34th Street, Long Island City, New York, which is identified as Block 250, Lot 1 on the New York City Tax Map (the “Site”). A Site Location Map is provided in Figure 1. A Supplemental Indoor Air Quality and Sub-Slab Investigation Letter Report (SIR) was prepared by AECOM USA, Inc. (AECOM) on August 12, 2022. The results of the SIR were used to develop this IRM and establish the remedial action objectives provided herein. A Construction Health and Safety Plan (CHASP) has been prepared to accompany this IRM, and it addresses environmental health and safety concerns based on subsurface conditions (Appendix A). This CHASP does not take the place of the Contractor’s own Health and Safety Plan for general construction safety.

1.1 Property Location and Site Description

The Site consists of one parcel within the Long Island City section of Queens. The Site is approximately 122,000 square feet (sf) and is bounded by 34th Street to the west, 47th Avenue to the north, 35th Street to the east and 48th Avenue to the south. The surrounding area is comprised of commercial and industrial use buildings. Currently, the Site is improved with a 322,390 gross sf building and parking lot and located within a M1-4 Light Manufacturing Zoning district.

1.2 Site History

Based on Roux’s review of the SIR, the Site was occupied by manufacturing operations from 1924 through the late 1970s (International Motor Co. – 1924 to at least 1950 and Neptune Meter Co. – 1962 to sometime between 1977 and 1979). The use of hazardous materials, if any, associated with historical manufacturing operations is unknown. The potential historic use of the subject property as manufacturing is considered a recognized environmental concern (REC). The subject property utilized up to six fuel oil underground storage tanks (UST) for heating purposes. Each of the referenced USTs were reported as closed-in-place or removed. Two 4,000-gallon diesel USTs were closed in 2002 and are associated with a New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) spill case that received a No Further Action (NFA) determination from NYSDEC in 2003.

1.3 Proposed Site Redevelopment

At this time, there is no planned redevelopment of the Site. It is Roux’s understanding the New York City Department of Transportation (NYCDOT) proposes a site selection and acquisition through a 25-year lease with an additional 5-year lease option of 149,000 sf of the facility on the ground and mezzanine floors along with approximately 80 of the total 87 parking spaces in the surface parking lot. The NYCDOT will occupy approximately 13,000 sf of the surface parking lot, the entirety of the ground floor (55,000 sf), and the entirety of the mezzanine floor (81,000 sf). The multi-use commercial office building is currently vacant on the ground and mezzanine floors and has commercial and manufacturing tenants on the 3rd and 4th floors.

1.4 Topographic and Hydrogeologic Setting

The Site is currently improved with a four-story multi-use commercial building and paved parking lot. The grade of the Site is generally level. Grade elevation has not been measured, but the Site is situated approximately 50 ft amsl (above mean sea level). The Site is not located in or adjacent to any wetlands or located in the 100-year or 500-year flood zones.

1.5 Previous Environmental Reports and Environmental Conditions

The following environmental reports were available for review:

- Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA), prepared by AECOM in November 2020.
 - AECOM completed a Phase I ESA at the Site in November 2020. AECOM determined that the potential historical use of the subject property as manufacturing is considered a REC. Based upon findings, AECOM recommended an indoor air quality assessment and sub-slab vapor investigation to evaluate what impacts, if any, historical underground storage tanks and other historical uses identified during the Phase I ESA may have on indoor air quality.
- Supplemental Indoor Air Quality and Sub-Slab Investigation Letter Report (SIR), prepared by AECOM in August 2022.
 - AECOM completed a SIR at the Site in June 2022. According to results report by AECOM, contamination was identified in indoor air and sub-slab samples.
 - Seven (7) of the volatile organic compounds (VOCs) including: acetone, carbon disulfide, MIBK, methylene chloride, n-hexane, PCE, and TCE were detected in one or more indoor and/or ambient air samples at concentrations above the applicable range of published background levels and/or its AGV.
 - Twenty-eight (28) of the VOCs were detected above published indoor air background concentrations. Detected VOC's include: 1,1,1-trichloroethane (111-TCA), 1,1-dichloroethane (11-DCA), 1,1-dichloroethene (11-DCE), 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene, total 1,2-dichloroethene (12-DCE), 1,3,5-trimethylbenzene, 1,3-butadiene, 2,2,4-trimethylpentane, 4-ethyltoluene, 4-isopropyltoluene, acetone, benzene, bromodichloromethane, carbon disulfide, chloroform, cis-1,2-DCE-, cumene, cyclohexane, ethylbenzene, isopropyl alcohol, m,p-xylene, methyl butyl ketone, MEK, MIBK, methylene chloride, n-butane, n-butylbenzene, n-heptane, n-hexane, n-propylbenzene, sec-butylbenzene, styrene, tertbutylbenzene, PCE, toluene, TCE, xylene (total), and o-xylene.
 - Based on Matrix A, for the corresponding indoor air concentration, the recommended action for the sub-slab vapor concentrations of carbon tetrachloride and 11-DCE is “no further action”; however, “mitigation” is the recommended action for the concentration of cis-1,2-dichloroethene and TCE present.
 - Based on Matrix B, for the corresponding indoor air concentration, the recommended action for the sub-slab vapor concentrations of PCE is “no further action;” however, “mitigation” is the recommended action for the concentrations of 111-TCA and methylene chloride present.
 - Since vinyl chloride was not detected in soil vapor samples, a comparison of results to Matrix C of the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) Soil Vapor Intrusion Guidance Document May 2017 Matrices Updates was not conducted.

2. Remedial Action

The following remedial action has been developed for the Site based on the results of the previous Site investigations. Specifically, this plan describes measures to be undertaken during Site redevelopment related to management of excavated soils and fill materials removed from the Site and sub-slab depressurization system (SSDS) installation. Upon completion of the Remedial Action, Roux will submit a P.E.-certified Remedial Closure Report (RCR) to the NYCDEP detailing the implementation of the remedy.

The RCR will document and describe that all remedial requirements have been properly implemented and will include the following:

- Description of engineering and institutional controls;
- Site Management Plan;
- Photographic documentation of the implemented remedy;
- Figures showing location of SSDS and Composite Cover System;
- As-built design detail drawings for SSDS and Composite Cover System;
- Documentation of the origin and chemical quality testing for material imported onto the Site, if applicable;
- Soil sampling and/or waste characterization results; and
- Documentation of disposal quantities and facilities.

2.1 Remedial Action Objectives

Based on the results of the SIR, the following Remedial Action Objectives (RAOs) have been identified for this Site:

Soil

- Prevent direct contact with contaminated soil.
- Prevent exposure to contaminants volatilizing from contaminated soil.

Soil Vapor

- Prevent exposure to contaminants in soil vapor.
- Prevent migration of soil vapor into dwellings and other occupied structures.

2.2 Soil Excavation and Management

Soil excavation will occur in small areas across the footprint of the Site to install twenty-four (24) SSDS suction points. During installation, any excavated soil will be containerized and removed from the Site for proper disposal, and a truck log and disposal manifests will be provided in the RCR. Prior to removal, soil characterization will be performed to determine appropriate disposal facilities.

2.3 Engineering Controls

Engineering Controls (ECs) will be employed in the remedial action to address any potential residual contamination remaining at the Site. The two primary EC Systems that will be used at the Site during the current proposed development are:

- Cover system consisting of the concrete building slab and paved parking lot; and
- Active SSDS.

2.3.1 Cover System

Exposure to soil with residual impacts will be prevented by a cover system at the Site. This cover system is comprised of the existing concrete building slab and asphalt paved parking lot that extends across the entire Site, as shown on Figure 2. Any future proposed disturbance of the existing cover system will be reinstalled by reconstructing the cover system according to the original design and tying newly constructed cover layers into the existing cover layers to form a continuous layer(s).

2.3.2 Sub-Slab Depressurization System

The potential for migration of soil vapor into the existing building will be addressed with the construction of a SSDS. The location, layout, and typical sections of the SSDS are shown on Drawing 1.

The SSDS will consist of two groups of twelve, for a total of twenty-four, suction points throughout the building, each comprised of 4" diameter perforated polyvinyl chloride (PVC) piping within a 1-foot diameter suction pit lined with geotextile fabric and backfilled with ¾" gravel. Each suction point will be transitioned to a 4" diameter steel riser pipe above grade and connected to header piping along the ceiling of the first floor and routed to one of the two central risers which lead to their respective blowers on the roof of the building. The two (2) roof-mounted single-phase, blowers will be configured in parallel, each serving a group of twelve (12) suction points. Each suction point riser will have a butterfly valve and sample port. Existing building slabs that are disturbed during the installation of the suction points will be reinstalled by reconstructing the cover system according to the original design and tying newly constructed cover layers into the existing cover layers to form a continuous layer(s).

Six (6) sub-slab monitoring points will be installed within the building slab at the approximate locations noted on Drawing 1 to monitor the effectiveness of the SSDS on a periodic basis. Modifications may be made to the SSDS layout as needed based on field conditions. System performance verification procedures will be completed and described in the RCR.

3. Remedial Soil and Material Management Plan

A Construction Contractor will perform limited soil excavation activities during the SSDS installation. It will be the responsibility of the Construction Contractor to handle the proper soil management and disposal of all soils excavated from the Site at appropriate off-Site disposal facilities. The main elements included in the soil management are described in further detail below.

3.1 Management of Excavated Material

Due to the limited nature of soil excavation activities expected to be performed at the Site, it is anticipated that there will be limited export of excavated material for the duration of the work.

Excavated material will be sampled post excavation for waste characterization purposes prior to being disposed of off-Site. The Construction Contractor will coordinate with the disposal facility prior to construction. Procedures to be followed for the temporary stockpiling of fill and/or soil are described below. If any material is observed to be impacted (visual or olfactory), it will be containerized or covered with polyethylene (poly) sheeting with a minimum thickness of 6 mils. These stockpiles will be covered in order to limit precipitation from contacting the material and to avoid the generation of dust. Covered stockpiles will be inspected daily to ensure there has not been any damage to the poly sheeting and the stockpile is still adequately covered.

3.2 Dust Control

Routine dust suppression methods will be employed by the Construction Contractor throughout the construction project. The Construction Contractor will maintain all excavations, stockpiles (if any), access roads/ramps, and all other work areas to minimize dust that would cause a hazard or nuisance to others. The Construction Contractor will implement necessary measures to control particulates including, but not limited to, one or more of the following measures:

1. Applying water on the access roads/ramps;
2. Applying water before and during concrete sawing and jackhammering;
3. Misting equipment and excavation faces;
4. Spraying water (using atomizer) on buckets during excavation and dumping;
5. Hauling materials in tarped or watertight containers;
6. Reducing speed of vehicles moving through areas of the Site;
7. Covering excavated areas and material after excavation activity ceases; and
8. Stopping work as necessary to comply with the Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP) described below.

The Construction Contractor will make provisions to have an adequate amount of water and appropriate equipment to disperse water on-Site at all times.

3.3 Community Air Monitoring Plan

- A real-time CAMP will be implemented if contaminated or potentially contaminated media is handled or during any ground intrusive activities. Ground intrusive activities include, but are

not limited to, soil/waste excavation and handling, SDS installation or trenching. The air monitoring is intended to avoid or minimize exposure of the public to potential environmental hazards in the soil during excavation of such soil. A CAMP is intended to provide a measure of protection for the downwind community from potential airborne contaminant releases as a direct result of investigative and remedial work activities; it is not intended for field personnel directly involved in ground intrusive activities. Results of this air monitoring will be used to determine the appropriate response action, if needed.

- The community air monitoring program described herein has been prepared using the air quality limits specified in the NYSDOH Generic Community Air Monitoring Plan and other air monitoring programs previously performed by Roux in New York.
- While work zone air monitoring is not described in this IRM, typical air quality limits for the work zone are provided in the HASP. The Contractor's Health and Safety Plan will need to supplement the HASP if any additional hazards are anticipated during construction.

3.4 VOC Monitoring, Response Levels, and Actions

- VOCs will be monitored at the downwind perimeter of the immediate work area (i.e., the exclusion zone) or on a continuous basis during invasive work. Upwind concentrations will be measured at the start of each workday and periodically thereafter to establish background conditions. The monitoring work will be performed using equipment appropriate to measure the types of contaminants known or suspected to be present. The equipment will be calibrated at least daily for the contaminant(s) of concern or for an appropriate surrogate. The equipment will be capable of calculating 15-minute running average concentrations that will be compared to the levels specified below.
- If the ambient air concentration of total organic vapors at the downwind perimeter of the work area or exclusion zone exceeds 5 parts per million (ppm) above background for the 15-minute average, work activities will be temporarily halted and monitoring continued. If the total organic vapor level readily decreases (per instantaneous readings) below 5 ppm over background, work activities will resume with continued monitoring.
- If total organic vapor levels at the downwind perimeter of the work area or exclusion zone persist at levels in excess of 5 ppm over background but less than 25 ppm, work activities will be halted, the source of vapors identified, corrective actions taken to abate emissions, and monitoring continued. After these steps, work activities will resume provided that the total organic vapor level 200 feet downwind of the exclusion zone or half the distance to the nearest potential receptor or residential/commercial structure, whichever is less – but in no case less than 20 feet, is below 5 ppm over background for the 15-minute average.
- If the organic vapor level is above 25 ppm at the perimeter of the work area, activities will be shutdown.
- All 15-minute readings must be recorded and be available for NYSDEC and NYCDEP personnel to review and summarized in the RCR. Instantaneous readings, if any, used for decision purposes will also be recorded. Readings (both for VOCs and particulate) will be

provided to NYSDOH for review. Additionally, any potential exceedances will be reported within 24 hours, and the reporting and notifications will include the reason for the exceedance, what was done to correct it, and if the action was effective.

3.5 Particulate Monitoring, Response Levels, and Actions

- Particulate concentrations will be monitored continuously at the upwind and downwind perimeters of the exclusion zone at particulate monitoring stations. The particulate monitoring will be performed using real-time monitoring equipment capable of measuring particulate matter less than 10 micrometers in size (PM-10) and capable of integrating over a period of 15 minutes (or less) for comparison to the airborne particulate action level. The equipment will be equipped with an audible alarm to indicate exceedance of the action level. In addition, fugitive dust migration should be visually assessed during all work activities.
- If the downwind PM-10 particulate level is 100 micrograms per cubic meter (mcg/m³) greater than background (upwind perimeter) for the 15-minute period or if airborne dust is observed leaving the work area, then dust suppression techniques will be employed. Work will continue with dust suppression techniques provided that downwind PM-10 particulate levels do not exceed 150 mcg/m³ above the upwind level and provided that no visible dust is migrating from the work area.
- If, after implementation of dust suppression techniques, downwind PM-10 particulate levels are greater than 150 mcg/m³ above the upwind level, work will be stopped, and a re-evaluation of activities initiated. Work will resume provided that dust suppression measures and other controls are successful in reducing the downwind PM-10 particulate concentration to within 150 mcg/m³ of the upwind level and in preventing visible dust migration.
- All 15-minute readings must be recorded and be available for all personnel to review and summarized in the RCR. Instantaneous readings, if any, used for decision purposes will also be recorded.

In addition to reporting any potential exceedances to NYSDEC & NYSDOH within 24 hours and notifications will include the reason for the exceedance, what was done to correct it, and if the action was effective.

3.6 Special Requirements for Work Within 20 Feet of Potentially Exposed Individuals or Structures

When work areas are within 20 feet of potentially exposed populations or occupied structures, the continuous monitoring locations for VOCs and particulates must reflect the nearest potentially exposed individuals and the location of ventilation system intakes for nearby structures. The use of engineering controls such as vapor/dust barriers, temporary negative-pressure enclosures, or special ventilation devices should be considered to prevent exposures related to the work activities and to control dust and odors. Consideration should be given to implementing the planned activities when potentially exposed populations are at a minimum, such as during weekends or evening hours in non-residential settings.

If total VOC concentrations opposite the walls of occupied structures or next to intake vents exceed 1 ppm, monitoring should occur within the occupied structure(s). Depending upon the nature of contamination,

chemical-specific colorimetric tubes of sufficient sensitivity may be necessary for comparing the exposure point concentrations with appropriate pre-determined response levels (response actions should also be predetermined). Background readings in the occupied spaces must be taken prior to commencement of the planned work. Any unusual background readings should be discussed with NYSDOH prior to commencement of the work.

If total particulate concentrations opposite the walls of occupied structures or next to intake vents exceed 150 mcg/m³, work activities should be suspended until controls are implemented and are successful in reducing the total particulate concentration to 150 mcg/m³ or less at the monitoring point.

Depending upon the nature of contamination and remedial activities, other parameters (e.g., explosivity, oxygen, hydrogen sulfide, carbon monoxide) may also need to be monitored. Response levels and actions should be pre-determined, as necessary, for each site.

3.7 Special Requirements for Indoor Work with Co-Located Residences or Facilities

Unless a self-contained, negative-pressure enclosure with proper emission controls will encompass the work area, all individuals not directly involved with the planned work must be absent from the room in which the work will occur. Monitoring requirements shall be as stated above under “Special Requirements for Work Within 20 Feet of Potentially Exposed Individuals or Structures” except that in this instance “nearby/occupied structures” would be adjacent occupied rooms. Additionally, the location of all exhaust vents in the room and their discharge points, as well as potential vapor pathways (openings, conduits, etc.) relative to adjoining rooms, should be understood and the monitoring locations established accordingly. In these situations, it is strongly recommended that exhaust fans or other engineering controls be used to create negative air pressure within the work area during remedial activities. Additionally, it is strongly recommended that the planned work be implemented during hours (e.g. weekends or evenings) when building occupancy is at a minimum.

3.8 Transportation and Disposal of Soils

Waste characterization sampling will be completed post excavation. The Construction Contractor will secure approvals for disposal of fill and soil at a permitted facility in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations. The fill and soil will be shipped by a licensed hauler in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Each shipment will be transported under the appropriate waste manifest/bill of lading or other appropriate documentation based upon pre-characterization results. All disposal documentation will be submitted to Roux and will be included in the RCR. Before any transport vehicle leaves the Site, the sides and wheels will be inspected. If any fill or soils are observed on the wheels or body of the truck, they will be removed using a shovel, broom, and/or other hand tools in a designated vehicle cleaning area. This procedure will reduce the potential for disposal trucks to spread site-derived material onto the public streets.

3.9 Spill Prevention and Control

The following sections describe procedures to be followed to prevent on-Site spills and contingency measures in the event that an onsite spill occurs.

3.9.1 General

A major spill is not anticipated at the Site, but the potential for a spill exists. The most probable spill events associated with this scope of work include hydraulic fluid spills from heavy equipment, fuel spills from equipment or machinery, and soils spilled during transportation. Heavy equipment typically contains 30 gallons or less of hydraulic fluid. If a leak occurs, the equipment will immediately be shut down to minimize hydraulic fluid leaks and repaired prior to re-use. The spill will be contained to the extent possible using a bucket and/or oil absorbent pads.

In general, soils spilled during transportation will be collected and returned to the truck for proper disposal. Surfaces impacted as a result of any spill shall be cleaned as soon as possible.

3.9.2 Spill Prevention

In an effort to keep the potential of spills to a minimum and maintain a constant state of readiness to combat a spill or release, the following inspections will be performed by the Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO):

- On-Site Materials Handling – Used to account for material (including fill) quantity and proper methods of storage to help reduce the chance of a spill or release.
- Safety Equipment Inspections – Used to account for the quantity, location, and working condition of safety equipment onsite. Safety equipment and supplies will be kept accessible and in good working order.

Any discrepancies or inadequacies discovered as a result of these inspections will be corrected immediately.

3.9.3 Spill Response

Should a spill of any type occur, it will be immediately reported to the Construction Contractor's designated on-Site spill response personnel. The Construction Contractor will then notify the Owner's Representative and Construction Manager, who will then contact the appropriate regulatory agencies. Potential spills for this project are anticipated to be secured and cleaned up by Site personnel who are trained in spill response, where appropriate. Unauthorized personnel will be prohibited from entering all spill cleanup areas. The Site Superintendent or Site Safety Officer must evaluate the extent of the hazard(s) and, if available, utilize engineering controls and proper safety equipment to contain the spill until the appropriate emergency response personnel arrive onsite, if necessary.

The following is a list of actions that should be taken in the event of a spill:

- Account for Site personnel and make proper notifications.
- Evaluate the hazard(s), identify the source of the discharge, and stop the spill or leak.
- Exclude any source of ignition from the spilled material if flammable.
- Isolate and contain the spill in the smallest area possible.
- Keep personnel upwind of the spill area. Evaluate potential vapor and dust hazards and implement appropriate suppression operations.
- At no time will personnel be allowed to come in contact with unidentified spilled materials.
- Notify the Owner's Representative and Construction Manager.

The spill control equipment will be located in a work vehicle, construction trailer or office located at or near the Site. The exact location of the work vehicle, trailer or office has not yet been determined. The spill control equipment will consist of buckets, absorbent pads, oil dry, and sand.

If there is a spill off-Site on the public roadway, it is the responsibility of the Waste Transportation Contractor to notify the proper authorities. Vehicles transporting materials off-Site will have 24-hour emergency contact information included on the Waste Manifest/Bill of Lading. In the case of an off-Site spill, the transporter will immediately notify their designated spill response Construction Contractor and the Owner's Representative and Construction Manager.

3.10 Vehicle Cleaning Area/Stabilized Construction Entrances

Since soil waste will likely be containerized in drums, it is unlikely that a vehicle cleaning area/stabilized construction entrance will be necessary. In the unlikely case that it is, then one or more temporary vehicle cleaning areas/stabilized construction entrances will be constructed to clean disposal trucks and other vehicles prior to leaving the Site. This area will reduce the amount of fill and soil that disposal trucks and other vehicles spread onto the public roadway. The vehicle cleaning area/stabilized construction entrance will be constructed of gravel and will be of sufficient size to prevent vehicles from spreading fill/soils onto the public roads and/or previously excavated areas of the Site where all fill has been removed. Before any disposal truck or other vehicle leaves the Site, the sides and wheels will be inspected. If any fill or soils are observed on the wheels or body of the truck, they will be removed using a shovel, broom, and/or other hand tools in the designated vehicle cleaning area. This will reduce the potential for disposal trucks to spread Site-derived material onto the public streets.

3.11 Personal and Equipment Cleaning Areas

All personnel working in the fill will clean themselves prior to leaving the Site in accordance with the CHASP prepared for the Site. In addition, all equipment used for excavation and other earthwork activities (i.e., excavators, bulldozers, backhoes, etc.) that comes in contact with the fill shall be cleaned at the vehicle cleaning area prior to:

- Crossing into areas of the Site where no fill is present;
- Handling clean fill/topsoil; and
- Leaving the Site.

No equipment will be allowed to leave the Site prior to the SHSO or Site superintendent's verification that the equipment was properly cleaned.

3.12 Unexpected Conditions

Based upon investigation data, much of the Site consists of historical fill material. Fill material contains sand, gravel, rock fragments, wood fragments, brick fragments, and other anthropogenic components. When fill material, as described above, is encountered during excavation activities, it will not be considered an "unexpected condition."

Screening for "unexpected conditions" will be performed by the Construction Contractor, with oversight by Roux personnel, during all excavation and other earth moving activities (not including the activities related to "clean" fill brought onsite). This screening will include the following:

1. Visual inspection for evidence of grossly contaminated soil (i.e., visibly identifiable free-phase or otherwise readily detectable free-phase or residual product.); and
2. Periodically screen for organic vapors with a PID.

The following procedures will be followed if “unexpected conditions” are encountered. The material encountered will be:

1. Excavated within the limits of the proposed excavation;
2. Stockpiled separately from other materials in accordance with the temporary stockpiling requirements outlined above;
3. Sampled for waste characterization parameters for disposal purposes; and
4. Disposed of appropriately off-Site.

If intact or damaged buried drums are encountered, the Construction Contractor will notify the Owner's Representative and Construction Manager who will contact the proper regulatory agencies.

In general, the Construction Contractor will be responsible for notifying the Owner's Representative and Construction Manager who will then notify the NYCDEP, and any other applicable regulatory agency of the “unexpected conditions” encountered. If encountered, any previously unidentified tanks and associated appurtenances, drums, and/or petroleum-impacted soils will be properly removed in accordance with all applicable regulations after following the above-mentioned procedures. All equipment used will be cleaned in accordance with the appropriate vehicle/equipment cleaning procedures.

3.13 Underground Storage Tanks

Any underground storage tanks (USTs) encountered during demolition and construction activities must be properly closed and/or removed in accordance with local, state, and federal laws. The following protocols will be followed in case a UST is found during excavation:

- Excavation work in the area of the tank will cease until such time that an inspection of the UST is conducted to determine the nature of its contents.
- If the UST is found to contain fluid, arrangements will be made to sample the contents, evacuate the contents, and properly dispose of the contents in accordance with applicable regulations.
- The UST will be registered with the NYSDEC.
- The UST will be excavated, and its atmosphere evacuated. It will be rendered un-usable and properly disposed of.
- Endpoint soil samples will be collected from the tank excavation. The sampling and analyses will be conducted in accordance with NYSDEC DER-10 Technical Guidance for Site Investigation and Remediation (DER-10).
- If applicable, a report will be prepared and submitted to the NYSDEC requesting closure of the UST. At this point, excavation in the area of the former UST may proceed.

3.14 Procedures for Imported Fill

Any imported fill will come from an approved source. The clean fill will be segregated at the source/facility and samples will be collected by qualified environmental personnel. This clean fill will not be comprised of any construction and/or demolition debris. Clean fill samples will be collected at the frequency specified in

DER-10 and each sample will be analyzed for Target Compound List (TCL) VOCs, SVOCs, pesticides, PCBs, and Target Analyte List (TAL) metals by a NYSDOH Environmental Laboratories Accreditation Program (ELAP) certified laboratory. The results will be reviewed by Roux to ensure the samples meet the RRSCOs. Gravel, rock or stone consisting of virgin material from a permitted mine or quarry or recycled concrete or brick from a NYSDEC registered construction and demolition debris processing facility if the material conforms to the requirements of Section 304 of the New York State Department of Transportation Standard Specifications Construction and Materials Volume 1 (2002) may be imported, without chemical testing, to be used as backfill beneath pavement, buildings or as part of the final site cover, provided that it contains less than 10% by weight material that would pass through a size 80 sieve.

4. Reporting and Schedule

The following will be provided to the NYSDEC during the course of the IRM work.

Daily Progress Reports

NYSDEC and NYSDOH will be notified at least 7 days prior to mobilization to the site. Daily progress report submittals will be provided to the NYSDEC and NYSDOH project manager within 24 hours. Daily progress report submittals will include the following.

- Discovery of any previously unknown contaminated media during IRM activities will be promptly communicated to NYSDEC's project manager;
- A Site map will be provided to identify locations discussed in progress reports provided to NYSDEC;
- An update of progress made during the reporting day;
- Locations of work keyed to a map of the Site;
- A summary of CAMP results, including any potential exceedances and a figure showing location of CAMP stations;
- An explanation of notable Site conditions; and
- Photographs of the work.

Daily reports are not intended to be the mode of communication for notification to the NYSDEC of emergencies (accident, spill), requests for changes to the IRM or other sensitive or time critical information. However, such conditions must also be included in the daily reports. Emergency conditions and changes to the IRM will be addressed directly to NYSDEC Project Manager via personal communication.

Monthly Reports

Monthly reports will be submitted to NYSDEC and NYSDOH Project Managers by the 10th of the month following the end of monthly reporting period. Monthly reports will commence upon approval of the IRM and will include:

- Activities relative to the Site during the previous reporting period and those anticipated for the next reporting period;
- Description of approved activity modifications, including changes of work scope and/or schedule;
- Sampling results received following internal data review and validation, as applicable; and
- An update of the remedial schedule including the percentage of project completion, unresolved delays encountered or anticipated that may affect the future schedule, and efforts made to mitigate such delays.

Respectfully submitted,

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FIGURES

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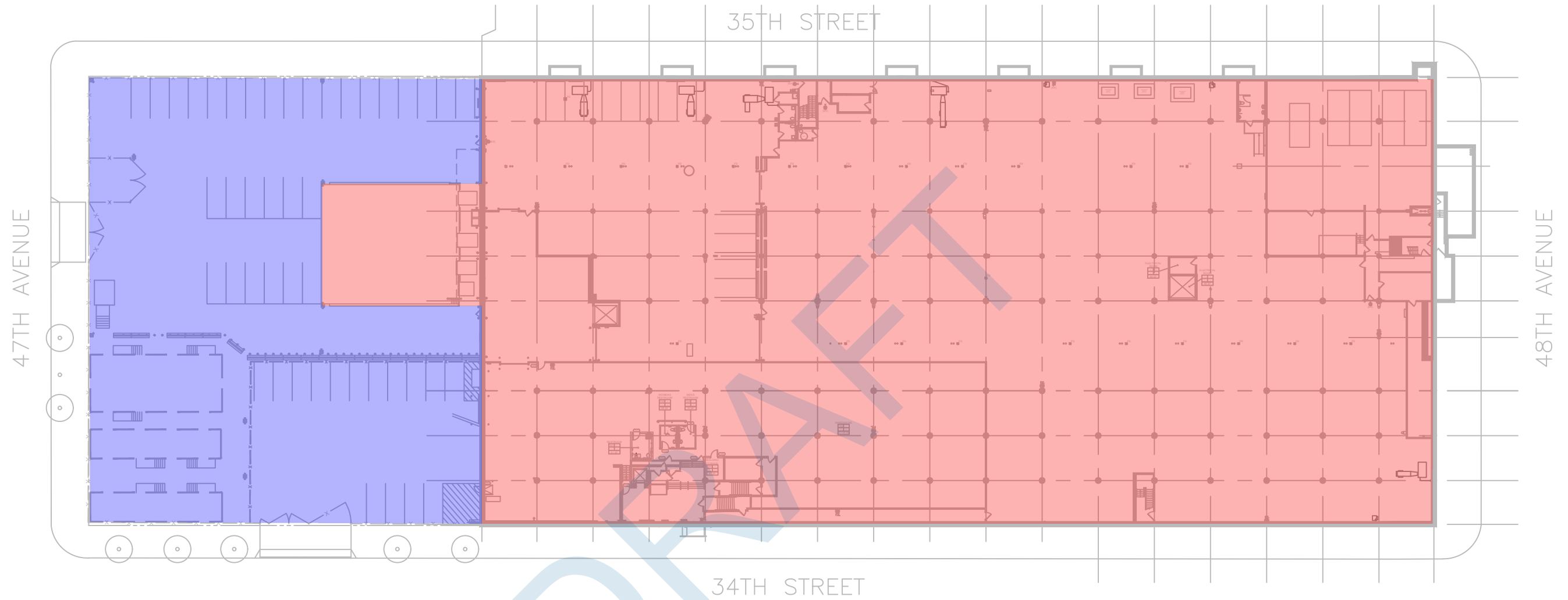
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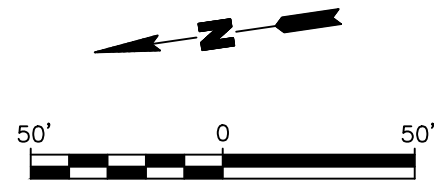
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APPENDIX A

Construction Health and Safety Plan



Construction Health and Safety Plan

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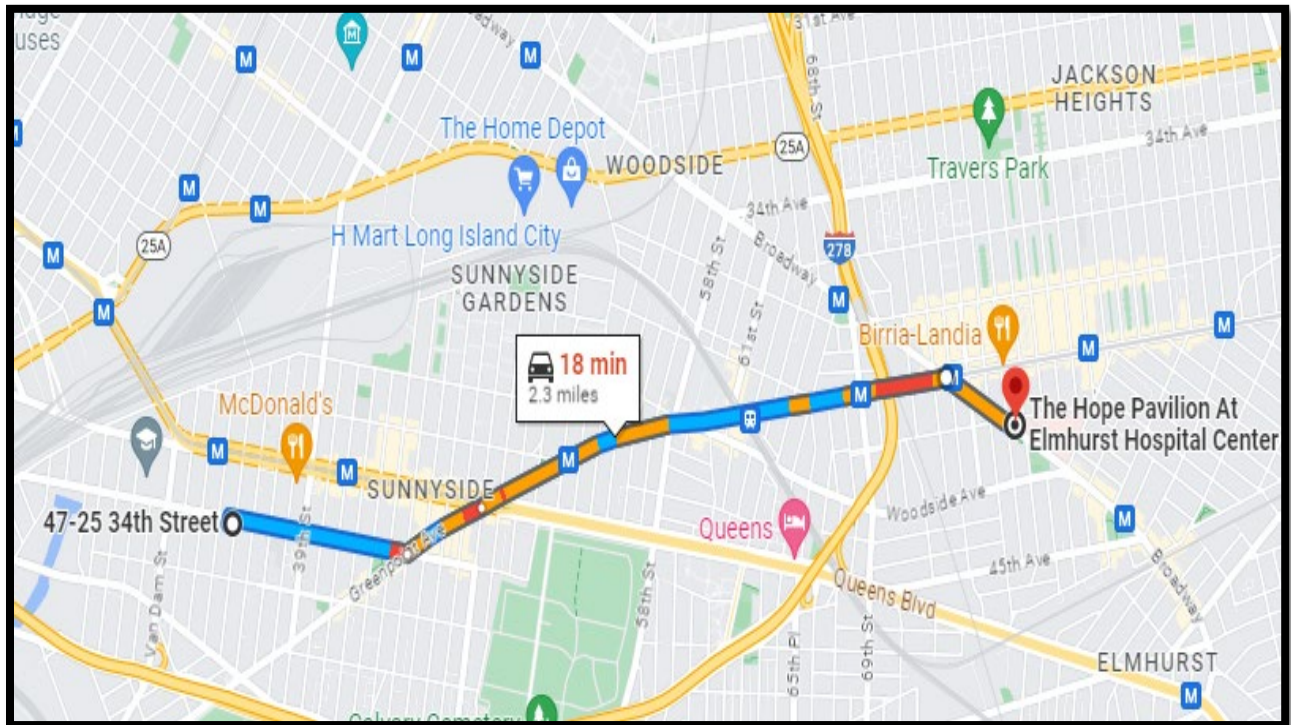
Emergency Phone Numbers

Most emergency services can be obtained by calling 911. Where 911 service is not available, use the telephone numbers provided in the below table. The following is a master emergency phone list for use by the project management personnel. A more condensed version of the emergency numbers listed below will be posted throughout project work areas. Emergencies encountered on the site will be responded to by a combination of off-site emergency services and on-site personnel.

Emergency Contact Information			
Site Personnel			
Title	Contact	Telephone	
Operations Manager (OM)	Jeff Wills, P.G.	516-637-0213	
Project Principal (PP)	Mark Elmendorf	516-398-9066	
Project Manager (PM)	David Kaiser, P.E.	516-849-0562	
Site Supervisor (SS)	James Smyth, P.E.	516-847-2152	
Site Health and Site Safety Officer (SHSO)	James Smyth, P.E.	516-847-2152	
Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM)	Nevin Pahlad, CSP, CHMM	347-885-6930	
Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD)	Brian Hobbs, CIH, CSP	631-807-0193	
WorkCare, Inc.	Occupational Health Care Management Provider	888-449-7787	
Client Emergency Contact			
Outside Assistance			
Agency	Contact	Telephone	Address/Location
Ambulance/emergency medical services (EMS)	Elmhurst Hospital Center	(718) 334-4000	79-01 Broadway Queens, NY 11373
Police	New York City Police Department	(718) 361-1021	4707 Pearson Place Queens, NY 11101
Fire	FDNY Engine 259/Ladder 128/Battalion 45	(212) 639-9675	33-51 Greenpoint Avenue Long Island City, NY 11101
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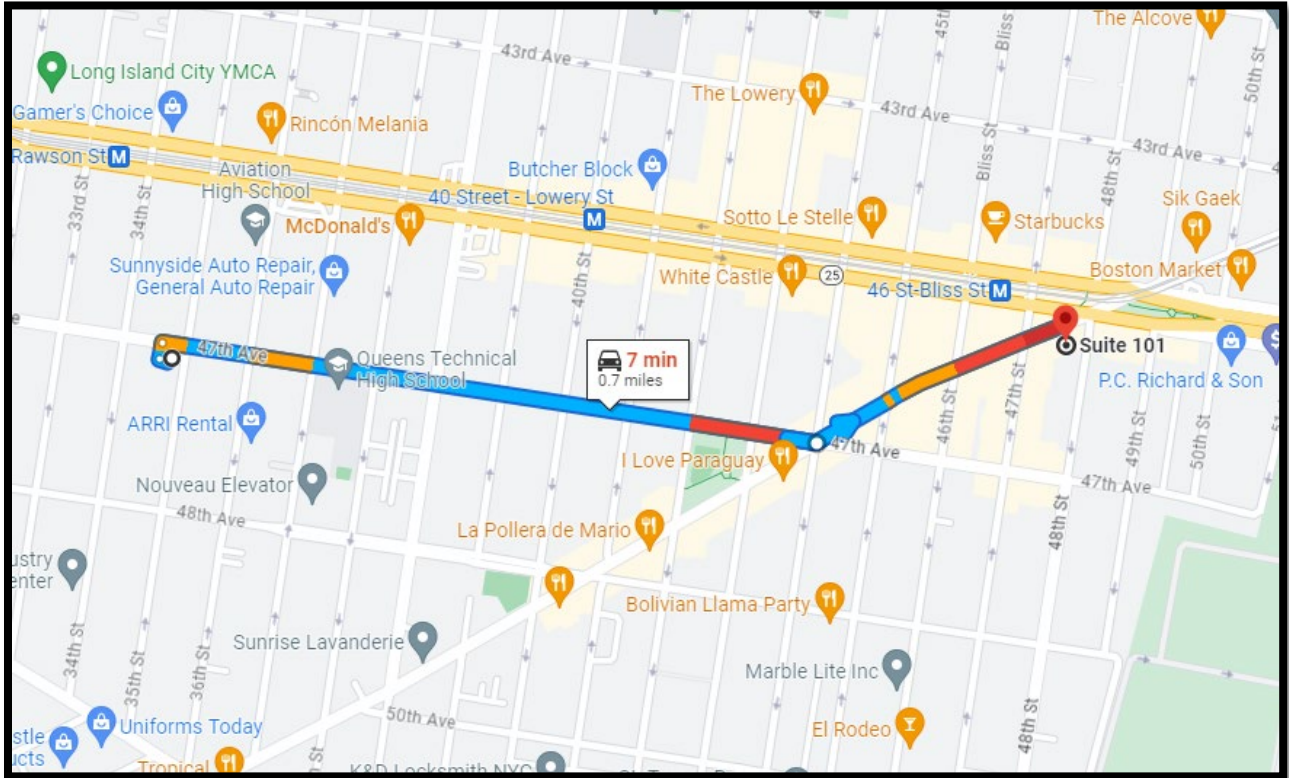
Route to Hospital: Elmhurst Hospital Center, 79-01 Broadway, Queens, NY 11373:

- Turn right onto 47th Avenue (heading east)
- Turn left onto Greenpoint Avenue
- Continue onto Roosevelt Avenue
- Turn right onto Broadway
- Hospital will be on the left

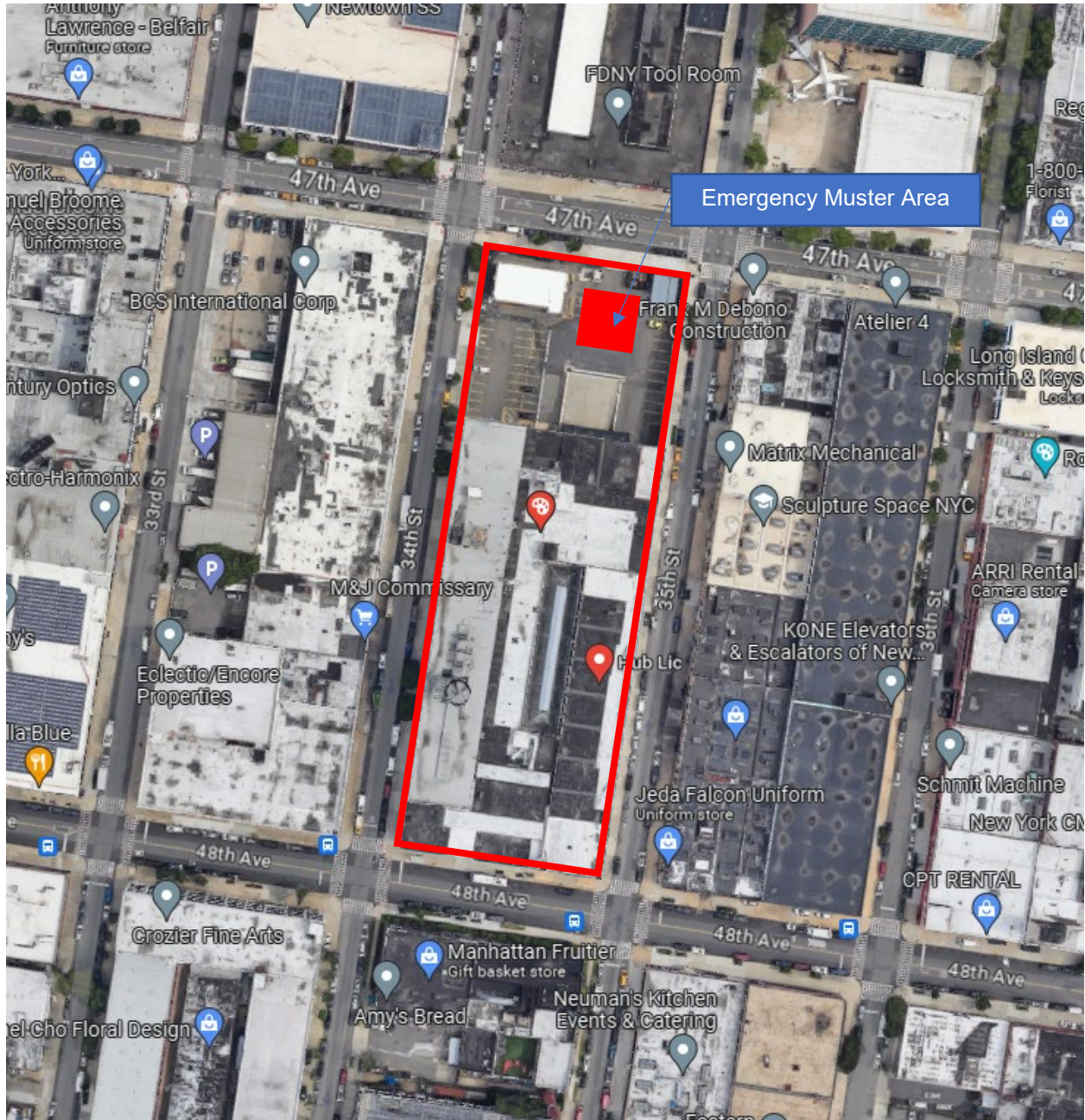


Route to Urgent Care: CityMD Sunnyside Urgent Care, 47-16 Greenpoint Ave Suite 101, Queens, NY 11104:

- Turn right onto 47th Avenue (heading east)
- Turn left onto Greenpoint Avenue
- CityMD Sunnyside Urgent Care will be on the right



Emergency Response Site Map and Muster Point - 47-25 34th Street, Long Island City, New York 11101



1. Introduction

This Construction Health and Safety Plan (CHASP) has been prepared by Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C. (Roux) for use during the Remedial Investigation, which will include soil borings, groundwater well installation and vapor pin installation at the Metropolitan Realty Associates building located at 47-25 34th Street, Long Island City, New York (Site; **Figure 1**). These activities fall within the scope of operations covered by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standards promulgated at 29 CFR 1910.120 and 29 CFR 1926.65, both commonly referred to as the Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) Standard. In accordance with the HAZWOPER Standard, this Construction HASP was prepared to address the safety and health hazards associated with the installation of a SSDS, soil sampling, vapor sampling, concrete demolition, soil excavation and disposal activities being performed at the Site by Roux and to provide requirements and procedures for the protection of Roux employees, subcontractor personnel, government oversight personnel, Site personnel, and the general public. It also addresses client- and Site-specific requirements for health and safety. Additionally, subcontractors may be required to submit their own CHASP as it relates to their specific work activities and will be kept onsite during such work.

Implementation of this CHASP is the joint responsibility of the Project Manager (PM), the Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO), and all field staff, with assistance from the Project Principal (PP), Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM), and Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD). The PM for this project is David Kaiser. The Site Supervisor (SS) and Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO) are TBD.

This CHASP will be introduced to, reviewed, and signed off on by all Roux personnel through a formal training session prior to commencing work. A copy of the CHASP will be kept at the Site at all times. The Roux SHSO or PM will be responsible for posting any changes, amendments, memos, etc. to the CHASP. Any revisions to this CHASP will be signed by appropriate personnel, which can include Roux's PP, CHSD, and SS. Any changes will be announced to all workers at the next safety meeting.

1.1 Roles and Responsibilities

Overall Roles and Responsibilities (R&Rs) of Roux personnel are provided in Roux's Policies and Procedures Manual. Only those R&Rs specific to CHASP requirements are listed below.

Project Manager (PM)

The PM has responsibility and authority to direct all work operations. The PM coordinates safety and health functions with the Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO), has the authority to oversee and monitor the performance of the SHSO, and bears ultimate responsibility for the proper implementation of this CHASP. The specific duties of the PM are:

- Preparing and coordinating the Site work plan;
- Providing Site supervisor(s) with work assignments and overseeing their performance; Coordinating safety and health efforts with the SHSO;
- Ensuring effective emergency response through coordination with the Emergency Response Coordinator (ERC); and
- Serving as primary Site liaison with public agencies and officials and Site contractors.

Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO)

The SHSO has the full responsibility and authority to develop and implement this CHASP and to verify compliance. The SHSO reports to the Project Manager. The SHSO is on Site or readily accessible to the Site during all work operations and has the authority to halt Site work if unsafe conditions are detected. The specific responsibilities of the SHSO include:

- Managing the safety and health functions on this Site;
- Serving as the Site's point of contact for safety and health matters;
- Ensuring Site monitoring, worker training, and effective selection and use of PPE;
- Assessing Site conditions for unsafe acts and conditions and providing corrective action;
- Assisting the preparation and review of this CHASP;
- Maintaining effective safety and health records as described in this CHASP; and
- Coordinating with the SS and others as necessary for safety and health efforts.

Site Supervisor (SS)

The Site Supervisor (SS) is responsible for field operations and reports to the Project Manager (PM). The SS ensures the implementation of the CHASP requirements and procedures in the field. The specific responsibilities of the Site Supervisor include:

- Executing the work plan and schedule as detailed by the PM;
- Coordination with the SHSO on safety and health; and
- Ensuring Site work compliance with the requirements of this CHASP.

Employees

All Roux employees are responsible for reading and following all provisions of the Corporate Health and Safety Manual, including this CHASP. Employees report to the SS at the project Site. Each employee is also responsible for the following:

- Wearing all appropriate PPE as outlined within this CHASP;
- Attending all safety meetings;
- Inspecting tools and equipment prior to use, and taking any defective tools or equipment out of service;
- Appropriately documenting field events as they occur within a logbook or equivalent;
- Properly operating machinery and/or equipment only if trained to do so;
- Stopping work operations if unsafe conditions exist;
- Identifying and mitigating hazards when observed;
- Reporting all incidents and near misses to the Roux SHSO and SS immediately; and
- Knowing where emergency equipment is located (e.g., first aid kit, fire extinguisher).

Subcontractors and Visitors

Subcontractors and visitors are responsible for complying with the same health and safety requirements. It is the responsibility of all to make sure subcontractors and visitors comply and uphold the CHASP. Subcontractors and visitors have the following additional responsibilities:

- Designating a qualified safety representative for the project that can make the necessary changes in work practices, as necessary;
- Attending all safety meetings while participating in Roux Site work activities;
- Reporting all incidents and near misses to Roux SHSO and SS immediately;
- Conducting initial and periodic equipment inspections in accordance with manufacturer and regulatory guidelines; and
- Providing copies of all Safety Data Sheets (SDS) to Roux SHSO for materials brought to the Site.

2. Background

Relevant background information is provided below, including a general description of the Site; a brief review of the Site's history with respect to hazardous material use, handling, and/or storage; and a review of known and potential releases of hazardous substances at the Site.

2.1 Site Description

The Site consists of one parcel within the Long Island City section of Queens. The Site is approximately 122,000 square feet (sf) and is bounded by 34th Street to the west, 47th Avenue to the north, 35th Street to the east and 48th Avenue to the south. The surrounding area is comprised of commercial and industrial use buildings. Currently, the Site is improved with a 322,390 gross sf building and parking lot and located within a M1-4 Light Manufacturing Zoning district.

2.2 Site History

Based on Roux's review of the SIR, the Site was occupied by manufacturing operations from 1924 through the late 1970s (International Motor Co. – 1924 to at least 1950 and Neptune Meter Co. – 1962 to sometime between 1977 and 1979). The use of hazardous materials, if any, associated with historical manufacturing operations is unknown. The potential historic use of the subject property as manufacturing is considered a recognized environmental concern (REC). The subject property utilized up to six fuel oil underground storage tanks (UST) for heating purposes. Each of the referenced USTs were reported as closed-in-place or removed. Two 4,000-gallon diesel USTs were closed in 2002 and are associated with a New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) spill case that received a No Further Action (NFA) determination from NYSDEC in 2003.

2.3 Known and Potential Releases of Hazardous Substances at the Site

In the May and June 2022 fieldwork performed by AECOM USA, 4 soil vapor samples, 4 indoor air samples and 1 ambient outdoor air sample were collected and analyzed for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) by United States Environmental Protection Agency Method TO-15.

The soil vapor analytical results revealed that several VOCs (1,1,1-trichloroethane, 1,1-dichloroethane, 1,1-dichloroethene, 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene, 1,3,5-trimethylbenzene, 1,3-butadiene, 4-ethyltoluene, acetone, benzene, carbon disulfide, chloroform, cis-1,2-dichloroethene, ethylbenzene, m,p-xylene, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isobutyl ketone, methylene chloride, n-butane, n-butylbenzene, n-heptane, n-propylbenzene, sec-butylbenzene, styrene, tert-butylbenzene, tetrachloroethene (PCE), toluene, trichloroethene (TCE), total xylenes and o-xylene) were detected. PCE was detected at concentrations up to 350 µg/m³. TCE was detected at concentrations up to 7,400 µg/m³. Methylene chloride was detected at concentrations up to 190 µg/m³.

The indoor air analytical results revealed that several VOCs (1,2,4-trimethylbenzene, 2,2,4-trimethylpentane, acetone, benzene, carbon disulfide, chloromethane, cumene, cyclohexane, ethylbenzene, freon 22, isopropyl alcohol, m,p-xylene, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isobutyl ketone, methylene chloride, n-butane, n-heptane, n-hexane, toluene, TCE, trichlorofluoromethane, xylene (total, and o-xylene) were detected.

The ambient air analytical results revealed that several VOCs (acetone, benzene, carbon disulfide, chloromethane, methyl ethyl ketone, n-butane, PCE, toluene and trichlorofluoromethane) were detected.

3. Scope of Work

The current scope of work for the Site is oversight of the following tasks: soil borings, groundwater well installation and vapor pin installation.

Non-routine activities that may be performed by Roux personnel include the following:

- None

If there are any changes with the scope a revision of the CHASP will be required to address any new hazards.

4. Site Control

This Site control program is designed to reduce the spread of hazardous substances from contaminated areas to clean areas, to identify and isolate contaminated areas of the Site, to facilitate emergency evacuation and medical care, to prevent unauthorized entry to the Site, and to deter vandalism and theft.

4.1 Site Map

A map of this Site, showing Site boundaries, designated work zones, and points of entry and exit is provided in Figure 2.

4.2 Site Access

Access to the work areas at the Site is restricted to reduce the potential for exposure to its safety and health hazards. During hours of Site operation, Site entry and exit is authorized only at the points identified in **Figure 2**. Entry and exit at these points is controlled by gated parking lot at the north of the Site. When the Site is not operating, access to the Site will be coordinated with the Site contact, as needed.

4.3 Buddy System

This section is not applicable for all components of the SOW described in Section 3. Some Site inspections, SSDS installation and sampling are completed by a single Roux employee. However, when completing these tasks, the single Roux employee is accompanied either by Roux subcontractors or the Site caretaker/other representatives from MRA. Any time Roux is on-site, MRA is made aware and communications with MRA and the Roux PM is maintained via cellular phone.

While working in the Exclusion Zone, Site workers use the buddy system. The buddy system means that personnel work in pairs and stay in close visual contact to be able to observe one another and summon rapid assistance in case of an emergency. The responsibilities of workers using the buddy system include:

- Remaining in close visual contact with partner;
- Providing partner with assistance as needed or requested;
- Observing partner for signs of heat stress, chemical overexposure or other difficulties;
- Periodically checking the integrity of partner's PPE; and
- Notifying the SS or other Site personnel if emergency assistance is needed.

4.4 Site Communications

The following communication equipment is used to support on-site communication: cell phone and visual hand signals.

As applicable, hand signals will be used according to the following:

Hand Signals

SIGNAL	MEANING
Hand gripping throat	Out of air; I cannot breathe
Grip partner's wrist	Leave area immediately
Hands on top of head	Need assistance
Thumbs up	I am all right; okay
Thumbs down	No; negative

A current list of emergency contact numbers is included in the Site-Specific Emergency Information at the beginning of this CHASP.

4.5 Site Work Zones

The SOW does not require the implementation of work zones; however, should the need arise, this section provides details for the proper execution of work zones at this Site.

This Site is divided into three (3) major zones, described below. These zones are characterized by the likely presence or absence of biological, chemical, or physical hazards and the activities performed within them. Zone boundaries are clearly marked at all times and the flow of personnel among the zones is controlled. The Site is monitored for changing conditions that may warrant adjustment of zone boundaries. Zone boundaries are adjusted as necessary to protect personnel and clean areas. Whenever boundaries are adjusted, zone markings are also changed and workers are immediately notified of the change.

Exclusion Zone

The area where contamination exists is the Exclusion Zone (EZ). All areas where excavation and handling of contaminated materials take place are considered part of the EZ. This zone will be clearly delineated by chain link fencing, caution tape, cones or other effective barriers, as necessary. Safety tape may be used as a secondary delineation within the EZ. The zone delineation markings may be opened in areas for varying lengths of time to accommodate equipment operation or specific construction activities. The SHSO may establish more than one EZ where different levels of protection may be employed or where different hazards exist. Personnel are not allowed in the EZ without:

- A buddy (co-worker);
- Required minimum level PPE;
- Medical authorization;
- Training certification; and
- Requirement to be in the zone.

Contamination Reduction Zone

A Contamination Reduction Zone (CRZ) is established between the exclusion zone and the support zone. The CRZ contains the Contamination Reduction Corridor (CRC) and provides an area for decontamination

of personnel and equipment. The CRZ will be used for general Site entry and egress in addition to access for heavy equipment and emergency support services. Personnel are not allowed in the CRZ without:

- A buddy (co-worker);
- Appropriate PPE;
- Medical authorization;
- Training certification; and
- Requirement to be in the zone.

Support Zone

The Support Zone (SZ) is an uncontaminated area that will be the field support area for the Site operations. If required, the SZ will be determined before the start of work. Appropriate sanitary facilities and safety equipment will be located in this zone. Potentially contaminated personnel or materials are not allowed in this zone. The only exception will be appropriately packaged/decontaminated and labeled samples.

5. Job Hazard Evaluation

Roux's work at the Site is expected to entail a variety of physical, chemical, and biological hazards, all of which must be sufficiently managed to allow the work to be performed safely. Some of the hazards are Site-specific (i.e., they are associated with the nature, physical characteristics, and/or routine operation of the Site itself), while others are activity-specific (i.e., they are associated with [or arise from] the particular activity being performed). The various hazards can be grouped into the following categories:

- **Caught/Crushed** – the potential to become caught in, under, between, or by an object or parts of an object, such as equipment with parts that open and close or move up and down (“pinch points”) or equipment that rotates, and the accompanying potential to have body parts cut, mangled, or crushed thereby.
- **Contact** – the potential to be struck by or against moving or stationary objects that can cause physical injury, such as heavy machinery, overhead piping, moving vehicles, falling objects, and equipment (including tools and hand-held equipment) or infrastructure with the ability to cut or impale.
- **Energy Sources** – the potential for bodily harm associated with energy sources, most notably electricity, but also including latent energy sources such as compressed air and equipment under tension (which when released could cause injurious contact or a fall).
- **Ergonomics** – the potential for musculoskeletal injury associated with lifting/carrying, pushing/pulling, bending, reaching, and other physical activity attributable to poor body position/mechanics, repetitive motion, and/or vibration.
- **Exposure** – the potential for injury/illness due to physical, chemical, or biological exposures in the work environment, including, but not limited to, temperature extremes, solar radiation, and noise (physical), chemical splashes and hazardous atmospheres (chemical), and animal/insect bites and poisonous plants (biological).
- **Falls** – the potential to slip or trip and thus fall or drop a load, resulting in bodily injury to oneself or others.

The foregoing is intended to provide Roux employees with a general awareness of the hazards involved with Site work. A more detailed review of the potential hazards associated with each specific activity planned for the Site (or on-going activity, as the case may be) is provided in the activity-specific Job Safety Analysis (JSA) forms in **Appendix A**. As can be seen in the JSA forms, the hazards are identified by category per the above, and specific measures designed to mitigate/manage those hazards are also identified. In preparing the JSA forms, all categories of hazards were considered, and all anticipated potential hazards were identified to the extent possible based on the experience of the personnel preparing and reviewing the JSA forms. However, there is always the possibility for an unanticipated hazard to arise, potentially as condition change over the course of the workday. Roux personnel must maintain a continual awareness of potential hazards in the work zone, regardless of whether the hazard is identified in the JSA form. Particular attention should be paid to hazards associated with exposure to hazardous substances (see **Table 1** for a listing of the hazardous substances most likely to be encountered in environmental media at the Site) and to Site personnel being located “in the line of fire” with respect to moving equipment, pinch points, and latent energy (e.g., being located or having body parts located within the swing radius of an excavator, between two sections of pipe being connected, below a piece of suspended equipment, or adjacent to a compressed air line).

5.1 Hazard Communication and Overall Site Information Program

The information in the JSAs and SDSs is made available to all employees and subcontractors who could be affected by it prior to the time they begin their work activities.

Modifications to JSAs are communicated during routine pre-work briefings, and periodically updated as needed in the CHASP. SDSs will be maintained by the SHSO/SS for new chemicals brought on-site as needed. Copies of SDSs can be found in **Appendix B**.

5.2 Noise

Noise is associated with the operation of heavy equipment, power tools, pumps, and generators. Noise is also a potential hazard when working near operating equipment such as excavators, drill rigs or pole drivers. High noise (i.e., < 85 dBA) operations may be evaluated by the SHSO utilizing a type 2 handheld sound level meter (SLM) operating on the "A"-weighted scale with slow response because this scale most closely resembles human response to noise and complies with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.95. Hearing protection is required in areas with noise exposure greater than 85 dBA. Double hearing protection (ear plugs and earmuffs) should be donned in areas where the noise exposure is more than 95 dBA. Noise exposure will be controlled by hearing protection as described above or by maintaining set-backs from high-noise equipment, as warranted. Personnel handling heavy equipment and using power tools that produce noise levels exceeding those described levels above are required by OSHA 29 CFR 1910.95 to wear the appropriate Noise Reduction Rating (NRR) level of hearing protection. Appropriate hearing protection will be evaluated by the SHSO as necessary in consultation with the OHSM and CHSD.

5.3 Slip, Trip, and Fall Hazards

Slip, trip, and fall hazards may include, but are not limited to, general slip and trip hazards associated with uneven ground, possible debris, wet grass, and equipment. Prior to work, walking paths will be assessed for solid footings, any ground penetrations that may cause a tripping hazard will be appropriately marked, and other areas will be noted and discussed with the field team.

Personnel shall be aware of their surroundings and footings at all time, and all accommodations should be made for proper housekeeping and organized equipment placement at the Site, where possible, to help prevent any slip, trip, and fall-related incidents. All tools and materials should be appropriately stored when not in use and placed in appropriate storage containers.

5.4 Biological Hazards

Biological hazards that may potentially be present at a Site, include poisonous plants, insects (ticks, spiders, bees), animals (snakes, dogs), etc. Information on biological hazards can be found within Roux's Biological Hazard Awareness Management Program located within Roux's Corporate Health and Safety Manual. There is also potential for transmission and/or exposure to SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19. Prior to beginning work, on-Site protocols shall be established by the project team, including subcontractors, in accordance with federal, state, county, city, and/or other guidance, as applicable.

6. Emergency Response Plan

This emergency response plan details actions to be taken in the event of Site emergencies. The PM and SHSO is responsible for the implementation of emergency response procedures onsite. The SHSO/PM provides specific direction for emergency action based upon information available regarding the incident and response capabilities and initiates emergency procedures and notification of appropriate authorities. In the event of an emergency, Site personnel are evacuated and do not participate in emergency response activities, response is facilitated through external emergency services.

6.1 Emergency Response

The SHSO, after investigating the incident and relevant information, shall determine the level of response required for containment, rescue and medical care. Limited on-site emergency response activities could occur therefore the SHSO is responsible for notifying external emergency response agencies. The SHSO provides relevant information to the responding organizations, including, but not limited to, the hazards associated with the emergency incident, potential containment problems, and missing Site personnel.

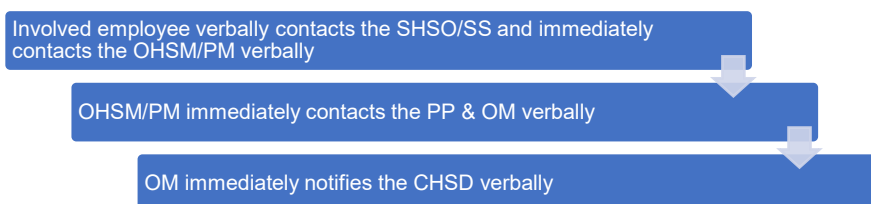
6.2 Emergency Alerting and Evacuation

If evacuation notice is given, Site workers leave the worksite, if possible, by way of the nearest exit. Appropriate primary and alternate evacuation routes and assembly areas have been identified and are shown on the Site Plan with Emergency Muster Area (**Figure 2**). The routes and assembly area will be determined by conditions at the time of the evacuation based on wind direction, the location of the hazard source, and other factors as determined by SHSO/PM.

Personnel exiting the Site gather at a designated assembly point. To determine that everyone has successfully exited the Site, personnel will be accounted for at the assembly point. If any worker cannot be accounted for, notification is given to the SHSO, PM, and any arriving response authorities so that appropriate action can be initiated. Subcontractors on this Site have coordinated their emergency response plans to ensure that these plans are compatible and potential emergencies are recognized, alarm systems are clearly understood, and evacuation routes are accessible to all personnel relying upon them.

6.3 Emergency Medical Treatment and First Aid

In the event of a work-related injury or illness, employees are required to follow the procedures outlined below. All work-place injury and illness situations require Roux's Project and Corporate Management Team to be notified when an injury/illness incident occurs, and communication with the contracted Occupational Health Care Management Provider, WorkCare, Inc., is initiated, as necessary. The Injury/Illness Notification Flowchart is provided below and within Roux's Incident Investigation and Reporting program included within Roux's Corporate Health and Safety Manual.



If on-Site personnel require any medical treatment, the following steps will be taken:

- a. Notify Roux's Project and Corporate Management Team for any work-related injury and/or illness occurrence, and communicate with the contracted Occupational Health Care Management Provider, WorkCare, immediately following the notifications provided above.
- b. Based on discussions with the Project Team, Corporate Management and the WorkCare evaluation, if medical attention beyond onsite first aid is warranted, transport the injured / ill person (IP) to the Urgent Care Center, or notify the Fire Department or Ambulance Emergency service and request an ambulance or transport the victim to the hospital, and continue communications with Corporate Management Team. An Urgent Care/Hospital Route map with location to CityMD Sunnyside Urgent Care is included as **Figure 3**.
- c. Decontaminate to the extent possible prior to administration of first aid or movement to medical or emergency facilities.
- d. First aid medical support will be provided by onsite personnel trained and certified in First Aid, Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), Automatic External Defibrillation (AED), and Blood-Borne Pathogens (BBP) Awareness, until relieved by emergency medical services (EMS).
- e. The SHSO and PM will perform a Loss Investigation (LI) and the Project Team will complete the final Loss Report. If a Roux employee is involved in a vehicular incident, the employee must also complete the Acord Automobile Loss Notice.

7. Environmental Conditions and Response

7.1 Adverse Weather Conditions

In the event of adverse weather conditions, the SHSO or project principal will determine if work can continue without jeopardizing the health and safety of field workers. Some of the items related to adverse weather conditions to be considered prior to determining if work should continue include:

- Potential for heat stress and heat-related injuries;
- Potential for cold stress and cold-related injuries;
- Treacherous weather-related conditions. If wind speed is greater than 15 mph averaged over a 15-minute period or wind gusts over 25 mph, earthmoving operations will be ceased
- Limited visibility; and
- Electrical storm potential.

Site activities will be limited to daylight hours and acceptable weather conditions. Inclement working conditions may include heavy rain, fog, high winds, and lightning. The SHSO and/or PM shall observe daily weather reports and evacuate, if necessary, in case of inclement weather conditions.

7.2 Electrical Storm Guidelines

In the event that lightning and/or thunder are observed while working onsite, all onsite activities shall stop and personnel shall seek proper shelter (e.g., substantial building, enclosed vehicle, etc.). Work shall not resume until the threat of lightning has subsided and no lightning or thunder has been observed for 30 minutes. If the possibility of lightning is forecast for the day, advise the onsite personnel on the risks and proper procedure at the pre-work safety briefing. Continuously monitor for changing weather conditions and allow enough time to properly stop work if lightning is forecast.

7.3 Environmental Stressors, Heat Stress, Heat Exhaustion, and Heat Stroke

It is the employer's responsibility to monitor weather forecasts and ambient air temperatures, both prior to the work shift and during the shift. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration records average minimum/maximum temperatures of 31-84 degrees Fahrenheit during the year in Queens, New York.

To prevent potential heat illness, the following strategies will be implemented:

- Adjusting personnel work/rest intervals;
- Monitoring for symptoms of heat illness;
- Providing shaded rest areas;
- Providing cool potable water so that each employee has access to at least one quart per hour for the entire shift, free of charge;
- Allowing for employees to acclimatize to the weather conditions and work demands;
- Observe workers during a heat wave (i.e., when the temperature is at least 80°F, and 10 degrees hotter than the average temperature of the five preceding days); and
- Implementing high heat procedures when the temperature reaches 95°F.

Roux's Heat Illness Prevention Plan is implemented when the when ambient temperatures exceed 80oF. Roux's Heat Illness Prevention Program can be found within **Appendix C**. Additional information regarding heat illnesses is provided below. This can include, but is not limited to, access to shade that is sufficient in size to fit all workers who are on break; a car with air conditioning is acceptable, too. Preventative cool-down breaks shall be allowed at any time, and anyone taking such a break will be monitored for heat illness symptoms and not required to return to work until all symptoms (if present) of heat illness have disappeared. If necessary, first aid will be offered, but if symptoms are severe, emergency response procedures will be implemented per Section 6.3. Anyone who has shown symptoms of severe heat illness will not be sent home without being offered first aid or medical treatment.

High heat procedures must be implemented when temperatures reach 95oF. These procedures include:

- Ensuring that effective communication by voice, observation, or electronic means is maintained so that employees at the work site can contact a supervisor when necessary. An electronic device, such as a cell phone or text messaging device, may be used for this purpose only if the reception in the area is reliable.
- Observing employees for alertness and signs or symptoms of heat illness. The employer shall ensure effective employee observation/monitoring by implementing one or more of the following:
 - Supervisor or designee observation of 20 or fewer employees;
 - Mandatory buddy system; and
 - Regular communication with sole employee such as by radio or cellular phone, or other effective means of observation.
- Designating one or more employees on each worksite as authorized to call for emergency medical services and allowing other employees to call for emergency services when no designated employee is available.
- Encouraging employees throughout the work shift to drink plenty of water.
- A review of the high heat procedures during the daily tailgate meeting and remind employees of their right to take a cool-down rest when necessary.

7.3.1 Heat Stress

Heat stress is the body's response to excessive heat and can be a significant potential hazard. The risk of heat stress can be increased with heavy physical activity and/or the use of personal protective equipment in hot, humid weather environments. There are also personal risk factors that can contribute to the risk of suffering from heat stress, such as obesity, water intake, alcohol and caffeine consumption, pregnancy, age, medication, etc. Heat illness includes heat cramps, heat exhaustion, heat syncope, and heat stroke.

7.3.2 Heat Cramps

Heat cramps may be brought on by prolonged exposure to heat. As an individual sweats, water and salts are lost by the body resulting in painful muscle cramps, typically in the legs.

First aid treatment includes, but is not limited to, shade, rest, and fluid replacement. Typically, the individual should recover within one-half hour while being monitored constantly. If the individual has not improved substantially within 30 minutes and the body temperature has not decreased, the individual should be transported to a hospital for medical attention.

Per Roux's Heat Illness Prevention Plan, employees shall have access to potable drinking water that is fresh, pure, suitably cool, free of charge and in sufficient quantities. Access to shade shall be present when temperatures exceed 80 degrees Fahrenheit and shall be available when temperatures do not exceed 80 degrees Fahrenheit.

7.3.3 Heat Exhaustion

Heat exhaustion may occur in an individual who has been exposed to excessive heat while working or exercising. The circulatory system of the individual fails as blood collects near the skin to rid the body of excess heat through transference. The signs and symptoms of heat exhaustion are as follows:

- Rapid and shallow breathing;
- Weak pulse;
- Cold and clammy skin with heavy perspiration;
- Skin appears pale;
- Fatigue and weakness;
- Dizziness; and
- Elevated body temperature.

First aid treatment includes, but is not limited to, cooling the victim, elevating the feet, and replacing fluids.

If the individual is not substantially improved within 30 minutes and the body temperature has not decreased, the individual should be transported to the hospital for medical attention.

7.3.4 Heat Stroke

Heat stroke occurs when an individual is exposed to excessive heat and stops sweating. This condition is classified as a MEDICAL EMERGENCY requiring immediate cooling of the victim and transport to a medical facility. The signs and symptoms of heat stroke are as follows:

- Dry, hot, red skin;
- Body temperature approaching or above 105oF;
- Confusion, altered mental state, slurred speech;
- Seizures;
- Large (dilated) pupils; and
- Loss of consciousness – the individual may go into a coma.

First aid treatment requires immediate cooling and transportation to a medical facility. Heat stress is a significant hazard if any type of protective equipment (semi-permeable or impermeable) that prevents evaporative cooling when worn in hot weather environments.

7.4 Cold Stress

Cold stress is a danger at low temperatures and when the wind-chill factor is low. Prevention of cold-related illnesses is a function of whole-body protection. Adequate insulating clothing must be used when the air temperature is below 60°F. A work/rest regimen will be initiated when ambient temperatures and protective

clothing cause a stressful situation. In addition, reduced work periods followed by rest in a warm area may be necessary in extreme conditions. The signs and symptoms of cold stress include the following:

- Severe shivering;
- Abnormal behavior;
- Slowing;
- Weakness;
- Stumbling or repeated falling;
- Inability to walk;
- Collapse; and/or
- Unconsciousness.

First aid requires removing the victim from the cold environment and seeking medical attention immediately. Also, prevent further body heat loss by covering the victim lightly with blankets. Do not cover the victim's face. If the victim is still conscious, administer hot drinks and encourage activity such as walking, wrapped in a blanket.

8. Safety Procedures

This section of the CHASP presents the specific safety procedures to be implemented during Roux's activities at the Site in order to protect the health and safety of various on-site personnel. Minimum OSHA-mandated procedures are presented first, followed by client- and Site-specific procedures. Lastly, activity-specific procedures are discussed. These Site and activity-specific procedures supplement the general safety procedures included in Roux's Corporate Health and Safety Manual, which also must be followed in their entirety.

8.1 Training

At a minimum, Site personnel who will perform work in areas where there exists the potential for toxic exposure will be health and safety-trained prior to performing work onsite per OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(e) and 29 CFR 1926.65(e). More specifically, all Roux, subcontractor, and other personnel engaged in sampling and remedial activities at the Site and who are exposed or potentially exposed to hazardous substances, health hazards, or safety hazards must have received at a minimum the 40 hour initial HAZWOPER training consistent with the requirements of 29CFR 1910.120(e)(3)(i) training and a minimum of 3 days' actual field experience under the direct supervision of a trained experienced supervisor, plus 8 hours of refresher training on an annual basis. Depending on tasks performed, less training may be permitted. Evidence of such training must be maintained at the Site at all times. Furthermore, all on-Site management and supervisory personnel directly responsible for or who supervise the employees engaged in Site remedial operations, must have received an additional 8 hours of specialized training at the time of job assignment on topics including, but not limited to, the employer's safety and health program and the associated employee training program, personal protective equipment program, spill containment program, and health hazard monitoring procedure and techniques, plus 8 hours of refresher training on an annual basis. Additionally, all workers who will be required to don a respirator will be properly trained on their employer's Respiratory Protection Program, which also includes being medically cleared to wear a respirator and passed a fit test, at least initially prior to use, and then annually thereafter in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.134, Respiratory Protection.

Roux personnel training records are maintained in a corporate database with records available upon request from either the OHSM/SHSO/CHSD or Human Resources Department.

8.2 Site-Specific Safety Briefings for Visitors

A site-specific briefing is provided to all site visitors who enter this site beyond the site entry point. For visitors, the site-specific briefing provides information about site hazards, the site lay-out including work zones and places of refuge, the emergency alarm system and emergency evacuation procedures, and other pertinent safety and health requirements as appropriate.

8.3 CHASP Information and Site-Specific Briefings for Workers

Site personnel review this CHASP and are provided a Site-specific tailgate briefing prior to the commencement of work to ensure employees are familiar with this CHASP and the information and requirements it contains, as well as the relevant JSAs included in **Appendix A**. Additional briefings are provided as necessary to notify employees of any changes to this CHASP as a result of information gathered during on-going Site characterization and analysis of changing conditions. Conditions for which we

schedule additional briefings include, but are not limited to: changes in site conditions, changes in the work schedule/plan, newly discovered hazards, and incidents occurring during Site work.

8.4 Medical Surveillance

The medical surveillance section of the Health and Safety Plan describes how worker health status is monitored at this site. Medical surveillance is used when there is the potential for worker exposure to hazardous substance at levels above OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) or other published limits. The purpose of a medical surveillance program is to medically monitor worker health to ensure that personnel are not adversely affected by site hazards. The provisions for medical surveillance at this site are based on the site characterization and job hazard analysis found in Section 4 of this CHASP and are consistent with OSHA requirements in 29 CFR 1910.120(f) as applicable.

8.4.1 Site Medical Surveillance Program

Medical surveillance requirements are based on a worker's potential for exposure as determined by the site characterization and job hazard analysis documented in Section 4 and JSAs within **Appendix A** of this CHASP and in compliance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.120(f)(2). Based on site information and use of direct reading instruments, limited use of respirators (less than 30 days per year), and the absence of an employee-staffed HAZMAT team, a limited medical surveillance program is required and implemented at this site. The medical surveillance program provides that:

1. Workers assigned to tasks requiring the use of respirators receive medical examinations in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.134(e) to ensure they are physically capable to perform the work and use the equipment, and
2. If a worker is injured, becomes ill, or develops signs or symptoms of possible over-exposure to hazardous substance or health hazards, medical examinations are provided to that worker as soon as possible after the occurrence and as required by the attending physician.
3. These medical examinations and procedures are performed by or under the supervision of a licensed physician and are provided to workers free of cost, without loss of pay, and at a reasonable time and place. In addition, the need to implement a more comprehensive medical surveillance program will be re-evaluated after any apparent over-exposure.

8.4.2 Medical Recordkeeping Procedures

Medical recordkeeping procedures are consistent with the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.1020 and are described in the company's overall safety and health program. A copy of that program is available at our Islandia, New York office.

The following items are maintained in worker medical records:

- Respirator fit test and selection;
- Physician's medical opinion of fitness for duty (pre-placement, periodic, termination);
- Physician's medical opinion of fitness for respirator protection (pre-placement, periodic); and
- Exposure monitoring results.

8.4.3 Program Review

The medical program is reviewed to ensure its effectiveness. The Corporate Health and Safety Manager, in coordination with the Human Resources Director, is responsible for this review. At minimum, this review consists of:

- Review of accident and injury records and medical records to determine whether the causes of accidents and illness were promptly investigated and whether corrective measures were taken wherever possible;
- Evaluation of the appropriateness of required medical tests based on site exposures; and
- Review of emergency treatment procedures and emergency contacts list to ensure they were site specific, effective, and current.

8.5 Personnel Protection

Site safety and health hazards are eliminated or reduced to the greatest extent possible through engineering controls and work practices. Where hazards are still present, a combination of engineering controls, work practices and PPE are used to protect employees. Appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) shall be worn by Site personnel when there is a potential exposure to chemical, biological or physical hazards (e.g., falling objects, flying particles, sharp edges, electricity, and noise), as determined by the SHSO. The level of personal protection, type and kind of equipment selected will depend on the hazardous conditions and in some cases cost, availability, compatibility with other equipment, and performance. An accurate assessment of all these factors will be made before work can be safely executed.

Roux maintains a comprehensive written PPE program that addresses proper PPE selection, use, maintenance, storage, fit and inspection. Roux's PPE program can be found within **Appendix D**. PPE to be used at the Site will meet the appropriate American National Standards Institute (ANSI) standards and the following OSHA (General/Construction Industry) standards for minimum PPE requirements.

The minimum level of PPE for entry onto the Site is Level D. The following equipment shall be worn:

- Work uniform (long pants, sleeved shirt);
- Hard hat;
- Steel or composite toe work boots (must comply with American Society for Testing and Materials [ASTM] F 2412-05, Standard Test Methods for Foot Protection and ASTM F 2413-05, Standard Specification for Performance Requirements for Foot Protection);
- Safety Glasses (must comply with one of the following ANSI/ISEA Z87.1-2010, ANSI Z87.1-2003, ANSI Z87.1-2003);
- Boot Covers (as needed);
- Hearing protection (as needed);
- High visibility clothing (shirt/vest); and
- Hand protection (e.g., minimum cut resistance meeting ANSI 105-2000 Level 2).

Note that jewelry shall be removed or appropriately secured to prevent it from becoming caught in rotating equipment or unexpectedly snagged on a fixed object (e.g., wrist watches, bracelets, rings, chains and necklaces, open earrings). Do not wear loose clothing and all shoulder-length hair should be tied back.

Site specific PPE ensembles and materials are identified within task specific JSAs located within **Appendix A**, and any upgrades or downgrades of the level of protection (i.e., not specified in the JSA) must be approved by the PP and immediately communicated to all Roux personnel and subcontractors as applicable. PPE is used in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

8.5.1 Additional Personal Protection

As outlined above the minimum PPE for entry onto the Site is modified Level D.

8.5.2 Hearing Conservation

Hearing protection is made available when noise exposures equal or exceed an 8-hour time-weighted average sound level of 85 dBA. Hearing protection is required when the 8-hour time weighted average sound level > 85 dBA, or when noise levels exceed 140 dBA at any point or exceeds 115 dBA for at least 15 minutes. Where noise exposure meets or exceeds this level, noise is listed as a physical hazard in the JSA for the tasks/operation, and hearing protection is included as one of the control measures (PPE).

8.6 Monitoring

An air monitoring program is important to the safety of on- and off-Site personnel, and the surrounding area. A preliminary survey, to establish background conditions in the immediate sampling area, may be made prior to the initiation of Site work including, but not limited to, monitoring wind direction (e.g., wind socks) and approximate temperature during all invasive Site activities. This survey will be conducted with the appropriate pre-calibrated air monitoring instrument(s), as warranted by the field activity. Once this survey has been complete, any changes in the type of PPE will be determined and relayed to those working on Site.

Work zone air monitoring will be performed to verify that the proper level of PPE is used, and to determine if increased protection or work stoppage is required. The following equipment shall be used to monitor conditions:

- A Photoionization Detector (PID) with a lamp energy of 10.6 eV will be used to provide direct readings of organic vapor concentrations during intrusive activities to determine that personnel protection is adequate. Concentrations shall be recorded during intrusive activities with the potential to encounter contaminant vapors.
- A pre-calibrated multi-gas meter with combustible Lower Explosive Limit (LEL), oxygen (O₂), carbon monoxide (CO), and hydrogen sulfide (H₂S) sensors shall be used to monitor the potential for oxygen-deficient atmospheres, explosive concentrations of organic vapors, and toxic gases during intrusive operations. The calibration for this device will be performed using a known gas composition calibration mixture.

Personal exposure monitoring utilizing activated charcoal tubes may be considered based on whether or not the area sample results are at or above half of the PEL. The decision to perform the monitoring will be made by, and under the control of, the CHSD.

Below are monitoring action levels for Site-specific chemicals of concern. In the event PID readings above the thresholds identified below are sustained for 5 minutes in the breathing zone, worker protection will require upgrading following notification to the OHSM and applicable parties.

8.6.1 Action Levels for Air Monitoring

PPE can remain at Level D if breathing zone VOC concentrations are less than 5 ppm and benzene is non detect. Personnel are required to evacuate the Site when breathing zone VOC readings exceed 25 ppm.

The following tables include summaries of the air monitoring, work practices, and action levels for the expected contaminants. The action levels to initiate testing with colorimetric tubes for airborne volatiles is 1 ppm (PID reading) and is based on the Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL) for benzene (1 ppm). The colorimetric tubes are used to confirm the presence or absence of specific constituents, and they do not provide a measured concentration.

PPE can remain at Level D if breathing zone VOC concentrations are less than 5 ppm. Personnel are required to evacuate the Site when breathing zone VOC readings exceed 25 ppm.

The following tables include summaries of the air monitoring, work practices, and action levels for the expected contaminants.

Air Monitoring Summary and Action Levels Organic Vapors	
PID Reading in Breathing Zone (ppm)	Action
0-1 ppm above background	Continue monitoring
>1-5 ppm sustained 60 seconds	Continue monitoring; if applicable initiate additional collection of benzene/vinyl chloride/formaldehyde using colorimetric tubes.
<5 ppm and no presence of benzene/vinyl chloride/formaldehyde	Continue Monitoring, ventilate space
≥ 5 ppm - ≤ 25 ppm and no presence of benzene/vinyl chloride/formaldehyde	Ventilate space until PID reads < 5 ppm. If < 5 ppm cannot be achieved, upgrade to Level C ¹ .
≥ 25 ppm	Ventilate space and evacuate area. Consult with CHSD.

Background concentrations should be established at the beginning of each work day. It may be necessary to re-establish background concentrations and ambient conditions vary through the day.

- 1 Measured air concentrations of known organic vapors will be reduced by the respirator to one half of the PEL or lower, and the individual and combined compound concentrations shall be within the service limit of the respirator cartridge.

Air Monitoring Summary and Action Levels Oxygen	
O ₂ Reading in Breathing Zone (%) ¹	Action
20.9% O ₂	Oxygen level normal
< 19.5% O ₂	Oxygen deficient Interrupt task/Evacuate area
>23.5% O ₂	Oxygen enriched Interrupt task/Evacuate area

1. Action levels based on USEPA Standard Operating Safety Guides; Table 5-1

Air Monitoring Summary and Action Levels Carbon Monoxide	
CO Reading in Breathing Zone (ppm) ¹	Action
<12.5 ppm	Inspect exhaust system for leaks or other sources of CO. Monitor initially and every 15 minutes during use of CO-generating equipment.
12.5-25 ppm	Ventilate area. Monitor continuously and record measurements. Contact PM.
>25 ppm	Cease Field Operations. Ventilate area.

¹. Based upon the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) Threshold Limit Value (TLV) of 25 ppm as an 8-hour time weighted average (TWA) and OSHA's Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL) of 50 ppm as an 8-hour TWA concentration.

Air Monitoring Summary and Action Levels Combustible Gases	
Lower Explosive Limit (LEL) Reading	Action
< 4% LEL	Site activities will continue with normal monitoring
4% – 20% LEL	Stop work until levels dissipate to <4% LEL
> 20% LEL	Potential explosion hazard. Halt all site activities, research source of release, aerate work area, suppress source.

Air Monitoring Summary and Action Levels Hydrogen Sulfide	
Hydrogen Sulfide (H ₂ S) Reading	Action
<10 ppm	Site activities will continue with normal monitoring
≥10 ppm	Stop work until levels dissipate to <10 ppm; use mechanical ventilation if possible. Consult with CHSD if unable to reduce concentrations below 10 ppm.

8.6.2 Explosive Hazard

Methane is a common gas constituent that is generated during the decomposition of organics. Methane, a non-toxic compound, does not have an OSHA PEL or other exposure limits based on toxicity; however, methane is explosive under certain conditions. The Lower Explosive Limit (LEL) for methane is 5% in air, or 50,000 parts per million by volume. At high concentrations, methane can also displace oxygen and cause asphyxiation. Since methane is lighter than air, it does not tend to accumulate in low-lying areas and will rapidly mix with atmospheric air if encountered during drilling activities. Methane concentrations will be continuously monitored using a pre-calibrated gas meter while excavation takes place.

8.6.3 Air Monitoring Equipment and Calibration

A PID calibrated to an appropriate calibration mixture will be used to detect organic vapors in and around the work areas. Monitoring will be conducted in and around all work areas and at the workers breathing zone before activities commence to establish a background level, then at 15-minute intervals throughout the day. All equipment will be calibrated according to the manufacturer's recommendation. A calibration

log will be maintained and will include the name of the person who performed the calibration, the date and time calibrated, and the instrument reading at the time of calibration. A manual bellows pump or equivalent with colorimetric tubes for specific compounds will be utilized to determine the course of action related to upgrading or downgrading the level of respiratory protection, as applicable.

If air monitoring data indicate safe levels of potentially harmful constituents at consistent intervals (5-minute intervals), then monitoring can be conducted less frequently (every 30 minutes). This determination will be made by the onsite SHSO. Monitoring data, including background readings and calibration records, will be documented. Work to be performed on-Site will conform to Roux's Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs). Conformance with these guidelines as well as the guidelines described in this CHASP will aid in mitigating the physical and chemical hazards mentioned throughout this CHASP.

8.7 Tailgate Safety Meetings

A designated Site worker will provide daily safety briefings (e.g., tailgate meetings) including, but not limited to, the following scenarios:

- When new operations are to be conducted;
- Whenever changes in work practices must be implemented; and
- When new conditions are identified and/or information becomes available.

Daily safety briefings shall be recorded on the Roux Daily Tailgate Health and Safety Meeting Log/Daily Site Safety Checklist, and all completed forms will become a part of the project file.

8.8 Spill Containment

Spill containment equipment and procedures should, at a minimum, meet the requirements of the facility's Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure Plan, if applicable. Otherwise, spill containment equipment and procedures must be considered depending on the task, including, but not limited to, chemical/product transfer points and handling.

8.8.1 Initial Spill Notification and Response

Any worker who discovers a hazardous substance spill will immediately notify the SHSO. The worker will, to his/her best ability, report the hazardous substance involved, the location of the spill, the estimated quantity of material spilled, the direction/flow of the spill material, related fire/explosion incidents, and any associated injuries without compromising their own safety.

8.8.2 Spill Evaluation and Response

The SHSO is responsible for evaluating spills and determining the appropriate response. When this evaluation is being made, the spill area will be isolated and demarcated to the extent possible. If necessary to protect nearby community members, notification of the appropriate authorities is made by the PM as appropriate. On-Site response is limited to small spills (e.g., <10 gallons); large spills require external emergency responders who will be contacted by the SHSO.

8.9 Decontamination

The decontamination section of the CHASP describes how personnel and equipment are decontaminated when they leave the Exclusion Zone. This section also describes how residual waste from decontamination

processes is disposed. The site decontamination procedures are designed to achieve an orderly, controlled removal or neutralization of contaminants that may accumulate on personnel or equipment. These procedures minimize worker contact with contaminants and protect against the transfer of contaminants to clean areas of the site and off-site. They also extend the useful life of PPE by reducing the amount of time that contaminants contact and can permeate PPE surfaces. Decontamination is facilitated within the CRZ at this site, if applicable.

8.9.1 Decontamination Procedures for Personnel and PPE

The following are general decontamination procedures established and implemented at this site.

1. Decontamination is required for all workers exiting a contaminated area. Personnel may re-enter the SZ only after undergoing the decontamination procedures described below in the next section.
2. Protective clothing is decontaminated, cleaned, laundered, maintained and/or replaced as needed to ensure its effectiveness.
3. PPE used at this site that requires maintenance or parts replacement is decontaminated prior to repairs, or
4. PPE used at this site is decontaminated or prepared for disposal on the premises. Personnel who handle contaminated equipment have been trained in the proper means to do so to avoid hazardous exposure.
5. This site uses an off-site laundry for decontamination of PPE. The site has informed that facility of the hazards associated with contaminated PPE from this site.
6. The site requires and trains workers that if their permeable clothing is splashed or becomes wetted with a hazardous substance, they will immediately exit the work zone, perform applicable decontamination procedures, shower, and change into uncontaminated clothing.
7. Procedures for disposal of decontamination waste meet applicable local, State, and Federal regulations.

8.9.2 Decontamination Procedures for Equipment

All tools, equipment, and machinery from the EZ or CRZ are decontaminated in the CRZ prior to removal to the SZ. Equipment decontamination procedures are designed to minimize the potential for hazardous skin or inhalation exposure and to avoid cross-contamination and chemical incompatibilities.

General Equipment Decontamination Procedures:

1. Decontamination is required for all equipment exiting a contaminated area. Equipment may re-enter the SZ only after undergoing the equipment decontamination procedures.
2. Vehicles that travel regularly between the contaminated and clean areas of the site are carefully decontaminated each time they exit the EZ and the effectiveness of that decontamination is monitored to reduce the likelihood that contamination will be spread to other parts of the site.
3. Particular attention is given to decontaminating tires, scoops, and other parts of heavy equipment that are directly exposed to contaminants and contaminated soil.
4. Procedures for disposal of decontamination waste shall meet applicable local, State, and Federal regulations.

The following items may be used to decontaminate equipment:

- Fresh water rinse;
- Non-phosphorus detergent wash;

- Acetone rinse;
- Distilled water rinse; and
- A steam cleaner or pressure washer (heavy equipment only).

8.9.3 Monitoring the Effectiveness of Decontamination Procedures

Visual examination and sampling are used to evaluate the effectiveness of decontamination procedures. Visual examination is used to ensure that procedures are implemented as described and that they appear to control the spread of contaminants under changing site conditions. Visual examination is also used to inspect for signs of residual contamination or for contaminant permeation of PPE.

Personnel who work in contaminated areas of the site, either the Contamination Reduction Zone (CRZ) or the Exclusion Zone, are trained in the principles and practices of decontamination described in this section of the CHASP and in related SOPs. If site procedures are changed as a result of inspection and monitoring, all affected employees are notified of these changes.

8.10 Confined Space Entry

Confined Space Entry is not anticipated to be performed at the Site.

The following is a list of the safety requirements for confined space entry at the Site:

- **ROUX PERSONNEL ARE NOT AUTHORIZED TO ENTER AN OSHA PERMIT REQUIRED CONFINED SPACE;**
- Currently the scope of work **DOES NOT** require personnel to enter permitted confined space for this project; and
- Any changes to the field activities that may necessitate confined space entry will be reported to the Project Principal and OHSM.

Confined space is defined as any space, depression, or enclosure that:

- Has limited opening for entry and egress;
- Is large enough for an employee to enter and perform assigned work; and
- Is not intended for continuous occupancy.

A permit required confined space is one that meets the definition of a confined space and has one or more of the following characteristics:

- May contain or produce life-threatening atmospheres due to oxygen deficiency the presence of toxic, flammable, or corrosive contaminants;
- Contains a material that has the potential for engulfment;
- Has an internal configuration that may cause an entrant to be trapped or asphyxiated by inwardly converging walls or by a floor that slopes downward and tapers to a smaller cross-section; and
- Contains any other serious safety or health hazards.

Although Roux personnel will not perform confined space entry, it is expected that subcontractors performing cleaning and mitigation and/or remedial measures activities may be required to enter structures that are considered to be a permit required confined space. Permitting of the confined space as well as

hazard mitigation for entry will be completed by the subcontractor in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.146 or 1926.1201-1213 and/or applicable local/client requirements.

8.11 Client and Site-Specific

In addition to the OSHA-specific procedures discussed above, there may be client and site-specific safety procedures that must be adhered to during the performance of remedial activities at the Site.

8.12 Unusual or Significant Risks

Field activities that appear to have unusual or significant risks that cannot be adequately managed with existing risk tools such as LMRAs, HASPs, traffic safety plans, work permits, design and O&M practices, equipment HAZOPS or other safety tools must be referred to the CHSD to help with the assessment and management of the associated potential safety risks. Examples include the use of explosives for demolition, use of firearms to control wildlife, rappelling, demolition over water, diving, etc.

8.13 Activity-Specific Hazards

In addition to the general hazards discussed above, there are activity-specific hazards associated with each work activity planned for the Site. An activity-specific JSA has been completed for each of the activities planned for the Site. JSAs are provided in **Appendix A**. In the event that new work activities or tasks are planned, JSAs will be developed and implemented prior to performing the new activities. In the absence of a JSA, the personnel performing work must prepare a field JSA and receive clearance from a designated competent safety official prior to performing any task with significant risk. In emergency situations where time is critical, Risk Assessments (LMRAs) will be utilized to identify the task, associated hazards and mitigative actions to take. For lower risk activities (as deemed by the discretion of a Competent Person) where a JSA is determined to not be needed, the individual(s) conducting the activities must perform LMRAs prior to and during the work.

8.13.1 Electrical and Other Utility Assessment and Accommodations

Roux shall perform a site walk to identify any potential overhead electrical or utility lines. All applicable guidelines will be followed in the vicinity of overhead power and utility lines (see Section 8.13.3 below).

A One-Call notification will be made prior to any subsurface work to identify any buried utility lines to identify potential hazards. A Ground Penetrating Radar survey to determine underground utility location(s) is not necessary to be performed.

Roux has also reviewed all available Site maps showing buried utility lines to identify potential hazards; the review revealed no underground hazards are known to exist in the vicinity of the areas of the Site pertinent to this CHASP.

8.13.2 Subsurface Work

Subsurface work activities will require adherence to Roux's Corporate Subsurface Utility Clearance Management program found within **Appendix E**.

8.13.2.1 Excavations and Trenching

Trenching and excavation work activities carried out by Roux and their subcontractors shall comply with applicable OSHA standards (i.e., 29 CFR 1926.650-652). Regional Notification Centers (i.e., Underground

Services Alert) shall be notified at least two working days prior to the start of any digging or excavation work per state requirements (i.e., 811-One Call). Personnel responsible for excavation activities will be trained in their job responsibilities. Additionally, for trenches 4 feet or deeper, where employees will enter, the trench needs to have a stairway, ladder or other safe means of egress, and located so that employees do not have to travel farther than 25 feet horizontally. Where employees will enter trenches greater than 5 feet deep, the trench must have some type of protective system or sloped sidewalls appropriately to prevent cave-ins.

The SHSO or other responsible Roux personnel will be present on-Site during all Roux contracted excavation and backfill operations and will supplement health and safety monitoring conducted by Subcontractor air quality screening to ensure that appropriate levels of protection and safety procedures are utilized. The proximity of chemical, water, sewer, and electrical lines will be identified by Roux and/or their subcontractor before any subsurface activity or sampling is attempted. Prior to any excavation activities, trees, shrubbery, and other objects that can potentially pose as a hazard during excavation should be supported or removed from the excavation area. The following safe work practices will be implemented during this task.

- The proximity of chemical, water, sewer, and electrical lines will be identified by a facility representative prior to beginning any subsurface activity;
- At the start of every day, a competent person will inspect excavations to evaluate if the area is stable and safe to enter. Inspections will be conducted as needed throughout the excavation operations. If deemed necessary, a competent person may also conduct inspections after rainfall or any other event that can potentially affect the integrity of the excavation. Employees will not enter excavations where water has accumulated until protective measures have been implemented.
- Prior to entering excavations greater than 4 feet in depth, air monitoring for oxygen and hazardous atmospheres must be conducted to assure atmospheric conditions are within normal levels described in Section 8.6. Continuous air monitoring with a standard multi-gas detector (O₂, LEL%, CO, H₂S) shall be used during the course of work within an excavation; if action limits are reached workers shall safely exit the excavation. Upgrades to worker protection should be evaluated with the SHSO and PP in consultation with the CHSD. Emergency rescue equipment, such as breathing apparatuses and safety harnesses connected to an extraction device, will be readily available in the event of hazardous atmospheric conditions;
- While earthmoving, stay out of the excavator's delineated heavy equipment exclusion zone and away from the excavation sides where there is potential for cave in (within excavations that are 6 feet or more in depth, a delineated perimeter 6 feet away from the excavated edge is required);
- During loading and unloading operations, stand away from haul trucks and other vehicles to avoid contact with any falling loads; and
- Traffic cones, caution tape, or other barriers will be set up around the perimeter of the excavation when employees are working along the excavation edge and for any excavation that will be left open overnight or unattended for more than two days.

Maximum Allowable Slopes

Soil or Rock Type	Maximum Allowable Slopes (H:V) ¹ for Excavations Less Than 20 Feet Deep ³
Stable Rock	Vertical (90°)
Type A ²	³ / ₄ : 1 (53°)

Maximum Allowable Slopes

Soil or Rock Type	Maximum Allowable Slopes (H:V) ¹ for Excavations Less Than 20 Feet Deep ³
Type B	1 : 1 (45°)
Type C	1 1/2 : 1 (34°)

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Notes:

- ¹ Numbers shown in parentheses next to maximum allowable slopes are angles expressed in degrees from the horizontal. Angles have been rounded off.
- ² A short-term maximum allowable slope of 1/2H : 1V (63°) is allowed in excavations in Type A soil that are 12 feet (3.67 meters) or less in depth. Short-term maximum allowable slopes for excavations greater than 12 feet (3.67 meters) in depth shall be 3/4H : 1V (53°).
- ³ Sloping or benching for excavations greater than 20 feet deep shall be designed and stamped by a registered professional engineer.

Proper stockpiling (i.e., 2 feet minimum distance from the excavation edge), containment, transport, storage, and disposal practices will be utilized and is dependent upon the potential type and amount of waste generated during operations. The location of safety equipment and evacuation procedures will be established prior to initiation of operations according to this CHASP.

8.13.3 Heavy Equipment

Use of heavy equipment at the Site will require adherence to Roux's Corporate Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone Management Program found within **Appendix F**. Additionally, operation of the drill rig/other heavy equipment will maintain clearances from overhead power lines in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.1408 Table A Minimum Clearance Distances provided below.

Minimum Required Clearances for Energized Overhead Power Lines

Nominal System Voltage of Power Line (K V)	Minimum Required Clearance (feet)
0-50	10
51-100	12
101-200	15
201-300	20
301-500	25
501-750	35
751-1000	45

1 kilovolt (KV) = 1,000 volts

8.14 Traffic Control

If Site operations encroach upon public streets or highways and a hazard exists to Site personnel because of traffic conditions, a traffic control plan will be implemented in accordance with the United States Department of Transportation's (DOT's) "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices."

8.15 Sanitation

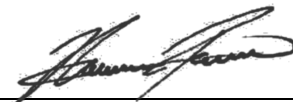
Sanitation facilities will be provided in accordance with the sanitation standards (29 CFR 1910.141, 29 CFR 1926.51 and 29 CFR 1928.110). Sanitation facilities will be maintained and kept in good conditions at all times.

10. Approvals

By their signature, the undersigned certify that this CHASP is approved and will be utilized at the 47-25 34th Street Site.

[TBD] – Site Health and Safety Officer

Date




Nevin Pahlad, CSP, CHMM – Office Health and Safety Manager

10/06/2025
Date



David Kaiser, P.E. – Project Manager

10/06/2025
Date



Mark Elmendorf – Project Principal

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TABLE

Toxicological Properties of Hazardous Substances Present at the Site

Table 1. Toxicological, Physical, and Chemical Properties of Compounds Potentially Present at the Site.

Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
ORGANOCHLORINE PESTICIDES (OCP)									
DDT	50-29-3	TWA 1 mg/m3	TWA 0.5 mg/m3	TWA 1 mg/m3	500 mg/m3	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; paresthesia tongue, lips, face; tremor; anxiety, dizziness, confusion, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); convulsions; paresis hands; vomiting; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, central nervous system, kidneys, liver, peripheral nervous system	White, odorless and tasteless, very stable, water-insoluble, synthetic BP: 260°F Fl.Pt. = 162-171°F LEL: NA UEL: NA
Aldrin	309-00-2	TWA 0.1 mg/m3	TWA 0.25 mg/m3	TWA 0.25 mg/m3	25 mg/m3	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	headache, dizziness; nausea, vomiting, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); myoclonic jerks of limbs; clonic, tonic convulsions; coma; hematuria (blood in the urine), azotemia; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Developmental, Endocrine, Liver, Immune System, Nervous System,	Colorless to dark-brown crystalline solid with a mild chemical odor. BP: 293°F Fl.Pt. = 150°F LEL: NA UEL: NA
Lindane (gamma-BHC)	58-89-9	TWA 0.5 mg/m3	TWA 0.5 mg/m3	TWA 0.5 mg/m3	50 mg/m3	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; headache; nausea; clonic convulsions; resp difficulty; cyanosis; aplastic anemia; muscle spasm; In Animals: liver, kidney damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, blood, liver, kidneys	White to yellow, crystalline powder with a slight, musty odor. BP: 614°F Fl.Pt. = 150°F LEL: NA UEL: NA
Dieldrin	860-57-1	TWA 0.1 mg/m3	TWA 0.25 mg/m3	TWA 0.25 mg/m3	25 mg/m3	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	headache, dizziness; nausea, vomiting, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); sweating; myoclonic limb jerks; clonic, tonic convulsions; coma; ; In Animals: liver, kidney damage [potential occupational carcinogen]	Developmental, Endocrine, Liver, Immune System, Nervous System,	Colorless to light-tan crystals with a mild, chemical odor. BP: NA (Decomposes) Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOCs)									
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	71-55-6	TWA 350 ppm STEL 450 ppm	C 350 ppm (1900 mg/m ³) [15-minute]	TWA 350 ppm (1900 mg/m ³)	700 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); central nervous system depression, poor equilibrium; dermatitis; cardiac arrhythmias; liver damage	Eyes, skin, central nervous system, cardiovascular system, liver	Colorless liquid with a mild, chloroform-like odor. BP: 165°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: 7.5% UEL: 12.5% Combustible Liquid, but burns with difficulty
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	79-34-5	TWA 1 ppm [skin]	Ca TWA 1 ppm (7 mg/m ³) [skin]	TWA 5 ppm (35 mg/m ³) [skin]	Ca [100 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; tremor fingers; jaundice, hepatitis, liver tenderness; dermatitis; leukocytosis (increased blood leukocytes); kidney damage; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Skin, liver, kidneys, central nervous system, gastrointestinal tract	Colorless to pale-yellow liquid with a pungent, chloroform-like odor BP: 296°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
1,1,2-Trichloro-1,2,2-trifluoroethane	76-13-1	TWA 1000 ppm STEL 1250 ppm	TWA 1000 ppm (7600 mg/m ³) ST 1250 ppm (9500 mg/m ³)	TWA 1000 ppm (7600 mg/m ³)	2000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation skin, throat, drowsiness, dermatitis; central nervous system depression; In Animals: cardiac arrhythmias, narcosis	Skin, heart, central nervous system, cardiovascular system	Colorless to water-white liquid with an odor like carbon tetrachloride at high concentrations. [Note: A gas above 118°F.] BP: 118°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	79-00-5	TWA 10 ppm [skin]	Ca TWA 10 ppm (45 mg/m ³) [skin]	TWA 10 ppm (45 mg/m ³) [skin]	Ca [100 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose; central nervous system depression; liver, kidney damage; dermatitis; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid with a sweet, chloroform-like odor BP: 237°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: 6% UEL: 15.5% Combustible Liquid, forms dense soot
1,1-Dichloroethane	75-34-3	TWA 100 ppm	TWA 100 ppm (400 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm (400 mg/m ³)	3,000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation skin; central nervous system depression; liver, kidney, lung damage	Skin, liver, kidneys, lungs, central nervous system	Colorless, oily liquid with a chloroform-like odor. BP: 135°F Fl.Pt. = 2°F LEL: 5.4% UEL: 11.4% Class IB Flammable Liquid Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.

Table 1. Toxicological, Physical, and Chemical Properties of Compounds Potentially Present at the Site.

Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
1,1-Dichloroethene	75-35-4	TWA 5 ppm	Ca	None	Ca	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, throat; dizziness, headache, nausea, dyspnea (breathing difficulty); liver, kidney disturbance; pneumonitis; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid or gas (above 89°F) with a mild, sweet, chloroform-like odor BP: 89°F Fl.Pt. = -2°F LEL: 6.5% UEL: 15.5% Class IA Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP below 100°F
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene	87-61-6	Cameo Chemicals Source https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/10051	NA	NA	NA	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Inhalation may cause irritation of respiratory tract. Irritating to the eyes. May redden skin on contact. Ingestion may cause liver damage.	Skin, eyes, respiratory tract, liver	A white solid with a sharp chlorobenzene odor. Insoluble in water and denser than water. Hence sinks in water Fl.Pt. = 234.9°F
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	120-82-1	C 5 ppm	C 5 ppm (40 mg/m3)	None	N.D.	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; In Animals: liver, kidney damage; possible teratogenic effects	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, reproductive system	Colorless liquid or crystalline solid (below 63°F) with an aromatic odor BP: 416°F Fl.Pt. = 222°F LEL (302°F): 2.5% UEL (302°F): 6.6% Class IIIB Combustible Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 200°F. Combustible Solid
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane	96-12-8	NA	Ca	TWA 0.001 ppm	Ca	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; drowsiness; nausea, vomiting; pulmonary edema; liver, kidney injury; sterility; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys, spleen, reproductive system, digestive system	Dense yellow or amber liquid with a pungent odor at high concentrations. [pesticide] [Note: A solid below 43°F.] BP: 384°F Fl.Pt. = (oc) 170°F LEL: NA UEL: NA Class IIIA Combustible Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 140°F and below 200°F.
1,2-Dibromoethane	106-93-4	None listed Skin	Ca TWA 0.045 ppm C 0.13 ppm [15-minute]	TWA 20 ppm C 30 ppm 50 ppm [5-minute maximum peak]	Ca [100 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system; dermatitis with vesiculation; liver, heart, spleen, kidney damage; reproductive effects; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys, reproductive system	Colorless liquid or solid (below 50°F) with a sweet odor. [fumigant] BP: 268°F Fl.Pt. = 50°F LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	95-50-1	TWA 25 ppm STEL 50 ppm	C 50 ppm (300 mg/m3)	C 50 ppm (300 mg/m3)	200 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose; liver, kidney damage; skin blisters	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys	Colorless to pale-yellow liquid with a pleasant, aromatic odor. [herbicide] BP: 357°F Fl.Pt. = 11°F LEL: 2.2% UEL: 9.2% Class IIIA Combustible Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 140°F and below 200°F.
1,2-Dichloroethane	107-06-2	TWA 10 ppm	Ca TWA 1 ppm (4 mg/m3) ST 2 ppm (8 mg/m3)	TWA 50 ppm C 100 ppm 200 ppm [5-minute maximum peak in any 3 hours]	Ca [50 ppm]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin absorption, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, corneal opacity, central nervous system depression; nausea, vomiting; dermatitis; liver, kidney, cardiovascular system damage; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, kidneys, liver, central nervous system, cardiovascular system	Colorless liquid with a pleasant, chloroform-like odor. [Note: Decomposes slowly, becomes acidic & darkens in color.] BP: 182°F Fl.Pt. = 56°F LEL: 6.2% UEL: 16% Class IB Flammable Liquid Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
1,2-Dichloropropane	78-87-5	TWA 10 ppm Dermal Sensitizer (DSEN)	Ca	TWA 75 ppm (350 mg/m3)	Ca [400 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system; drowsiness, dizziness; liver, kidney damage; In Animals: central nervous system depression; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a chloroform-like odor. [pesticide] BP: 206°F Fl.Pt. = 60°F LEL: 3.4% UEL: 14.5% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	541-73-1	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/8514				Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	INHALATION: Causes headache, drowsiness, unsteadiness. Irritating to mucous membranes. EYES: Severe irritation. SKIN: Severe irritation. INGESTION: Irritation of gastric mucosa, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal cramps and cyanosis.		Colorless liquid. Sinks in water. BP: 343°F Fl.Pt. = 146°F LEL: 2.02% UEL: 9.2%
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	106-46-7	TWA 10 ppm	Ca	TWA 75 ppm (450 mg/m3)	Ca [150 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Eye irritation, swelling periorbital (situated around the eye); profuse rhinitis; headache, anorexia, nausea, vomiting; weight loss, jaundice, cirrhosis; In Animals: liver, kidney injury; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Liver, respiratory system, eyes, kidneys, skin	Colorless or white crystalline solid with a mothball-like odor. [insecticide] BP: 345°F Fl.Pt. = 150°F LEL: 2.5% UEL: NA Combustible Solid, but may take some effort to ignite.

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Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
1,4-Dioxane	123-91-1	TWA 20 ppm [skin]	Ca C 1 ppm (3.6 mg/m ³) [30-minute]	TWA 100 ppm (360 mg/m ³) [skin]	Ca [500 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; drowsiness, headache; nausea, vomiting; liver damage; kidney failure; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid or solid (below 53°F) with a mild, ether-like odor. BP: 214°F Fl.Pt. = 55°F LEL: 2.0% UEL: 22% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F
2-Butanone	78-93-3	TWA 200 ppm STEL 300 ppm	TWA 200 ppm (590 mg/m ³) ST 300 ppm (885 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm (590 mg/m ³)	3000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose; headache; dizziness; vomiting; dermatitis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a moderately sharp, fragrant, mint- or acetone-like odor BP: 175°F Fl.Pt. = 16°F LEL (200°F): 1.4% UEL (200°F): 11.4% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F
2-Hexanone	591-78-6	TWA 5 ppm STEL 10 ppm [skin]	TWA 1 ppm (4 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm (410 mg/m ³)	1600 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose; peripheral neuropathy; lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), paresthesia; dermatitis; headache, drowsiness	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, peripheral nervous system	Colorless liquid with an acetone-like odor BP: 262°F Fl.Pt. = 77°F LEL: NA UEL: 8.0% Class IC Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 73°F and below 100°F
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	108-10-1	TWA 20 ppm STEL 75 ppm	TWA 50 ppm (205 mg/m ³) ST 75 ppm (300 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm (410 mg/m ³)	500 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; headache, narcosis, coma; dermatitis; In Animals: liver, kidney damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid with a pleasant odor BP: 242°F Fl.Pt. = 64°F LEL (200°F): 1.2% UEL (200°F): 8.0% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F
Acetone	67-64-1	TWA 250 ppm STEL 500 ppm	TWA 250 ppm (590 mg/m ³)	TWA 1000 ppm (2400 mg/m ³)	2500 ppm [10% LEL]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose, throat; headache, dizziness, central nervous system depression; dermatitis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a fragrant, mint-like odor BP: 133°F Fl.Pt. = 0°F LEL: 12.8% UEL: 2.5% Class IB Flammable liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Benzene	71-43-2	TWA 0.5 ppm STEL 2.5 ppm	Ca TWA 0.1 ppm ST 1 ppm	TWA 1 ppm ST 5 ppm	Ca [500 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, respiratory system; dizziness; headache, nausea, staggered gait; anorexia, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); dermatitis; bone marrow depression; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, blood, central nervous system, bone marrow	Colorless to light yellow liquid with an aromatic odor [Note: Solid below 42 °F] BP: 176°F Fl.Pt. = 12°F LEL: 1.2% UEL: 7.8% Class IB Flammable liquid. Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Bromochloromethane	74-97-5	TWA 200 ppm	TWA 200 ppm (1050 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm (1050 mg/m ³)	2000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, throat; confusion, dizziness, central nervous system depression; pulmonary edema	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys, central nervous system	Colorless to pale-yellow liquid with a chloroform-like odor. [Note: May be used as a fire extinguishing agent.] BP: 155°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
Bromodichloromethane	75-27-4	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16064				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include irritation of the skin, eyes, mucous membranes and respiratory tract. It may also cause narcosis. Other symptoms may include nausea, dizziness and headache.	Liver and kidney damage. Central nervous system effects may also occur.	Clear colorless liquid BP: 189°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Bromoform	75-25-2	TWA 0.5 ppm	TWA 0.5 ppm (5 mg/m ³) [skin]	TWA 0.5 ppm (5 mg/m ³) [skin]	850 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system; central nervous system depression; liver, kidney damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Colorless to yellow liquid with a chloroform-like odor. [Note: A solid below 47°F.] BP: 301°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
Bromomethane	74-83-9	TWA 1 ppm [skin]	Ca	C 20 ppm (80 mg/m ³) [skin]	Ca [250 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption (liquid), skin and/or eye contact (liquid)	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system; muscle weak, incoordination, visual disturbance, dizziness; nausea, vomiting, headache; malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); hand tremor; convulsions; dyspnea (breathing difficulty); skin vesiculation; liquid: frostbite; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless gas with a chloroform-like odor at high concentrations. [Note: A liquid below 38°F. Shipped as a liquefied compressed gas.] BP: 38°F Fl.Pt. = NA (Gas) LEL: 10% UEL: 16.0% Flammable Gas, but only in presence of a high energy ignition source.

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Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
Carbon disulfide	75-15-0	TWA 1 ppm [skin]	TWA 1 ppm (3 mg/m ³) ST 10 ppm (30 mg/m ³) [skin]	TWA 20 ppm C 30 ppm 100 ppm (30-minute maximum peak)	500 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Dizziness, headache, poor sleep, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), anxiety, anorexia, weight loss; psychosis; polyneuropathy; Parkinson-like syndrome; ocular changes; coronary heart disease; gastritis; kidney, liver injury; eye, skin burns; dermatitis; reproductive effects	Central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, eyes, kidneys, liver, skin, reproductive system	Colorless to faint-yellow liquid with a sweet ether-like odor. [Note: Reagent grades are foul smelling.] BP: 116°F Fl.Pt. = -22°F LEL: 1.3% UEL: 50.0% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Carbon tetrachloride	56-23-5	TWA 5 ppm STEL 10 ppm [skin]	Ca ST 2 ppm (12.6 mg/m ³) [60-minute]	TWA 10 ppm C 25 ppm 200 ppm (5-minute maximum peak in any 4 hours)	Ca [200 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; central nervous system depression; nausea, vomiting; liver, kidney injury; drowsiness, dizziness, incoordination; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Central nervous system, eyes, lungs, liver, kidneys, skin	Colorless liquid with a characteristic ether-like odor BP: 170°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
Chlorobenzene	108-90-7	TWA 10 ppm	NA	TWA 75 ppm (350 mg/m ³)	1000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose; drowsiness, incoordination; central nervous system depression; In Animals: liver, lung, kidney injury	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver	Colorless liquid with an almond-like odor BP: 270°F Fl.Pt. = 82°F LEL: 1.3% UEL: 9.6% Class IC Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 73°F and below 100°F.
Chloroethane	75-00-3	TWA 100 ppm [skin]	Handle with caution in the workplace	TWA 1000 ppm (2600 mg/m ³)	3800 ppm [10%LEL]	Inhalation, skin absorption (liquid), ingestion (liquid), skin and/or eye contact	Incoordination, inebriation; abdominal cramps; cardiac arrhythmias, cardiac arrest; liver, kidney damage	Liver, kidneys, respiratory system, cardiovascular system, central nervous system	Colorless gas or liquid (below 54°F) with a pungent, ether-like odor. [Note: Shipped as a liquefied compressed gas.] BP: 54°F Fl.Pt. = NA (gas), -58°F (liquid) LEL: 3.8% UEL: 15.4% Flammable Gas
Chloroform	67-66-3	TWA 10 ppm	Ca ST 2 ppm (9.78 mg/m ³) [60-minute]	C 50 ppm (240 mg/m ³)	Ca [500 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; dizziness, mental dullness, nausea, confusion; headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); anesthesia; enlarged liver; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Liver, kidneys, heart, eyes, skin, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a pleasant odor BP: 143°F Fl.Pt. = -82°F LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid
Chloromethane	74-87-3	TWA 50 ppm STEL 100 ppm	Ca	TWA 100 ppm C 200 ppm 300 ppm (5-minute maximum peak in any 3 hours)	Ca [2000 ppm]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact (liquid)	Dizziness, nausea, vomiting; visual disturbance, stagger, slurred speech, convulsions, coma; liver, kidney damage; liquid: frostbite; reproductive, teratogenic effects; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Central nervous system, liver, kidneys, reproductive system	Colorless gas with a faint, sweet odor which is not noticeable at dangerous concentrations. [Note: Shipped as a liquefied compressed gas.] BP: -12°F Fl.Pt. = NA (Gas) LEL: 8.1% UEL: 17.4% Flammable Gas
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	156-59-2	TWA 200 ppm (All isomers)	TWA 200 ppm (790 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm (790 mg/m ³)	1000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, respiratory system; central nervous system depression	Eyes, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid (usually a mixture of the cis & trans isomers) with a slightly acrid, chloroform-like odor. BP: 118-140°F Fl.Pt. = 36-39°F LEL: 5.6% UEL: 12.8% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	10061-01-5	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/20168				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include local irritation of the eyes skin and respiratory tract; dermatitis, gasping, coughing, substernal pain, extreme respiratory distress, lacrimation, central nervous system depression, skin irritation, acute gastrointestinal distress with pulmonary congestion and edema. It also may cause injury to the liver, kidneys and heart.	Skin, eyes, mucous membranes, liver, kidney, heart	Colorless to amber liquid with a sweetish odor. BP: 219.7°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Cyclohexane	110-82-7	TWA 100 ppm	TWA 300 ppm (1050 mg/m ³)	TWA 300 ppm (1050 mg/m ³)	1300 ppm [10%LEL]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system; drowsiness; dermatitis; narcosis, coma	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a sweet, chloroform-like odor. [Note: A solid below 44°F.] BP: 177°F Fl.Pt. = 0°F LEL: 1.3% UEL: 8.0% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Dibromochloromethane	124-48-1	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16183				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include irritation of the skin, eyes, mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. It may also cause fatigue. Other symptoms may include central nervous system effects, lung and cornea irritation and liver and kidney damage. Prolonged exposure can cause nausea, dizziness, headache and narcosis.	Skin, eyes, mucous membranes, upper respiratory tract	Clear colorless to yellow-orange liquid BP: 246-248°F Fl.Pt. = Greater than 200°F LEL: NA UEL: NA

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Dichlorodifluoromethane	75-71-8	TWA 1000 ppm	TWA 1000 ppm (4950 mg/m ³)	TWA 1000 ppm (4950 mg/m ³)	15,000 ppm	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact (liquid)	Dizziness, tremor, asphyxia, unconsciousness, cardiac arrhythmias, cardiac arrest; liquid: frostbite	Cardiovascular system, peripheral nervous system	Colorless gas with an ether-like odor at extremely high concentrations. [Note: Shipped as a liquefied compressed gas.] BP: -22°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Nonflammable Gas
Ethyl benzene	100-41-4	TWA 20 ppm	TWA 100 ppm (435 mg/m ³) ST 125 ppm (545 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm (435 mg/m ³)	800 ppm [10%LEL]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; headache; dermatitis; narcosis, coma	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with an aromatic odor. BP: 277°F Fl.Pt. = 55°F LEL: 0.8% UEL: 6.7% Class IB Flammable Liquid below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F
Isopropyl benzene	98-82-8	TWA 5 ppm	TWA 50 ppm (245 mg/m ³) [skin]	TWA 50 ppm (245 mg/m ³) [skin]	900 ppm [10%LEL]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; dermatitis; headache, narcosis, coma	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a sharp, penetrating, aromatic odor BP: 306°F Fl.Pt. = 96°F LEL: 0.9% UEL: 6.5% Class IC Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 73°F and below 100°F
Methyl Acetate	79-20-9	TWA 200 ppm STEL 250 ppm	TWA 200 ppm (610 mg/m ³) ST 250 ppm (760 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm (610 mg/m ³)	3100 ppm [10%LEL]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; headache, drowsiness; optic nerve atrophy; chest tightness; In Animals: narcosis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a fragrant, fruity odor BP: 135°F Fl.Pt. = 14°F LEL: 3.1% UEL: 16% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Methylcyclohexane	108-87-2	TWA 400 ppm	TWA 400 ppm (1600 mg/m ³)	TWA 500 ppm (2000 mg/m ³)	1200 ppm [LEL]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; dizziness, drowsiness; In Animals: narcosis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a faint, benzene-like odor BP: 214°F Fl.Pt. = 25°F LEL: 1.2% UEL: 6.7% Class IB Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Methylene chloride	75-09-2	TWA 50 ppm [skin] STEL 100 ppm	Ca	[1910.1052] TWA 25 ppm ST 125 ppm	Ca [2300 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), drowsiness, dizziness; numb, tingle limbs; nausea; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, cardiovascular system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a chloroform-like odor. [Note: A gas above 104°F.] BP: 104°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: 13% UEL: 23% Combustible Liquid
Methyl-t-butyl ether	1634-04-4	TWA 50 ppm	NA	NA	NA	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	May cause dizziness or suffocation. Contact may irritate or burn eyes or skin. May be harmful if swallowed.	Eyes, skin	A colorless liquid with a distinctive anesthetic-like odor. BP: 131°F Fl.Pt. = -14°F LEL: NA UEL: NA
o-Xylene	95-47-6	TWA 20 ppm (All isomers)	TWA 100 ppm (435 mg/m ³) ST 150 ppm (655 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm (435 mg/m ³)	900 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat, dizziness, excitement, drowsiness, incoordination, staggering gait, corneal vacuolization; anorexia, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; dermatitis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, gastrointestinal tract, blood, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid with an aromatic odor BP: 292°F Fl.Pt. = 90°F LEL: 0.9% UEL: 6.7% Class IC Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 73°F and below 100°F
Styrene	100-42-5	TWA 10 ppm STEL 20 ppm OTO (ototoxicant)	TWA 50 ppm (215 mg/m ³) ST 100 ppm (425 mg/m ³)	TWA 100 ppm C 200 ppm 600 ppm (5-minute maximum peak in any 3 hours)	700 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose, respiratory system; headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), dizziness, confusion, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort), drowsiness, unsteady gait; narcosis; defatting dermatitis; possible liver injury; reproductive effects	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, reproductive system	Colorless to yellow, oily liquid with a sweet, floral odor BP: 293°F Fl.Pt. = 88°F LEL: 0.9% UEL: 6.8% Class IC Flammable Liquid: Fl.P. at or above 73°F and below 100°F
Tetrachloroethene	127-18-4	TWA 25 ppm STEL 100 ppm	Ca Minimize workplace exposure concentrations	TWA 100 ppm C 200 ppm (for 5 minutes in any 3-hour period), with a maximum peak of 300 ppm	Ca [150 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat, respiratory system; nausea; flush face, neck; dizziness, incoordination; headache, drowsiness; skin erythema (skin redness); liver damage; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys, central nervous system	Colorless liquid with a mild, chloroform-like odor BP: 250°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid, but decomposes in a fire to hydrogen chloride and phosgene

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Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Ceiling 2 mg/m ³	C 2 mg/m ³	TWA 2 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; pneumonitis; eye, skin burns; temporary loss of hair	Eyes, skin, respiratory system	Colorless to white, odorless solid (flakes, beads, granular form). BP: 2534°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Solid, but when in contact with water may generate sufficient heat to ignite combustible materials.
Sulfuric Acid	7664-93-9	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³ (as thoracic particulate mass)	TWA 1 mg/m ³	TWA 1 mg/m ³	15 mg/m ³	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; pulmonary edema, bronchitis; emphysema; conjunctivitis; stomatitis; dental erosion; eye, skin burns; dermatitis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, teeth	Colorless to dark-brown, oily, odorless liquid. [Note: Pure compound is a solid below 51°F. Often used in an aqueous solution.] BP = 554°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL = NA UEL = NA Noncombustible Liquid, but capable of igniting finely divided combustible materials.
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	156-60-5	200 ppm (All isomers)	TWA 200 ppm (790 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm (790 mg/m ³)	1000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, respiratory system; central nervous system depression	Eyes, respiratory system, central nervous system	Colorless liquid (usually a mixture of the cis & trans isomers) with a slightly acrid, chloroform-like odor. BP: 118-140°F Fl.P: 36-39°F LEL: 5.6% UEL: 12.8% Class IB Flammable Liquid Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	10061-02-6	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/18110				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include local irritation of the eyes skin and respiratory tract, dermatitis, gasping, coughing, substernal pain, extreme respiratory distress, lacrimation, central nervous system depression, acute gastrointestinal distress with pulmonary congestion and edema. It may also cause injury to the liver, kidneys and heart	Skin, eyes, mucous membranes, liver, kidney, heart	A clear colorless liquid with chloroform odor BP: 234°F Fl.P: NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Toluene	108-88-3	TWA 20 ppm (ototoxicant)	TWA 100 ppm (375 mg/m ³) ST 150 ppm (560 mg/m ³)	TWA 200 ppm C 300 ppm 500 ppm (10-minute maximum peak)	500 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose; lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), confusion, euphoria, dizziness, headache; dilated pupils, lacrimation (discharge of tears); anxiety, muscle fatigue, insomnia; paresthesia; dermatitis; liver, kidney damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid with a sweet, pungent, benzene-like odor. BP: 232°F Fl.P: 40°F LEL: 1.1% UEL: 7.1% Class IB Flammable Liquid Fl.P. below 73°F and BP at or above 100°F.
Trichloroethene (TCE)	79-01-6	TWA 10 ppm STEL 25 ppm	Ca	TWA 100 ppm C 200 ppm 300 ppm (5-minute maximum peak in any 2 hours)	Ca [1000 ppm]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; headache, visual disturbance, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), dizziness, tremor, drowsiness, nausea, vomiting; dermatitis; cardiac arrhythmias, paresthesia; liver injury; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, heart, liver, kidneys, central nervous system	Colorless liquid (unless dyed blue) with a chloroform-like odor. BP: 189°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL(77°F): 8.0% UEL(77°F): 10.5% Combustible Liquid, but burns with difficulty.
Trichlorofluoromethane	75-69-4	STEL C 1000 ppm	C 1000 ppm (5600 mg/m ³)	TWA 1000 ppm (5600 mg/m ³)	2000 ppm	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Incoordination, tremor; dermatitis; cardiac arrhythmias, cardiac arrest; asphyxia; liquid: frostbite	Skin, respiratory system, cardiovascular system	Colorless to water-white, nearly odorless liquid or gas (above 75°F) BP: 75°F Fl.P: NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Liquid Nonflammable Gas
Vinyl Chloride (chloroethylene)	75-01-4	TWA 1 ppm	Ca	TWA 1 ppm C 5 ppm [15-minute]	Ca (ND)	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact (liquid)	Lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); abdominal pain, gastrointestinal bleeding; enlarged liver; pallor or cyanosis of extremities; liquid: frostbite; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Liver, central nervous system, blood, respiratory system, lymphatic system	Colorless gas or liquid (below 7°F) with a pleasant odor at high concentrations. [Note: Shipped as a liquefied compressed gas.] BP: 7°F Fl.Pt. = NA (Gas) LEL: 3.6% UEL: 33.0% Flammable Gas
Xylene (m, o & p isomers)	108-38-3, 95-47-6, 106-42-3	TWA 20 ppm	NA	NA	NA	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; dizziness, excitement, drowsiness, incoordination, staggering gait; corneal vacuolization; anorexia, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; dermatitis	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, gastrointestinal tract, blood, liver, kidneys	Colorless liquid with an aromatic odor BP: 282°F, 292°F, 281°F Fl. Pt. 82°F, 90°F, 81°F LEL: 1.1%, 0.9%, 1.1% UEL: 7.0%, 6.7%, 7.0% Class IC Flammable Liquid at or above 73°F and below 100°F.
Zinc Oxide (dust)	7440-66-6	TWA 2 mg/m ³ (respirable) STEL 10 mg/m ³ (respirable)	TWA 5 mg/m ³ C 15 mg/m ³	TWA 15 mg/m ³ (total dust) TWA 5 mg/m ³ (resp dust) TWA 5 mg/m ³ (fume)	500 mg/m ³	Inhalation	Metal fume fever: chills, muscle ache, nausea, fever, dry throat, cough; lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); metallic taste; headache; blurred vision; low back pain; vomiting; malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); chest tightness; dyspnea (breathing difficulty), rales, decreased pulmonary function	Respiratory system	White, odorless solid. BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Solid

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SEMI-VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (SVOCs)									
2-Chloronaphthalene	91-58-7	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16185				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Chloracne, cysts, headache, fatigue, vertigo, anorexia and jaundice		Monoclinic plates or off-white crystalline powder BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
2-Methylnaphthalene	91-57-6	TWA 0.5 ppm TLV-SL 3 mg/100 cm2 [skin]	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/20668			Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Headaches, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, anemia, jaundice, euphoria, dermatitis, visual disturbances, convulsions and comatose	Skin, eyes, mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract	White crystalline solid Combustible solid BP: 466-468 ° F Fl.Pt. = 208 ° F LEL: NA UEL: NA
Acenaphthene	83-32-9	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/10358				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation of the skin, eyes, mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, vomiting	Skin, eyes, mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract	White needles BP: 534 ° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: 0.6% UEL: NA
Acenaphthylene	208-96-8	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16157				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact			Colorless crystalline solid BP: 509 to 527 ° F at 760 mm Hg Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Anthracene (as coal tar pitch volatiles)	120-12-7	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (as Benzene solubles)	Ca TWA 0.1 mg/m3 (cyclohexane-extractable fraction)	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (benzene-soluble fraction) [1910.1002]	Ca [80 mg/m3]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Dermatitis, bronchitis, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Respiratory system, skin, bladder, kidneys	Black or dark-brown amorphous residue BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solids
Benzo[a]anthracene	56-55-3	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16171				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact			Colorless leaflets or plates or coarse gold powder with a greenish-yellow fluorescence. May reasonably be expected to be a carcinogen. BP: 815° F at 760 mm Hg Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Benzo[a]pyrene (as coal tar pitch volatiles)	50-32-8	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (as Benzene solubles)	Ca TWA 0.1 mg/m3 (cyclohexane-extractable fraction)	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (benzene-soluble fraction) [1910.1002]	Ca [80 mg/m3]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Dermatitis, bronchitis, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Respiratory system, skin, bladder, kidneys	Black or dark-brown amorphous residue BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solids
Benzo[b]fluoranthene	205-99-2	None listed	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16172			Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact			Needles or yellow fluffy powder BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Benzo[g,h,i]perylene	191-24-2	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16174				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Inhalation of material may be harmful. Contact may cause burns to skin and eyes. Inhalation of Asbestos dust may have a damaging effect on the lungs. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Some liquids produce vapors that may cause dizziness or suffocation. Runoff from fire control may cause pollution.	Lungs, skin, eyes	Colorless to white crystalline solid. Water insoluble. BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Benzo[k]fluoranthene	207-08-9	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16173				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	When heated to decomposition this compound emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes.		Pale yellow needles or yellow crystalline solid BP: 896° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Chrysene (as coal tar pitch volatiles)	218-01-9	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (as Benzene solubles)	Ca TWA 0.1 mg/m3 (cyclohexane-extractable fraction)	TWA 0.2 mg/m3 (benzene-soluble fraction) [1910.1002]	Ca [80 mg/m3]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Dermatitis, bronchitis, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Respiratory system, skin, bladder, kidneys	Black or dark-brown amorphous residue BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solids
Dibenzo[a,h]anthracene	53-70-3	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16192				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include irritation. This compound is harmful if swallowed or inhaled. It may cause irritation. When heated to decomposition it emits acrid smoke, irritating fumes and toxic fumes of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.	Lungs	White crystals or pale yellow solid. Sublimes BP: 975° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA

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Fluoranthene	206-44-0	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16213				Inhalation, injection, skin and/or eye contact	When heated to decomposition this compound emits acrid smoke and fumes.		Light yellow fine crystals BP: 482° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Fluorene	86-73-7	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16214				Inhalation, injection, skin and/or eye contact			White leaflets. Sublimes easily under a vacuum. Fluorescent when impure. BP: 563° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene	193-39-5	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16218				Inhalation, injection, skin and/or eye contact			Yellow crystals BP: 997° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Naphthalene	91-20-3	TWA 10 ppm [skin]	TWA 10 ppm (50 mg/m ³) ST 15 ppm (75 mg/m ³)	TWA 10 ppm (50 mg/m ³)	250 ppm	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes; headache, confusion, excitement, malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain; irritation bladder; profuse sweating; jaundice; hematuria (blood in the urine), renal shutdown; dermatitis, optical neuritis, corneal damage	Eyes, skin, blood, liver, kidneys, central nervous system	Colorless to brown solid with an odor of mothballs. [Note: Shipped as a molten solid.] BP: 424° F Fl.P: 174° F LEL: 0.9% UEL: 5.9% Combustible Solid, but will take some effort to ignite
Phenanthrene	85-01-8	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16236				Inhalation, injection, skin and/or eye contact	Symptoms following exposure to this compound may include skin sensitization, dermatitis, bronchitis, cough, dyspnea, respiratory neoplasm, kidney neoplasm, skin irritation, and respiratory irritation.	Skin, respiratory tract	Colorless monoclinic crystals with a faint aromatic odor. Solutions exhibit a blue fluorescence. BP: 642° F Fl.Pt. = 340° F LEL: NA UEL: NA
Pyrene (see coal tar pitch volatiles)	129-00-0	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³ (as Benzene solubles)	Ca TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ (cyclohexane-extractable fraction)	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³ (benzene-soluble fraction) [1910.1002]	Ca [80 mg/m ³]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Dermatitis, bronchitis, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Respiratory system, skin, bladder, kidneys	Black or dark-brown amorphous residue BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solids
METALS									
Aluminum	7429-90-5	TWA 1 mg/m ³	TWA 10 mg/m ³ (total) TWA 5 mg/m ³ (resp)	TWA 15 mg/m ³ (total) TWA 5 mg/m ³ (resp)	N.D.	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, respiratory system	Eyes, skin, respiratory system	Silvery-white, malleable, ductile, odorless metal BP: 4221° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solid, finely divided dust is easily ignited; may cause explosions
Antimony	7440-36-0	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ (as Sb)	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ [*Note: The REL also applies to other antimony compounds (as Sb).]	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ [*Note: The PEL also applies to other antimony compounds (as Sb).]	50 mg/m ³ (as Sb)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat, mouth; cough; dizziness; headache; nausea, vomiting, diarrhea; stomach cramps; insomnia; anorexia; unable to smell properly	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, cardiovascular system	Silver-white, lustrous, hard, brittle solid; scale-like crystals; or a dark-gray, lustrous powder BP: 2975° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Solid in bulk form, but a moderate explosion hazard in the form of dust when exposed to flame.
Arsenic	7440-38-2	TWA 0.01 mg/m ³	Ca C 0.002 mg/m ³ [15-minute]	[1910.1018] TWA 0.010 mg/m ³	Ca [5 mg/m ³ (as As)]	Inhalation, skin absorption, skin and/or eye contact, ingestion	Ulceration of nasal septum, dermatitis, gastrointestinal disturbances, peripheral neuropathy, resp irritation, hyperpigmentation of skin, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Liver, kidneys, skin, lungs, lymphatic system	Metal: Silver-gray or tin-white, brittle, odorless solid BP: Sublimes Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Metal: Noncombustible Solid in bulk form, but a slight explosion hazard in the form of dust when exposed to flame
Barium	7440-39-3	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³	0.5 mg Ba/m ³ TWA	0.5 mg Ba/m ³ TWA	50 mg Ba/m ³	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Inhalation or contact with vapors, substance or decomposition products may cause severe injury or death. Contact may cause burns to skin, eyes, and mucous membranes. May be toxic by ingestion, inhalation and skin absorption. Used to make other chemicals.	Lungs, skin, eyes, and mucous membrane	A silver to white metallic solid BP: 1337° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Beryllium	7440-41-7	TWA 0.00005 mg/m ³	Ca C 0.0005 mg/m ³	TWA 0.002 mg/m ³ C 0.005 mg/m ³ 0.025 mg/m ³ [30-minute maximum peak]	Ca [4 mg/m ³ (as Be)]	Inhalation, skin and/or eye contact	Berylliosis (chronic exposure): anorexia, weight loss, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), chest pain, cough, clubbing of fingers, cyanosis, pulmonary insufficiency; irritation eyes; dermatitis; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system	Hard, brittle, gray-white solid BP: 4532° F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Noncombustible Solid in bulk form, but a slight explosion hazard in the form of a powder or dust.

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Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
Cadmium	7440-43-9	TWA 0.01 mg/m ³ total dust TWA 0.002 mg/m ³ (as Cd) respirable fraction	Ca	TWA 0.005 mg/m ³	Ca [9 mg/m ³ (as Cd)]	Inhalation, ingestion	Pulmonary edema, dyspnea (breathing difficulty), cough, chest tightness, substernal (occurring beneath the sternum) pain; headache; chills, muscle aches; nausea, vomiting, diarrhea; anosmia (loss of the sense of smell), emphysema, proteinuria, mild anemia; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Respiratory system, kidneys, prostate, blood	Silver-white/blue tinged lustrous, odorless solid. BP: 1409°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible - will burn in powder form
Calcium	7440-70-2	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/309				Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Contact with eyes or skin produces caustic burns.	Eyes, skin	A silvery, soft metal that turns grayish white on exposure to air. BP: 2714°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA
Chromium	7440-47-3	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ (metal) TWA 0.003 mg/m ³ (water-soluble Cr III compounds) TWA 0.0002 mg/m ³ (water-soluble Cr VI compounds) STEL 0.0005 mg/m ³ (water-soluble Cr VI compounds)	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³	TWA 1 mg/m ³	250 mg/m ³ (as Cr)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; lung fibrosis (histologic)	Eyes, skin, respiratory system	Blue-white to steel-gray, lustrous, brittle, hard, odorless solid. BP: 4788°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible - will burn in dust form if heated in a flame
Cobalt	7440-48-4	TWA 0.02 mg/m ³ [DSEN] [RSEN]	TWA 0.05 mg/m ³	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³	20 mg/m ³ (as Co)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Cough, dyspnea (breathing difficulty), wheezing, decreased pulmonary function; weight loss; dermatitis; diffuse nodular fibrosis; resp hypersensitivity, asthma	Skin, respiratory system	Odorless, silver-gray to black solid BP: 5612°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible Solid in bulk form, but finely divided dust will burn at high temperatures.
Copper	7440-50-8	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³ (fume) TWA 1 mg/m ³ (dusts and mists)	TWA 1 mg/m ³	TWA 1 mg/m ³	100 mg/m ³ (as Cu)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, nose, pharynx; nasal septum perforation; metallic taste; dermatitis; In Animals: lung, liver, kidney damage; anemia	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys (increased risk with Wilson's disease)	Reddish, lustrous, malleable, odorless solid. BP: 4703°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible - powdered form may ignite
Iron (as iron oxide)	7439-89-6	TWA 5 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate mass)	TWA 1 mg/m ³	NA	NA	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; abdominal pain, diarrhea, vomiting; possible liver damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, gastrointestinal tract	Appearance and odor vary depending upon the specific soluble iron salt. BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible Solids
Lead	7439-92-1	TWA 0.05 mg/m ³	TWA (8-hour) 0.050 mg/m ³	[1910.1025] TWA 0.050 mg/m ³	100 mg/m ³ (as Pb)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), insomnia; facial pallor; anorexia, weight loss, malnutrition; constipation, abdominal pain, colic; anemia; gingival lead line; tremor; paralysis wrist, ankles; encephalopathy; kidney disease; irritation eyes; hypertension	Eyes, gastrointestinal tract, central nervous system, kidneys, blood, gingival tissue	A heavy, ductile, soft, gray solid BP: 3164°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Noncombustible Solid in bulk form
Magnesium	7439-95-4	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/6949				Eye and/or skin contact	Dust irritates eyes in same way as any foreign material. Penetration of skin by fragments of metal is likely to produce local irritation, blisters, and ulcers which may become infected.	Eyes	A light silvery metal BP: 1202°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA
Manganese	7439-96-5	TWA 0.02 mg/m ³ [R] TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [I]	TWA 1 mg/m ³ ST 3 mg/m ³	C 5 mg/m ³	500 mg/m ³ (as Mn)	Inhalation, ingestion	Manganism; asthenia, insomnia, mental confusion; metal fume fever; dry throat, cough, chest tightness, dyspnea (breathing difficulty), rales, flu-like fever; low-back pain; vomiting; malaise (vague feeling of discomfort); lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); kidney damage	respiratory system, central nervous system, blood, kidneys	A lustrous, brittle, silvery solid BP: 3564°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Metal: Combustible Solid
Mercury	7439-97-6	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ , as Hg Aryl compounds TWA 0.025 mg/m ³ as Hg, inorganic forms including metallic mercury	Hg Vapor: TWA 0.05 mg/m ³ [skin] Other: C 0.1 mg/m ³ [skin]	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³ (as Hg)	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin; cough, chest pain, dyspnea (breathing difficulty), bronchitis, pneumonitis; tremor, insomnia, irritability, indecision, headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion); stomatitis, salivation; gastrointestinal disturbance, anorexia, weight loss; proteinuria	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, kidneys	Metal: Silver-white, heavy, odorless liquid. [Note: "Other" Hg compounds include all inorganic & aryl Hg compounds except (organo) alkyls.] BP: 674°F Fl.Pt. = NA L.L. = NA U.L. = NA Metal: Noncombustible Liquid

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Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
Nickel	7440-02-0	TWA 1.5 mg/m ³ [elemental] TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [soluble inorganic compound] TWA 0.2 mg/m ³ [insoluble inorganic compound] TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [Nickel subsulfide]	Ca TWA 0.015 mg/m ³	TWA 1 mg/m ³	Ca [10 mg/m ³ (as Ni)]	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Sensitization dermatitis, allergic asthma, pneumonitis; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Nasal cavities, lungs, skin	Lustrous, silvery, odorless solid. BP: 5139°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solid; nickel sponge catalyst may ignite spontaneously in air.
Potassium	9777440	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/4289				Eye and/or skin contact	Will burn skin and eyes	Skin, eyes	Potassium is a soft silvery metal though normally grayish white due to oxidation BP: 1425°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Selenium	7782-49-2	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³	TWA 0.2 mg/m ³	1 mg/m ³ (as Se)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, nose, throat; visual disturbance; headache; chills, fever; dyspnea (breathing difficulty), bronchitis; metallic taste, garlic breath, gastrointestinal disturbance; dermatitis; eye, skin burns; In Animals: anemia; liver necrosis, cirrhosis; kidney, spleen damage	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, liver, kidneys, blood, spleen	Amorphous or crystalline, red to gray solid. [Note: Occurs as an impurity in most sulfide ores.] BP: 1265°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Combustible Solid
Silver	7440-22-4	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [Metal, dust, and fume] TWA 0.01 mg/m ³ [Soluble compounds, as Ag]	TWA 0.01 mg/m ³	TWA 0.01 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³ (as Ag)	Inhalation, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Blue-gray eyes, nasal septum, throat, skin; irritation, ulceration skin; gastrointestinal disturbance	Nasal septum, skin, eyes	Metal: White, lustrous solid BP: 3632°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Metal: Noncombustible Solid, but flammable in form of dust or powder
Sodium	7440-23-5	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/7794				Skin contact	Severe burns caused by burning metal or by caustic soda formed by reaction with moisture on skin	Skin	A silvery soft metal that becomes grayish white upon exposure to air BP: 1621°F Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Thallium	7440-28-0	0.02 mg/m ³ inhallable particulate matter	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [skin]	TWA 0.1 mg/m ³ [skin]	15 mg/m ³ (as Tl)	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Nausea, diarrhea, abdominal pain, vomiting; ptosis, strabismus; peri neuritis, tremor; retrosternal (occurring behind the sternum) tightness, chest pain, pulmonary edema; convulsions, chorea, psychosis; liver, kidney damage; alopecia; paresthesia legs	Eyes, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys, gastrointestinal tract, body hair	Appearance and odor vary depending upon the specific soluble thallium compound BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Vanadium	7440-62-2	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/16147				Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Highly toxic, may be fatal if inhaled, swallowed or absorbed through skin. Avoid any skin contact. Effects of contact or inhalation may be delayed. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may be corrosive and/or toxic and cause pollution	Skin	Silvery-whitish powder BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
Zinc	7440-66-6	https://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/chemical/4814				Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Inhalation or contact with vapors, substance or decomposition products may cause severe injury or death. May produce corrosive solutions on contact with water. Fire will produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Runoff from fire control may cause pollution	Lungs	A grayish powder BP: NA Fl.Pt. = NA LEL: NA UEL: NA
PCBs									
PCBs (total)	11097-69-1, 53469-21-9	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ [skin] TWA 1 mg/m ³ [skin]	Ca TWA 0.001 mg/m ³ Ca TWA 0.001 mg/m ³	TWA 0.5 mg/m ³ [skin] TWA 1 mg/m ³ [skin]	Ca [5 mg/m ³] Ca [5 mg/m ³]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, chloracne; liver damage; reproductive effects; [potential occupational carcinogen]	Skin, eyes, liver, reproductive system	Colorless to pale-yellow, viscous liquid or solid (below 50°F) with a mild, hydrocarbon odor BP: 689-734°F, 617-691°F Fl.Pt. = NA, NA LEL: NA UEL: NA Nonflammable Liquid, but exposure in a fire results in the formation of a black soot containing PCBs, polychlorinated dibenzofurans, and chlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins.

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Compound	CAS #	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL	OSHA PEL	IDLH	Routes of Exposure	Toxic Properties	Target Organs	Physical/Chemical Properties
Petroleum Hydrocarbons									
Gasoline	86290-81-5	TWA 300 ppm STEL 500 ppm	Ca	None	Ca [N.D.]	Inhalation, skin absorption, ingestion, skin and/or eye contact	Irritation eyes, skin, mucous membrane; dermatitis; headache, lassitude (weakness, exhaustion), blurred vision, dizziness, slurred speech, confusion, convulsions; chemical pneumonitis (aspiration liquid); possible liver, kidney damage, [potential occupational carcinogen]	Eyes, skin, respiratory system, central nervous system, liver, kidneys	Clear liquid with a characteristic odor BP: 102°F Fl.Pt. = -45°F LEL: 1.4% UEL: 7.6%

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Abbreviations:

ACGIH – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists.
 BP – boiling point at 1 atmosphere, °F
 C – Ceiling, is a concentration that should not be exceeded during and part of the working exposure.
 Ca – Carcinogenic.
 CAS# - Chemical Abstracts Service registry number which is unique for each chemical.
 DSEN - Dermal Sensitization
 Fl Pt. – Flash point
 IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health concentrations represent the maximum concentration from which, in the event of respirator failure, one could escape within 30 minutes without a respirator and without experiencing any escape-impairing or irreversible health effects.
 LEL – Lower explosive (flammable) limit in air, % by volume (at room temperature)
 mg/m³ – Milligrams of substance per cubic meter of air
 NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.
 OSHA – Occupational Safety and Health Administration
 OTO - Ototoxicant
 PEL - OSHA Permissible Exposure Limit (usually) a time weighted average concentration that must not be exceeded during any 8 hour work shift of a 40 hr work week.
 ppm – parts per million
 REL – NIOSH Recommended Limit indicated a time weighted average concentration that must not be exceeded during any 10 hour work shift of a 40 hr work week
 RSEN - Respiratory Sensitization
 SG - Specific Gravity
 STEL – ACGIH Short-term exposure limit (ST)
 TLV - ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (usually 8 hour time weighted average concentrations).
 TWA – 8-hour, time-weighted average
 UEL – Upper explosive (flammable) limit in air, % by volume (at room temperature)
 VP - Vapor Pressure

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FIGURES

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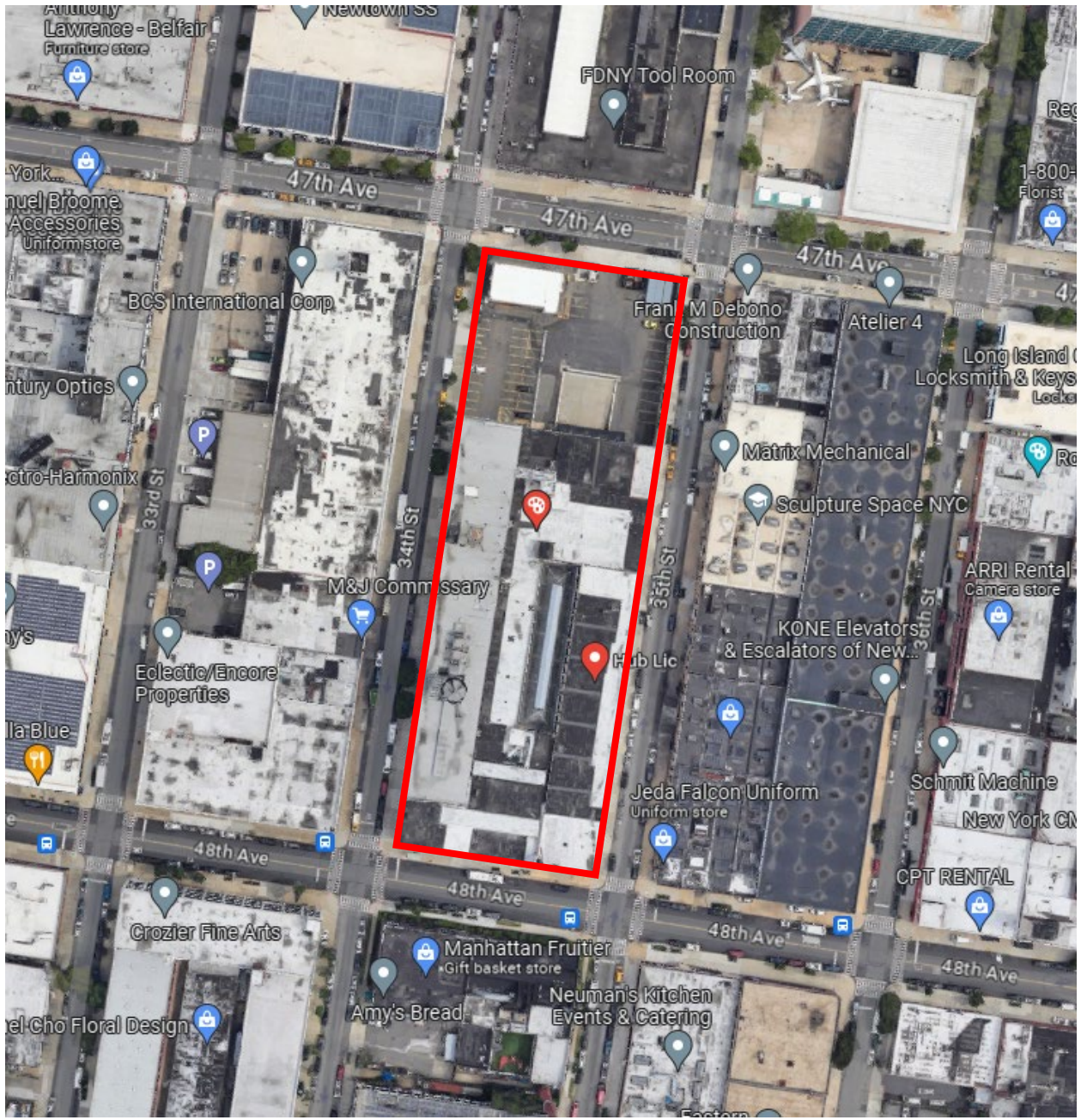


Figure 1: Site Location Map

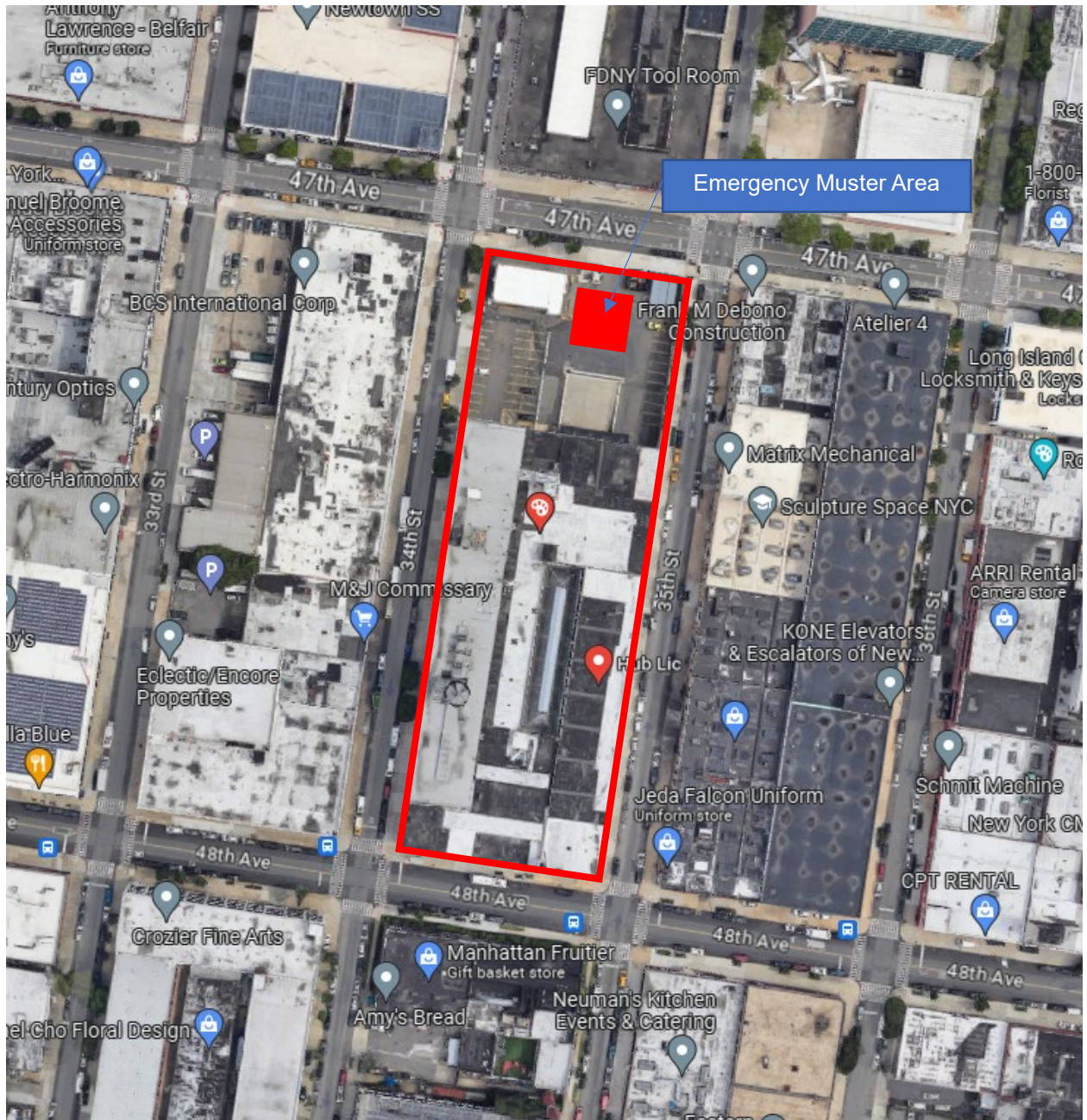


Figure 2: Site Plan with Emergency Muster Area

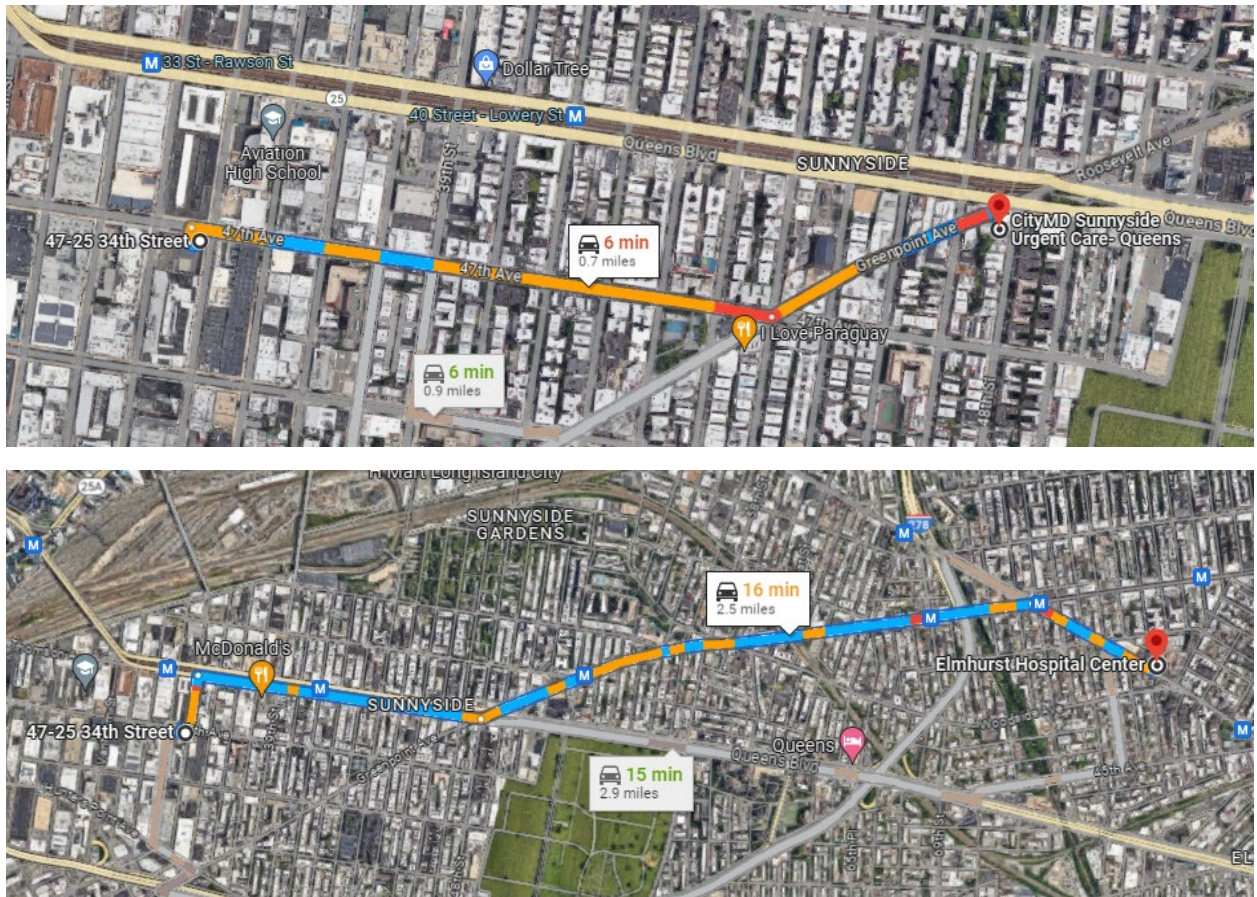


Figure 3: Routes to Urgent Care and Hospital

- A. Job Safety Analysis (JSA) Forms
- B. Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) for Chemicals Used
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- G. Incident Investigation and Reporting Management Program
- H. Fatigue Management Program
- I. Silica Exposure Control Program
- J. Ergonomics Management Program

Job Safety Analysis (JSA) Forms

JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS		Ctrl. No. GEN-006	DATE 05/22/2025	<input type="checkbox"/> NEW <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REVISED	PAGE 1 of 2
JSA TYPE CATEGORY: Generic		WORK TYPE: Drilling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description): Direct Push Soil Borings / Well Installation		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION: (as needed) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Composite-toe or steel-toe boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing, long-sleeved shirt</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Nitrile and cut-resistant</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <u>Insect Repellent, sunscreen (as needed)</u>		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Geoprobe or Truck-Mounted Direct Push Drill Rig, Hand Tools, Photoionization Detector, Multi-Gas Meter (or equivalent), Macrocore liners, Liner Opening Tool, 20 lb. Type ABC Fire Extinguisher, 42" Cones & traffic control paddles, "Work Area" Signs, Water.					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, the tip zone of the equipment, the fall zone of the equipment, and the contents.					
"SHOW ME YOUR HANDS"					
The driller and helper should show that their hands are clear of controls and moving parts.					
Assess JOB STEPS	Analyze POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Mobilization of drilling rig (ensure the Subsurface Clearance Protocol and Drill Rig Checklist are completed) Secure Work Zone	1a. CONTACT: Equipment/property damage. 1b. FALL: Slip/trip/fall hazards. 1c. CONTACT: Crushing from a rollover.	1a. The drill rig's tower/derrick will be lowered and secured before mobilization. 1a. A spotter should be utilized while moving the drill rig. If personnel move into the path of the drill rig, the drill rig will be stopped until the path is again clear. Use a spotter for all required backing operations. 1a. Set up the work area and position equipment to eliminate or reduce the need for backing support trucks and trailers. 1a. When backing up the truck rig with an attached trailer, use a second spotter if there is tight clearance simultaneously on multiple sides of the equipment or if turning angles limit driver visibility. 1a. Inspect the driving path for uneven terrain. Level or avoid if needed. 1a. Ensure the work area is secure and inform others of work activity. Establish a HEEZ using traffic cones, barrels & snow fencing or telescoping poles. Use flag persons to maintain clear traffic and minimize motorist confusion during set-up. HEEZ is to include the tip/swing radius of the equipment. 1b. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions before mobilizing equipment. 1b. Do not climb over stored materials/equipment; walk around. Practice good housekeeping. 1b. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground. 1c Geoprobe should cross all hills/obstructions head-on with the mast down to reduce the risk of rollover.			
2. Raising the tower/derrick of the drill rig	2a. CONTACT: Overhead hazards. 2b. CONTACT: Pinch Points/Amputation Points when raising the rig, and the instability of the rig	2a. Before raising the tower/derrick, the area above the drilling rig will be inspected for wires, tree limbs, piping, or other structures that could come in contact with the rig's tower and/or drilling rods or tools. 2a. Maintain a minimum safe distance of 10' from overhead lines, material, or structures. 2b. Inspect the equipment before use and avoid pinch/amputation points. 2b. Lower outriggers to ensure stability before raising the rig tower/derrick. 2b. If the rig needs to be mounted, use three points of contact.			
3. Advancement of drilling equipment and sound installation	3a. CONTACT: Flying debris 3b. EXPOSURE: Noise and dust.	3a. Be aware of and avoid potential line-of-fire hazards and wear required PPE such as eye, ear, and hand protection. 3b. Wet borehole area with sprayer to minimize dust. 3b. Stand upwind and keep your body away from the rig. 3b. If conditions warrant, a disposable dust mask (e.g., N95/P100) should be worn. 3b. Wear hearing protection when the drill rig is in operation.			

¹ Each Job or Operation consists of a set of tasks / steps. Be sure to list all the steps needed to perform job.

² A hazard is a potential danger. Break hazards into six types: Contact - victim is struck by or strikes an object; Caught - victim is caught on, caught in or caught between objects; Fall - victim falls to ground or lower level (includes slips and trips); Exertion - excessive strain or stress / ergonomics / lifting techniques; Exposure - inhalation/skin hazards; Energy Source - electricity, pressure, compression/tension.

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Assess JOB STEPS	Analyze POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act CRITICAL ACTIONS
<p>3. Advancement of drilling equipment and well installation (Continued)</p>	<p>3c. FALL: Slip/trip/fall hazards.</p> <p>3d. CAUGHT: Limb/extremity pinching; abrasion/crushing.</p> <p>3e. CONTACT: Equipment imbalance during the advancement of drill equipment.</p> <p>3f. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of contamination/vapors.</p> <p>3g. EXERTION: Potential for muscle strain/injury while lifting and installing well casings, lifting sand bags, and/or lifting rods.</p>	<p>3c. Contain drill cuttings and drilling water to prevent fall hazards from developing in the work area. 3c. See 1b.</p> <p>3d. Ensure all Emergency Safety Stop buttons function properly. 3d. Always wear leather gloves when making connections and using hand tools; wear cut-resistant (i.e., Kevlar) gloves when handling cutting tools. 3d. Inspect the equipment prior to use for potential pinch/amputation points. Keep hands away from pinch/amputation points, and the use of tools is preferable compared to fingers and hands. 3d. Inspect the drill head for worn surface or missing teeth; replace it if damaged or blunt. 3d. Ensure all jewelry is removed, loose clothing is secured, and PPE is correctly fitted and secured close to the body. 3d. All non-essential personnel should stay away from the immediate work area; position the body out of the line-of-fire of equipment. 3d. Drillers and helpers will understand and use the "Show Me Your Hands" Policy. 3d. Spinning rods/casing have an exclusion zone of 24 inches while in operation.</p> <p>3e. Drillers will advance the borehole with caution to avoid causing the rig to become imbalanced and/or tip. 3e. The blocking and leveling devices used to secure the rig will be inspected by drillers and Roux personnel regularly to see if shifting has occurred. 3e. In addition, personnel and equipment that are non-essential to the advancement of the borehole will be positioned away from the rig at a distance that is at least as far as the boom is high (minimum exclusion zone).</p> <p>3f. Monitor ambient air for dangerous conditions using a calibrated photoionization detector (PID) to monitor the breathing zone of the work area. 3f. If a reading of >5ppm is recorded, the Roux field personnel must temporarily cease work, instruct all Site personnel to step away from the area of elevated readings, and inform the Roux PM of the condition. The Roux PM will then recommend additional precautions in accordance with the site-specific health and safety plan. 3f. Use a multi-gas meter to monitor ambient air for dangerous conditions (i.e., unsafe levels of carbon monoxide when drilling indoors or the presence of explosive vapors).</p> <p>3g. Keep your back straight and bend at the knees. 3g. Utilize team lifting or mechanical means for objects over 40 lbs. 3g. Use a mechanical lifting device for odd-shaped objects.</p>
<p>4. Remove the sample liner.</p>	<p>4a. EXERTION: Potential for muscle strain/injury while removing the liner from the probe rod.</p> <p>4b. CONTACT: Pinch points and cuts</p> <p>4c. EXPOSURE: Inhalation and/or dermal contact with contaminants.</p>	<p>4a Utilize team lifting or mechanical means for objects over 40 lbs. 4a. Use the hydraulic liner extruder if available.</p> <p>4b. Place the liner on the sturdy surface when opening. 4b. Don cut-resistant gloves and use an appropriate liner cutter when opening liners. 4b. Always cut away from the body.</p> <p>4c. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves when handling liners. 4c. See 3f.</p>

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5. Decontaminate equipment.	<p>5a. EXPOSURE/CONTACT: To contamination (e.g., Separate Phase Hydrocarbons (SPH), contaminated groundwater, vapors).</p> <p>5b. EXPOSURE: The chemicals in the cleaning solution.</p>	<p>5a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves and safety glasses.</p> <p>5a. Contain decontamination water so that it does not spill.</p> <p>5a. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills, if necessary.</p> <p>5a. Spray equipment from a side angle, not straight on, to avoid backsplash.</p> <p>5a. See 3b and 3f.</p> <p>5b. See 4a. Review the SDS to ensure appropriate precautions are taken and understood.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY GENERIC	WORK TYPE General Site Activity	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Driving			
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT: <u>when outside vehicle</u> <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES: <u>when outside vehicle</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input type="checkbox"/> SAFETY TOE BOOTS: <u>when outside vehicle</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>high visibility vest when outside vehicle</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Leather/ cut-resistant level 2</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Motor Vehicle (i.e., car, truck, SUV)					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY - All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Driving to/leaving the Site	<p>1a. CONTACT: Severe injury/disability, property damage, monetary loss (insurance premiums, deductibles, loss of license/job) caused by collision with or struck by other vehicles, obstructions, pedestrians, animals, etc.</p> <p>*Common factors that may lead to a CONTACT incident, but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • distracted driving (cell phone, GPS, radio, billboards, "rubbernecking") • lack of situational awareness • unfamiliarity with traffic patterns/road layout • weather conditions (wet/icy roads, hydroplaning, black ice) • weariness • high speeds • obstructed vision (solar glare, debris on windshield, blind spots, large vehicle at the front) • changes in travel pathway (construction, snow banks, non-operational signals, potholes, detours, special events) • improper vehicle maintenance (non-operational signal light, worn tires, cracked windshield, ineffective wipers) • loose or unsecure objects 	<p>1a. PLAN AHEAD – review/make yourself familiar with maps and driving directions before beginning the drive to the Site. Do not attempt to drive and review maps/directions at the same time. Pull over and stop your vehicle before looking at maps/directions.</p> <p>1a. If a Roux vehicle or a Roux-rented vehicle, complete a vehicle inspection form. If a personal vehicle, complete a basic 360 vehicle inspection before driving.</p> <p>Verify Inspection and Registration are current, tires and wipers are in good condition, all lights are functional, all glass/mirrors are undamaged, the horn is functional, roof/hood/trunk are free from accumulated snow, and visibility is not impaired due to snow/ice/frost/fog on windows.</p> <p>1a. Do not hang items in the car that can obstruct your view or become projectiles in a collision.</p> <p>1a. Do not get distracted using touch screen radios or GPS units built into newer models. Keep your eyes on the road and stay alert.</p> <p>1a. Follow posted speed limits and obey traffic signals and roadway signs.</p> <p>1a. Always wear your seat belt and shoulder harness when driving.</p> <p>1a. When driving around large vehicles and trucks, maintain extra space as these vehicles may not be able to see a smaller car too close.</p> <p>1a. Follow the "Rules of the Road," including: using your turn signals, coming to a complete stop, and allowing vehicles the right of way (yield) when required by traffic laws.</p> <p>1a. Apply the Smith Five Keys® of safe driving</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aim High in Steering® <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Expand eye lead time to a minimum of 15 seconds • Get the Big Picture® <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maintain a proper 4-second minimum following distance at all times - Scan mirrors every 5-8 seconds to achieve a circle of awareness - Position your vehicle so you can see relevant/non-relevant objects • Keep Your Eyes Moving® <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Try to maintain about 180 degrees of visibility - Avoid blank and fixed stares. Avoid focusing on one object for more than 2 seconds • Leave Yourself an Out® <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Avoid traveling in traffic clusters - Surround yourself with space - Anticipate the actions of others 			

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1. Driving to/leaving Site (cont'd)	<p>1a. CONTACT: Severe injury/disability, property damage, monetary loss (insurance premiums, deductibles, loss of license/job) caused by collision with or struck by other vehicles, obstructions, pedestrians, animals, etc.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make Sure They See You® <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maintain eye contact with oncoming vehicles/pedestrians - Use warning devices (e.g., hand signals, high-lights, horns, etc.) - Proper timing is essential <p>1a. Do not perform reconnaissance or inspections while driving. Your vehicle should be parked in a safe location when viewing or surveying the Site and vicinity</p> <p>1a. Avoid sudden turns and stops. Do not drive recklessly – be in control of the vehicle at all times.</p> <p>1a. In inclement weather, first determine if work can be POSTPONED. Otherwise, plan according to weather conditions, including checking the forecast along the entirety of the travel route (especially for long distances). Reduce speed as road conditions warrant. Travelling with winter car equipment in the winter is strongly recommended (i.e., shovel, scraper, brush, blanket, extra clothing, flashlight, bag of sand). If your vehicle has 4-wheel drive, review the operator's manual and understand the operating procedure prior to engaging 4-wheel drive. If at any point on your drive, the weather becomes too severe to proceed safely, pull over if safe to do so or seek nearest cover (e.g., overpass)</p> <p>1a. If feeling drowsy or sleepy, do not drive. Pull over in a safe place to rest if you experience any signs of drowsiness. Make sure to get adequate sleep the night before an early drive.</p> <p>1a. Never operate a vehicle under the influence of alcohol, illegal substances, or medications affecting your performance.</p> <p>1a. Keep your eyes on the road. Do not call, text, or talk on cellular phones. Pull over to a safe location if you must answer or make a call.</p> <p>1a. When parking, pull through when possible. If backing is required, visually inspect the area to ensure it is free from obstructions prior to backing in and relying solely on mirrors; use spotters when available.</p>
2. Entering/Exiting Vehicle.	<p>2a. CAUGHT: Personal injury (broken fingers/hand) while entering or exiting vehicles</p> <p>2b. FALL: Personal injury (twisted ankle, deep contusion, concussion, broken wrist/arm, etc.) from a slip/fall on an uneven, unstable, or slippery surface while exiting/entering the vehicle</p> <p>2c. CONTACT: Severe injury/disability, property damage, monetary loss (insurance premiums, deductibles, loss of license/job) caused by collision with or struck by other vehicles, obstructions, pedestrians, animals, etc.</p>	<p>2a. Open and close doors slowly. Never put hands or feet in between the door and the vehicle to avoid pinch points.</p> <p>2b. When exiting the vehicle, make sure your feet are on firm footing and weight is evenly distributed before exiting/standing. In inclement weather, use your hands to support yourself by holding the car door and/or steering wheel when exiting the vehicle.</p> <p>2c. Check both directions for traffic before opening the door. Do not exit the vehicle if traffic does not permit you to exit safely</p> <p>2c. Check the anticipated path of the door prior to opening. Do not open the door into any obstructions (e.g., bollards, high curbs)</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY Generic		WORK TYPE Surveying	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Elevation Surveying		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel-toe boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut-resistant or leather</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Surveying equipment (i.e., leveling rod/measuring ruler, tripod and auto level).					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY - All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.					
Assess JOB STEPS	Analyze POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Check in with Site manager/ property owner.	1a. CONTACT/EXPOSURE/FALL: Lack of communication could result in H&S incident.	1a. Inform Site personnel of work scope, timeline and location(s). 1a. Inquire about other activities taking place at the Site. 1a. If applicable, obtain General Work permit for the day.			
2. Locate surveying position for instrument and rod and set-up work area	2a. FALL: Slip/trip hazards 2b. CONTACT: Traffic (surveying locations could potentially be in parking areas and sidewalks) 2c. OVEREXERTION: Hazard due to carrying, lifting, and bending while transporting equipment 2d. CAUGHT/CONTACT: Pinch Points / sharp edges associated with setting up the tripod 2e. OVEREXERTION: Hazard due to bending awkwardly to look through the auto level	2a. Inspect area for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.) and obstructions prior to setting up at the survey location. Keep eyes engaged with walking surface while in movement. Remember "Walking is Working." 2a. Conduct housekeeping and maintain clear paths to walk in and remove debris as required. 2b. Be aware of oncoming traffic. Utilize a flagman / spotter for locations in streets or high-traffic areas. 2b. Place Traffic cones around the work area and delineate work zone with caution tape, snow fencing or safety bars, if necessary. 2b. Wear appropriate PPE including high visibility clothing and reflective safety vest when in the road or sidewalks. 2b. Face traffic, maintain eye contact with oncoming vehicles and establish a safe exit route. 2c. Use proper body positioning and lifting techniques; keep back straight, lift with legs, keep load close to body, and never reach with a load. 2c. Avoid carrying too much equipment at one time and team-lift equipment that is heavier than 50 lb. 2d. Wear cut resistant gloves when handling the tripod and keep fingers away from pinch points located near moving parts of the tripod. Do not carry tripod by the pointed ends. 2e. When practical, set the height of the auto level optic so as to minimize bending at the waist.			
3. Open / close manhole cover to well that is being surveyed (if necessary).	3a. OVEREXERTION: Muscle strain 3b. CAUGHT: Pinch points associated with removing / replacing manholes and working with hand tools 3c. EXPOSURE: To potentially hazardous vapors To biological hazards 3d. CONTACT: With traffic	3a. See 2c. Bend knees when reaching to open well. Use manhole lifting hook or pry bar to avoid bending. 3b. Wear leather gloves or cut resistant gloves when working with well cover and hand tools. 3b. Use proper tools (ratchet and crowbar, pry bar or magnet for well cover) and inspect before use. 3b. Do not put fingers under well cover. 3c. No open flames/heat sources. 3c. To minimize exposure to vapors, allow well to vent after opening it and before survey activities begin. 3c. Work on the upwind side of manhole/well. 3.c Use caution while opening lids to inspect work area for bees and insects inside of covers. 3c. Use insect/tick repellent, as necessary. 3d. See 2b.			

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4. Perform survey.	<p>4a. FALL: Slip/trip hazards</p> <p>4b. CONTACT: Traffic (surveying locations could be potentially located in parking areas and sidewalks)</p> <p>4c. ENERGY SOURCES: Electrical shock from survey rod striking overhead electric lines or lights</p>	<p>4a. See 2a.</p> <p>4b. See 2b. Personnel using the scope will be devoting most of their attention to the surveying activity and shall be aware of vehicular and pedestrian traffic. Personnel holding the measuring stick should be extra vigilant of survey personnel and communicate any potential hazards to the instrument person via handheld radio or similar means. Ensure reflective safety vest is worn.</p> <p>4c. Prior to raising and extending the survey rod, personnel should thoroughly inspect the area above the measuring point. If overhead electrical lines are encountered within 10 feet of the measuring rod tip point; stop work and consult with the Office Health and Safety Officer.</p>
5. Break down work area.	<p>5a. CONTACT: Traffic (surveying locations can potentially be in parking areas and sidewalks)</p> <p>5b. EXERTION: Hazard due to carrying, lifting, and bending while transporting equipment</p> <p>5c. CONTACT: Personal injury or equipment damage by striking surroundings with an extended rod or unsecured tripod leg</p>	<p>5a. See 2b.</p> <p>5b. See 2c.</p> <p>5c. Ensure rod is entirely collapsed prior to mobilization / demobilization between survey points.</p> <p>5c. Ensure tripod legs are fully collapsed and secured with strap prior to mobilization / demobilization between set-ups.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY: Generic		WORK TYPE: Drilling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description): Hollow Stem Auger Soil Borings / Well Installation		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES: <u>Spoggles required if winds exceed 15 mph.</u> <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD HEARING PROTECTION: (as needed). <input type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel or Composite Toe.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent long-sleeve shirt or long-sleeve shirt and reflective safety vest.</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut-Resistant, and Nitrile.</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Error! Bookmark not defined. OTHER: <u>Insect Repellant, Sunscreen (as needed).</u>		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Truck-Mounted Drilling Rig or Track Rig, Saw, Hand Tools, Photoionization Detector, Multi-Gas Meter (or equivalent), Interface Probe, 20 lb. Type ABC Fire Extinguisher, Traffic Cones/barrels, Caution Tape & Flags, "Work Area" Signs.					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY - All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while it is in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, the tip zone of the equipment, the fall zone of the equipment, and the contents.					
"SHOW ME YOUR HANDS"					
Driller and helper should show that hands are clear from controls and moving parts					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Mobilization/demobilization and establish a work area.	1a. See Mobilization/ Demobilization JSA GEN-015.	1a. See Mobilization / Demobilization JSA GEN-015.			
2. Raising the tower/derrick of the drilling rig.	2a. CONTACT: Overhead hazards. 2b. CONTACT: Amputation/crush points when raising the rig and the instability of the rig.	2a. Prior to raising the tower/derrick, the area above the drilling rig will be inspected for overhead hazards (wires, tree limbs, piping, or other structures) that may be contacted by the rig's tower or drilling rods. 2a. The tower/derrick must not be raised beneath overhead power lines unless approved by the Roux PM. 2a. Maintain a minimum of 10' from all overhead structures. 2a. Do not move the rig while the tower/derrick is raised. 2b. Inspect the equipment prior to use and avoid any potential amputation points. 2b. Lower outriggers to ensure stability prior to raising the rig tower derrick. Keep feet and body out of the line of fire when lowering outriggers. 2b. Inspect the set-up location for uneven terrain. Level or avoid the area if needed. 2b. If the rig needs to be mounted, be sure to use three points of contact.			
3. Advancement of augers for soil boring installation.	3a. CONTACT: Equipment imbalance during advancement of drill equipment. 3b. CONTACT: Flying/spraying debris. 3c. CAUGHT: Limb/extremity amputation, abrasion, and crushing.	3a. Drillers will advance the borehole with caution to avoid causing the rig to become imbalanced and/or tip. 3a. The blocking and leveling devices used to secure the rig will be inspected by drillers and Roux personnel regularly to see if shifting has occurred. 3a. Drillers will maintain the "Purple Zone" policy surrounding augers to ensure no personnel come into contact with augers while in use. Workers can spray paint a 3' semi-circle surrounding the augers to visually show that no personnel should enter the "Purple Zone" while drilling activities are being conducted. 3a. In addition, personnel and equipment that are non-essential to the advancement of the borehole will be positioned away from the rig at a distance that is at least as far as the boom is high (minimum exclusion zone of 20 feet). 3b. Wear all required PPE (especially hand, eye, and ear protection). 3b. Maintain minimum EZ distance (i.e., swing/tip radius of rig) when rig is in operation to avoid potential line of fire hazards from flying materials or debris. 3c. Inspect the equipment prior to use for potential pinch points. 3c. Test all emergency shutdown devices prior to drilling. 3c. Inspect the drill head for worn surface or missing teeth; replace it if damaged or blunt. 3c. Inspect augers; do not use if the auger flight is damaged or bent.			

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Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS
<p>3. Advancement of augers for soil boring installation (Continued).</p>	<p>3c. CAUGHT: Limb/extremity amputation, abrasion, and crushing.</p> <p>3d. FALL: Slip/trip/fall hazards.</p> <p>3e. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of contamination/vapors.</p> <p>3f. EXPOSURE: Noise and dust.</p> <p>3g. EXERTION: Installing well casings and lifting augers.</p>	<p>3c. Ensure all jewelry is removed, loose clothing is secured, and PPE is secured close to the body.</p> <p>3c. All non-essential personnel should stay away from the immediate work area; position the body out of the line-of-fire of equipment, particularly when installing auger flights and steel override casings.</p> <p>3c. Drillers and helpers will understand and use the "Show Me Your Hands" Policy.</p> <p>3c. Spinning augers should have an exclusion zone of 20 feet when in operation.</p> <p>3d. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions prior to mobilizing equipment.</p> <p>3d. Do not climb over stored materials/equipment; walk around. Practice good housekeeping.</p> <p>3d. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground.</p> <p>3d. Use three points of contact when mounting or dismounting the rig.</p> <p>3d. Remove soil cuttings to avoid a tripping hazard from developing near augers.</p> <p>3e. Air monitoring using a calibrated photoionization detector (PID) and multi-gas meter to monitor the breathing zone of the work area.</p> <p>3e. The Action Level for breathing zone air is five (5) parts per million (sustained) as detected by the PID.</p> <p>3e. If a reading of >5ppm is recorded, the Roux field personnel must temporarily cease work, instruct all Site personnel to step away from the area of elevated readings, and inform the Roux PM of the condition. The Roux PM will then recommend additional appropriate precautions in accordance with the site-specific health and safety plan.</p> <p>3f. Wet borehole area with sprayer to minimize dust. Stand upwind and keep your body positioned away from the rig.</p> <p>3f. Wear hearing protection while the drill rig is operating or the noise levels exceed 85 dBA.</p> <p>3g. Keep back straight and bend at the knees.</p> <p>3g. Utilize team lifting for objects heavier than 40 lbs.</p> <p>3g. Use a mechanical lifting device for odd-shaped objects.</p>
<p>4. Installation of well materials.</p>	<p>4a. CONTACT: Installing well materials while also pulling up augers.</p> <p>4b. CAUGHT: Possible pinch or crush hazard assembling PVC and sending down the borehole.</p> <p>4c. FALL: Slip/trip/fall hazards with hand tools and materials.</p> <p>4d. EXPOSURE: Potential contamination, harmful vapors, dust, and/or noise.</p> <p>4e. EXERTION: Lifting heavy bags of materials to backfill the borehole.</p>	<p>4a. Potential contact with augers during the installation of well materials.</p> <p>4a. Keep distance from augers and do not place any materials while augers are in motion.</p> <p>4b. Keep all body parts out of potential pinch points while placing PVC together and sending down borehole.</p> <p>4c. See 3d.</p> <p>4d. See 3e and 3f.</p> <p>4d. Stand upwind to avoid exposure to dust generated from packing materials.</p> <p>4e. See 3g.</p>
<p>5. Cleaning the auger flights</p>	<p>5a. CONTACT: Cuts/scrapes or puncture wounds from contacting the auger.</p>	<p>5a. Follow the "Show Me Your Hands" Procedure and make sure the auger is out of gear before contacting the auger with the tool or hand.</p> <p>5a. Pull the cleaning tool across your body with the handle away from your body; do not push toward the auger.</p> <p>5a. Do not clean more than ¼ turn around the auger at a time.</p> <p>5a. Wear cut-resistant and nitrile gloves.</p> <p>5a. Always use two hands to operate the cleaning tool.</p> <p>5a. Inspect the tool before use and remove from service if the handle or metal is cracked/fatigued.</p> <p>5a. Stand out of the line of fire.</p>

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6. Decontaminate equipment.	<p>6a. EXPOSURE / CONTACT: To contamination (e.g., contaminated groundwater, vapors).</p> <p>6b. EXPOSURE: To chemicals in cleaning solution (including ammonia).</p>	<p>6a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves and safety glasses.</p> <p>6a. Contain decontamination water so that it does not spill.</p> <p>6a. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills, if necessary.</p> <p>6b. See 3e. Wear all appropriate PPE and stand upwind of any exposed cleaning solutions.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY GENERIC		WORK TYPE Site Recon	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Mobilization/Demobilization		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION (as needed) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel Toe or composite toe</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective vest of high-visibility clothing; long-sleeved shirt; long pants</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut-resistant Level II, nitrile</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Required Equipment: Varies					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, the tip zone of the equipment, the fall zone of the equipment, and the contents.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Mobilize/demobilize and establish a work area	<p>1a. FALL: Slip/trips/falls from obstructions, uneven terrain, weather conditions, heavy loads, and/or poor housekeeping.</p> <p>1b. CONTACT: Personal injury and/or property damage caused by being struck by Site traffic or equipment used in Site activities.</p>	<p>1a. Use 3 points-of-contact/ensure secure footing when entering and exiting the vehicle.</p> <p>1a. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, steep hills, obstructions, and/or weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, snow, and puddles) prior to mobilizing equipment. Use established pathways. Walk on stable/secure ground.</p> <p>1a. Do not climb over stored materials/equipment; walk around. Practice good housekeeping; organize and store equipment neatly in one area at its lowest potential energy.</p> <p>1a. Wear boots with adequate treads.</p> <p>1a. Delineate unsafe areas with traffic safety cones, caution tape, and/or flagging.</p> <p>1b. Observe and maintain the posted speed limits.</p> <p>1b. When first arriving onsite, park vehicles in designated parking spaces and/or out of the way locations. Use parking brake on all vehicles and tire chocks on work trucks and trailers.</p> <p>1b. Check in with Site Manager/Supervisor to ensure coordination with other Site activities and to discuss any special hazards. Ensure that short-service employees (SSE) are identified.</p> <p>1b. Identify potential traffic sources.</p> <p>1b. Wear PPE, including high visibility clothing or reflective vest, when around vehicles or operating equipment</p> <p>1b. Use a spotter while moving work vehicles; plan to avoid backing whenever possible.</p> <p>1b. Maintain a minimum exclusion zone when vehicles are in motion (i.e., greater than the swing/tip radius of the equipment). When backing up the truck rig with an attached trailer, use a second spotter if there is tight clearance simultaneously on multiple sides of the equipment or if turning angles limit driver-to-spotter visibility.</p> <p>1b. Delineate work area with traffic cones, flags, caution tape, and/or other barriers.</p> <p>1b. Position "Work Area" signs at Site entrances, if possible, or at either side of the work area.</p> <p>1b. Position the largest vehicle to protect against oncoming traffic.</p> <p>1b. Face traffic, maintain eye contact with oncoming vehicles, use a spotter, and establish a safe exit route.</p>			

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	<p>1c. CAUGHT: Personal injury from pinch points and being in the line of fire of the vehicle and/or equipment.</p> <p>1d. OVEREXERTION: Muscle strains while lifting/carrying equipment.</p> <p>1e. EXPOSURE: Personal injury from exposure to biological and environmental hazards.</p> <p>1f. EXPOSURE: Weather-related injuries.</p> <p>1g. EXPOSURE: Personal injury from noise hazards.</p>	<p>1b. Observe potential overhead and ground surface features that may interfere with moving equipment. Clear the path of physical hazards prior to initiating mobilization.</p> <p>1c. Make sure the driver has engaged the parking brake and placed wheel chocks in a position to prevent movement. Be sure that the vehicle is parked in front/down gradient (positioned to block oncoming traffic) of the work area.</p> <p>1c. Wear cut-resistant gloves (Kevlar or similar) when handling objects/tools or equipment.</p> <p>1c. Keep body parts away from line-of-fire of equipment.</p> <p>1c. Always carry tools by the handles and/or designated carrier. Ensure sharp-edged tools are sheathed/secure.</p> <p>1c. Remove any loose jewelry. Avoid wearing loose clothing and/or ensure loose clothing is secure.</p> <p>1c. Secure all items on the equipment, tighten up any items or features that have the potential to shift or break during mobilization.</p> <p>1d. Use body positioning and lifting techniques that avoid muscle strain; keep back straight, lift with legs, turn with whole body, keep load close to body, and never reach with a load.</p> <p>1d. Ensure that loads are balanced. Use assistance (mechanical or additional person) to carry equipment that is either unwieldy or over 50 lbs.</p> <p>1e. Inspect the area to avoid contact with biological hazards (i.e., poisonous plants, stinging insects, ticks, etc.).</p> <p>1e. Wear long-sleeved clothes that can be treated with Permethrin, apply insect repellent (may contain DEET) to exposed skin, and inspect clothes and skin for ticks during and after work.</p> <p>1e. Apply sunscreen (SPF 15+) if exposure to the sun for 30 minutes or more is expected.</p> <p>1f. Watch for heat stress symptoms (muscle cramping, exhaustion, dizziness, nausea, rapid and shallow breathing). Take breaks in cool places and hydrate as needed.</p> <p>1f. Watch for cold stress symptoms (severe shivering, slowing body movement, weakness, stumbling or inability to walk, collapse). Take breaks in warm areas as needed.</p> <p>1f. Wear clothing appropriate for weather and temperature conditions (e.g., rain jackets, snow pants, multiple layers).</p> <p>1f. If lightning is observed, wait 30 minutes in a sheltered location (car is acceptable) before resuming work.</p> <p>1g. Wear hearing protection if sound levels exceed 85 dBA (if you must raise your voice for normal conversation).</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY GENERIC		WORK TYPE Site Reconnaissance	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Site Walk and Inspection		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION: earplugs/muffs as necessary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel or composite toed</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>High-visibility vest or high-vis outerwear</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>/cut-resistant (level II)/chemical resistant</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: Tyvek and rubber boots as necessary, dust mask as necessary		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Required Equipment: Site map, emergency contact list, documentation of urgent care/hospital routes, and/or guide familiar with Site, operating cell phone or walkie-talkie if Site allows, and bug spray.					
Commitment to Safety – All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, the tip zone of the equipment, the fall zone of the equipment, and the contents.					
SITE SECURITY: Before site inspection, verify the appropriate method to address Site Security concerns related to potential criminal activity, homeless population, and/or isolation concerns. Work with the Project Principal and/or Project Manager to address appropriately.					
Assess ¹JOB STEPS		Analyze ²POTENTIAL HAZARDS		Act ³CRITICAL ACTIONS	
1. Check in with the Site contact.		1a. CONTACT/EXPOSURE/FALL: Personal injury caused by a lack of awareness of site-specific hazards.		1a. Inquire about hazards and other activities taking place at the Site. 1a. Inform Site contact of work scope, timeline, and location(s). 1a. Discuss emergency evacuation procedures and muster points with the Site contact.	
2. Traversing the Site		2a. CONTACT: Property damage and personal injury caused by obstructions/vehicles or unauthorized personnel at remote Sites. 2b. FALL: Uneven terrain and weather conditions. Overgrown shrubs and vines. Equipment in the work zone. 2c. OVEREXERTION: Muscle strain while carrying equipment. 2d. EXPOSURE: Biological hazards – ticks, bees/wasps, poison ivy, insects; (Ticks are most active whenever the temperature is above freezing, typically from March to November.)		2a. All equipment must be stowed and secured prior to moving. 2a. Maintain speed limit as posted on-site. 2a. When possible, drive on established roadways. 2a. Yield to all pedestrians. 2a. Use pull-through spots or back into parking spots. 2a. Don high-visibility clothing/safety vest. If working at a remote Site, add orange accessories during hunting season. 2b. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions prior to mobilizing equipment. 2b. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground when possible. 2b. Communicate traversing hazards with others. 2c. When carrying equipment to/from the work area, use proper lifting techniques; keep back straight, lift with legs, keep the load close to the body, never reach with a load. Ensure that loads are balanced to reduce the potential for muscle strain. Use the buddy system or mechanical means to maneuver items heavier than 40 lbs. If necessary, make multiple trips to carry equipment. 2d. Inspect the area to avoid contact with biological hazards. 2d. Ticks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Treat outer clothing, including pants, shirts, socks, boots, and hats, the evening before with Permethrin (allowing at least two hours before use). Apply DEET or equivalent to exposed skin before travelling to the Site and reapply after two hours. Wear light colored clothing and visually check for ticks during and after work. 2d. Bees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use bee spray as appropriate to deter/eliminate bees. Protect exposed skin with insect repellent. 	

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	<p>2e. EXPOSURE: Heat Stress & Cold Stress. Personal injury from working in inclement weather conditions.</p>	<p>2d. Poison Ivy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify areas of poison ivy and spray with weed killer. Don Tyvek and rubber boots while traversing poison ivy areas. • If skin comes into contact with poison ivy, wash the skin thoroughly with soap and water. <p>2e. Wear sunscreen with SPF 15 or greater on exposed skin whenever 30 minutes or more of sun exposure is expected.</p> <p>2e. Watch for heat stress symptoms (muscle cramping, exhaustion, dizziness, rapid and shallow breathing). Take breaks as needed.</p> <p>2e. Watch for cold stress symptoms (severe shivering, slowing body movement, weakness, stumbling or inability to walk, collapse). Take breaks as needed.</p> <p>2e. Wear appropriate rain gear as needed.</p> <p>2e. Take frequent breaks if tired, wet, or cold/hot. Drink water.</p> <p>2e. If lightning is observed, wait 30 minutes after the last thunder boom/lightning bolt in a sheltered location (car acceptable) before starting work again.</p>
<p>3. Walking near heavy equipment and machinery.</p>	<p>3a. CONTACT: Personal injury from Site and roadway traffic. Personal injury from flying debris</p> <p>3b. OVEREXERTION: Personal injury from lifting/moving/rotating equipment.</p> <p>3c. EXPOSURE: Hearing damage from noise-generating equipment/processes. Inhalation/exposure to hazardous vapors and or dust.</p> <p>3d. EXPOSURE: Working in a remote area.</p>	<p>3a. See 2a.</p> <p>3a. Maintain an exclusion zone of at least 10 feet from all engaged equipment. Increase distance to include swing tip radius.</p> <p>3a. Keep body parts out of the line-of-fire of pinch points.</p> <p>3a. Wear appropriate PPE always.</p> <p>3b. See 2c.</p> <p>3c. Wear hearing protection if >85 dBA. (i.e., noise levels which require you to raise your voice to communicate)</p> <p>3c. Always wear cut-resistant gloves when handling any tools or equipment.</p> <p>3c. Always wear appropriate PPE based on the chemicals present.</p> <p>3d. Use the "buddy system" whenever possible. If working alone, contact PM upon arrival/departure and during work activities prior to commencing work if applicable.</p> <p>3d. Always carry a communication device (i.e., cell phone, walkie-talkie) or directional (i.e., map, compass, etc.) when traversing remote areas.</p> <p>3d. If available, follow Lone Worker Protocol/Procedure.</p>
<p>4. Working in adverse weather conditions.</p>	<p>4a. EXPOSURE: Heat Stress & Cold Stress. Personal injury from working in inclement weather conditions.</p>	<p>4a. Watch for heat stress symptoms (muscle cramping, exhaustion, dizziness, rapid and shallow breathing). Take breaks as needed.</p> <p>4a. Watch for cold stress symptoms (severe shivering, slowing body movement, weakness, stumbling or inability to walk, collapse). Take breaks as needed.</p> <p>4a. Wear appropriate rain gear as needed.</p> <p>4a. Take frequent breaks if tired, wet, or cold/hot. Drink water.</p> <p>4a. If lightning is observed, wait 30 minutes after the last thunder boom/lightning bolt in a sheltered location (car acceptable) before starting work again.</p>
<p>5. Departing Site.</p>	<p>5a. EXPOSURE: Exposure to unnecessary hazards should prompt personnel to believe Roux is on-site during an emergency and conduct a search.</p>	<p>5a. Sign out or notify the Site contact and Roux Project Manager of your departure.</p>

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REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FLAME RESISTANT CLOTHING (as needed)	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION: (as needed) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Composite-toe or steel-toe boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Nitrile and cut resistant level II</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <u>Insect repellent, sunscreen (as needed)</u>		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Recommended Equipment: traffic safety cones, caution tape, trowel					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while it is in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, the tip zone of the equipment, the fall zone of the equipment, and the contents.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Secure location	<p>1a. CONTACT: Personnel and vehicular traffic may enter the work area.</p> <p>1b. FALL: Tripping/falling due to uneven terrain or entry/exit from excavations.</p> <p>1c. EXPOSURE: Exposure to sun and excessive heat, possibly causing sunburn, heat exhaustion, or heat stroke. Exposure to cold temperatures may cause cold stress. Skin burn as a result of fire, if applicable. Exposure to explosive vapors due to tank farm operations. Exposure to airborne dust due to high wind speeds. Biological hazards - ticks, bees/wasps, poison ivy, thorns, insects, etc.</p>	<p>1a. If in an area with foot or vehicle traffic, delineate the work area with traffic cones and/or caution tape to prevent exposure to traffic and inform others of work activity.</p> <p>1a. Wear a reflective vest and/or high visibility clothing.</p> <p>1a. Face the direction of any vehicular traffic. Position the vehicle to protect the worker from traffic.</p> <p>1a. Communicate work activity with adjacent work areas.</p> <p>1b. Inspect pathways and work area for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions.</p> <p>1b. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground.</p> <p>1b. Stage equipment and tools in a convenient, stable, and orderly manner. Store equipment at the lowest potential energy.</p> <p>1b. Roux employees should stay 6 feet from in-progress excavations and trenches. Should entry to an excavation be required (when stabilization is complete), ladders must be employed for steep embankments, excavations, pits, and trenches.</p> <p>1c. Wear sunscreen with an SPF 15 or greater whenever 30 minutes or more of exposure is expected.</p> <p>1c. Use a tent to shade the work area from direct sunlight, particularly when warm temperatures are expected.</p> <p>1c. Be aware of the location of all Site personnel.</p> <p>1c. Watch for heat stress symptoms (muscle cramping, exhaustion, dizziness, rapid and shallow breathing).</p> <p>1c. Watch for cold stress symptoms (severe shivering, slowing of body movement, weakness, stumbling or inability to walk, collapse).</p> <p>1c. Take breaks for rest and water as necessary. Move to an area that is well shaded or a climate-controlled area (i.e., car, site trailer, etc.).</p> <p>1c. No open flames/heat sources.</p> <p>1c. Conduct air monitoring and ensure that harmful vapor concentrations are within the levels detailed in the Site Specific HASP. Follow the procedures detailed in HASP for exceedances.</p> <p>1c. Flame retardant clothing must be worn when specified by Site policy.</p> <p>1c. Cell phones should be disabled when specified by Site policy.</p> <p>1c. Pre-treat field clothing with Permethrin prior to site visit to kill ticks and insects.</p> <p>1c. Wear long-sleeved shirts and tuck in (or tape) pant legs into socks or boots to prevent ticks from reaching skin.</p> <p>1c. Spray insect repellent containing DEET or equivalent on exposed skin when working in overgrown areas of the Site.</p> <p>1c. Inspect the area to avoid contact with biological hazards.</p> <p>1c. Wear cut-resistant gloves when handling material, equipment, or branches, shrubs, etc. that may lie within the walking path.</p> <p>1c. Wear spoggles if the average wind speeds are above 15 mph.</p> <p>1c. Personnel shall examine themselves and their co-workers' outer clothing for ticks periodically when on-site.</p> <p>1c. If skin comes in contact with poison ivy, wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If rash persists after washing, immediately notify your supervisor, the OM, and OHSM for possible consultation with a physician at an approved Occupational Health Clinic.</p>			

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2. Collect Soil Sample	<p>2a. CONTACT: Personal injury from pinch points, cuts, and abrasions from sampling equipment, tools, and material within the soil sample. Personal injury from contact with moving equipment while sampling. Personal injury from contact with glass sample jars.</p> <p>2b. EXPOSURE: Exposure to contamination (impacted soil) and/or lab preservatives.</p> <p>2c. EXERTION: Exertion due to repetitive motion and ergonomics.</p>	<p>2a. Wear cut-resistant (i.e., Kevlar) gloves under chemical-resistant (nitrile) disposable gloves when handling soil samples and sampling jars.</p> <p>2a. Where possible, use a trowel or equivalent tool to avoid contact with soil.</p> <p>2a. If sampling from a bucket of heavy equipment, ensure all equipment is off and the operator utilizes the "show me your hands" policy.</p> <p>2a. See 1a.</p> <p>2b. Wear chemical-resistant (nitrile) disposable gloves over cut-resistant gloves to protect hands when handling samples; use containment material or plastic sheeting to protect surrounding areas.</p> <p>2b. Wear safety glasses to protect eyes from dust or air-borne contaminants that may result from disturbing the soil.</p> <p>2b. Where possible, remain upgradient from the sample location if collecting soil samples from stockpile, drill rig, etc., to avoid breathing contaminant vapors, if they are present.</p> <p>2b. When collecting a soil sample from a hand auger, put a large zip lock bag over the entire auger to prevent soil from spilling onto the ground.</p> <p>2b. Open sample jars slowly and fill carefully to avoid contact with preservatives.</p> <p>2c. Utilize a table or raised surface for soil sampling if multiple soil samples are going to be taken to minimize repetitive bending motion.</p>
3. Decontaminate equipment	<p>3a. EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Contamination (e.g., Separate Phase Hydrocarbons (SPH), contaminated vapors, and/or soil).</p> <p>3b. EXPOSURE: Chemicals in the cleaning solution include ammonia.</p>	<p>3a. Wear chemical-resistant (nitrile) disposable gloves and safety glasses.</p> <p>3a. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills.</p> <p>3a. Properly dispose of used materials/PPE in the provided drums in the designated drum storage area.</p> <p>3a. Remain upwind of the sample and avoid breathing contaminant vapors, if they are present.</p> <p>3b. Wear chemical-resistant (nitrile) disposable gloves and safety glasses.</p> <p>3b. Work on the upwind side of the decontamination area.</p> <p>3b. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills.</p> <p>3b. Properly dispose of used materials/PPE in the provided drums in the designated drum storage area. Ensure that all drums are properly labeled and secured.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY: GENERIC	WORK TYPE Gauging and Sampling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Soil Vapor Sampling (Permanent Monitoring Points)		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT				
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: Steel-toe <u>composite safety boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut-resistant level ii & Nitriles</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <u>Bug Spray, Sun Screen, Knee Pads, or kneeling pad</u>	
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT				
9/16" Socket and Wrench, Non-Toxic Clay, Teflon-Lined Tubing, Masterflex Tubing, Air Pump with Low Flow, Dry Cal, Enclosure (Bucket with 2 holes), Helium Gas Canister, Summa Canisters and Flow Controllers, MultiRAE Photo Ionization Detector (PID), Helium Detector, Tubing Cutter, Traffic/Safety Cones, Caution Tape or Retractable Cone Bars				
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.				
Work Zone (WZ): A 5-foot exclusion zone will be maintained for non-essential personnel.				

Assess JOB STEPS	Analyze POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act CRITICAL ACTIONS
1. Define and secure a work area.	<p>1a. FALL: Potential tripping hazards.</p> <p>1b. CONTACT: Potential contact with moving vehicles or pedestrians.</p> <p>1c. EXERTION: Muscle strain while lifting and carrying equipment.</p>	<p>1a. Ensure work area is secure and inform others (third party) of work activity.</p> <p>1a. Remove tripping hazards and inspect the walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions prior to mobilizing equipment.</p> <p>1b. If working alongside roads, look both ways before entering roadways, face traffic, and utilize the work vehicle to protect employees.</p> <p>1b. Delineate work area (including vehicles) with traffic safety cones and caution tape or retractable cone bars.</p> <p>1b. Maintain a 5-foot exclusion zone.</p> <p>1b. Wear high visibility clothing or a reflective safety vest.</p> <p>1c. When carrying equipment to/from the work area, keep back straight, lift with legs, keep the load close to the body, never reach with a load. Ensure that loads are balanced. Use the buddy system or mechanical means to maneuver loads heavier than 40 lbs. If necessary, make multiple trips to carry equipment.</p>
2. Remove well cover / close well cover.	<p>2a. CONTACT/CAUGHT: Pinch points and scrapes associated with hand tools and well covers.</p> <p>2b. FALL: Potential tripping hazards associated with installing bolts.</p> <p>2c. EXERTION: Physical exertion is required to remove bolts that were over-torqued or stripped.</p>	<p>2a. Keep hands away from pinch points.</p> <p>2a. Use hand tools with extensions or a magnet to remove and replace well covers.</p> <p>2a. Wear cut-resistant gloves.</p> <p>2a. Use knee pads or a kneeling pad when repetitive kneeling on rough ground is anticipated.</p> <p>2b. Place security bolts in a secure location so as not to create tripping hazards. Replace security bolts so that they fit flush with monitoring well covers.</p> <p>2c. Replace any security bolts that show signs of stripping. Do not over-tighten.</p> <p>2c. Use body positioning and bending techniques that minimize muscle strain; keep back straight, bend at the knees.</p> <p>2c. See 2a.</p>

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3. Screen vapor point with PID.	<p>3a. FALL: Potential tripping hazards associated with equipment.</p> <p>3b. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of soil vapor</p>	<p>3a. Place the equipment in one area close to the sampling location.</p> <p>3a. Identify an area where the equipment is to be stored within the work area (away from the main walking path).</p> <p>3a. Do not leave equipment on the ground. Return equipment to the storage area between uses.</p> <p>3b. Replace brass caps immediately upon completion to avoid soil vapors migrating to the surface through sample tubing.</p> <p>3b. Stand upwind of the sample point during screening activities.</p>
4. Remove/replace brass caps at the end of the sample tubing.	<p>4a. CONTACT: Pinch points are associated with hand tools and brass caps.</p> <p>4b. EXPOSURE: Potential pathway for vapors to migrate to the land surface.</p>	<p>4a. Use a wrench to remove and replace brass caps.</p> <p>4a. Wear cut-resistant gloves to protect against pinch points and scrapes.</p> <p>4b. See 3b.</p> <p>4b. Stand upwind of the sample point location.</p>
5. Set up soil vapor sampling equipment and calibration of meters.	<p>5a. FALL: Potential tripping hazards associated with equipment and tubing.</p> <p>5b. CONTACT: Pinch points associated with handling equipment.</p> <p>5c. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of calibration gas and helium.</p>	<p>5a. See 3a.</p> <p>5a. Keep tubing slack to a minimum and locate the summa canister as close to the sampling location as possible.</p> <p>5a. Avoid stepping over equipment and tubing.</p> <p>5b. Do not place fingers/hands under sampling equipment.</p> <p>5b. Make multiple trips when unloading equipment in the work area.</p> <p>5b. Wear cut-resistant gloves to protect against pinch points while handling sampling equipment.</p> <p>5c. Review the SDS for each type of calibration gas used before calibrating.</p> <p>5c. Calibrate meters in a well-ventilated area and keep the air flow regulator away from your face.</p> <p>5c. Close valve on canisters after use to avoid inhalation of excess helium or calibration gas.</p> <p>5c. Stand upwind of the bucket during the helium tracer gas test.</p>
6. Cleaning Work Area.	<p>6a. FALL: Potential tripping hazards are associated with equipment and tubing.</p> <p>6b. CONTACT: Storing and transport of equipment in car.</p>	<p>6a. See 3a.</p> <p>6a. See 3b.</p> <p>6b. Ensure that the equipment is placed securely in the vehicle. Do not stack equipment on top of each other. Secure the equipment so that it will not slide while being transported.</p> <p>6b. Wear cut-resistant gloves while handling/loading equipment.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY Generic	WORK TYPE Construction	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Spotting Heavy Machinery			
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LONG SLEEVED SHIRT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel-/Composite-toe boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Particulate Respirator <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective clothing/safety vest</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut resistant Level II</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Heavy Machinery (i.e., excavator, payloader, truck, forklift, etc.), two-way radios.					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while it is in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, tip zone of the equipment, fall zone of the equipment and contents, distance that debris may travel during demolition activities, and/or footprint of a structure to be demolished.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Prepare for machine activity.	1a. CONTACT: Obstructions in the work area may create contact hazards from machinery. 1b. Fall : Slip/Trip/Fall	1a. Cordon off the work area with safety barrels/cones and a rigid barrier (snow fence, traffic bar, etc.). Ensure that only necessary personnel are in the work area. Spotter and equipment operator shall enforce the Exclusion Zone (EZ). The operator will not operate but shall remain in the hands-off mode while personnel are within the exclusion zone. 1b. Ensure that the work area is flat, level, and clear of any obstructions or debris before setting up the work zone.			
2. Spotting.	2a. CONTACT: Machine or load contact with personnel, property, or machinery.	2a. Discuss the specifics of the work with the operator and be clear about any hand signals that will be used. Clearly discuss the limits of the assigned work area and the machine's EZ . Maintain EZ . The EZ shall be delineated by using traffic cones/barrels and a fixed rigid barrier. 2a. The Minimum Heavy Equipment EZ is greater than the swing/tip radius of the equipment. 2a. Both the spotter and equipment operators shall have verbal/visual contact and/or 2-way radios/cellular devices on their persons to ensure audible communication in the event any changes or new hazards may arise. 2a. All workers should stay outside of the EZ of all equipment unless the operator is stopped and in "Hands Off" mode. (This includes the spotter unless an exception has been established in the Site-specific JSA.) If the EZ must be reduced due to work area restrictions, then the spotter and operator shall enforce the reduced EZ . 2a. Spotters must make eye contact with the machine operator, or all movement ceases until visual contact can be reestablished. 2a. Spotter shall keep an eye out for any issues with the machine that the operator may not see and communicate with other work crews and spotters on behalf of the operator. 2a. If the spotter needs to take a break, he must find a replacement before leaving or have the machine stop operations. No heavy equipment shall operate without a spotter under any circumstances. 2a. Wear fluorescent clothing/safety vest. 2a. Do not multitask. Only perform Spotting			

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	<p>2b. FALL: Slip/Trip/Fall</p> <p>2c. CAUGHT: Caught between machinery and nearby objects.</p> <p>2d. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of exhaust from machinery.</p>	<p>2b. Look where you are walking to identify and avoid slip/trip/fall hazards. Avoid icy and/or wet surfaces. Remove obstacles if possible.</p> <p>2b. Use designated walkways during spotting whenever possible.</p> <p>2b. Do not walk backwards. Always face the direction towards which you are walking.</p> <p>2c. Maintain EZ. Do not stand between large, loose, or fixed objects or structures and the machinery while it is in motion. Keep the operator in sight at all times while being aware of surrounding structures.</p> <p>2d. The spotter will position him/herself upwind of the working machinery, when possible. Spotter will also inform others working within the vicinity of the EZ of proper positioning, if applicable.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY Generic		WORK TYPE General	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Trucking		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: Steel/composite-toe_boots	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: Cut resistant level II <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Heavy equipment to load/unload and transportation(i.e., trucks)					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY - All personnel onsite will actively participate in Hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment and loads while it is in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, tip zone of the equipment, fall zone of the equipment and contents, distance that debris may travel during demolition activities, and/or footprint of a structure to be demolished.					
Assess JOB STEPS	Analyze POTENTIAL HAZARDS		Act CRITICAL ACTIONS		
1. Set up the work zone.	1a. CONTACT: Personal injury/property damage caused by obstruction/vehicle.		1a. Establish a work zone for manifesting/paperwork by communicating with workers before the task begins. Maintain a minimum Exclusion Zone (EZ) around all heavy equipment.		
2. Loading of the truck.	2a. CONTACT: A rolling Vehicle could cause bodily harm. 2b. CONTACT: A machine or load may crush personnel, property, or machinery. 2c. CONTACT: Load shifting during travel.		2a. All commercial vehicles without an operator must have their engines off and wheels chocked. The truck and loading area should be on level and stable ground. 2b. All machines (Excavator, Lull, Backhoe) must have a spotter. Spotter must communicate contact hazards such as other personnel in the work area, objects in the machine's blind spot, and overhead lines to the operator. Spotter and operator should have verbal / 2-way radios or established hand signals to communicate when needed. 2b. Loads must not be swung over other vehicles or personnel. 2b. Maintain EZ around all equipment. 2c. Secure all loads prior to moving the truck with chains, straps, or cribbing. 2c. Any loose soil or debris should be cleaned off the truck sides prior to truck mobilization. 2c. All truck beds must be secured prior to traveling.		
3. Dumping loads.	3a. CONTACT: A truck may flip sideways or backwards.		3a. All workers must stay behind and away from the side of trucks that are dumping to avoid contact with flying debris and the truck potentially tipping sideways or backwards. EZ must be maintained equal to the height of the bed while lifted.		
4. Exchanging paperwork with the truck driver.	4a. CONTACT/CAUGHT: Broken bones from contact with a vehicle. 4b. FALL: Slip, Trip or Fall may cause muscle strains or tears, abrasions or lacerations, or broken bones.		4a. The truck driver should exit the truck with proper PPE, using the three points of contact, and enter the established work zone to complete paperwork. If Site-specific safety prohibits drivers from exiting the truck, wait until the truck is finished loading, with the engine turned off, before approaching the truck. 4a. Always establish eye contact with the driver prior to approaching the truck. 4a. Confirm sides of truck have been cleaned/brushed off prior to approaching the truck. 4b. Survey walking route to identify slip/trip/fall hazards. Avoid icy/wet surfaces. Remove slip/trip/fall hazards if present. 4b. Communicate with driver and spotter prior to approaching truck. Maintain EZ around all heavy equipment.		

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY GENERIC		WORK TYPE Drilling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Pre-Drilling Clearance, Vactron, and Air Knife		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD (While Air Knifing) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION (As needed) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: Composite toe or steel toe boots	<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: Fluorescent reflective vest or high visibility clothing; long-sleeve shirt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: Nitrile, cut-resistant Level II <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: Dusk mask, insect repellent, sunscreen (as needed)		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Vac-Truck or Vac Drum, Compressor, Jack Hammer, Air Knife, Circular Saw, Hand Tools, Dust Mask, Photoionization Detector, Multi Gas Meter, Traffic safety cones and flags, Retractable Cone Bars, Caution Tape, 20 lb. Fire Extinguisher, "Work Area" Signs, Pressurized Water Sprayer					
Commitment to Safety – All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.					
EXCLUSION ZONE: All non-essential personnel must maintain a distance of 10 feet from drilling equipment while it is in motion or engaged.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Verify pre-clearance protocol	<p>1a. CONTACT: Underground utility damage; property damage; personal injury.</p> <p>1b. ENERGY SOURCE/CONTACT: Property damage; Pressurized water mains may cause lacerations or broken bones. Pressurized gas mains may explode, causing serious injury or death. Underground electric may cause severe burns, shock, or death.</p> <p>1c. FALL: Slip, Trip, or Fall may cause muscle strains or tears, abrasions, lacerations, or broken bones.</p>	<p>1a. Confirm "Call Before You Dig" and local utility companies were contacted before starting work to confirm utility mark outs. Must have a case # before digging.</p> <p>1a. Walk the Site to evaluate utility markings and review maps (see Site Walk Inspection JSA - GEN-019). Utilities are not always adequately marked out; ensure the use of observational skills through the pre-clearing checklist.</p> <p>1a. Review the pre-clearing checklist form and the sub-surface clearance form. The pre-clearing protocol indicates that clearance must be conducted to a minimum of 5 vertical feet below the ground surface or 10 vertical feet below the ground surface in the critical zone using hand tools.</p> <p>1b. MUST Complete subsurface clearance checklist before pre-clearance.</p> <p>1b. Pre-clearing of each soil boring/monitoring well location must be conducted to a minimum of 5 vertical feet below the ground surface (10 feet minimum for Critical Zone) using hand tools (shovel and non-metallic dig bar and hand auger) before drilling. The supervisor should be contacted to discuss the appropriate pre-clearing depth.</p> <p>1c. Be aware of the conditions when walking or loading equipment and working. Walk within an established pathway, avoiding uneven surfaces. Remove potential slip, trip, and fall hazards.</p>			
2. Mobilize/demobilize and establish a work area	2a. SEE MOBILIZATION / DEMOBILIZATION JSA – GEN-015	2a. See Mobilization / Demobilization JSA.			
3. Concrete saw cutting, jackhammer, and hand clearance with hand tools, air knife	<p>3a. CONTACT: Flying debris striking the face or body</p> <p>3b. EXPOSURE: Inhalation/exposure to hazardous vapors and/or concrete dust, noise exposure</p>	<p>3a. Maintain a 10' minimum exclusion zone. Use the required PPE (i.e., cut-resistant gloves, safety glasses, and face shield).</p> <p>3a. Use anti-whip devices on compressor hoses. Ensure hose couplings are secure.</p> <p>3a. Wear a face shield to protect your face from flying debris when using the air knife.</p> <p>3a. Utilize a traffic cone, cage, or physical barriers over the hole during air knife activities to keep flying debris close to the ground.</p> <p>3b. Monitor breathing zone with a calibrated PID and/or multi-gas meter. If meters sustain readings greater than recommended in the HASP for the specific contaminant of concern (COCs), the Roux field personnel must temporarily cease work and instruct all Site personnel to step away from the area of elevated readings. Contact PM.</p> <p>3b. Wet concrete while using a saw to minimize dust, and may require donning respiratory protection.</p> <p>3b. Stand upwind and keep your body behind the saw. Observers and helpers should stay out of the line of fire from the saw blade. Always cut away from the body.</p> <p>3b. No open flames/heat sources.</p> <p>3b. Wear hearing protection when a saw, jackhammer, or air compressor is in operation; otherwise, if sound levels exceed 85 dB, put on hearing protection.</p>			

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	<p>3c. ENERGYSOURCE/CONTACT: Property damage; Pressurized water mains may cause lacerations or broken bones. Pressurized gas mains may explode, causing serious injury or death. Underground electric may cause severe burns, shock, or death.</p> <p>3d. ERGONOMICS/EXERTION: Muscle strain due to poor body positioning when handling equipment and materials</p> <p>3e. FALL: Tripping/falling due to uneven terrain, weather conditions, and materials/equipment stored at the Site</p> <p>3f. CAUGHT: Amputation points associated with the equipment and vacuum hose</p>	<p>3c. For air knifing, ensure extension/lance tip reaches the full 5 feet bgs. Air knife should be advanced AT A MINIMUM in all four corners of the expected boring location to find any possible arrangement of utilities.</p> <p>3c. Ensure the diameter of the soil pre-clearance hole is at a MINIMUM 2x the diameter of any drilling or hard dig equipment that will be entering the hole, which rotates. For direct push applications (CPT, Geoprobe®, etc.), the borehole clearance diameter shall be at least 125% of the diameter of the largest tool being pushed through the subsurface (e.g., tip, rod, sampler, etc.).</p> <p>3c. See the Complete subsurface clearance protocol for information provided above.</p> <p>3d. Use body positioning and lifting techniques that minimize muscle strain; keep back straight, lift with legs, keep load close to body, and never reach with a load.</p> <p>3d. Ensure that loads are balanced to reduce the potential for muscle strain.</p> <p>3d. Two people or a mechanical lifting aid are required when lifting objects over 40 lbs. or when the shape makes the object difficult to lift.</p> <p>3e. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions before mobilizing equipment—mobilization/Demobilization JSA.</p> <p>3e. Do not climb over stored materials/equipment; walk around. Practice good housekeeping.</p> <p>3e. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground.</p> <p>3e. Equipment and tools will be stored at the lowest point of potential energy and out of the walkway and immediate work area (i.e., tools should not be propped against walls or nearby equipment or vehicles).</p> <p>3e. Equipment and tools that are not anticipated to be used will be returned to a storage area that is out of the immediate work area.</p> <p>3e. Ensure power cords and compressed air lines are grouped when used within the work area.</p> <p>3e. The pre-cleared location will be finished flush to grade to prevent a slip/trip hazard, or it will be coned and taped off.</p> <p>3f. Always wear cut-resistant gloves when making connections, using hand tools, or when handling cutting tools.</p> <p>3f. Inspect the equipment before use for potential pinch points.</p> <p>3f. Test all emergency shutdown devices before working with the equipment.</p> <p>3f. Inspect saw blade for worn surface or missing teeth; switch blade if damaged or blunt.</p> <p>3f. Ensure all jewelry is removed, loose clothing is secured, and PPE is secured close to the body.</p> <p>3f. All non-essential personnel shall maintain a 10-foot exclusion zone; position the body out of the line-of-fire of equipment.</p> <p>3f. Drillers and helpers will understand and comply with the "Show Me Your Hands Policy".</p>
<p>4. Move the drum to the staging area using the drum cart</p>	<p>4a. EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Contamination (e.g., Separate Phase Hydrocarbons (SPH), contaminated groundwater, soil)</p> <p>4b. EXERTION: Muscle strain while maneuvering drums with drum cart/lift gate</p> <p>4c. CAUGHT: Pinch points associated with handling the drum lid</p>	<p>4a. Wear Nitrile chemical-resistant gloves under cut-proof gloves.</p> <p>4a. Do not overfill drums. Ensure that the drum lids are attached securely.</p> <p>4a. All drums will be staged in the designated storage area.</p> <p>4b. See 3d. Do not overfill drums. Use the lift gate on the back of the truck to load and unload drums. Use a drum dolly to move the drum.</p> <p>4c. Ensure that fingers are not placed under the lid of the drum. Wear cut resistant gloves. Use appropriate ratchet while sealing drum lid.</p>

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5. Decontaminate equipment.	<p>5a. EXPOSURE/CONTACT: To contamination (e.g., Separate Phase Hydrocarbons (SPH), contaminated groundwater, vapors).</p> <p>5b. EXPOSURE: To chemicals in cleaning solution.</p>	<p>5a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves and safety glasses.</p> <p>5a. Contain decontamination water so that it does not spill.</p> <p>5a. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills, if necessary.</p> <p>5a. Spray equipment from side angle, not straight on, to avoid backsplash.</p> <p>5a. See 3b.</p> <p>5b. See 4a. Review SDS to ensure appropriate precautions are taken and understood.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY GENERIC		WORK TYPE Preclearing/Sampling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Hand Augering		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS SAFETY GLASSES		<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel or composite-toed boots</u>		<input type="checkbox"/> AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATOR <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Long-sleeved high-visibility clothing</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: <u>Cut Resistant level II / Nitrile / Chemical resistant</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT					
Hand Auger Tools (buckets, rods), 5-gallon buckets, hand tools (hammer, etc.)					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS		Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS		Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS	
1. Drive/walk to hand clearing/hand augering location		1a. CONTACT: Property damage and personal injury caused by obstructions/vehicles 1b. FALL: Personal injury from tripping/falling due to uneven terrain, weather conditions, and materials/equipment stored at portions of the Site 1c. EXERTION: Muscle strain/exhaustion while carrying equipment (i.e., hand auger, post-hole digger, shovel, pry bar) 1d. EXPOSURE: Exposure to the sun, possibly causing sunburn. Biological hazards - bees/wasps, poison oak, thorns, insects, etc.		1a. Maintain speed limit on-site. 1a. All equipment must be stowed and secured prior to moving. 1a. Drive on established roadways. 1a. Do not back up the vehicle without a spotter where visibility is limited; use pull-through spots or back into parking spots; use an audible signal (horn/back-up alarm) when backing up vehicles. 1b. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions prior to mobilizing equipment. 1b. Do not climb over stored materials/equipment; walk around. Use established pathways and walk on stable, secure ground. 1b. Use the established ramp when descending into/ascending from impoundment areas. 1b. Keep tools and equipment in a designated area. When not in use, tools and equipment must be returned to their proper storage location. Keep the work area clear of obstructions. 1c. When carrying equipment to/from the work area, use proper lifting techniques; keep back straight, lift with legs, keep the load close to the body, never reach with a load. Ensure that loads are balanced to reduce the potential for muscle strain. Use mechanical assistance or make multiple trips to carry equipment. 1d. Wear sunscreen with an SPF of at least 15 whenever 30 minutes or more of exposure is expected. 1d. Inspect the area to avoid contact with biological hazards. 1d. Wear cut-resistant gloves when handling material, debris, branches, shrubs, etc. that may lie within the walking path. 1d. Avoid any areas on-site that have poison oak.	
Assess 1JOB STEPS		Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS		Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS	
2. Secure location		2a. CONTACT: Personnel and vehicular traffic may enter the work area. 2b. FALL: Tripping/falling due to uneven terrain, and materials /equipment stored within the work area		2a. Delineate the work area with traffic cones and/or caution tape to prevent exposure to traffic and inform others of work activity. 2a. Wear a reflective vest and/or fluorescent clothing. 2a. Face the direction of vehicular traffic. Position the vehicle to protect the worker from traffic. 2a. Communicate work activity with adjacent work areas. 2b. Inspect walking path for uneven terrain, weather-related hazards (i.e., ice, puddles, snow, etc.), and obstructions prior to mobilizing equipment to the impoundments. 2b. Equipment and tools will be staged in a convenient, stable, and orderly manner. 2b. Equipment and tools will be stored at the lowest point of potential energy and out of the walkway and immediate work area (i.e., tools should not be propped against walls or nearby equipment or vehicles). 2b. Equipment and tools that are not anticipated to be used will be returned to an appropriate storage area that is out of the immediate work area.	

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Assess ¹ JOB STEPS	Analyze ² POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act ³ CRITICAL ACTIONS
3. Verify pre-clearance protocol; review completed Subsurface Utility Checklist and utility verification site walkthrough.	3a. ENERGY SOURCE: Underground utility damage; property damage; personal injury	3a. Confirm that "Call Before You Dig"/811 and local utility companies were contacted prior to hand augering. 3a. Walk the Site to evaluate utility markings and review maps.
4. Augering/advancing borehole	4a. EXPOSURE: Contaminated soil/water/vapor 4b. EXERTION: Muscle strain from lifting, bending, repetitive motion. 4c. CAUGHT: Personal injury as a result of jewelry/loose clothing caught on equipment, well covers, machinery, hand auger, pry bar, etc. 4d. CONTACT/CAUGHT: Pinch points, abrasions	4a. Monitor the breathing zone with a PID when VOCs are a concern. If vapors exceed site-specific action levels, upgrade PPE as per the HASP. 4a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves and safety glasses when handling impacted materials. 4a. Place excavated soil on plastic sheeting and store soil waste in a designated area. 4a. Work on the upwind side of the boring. 4b. Body positioning and rotating with the auger to reduce strain. Do not twist back. 4c. No form of jewelry should be worn while on-site. 4c. Clothing must be appropriately sized so that it is not loose-fitting. 4d. Keep head and upper body clear when lifting hand auger, pry bar/post-hole digger. Ensure not to be overly aggressive when using the pry bar. 4d. Ensure all jewelry is removed, loose clothing is secured, and PPE is secured close to the body.
5. Lithologic observation and soil sampling	5a. EXPOSURE: Contact with contamination (impacted soil and/or lab preservatives)	5a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves to protect hands when handling samples; wear safety glasses when on site and/or goggles when handling any preservatives; use containment material or plastic sheeting to protect surrounding areas. 5a. When collecting a soil sample from a hand auger, put a large zip lock bag over the entire auger to prevent the spillage of soil onto the ground. 5a. Open sample jars slowly and fill them carefully to avoid contact with preservatives.
6. Decontaminate equipment	6a. EXPOSURE: Contact with contamination (impacted soil and/or lab preservatives, decontamination solution) 6b. CONTACT/CAUGHT: pinch points and cuts/abrasions	6a. Wear chemical-resistant disposable gloves and safety glasses. 6a. Use an absorbent pad to clean spills. 6a. Properly dispose of used materials/PPE trash bags. 6a. Refer to the SDS for the decontamination solution for proper handling. 6b. Keep fingers/hands out of pinch points when disassembling the hand auger during decontamination.

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY Generic	WORK TYPE Construction	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Spotting Third-Party Traffic			
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/> LIFE VEST <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HARD HAT <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINE / BODY HARNESS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> GOGGLES <input type="checkbox"/> FACE SHIELD <input type="checkbox"/> HEARING PROTECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAFETY SHOES: <u>Steel-/Composite-toe boots</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Particulate Respirator <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLIED RESPIRATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PPE CLOTHING: <u>Fluorescent reflective clothing</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GLOVES: Cut-resistant <u>Level II</u> <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:		
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT					
Traffic cones/ barrels, Handheld stop/slow paddles (1 per spotter), two-way radios as needed					
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY - All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs					
EXCLUSION ZONE (EZ): Maintain a Minimum Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone around equipment, active operations (e.g., excavation, truck loading, etc.), and loads while it is in motion. The HEEZ must be greater than the swing zone of any moving part of the equipment, tip zone of the equipment, fall zone of the equipment and contents, distance that debris may travel during demolition activities, and/or footprint of a structure to be demolished. The HEEZ should not be compromised in any way by third-party traffic.					
Assess 1JOB STEPS	Analyze 2POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act 3CRITICAL ACTIONS			
1. Prepare for heavy equipment operations and/or job activities that require traffic stoppage.	1a. CONTACT: Third-party traffic in and/or adjacent to the work area may create contact hazards with machinery and site personnel. 1b. Fall : Slip/Trip/Fall	1a. Cordon off the work area with safety barrels/cones and a rigid barrier (snow fence, traffic bar, etc.). Ensure that only necessary personnel are in the work area. Spotter and equipment operator shall enforce the EZ . The operator will not operate but shall remain in hands-off mode while personnel are within the exclusion zone. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spotters must agree on communication via voice and hand signals before the activity begins. Spotters must be visible and maintain contact with other spotters. If contact is lost with either spotter, work operations should stop until communication has been re-established. Spotters should never have additional duties while they are spotting. 1a. Spotters must analyze traffic patterns adjacent to the site to assess which traffic direction will need to be redirected and what issues must be resolved before spotting traffic. 1a. The "Traffic Control Point" is a specific location where the spotter is positioned to direct traffic. 1a. Spotters should select an appropriate Traffic Control Point where visibility, directions, and personal safety will be maximized. 1b. Ensure that the Traffic Control Point is flat, level, and clear of any obstructions or debris before beginning spotting operations.			

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<p>2. Spotting third-party traffic during site operations.</p>	<p>2a. CONTACT: Machine or load contact with third-party traffic.</p> <p>2b. FALL: Slip/Trip/Fall</p> <p>2c. CAUGHT: Caught between machinery and nearby objects.</p> <p>2d. EXPOSURE: Inhalation of exhaust from machinery.</p>	<p>2a. Discuss the specifics of the work, limits of the assigned work area, and the machine's Exclusion Zone. Maintain the Exclusion Zone while spotting third-party traffic.</p> <p>2a. Spotters and equipment operators shall have visual/ verbal contact or 2-way radios/cellular devices on their persons to ensure audible communication in the event any changes or new hazards may arise.</p> <p>2a. Spotters must make eye contact with the machine operations and third-party traffic, or all movement ceases until visual contact can be reestablished.</p> <p>2a. Spotter shall keep an eye out for any traffic issues the operator may not see and communicate with other work crews and spotters accordingly.</p> <p>2a. If the spotter needs to take a break, he must find a replacement before leaving or stop operations. Operations that may contact third-party traffic shall not be performed without a spotter under any circumstances.</p> <p>2a. Wear fluorescent clothing/safety vest. Handheld stop/ slow paddles (1 per spotter) are required for spotting third-party traffic.</p> <p>2a. Establish traffic control by performing all signals/movements with precision and ensuring drivers obey signals.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break traffic at natural gaps whenever possible to direct opposite sides of traffic • Maintain consistency in the time you allow each direction of traffic to travel. Prioritize major routes over secondary routes. • If breaks do not occur, allow traffic to accumulate on opposite sides of the road before directing it to move. • Allow right turns whenever they do not interfere with traffic and pedestrians. • Make sure opposite lanes are stopped before allowing left turns to be made. <p>2a. Do not multitask. Only perform Spotting.</p> <p>2b. Look where you are walking to identify and avoid slip/trip/fall hazards. Avoid icy and/or wet surfaces. Remove obstacles if possible.</p> <p>2b. Use designated walkways during spotting whenever possible.</p> <p>2b. Do not walk backwards. Always face the direction towards which you are walking.</p> <p>2c. Maintain Exclusion Zone. Do not stand between large, loose, or fixed objects or structures and the machinery while it is in motion. Keep in sight of the operator at all times while being aware of surrounding structures.</p> <p>2d. The spotter will position themselves upwind of the working machinery, when possible. Spotter will also inform others working within the vicinity of the EZ of proper positioning, if applicable.</p>

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JSA TYPE CATEGORY: GENERIC	WORK TYPE Installation and Sampling	WORK ACTIVITY (Description) Sub-Slab Vapor Pin Installation & Sampling		
REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT				
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REQUIRED AND / OR RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT				
Rotary Hammer Drill, HEPA Dust Extractor for Rotary Hammer Drill, Drilling Dust Shroud & HEPA Vacuum, Portable Generator (as needed), Soil Vapor Pin Mallet/Screwdriver, Silicone Tubing, Flush Seal, Summa Canisters and Flow Controllers, Photo Ionization Detector (PID), Tubing Cutter, Safety Cones, Caution Tape or Retractable Cone Bars				
COMMITMENT TO SAFETY- All personnel onsite will actively participate in hazard recognition and mitigation throughout the day by verbalizing LMRAs.				
Work Zone (WZ): A 10-foot exclusion zone will be maintained and delineated for non-essential personnel.				

Assess ¹ JOB STEPS	Analyze ² POTENTIAL HAZARDS	Act ³ CRITICAL ACTIONS
1. Define and secure a work area.	1. Refer to Mobilization/Demobilization JSA Gen-015 1a. EXPOSURE: Carbon monoxide exposure is associated with the operation of portable generators. 1b. Contact: Energized utilities	1a. When staging a portable generator (if applicable), an outdoor location adjacent to the work area will be selected, and appropriate extension cords will be used to provide energy to the equipment. Portable generators shall not be used indoors. 1a. Place the generator at least 20 feet from the entrance to the building, with exhaust pointing away from the building. 1a. If there is potential for CO re-entrainment, use a multi-gas meter to screen the work zone for CO. 1b. Follow procedures outlined in the Subsurface Utility Clearance Management Program
2. Core through the concrete floor slab using a rotary hammer drill.	2a. CONTACT: Contact with the drill bit and the spinning rotary hammer drill. 2b. FALL: Potential tripping hazards are associated with the electrical power cord. 2c. ERGONOMICS: Physical strain of coring through concrete. 2d. EXPOSURE: Silica and particulate matter are generated during the coring of concrete and quartz-containing materials. Potential of exposure due to contact with subsurface utilities. Loud noises from drilling through slabs. 2e. ENERGY SOURCE: Avoid electrical shock when operating the Rotary Hammer Drill.	2a. Keep hands away from the rotary hammer drill bit and only operate from the handle. The drill can spin around and make contact with personnel, and it should be held with a firm grip. 2a. Wear cut-resistant gloves, face shield, and safety glasses. 2b. Place cones or delineators around the power cord to demarcate potential tripping hazards. Keep cords out of walking paths. 2c. Use body positioning and bending techniques that minimize muscle strain; keep back straight, bend at the knees. 2c. Utilize knee pads or kneeling pads while using the rotary hammer drill. 2d. Always use a drill equipped with a dust shroud and HEPA vacuum/dust collection system during drilling as an engineering control for silica exposure 2d. See 1b. 2d. Use hearing protection (i.e., earplugs/earmuffs) when operating the Rotary Hammer Drill. 2e. Always use a rotary hammer drill with appropriate extension cords and only plug into ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) outlets. 2e. Do not run cords through puddles or water. 2e. Inspect equipment lines and cords for visible damage and fraying before operation of the drill. Remove the drill from operation if it is damaged.

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3. Install sub-slab pin fitted with silicone sleeve.	<p>3a. CAUGHT/CRUSHED: Potential for getting caught between the top of the pin and a flush-mounted cap, and underneath the soil pin mallet.</p> <p>3b. ERGONOMICS: Physical strain related to working on the ground. Repetitive motions.</p> <p>3c. EXPOSURE: Loud sounds are often associated with the hammering of metal objects together.</p> <p>3d. CONTACT: Potential contact with broken concrete fragments</p>	<p>3a. Wear cut-resistant gloves</p> <p>3a. Keep an eye on the hammering surface at all times to avoid striking nearby objects unintentionally.</p> <p>3b. See 2c.</p> <p>3b. Take breaks and stretch after conducting a task multiple times throughout the day.</p> <p>3b. Switch out the staff conducting the sampling activities. Take turns so that repetitive motions do not cause aching or muscle strain.</p> <p>3c. Use hearing protection (i.e., earplugs) when the hammer drill is in operation.</p> <p>3d. Use a HEPA vacuum to clean the area and clear the concrete pieces. Keep safety glasses on during installation.</p>
4. Conduct leak testing	<p>4a. ERGONOMICS: Physical strain related to working at or near ground level.</p> <p>4b. FALLS: S/T/F hazards are associated with equipment staged on the floor.</p> <p>4c. EXPOSURE: Leak check compound (e.g., 1,1 – DFA).</p>	<p>4a. See 3b.</p> <p>4b. Watch your steps when moving around the work area and ensure the area is free of unused tools on the ground—place tools in a designated bucket.</p> <p>4b. Maintain good housekeeping within the work area.</p> <p>4b. If any liquids or slippery substances spill in the work area, clean them up immediately.</p> <p>4c. Review SDS for any chemical used—Don nitrile gloves when handling. Ensure proper ventilation is present and site personnel are not located near the work area.</p>
5. Set up soil vapor sampling equipment.	<p>5a. FALL: Tripping hazards are associated with equipment and tubing.</p> <p>5b. CONTACT: Pinch points associated with handling equipment.</p> <p>5c. ERGONOMICS: Physical strain related to working at or near ground level.</p>	<p>5a. See 4b.</p> <p>5a. Keep tubing slack to a minimum and locate the summa canister as close to the sampling location as possible.</p> <p>5a. Avoid stepping over equipment and tubing. Maintain proper housekeeping to avoid S/T/F.</p> <p>5b. Wear cut-resistant gloves, keep hands out of potential pinch points.</p> <p>5c. See 2c.</p>
6. Cleaning Work Area.	<p>6a. FALL: Tripping hazards are associated with equipment and tubing.</p> <p>6b. CONTACT: Storing and transporting equipment in a car.</p> <p>6c. Ergonomics: Muscle strain during demobilization.</p>	<p>6a. See 4b.</p> <p>6b. Ensure that the equipment is placed securely in the vehicle. Do not stack equipment on top of each other—secure equipment so that it will not slide while being transported.</p> <p>6b. Wear cut-resistant gloves while handling/loading equipment.</p> <p>6c. See 2c.</p>

¹ Each Job or Operation consists of a set of tasks / steps. Be sure to list all the steps needed to perform job.

² A hazard is a potential danger. Break hazards into six types: Contact - victim is struck by or strikes an object; Caught - victim is caught on, caught in or caught between objects; Fall - victim falls to ground or lower level (includes slips and trips); Exertion - excessive strain or stress / ergonomics / lifting techniques; Exposure - inhalation/skin hazards; Energy Source – Electricity, pressure, tension/compression, torque.

³ Using the first two columns as a guide, decide what actions or procedures are necessary to eliminate or minimize the risk. List the recommended safe operating procedures. Say exactly what needs to be done - such as "use two persons to lift". Avoid general statements such as, "be careful".

Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) for Chemicals Used

Danger



SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name : Isobutene
SDS no : SDS-076-CLP
Chemical description : Isobutene
CAS-No. : 115-11-7
EC-No. : 204-066-3
EC Index-No. : 601-012-00-4
Registration-No. : 01-2119456616-32
Chemical formula : C₄H₈ / CH₂=C(CH₃)₂

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses : Industrial and professional uses. Perform risk assessment prior to use.
Test gas/Calibration gas.
Chemical reaction / Synthesis.
Laboratory use.
Contact supplier for more information on uses.

Uses advised against : Consumer use.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification : Air Liquide UK Ltd
Station Road, Coleshill
Birmingham, B46 1JY

E-Mail address (competent person) : david.hopper@airliquide.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : 01675 462695 (Available 24/7)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Physical hazards	Flammable gases, Category 1	H220
	Gases under pressure : Liquefied gas	H280

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



Signal word (CLP) :

Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) :

H220 - Extremely flammable gas.
H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated.

Precautionary statements (CLP)

- Prevention : P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
- Response : P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely.
P381 - In case of leakage, eliminate all ignition sources.
- Storage : P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place.

2.3. Other hazards

: Contact with liquid may cause cold burns/frostbite.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Isobutene	(CAS-No.) 115-11-7 (EC-No.) 204-066-3 (EC Index-No.) 601-012-00-4 (Registration-No.) 01-2119456616-32	100	Flam. Gas 1, H220 Press. Gas (Liq.), H280

Contains no other components or impurities which will influence the classification of the product.

3.2. Mixtures

: Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- Inhalation : Remove victim to uncontaminated area wearing self contained breathing apparatus. Keep victim warm and rested. Call a doctor. Perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation if breathing stopped.
- Skin contact : In case of frostbite spray with water for at least 15 minutes. Apply a sterile dressing. Obtain medical assistance.
- Eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes.
- Ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

: Refer to section 11.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

: None.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media**

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray or fog.
Dry powder.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide.
Do not use water jet to extinguish.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Specific hazards : Exposure to fire may cause containers to rupture/explode.
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon monoxide.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Specific methods : Use fire control measures appropriate for the surrounding fire. Exposure to fire and heat radiation may cause gas receptacles to rupture. Cool endangered receptacles with water spray jet from a protected position. Prevent water used in emergency cases from entering sewers and drainage systems.
If possible, stop flow of product.
Use water spray or fog to knock down fire fumes if possible.
Do not extinguish a leaking gas flame unless absolutely necessary. Spontaneous/explosive re-ignition may occur. Extinguish any other fire.
Move containers away from the fire area if this can be done without risk.
- Special protective equipment for fire fighters : In confined space use self-contained breathing apparatus.
Standard protective clothing and equipment (Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire fighters.
Standard EN 137 - Self-contained open-circuit compressed air breathing apparatus with full face mask.
Standard EN 469 - Protective clothing for firefighters. Standard - EN 659: Protective gloves for firefighters.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

- : Try to stop release.
Evacuate area.
Monitor concentration of released product.
Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres.
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering area unless atmosphere is proved to be safe.
Eliminate ignition sources.
Ensure adequate air ventilation.
Prevent from entering sewers, basements and workpits, or any place where its accumulation can be dangerous.
Act in accordance with local emergency plan.
Stay upwind.

6.2. Environmental precautions

- : Try to stop release.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- : Ventilate area.

6.4. Reference to other sections

- : See also sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Safe use of the product

- : Do not breathe gas.
- Avoid release of product into atmosphere.
- The product must be handled in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.
- Only experienced and properly instructed persons should handle gases under pressure.
- Consider pressure relief device(s) in gas installations.
- Ensure the complete gas system was (or is regularly) checked for leaks before use.
- Do not smoke while handling product.
- Use only properly specified equipment which is suitable for this product, its supply pressure and temperature. Contact your gas supplier if in doubt.
- Avoid suck back of water, acid and alkalis.
- Assess the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres and the need for explosion-proof equipment.
- Purge air from system before introducing gas.
- Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
- Keep away from ignition sources (including static discharges).
- Consider the use of only non-sparking tools.
- Ensure equipment is adequately earthed.

Safe handling of the gas receptacle

- : Refer to supplier's container handling instructions.
- Do not allow backfeed into the container.
- Protect cylinders from physical damage; do not drag, roll, slide or drop.
- When moving cylinders, even for short distances, use a cart (trolley, hand truck, etc.) designed to transport cylinders.
- Leave valve protection caps in place until the container has been secured against either a wall or bench or placed in a container stand and is ready for use.
- If user experiences any difficulty operating valve discontinue use and contact supplier.
- Never attempt to repair or modify container valves or safety relief devices.
- Damaged valves should be reported immediately to the supplier.
- Keep container valve outlets clean and free from contaminants particularly oil and water.
- Replace valve outlet caps or plugs and container caps where supplied as soon as container is disconnected from equipment.
- Close container valve after each use and when empty, even if still connected to equipment.
- Never attempt to transfer gases from one cylinder/container to another.
- Never use direct flame or electrical heating devices to raise the pressure of a container.
- Do not remove or deface labels provided by the supplier for the identification of the content of the container.
- Suck back of water into the container must be prevented.
- Open valve slowly to avoid pressure shock.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- : Observe all regulations and local requirements regarding storage of containers.
- Containers should not be stored in conditions likely to encourage corrosion.
- Container valve guards or caps should be in place.
- Containers should be stored in the vertical position and properly secured to prevent them from falling over.
- Stored containers should be periodically checked for general condition and leakage.
- Keep container below 50°C in a well ventilated place.
- Store containers in location free from fire risk and away from sources of heat and ignition.
- Keep away from combustible materials.
- Segregate from oxidant gases and other oxidants in store.
- All electrical equipment in the storage areas should be compatible with the risk of a potentially explosive atmosphere.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

: None.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Isobutene (115-11-7)	
DNEL: Derived no effect level (Workers)	
Long-term - local effects, inhalation	768.7 mg/m ³
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	769 mg/m ³

PNEC (Predicted No-Effect Concentration) : None established.

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

- : Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.
- Product to be handled in a closed system.
- Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages.
- Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available).
- Gas detectors should be used when flammable gases/vapours may be released.
- Consider the use of a work permit system e.g. for maintenance activities.

8.2.2. Individual protection measures, e.g. personal protective equipment

- : A risk assessment should be conducted and documented in each work area to assess the risks related to the use of the product and to select the PPE that matches the relevant risk. The following recommendations should be considered:
- PPE compliant to the recommended EN/ISO standards should be selected.

- Eye/face protection : Wear goggles when transfilling or breaking transfer connections.
Standard EN 166 - Personal eye-protection - specifications.
- Skin protection
 - Hand protection : Wear working gloves when handling gas containers.
Standard EN 388 - Protective gloves against mechanical risk.
Wear cold insulating gloves when transfilling or breaking transfer connections.
 - Other : Consider the use of flame resistant anti-static safety clothing.
Standard EN ISO 14116 - Limited flame spread materials.
Standard EN 1149-5 - Protective clothing: Electrostatic properties.
Wear safety shoes while handling containers.
Standard EN ISO 20345 - Personal protective equipment - Safety footwear.

- Respiratory protection : Gas filters may be used if all surrounding conditions e.g. type and concentration of the contaminant(s) and duration of use are known.
Use gas filters with full face mask, where exposure limits may be exceeded for a short-term period, e.g. connecting or disconnecting containers.
Recommended: Filter AX (brown).
Gas filters do not protect against oxygen deficiency.
Standard EN 14387 - Gas filter(s), combined filter(s) and standard EN136, full face masks .
- Thermal hazards : None in addition to the above sections.

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

- : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for specific methods for waste gas treatment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Appearance

• Physical state at 20°C / 101.3kPa	: Gas
• Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: Sweetish. Poor warning properties at low concentrations.
Odour threshold	: Odour threshold is subjective and inadequate to warn of overexposure.
pH	: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.
Melting point / Freezing point	: -140.3 °C
Boiling point	: -7.1 °C
Flash point	: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.
Evaporation rate	: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Extremely flammable gas.
Explosive limits	: 1.6 - 10 vol %
Vapour pressure [20°C]	: 2.6 bar(a)
Vapour pressure [50°C]	: 6.05 bar(a)
Vapour density	: Not applicable.
Relative density, liquid (water=1)	: 0.63
Relative density, gas (air=1)	: 2
Water solubility	: 388 mg/l
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: 2.35
Auto-ignition temperature	: 465 °C
Decomposition temperature	: Not applicable.
Viscosity	: No reliable data available.
Explosive properties	: Not applicable.
Oxidising properties	: Not applicable.

9.2. Other information

Molar mass	: 56 g/mol
Critical temperature [°C]	: 145 °C
Other data	: Gas/vapour heavier than air. May accumulate in confined spaces, particularly at or below ground level.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

: No reactivity hazard other than the effects described in sub-sections below.

10.2. Chemical stability

: Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions: Can form explosive mixture with air.
May react violently with oxidants.**10.4. Conditions to avoid**: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking.
Avoid moisture in installation systems.**10.5. Incompatible materials**: Air, Oxidisers.
For additional information on compatibility refer to ISO 11114.**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1. Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity** : Toxicological effects not expected from this product if occupational exposure limit values are not exceeded.

LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	≥ 10000
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Skin corrosion/irritation	: No known effects from this product.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: No known effects from this product.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: No known effects from this product.
Germ cell mutagenicity	: No known effects from this product.
Carcinogenicity	: No known effects from this product.
Toxic for reproduction : Fertility	: No known effects from this product.
Toxic for reproduction : unborn child	: No known effects from this product.
STOT-single exposure	: No known effects from this product.
STOT-repeated exposure	: No known effects from this product.
Aspiration hazard	: Not applicable for gases and gas mixtures.

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1. Toxicity****Assessment** : No ecological damage caused by this product.

EC50 48h - Daphnia magna [mg/l] : No data available.

EC50 72h - Algae [mg/l] : No data available.

LC50 96 h - Fish [mg/l] : No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability**Assessment** : The substance is readily biodegradable. Unlikely to persist.**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

Assessment : Not expected to bioaccumulate due to the low log Kow (log Kow < 4).
Refer to section 9.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Assessment : Because of its high volatility, the product is unlikely to cause ground or water pollution.
Partition into soil is unlikely.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Assessment : Not classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects : No known effects from this product.
Effect on the ozone layer : None.
Effect on global warming : No known effects from this product.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Contact supplier if guidance is required.
Do not discharge into areas where there is a risk of forming an explosive mixture with air.
Waste gas should be flared through a suitable burner with flash back arrestor.
Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous.
Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded.
Refer to the EIGA code of practice Doc.30 "Disposal of Gases", downloadable at <http://www.eiga.org> for more guidance on suitable disposal methods.
Return unused product in original container to supplier.

List of hazardous waste codes (from Commission Decision 2000/532/EC as amended) : 16 05 04 *: Gases in pressure containers (including halons) containing hazardous substances.

13.2. Additional information

: External treatment and disposal of waste should comply with applicable local and/or national regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

UN-No. : 1055

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : ISOBUTYLENE
Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : Isobutylene
Transport by sea (IMDG) : ISOBUTYLENE

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Labelling :



2.1 : Flammable gases.

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID)

Class	: 2
Classification code	: 2F
Hazard identification number	: 23
Tunnel Restriction	: B/D - Tank carriage : Passage forbidden through tunnels of category B, C, D and E. Other carriage : Passage forbidden through tunnels of category D and E

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)

Class / Div. (Sub. risk(s)) : 2.1

Transport by sea (IMDG)

Class / Div. (Sub. risk(s)) : 2.1

Emergency Schedule (EmS) - Fire : F-D

Emergency Schedule (EmS) - Spillage : S-U

14.4. Packing group

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : Not applicable

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : Not applicable

Transport by sea (IMDG) : Not applicable

14.5. Environmental hazards

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : None.

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR) : None.

Transport by sea (IMDG) : None.

14.6. Special precautions for user**Packing Instruction(s)**

Transport by road/rail (ADR/RID) : P200

Transport by air (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)

Passenger and Cargo Aircraft : Forbidden.

Cargo Aircraft only : 200.

Transport by sea (IMDG) : P200

Special transport precautions : Avoid transport on vehicles where the load space is not separated from the driver's compartment.
Ensure vehicle driver is aware of the potential hazards of the load and knows what to do in the event of an accident or an emergency.
Before transporting product containers:
- Ensure there is adequate ventilation.
- Ensure that containers are firmly secured.
- Ensure valve is closed and not leaking.
- Ensure valve outlet cap nut or plug (where provided) is correctly fitted.
- Ensure valve protection device (where provided) is correctly fitted.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

: Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU-Regulations**

Restrictions on use : None.

Other information, restriction and prohibition regulations : Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Seveso Directive : 2012/18/EU (Seveso III) : Listed.

National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

: A CSA has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes : Revised safety data sheet in accordance with commission regulation (EU) No 2015/830.

Abbreviations and acronyms : ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate
CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
REACH - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006
EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service number
LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population
RMM - Risk Management Measures
PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
STOT- SE : Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure
CSA - Chemical Safety Assessment
EN - European Standard
UN - United Nations
ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
IATA - International Air Transport Association
IMDG code - International Maritime Dangerous Goods
RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
WGK - Water Hazard Class
STOT - RE : Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure

Training advice : Ensure operators understand the flammability hazard.

Further information : This Safety Data Sheet has been established in accordance with the applicable European Union legislation.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY : Before using this product in any new process or experiment, a thorough material compatibility and safety study should be carried out.
Details given in this document are believed to be correct at the time of going to press.
Whilst proper care has been taken in the preparation of this document, no liability for injury or damage resulting from its use can be accepted.

Heat Illness Prevention Program

**HEAT ILLNESS
PREVENTION PROGRAM**

CORPORATE HEALTH AND SAFETY DIRECTOR : Brian Hobbs, CIH, CSP
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1. PURPOSE

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated **companies**, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C, and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”) has established this heat illness prevention program to assist in preventing workplace accidents, injuries, and illnesses associated with temperature extremes. Roux is committed to taking every precaution to protect employees who might be exposed to heat stress, including establishing safe work practices, heat illness prevention controls, and emergency preparedness, which will be detailed in this plan.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

Roux’s Heat Illness Prevention Program applies to all employees who may be exposed to heat stress in the field.

3. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Heat Illness Prevention Program Administrator for Roux is the Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD), Brian Hobbs, CIH, CSP. The daily administration of the program is delegated to the Operations Manager (OM) and Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM). The CHSD has the authority, responsibility, and overall accountability for the comprehensive implementation of this program.

All managers and supervisors shall implement and maintain the heat illness prevention program in work areas where there is a potential for heat stress.

Management Responsibilities

Management (i.e., Project Managers, Project Principals, OM) must provide the following to promote compliance and foster a good safety culture:

- Comply with applicable standards.
- Inform employees of the provisions of the heat illness prevention program and ensure understanding.
- Provide sufficient water, shade, rest areas, and other heat illness controls for employees.
- Assist with establishing work practices to minimize heat stress risks, such as acclimatization, required rest periods, employee monitoring, and strategic scheduling.
- Encourage employees to report hazardous conditions or heat illness symptoms.
- Provide training to any employee who could possibly be exposed to the risk of heat illness.

Employee Responsibilities

Employees are expected to actively participate in the organization’s heat illness prevention program, which includes the following responsibilities:

- Receive appropriate training with regard to heat stress.
- Understand core concepts of heat illness prevention and follow guidelines to mitigate risks.
- Recognize the signs and symptoms of heat illness and immediately report them.
- Cooperate with workplace inspections and incident investigations.

Effective Communication

All Roux employees shall be accountable for ensuring there is effective communication with both the field team and their subcontractors. Communication between Roux employees project leads (e.g., Project Principal, Project Managers) and subcontractors (if applicable) will be established and maintained so that employees can quickly

contact should there be a change in condition or someone at the Site exhibits signs/symptoms of heat stress. These types of incidents would follow Roux's Incident Investigation and Reporting Management Program 2.12 and Roux's Injury Illness Prevention Program 2.22.

4. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND ASSESSMENT

Prior to scheduled fieldwork, the project team shall ensure a hazard assessment is conducted as it relates to heat stress. This will include a determination of how much heat and exertion employees are likely to be exposed to based on the work activity.

Factors that can increase heat stress include the following:

- Temperatures at the work site;
- Humidity;
- A lack of air movement or exchange;
- The amount of time employees spend working in the heat;
- The time of day work takes place;
- Sources of radiant heat (e.g., sunlight, fire, or hot furnace);
- Work activities that produce heat (e.g., welding);
- Physical contact with warm or hot objects or liquids;
- The clothing and PPE employees are required to wear; and/or
- Physically strenuous work.

Results of the hazard analysis should be used to determine appropriate controls for mitigating heat stress, whenever possible, for planning acclimatization, and for developing work schedules that rotate workers to limit employee exposure. Typically, the Site Supervisor (SS) or Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO) shall conduct worksite observations to ensure all employees follow heat illness prevention procedures and that hazards are sufficiently controlled. However, all employees should be continuously evaluating work site conditions and be able to recognize heat stressors in order to prevent heat illnesses.

5. TRAINING

All Roux employees shall be trained on the topics listed below prior to beginning work, which may potentially expose workers to heat stress.

Training Topics

- The environmental, behavioral, and personal risk factors for heat illness, such as radiant heat sources, exertion, clothing and PPE, and use of alcohol or drugs.
- Types of heat illnesses, common symptoms, and appropriate emergency response for each.
- The knowledge that mild symptoms may quickly become more severe or life-threatening.
- The importance of immediately reporting any signs or symptoms of heat illness to the supervisor.
- The employer's responsibility to provide shade, water, access to first aid, and cool-down rests during work and the employee's freedom to exercise their rights under this standard without fear of retaliation.

- The employer's heat stress plan and its procedures:
 - Procedures for employees who are newly assigned to work in high-heat areas.
 - The organization's acclimatization methods, as applicable.
 - Heatwave procedures.
 - Heat illness and emergency response, including contact information.
- The importance of frequent consumption of water and the taking of rest breaks.
- How heat illness prevention applies to employees' specific tasks.

Increasing Training Effectiveness:

- The SS/SHSO will hold daily tailgates with the field team to go over daily work tasks and basic safety information including Job Safety Analysis (JSA) review as well as incorporate elements such as current weather and effects on the work activities for the day.
- If a heat wave or high heat is anticipated, OHSMs and/or OMs will provide communications to Roux employees prior to their shifts and remind them of any special high heat procedures.

6. DRINKING WATER

Employees shall be given access to potable drinking water. Access to water will be provided as near as possible to where employees are working, and there shall be enough locations so employees will have sufficient water. Water should be fresh and pure, free of taste or smell that would discourage employees from drinking, comfortably cool, and obtained from an approved source.

The recommendation is that during warm or hot weather, employees drink four 8-ounce glasses of water, or a total of one quart per hour, throughout the entire work shift. Easy access to sufficient potable drinking water throughout the work shift encourages employees to drink.

During a heat wave, water shall be replenished more often to keep available and cool. Water containers (and all spouts and levers) must be kept clean. If able, provide single-use drinking cups with appropriate waste receptacles. Accessible sanitation facilities shall also be maintained at work Sites as appropriate.

SS/SHSO is responsible for the following:

- Drink sufficient water before, during, and after work shifts to maintain hydration.
- Encourage frequent drinking of small amounts of water throughout the shift. In high-heat environments, remind field staff and subcontractors that drinking extra water may be necessary.
- Discourage the choice of drinks with caffeine or sugar that may possibly dehydrate employees instead of water. Also, discourage the drinking of alcohol.
- Monitor the water supply.
- If employees become dehydrated and are unable to alleviate symptoms with the steps below, get them immediate medical attention.

Field Staff/Subcontractors are responsible for the following:

- Drink sufficient water before, during, and after work shifts to maintain hydration. Drink up to 4 cups of water per hour, especially during hot weather.
- Be aware that in high-heat situations, you may need to drink more water.

- Monitor yourself and others for signs of dehydration. If you feel dehydrated:
 - Follow Roux’s Incident Notification Flowchart;
 - Rest in the shaded resting area; and
 - Drink water in small amounts, but frequently.

7. ACCESS TO SHADE

Access to shaded areas will be provided to Roux staff, as needed. Employees are encouraged to use these areas when they feel overheated. Roux’s SS/SHSO shall oversee the proper implementation of shaded areas and will communicate these locations on a daily basis with the Field Team.

Depending on the Site, shaded areas can include the following:

- Pop-up Tents
- Canopies
- Umbrellas
- Structures mechanically ventilated or open to air movement
 - Garage
- Conex-mounted RV canopies
- Full and thick tree canopies that block direct sunlight
- Buildings
- Enclosed areas only if they provide cooling comparable to shade in open-air
 - Vehicles with air conditioning

Shaded Area Requirements

The shade shall be strong enough to cool employees down and other shadows should not be visible in the shade. The shade will be provided by Roux when the air temperature exceeds 80°F. If the temperature is less than 80°F, shade will be available and provided upon request. The SS/SHSO will monitor conditions to determine when the air will exceed (and is exceeding) 80°F. For most Sites, air will be monitored hourly and shade will be set up immediately if 80°F is exceeded.

Shade shall be located as close as practical to areas where employees are working and is easily accessible. These areas will be considered safe and free from other hazards. Shaded areas should be large enough to accommodate all employees who are on a break, resting, or recovering without crowding. Should natural vegetation be used for shade, the SS/SHSO will evaluate shade for effectiveness.

Field Staff Responsibilities

Field Staff should take ordinary rest breaks in the shaded areas and monitor themselves for signs of heat stress, and go to the shaded area when they need to cool down. Any issues or problems with shaded areas should be reported to the SS/SHSO for the Site.

If shaded areas are used for a preventative cool-down, the SS/SHSO will ensure the affected employees will remain in the shade until they begin to feel better. The SS/SHSO will continue to monitor the employees and ask them if

they are experiencing symptoms of a heat illness. Employees shall not be sent back to work before symptoms have ended and at a minimum at least 10 minutes of rest.

8. MONITORING AND SCHEDULING

Monitoring

The SS/SHSO and Field Team will continue to monitor themselves and others for signs of heat illness. The SS/SHSO will monitor when the air temperature exceeds 80°F. Throughout the summer, weather and temperature will be monitored at least two weeks ahead, and the work schedule will be planned to accommodate the expected weather.

Scheduling

Scheduling accommodations may include:

- Working during cooler hours of the day
- Working at night
- Stopping work early
- Rescheduling work activities
- Increasing frequency of breaks

In general, strenuous work activities shall be rescheduled to the coolest parts of the day.

Special precautions are required for temperatures above 80°F, 95°F, and heat waves. These precautions are provided in the sections below.

9. ACCLIMATIZATION AND NEW EMPLOYEE PROCEDURES

Roux requires employees to be acclimatized in order for them to better tolerate heat in the workplace. Acclimatization is the physical process of adapting to a different thermal environment, allowing a better toleration of heat. Acclimatization procedures require gradual exposure that gives the employee time to adjust to each level of exposure. Acclimatization is essential for new employees but is necessary for all employees when the temperature significantly changes. Heat stress is much more likely if these procedures are not followed.

The SS/SHSO is responsible for observing new employees during their first 14 days of employment in high-heat areas.

Re-acclimatization is necessary if employees are absent from high-heat environments for a week or more or the temperature increases significantly.

10. HEATWAVE AND EXTREME HEAT PROCEDURES

Heat Wave Procedures

A heat wave is defined as consistent temperatures over 80°F or if the temperature is 10° higher than the average daily temperatures in the preceding 5 days.

SS/SHSO and Project Management (e.g., PP, PM) shall closely observe and monitor employees during a heat wave. The Field Teams should institute a ratio of one SS to 20 or fewer employees, a mandatory buddy system, or

a consistent practice for supervisors to check on employees. Pre-shift meetings to review high-heat procedures with employees will be carried out to emphasize work-rest schedules, drinking water, shade, etc.

Extreme Heat Procedures

When work-site temperatures equal or exceed 95°F, the employer will enact extreme heat procedures:

- Employees will be closely observed by the SS/SHSO for signs of heat illness. New employees will be supervised for acclimatization.
- Effective communication and monitoring will be assured through the use of periodic check-ins with the SS/SHSO via phone. Communications between employees and Project Management (e.g., PP/PM) will be established and maintained. Mandatory 10-minute break periods are required for every two hours worked. SS/SHSO must enforce this rule.
- Pre-shift safety tailgate meetings will occur to review procedures and to remind employees to drink water and take cool-down rests if needed. SS/SHSO shall remind employees to rest and drink water. Employees should drink more water than usual.

11. EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROCEDURES

Roux is dedicated to providing prompt appropriate care for all employees who report or show symptoms of heat illness. If an employee shows signs of heat illness, they will be monitored and shall not be left alone or sent home without being offered first aid or emergency medical services. If on-Site personnel require any medical treatment, the following steps will be taken:

1. Notify Roux's Project and Corporate Management Team for any work-related injury and/or illness occurrence, and communicate with the contracted Occupational Health Care Management Provider, AllOne Health (AOH), immediately following the notifications provided above.
2. Based on discussions with the Project Team, Corporate Management, and the AOH evaluation, if medical attention beyond onsite First Aid is warranted, transport the injured / ill person (IP) to the Urgent Care Center, or notify the Fire Department or Ambulance Emergency service and request an ambulance or transport the victim to the hospital, and continue communications with Corporate Management Team. An Urgent Care/Hospital Route map with locations and directions is provided within Site Specific Health and Safety Plans.
3. First aid medical support will be provided by onsite personnel trained and certified in First Aid, Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), Automatic External Defibrillation (AED), and Blood-Borne Pathogens (BBP) Awareness, until relieved by emergency medical services (EMS).
4. The SHSO and Project Manager will perform a Loss Investigation (LI) and the Project Team will complete the final Loss Report.

12. HEAT-RELATED ILLNESSES

Heat Stress

Heat stress is a significant potential hazard and can be associated with heavy physical activity and/or the use of personal protective equipment (PPE) in hot-weather environments. For these reasons, the company will provide potable drinking water and access to shade or other areas of relief (i.e., air-conditioned vehicles and work trailers). Supervisors, prior to supervising personnel in the field as well as all personnel involved with the fieldwork of a project, are trained in this HASP that includes preventing heat-related illnesses and the below procedures in response to heat-related symptoms and illness. Since much of our work is dependent upon environmental factors beyond our control, we must closely monitor air temperature and humidity and be aware of avoiding radiant heat sources and providing as much air circulation as possible wherever we work. Physical factors that need to be evaluated as part of our Job Safety Analysis (JSA) reviews include the level of physical activity and duration of work

and the type (i.e., color, weight breathability) of the clothing we select. In addition, personal factors such as age, weight, fitness, drug/alcohol use, and prior history of heat-related illness need to be considered.

Heat cramps are brought on by prolonged exposure to heat. As an individual sweats, water and salts are lost by the body, resulting in painful muscle cramps. The signs and symptoms of heat stress are as follows:

- Severe muscle cramps, usually in the legs and abdomen;
- Exhaustion, often to the point of collapse; and
- Dizziness or periods of faintness.

First aid treatment includes, but is not limited to, shade, rest, and fluid replacement. Typically, the individual should recover within one-half hour while being monitored constantly. If the individual has not improved substantially within 30 minutes and the body temperature has not decreased, the individual should be transported to a hospital for medical attention.

Heat Exhaustion

Heat exhaustion may occur in a healthy individual who has been exposed to excessive heat while working or exercising. The circulatory system of the individual fails as blood collects near the skin to rid the body of excess heat through transference. The signs and symptoms of heat exhaustion are as follows:

- Rapid and shallow breathing;
- Weak pulse;
- Cold and clammy skin with heavy perspiration;
- Skin appears pale;
- Fatigue and weakness;
- Dizziness; and
- Elevated body temperature.

First aid treatment includes, but is not limited to, cooling the victim, elevating the feet, and replacing fluids. If the individual is not substantially improved within 30 minutes and the body temperature has not decreased, the individual should be transported to the hospital for medical attention.

Heat Stroke

Heat stroke occurs when an individual is exposed to excessive heat and stops sweating. This condition is classified as a **MEDICAL EMERGENCY** requiring immediate cooling of the victim and transport to a medical facility. The signs and symptoms of heat stroke are as follows:

- Dry, hot red skin;
- Body temperature approaching or above 105 degrees F;
- Confusion, altered mental state, slurred speech;
- Seizures;
- Large (dilated) pupils; and
- Loss of consciousness – the individual may go into a coma.

First aid treatment requires immediate cooling and transportation to a medical facility. Heat stress is a significant hazard if any type of protective equipment (semi-permeable or impermeable) that prevents evaporative cooling is worn in hot-weather environments.

13. OTHER HEAT CONTROLS

Clothing and PPE

Employees should choose clothing that is reflective, light-colored, lightweight, loose-fitting, and breathable. Clothing should cover the exposed parts of the body. In direct sun, hard hats with a brim or bill may be helpful. Should specialized cooling garments be applicable, please consult with your OM/OHSM/CHSD.

Managing Employee Risk Factors

It is recommended that employees are aware of how their health can affect their risk of heat stress. The following increases ones risk for a heat related illness:

- A poor level of physical fitness
- Obesity
- Chronic or acute illnesses
- Conditions such as diabetes, heart disease, or high blood pressure
- Certain medications, such as diuretics
- Age (60+)

Employees should:

- Maintain their health outside of work
- Be aware of the effects of medications
- Drink adequate amounts of water
- Eat light, cool meals during work shifts and save heavy meals until after the shift is over
- Do not skip meals: food helps replace electrolytes when sweating
- Take breaks as needed
- Do not consume alcohol prior to working in a hot environment

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Management Program

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1. PURPOSE

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C., and Remedial Engineering (collectively, "Roux") has instituted the following program to establish guidelines for the selection of personal protective equipment (PPE) for use by Roux personnel performing field activities in hazardous environments. PPE is not meant to be a substitute for engineering, work practice, and/or administrative controls, but PPE should be used in conjunction with these controls to protect employees in the workplace. Clothing, body coverings, and other accessories designed to prevent worker exposure to workplace hazards are all types of PPE. To ensure adequate PPE employee-owned PPE is evaluated on a case-by-case basis to insure its adequacy, maintenance and sanitation.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

These guidelines apply to all PPE selection decisions to be made in implementing the Roux program. The foundations for this program are the numerous Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA) standards related to PPE cited in 29 CFR 1910 Subpart I, 29 CFR 1926 Subpart E, and the hazardous environment work employee protection requirements under the OSHA Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) standard at 29 CFR 1910.120 and 1926.65. To ensure hazard assessments are documented, the levels of protection, types of protection, and tasks requiring protection are covered in site-specific Health and Safety Plans (HASPs) and Job Safety Analyses (JSAs).

3. PROCEDURES

Due to the varied nature of site activities and the different potential hazards associated with different sites, several aspects must be considered when selecting PPE. The following text describes PPE selection logic and provides guidelines and requirements for the appropriate selection and use of PPE.

3.1 Introduction

To harm the body, chemicals must first gain entrance. The intact skin and respiratory tract are usually the first body tissues that are exposed to chemical contaminants. These tissues provide barriers to some chemicals but, in many cases, are damaged themselves or are highly permeable by certain chemical compounds. PPE, therefore, is used to minimize or eliminate chemical compounds from coming into contact with these first barrier tissues.

Proper PPE selection is essential in preventing exposures. The Project Manager (PM) or health and safety personnel making the selection will have to consider several factors. The level of protection, type, and kind of equipment selected depends on the hazardous conditions. In some cases, additional selection factors include cost, availability, compatibility with other equipment, and performance. All these factors must be accurately assessed before work can be safely carried out.

3.1.1 Training

Training shall be provided to all field-based employees in properly using and caring for PPE. Training shall include, but not be limited to, the initial 40-hour HAZWOPER training, annual 8-hour HAZWOPER refresher training, and site-specific PPE training. The training program includes when PPE is necessary, what types of PPE are required; how to don, doff, adjust, and wear PPE; the limitations of PPE; the proper care, maintenance, useful life, signs of PPE failure and emergency procedures to follow in the event of PPE failure and disposal of PPE. In addition, retraining shall be conducted when workplace changes require a change in PPE when an employee demonstrates a lack of knowledge or improper use of PPE is identified.

3.2 Types of PPE

The type and selection of PPE must meet certain general criteria and requirements as required under OSHA 29 CFR 1910.132 (General Industry) and 1926.95 (Construction). In addition to these general requirements, specific requirements and specifications exist for some types of PPE that form the basis of the protective clothing scheme. All manufacturer's recommendations for PPE care and use shall be followed. All PPE shall be maintained in a sanitary and reliable condition. Additionally, proper fit and size shall be evaluated to ensure adequate employee protection. Should PPE become defective, it shall be immediately removed from service and discarded.

The following is a list of the common types of specific PPE and the specific requirements for the PPE type, where applicable:

1. Hard Hats - Regulated by 29 CFR 1910.135 and 1926.100; and specified in ANSI Z89.1.
2. Face Shields and Safety Glasses - Regulated by 29 CFR 1910.133 and 1926.102; and specified in ANSI Z87.1.
3. Respiratory Protection - Regulated by 29 CFR 1910.134 and 1926.103.
4. Hand Protection - Regulated by 29 CFR 1910.138
5. Foot Protection - Regulated by 29 CFR 1910.136 and 1926.96; and specified in ANSI Z41.1.
6. Protective Clothing (e.g., fully encapsulated suits, aprons) - Specified in NFPA 1991/1992/1994.

3.2.1 PPE Inspection, Cleaning Maintenance, and Storage

The Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM) or their designee is responsible for procuring PPE, in accordance with this management program. Single-use/disposable PPE should be purchased and used whenever practicable.

3.2.1.1 PPE Inspection

Roux employees must inspect PPE regularly, before and after each use, to check for defects and damage. Garments and other PPE in central storage must be inspected at least annually or as recommended by the manufacturer by the OHSM, Equipment Manager and/or their designee. Defective or damaged equipment must be tagged as out-of-service, immediately removed from the work site and discarded.

3.2.1.2 PPE Cleaning and Maintenance

All Roux employees are responsible for routine cleaning of their assigned PPE. Decontamination of PPE is addressed within Roux's Site Control and Decontamination Program as well as specified within site-specific health and safety plans. As appropriate, Roux employees should be issued single-use PPE when practicable to minimize the requirement for decontamination. When performing routine cleaning of reusable PPE:

- Always follow the manufacturer's recommendations to avoid damaging the PPE. For example, some cleaning solutions compromise the integrity of protective helmets' shells.
- Clean and maintain PPE according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Before being re-issued, PPE should be thoroughly sanitized.
- Disassemble, wash, and sanitize reusable respirators after each use, refer to Roux's Respiratory Protection Management Program.

Employees are not authorized to repair PPE without prior approval from the Health and Safety Department. Reusable PPE may require maintenance by the manufacturer to maintain integrity and certification. Many

manufacturers specify which repairs, if performed by the end-user, will void product warranty, therefore Roux employees are not typically authorized to perform such maintenance or repairs.

3.2.1.3 PPE Storage

Certain equipment failures can be directly attributed to improper storage. The OHSM or Equipment Manager (or another designated person) is responsible for implementing procedures for appropriate PPE storage, for equipment that is centrally stored. Both central storage and dedicated PPE provided to employees should be stored using the following:

- Store goggles and safety glasses in protective cases.
- Store PPE (such as helmets, boots, etc.) in clean, dust-proof containers or bags out of direct sunlight.
- PPE should ideally be stored under climate-controlled conditions. PPE, stocked gear bags, and/or go-kits should not be stored in hot, cold, or other extreme environmental conditions, and they should not be stored in vehicles (government-owned or rentals) for even short periods of time. Do not store helmets on the rear window shelf of a vehicle.
- Store different kinds of clothing and gloves separately to prevent errors in selection.
- Hang or fold protective clothing in accordance with manufacturers' recommendations.
- Never store contaminated PPE near new protective clothing or street clothing. Potentially contaminated, reusable clothing must be stored (usually bagged) away from new PPE, in a well-ventilated area, with good air flow around each item, until the garment is decontaminated or disposed.
- See Roux's Respiratory Protection Management Program for detailed procedures on storing respirators.

3.3 Fitting, Donning and Doffing PPE

Roux shall provide appropriately sized PPE for Roux employees. Improper fitting such as tight-fitting garments, can tear, especially at the knees, crotch, shoulders, back, and elbows due to movement. Protective clothing that is too large can easily snag and/or limit a user's dexterity. The Roux PM shall ensure site/project-specific PPE is kept in a sufficient stock of appropriately sized PPE (e.g., Level C ensembles). The OHSM, Equipment Manager and/or their designee shall ensure a sufficient stock of appropriately sized PPE is maintained in central storage locations.

The Site Supervisor (SS)/Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO) is responsible for ensuring that site-specific procedures for donning and doffing PPE are incorporated into site-specific HASPs. Donning and doffing procedures may differ depending on the type of PPE and clothing (e.g., Level D, Modified Level D, Level C) utilized. Figures 1-4, provide examples of procedures that can be used to don and doff Levels A through D and are provided as a reference. Site-specific conditions may warrant adjustments to such procedures. Consult the CHSD for additional information.

Site-specific donning and doffing procedures should include the use of an assistant where necessary. Donning and doffing certain types of PPE without assistance could risk PPE failure or damage. Care must be taken to prevent the spread of contaminants on the PPE. Decontamination procedures should limit the potential for cross contamination and may include gross decontamination of outer boots, gloves, and suits as necessary to prevent tracking of contaminants into the contamination reduction zone (CRZ) and clean zone(s).

3.4 Controlling Hazards Associated with PPE Use

PPE use can pose potential health and safety hazards, which range from minor discomfort to life-threatening height stroke. The magnitude of the potential hazard can vary and will depend on various factors, including an individual's fitness level, the type of PPE worn, the work demands, individual work practices, duration of work and environmental conditions. The use of PPE can also lead to reduced efficiency and work performance.

Among hazards associated with PPE use, heat stress emerges as a prevalent and significant hazard. Particularly, the use of substantial and/or impermeable attire, such as heavy coveralls, Tyvek suits, splash suits, or Level A or B suits, alongside strenuous work, amplifies the risk of heat stress. Regular monitoring for indications of heat stress is imperative for workers operating in such conditions. Roux's Heat Illness Prevention Program lays out requirements for signs and symptoms as well as preventative measures to mitigate the potential for heat illness. In addition, cold environments can pose adverse risk, such examples include use of non-insulated steel-toe safety shoes in frigid conditions which has the potential to increase the risk of frostbite, while safety gloves worn for chemical protection may inadequately insulate hands from the cold.

It is the responsibility of Project Teams to integrate site-specific protocols to manage PPE hazards into such site-specific HASPs. These protocols can encompass considerations like work/rest ratios, crew rotations, and other accommodations for exceptionally demanding conditions.

The following measures are recommended for controlling hazards posed by PPE use:

- Prioritize through the hierarchy of controls with a focus on elimination, substitution, engineering, work practice and administrative control implementation rather than sole reliance on PPE. PPE shall be considered the last line of worker protection.
- Workers should maintain physical fitness to be able to withstand the potential physical strain of PPE use. A physically fit individual will endure less physiological strain, manifesting in a lower heart rate, reduced body temperature (indicating diminished retained body heat), more effective sweating, slightly lower oxygen consumption, and carbon dioxide production. Furthermore, acclimatization to extreme environmental conditions, such as high temperatures, can influence work performance and physical capacity.
- Understand the symptoms of PPE failure. Workers encountering any of these symptoms while donning PPE should promptly notify their onsite SHSO and/or SS:
 - Perception of odors when wearing a respirator
 - Skin irritation
 - Acute discomfort
 - Difficulty breathing
 - Unusual fatigue
 - Dizziness
 - Inability to see, hear, or speak clearly
 - Uncomfortable restriction of movement
 - Rapid pulse, nausea, or chest pain
- Implement a buddy system. Especially in situations where there is a need for increased level of protection (e.g. Level A-C) workers should work in pairs or teams, and are instructed to monitor the integrity of their team/partners gear and remain alert for symptoms of PPE failure.

3.5 PPE Selection

For site-specific work, the Project Manager in consultation with the Health and Safety Department has overall responsibility for coordinating the selection and distribution of PPE to field staff and for ensuring that the selected PPE is appropriate for the site-specific hazards. Generally speaking Roux employees are not engaged in emergency response or perform work at uncontrolled hazardous waste sites, if the case the CHSD shall be made aware of the work and consult with the Project Team on appropriate PPE selection. Most work falls under environmental sampling of low concentration water/soil/perimeter air. Therefore work is carried out in Level D PPE. Upgrades would be based on more information as it becomes available. The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has created Guidelines for PPE Ensemble Selection to assist workers in selecting PPE ensembles for specific activities and tasks and determining which ensembles and air monitoring equipment should be used to address specific chemicals. Guidelines to Ensembles for Specific Activities/Tasks Where Chemical Exposure is Possible is provided as a reference as Appendix A.

3.6 Protective Clothing Selection Criteria

3.6.1 Chemicals Present

The most important factor in selecting PPE is the determination of what chemicals the employee may be exposed to. The number of chemicals on field investigations may range from a few to several hundred. The exact chemicals or group of chemicals present at the site (certain groups tend to require similar protection) can be determined by collecting and analyzing air, soil, water, or other site media samples. When data are lacking, research into the hazardous materials used or stored at the site can be used to infer potential chemical exposures on the site.

The most appropriate clothing shall be selected once the known or suspected chemicals have been identified and considered based on the type of work to be performed.

Protective garments are made of several different substances for protection against specific chemicals. There is no universal protective material. All will decompose, permeate, or otherwise fail to protect under given circumstances. Fortunately, most manufacturers make guides to using their products (i.e., Dupont's Tyvek™ Permeation Guide). These guides are usually for gloves and coveralls and typically provide information regarding chemical degradation rates (failure of the material to maintain structural integrity when in contact with the chemical) and may provide information on the permeation rate (whether or not the material allows the chemical to pass through). When permeation tables are available, they shall be used with degradation tables to determine the most appropriate protective material for the specific chemical hazard(s).

During most site work, chemicals are usually in mixed combinations, and the protective materials are not in continuous contact with pure chemicals for long periods; therefore, the selected material may be adequate for the particular chemical of most concern and type of work being performed, yet not the "best" protecting material for all site chemicals and activities. Selection shall depend upon the most hazardous chemicals based on their hazards and concentrations. Sometimes, layering (i.e., using several layers of protective materials) affords the best protection.

3.6.2 Concentration of the Chemical(s)

One of the major criteria for selecting protective material is the concentration of the chemical(s) in air, liquid, and solid state. Airborne and liquid chemical concentrations should be compared to the OSHA standards and American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) and National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) guidelines to determine the level of skin or other absorptive

surface (e.g., eyes) protection needed. While these standards are not designed specifically for skin exposed directly to the liquid, they may provide skin designations indicative of chemicals known to have significant skin or dermal absorption effects. For example, airborne levels of PCBs on-site may be low because they are not very volatile, so the inhalation hazard may be minimal; however, PCB-containing liquid coming in direct contact with the skin may cause overexposure. Thus, PCBs have been assigned a skin designation in the OSHA and ACGIH exposure limit tables.

3.6.3 Physical State

The characteristics of a chemical may range from nontoxic to highly toxic, depending on its physical state. Inorganic lead in soil would not be considered toxic to site personnel unless it became airborne since it is generally not absorbed through the intact skin. However, organic lead in a liquid could be readily absorbed through the skin. Soil is frequently contaminated with hazardous materials. Concentrations will vary from a few parts per million to nearly one hundred percent by volume. The degree of hazard depends on the type of soil and concentration of the chemical. Generally speaking, "dry" soils that have not become airborne do not pose a hazard to site personnel if they take minimal precautions, such as wearing lightweight gloves.

3.6.4 Length of Exposure

The length of time a material is exposed to a chemical increases the probability of a breakthrough. Determinations of actual breakthrough times for short-term exposures indicate that several materials that would be considered inadequate under long-term exposures can be used. Different materials that would be considered inadequate under long-term exposures can be used. It should be kept in mind that during the manufacturer's permeation testing, a pure (100% composition) liquid is usually placed in direct contact with the material, producing a worst-case situation.

3.6.5 Abrasion

When selecting protective clothing, the job the employee is engaged in must be taken into consideration. Persons moving drums or performing other manual tasks may require added protection for their hands, lower chest, and thighs. Using leather gloves and a heavy apron over other normal protective clothing will help prevent damage to the normal PPE and thus reduce worker exposures.

3.6.6 Dexterity

Although protection from skin and inhalation hazards is the primary concern when selecting PPE, the ability to perform the assigned task must be maintained. For example, personnel cannot be expected to perform work that requires fine dexterity if they must wear thick gloves. Therefore, the PPE selection process must consider the task being performed and provide PPE alternatives or techniques that maintain dexterity while still protecting the worker (e.g., wearing tight latex gloves over more bulky hand protection to increase dexterity).

3.6.7 Ability to Decontaminate

If disposable clothing cannot be used, the ability to decontaminate the materials selected must be taken into consideration. Once a chemical makes contact with the material, the PPE must be cleaned before reusing it. If the chemical has completely permeated the material, the clothing cannot be adequately decontaminated, and the material should be discarded.

3.6.8 Climactic Conditions

The human body works best with few restraints from clothing. Protective clothing adds a body burden by increasing weight, restricting movement, and preventing the body's natural cooling process. In severe situations, a modified work program must be used.

Some materials act differently when they are very hot and very cold. For example, PVC becomes almost brittle in frigid temperatures. If there are any questions about the stability of the protective materials under different conditions, the manufacturer should be contacted before using PPE in the field.

3.6.9 Work Load

Like climactic conditions, the type of work activity may affect work duration and personnel's ability to perform certain tasks. Similarly, the amount of protective materials a person wears will affect their ability to perform certain tasks. For example, a person in a total encapsulating suit, even at 72°F, cannot work for more than a short period of time without requiring a break.

The work schedule should be adjusted to maintain the health of the employees. Modified work practices may include allowing more time for individual job tasks and implementing work/rest cycles per NIOSH and ACGIH thermal stress recommendations. Special consideration should be given to the selection of clothing that protects the worker and adds the least burden when personnel are required to perform strenuous tasks. Excessive bodily stress frequently represents the most significant hazard encountered during fieldwork.

3.6.10 Types of Protective Materials

1. Cellulose or Paper: suitable for nuisance dust and coarse fibers.
2. Natural and Synthetic Fibers
 - a. Tyvek™: suitable small-sized hazardous particles, including lead, asbestos, and mold.
 - b. Tychem™: is suitable for a variety of hazards, from light liquid splashes to heavy exposures to industrial chemicals and agents.
 - c. Nomex™: is suitable for flame-resistance, radiation resistance, acids, alkalis, fluorocarbon refrigerants (CFCs), and non-polar solvents.
3. Elastomers
 - a. Polyethylene: suitable for polar substances and solvents.
 - b. Saran™ : suitable for flame-resistance, acids, alkalis, oils, and organic solvents.
 - c. Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC): suitable for alcohols, oils, inorganic acids, alkalis, and salts.
 - d. Neoprene: suitable for polar/non-polar substances, petroleum mixtures, and ≤ 200 F heat resistance.
 - e. Butyl Rubber: suitable for polar substances and solvents.
 - f. Viton: suitable for non-polar substances, petroleum mixtures, and ≤ 200 F heat resistance.
 - g. Nitrile: suitable for polar/non-polar substances and petroleum mixtures.

3.7 Protection Levels

3.7.1 Level A Protection

Level A protection (a fully encapsulated suit) is used when skin hazards exist or when no known data positively rule out skin and other absorption hazards. Per the Roux Respiratory Protection Management

Program, Roux employees are not authorized to enter an IDLH atmosphere; therefore, the program does not allow supplied air respirators (SARs) or self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). At no time will Level A work be performed without the consent of the CHSD and OM.

The following conditions warrant the use of Level A protection:

- Hazardous substances have been identified and require the highest level of protection for skin, eyes, and the respiratory system;
- The atmosphere contains less than 19.5% oxygen or an atmosphere immediately dangerous to life and health (IDLH) that have not been ruled out;
- Site operations involve a high potential for splash, skin immersion, or exposure to suspected skin hazards;
- Direct-reading instruments indicate high levels of unidentified but potentially hazardous vapors or gases in the air (e.g., Total atmospheric readings on the Photoionization Detector (PID), Flame Ionization Detector (FID), and similar instruments indicate 500 to 1,000 ppm of unidentified substances); and
- Direct-reading instruments are not available to test the air and suspected highly toxic substances may be present.

It may be necessary to base the decision to use Level A protection on indirect evidence. Other conditions that may indicate the need for Level A protection include:

- Confined spaces;
- Sites containing known skin hazards;
- Sites with no established history to rule out skin and other absorption hazards;
- Site exhibiting signs of acute mammalian toxicity (e.g., dead animals, illnesses associated with past entry into the site by humans);
- Sites at which sealed drums of unknown materials must be opened;
- Visible indicators such as leaking containers or smoking chemical fires; and
- Extremely hazardous substances (e.g., cyanide compounds, concentrated pesticides, Department of Transportation Poison "A" materials, suspected carcinogens, and infectious substances) are known or suspected to be present, and skin contact is possible.

Table 1: Recommended Level A Ensemble Components

Component	Type	Manufacturer / Recommended Material	Notes
Respirator	Positive-pressure full- facepiece SCBA or positive-pressure supplied-air respirator with escape SCBA ¹	NIOSH approved respirator	See Roux's Respiratory Protection Program. Roux employees are not approved to utilize Supplied Air (SAR) and/or Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).
Suit	Totally encapsulated chemical- and vapor-protective suit	DuPont® Tychem™ or Responder CSM™	Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Inner Gloves	Light weight	Nitrile, Neoprene, PVC, or Viton®	Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Outer Gloves	Integral part of suit	See Appendix A for additional information	Confirm chemical performance rating for suspected contaminants. Glove material may have different performance ratings than suit material. All fully-encapsulating suit materials must be compatible with substances involved.
Inner Boot	Integral Part of Suit	-	-
Outer Boot	HazMat boot ²	-	Confirm chemical performance rating of outer boot for suspected contaminants. Provides slip/abrasion resistance.
Hard Hat	Standard ³	-	-

¹ Must be NIOSH approved.

² Must meet NFPA 1991/NFPA 1994 requirements depending on the site hazard assessment.

³ Must comply with the applicable ANSI standard.

3.7.2 Level B Protection

Level B protection is utilized when the highest level of respiratory protection is needed, but hazardous material exposure to the few unprotected areas of the body is unlikely. At no time will Level B work be performed by Roux personnel without the consent of the CHSD and OM.

The following conditions suggest a need for Level B protection:

- The type and atmospheric concentration of toxic substances have been identified, and they require the highest level of respiratory protection;

- IDLH atmospheres where the substance or concentration in the air does not present a severe skin hazard;
- The type and concentrations of toxic substances do not meet the selection criteria permitting the use of air-purifying respirators and
- It is highly unlikely that the work being done will generate high concentrations of vapors, gases, particulates, or splashes of materials that will affect personnel's skin.

Table 2: Recommended Level B Ensemble Components

Component	Type	Manufacturer / Recommended Material	Notes
Respirator	Positive-pressure full- facepiece SCBA or positive-pressure supplied-air respirator with escape SCBA ¹	NIOSH approved respirator	See Roux's Respiratory Protection Program. Roux employees are not approved to utilize Supplied Air (SAR) and/or Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).
Suit	Chemical-resistant clothing (liquid-splash protective suit with integral boot and hood) ²	DuPont® Tychem® CPF 3	Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Inner Gloves	Light/medium weight	Nitrile, Neoprene, PVC, Viton®, or PE/EVAL	Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Outer Gloves	Medium/heavy weight	Butyl MIL-G12223, Nitrile, Neoprene, PVC, Viton®, PE/EVAL, or heavy weight Nitrile or Neoprene	Confirm chemical performance rating. Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Inner Boot	Safety work boot	-	Other boot types may be substituted based on known contaminants and physical hazards. Puncture resistant shanks may be required.
Outer Boot	Heavy weight Latex booties or outer boots ²	Latex booties are used to protect suit for light duty applications. NFPA-rated outer boots may be required based on anticipated site conditions and tasks.	Other outer boot coverings may be substituted based on known contaminants/anticipated tasks.
Hard Hat	Standard ³	-	-

¹ Must be NIOSH approved.

² Must meet NFPA 1991/NFPA 1994 requirements depending on the site hazard assessment.

³ Must comply with the applicable ANSI standard.

3.7.3 Level C Protection

Level C protection is utilized when skin and respiratory hazards are well defined, and the criteria for using negative pressure respirators have been fulfilled (i.e., known contaminants and contaminant concentrations, acceptable oxygen levels, approved filter/cartridge available, known cartridge service

life, etc.). Level C protection may require an emergency escape respirator during specific initial entry and site reconnaissance situations or when applicable after that.

Table 3: Recommended Level C Ensemble Components

Component	Type	Manufacturer / Recommended Material	Notes
Respirator	Full-face air-purifying respirator with appropriate cartridge ¹	NIOSH approved respirator	See Roux's Respiratory Protection Program for information about the brand, model, acceptable configurations, and specific care instructions for the standard issue respirator. Half-faced respirators may be donned if hazard assessment warrants.
Suit	Puncture/tear resistant suit material with boot and hood ²	DuPont® Tychem® CPF 2/CPF 3 or Saranex	Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants, if considered more appropriate.
Inner Gloves	Light weight	Nitrile, Neoprene	Other material types like Neoprene, PVC, Viton®, or PE/EVAL may be substituted based on known contaminants, if considered more appropriate.
Outer Gloves	Medium/heavy weight	Butyl, Nitrile, or other work glove	Confirm chemical performance rating. Other material types may be substituted based on known contaminants, if considered more appropriate.
Inner Boot	Safety work boot	-	Other boot types may be substituted based on known contaminants and physical hazards. Puncture resistant shanks may be required.
Outer Boot	Heavy weight Latex booties or outer boots ²	Latex booties are used to protect suit for light duty applications. NFPA rated outer boots may be required based on anticipated site conditions and tasks.	Other outer boot coverings may be substituted based on known contaminants.
Hard Hat	Standard ³	-	-
Eye Protection	Safety glasses/goggles ^{3,4}	-	-

1 Must be NIOSH approved.

2 Must meet NFPA 1991/NFPA 1994 requirements depending on the site hazard assessment.

3 Must comply with the applicable ANSI standard.

4 In the case a ½ face respirator is worn eye protection is required.

3.7.4 Level D Protection

Level D is the basic work uniform. Level D is worn when the atmosphere contains no known hazard. Work functions preclude splashes, immersion, potential for inhalation, or direct contact with hazard chemicals. For most Roux field jobs Level D is the standard minimum level of protection worn.

Component	Type	Manufacturer / Recommended Material	Notes
Respirator	None	-	-
Suit	Coveralls, street clothes, or disposable Tyvek suit	-	Other types may be substituted as appropriate.
Inner Gloves	N/A		
Outer Gloves	As appropriate for physical hazards and for comfort	-	-
Boot	Safety work boot	-	Roux's standard safety boot is 6", steel/composite safety toe, and electrical hazard (EH) rated.
Outer Boot Covering	As appropriate	-	-
Hard Hat	Standard ³	-	-
Eye Protection	Safety glasses/goggles ³	-	-
High Visibility Clothing	High Visibility Vest /Jacket ³	-	ANSI Class 2 Safety Vests/Jackets are the standard. Class 3 Safety vests/jackets shall be worn in worksites with 50+ MPH traffic.
Hearing Protection	Ear muffs/plugs	-	Workers exposed to excessive noise shall don hearing protection. Refer to Roux's Hearing Conservation Program for more information.

¹ Must be NIOSH approved.

² Must meet NFPA 1991/NFPA 1994 requirements depending on the site hazard assessment.

³ Must comply with the applicable ANSI standard.

3.7.5 Level E Protection

Level E protection is used when radioactivity above 10 millirems per hour (mrems/hr) is detected at the site. Personal protective equipment for Level E includes:

- Coveralls;
- Air purifying respirator (i.e., P100 or equivalent);
- Time limits on exposure;
- Appropriate dermal protection for the type of radiation present, and

- Radiation dosimetry and ambient monitoring.

3.7.6 Additional Considerations

Fieldwork will contain a variety of situations due to chemicals in various concentrations and combinations. These situations may be partially ameliorated by following the work practices listed below:

1. Foot protection is needed on every site. If the ground to be worked on is contaminated with liquid, and it is necessary to walk in the chemicals, some sort of protective shoe coverings or "booties" can be worn over the boots. Shoe coverings should be designed with soles to help prevent slips. Using disposable shoe coverings when contacting liquid contamination can on and reduce overall decontamination requirements. If non-liquids are to be encountered, a Tyvek™ bootie could be used. The advantage of booties is questionable if the ground contains any sharp objects. Boots should be worn with either cotton or wool socks to help absorb perspiration.
2. If the site requires hard hats, chin straps should be used if a person will be stooping over where his/her hat may fall off. Respirator straps should not be placed over the hard hats, as this will affect the respirator's fit.

Some types of protective materials conduct heat and cold readily. In cold conditions, natural material clothing should be worn under protective clothing. Protective clothing should be removed before allowing a person "to get warm." Applying heat, such as with a space heater, to the outside of the protective clothing may drive contaminant permeation. In hot weather, under clothing will absorb sweat. It is recommended that workers use all cotton undergarments.

3. Body protection should be worn and taped to prevent anything from running into the top of the boot. Gloves should be worn and taped to prevent substances from entering the top of the glove. Duct tape is preferred, but masking tape can be used. When aprons are used, they should be taped across the back for added protection. However, this should be done so that the person has mobility.
4. Atmospheric conditions such as precipitation, temperature, wind direction, humidity, wind velocity, and pressure determine the behavior of contaminants in air or the potential for volatile materials to become airborne. These parameters should be considered in determining the need for and the level of protection.
5. A program must be established for periodic air monitoring during site operations. Without an air monitoring program, any changes to air quality would go undetected and might jeopardize on-site personnel. Monitoring can be done with various types of air pumps and filtering devices, followed by laboratory analysis of the filtration media, personnel dosimeters, and periodic walk-throughs by personnel carrying real-time direct-reading survey instruments.
6. For operations in the exclusion zone, different levels of protection may be selected, and various types of chemical-resistant clothing may be worn. This selection should be based on the job function, reason for being in the area, and the potential for skin contact with, or inhalation of, the chemicals present.
7. Escape masks must be readily available when levels of respiratory protection do not include an SCBA and the possibility of an IDLH atmosphere exists. The use and placement of escape masks should be made on a case-by-case basis. Escape masks should be strategically located at the site in areas with higher potential for vapors, gases, or particulates.

3.8 Decontamination of PPE

Roux prefers the use of single use PPE to minimize the requirement for significant decontamination. The following procedures shall be considered should a field project require the need for decontamination of PPE. Roux has also developed a Site Control and Decontamination Management Program.

3.8.1 Site-Specific Decontamination Plans

The Project Manager (or another authorized individual) is responsible for formulating the site-specific PPE decontamination plan as an integral part of the Health and Safety Plan (HASP). The SHSO/SS' responsibilities include ensuring the plan's implementation and adapting it as site conditions evolve. Refer to Roux's Site Control and Decontamination Management program for additional requirements.

The decontamination plan, often created in conjunction with PPE selection, must be established prior to workers entering potentially contaminated areas. The plan should address the following key aspects:

- Decontamination Hazard Evaluation and Risk Assessment: Assessing risks associated with decontamination processes.
- PPE for Decontamination Line Assistants: Specifying appropriate PPE for personnel involved in decontamination.
- Roles and Responsibilities During Decontamination: Defining tasks and duties during the decontamination process.
- Layout and Quantity of Decontamination Stations: Determining the number and arrangement of decontamination stations, along with the designated PPE decontamination procedures at each station.
- Decontamination Equipment: Identifying the necessary equipment for effective decontamination.
- Decontamination Methods: Describing the methods and protocols for decontaminating personnel and equipment.
- Preventing Contamination of Clean Areas: Outlining procedures to prevent contamination of uncontaminated zones.
- Minimizing Contact with Contaminants During CPC Removal: Providing guidelines to reduce wearer exposure during the removal of Chemical Protective Clothing (CPC).
- Disposal Procedures for Inadequately Decontaminated Clothing and Equipment: Ensuring proper disposal practices for items that have not been adequately decontaminated.

The initial decontamination plan, which is developed in conjunction with the initial site hazard assessment, should be based on worst-case assumptions about the extent and type of contamination.

3.8.2 Emergency Decontamination of PPE

The designated SHSO/SS (or another authorized individual) assumes responsibility for addressing emergency decontamination within the site-specific Health and Safety Plan (HASP). Emergency decontamination may become necessary due to events such as fires, explosions, sudden violent storms, or medical emergencies. The emergency decontamination plan must clearly delineate emergency egress routes, as well as procedures for both decontamination and egress.

Some key points to consider regarding emergency decontamination.

- Immediate Notification: The SHSO/SS (or their designated counterpart) must be promptly informed of any circumstances requiring emergency decontamination. Additionally, they are accountable for tracking all personnel during the process.
- Urgent Medical Treatment: If urgent medical attention is necessary, decontamination of PPE may be delayed until the victim's condition stabilizes.
- Balancing Priorities: When feasible, decontamination should occur without hindering essential first aid. However, if a worker is exposed to an extremely toxic or corrosive substance, immediate decontamination is crucial to prevent severe injury or fatality.

- Heat-Related Illness: In cases of heat-related illness, protective clothing must be promptly removed (refer to Roux's Heat Illness Prevention Program).

Emergency Facilities:

- For workers potentially exposed to corrosive materials, quick drenching or flushing facilities must be provided in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.151(c) and 1926.50(g).
- Similarly, if workers face other hazards (such as splash or dust) that could harm the eyes or body, readily accessible wash stations are essential. These stations should be properly located and maintained, including regular water changes, as per the manufacturer's instructions.

3.8.3 Protection of Decontamination Line Assistants

Should work require a decontamination corridor the following shall be used as guidance. The SHSO/SS (or other designated person) must for ensuring that decontamination line assistants receive appropriate PPE and addressing their protection within the site-specific HASP. Key zones—namely, the Exclusion Zone (EZ), Contamination Reduction Zone (CRZ), and Clean Support Zone—must be clearly marked both in the field and within the site-specific HASP. The following should be considered when preparing for protection of decontamination line assistants.

1. Task Hazard Analysis: A thorough analysis must be conducted for line assistants to determine the optimal PPE level required. Factors influencing this decision include:
 - Expected or Visible Contamination on Responders
 - Type of Contaminant and associated respiratory and skin hazards
 - Total Vapor/Gas Concentrations in the CRZ
 - Presence of Particulates and specific inorganic or organic vapors in the CRZ
 - Results of Wipe Tests (refer to Section 5.4)
 - Slope and Configuration of the CRZ
2. PPE Levels: Depending on the situation:
 - Line assistants may need to wear the same PPE level as workers in the EZ.
 - Alternatively, line assistants may be adequately protected by using PPE one level lower (e.g., wearing Level C protection while decontaminating workers who are wearing Level B)."

3.8.4 Procedures to Minimize PPE Contamination

Proper work practices and procedures should be implemented at sites to minimize the potential for contact with chemicals of concern while onsite. The following guidance should be considered when developing site specific procedures:

- Opt for single-use Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when feasible to minimize decontamination needs.
- Ensure complete sealing of PPE closures and interfaces, including pockets, zippers, and other potential openings.
- Position gloves and boots underneath the sleeves and pant legs of outerwear to reduce exposure.
- Place hoods outside the collar if they are not already attached.
- Utilize disposable outerwear and equipment when suitable to facilitate easy disposal and reduce decontamination efforts.
- Secure all junctions with tape to block contaminants from entering gloves, boots, jackets, and suits.

- Adopt work practices that limit contact with hazardous substances, such as avoiding unnecessary exposure.
- Employ remote techniques for sampling, handling, and opening containers, like using drum grapples and pneumatic impact wrenches.
- Store monitoring and sampling devices in bags designed with openings for sample ports and sensors.
- Cover contaminant sources with plastic sheeting or overpacks to shield PPE from contamination.

3.8.5 PPE Disposal

The PM in coordination with the field team shall ensure the safe disposal of all wastes generated from PPE use. PPE must be placed in appropriate containers, labeled, and prepared for disposal separately from other forms of waste. Refer to Roux's General Waste Corporate Management Program for further guidance.

**APPENDIX A
EPA's
GUIDELINES TO ENSEMBLES FOR SPECIFIC
ACTIVITIES/TASKS
WHERE CHEMICAL EXPOSURE IS POSSIBLE**

GUIDELINES TO ENSEMBLES FOR SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES/TASKS WHERE CHEMICAL EXPOSURE IS POSSIBLE

IMPORTANT: READ FOOTNOTES AND ASSUMPTIONS/JUSTIFICATIONS PRIOR TO USING TABLE

Notes:

1. This table is for use by trained environmental professionals only. To use this table:
 - a. Scan the activity description to find activities (bolded) that most closely matches those you plan to engage in.
 - b. Review Hazard/Conditions section to make sure the hazards of the planned activity match those listed. Note the Required Work Practices and be ready to follow them.
 - c. For those activities most likely to be conducted as part the response, select Targeted Minimum PPE (Personal Protective Equipment).
 - d. Necessary equipment needs to be available and used unless other information becomes available which necessitates an upgrade or allows a downgrade in the protection level. The work area must be continuously re-evaluated to ensure workers have the proper safety equipment.
 - e. When working in hazardous environments, workers must always be aware of their surroundings. In addition to this Table, workers entering these environments need to use “common sense” prior to proceeding.
2. These ensembles focus on chemical protection and may not be adequate for all hazards. This Table can be used as a starting point but does not circumvent proper evaluation by an industrial hygienist in appropriate situations. See Table 2 for more specific chemical agents.
3. Suits, gloves, boots listed in the Minimum PPE column will not be appropriate for all activities, hazards and conditions. The listings should be used as a guide only. Confirm PPE compatibility with specific chemical contaminants.
4. A comprehensive Task Hazard Analysis must be performed prior to final selection of ensembles/PPE material types.
5. Hardhat (Class A or C), safety glasses/other eye protection are typically required but may not be specified here. In noisy environments (above 85dB) hearing protection is required. In areas where there is traffic, heavy machinery, or other hazards involving worker visibility problems a Class 2 High Visibility Vest must be worn. Activities requiring vests include natural disaster responses, demolitions, and excavations.
6. PPE makes and models referenced in these tables are only suggestions. Other comparable, adequate makes and models may be used.

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Emergency Response and/or Initial Entry/Assessment – Low Hazard Expected (Sites/Facilities):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air and Radiation Monitoring Sweep • Visual Assessment • Note Taking • Photo-documentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suspected low hazard based on site history/visual evidence. • No CBRN suspected. • No visible/suspected vapors. • No potential for IDLH atmosphere. • Unknown physical hazards. • Some site background information. • No intrusive work expected. • Low potential for chemical splash/contact (based on expected tasks/ known conditions). • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Level B (Downgrade/upgrade based on knowledge of contaminants and monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs)</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA Full Face</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem CPF-3 (with boot, hood)/ChemTape</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (6 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{III}Neoprene, Nitrile, (28 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 or</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection.</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry or soap & water</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Emergency Response and/or Initial Entry/Assessment of Unknown – Potential Moderate Hazard (Sites/Facilities):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air and Radiation Monitoring Sweep • Visual Assessment • Note Taking • Photo-documentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possible high hazard chemicals based on site history/visual evidence (spills, corrosion, industrial practices, etc.). • No CBRN suspected. • No visible/suspected vapors. • No reasonable potential for IDLH atmosphere. • Unknown physical hazards. • Little/ no site background information. • No intrusive work expected. • Low potential for chemical splash/contact. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Level B (Downgrade/upgrade based on knowledge of contaminants and monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs)</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA Full Face</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem Responder (with boot, hood)/ChemTape</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (6 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{III}Neoprene, Nitrile, (28 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 or</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection.</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry or soap & water</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Emergency Response and/or Initial Entry/Assessment of Unknown - Suspected High Hazard (Sites/Facilities):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air and Radiation Monitoring Sweep • Visual Assessment • Note Taking • Photo-documentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Potential for high hazard chemicals/ IDLH based on site history/visual evidence (visible/expected reactions, spills, vapors, fumes, smoke, known releases, etc.). • No CBRN suspected. • Potential for chemical reactions. • Unknown physical hazards. • Little/ no site background information or information suggesting high hazard. • Intrusive work possible. • Potential for chemical splash/contact. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Level A (Downgrade/upgrade (Trelleborg, etc.) based on knowledge of contaminants and monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs)</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA Full Face</p> <p>Suit Type: Encapsulating ^ITychem Responder/Responder CSM (with boot, hood, gloves)/ChemTape</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (6 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{III}Neoprene, Nitrile, (28 mil min recommended)</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection. (ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41)</p> <p>DECON: Dry or soap & water: water source for emergency DECON; other DECON agents on hand.</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Drum/Tank Sampling</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Container opening • Continuous air monitoring • Product sampling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unknown chemicals. • No CBRN. • Potential splash hazard. • Physical hazard controls in place. • Assumes no initial hazardous atmosphere. • Ensure availability of water source for emergency DECON/shower/eyewash. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Level B (Upgrade/Downgrade based on knowledge of contaminants and monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs)</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA Full Face</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem Responder (with boot, hood)/ChemTape</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile, Neoprene, Viton, PVC</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{III}Heavy Duty Butyl, Nitrile,</p> <p>Other: ANSI Approved Splash Shield</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 or</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection.</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON or soap and water; water source for emergency DECON and eyewash suggested.</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Hazardous Categorization Testing (HAZCAT)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening sample containers in controlled environment • Working with small sample quantities in well ventilated area • Conducting HAZCAT testing with appropriate lab equipment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assumes known chemical classes and site situation/background. • No CBRN suspected. • Assumes immediate suit removal if contaminated and frequent glove changes. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Level B (Upgrade/Downgrade based on knowledge of contaminants and monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs)</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA Full Face</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem CPF4 (with hood, boot)</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{III}Viton or 4-H (use surgie over the 4-H for dexterity)</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 or</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection.</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry or soap and water; water source for emergency DECON and eyewash suggested</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Oil Spill Response/Recovery Operations – Fresh Product:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recovery operations (vac truck, skimmers, boom deployment where direct contact expected) • Product sampling • Continuous air monitoring at/near source of spill 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crude oil/diesel/kerosene/gasoline spill. • Assumes fresh/ongoing spill, close proximity to source. • Assumes early phase while evaporation of light organics, benzene/other aromatics is still occurring (24-48 hours or if spill is on-going). • Assumes down-wind location. • Continuous air monitoring required for %LEL, Organics, %O₂ (and H₂S as necessary for sour crude). • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Modified Level C: 1/2 face respirator w/safety glasses/goggles as needed for splash protection. Downgrade as appropriate based on air monitoring.</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA ½ Face</p> <p>Respirator Cartridge: ^{III} Multi-Phase Cartridge (Scott 642 Multi-purpose; MSA with/GME P-100 or equivalent).</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem CPF4 w/boot [jet fuel use Tychem BR]</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Neoprene (for protection at DECON line only, not for prolonged contact)</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{II}Viton-Butyl Rubber (assumes potential for direct contact with fresh material – based on benzene/aromatic constituents) SEE NEXT ROW FOR WEATHERED PRODUCT.</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: ^{IV}Tingley HazProof Model 82330 or</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty and rely on suit boot material for permeation protection.</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/ Soap and water as feasible</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Oil Spill Response Assessment/Recovery – Weathered Product</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoreline clean-up assessment (SCAT) • Environmental sampling/weathered product sampling • Recovery Operations for weathered material • Assessment via boat/on or near water – use appropriate flotation device with ensemble. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crude oil/diesel/kerosene/gasoline spill. • Assumes weathered oil (over 24-48 hours, depending on spilled material and ambient temperatures). • Assumes operations are remote from source of spill. • Assumes no other potential for airborne aromatics/benzene/flammable vapors. 	<p>Modified Level D (Upgrade/Downgrade based on potential for contact and air monitoring with FID/PID, LEL/O₂ Meter.</p> <p>If contact with material suspected, use following:</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem F w/boot [jet fuel-Tychem BR] (Tychem SL may be an option for weathered crude/diesel – see manufacturer’s information)</p> <p>Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile</p> <p>Outer Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (Best Nitri-solv 727)</p> <p>Outer Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/Soap and water as feasible</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Demolition/Excavation Operations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heavy equipment operation • Excavation/Trenching • Continuous air monitoring when soil is disturbed or demolition activities conducted. • Fuel Oil underground tank removal. • Drum Excavation activities EXCLUDED. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demolition activities generating potentially hazardous particulates (asbestos, lead, silica, etc.). • Excavation activities that could expose soil contaminated with low levels of known hazardous chemicals to the surrounding area /in the trench/ excavation. • No potential for IDLH atmosphere. • Site background information available. • Known physical hazards. • Workers will have minimal/ no contact with contaminants (i.e., operators in a cab, inspectors/ observers at a safe distance). • Continuous air monitoring required in trench for %LEL, Toxics, and %O₂ when workers are in trench and for particulate when activities generating particulate are conducted. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Modified Level C: 1/2 face respirator w/safety glasses. Downgrade or upgrade as appropriate based on air monitoring.</p> <p>Respirator: Scott or MSA ½ Face Respirator Cartridge: ^{III} Multi-Phase Cartridge (Scott 642 Multi-purpose P-100; MSA with/GME P-100 or equivalent).</p> <p>Suit Type: ^IProshield Next Gen</p> <p>Inner Glove: NA</p> <p>Outer Glove: Leather</p> <p>Outer Steel Toe Boot: NA</p> <p>Steel Toe Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty (if chemical in soil is possible)</p> <p>Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/ Soap and water as feasible</p>

Activity Description	Hazards/Conditions	Targeted Minimum PPE
<p>Natural Disaster Response (Hurricane, Tornado, Flood, Earthquake) - Orphan Container Recovery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Routine hand collection/pick-up of small containers from debris piles/lines • Land based operations - conducted on foot <p>Note: Physical Hazards may necessitate PPE modifications.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unknown materials – confident identification based on visual observations. • Required Work practice: re-evaluate prior to moving suspicious containers. Air monitoring and PPE upgrade may be required. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Modified Level D: Upgrade/downgrade based on suspicious containers (not easily identified visually) and air monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem CPF-3 w/boot Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile Outer Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (Best Nitri-solv 727) or Leather Outer Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/Soap and water as feasible</p>
<p>Natural Disaster Response (Hurricane, Tornado, Flood, Earthquake) - Orphan Container Recovery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Routine Drum recovery from debris lines/piles/ other – conducted on land <p>Note: Physical Hazards may necessitate PPE modifications.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unknown materials – confident identification based on visual observations. • Required Work practice: re-evaluate prior to moving suspicious containers. Air monitoring and PPE upgrade may be required. • Required Work Practice: Immediate PPE Change-out (i.e., gloves, etc.) upon contact with chemicals. • Required Work Practice: Must follow standard air monitoring protocol. 	<p>Modified Level D: Upgrade/downgrade based on suspicious containers (not easily identified visually) and air monitoring with PID/FID, radiation detector, LEL/O₂ per HASP/ SOSGs</p> <p>Suit Type: ^ITychem CPF-3 w/boot Inner Glove: ^{II}Nitrile Outer Glove: ^{II}Nitrile (Best Nitri-solv 727) or Leather Outer Boot Cover: ^VLatex HazMaster Booty Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/Soap and water as feasible</p>

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<p>Natural Disaster Response (Hurricane, Tornado, Flood, Earthquake) – Flood water sampling:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water Sampling of flood waters where potential for contact with hands/feet is high <p>Note: Physical Hazards may necessitate PPE modifications.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unknown contaminants Potential for pathogens suspected Low potential for acute exposure to hazardous chemicals Assumes open air/well ventilated areas <p>Required Work Practice: Monitor all poorly ventilated areas in appropriate PPE/Respiratory Protection for organic vapors (PID & FID), %LEL/flammable atmospheres, H₂S prior to entry</p>	<p>Modified Level D: Upgrade based on more information as it becomes available.</p> <p>Suit Type: Proshield Next Gen Inner Glove: Nitrile Outer Glove: Nitrile (Best Nitri-solv 727) Outer Boot: Waders (butyl, neoprene) as needed. Steel Toe/Steel Shank Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41</p> <p>DECON: Dry DECON/Soap and water as feasible</p>
<p>Environmental Sampling (Low Concentration Water/Soil/Perimeter Air):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multi-media Sampling Documentation (written/photo) Inspection of clean-up operations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Known Chemical Contaminants. Airborne concentrations well below PELs. Minimal chance of skin exposure to chemicals. Insects possible. 	<p>Level D: Upgrade based on more information as it becomes available.</p> <p>Suit Type: Proshield 1 (if ticks, etc. maybe a problem) Inner Glove: Nitrile Outer Glove: NA Outer Boot: NA Steel Toe Boots: ASTM F-2413/ANSI Z41 DECON: NA</p>

- i. Tychem and Proshield suits can be purchased from Safeware: 800-331-6707, <http://www.safewareinc.com> , (see also LSS, <http://www.labsafety.com>, Dupont: 1-800-931-3456, http://www2.dupont.com/Personal_Protection/en_US/index.html)
- ii. Nitrile Inner/Outer Gloves; Viton; Butyl Rubber; 4-H (polymeric) can be purchased from Safeware: 800-331-6707, <http://www.safewareinc.com> ; Airgas: 1-866-718-0685, <http://www.airgas.com> (see also North Safety, <http://www.northsafety.com>); Best Gloves, <http://www.bestglove.com> ; Lab Safety Supply (LSS), <http://www.labsafety.com>; Airbill, <http://www.airbill.com>)
- iii. Multi-Phase Cartridge (Scott 642 Multi-purpose; MSA with/GME P-100 or equivalent) can be purchased from LSS: 1-800-356-0673, <http://www.labsafety.com> (see also Safeware, <http://www.safewareinc.com>; Scott Safety, <http://www.scotthealthsafety.com>; MSA, <http://www.msanet.com/>)

- iv. Tingley HazProof Overboots or similar can be purchased from LSS: 1-800-356-0673, <http://www.labsafety.com>; National Safety, Inc.: 1-800-213-7092, <http://www.nationalsafetyinc.com>
- v. Latex Hazmaster Booties, Nuke Boot or similar can be purchased from Safeware: 800-331-6707, <http://www.safewareinc.com>; Airbill: 1-215-632-2000, <http://www.airbill.com>; (see also Airgas, <http://www.airgas.com>; LSS, <http://www.labsafety.com>)

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APPENDICES

Appendix A – Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist/ Utility Verification/Site Walkthrough Record

Appendix B – Private Utility Technology Applications and Considerations

1. PURPOSE

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C., and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”) has instituted the following program for completing proper utility mark-outs and for conducting subsurface clearance activities. This establishes a method to ensure, to the greatest extent possible, that utilities have been identified and contact and/or damage to underground utilities and other subsurface structures will be avoided. For the purpose of this program, a structure is defined as any underground feature that may present a potential source(s) of energy, such as, but not limited to, utility vaults, bunkers, piping, electrical boxes, wires, conduits, culverts, utility lines, underground tanks, and ducts.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

The Subsurface Utility Clearance Management Program applies to all Roux employees, its contractors, and subcontractors. Employees are expected to follow this program for all intrusive work involving Roux or other personnel (e.g., contractors/subcontractors) working for Roux unless the client’s requirements are more stringent. Intrusive work activities can include, but are not limited to, digging or scraping the ground surface, including, but not limited to, excavation; test pitting or trenching; soil vapor sampling or the installation of soil borings, soil vapor monitoring points and wells, or monitoring wells; and drilling within concrete slabs on grade.

Deviation from the program, regardless of the specific work activity or location, must be pre-approved based on the client’s site knowledge, experience, site conditions, and additional documentation on the site. Any exceptions shall be documented through the Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Variance Form located within the Roux Health & Safety Online Application or through OKTA. Approval is required by the Project Principal (PP) and the Operations Manager (OM) in consultation with the Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM) or Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD) prior to mobilization. Depending on the work location, more stringent federal, state, local, or client requirements may apply. It is the responsibility of the Project Team to identify such requirements prior to mobilization.

3. PROCEDURES

3.1 Before Intrusive Activities/Job Planning Process

Prior to intrusive work at a site, the Project Manager (PM) shall ensure that the notification of the State One Call or equivalent service (Nationwide-811) is completed a minimum of 48-72 hours ([One-Call State Law Directory](#)) before intrusive work activities (this timeline excludes Saturdays, Sundays, Legal Holidays and 811 observed holidays). This notification is required by law for all states. State-specific/local laws related to utility location may vary. The project team is responsible for understanding requirements that may affect their work site.

Obtain, review, and field verify relevant historical site data that may include: as-builts/site plans; easement/right-of-way information; historical aerial photos/development plans; local/state permitting records; previous site investigation/boring logs; and/or interviews with site representative/client. Interviews with site or client personnel should ask the following:

- Employee(s) Name and Relationship with the site;
- Types of utilities, including structure and location of utilities on-site;
- Depth of known utilities; and

- Any other relevant information as it pertains to the site.

Prior to intrusive work activities, information pertaining to the site should be included in Roux's Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist and Utility Verification/Site Walkthrough forms. This form is located within the Roux Health & Safety Online Application or through OKTA.

If there is the potential for unexploded ordinances or munitions, consultation with your OM and CHSD is required prior to site operations.

3.1.1 Project Kick-Off Meeting

During the project kick-off meeting for intrusive activities, the PM will review the Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist, Utility Verification / Site Walkthrough Record (Appendix A) and the below bullet points with the project field team:

- Confirm that the State One Call or equivalent is received and that the ticket number is confirmed, reviewed, and valid for the time of work. If intrusive work activities are not conducted during this valid time period, the One Call ticket must be renewed, and the site must be remarked;
- Review the work scope to be performed with the site owner/tenant to determine if it may impact any utilities;
- Determine the need for utility owner companies to be contacted or to have their representatives on site;
- Where mark-outs terminate at the property boundary, consider the use of private utility locating / (e.g., Radio Frequency Detection, Electromagnetic Induction), Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) , and other applicable geophysical inspection services. The use of private utility locating firms, however, does not eliminate the legal requirement for the subcontractor (e.g., driller, excavation firm) to submit a request for Public Utility Mark-outs. Also, the information provided by the service may be inaccurate and unable to locate subsurface utilities and structures in urban areas, landfills, urban fill areas, below-reinforced slabs, etc. They should not be relied upon as the only means of performing utility clearance;
 - A mark-out is defined as the process of contracting with a competent and qualified company to confirm the presence or absence of underground utilities and structures. This process will clearly mark out and delineate identified utilities so that intrusive work activities can be performed without causing disturbance or damage to the subsurface utilities and structures. After utility mark-outs are completed, soft Digging must be completed prior to intrusive work. Section 3.4 Preferred Methods of Clearing the Subsurface (Pre-Clearing) outlines requirements for pre-clearing techniques in order of preference.
- Documented description of the dig site, which is included in the project's Health and Safety Plan (HASP), and one call report will be maintained in the field and distributed amongst Roux personnel, its contractors, and subcontractors; and
- Documentation of the actual placement of mark outs in the field shall be collected using dated pictures, videos, and/or sketches with distance from markings to fixed objects. All documentation shall be maintained within the project file.

3.2 Utility Mark Out

- Ensure the Mark-out / Stake-out Request Information Sheet (or one-call report) is complete and accurate for the site, including address and cross streets, and review for missing utilities. Ensure ticket life is still valid for work.

- Note: utility mark-out organizations do not have contracts with all utilities, and it is often necessary to contact certain utilities separately, such as the local water and sewer authorities, local transportation departments, and railroad operators. In the event the Project Teams anticipate subsurface work will impact public utilities, railroad operations, or public roadways, coordination with the utility owners/operators is required.
- Have written confirmation prior to mobilizing to the site that the Project Team or Roux personnel performing the intrusive activity has correctly completed the mark-out notification process, including requesting mark-outs, waiting for mark-outs to be applied to ground surfaces at the site, and receiving written confirmation of findings (via fax or email) from utility operators for all known or suspected utilities in the proposed area of intrusive activity, and provided utility owner written confirmation to Roux personnel for review and project files documentation.
- Do not begin any intrusive activity until all utility mark-outs have been completed (i.e., Did all utilities mark-out the site?) and any unresolved mark-out issues are finalized. Perform a site walk to review the existing utilities and determine if the utility locators have located said utilities.

(Note: The Tolerance Zone is defined as three feet from the outside edge of any subsurface structure.)
- For non-subscribing utility owners or if public one-call service is not available, perform due diligence and request further information regarding utility type, construction details, location, and burial depth directly from public service providers/utility owners. Request utility mark-out by each public service provider/utility owner as applicable. Confirm contact and response by each public utility owner on the Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist.
- If utilizing a Private Mark out, ensure the contractor has a plan regarding what types of technology will be used based on Table 1 in Appendix B: Private Utility Technology Applications and Considerations. If possible, it is recommended that multiple technologies be used to sweep each location/work area. Use a tracer wire to locate the utility (when tracer wires are present). Record the results of the private utility mark-out on the Utility Verification/Site Walkthrough Record form.

3.3 Site Visit/Utility Walkthrough

Before mobilization with the subcontractor or during the pre-work safety tailgate with the subcontractor, perform a site walkthrough after utility mark-outs have been completed to determine whether additional potential hazards are present and look for visible signs of utilities that may be present. Outlined below are considerations regarding a site walk before intrusive activities. Before initiating any intrusive work, verify that the utilities marked on-site align with the information provided in the One Call response notification/ticket and with site plans and documents. If any discrepancies arise, address them promptly to ensure accuracy and do not start intrusive work until they are rectified.

- Identify overhead utilities that may impede equipment mobilization or work zones to ensure adequate Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) clearance distance(s), as specified within the site-specific Health and Safety Plan (HASP) and 29 CFR 1926.1408 Table A.

The presence of any of the following may indicate potential subsurface structures:

- Locations of buildings, equipment, and features like area lights, signs, sprinkler systems, phones, drains, natural gas meters, manholes, etc.;
- Warning tape, which is often a sign of underground services;
- Material like pea gravel, sand, or other non-native materials can indicate the presence of tanks or lines or any deviations from the established native soil or backfill conditions;

- Red concrete, which is often used for electrical duct banks;
- Evidence of damaged utilities, such as piping materials, insulation, or odors present in the work area; and
- Other utilities, including fire hydrants, electrical transformers, pipeline markers, valve covers, steam lines, valve box covers, clean-outs, etc.

By observing the path between the main service line and the connection point (e.g., a utility meter at the exterior of the site building), it may be possible to determine the likely routing of on-site utilities. However, this method should not be relied upon solely, and proper risk mitigation strategies should be in place before proceeding with any ground disturbance activities. Look outside your work zone for other potential utilities that may cross through your work zone.

For sites with potential underground storage tanks present (UST), the following guidance applies:

- Identify if the product piping is either rigid or flexible.
- Conduct a visual examination of the tank field, observation wells, dispensers, vent stacks, and UST fill points to determine their location.
- Locate and become familiar with the emergency shutoff button/switch, if present.
- Determine the orientation, arrangement, and location of the tanks, as well as their size and capacity, through the examination of visible features at grade, such as fill ports and extractor covers, and by consulting any available as-built drawings.

Before commencing any subsurface intrusive work, field staff should thoroughly address any discrepancies in utility company mark-outs or the absence of mark-outs.

3.3.1 Project Management-Field Personnel

Whenever possible, it is advisable to assign the same project personnel to both utility location and clearance tasks as well as intrusive activities. This continuity ensures that site knowledge and utility information gathered during the clearance phase remain up-to-date. Having this historical perspective helps minimize the risk potential of utility strikes.

In cases where maintaining the same personnel throughout the project isn't feasible, a thorough knowledge transfer regarding site utilities, locations, clearance results, and proposed intrusive activities becomes essential. The PM must ensure that there is a successful handoff of information when there is a change in field personnel.

3.3.2 Utility Markings

The utility marking color code includes various uniform colors. The following APWA uniform color code (ANSI Z535.1) is provided below. While certain government agencies or large industrial facilities may use additional colors, Roux's policy is to consider any unlisted paint marking or pin flag color as a subsurface utility marking unless proven otherwise.

If utilities or subsurface anomalies are identified but their type or classification remains uncertain, it is advised to employ pink paint or pin flag (Temporary Survey Marking) for marking. Once the utility type is definitively established, the pink marks should be updated to accurately represent the correct type of utility.

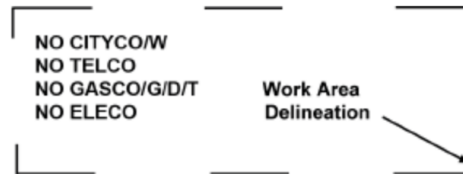
White	Proposed Excavation
Pink	Temporary Survey Markings
Red	Electric Power Lines, Cables, Conduit, and Lighting Cables
Yellow	Gas, Oil, Steam, Petroleum, or Gaseous Materials
Orange	Communication, Alarm or Signal Lines, Cables, or Conduit
Blue	Potable Water
Purple	Reclaimed Water, Irrigation, and Slurry Lines
Green	Sewers and Drain Lines

Understanding the markings left by locators during the 811 process is crucial for avoiding utility-related issues. Typically, these markings are done when Roux staff members are not physically present on-site. To enhance understanding/accuracy, it is advisable for staff to be present during the 811 process or engage in conversations with locators, both public and private, while on-site. Additionally, utility marks must adhere to the proper standards outlined in the Uniform Color Code.

Common Abbreviations

Source: Common Ground Alliance

Facility Identifier		Underground Construction Descriptions		Infrastructure Materials	
CH	Chemical	C	Conduit	ABS	Acrylonitrile - Butadiene - Styrene
E	Electric	CDR	Corridor	ACP	Asbestos Cement Pipe
FO	Fiber Optic	D	Distribution Facility	CL	Cast Iron
G	Gas	DB	Direct Buried	CMC	Cement Mortar Coated
LPG	Liquefied Petroleum	DE	Dead End	CML	Cement Mortar Lined
PP	Petroleum Products	JT	Joint Trench	CPP	Corrugated Plastic Pipe
RR	Railroad Signal	HP	High Pressure	CMP	Corrugated Metal Pipe
S	Sewer	HH	Hand Hole	CU	Copper
SD	Storm Drain	MH	Manhole	CWD	Creosote Wood Duct
SS	Storm Sewer	PB	Pull Box	HDPE	High Density Polyethylene
SL	Street Lighting	R	Radius	MTD	Multiple Tile Duct
STM	Steam	STR	Structure (vaults, junction inlets, lift station)	PLA	Plastic (conduit or pipe)
SP	Slurry System	T	Transmission Facility	RCB	Reinforced Concrete Box
TEL	Telephone			RCP	Reinforced Concrete Pipe
TS	Traffic Signal			RF	Reinforced Fiberglass
TV	Television			SCCP	Steel Cylinder Concrete Pipe
W	Water			STL	Steel
W	Reclaimed Water "Purple"			VCP	Vertrified Clay Pipe



3.4 Preferred Methods of Clearing the Subsurface (Pre-Clearing)

At least one of the methods listed below shall be carried out during pre-clearing activities. The Project Team is responsible for evaluating risks associated with the Scope of Work to determine which method is selected. If none of the following pre-clearing activities are performed, a Subsurface Utility Clearance Variance must be submitted to the OM. This Subsurface Utility Clearance Variance must provide clear lines of evidence that there are no utilities present within the intrusive work zone. Examples include demolition permits of the site, utility closure documents indicating no live utilities on-site, as-builts, site history, etc.

The following approaches shall be considered and implemented based on the Scope of Work.

- **Soft Digging**
 - This is the preferred method of utility clearance when clearing higher-risk utilities. Soil should be cleared through the use of a vacuum truck/equivalent, an accompanying air knife (preferred), or a water lance to break up and loosen the soil for removal with the vacuum.
- **Hand Digging**
 - Soil should be broken up and removed using a shovel or other appropriate hand tools without excessive force. Limit the use of dig bars or other tools that, if used incorrectly, can significantly damage utilities.
- **Hand Augering**
 - The hand auger must be turned slowly using even hand pressure without excessive force. Rounded edge augers are preferred. Hand augers should not be used in pea stone/pea gravel where utilities may be present and could potentially be damaged by the hand auger. The abrupt absence of soil recovery in a hand auger could indicate utilities as pea gravel or sand may have spilled out of the auger (exception: native soil conditions that typically result in poor hand auger recoveries). If any resistance is encountered while operating the hand auger for pre-clearance, the equipment will be removed, and the exploratory test hole will be visually inspected by onsite personnel for any obstructions or indications of subsurface structures.

3.4.1 Guidance for Tools and Equipment

Personnel performing pre-clearance activities shall keep tools and equipment in safe working order and be properly inspected before use. If tools or equipment are broken, they will be tagged and removed from service. The following specify additional guidelines regarding tools and equipment:

- Hand-digging tools must have a non-conductive handle, such as fiberglass, wood, or composite, or fully insulated handles and potential contact surfaces.
- Blades on shovels and post-hole diggers should have rounded or blunt edges.
- Pick axes or pointed spades should not be used for physical clearance.
- Crowbars, pinch-bars, or pry bars should not be used to break hardened soil or backfill except when authorized by the Site Supervisor (SS). This should only be used to loosen materials like bricks or larger stones.

- Electric-powered equipment must have ground fault protection.
- Should there be refusal or difficulty with advancing hand tools, the contractor shall stop work and notify the Roux SS or Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO) immediately.

3.5 During Intrusive Activities

3.5.1 Concrete/Paving Surface Removal

Remove any surface coverings (i.e., pavement, brush, debris, etc.) to ensure workers have clear visibility of the work area and subsurface conditions. Avoid mechanical jackhammering over known lines unless they are de-energized, locked-out/tagged-out, and potential repairs are planned or if the utility has been completely disconnected prior. When cutting or coring, go only as far as needed to penetrate the surface cover. When removing a large surface area, begin at the perimeter of the removal zone. This initial step helps identify any utilities passing through the work zone. For extensive areas, using a concrete saw might not be practical. Instead, heavy equipment is often employed. During this process, a designated spotter should guide the heavy equipment. Their role is to watch for warning signs of utilities. It's crucial that the heavy equipment does not have "teeth" that could potentially pass through the surface and damage utilities.

3.5.2 Pre-Clearance Procedures

Install pre-clearance exploratory test holes using one of the techniques, as outlined in Section 3.4, for the first 5-ft below land surface (BLS) at each location before conducting intrusive mechanized activities. Should utilities be located at a greater depth than 5-ft BLS consult with the OM, OHSM and CHSD regarding adjustments to the pre-clearance requirements to go greater than 5-ft BLS. Some Clients may require greater than 5-ft BLS for pre-clearance test holes; Project teams should be aware of such Client requirements prior to work.

Pre-clearance exploratory test holes should be defined in the SOW/proposal provided to the client to prevent project delays and to allow adequate time for the PM and PP to evaluate alternative approaches for the project. Alternative approaches will need to be pre-approved by the OM through a Subsurface Utility Clearance Variance.

Both single-point and three-point clearance are acceptable as long as the following criteria are met below. For single-point clearance, the exploratory test hole is advanced at the exact location of the proposed borehole. If three-point clearance is performed, it must be done in a triangular pattern around the proposed borehole and in a configuration that would not allow utilities to enter the borehole.

- The size of the pre-clearance exploratory test hole should be, at a minimum, twice the diameter of any downhole tool or boring device.
- For direct push applications (CPT, Geoprobe®, etc.), the borehole clearance diameter shall be at least 125% of the diameter of the largest tool being pushed through the subsurface (e.g., tip, rod, sampler, etc.), to the minimum required depth.
- For excavations, all utilities need to be marked and then exposed by soft-digging or by hand following the protocols in this program. Pre-clearing for excavations may be performed by the "moat" technique (i.e., soft Digging around the perimeter). In these cases, dig in small lifts (<12" for first 5 feet) using a dedicated spotter.)
- For Tolerance Zone work, unless otherwise agreed upon with the Utility Operator, work within the tolerance zone requires verification by means of pre-clearance test holes specified in Section 3.4 to expose the utility. Once structures have been verified, a minimum clearance of three feet must be maintained between the utility and any powered equipment. If considered a high-risk utility, additional requirements may be necessary and required by the Operator of the utility. Consultation with the OM and CHSD may be appropriate.

The PM, field team lead, or personnel performing oversight is to:

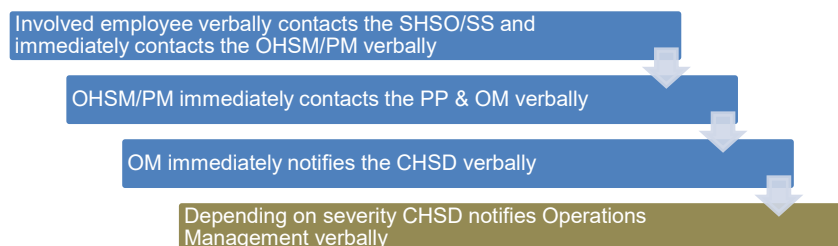
- Ensure the mark-out remains valid. (In certain states, there are limits regarding the duration of time after the mark-out was applied to the ground surface work can be started or interrupted.) Additionally, the mark-outs must be maintained, documented, and in many cases, refreshed periodically to be considered valid. This will be accomplished through calls to the one call center.
- Ensure intrusive activities are only performed within the safe boundaries of the mark-out as detailed in the One-Call Report.
- Halt all work if intrusive activities have resulted in the discovery of an unmarked utility. Roux personnel shall notify the facility owner/operator and the one call center. All incidents such as this will be reported as per Roux Incident Investigation and Reporting Management Program.
- Halt all work if intrusive activities must take place outside of the safe boundaries of a mark-out and only proceed after new mark-outs and subsurface utility clearance are performed.
- Halt the intrusive activities and immediately consult with the PP if an unmarked utility is encountered.
- Complete any loss reports associated with subsurface utility strikes as necessary.
- If a utility cannot be found as marked, Roux personnel shall notify the facility owner/operator directly or through the one-call center. If the facility operator is not responsive, then the one-call center must be notified. Following notification, the excavation/mechanical intrusive work may continue unless otherwise specified in state law.
- Contractors/subcontractors must contact the one-call center to refresh the ticket when the excavation continues past the life of the ticket. State law dictates ticket life. Project teams must be aware of their state-specific requirements.

3.6 Stop Work Authority

Each Roux employee has Stop Work Authority that he or she will execute upon determination of any imminent safety hazard, emergency situation, or other potentially dangerous situation, such as hazardous weather conditions. This Stop Work Authority includes subsurface clearance issues such as the adequacy of a mark-out or identification during intrusive operations of an unexpected underground utility. Authorization to proceed with work will be issued by the PM/PP in consultation with the OHSM after such action is reviewed and resolved. The PM will initiate and execute all management notifications and contact emergency facilities and personnel when this action is appropriate.

3.7 Reporting Utility Incidents

Roux field personnel engaged in any utility strike (e.g., subsurface/aboveground) must promptly stop work, shutdown any equipment and get to a safe location at the Site. Then notify the PM to discuss the incident. In case of injuries, field personnel must call 911 or the local emergency services number and then inform the PM. Additional notifications shall follow Roux's Incident Notification Process. Depending on the utility strike additional notifications shall be made to utility operators and/or clients/site contacts.



Appendix A
Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist



Appendix A

Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist/Utility Verification/Site Walkthrough Record

Roux Subsurface Utility Clearance Checklist

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Work site set-up and work execution

ACTIVITY	Yes	No	N/A	COMMENTS INCLUDING JUSTIFICATION IF RESPONSE IS NO OR NOT APPLICABLE
Daily site safety meeting conducted, SPSAs performed, JSAs reviewed, appropriate work permits obtained (if applicable).				
HASP is available and reviewed by site workers / visitors.				
Subsurface Utility Clearance Procedure has been reviewed with all site workers.				
Mechanical intrusive work activities may not be performed at any location without authorization from the Roux Site Supervisor (SS). Clearance activities may not be performed at any location unless the SS is physically present.				
Work area secured; traffic control established as needed. Emergency shut-off switch located. Fire extinguishers / other safety equipment available as needed.				
Utility mark-outs (public / private) clear and visible. Provide Excavator's Stake-Out Reference Number / Request Date / Time.				
Tolerance zone work identified. Intrusive work activities cannot be performed in areas that are in direct conflict with any markings made by public or private locators.				
<p>Unless the PP & OM authorizes it, all boreholes and test pit locations must be physically cleared before using mechanized equipment. Required minimum physical clearance depths and diameters are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physically clear to a depth of 5 feet bls. The size of the pre-clearance exploratory test hole must be, at a minimum, twice the diameter of any downhole tool or boring device. For direct push applications (CPT, Geoprobe®, etc.) the borehole clearance diameter shall be at least 125% to the diameter of the largest tool being pushed through the subsurface (e.g., tip, rod, sampler, etc.). 				
Work execution plan reviewed and adhered to (ground disturbance methods, clearance depths, any special utility protection requirements, or any other execution requirements; especially for Tolerance Zone work).				

<p>Mechanical intrusive work is prohibited within 3-foot distance in all directions from subsurface structures that will be intentionally exposed during pre-clearance. Any removal of material within 3-feet of the subsurface structure may only proceed by hand using non-conductive tools/compressed air if authorized by state law and the owner/operator of the utility.</p>				
<p>All equipment onsite must maintain the appropriate horizontal distance from any point on the equipment to the nearest overhead electrical power line. Refer to site-specific HASP and local/utility company requirements.</p>				
<p>Verbal endorsement received from Roux PM and OM for any required field deviations to work execution plan.</p>				

Key Reminders for Execution

The Subsurface Utility Clearance Protocol should be referenced to determine all requirements while executing subsurface work. The bullet points below are intended as general reminders only and should not be relied upon solely.

- The size of the pre-clearance exploratory test hole must be at a minimum twice the diameter of any downhole tool or boring device to minimum required depth of 5 feet bls.
- For direct push applications (CPT, Geoprobe®, etc.) the borehole clearance diameter shall be at least 125% of the diameter of the largest tool being pushed through the subsurface (e.g., tip, rod, sampler, etc.), to the minimum required depth of 5 feet bls.
- The tolerance zone is defined as three feet plus half of the diameter or half of the greatest dimension (for elliptical sewers, duct banks, and other non-cylindrical utilities) of a utility and three feet from the outside of any subsurface structure.
- For excavations, all utilities need to be marked and then exposed by hand, following the protocols in this program. Pre-clearing for excavations may be performed by the “moat” technique (i.e., soft digging around the perimeter). In these cases, dig in small lifts (<12” for first five feet) using a dedicated spotter.) For Tolerance Zone work, unless otherwise agreed upon with the Utility Operator, work within the tolerance zone requires verification by means of hand-dug test holes to expose the utility. Once structures have been verified, a minimum clearance of three feet must be maintained between the utility and any powered equipment.



Utility Verification/Site Walkthrough Record

Employee Name: _____

Date: _____

Instructions: For each utility suspected at the job site, indicate the location on the job site, approximate burial depth, and means of detecting the utility. Leave blank if that utility is not believed to be present.

Utility	Description of Utility Location Identified Onsite	Approx. Depth (bls)	Method / Instrumentation used to determine Utility Location	Utility Owner Response (Date/Time)	Mark Out Indicates (Clear / Conflict)
Electrical Lines					
Gas Lines					
Pipelines					
Steam Lines					
Water Lines					
Sanitary and Stormwater Sewer lines					
Pressured Air-Lines					
Tank Vent Lines					
Fiber Optic Lines					
Underground Storage Tanks					
Phone Lines/ Other					

* bls - below land surface

Site Sketch Showing Utilities:

Color Code

ELECTRIC
Gas-oil Steam
Communications CATV
WATER
Reclaimed Water
SEWER
Temp. Survey Markings
Proposed Excavation

Other Comments / Findings:

Completed by: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Appendix B
Private Utility Technology Applications and Considerations

Appendix B – Private Utility Technology Applications and Considerations

Technology ⇒ Utility/Object ↓	Radio Frequency Electro-Magnetic Detector (connection to utility, or induction without connection)	Radio Frequency Electro- Magnetic Detector (passive sweep)	Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR)⊙	Acoustic Plastic Pipe Locator	Beacon, Sonde or Conductive Rodder Insertion	EM-61 (time domain electromagnetics) ⊚		
Power/Instrument Line (Energized/Signaled) □	* G	G	G	R	R	G		
Power Line (Non-energized) □	* G	R	G	R	R	G		
Sewer/Water Line (Metallic) □	* G	Y	G	Y	G	G		
Sewer/Water Line (Non- metallic)	R	R	G	G	* G	R		
Instrument / Telecomm Lines (Non-energized)	* G	R	G	R	R	Y Only if metallic		
Hydrocarbon Transmission Line (Pipeline)◆ □	* G	R	G	R	R	G		
Metallic/Non-Metallic Line (with Tracer Wire)	* G	Y	G	Y	Y	G metalli c	Y non- metallic	
Metallic/Non-Metallic Line (without Tracer Wire)	G metallic	R non- metallic	R	* G	Y	Y	G metalli c	R non- metallic
Metal or Fiberglass UST	R	R	* G	R	R	G metalli c	R non- metallic	

Additional Considerations

Technology ⇒ Variable ↓	Radio Frequency Electro-Magnetic Detector	Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR)⊙	Acoustic Pipe Locator	Beacon, Sonde, or Conductive Rodder Insertion	EM-61 ⊚
Moist Soil	G	Y	G	G	G
Dry Soil	Y	G	Y	G	G
Clay	Y	R	G	G	G
Concrete w/Rebar	R	Y	G	G	R
Long Horizontal Profile	G	G	G	G	G
Short Horizontal but Deep Vertical Profile	Y	G	R	R	G
Access to Line+	G	N/A	G	G	G
No Access to Line+	G (induction or passive)	G	R	R	G
	R (direct connect)				G
Ferrous Metal	G	G	G	G	G
Non-ferrous Metal	Y	G	G	G	G
Adjacent or crossing conductive utility(ies)	Y	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y

Each site will be unique. Do not use this table as the sole criteria for technology selection. Use it as a starting point to assess available, applicable technology(s).

- * Indicates best technology for given object. Site structures, rebar in concrete, shallow groundwater tables, perched storm water, etc. can significantly affect performance and reliability of any electro/magnetic method. Other utilities which cross or are adjacent to the target line can cause the EM signal to bleed or jump to the other utility line.
- Metallic lines that have power running through them or can be connected to a tracer signal generator.
- ◆ Natural gas pipeline locating technicians must be trained/certified (in the U.S. requires DOT and Office of Pipeline Safety standards, other regions may have similar certification or requirements).
- ⊙ Most sensitive to interpretation. The skill, training and experience of operator are critical.
- ⊚ Emerging technology with limited availability.
- + Access: induce unique electronic signature, apply acoustical impulse or insert conductive rodder/beacon/sonde.

Green Generally, an applicable technology **Yellow** May or may not be applicable **Red** Not generally applicable

Heavy Equipment Exclusion Zone Policy



**HEAVY EQUIPMENT EXCLUSION ZONE
MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

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1. PURPOSE

The Exclusion Zone Management Program aims to establish the minimum clearance distance that must be maintained between workers and heavy equipment while equipment is in operation (i.e., engaged or moving). The intent is to have no personnel or equipment entering the Exclusion Zone while the equipment is in operation or moving to ensure that Roux and Subcontractor employees are unnecessarily exposed to the hazards of the equipment.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

This Management Program applies to all Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C., and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”) employees and their subcontractors performing fieldwork and are potentially exposed to heavy equipment. Heavy equipment includes, but is not necessarily limited to, excavation equipment, drill rigs, vacuum trucks, forklifts, lull telehandlers, man lifts, bobcats, delivery trucks, etc.

3. PROCEDURES

As specified in the following sections of this program, Exclusion Zones must be established and maintained during activities involving the movement/operation of heavy equipment. The Exclusion Zone requirements apply to all personnel on the site but are primarily focused on personnel required to work near the equipment. The exclusion zone is in effect when heavy equipment is moving or engaged (e.g., movement of an arm or bucket of an excavator, rotation of an auger, lifting of a load with a forklift, raising/lowering of a man lift, etc.).

1. The Exclusion Zone must meet the following minimum requirements:

- A minimum distance of 10 feet from all heavy equipment and loads being moved by the equipment;
- Greater than the swing/reach radius of any moving part on the heavy equipment (i.e., for large equipment, this may mean an exclusion zone distance larger than 20 feet);
- Greater than the fall zone of equipment and their contents; and
- Greater than the tip-over distance of the heavy equipment.

The size of the Exclusion Zone will need to be determined on a task-specific basis considering the size of the heavy equipment in use and the task being performed. Prior to all heavy equipment operations, the Exclusion Zone(s) distance must be specifically identified in the Job Planning Process and incorporated in the pre-job tailgate meeting with the subcontractor(s), including any updates to our Job Safety Analysis (JSA).

2. The spotter (or another authorized individual) is responsible for enforcing the Exclusion Zone and not conducting any other task. The spotter should be positioned immediately outside of the Exclusion Zone within a clear line of sight of the equipment operator. The spotter must signal the operator to stop work if anyone or anything has the potential to enter or compromise the Exclusion Zone. The operator should stop work if the spotter is not within their line of sight. If a spotter must be within the Exclusion Zone, they must be in a designated area outside the swing/tip radius, fall zone, line of fire of lifted loads, etc. If multiple pieces of equipment are being used, one spotter may be adequate so long as there is a clear line of sight and the spotter can control the zone(s). Radios would be required since hand signals would not be adequate if two pieces of equipment are in operation at the same time in the Exclusion Zone.

3. If an individual must enter the Exclusion Zone, the designated Spotter must signal the Equipment Operator to stop the equipment. Once the equipment is no longer moving (e.g., movement of an arm of an excavator is STOPPED, lifting of a load with a forklift STOPPED, raising/lowering of a man lift is STOPPED, etc.), the operator must bring the boom/arm to the ground ensuring a “Zero Energy State” and DISENGAGE THE CONTROLS and STOP and SIGNAL BY “SHOWING HIS HANDS.” This signal will indicate that it is safe for the person to enter the limits of the Exclusion Zone to perform the required activity. The equipment must remain completely stopped/disengaged until all personnel exited the Exclusion Zone’s boundaries and the designated Spotter has signaled by “SHOWING HIS HANDS” to the Equipment Operator that it is safe to resume operations.
4. When entering the limits of the Exclusion Zone, personnel must, at a minimum:
 - Establish eye contact with the operator and approach the heavy equipment in a manner that is in direct line of sight to the Equipment Operator;
 - Never walk under any suspended loads or raised booms/arms of the heavy equipment; and
 - Identify a travel path free of Slip/Trip/Fall hazards.
5. The Exclusion Zone should be delineated using cones with orange snow fences or solid poles between the cones, barrels, tape, or other measures. For work in rights-of-way, rigid barriers, such as Jersey barriers or temporary chain link fences, should be used. For certain types of widespread or moving/mobile equipment operations, such delineation may not be practicable around equipment or individual work areas. In such instances, it is expected that the entire operation will be within a larger secure work area or that additional means will be utilized to ensure the security of the work zone.

All subcontractors who provide heavy equipment operations to field projects must implement a program that meets or exceeds the expectations described above as well as any additional requirements that may be required on a client or site-specific basis. Logistics involving heavy equipment should be understood and discussed prior to the field event during the job planning phase.

3.1 Exceptions

It is recognized that certain heavy equipment activities may require personnel to work within the limits of the Exclusion Zone as specified in this program. Such activities may include certain excavation clearance tasks, drill crew activities, or construction tasks. However, any such activity must be pre-planned, emphasizing limiting the amount and potential exposure of any activity required within the zone. The critical safety steps to mitigate the hazards associated with working within the Exclusion Zone must be defined in the JSA and potentially other project-specific plans (i.e., critical lift plans, etc.), and approved by the Roux Project Principal (PP), Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM) and client representative, if required, prior to implementation.

4. TRAINING

Many Roux projects have different requirements that are client-specific or site-specific in nature. However, all Roux employees are provided initial training, as well as annually thereafter, on our Heavy Equipment Exclusion zone policy.

5. STOP WORK AUTHORITY

All Roux employees and their subcontractors have stop-work authority. Upon initial hire, all Roux employees are provided initial safety orientation, including stop work authority. All Roux employees and subcontractors are encouraged to stop work whenever any task or operation presents unreasonable risk or employees are

unsure how to carry out work safely. This includes upon observing any questionable safety-related behavior or condition, they are to stop work immediately and discuss the behavior or condition with the individual(s) involved. Upon stopping work, the following actions will be taken:

- Notify the affected parties to include the Project Manager (PM) and Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO);
- Work to correct the situation or not proceed until the situation is corrected by the PM or SHSO;
- Resume work only when told to proceed by either the PM or SHSO;
- The SHSO will document the Stop-Work intervention in the field logbook;
- Stop-Work interventions will be reported to the PP for review to ensure the interventions are closed; and
- The PP will share learnings from the interventions, as appropriate, throughout the firm, to demonstrate the importance of the Stop-Work interventions.

Please note: Any form of retribution or intimidation directed at any individual or company for exercising their right to issue a stop work authority will not be tolerated.

Incident Investigation and Reporting Management Program

**INCIDENT INVESTIGATION AND
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1. PURPOSE

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C., and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”), have instituted the following management program for reporting Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) incidents and near losses; investigation and correcting the causes of incidents; tracking incidents and corrective actions are taken; and sharing the cause and corrective actions with Roux personnel. These practices and procedures establish a method to track progress and improvements to the company’s EHS performance.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

These procedures apply to all Roux employees. Employees must follow these procedures for all incidents involving Roux personnel or other personnel (e.g., subcontractors) working for Roux, regardless of the specific work activity or work location.

This program is intended, in part, to fulfill the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) occupational injury and illness reporting and recording requirements cited in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) at 29 CFR 1904. All work-related fatalities, injuries, and/or illnesses shall be recorded, and written records are kept in accordance with 29 CFR 1904. OSHA 300 Log, privacy case list (if applicable), annual summary reports, and OSHA incident report forms shall be maintained for a minimum of five (5) years following the end of the calendar year.

3. RESPONSIBILITIES

All Roux employees are responsible for reporting all incidents as soon as possible to the PM (or Administrative Manager for office-related incidents), Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO), Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM), Operations Manager (OM), or Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD) regardless of severity. Additionally, the following positions have specific responsibilities for implementing this specific SOP.

3.1 Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD)

- The CHSD is responsible for ensuring a system is in place for reporting, investigating, correcting, and communicating EHS incidents and near losses. This responsibility includes providing appropriate training. All field personnel and their supervisors and managers shall be trained accordingly to their roles and responsibilities. OHSMs shall be trained in Root Cause Analysis.
- The CHSD is responsible for ensuring workplace fatalities are reported to OSHA within 8 hours, and any in-patient hospitalization, amputation, or eye loss must be reported to OSHA within 24 hours. Additionally, required incidents will be reported to the client (host facility) within 24 hours, if applicable.
- The CHSD is responsible for implementing and communicating this program’s contents to OHSMs.
- The CHSD will review all incidents and corrective actions taken. The CHSD will summarize serious incidents to the Board of Directors.
- The CHSD will communicate learnings from incidents and corrective actions taken to all personnel through quarterly communications.
- The CHSD will periodically review and evaluate the effectiveness of this procedure.
- The CHSD shall coordinate updates to OSHA 300 logs within seven calendar days of receiving information that an OSHA recordable injury occurred.

3.2 Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

- The CEO (Company Official) is responsible for signing off on the OSHA 300A Summary form provided by the CHSD.

3.3 Operations Manager (OM)

- The OM will designate the individual to serve as the OHSM responsible for ensuring that requirements in this procedure are met.
- The OM will ensure that sufficient resources are allocated to fulfill the requirements of this procedure.
- The OM will review all incident reports prepared under this procedure.
- The occurrence of a serious incident will trigger a health and safety audit by the OHSM & OM.
- The OM shall assist with proper care management of injured personnel to ensure prompt and appropriate care is provided.

3.4 Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM)

- The OHSM is responsible for reviewing draft incident reports, assisting the OM in finalizing reports of all accidents, illnesses, and incidents related to work activity, and assisting the SHSO when necessary.
- The OHSM is responsible for determining the root causes of all loss incidents and any near-loss incident that could have resulted in a serious injury or fatality and/or significant property damage.
- The OHSM may not approve a site-specific Health and Safety Plan (HASP) unless the HASP includes incident reporting procedures and forms, as applicable.
- The OHSM will suggest and implement corrective actions to prevent the same incident from re-occurring.
- The OHSM will keep all incident reports, corrective action taken, and follow-up forms on file. The OHSM will provide copies of all final reports and documents to the CHSD within one week of the incident. If a serious incident occurs, the CHSD will be notified as soon as possible.
- The OHSM shall post the annual OSHA 300A summary within a common space (i.e., kitchen, break area) within the office visible to all employees from February 1st through April 30th.
- The occurrence of a serious incident will trigger a health and safety audit by the OHSM & OM.

3.5 Project Manager (PM)

- It shall be the PM's responsibility to promptly correct any deficiencies that were determined to cause or contribute to the incident investigated.
- If a site-specific HASP is not utilized, the PM must ensure that field personnel have copies of the Roux Accident Reporting and Investigation Forms, which are available digitally on Roux's Health and Safety App Gateway and online.
- The PM has the responsibility of ensuring that the SHSO and other field personnel understand the need for timely incident reporting.
- In the event of an incident, the PM will assist in determining the root cause of the incident with the assistance of the SHSO and OHSM. The PM should provide input as to corrective preventative measures.

3.6 Site Health and Safety Officer (SHSO)

- The SHSO shall provide the details of the incident to the OHSM, PM, and OM. The OM or his delegate will provide additional notifications, such as, in the event of a work-related motor vehicle accident, to include the Roux Legal Department and Accounting.

- It is the SHSO’s responsibility to immediately notify the OHSM and the PM when any incident occurs. Such notification should occur immediately following the completion of any emergency actions required by the HASP.
- The SHSO should provide input as to corrective preventative measures.
- The SHSO must ensure corrective actions proposed by the OHSM or OM are carried out.

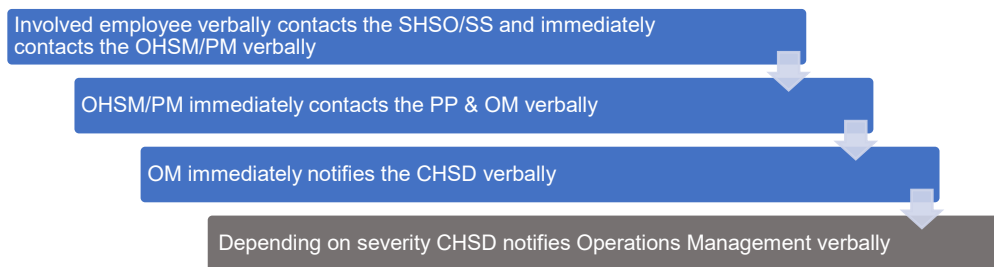
3.7 All Personnel

- All personnel are responsible for reporting and describing the details of any incident they are involved to the SHSO and PM. Such notification should occur immediately following the completion of any emergency actions required by the HASP, after the loss, and before the scene is disturbed or vehicles are moved.

4. PROCEDURE

4.1 Emergency Medical Treatment and First Aid

Employees must follow the procedures outlined below in the event of a work-related injury or illness. All workplace injury and illness situations require Roux’s Project and Corporate Management Team to be notified when an injury/illness incident occurs, and communication with the contracted Occupational Health Care Management Provider is initiated, as necessary. The Injury/Illness Notification Flowchart is provided below.



If on-Site personnel require any medical treatment, the following steps will be taken:

- Immediately following the notifications provided above, notify Roux’s Project and Corporate Management Team of any work-related injury and/or illness and communicate with the contracted Occupational Health Care Management Provider.
- Decontaminate to the extent possible prior to administration of first aid or movement to medical or emergency facilities.
- First aid medical support will be provided by onsite personnel trained and certified in First Aid, Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), Automatic External Defibrillation (AED), and Blood-Borne Pathogens (BBP) Awareness, until relieved by emergency medical services (EMS).
- Based on discussions with the Project Team, Corporate Management, and the Occupational Health Care Management Provider, if medical attention beyond onsite first aid is warranted, transport the injured/ill person (IP) to the Urgent Care Center or notify the Fire Department or Ambulance Emergency service and request an ambulance or transport the victim to the hospital, and continue communications with Corporate Management Team.
- The SHSO and PM will perform a Loss Investigation (LI), and the Project Team will complete the final Loss Report, as outlined below.

4.2 Incident Investigation

Upon receiving a report of an incident or near loss occurrence from a Roux employee, the SHSO or OHSM shall immediately investigate the circumstances and make appropriate recommendations to prevent a recurrence. All reports are filed digitally within Roux's Health and Safety Management System. Should hard copies be requested for either the Loss or Near Loss Report, please reach out directly to the Health and Safety Department. The OM may also participate in the investigation of more serious accidents and incidents that occur on-site. The CHSD should also be immediately notified by telephone of the occurrence of a serious accident or incident. At the CHSD's discretion, he may also participate in the investigation.

The investigation process is summarized below:

- An initial identification/assessment of evidence will be made before anything is moved. Any item potentially considered as evidence will be secured and preserved under the guidance of the Legal Department.
- Witness interviews/statements will include the witnesses' names and the content of the information provided and will be captured on the Accident Report and Investigation Form. Notes from witness interviews will be collected as part of the investigation report.
- Appropriate equipment will be available to conduct the investigation. This equipment will include, as needed, a phone with a camera, tape measure, and industrial hygiene sampling equipment (e.g., direct reading instruments).

4.3 Incident Report

Details of the incident shall be documented using the Accident Report and Investigation Forms within twenty-four (24) hours of the incident and shall be distributed to the SHSO, the OHSM, PM, OM, and the CHSD. The CHSD will update OSHA Forms 301 and the 300 logs, when necessary, and distribute them to the affected office.

Fatigue Management Program

**FATIGUE/FITNESS FOR DUTY
MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

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1. PURPOSE AND APPLICABILITY

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C, and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”) has implemented this program to establish controls to ensure Roux employees are aware of fatigue and assist with the overall control of factors that cause fatigue. Hazards that contribute to overall worker fatigue will be properly identified and managed in order to prevent incidents that can result in personal injury, environmental damage, and/or property damage. This program applies to all locations or projects where employees could be impacted by worker fatigue.

2. CONSEQUENCES OF FATIGUE

Definitions of fatigue vary between industries, regions, and professional perspectives. Confusion over the terminology relating to fatigue, and the causes of fatigue can pose a challenge to managing the associated risk. Therefore, a single definition of fatigue should be identified and used consistently. The definition of fatigue used in this document, and proposed for broader use in industry, is that provided in ANSI/API RP 755: *Reduced mental and physical functioning caused by sleep deprivation and/or being awake during normal sleep hours. This may result from extended work hours, insufficient opportunities for sleep, failure to use available sleep opportunities, or the effects of sleep disorders, medical conditions, or pharmaceuticals that reduce sleep or increase sleepiness.*

Fatigue can contribute to the risk of accidents by impairing performance in many different ways:

- Diminished ability to perform certain tasks (e.g., slowed reaction times; periods of delayed response or no response (lapses) during vigilance-based tasks; increased errors of omission (forgetting to do something); impaired selective attention; reduced accuracy of short-term memory).
- Changes in emotional state and willingness to apply effort (e.g., being quieter or more withdrawn than usual, lacking in energy, lacking in motivation, and being irritable/grumpy).
- Changes in the way we communicate (e.g., diminished ability to communicate effectively).

Observable signs of fatigue include fidgeting, rubbing eyes, yawning, frequent blinking, staring blankly, long blinks, difficulty keeping eyes open, and head nodding. Head nodding and difficulty keeping eyes open are associated with extreme levels of fatigue and are symptoms of what is termed “micro-sleeps,” short periods of time (seconds) when the brain disengages from the environment (by ceasing to process visual information and sounds), and we slip uncontrollably into a light sleep for a short time. The characteristic head nodding associated with micro-sleeps is caused by the muscles in the neck relaxing as we enter light sleep.

3. TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

All technical employees are provided an initial employee orientation before they can perform fieldwork. The orientation shall be provided by the Operations Manager (OM), Office Health and Safety Manager (OHSM), or their designee. Fatigue management shall be incorporated within this initial orientation and provided to employees annually thereafter as appropriate. At a minimum, the following information should be communicated:

- How to recognize and control fatigue;
- Work and personal habits; and
- Reporting fatigue to supervision.

Pre-employment physicals, including drug screening, as appropriate, are required prior to fieldwork activities.

4. WHAT CAUSES FATIGUE?

Fatigue is determined by a multitude of work-related and individual factors, some of which are listed below. In order to provide comprehensive protection from the impaired performance caused by fatigue, site-specific procedures are developed to minimize the overall risk of fatigue.

Work-related factors contributing to fatigue can include:

- Shift schedule design;
- Overtime and on-call arrangements;
- Commute;
- Environmental conditions;
- Access to food and water;
- Type of work;
- Task design; and
- Breaks within shifts.

Individual factors contributing to fatigue can include:

- Sleep environment/disorders;
- Health;
- Domestic commitments;
- Knowledge of fatigue reduction strategies;
- Age; and
- Secondary employment.

5. NOTIFICATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The following individuals are responsible for notification under this policy.

5.1 Employee

Roux employees who are using prescription or non-prescription drugs that may affect their ability to perform their work safely are encouraged to identify themselves to the Roux PM or Human Resources (HR) prior to reporting to the job site and to provide the PM/HR with up-to-date information on the medication and its effects.

5.2 Project Principals (PPs) and Project Managers (PMs)

PPs are responsible for notifying the PM/HR when an employee self-identifies as using prescription or non-prescription drugs that may affect their ability to perform their work safely. When required by the Client contract or policy, the Roux PP (or PM if delegated this authority by the PP) shall also provide applicable notice to the Client's designated representative. The notice should be completed in advance using any applicable client notification forms and shall be acknowledged/approved by the client representative prior to the employee commencing work. The Roux PM shall notify the field manager/supervisor, who will be responsible for field observation of the employee while on their project and for making sure that co-workers are aware of the employee's situation. All personnel are expected to watch out for the self-identified employee.

6. PROCEDURES

- Site-specific HASPs shall include language to address and control hazards associated with the use of prescription and nonprescription drugs, as applicable.
- Daily tailgate safety briefings and Job Safety Analysis (JSA) reviews will include discussions surrounding fatigue management. Content will include such items as:
 - Limiting work hours;
 - Job rotation;
 - Allowing for sufficient sleep;
 - Ergonomic controls;
 - JSA task analysis;
 - Rest breaks;
 - Types of medications that can cause fatigue; and
 - Avoidance, where possible, of the use of medications that increase fatigue.
- Ergonomically designed equipment will be selected and provided as deemed appropriate through a JSA. Ergonomic equipment can include, but is not limited to:
 - Providing antifatigue mats for standing;
 - Lift assist devices for repetitive lifting;
 - Proper lighting and control of temperature where possible;
 - Ergonomic-friendly mouse (for computer), wrist supports, and adjustable chairs; and
 - Providing diagrams and other literature to employees to show good ergonomic body positioning techniques for office and field activities.

Silica Exposure Control Program

**SILICA EXPOSURE CONTROL
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APPENDIX

Appendix A 29 CFR 1926.1153 Table 1—Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working with Materials Containing Crystalline Silica

1. PURPOSE

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C, and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”), have implemented this Program to establish controls for occupational respirable crystalline silica exposure. The Written Silica Exposure Control Program (Program) applies to Roux personnel who are potentially exposed to airborne concentrations of respirable crystalline silica at or above regulatory and industry action levels and exposure limits. Potential for respirable crystalline silica exposure may result from field operations, work activities, or proximity to work locations where airborne silica is being emitted. This program also applies to subcontractors, superintendents, foremen, or safety personnel who may be responsible for overseeing Roux’s subcontractor operations and have the potential to expose Roux personnel to airborne concentrations of silica.

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 29 CFR 1926.1153: *Respirable Crystalline Silica* (Construction Industry), 29 CFR 1910.1053: *Respirable Crystalline Silica* (General Industry) and Cal/OSHA Title 8 §1532.3 Occupational Exposures to Respirable Crystalline Silica, contain regulatory requirements specific to occupational respirable crystalline silica exposure. This Written Silica Exposure Control Program is developed in accordance with the requirements in 29 CFR 1926.1153(g).

2. DEFINITIONS

Crystalline silica is a common mineral found in the earth's crust. Materials like sand, stone, concrete, and mortar contain crystalline silica. The following definitions provide additional information regarding respirable crystalline silica exposure and were adapted from OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1153:

- **Respirable Crystalline Silica:** Quartz, cristobalite, and/or tridymite silica contained in airborne particles are determined to be respirable by a sampling device designed to meet the characteristics for respirable-particle-size-selective samplers specified in the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 7708:1995: Air Quality—Particle Size Fraction Definitions for Health-Related Sampling.
- **Employee Exposure:** The exposure to airborne respirable crystalline silica that would occur if an employee were not using respiratory protection or engineering controls. Activities such as abrasive blasting with sand; sawing brick or concrete; sanding or drilling into concrete walls; grinding mortar; manufacturing brick, concrete blocks, stone countertops, or ceramic products; and cutting or crushing stone result in worker exposure to respirable crystalline silica dust. Industrial sand used in certain operations, such as foundry work and hydraulic fracturing (fracking), is also a source of respirable crystalline silica exposure. Workers who inhale these very small crystalline silica particles are at increased risk of developing serious silica-related diseases, including:
 - Silicosis, an incurable lung disease that can lead to disability and death;
 - Lung cancer;
 - Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD); and
 - Kidney disease.
- **Action Level:** A concentration of airborne respirable crystalline silica of 25 micrograms per cubic meter ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$), calculated as an 8-hour Time-Weighted Average (TWA). The employer shall assess the exposure of workers who have the potential for respirable crystalline silica exposure at or above the action level.
- **Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL):** A concentration of airborne respirable crystalline silica of 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, calculated as an 8-hour Time-Weighted Average (TWA).

3. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

The practices and procedures described in this Program include:

- Job tasks in the workplace involving potential exposure to respirable crystalline silica;
- Engineering controls, work practices, and respiratory protection are used to limit employee exposure to respirable crystalline silica;
- Housekeeping measures used to limit employee exposure to respirable crystalline silica;
- Administrative controls used to restrict access to work areas, when necessary, to minimize the number of employees exposed to respirable crystalline silica; and
- Employee training and awareness.

4. SITE-SPECIFIC HAZARDS

This Program describes the site-specific hazards associated with projects involving potential exposure to airborne concentrations of respirable crystalline silica. These work tasks include, but are not limited to:

- Use of stationary masonry saws used to cut concrete, tile, concrete masonry block, sheetrock, gypsum fiber roof board, or any other product containing quartz.
- Handheld power saws used to cut concrete, asphalt, concrete masonry block, sheetrock, gypsum fiber roof board, or any other product containing quartz.
- Walk-behind saws used to cut concrete or asphalt.
- Rig-mounted or free-standing core saws or drills (including impact and rotary hammer drills) used to penetrate the concrete, concrete masonry block, sheetrock, gypsum fiber roof board, or any other structural component or product containing quartz.
- Jackhammers and handheld powered chipping tools used to demolish or modify concrete, concrete masonry block, or any other structural component or product containing quartz.
- Vehicle-mounted hammers or chipping tools are used to demolish concrete, concrete masonry block, or any other structural component or product containing quartz.
- Handheld grinders or cut-off wheels used for mortar removal or cutting/grinding of concrete, concrete masonry block, sheetrock, gypsum fiber roof board, or any other structural component or product containing quartz.
- Walk-behind milling machines or bead blasters used for surfacing activities on concrete, concrete masonry block, asphalt, or any other product containing quartz.
- Installation or demolition of sheetrock, including mudding, taping, and texturizing activities with quartz-containing materials.
- Hand or power tool sanding of painted surfaces. Current latex paint products contain quartz, and the painted substrate (sheetrock, concrete masonry block, concrete) contains quartz.
- Drivable asphalt milling machines used to mill asphalt roadways or walkways.
- Ball mills or crushing equipment used to size products containing quartz.
- All housekeeping operations associated with the activities described above.

Roux employees who work in proximity to operations with the potential for generating airborne respirable crystalline silica must be aware of safe work practices and take all necessary precautions to avoid and minimize exposure.

5. TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

Per OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1153(i)(2), Roux employees who are potentially exposed to airborne concentrations of respirable crystalline silica will be provided training to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the following:

- Health hazards associated with exposure to respirable crystalline silica;
- Specific tasks in the field or workplace that could result in exposure to respirable crystalline silica;
- Specific engineering controls, work practices, and respiratory protection requirements to mitigate potential respirable crystalline silica exposure;
- The contents of 29 CFR 1926.1153; and
- The identity of the competent person.

Each employee will have access to safety data sheets (as applicable) and will be provided information on the health hazards associated with respirable crystalline silica exposure, including cancer, lung, immune system, and kidney effects. In addition, Roux employees will be provided training and information regarding specific work activities identified in this Program that may result in respirable crystalline silica exposure. Employee training will provide a discussion of respirable crystalline silica hazards and exposure assessment of anticipated job tasks. The implementation of air monitoring, specific engineering and/or work practice control measures, personal protective equipment (PPE) including respiratory protection, and medical surveillance will be performed per *29 CFR 1926.1153 Table 1—Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working With Materials Containing Crystalline Silica* requirements. Please refer to Appendix A for OSHA Table 1 control measures. Employee training will also include the identification of a competent person for respirable crystalline silica exposure assessment and the determination of control methods.

6. COMPETENT PERSON REQUIREMENTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

Roux shall identify a Competent Person to inspect and oversee all activities with potential airborne respirable crystalline silica exposure. Subcontractors working on projects within the scope of this Program shall appoint a Competent Person capable of executing the duties described herein. The Competent Person must have training in the inspection of work areas and equipment and in the determination of safe working conditions. This person shall have a working knowledge of the 1926.1153 standards, shall be capable of identifying airborne silica hazards, shall determine the need for initial and additional exposure monitoring, shall recommend and implement engineering and work practice controls, shall establish levels of PPE, and shall have the authority to take action to eliminate hazards and correct incidences of noncompliance.

7. SAFE WORK PRACTICES

The requirements of this section are to be followed by Roux employees and other on-site personnel who may be exposed to airborne concentrations of respirable crystalline silica at or above the regulatory limits.

7.1. EXPOSURE ASSESSMENT

Roux will either comply with and implement all controls required by *29 CFR 1926.1153 Table 1—Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working With Materials Containing Crystalline Silica* or conduct an initial exposure assessment in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.1153(d)(2). An exposure assessment is not necessary where it can

be demonstrated that engineering controls used in Table 1 are effective at maintaining potential respirable crystalline silica exposure well below regulatory limits:

- An exposure assessment is required when employees may be exposed to airborne silica at or above the action level in order to determine the extent to which employees are exposed and the appropriate exposure controls required.
- An initial determination of exposure shall be made at the beginning of operations. The determination shall consist of the collection of personal air samples representative of a typical full shift, including at least one sample for each similar exposure group in each work area, either for each shift or for the shift with the highest potential exposure level.
- During the initial exposure assessment, personnel shall be protected by respiratory protection as specified in *29 CFR 1926.1153 Table 1—Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working With Materials Containing Crystalline Silica* until workplace airborne concentrations are determined.
- During the initial exposure assessment and all phases of work, personnel shall be provided with protective clothing and equipment, hygiene facilities, and training as applicable.
- Whenever a change in equipment, process, controls, or personnel occurs or a new task has been initiated, an additional exposure assessment is required.
- When an assessment determines that exposure has occurred above the action level, but below the PEL, additional monitoring shall be required at least every 6 months, additional monitoring shall continue until such time that the monitoring results fall below the action level on two separate occasions at least 7 days apart.
- When monitoring yields results above the PEL, quarterly monitoring is required. Quarterly monitoring may be suspended when additional monitoring results fall below the action level on two separate occasions at least 7 days apart.
- Air monitoring may be unwarranted where the Competent Person can clearly demonstrate, in the absence of air monitoring data, that a work activity will not create airborne silica concentrations in excess of the action level. Where a negative exposure determination is reached without air monitoring, the Competent Person must develop a written program as to why exposures are not expected to exceed the action level.

7.2. COMMUNICATION OF HAZARDS

This written compliance Program shall be made available to all Roux employees. In addition, owners, subcontractors, and other personnel in proximity to work locations where airborne respirable crystalline silica is being emitted shall also be provided the Program.

7.3. CONTROL METHODS

A site-specific written exposure control plan shall be established and implemented prior to the start of operations within the scope of this Program. The written plan shall outline the control methods for maintaining employee exposure below the PEL.

Engineering and work practice controls, including administrative controls, shall be implemented to reduce and maintain employee exposure to silica at or below the PEL to the extent that such controls are feasible. Engineering controls and dust mitigation measures are listed below:

- Equipment with integrated water delivery systems that continuously feed water to the point of contact or working surface.
- Commercially available shroud or cowling (e.g., Hammer Drill Dust Shroud for Chiseling, Dust Trap Drilling Shroud, etc.) with a dust collection system.

- Dust collection system with close capture hood or shroud around drill bit with a low-flow water spray to wet the dust at the discharge point from the dust collector.
- Operate equipment from within an enclosed cab (as applicable) and use water for dust suppression on drill bit or point of contact.

Where all feasible engineering and work practice controls that can be instituted are not sufficient to reduce employee exposure to or below the PEL, such controls shall be used to reduce employee exposure to the lowest feasible level in conjunction with respiratory protection.

Respiratory protection shall be selected based on guidance in 1926.1153 *Table 1—Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working With Materials Containing Crystalline Silica* or based on a Certified Industrial Hygienist's or Competent Person's assessment of the potential airborne silica exposure that may be created by the means and methods of work (high energy operations with high airborne dust generation or low energy operations with low dust generation).

In addition to exposure control methods provided in Table 1, all affected Roux and subcontractor personnel shall comply with the following work practices to properly mitigate respirable crystalline silica exposure:

- When using mechanical ventilation to control exposure, regularly evaluate the system's ability to effectively control exposure, including particulate filters, ducting, and mechanical components.
- If administrative controls are used to limit exposure, establish and implement a job rotation schedule that includes employee identification, exposure duration, and anticipated exposure levels where each affected employee is located.
- If vacuuming is the method selected, specialized vacuums with High-efficiency Particulate Air (HEPA) filtration are required. Methods to use and empty vacuums in a manner that minimizes the reentry of silica into the workplace shall be described and used. Use of household vacuums with HEPA filters are not allowed at any time for the collection of dust or debris that contains silica.
- Never use compressed air to remove silica from any surface unless it is used in conjunction with a ventilation system designed to capture the airborne dust created while using the compressed air.
- Maintain all surfaces as free as possible from accumulations of silica. Select methods for cleaning surfaces and floors that minimize the likelihood of silica becoming airborne (such as using a HEPA vacuum).
- Employees shall not eat, drink, smoke, chew tobacco or gum, or apply cosmetics in any areas where exposure to silica is above the PEL and/or Action Level (in other words, regulated areas).
- Do not allow employees to leave the workplace wearing any protective clothing or equipment that is required to be worn during their work shift without HEPA vacuum removal of dust.

7.4. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT & RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

Roux employees shall be provided, at no cost, protective work clothing and equipment, including cotton coveralls or similar full-body clothing, gloves, hats, shoes or disposable shoe coverlets, face shields, vented goggles, or other appropriate PPE. Half-mask and/or full-facepiece air-purifying respirators (APR) with an assigned protection factor (APF) of at least ten (10) will be used as the appropriate respiratory protection for work operations with the potential for respirable crystalline silica exposure at or above the action level. Full-facepiece APRs with an APF of 25 are required for mortar removal using handheld grinders equipped with a shroud and dust collection system. Respiratory protection must be used for the following conditions:

- During periods when employee exposure to airborne respirable crystalline silica exceeds the Action Level.

- For work operations where engineering and work-practice controls are not sufficient to reduce employee exposure to or below the Action Level.
- During periods when an employee requests a respirator.
- During periods when respirators are required to provide interim protection while conducting initial exposure assessments.
- Powered air-purifying respirators (PAPR) shall be provided to employees who request such a respirator to use where it will provide adequate protection.

8. MEDICAL SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

Roux shall institute medical surveillance for any employees required by this Program to wear respiratory protection for 30 or more days per year. Initial medical surveillance consists of medical and work history with emphasis on: past, present, and anticipated exposure to crystalline silica exposure, dust and other agents affecting the respiratory system; any history of respiratory system dysfunction, including signs and symptoms of respiratory disease (e.g., shortness of breath, cough, wheezing); history of tuberculosis; and smoking status and history; a physical examination with emphasis on the respiratory system; chest X-ray (a single posterior-anterior radiographic projection or radiograph of the chest at full inspiration recorded on either film (no less than 14 x 17 inches and no more than 16 x 17 inches) or digital radiography systems), interpreted and classified according to the International Labor Office (ILO) International Classification of Radiographs of Pneumoconiosis by a NIOSH-certified B Reader; a pulmonary function test to include forced vital capacity (FVC) and forced expiratory volume in one second (FEV1) and FEV1/FVC ratio, administered by a spirometry technician with a current certificate from a NIOSH approved spirometry course; testing for latent tuberculosis infection; and any other tests deemed appropriate by the Occupational Medicine Provider. Subcontractors are responsible for implementing a medical surveillance program for their employees.

Appendix A
29 CFR 1926.1153 OSHA Table 1
Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working
with Materials Containing Crystalline Silica

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with Materials Containing Crystalline Silica**

Table 1: Specified Exposure Control Methods When Working with Materials Containing Crystalline Silica

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
(i) Stationary masonry saws	Use saw equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the blade. Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.	None	None
(ii) Handheld power saws (any blade diameter)	Use saw equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the blade. Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used outdoors When used indoors or in an enclosed area 	None	APF 10
		APF 10	APF 10
(iii) Handheld power saws for cutting fiber-cement board (with blade diameter of 8 inches or less)	For tasks performed outdoors only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use saw equipped with commercially available dust collection system Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions Dust collector must provide the air flow recommended by the tool manufacturer, or greater, and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency 	None	None
(iv) Walk-behind saws	Use saw equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the blade. Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used outdoors When used indoors or in an enclosed area 		
		None	None
		APF 10	APF 10
(v) Drivable saws	For tasks performed outdoors only:		

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use saw equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the blade. Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions 	None	None
(vi) Rig-mounted core saws or drills	<p>Use tool equipped with integrated water delivery system that supplies water to cutting surface.</p> <p>Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.</p>	None	None
(vii) Handheld and stand-mounted drills (including impact and rotary hammer drills)	<p>Use drill equipped with commercially available shroud or cowling with dust collection system.</p> <p>Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.</p> <p>Dust collector must provide the air flow recommended by the tool manufacturer, or greater, and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a filter-cleaning mechanism.</p> <p>Use a HEPA-filtered vacuum when cleaning holes.</p>	None	None
(viii) Dowel drilling rigs for concrete	For tasks performed outdoors only:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use shroud around drill bit with a dust collection system. Dust collector must have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a filter-cleaning mechanism 	APF 10	APF 10
(ix) Vehicle-mounted drilling rigs for rock and concrete	Use dust collection system with close capture hood or shroud around drill bit with a low-flow water spray to wet the dust at the discharge point from the dust collector.	None	None
	OR		

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
	Operate from within an enclosed cab and use water for dust suppression on drill bit.	None	None
(x) Jackhammers and handheld powered chipping tools	Use tool with water delivery system that supplies a continuous stream or spray of water at the point of impact:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used outdoors 	None	APF 10
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used indoors or in an enclosed area 	APF 10	APF 10
	OR		
	Use tool equipped with commercially available shroud and dust collection system.		
	Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.		
	Dust collector must provide the air flow recommended by the tool manufacturer, or greater, and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a filter-cleaning mechanism:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used outdoors 	None	APF 10	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used indoors or in an enclosed area 	APF 10	APF 10	
(xi) Handheld grinders for mortar removal (i.e., tuckpointing)	Use grinder equipped with commercially available shroud and dust collection system.	APF 10	APF 25
	Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.		
	Dust collector must provide 25 cubic feet per minute (cfm) or greater of airflow per inch of wheel diameter and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a cyclonic pre-separator or filter-cleaning mechanism.		
(xii) Handheld grinders for uses other than mortar removal	For tasks performed outdoors only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use grinder equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the grinding surface 	None	None

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions 		
	<i>OR</i>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use grinder equipped with commercially available shroud and dust collection system Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions 		
	Dust collector must provide 25 cubic feet per minute (cfm) or greater of airflow per inch of wheel diameter and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a cyclonic pre-separator or filter-cleaning mechanism:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used outdoors 	None	None
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When used indoors or in an enclosed area 	None	APF 10
(xiii) Walk-behind milling machines and floor grinders	Use machine equipped with integrated water delivery system that continuously feeds water to the cutting surface.	None	None
	Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.		
	<i>OR</i>		
	Use machine equipped with dust collection system recommended by the manufacturer.	None	None
	Operate and maintain tool in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions.		
	Dust collector must provide the air flow recommended by the manufacturer, or greater, and have a filter with 99% or greater efficiency and a filter-cleaning mechanism.		

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
	When used indoors or in an enclosed area, use a HEPA-filtered vacuum to remove loose dust in between passes.		
(xiv) Small drivable milling machines (less than half-lane)	Use a machine equipped with supplemental water sprays designed to suppress dust. Water must be combined with a surfactant.	None	None
	Operate and maintain machine to minimize dust emissions.		
(xv) Large drivable milling machines (half-lane and larger)	For cuts of any depth on asphalt only:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use machine equipped with exhaust ventilation on drum enclosure and supplemental water sprays designed to suppress dust. 	None	None
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operate and maintain machine to minimize dust emissions. 		
	For cuts of four inches in depth or less on any substrate:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use machine equipped with exhaust ventilation on drum enclosure and supplemental water sprays designed to suppress dust. 	None	None
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operate and maintain machine to minimize dust emissions. 		
	<i>OR</i>		
	Use a machine equipped with supplemental water spray designed to suppress dust. Water must be combined with a surfactant.	None	None
	Operate and maintain machine to minimize dust emissions.		
(xvi) Crushing machines	Use equipment designed to deliver water spray or mist for dust suppression at crusher and other points where dust is generated (e.g., hoppers, conveyers, sieves/sizing or vibrating components, and discharge points).	None	None
	Operate and maintain machine in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to minimize dust emissions		

Equipment/Task	Engineering and Work Practice Control Methods	Required Respiratory Protection and Minimum Assigned Protection Factor (APF)	
		≤ 4 hours/shift	>4 hours/shift
	Use a ventilated booth that provides fresh, climate-controlled air to the operator, or a remote control station.		
(xvii) Heavy equipment and utility vehicles used to abrade or fracture silica-containing materials (e.g., hoe-ramming, rock ripping) or used during demolition activities involving silica-containing materials	Operate equipment from within an enclosed cab.	None	None
	When employees outside of the cab are engaged in the task, apply water and/or dust suppressants as necessary to minimize dust emissions.	None	None
(xviii) Heavy equipment and utility vehicles for tasks such as grading and excavating but not including: Demolishing, abrading, or fracturing silica-containing materials	Apply water and/or dust suppressants as necessary to minimize dust emissions.	None	None
	<i>OR</i>		
	When the equipment operator is the only employee engaged in the task, operate equipment from within an enclosed cab.	None	None

Ergonomics Management Program

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Appendix A – Ergonomic Symptom Solver

Appendix B – Roux Field Stretching Guide

1. PURPOSE AND BACKGROUND

Roux Associates, Inc. and its affiliated companies, Roux Environmental Engineering and Geology, D.P.C., and Remedial Engineering (collectively, “Roux”), have instituted the following program to aide in preventing back injuries and other work-related musculoskeletal disorders (WMSDs) or cumulative trauma injuries to personnel. Ergonomic issues involving WMSDs can arise not only in the office, but also in the field and when driving. WMSDs are disorders of the muscles, nerves, tendons, ligaments, joints, cartilage, blood vessels, or spinal discs. WMSDs may include muscle strains and tears, ligament sprains, joint and tendon inflammation, pinched nerves, and spinal disc degeneration.

2. SCOPE AND APPLICABILITY

This program applies to all tasks where Roux personnel and contractors perform manual lifting and have the potential for material handling, manual tool operation, and ergonomic stresses. It is the responsibility of the Corporate Health and Safety Director (CHSD) to aid in developing and training Office Health and Safety Managers (OHSM) and Site Health and Safety Officers (SHSO) to implement this program.

3. PROCEDURES

3.1 Safe Lifting Practices Management

- A. Evaluate all assignments to assess if they can be completed without risk of back injury (e.g., moving boxes, computers, equipment, etc.).
- B. Require that heavier items be stored on lower shelving units; ideally between knee and shoulder height.
- C. Recognize lifting-intensive tasks (poor lift design, high frequency, and/or excessive weight) and provide the means by which personnel can perform lifting duties without risk of injury (e.g., carts, dollies, trucks with lift gates).
- D. Secure outside assistance if personnel cannot safely accomplish the job (e.g., additional staff, contract movers).
- E. Contact the OHSM or SHSO when assistance is necessary to evaluate a lifting task that may pose a back-injury/WMSD risk to assigned personnel.
- F. Ensure that personnel receive the required training outlined below.

3.2 Training Management

- A. Personnel who may have lifting or other ergonomic issues receive training that includes the following topics:
 1. Recognizing potential hazards and how to correct and prevent them.
 2. Proper workstation setup and maintenance.
 3. How to avoid unnecessary physical stress and strain.
 4. How to comfortably handle lifting jobs without undue strain.
 5. Proper use of equipment.
 6. Stretching and strengthening exercises to minimize the risk of injury.
- B. Please refer to *Appendix B - Roux Field Stretching Guide* for additional guidance on ergonomic field stretching exercises of the upper and lower body.

3.3 Office Moves and Relocations

- A. Utilize professional movers for moving office furniture for both offsite moves and inter-office moves.
 - 1. Desks, file cabinets, bookcases, etc.
 - 2. Intensive moving of file boxes
 - 3. Any other heavy equipment or materials.
- B. Ensure that the moving contractor is appropriately evaluated and insured.
- C. Assure as applicable that all unstable items (e.g., bookcases) are secured to prevent tip-over in transit and when placed.

3.4 Workplace Evaluations

At the request of personnel, workstation evaluations of office workstations are available through the OHSM. As it relates to site-specific activities, guidelines will be specified within site-specific Job Safety Analyses (JSAs) that are covered prior to any work activity. JSAs include information on the procedural steps, hazards, and how to control specific hazards as they relate to specific tasks. Ergonomic hazards are identified, and controls are recommended depending on the specific activity. To assist with the evaluation of work-related musculoskeletal symptoms, potential root causes, and associated corrective actions, please refer to *Appendix A – Ergonomic Symptom Solver*.

4. OFFICE ERGONOMICS

There is no single “correct” posture that will fit everyone. An ergonomic injury or illness can be easily avoided through ergonomic education and following the basic design goals of an office desk.

Repetitive motions are one of the key causes of ergonomic injuries/illnesses, and working at an office desk for a prolonged time significantly increases the potential for an ergonomic injury or illness. Highly repetitive tasks that involve long periods of static posture may require several short rest breaks called “micro-breaks.” Employees are encouraged to stand, stretch, and move around during these breaks. This provides rest and allows muscles time to recover. Alternately, the employee can try to vary their work tasks throughout the day to break up highly repetitive tasks.

4.1 Office Ergonomic Set-up Recommendations



*Source: Occupational Safety and Health Administration; Cincinnati Insurance Company

- Top of the monitor should be at or just below eye level to avoid awkward neck posture, and positioned directly in front of you.
- Head and neck should be balanced and in-line with torso.
- Elbows should be close to the body and supported by armrests.
- Hips and knees should be approximately at a 90-degree angle. The back of the knee should be slightly higher than the seat pan to allow blood to circulate freely.
- The lumbar curve of the back should be supported.
- Keep your wrists and hands in line with your forearms.
- Avoid crossing legs. Feet should be firmly on the ground or on a footrest.

- Keep the monitor and keyboard as close as possible; this will keep you in a sound posture.
- The mouse should be located on the same level as the keyboard.
- Take advantage of how your chair can be adjusted to your body.
- Vary work tasks to cut down on repetitive motion.
- Take short breaks to stretch muscles and to rest the eyes.
- Keep items most frequently used close to you.

For additional guidance on establishing an ergonomically sound office environment, please refer to *Appendix C – Office Ergonomic Guidance*.

5. DRIVING ERGONOMIC GUIDANCE

5.1 Typical Problems from Frequent Driving

Common musculoskeletal issues associated with frequent driving and heavy equipment operation (excavator, skid steer, dump truck, etc.) include:

- Neck, back and shoulder pain;
- Cramps, pressure points, and poor circulation in the legs and buttocks;
- Immediately after driving, there is an increased chance of lower back injury from lifting; and
- Long-term potential for degeneration of spinal discs and disc herniation.

5.2 Chronic Back and Neck Injury Risk Factors

Chronic back and neck injuries from driving are caused by two main risk factors:

- Sitting for long periods of time; and
- Whole-body vibration.

5.3 Long-Term Sitting

When you sit, your pelvis rolls backward and the small part of your back flattens out. This increases the pressure in the discs of the spine. In this position, the discs are less prepared to handle the vibrations from your car.

Ligaments in your back help to hold the spine together as you move. These ligaments will stretch and slacken if you sit down for a long time. After standing up, they remain slack for a while and cannot support the spine as they normally do.

If your seat is not correctly adjusted, you could develop pressure points in the buttocks and back of the legs and muscle strain in the lower back.

Continuous upper back and neck muscle work is often required to hold the head in position, especially if vibration is present. Continuous muscle activity associated with the positioning of the head can lead to muscle strain.

Holding a foot pedal down over a long period may cause stiffness and spasms in the legs and lower back.

5.4 Whole-Body Vibration

Whole-body vibration stimulates bursts of back muscle activity. This causes neck and back muscles to tire more quickly and decreases the support these muscles can give to the spine. Even if the muscles are working very lightly, activity for an extended time without rest will lead to fatigue and increase the risk of back injury.

Long-term exposure to whole-body vibration is a common way to develop a herniated disc in your back. The increased disc pressure from sitting speeds up this process.

5.5 Ergonomic Driving Tips

- 1) Before you even get into your car, remove everything from your pocket(s)—anything that can add pressure points to your body while you drive.
- 2) Move your car seat all the way to the back, get in, and begin adjusting until you feel comfortable. Have the seat adjusted to approximately a 100° angle, which will decrease pressure on your lower back.
- 3) If your seatbelt is too tight or uncomfortable, pick up some soft, thick fabric and wrap it around your seatbelt.
- 4) If the back of the seat is uncomfortable, a lumbar support pillow can be used.
- 5) Adjust all mirrors to fit your body and line of sight. You should not have to crane your neck to see what is going on around you. For blind spots, small mirrors can be purchased and placed on the side-view mirrors or dashboard to help you see.
- 6) Keep items you may need while driving in the front seat, such as tissue paper and sunglasses. Twisting and reaching in the car are awkward postures, not to mention the danger it leads to while operating a vehicle.
- 7) If you are on a long driving trip, take frequent breaks; get out of the car and stretch at a safe location. Take a quick walk if possible. It is also a good idea to rest your eyes for a bit.
- 8) The best posture for gripping the steering wheel is keeping two hands on the wheel except when shifting gears. Change your hand postures frequently to improve circulation and reduce fatigue.
 - a. **Common Postures to be Avoided:**
 - i. **“Death Grip”** – Your grip on the steering wheel should be light. If your knuckles appear white in color, you are gripping too hard.
 - ii. **“The one arm cool dude”** – This posture consists of one wrist at the 12 o’clock position on the steering wheel, with the fingers over the top. This causes compression of the soft tissues of the wrist, as well as reducing circulation of the neck and shoulder. In the event the airbag was to deploy, this posture would also result in bone-to-bone contact with the driver’s face.
 - iii. **Arms straight out** – You should be able to drive with your shoulders relaxed and your arms/elbows close to the sides of your body.
 - iv. **One arm propped on your window** – This posture decreases circulation at the neck and shoulder and may compress soft tissue on the arm/wrist.

Appendix A Ergonomic Symptom Solver

Ergonomic Symptom Solver

Discomfort Associated with Hands or Wrists

<u>Possible Cause of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resting heavily on the hand, forearm, or elbow that hurts. • Heavy use of a calculator. • High force when using the space bar. • Mouse size is too big or too small. • Heavy use of the mouse with one hand. • Heavy use of the number pad on the keyboard. • “Planting” your palms or wrists in a fixed position when typing or using the mouse. • Dropping your wrists to the work surface when typing • Resting wrists when typing. • Working surface or keyboard is too high or too low. • The wrist rest is too high or the edges are square and hard. • Typing or mousing on hard work surfaces with blunt edges. • The keyboard is sloping towards you. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not rest heavily on either hand. • Use a wrist rest for your calculator. • Avoid high force when using the space bar. • Change the mouse to one that fits you correctly. • Alternate hands using the mouse and switch to keyboard shortcuts. • Use proper keyboard and mouse techniques. • Use auto-text entries to minimize typing. • Use the wrist rest correctly. • Adjust the keyboard, keyboard platform or desk surface to just below your elbow height with the upper arm in line and comfortable against the body. • Adjust the keyboard so the keyboard lies flat.

Discomfort Associated with Headaches or Blurry Vision

<u>Possible Cause of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The image on the screen is not clear. • Staring or concentrating on your monitor for long periods of time. • Dry eyes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Position your monitor to reduce reflection. • Adjust the brightness and contrast settings to fit you. • Rest your eyes occasionally by switching tasks or looking away from the monitor. • The distance between your eyes and your monitor should be one arm’s length away from you. • Blink frequently to keep your eyes lubricated when doing computer work.

Discomfort Associated with Head or Neck

<u>Possible Cause of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holding your head at an awkward angle. • Monitor is too high and/or is not centered with your keyboard. • Looking up and down between the keyboard and screen as you type. • Leaning forward to view the monitor. • Tilting your head back to accommodate your eye glasses. • Cradling the telephone between your head and shoulder. • Twisting your neck to look at a copy on your desk. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adjust the monitor correctly. • Take a touch-typing course. • Enlarge the font size. • Center the monitor with your keyboard. • Do not cradle the telephone. Hold the phone, use a headset or use your speaker phone. • Use a copyholder to avoid twisting your neck as you type.

Discomfort Associated with the Forearms or Elbows

<u>Possible Cause of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The position of your mouse or keyboard is causing you to extend your reach. • Leaning on your work surface while typing or using the mouse. • Resting your forearms heavily on the arms of your chair. • Extended reach of the mouse. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Position the mouse close to and on the same level as your keyboard. • Sit up straight and allow your hands to “float” above the keyboard without resting your wrists. • Adjust the arm rests of the chair so your forearms are just barely touching them. • Do not lean heavily on arm rests.

Discomfort Associated with the Shoulders

<u>Possible Cause of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The position of your mouse is causing you to extend your reach. • Leaning to one side while you are using the keyboard or mouse. • Cradling the telephone between your head and shoulder. • Extended reaching either side or behind you for the telephone. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Position the mouse to and on the same level as the keyboard. • Sit up straight with your back against the back of your chair with your feet on the ground. • Center the keyboard with your monitor. • Hold the telephone, use a headset, or use speaker phone. • Reposition frequently used items closer to you.

Discomfort Associated with Upper and Lower Back

<u>Possible Causes of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leaning forward to type or write.• Improperly supported back.• Cradling the phone between your head and shoulder.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjust the monitor correctly.• Adjust the chair so that your lumbar back is supported by the chair.• Position your keyboard and mouse close to the body.• Do not cradle the telephone. Hold the phone, use a headset, or use speaker phone.• Sit with your shoulders and hips directly in front of the keyboard and monitor.• Sit up straight with your back against the back of your chair with your feet on the ground or on a footrest.

Discomfort Associated with Legs/Feet

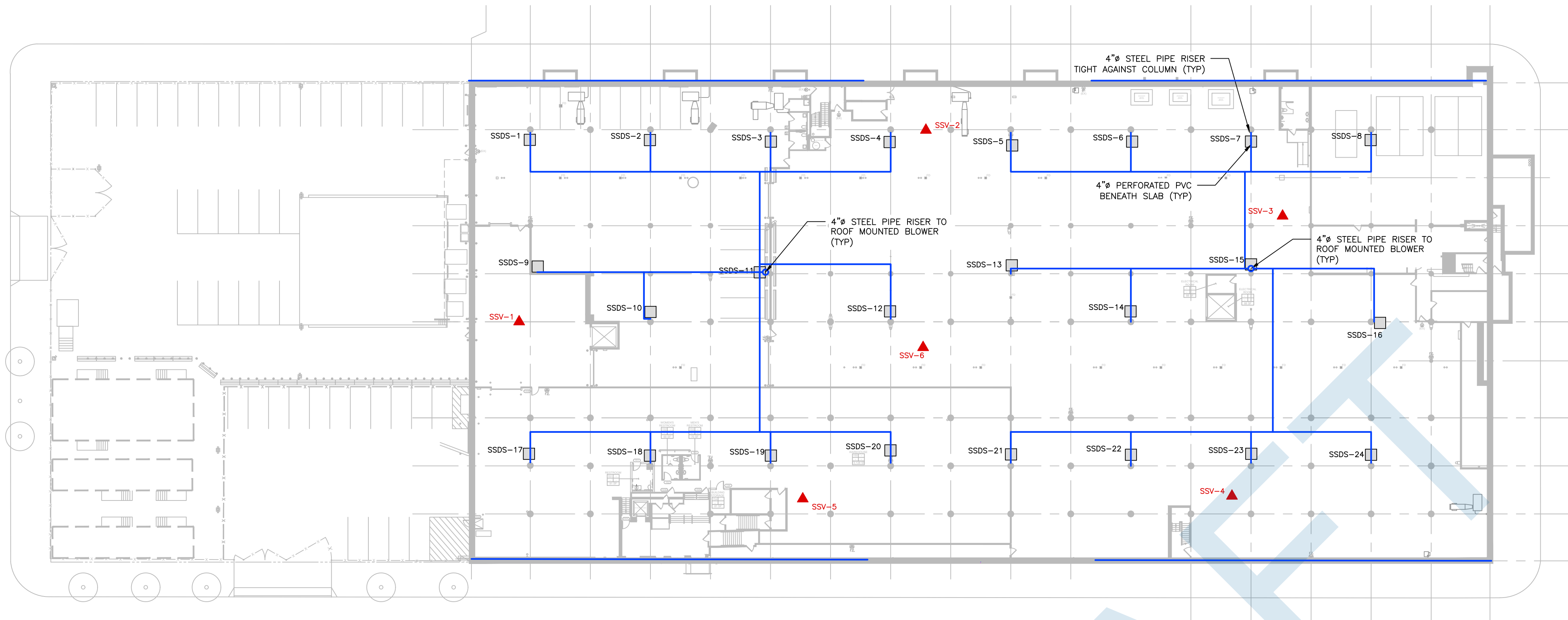
<u>Possible Causes of Symptoms</u>	<u>Suggested Solutions</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Awkward posture of your feet or legs.• Tucking your feet under your legs or chair.• Feet not touching the floor or your legs are extended out in front of you.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sit up straight and do not lean to one side or the other.• Adjust the chair seat pan so there is space between your knees and the seat.• Place feet flat on the floor.• Use a footrest if your feet do not reach.• Clear the area below your desk so there is room for your legs and feet.

Appendix B
Roux Field Stretching Guide

**Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) Plan
47-25 34th Street, Long Island City, New York**

PLATE 1

Sub-Slab Depressurization System Plan and Details

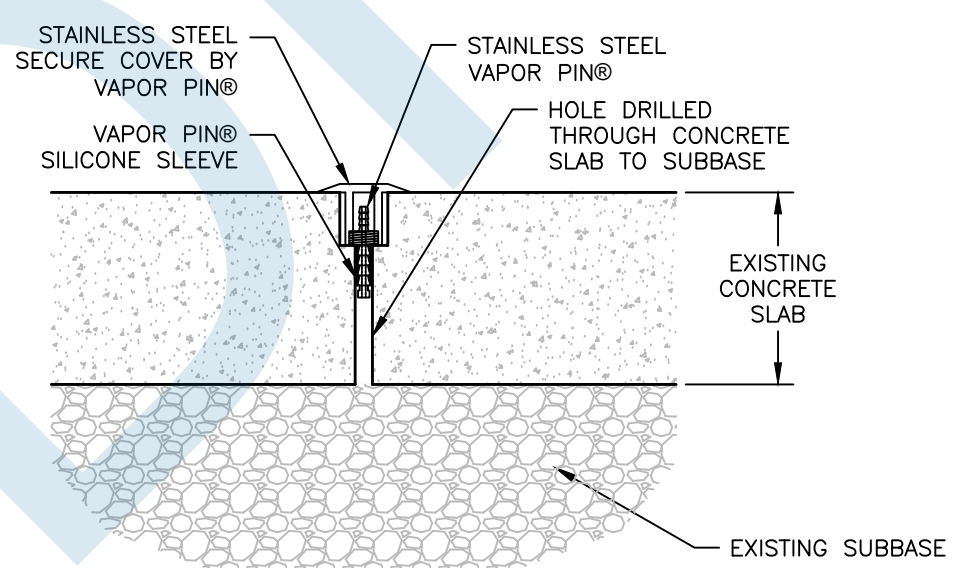


SITE PLAN
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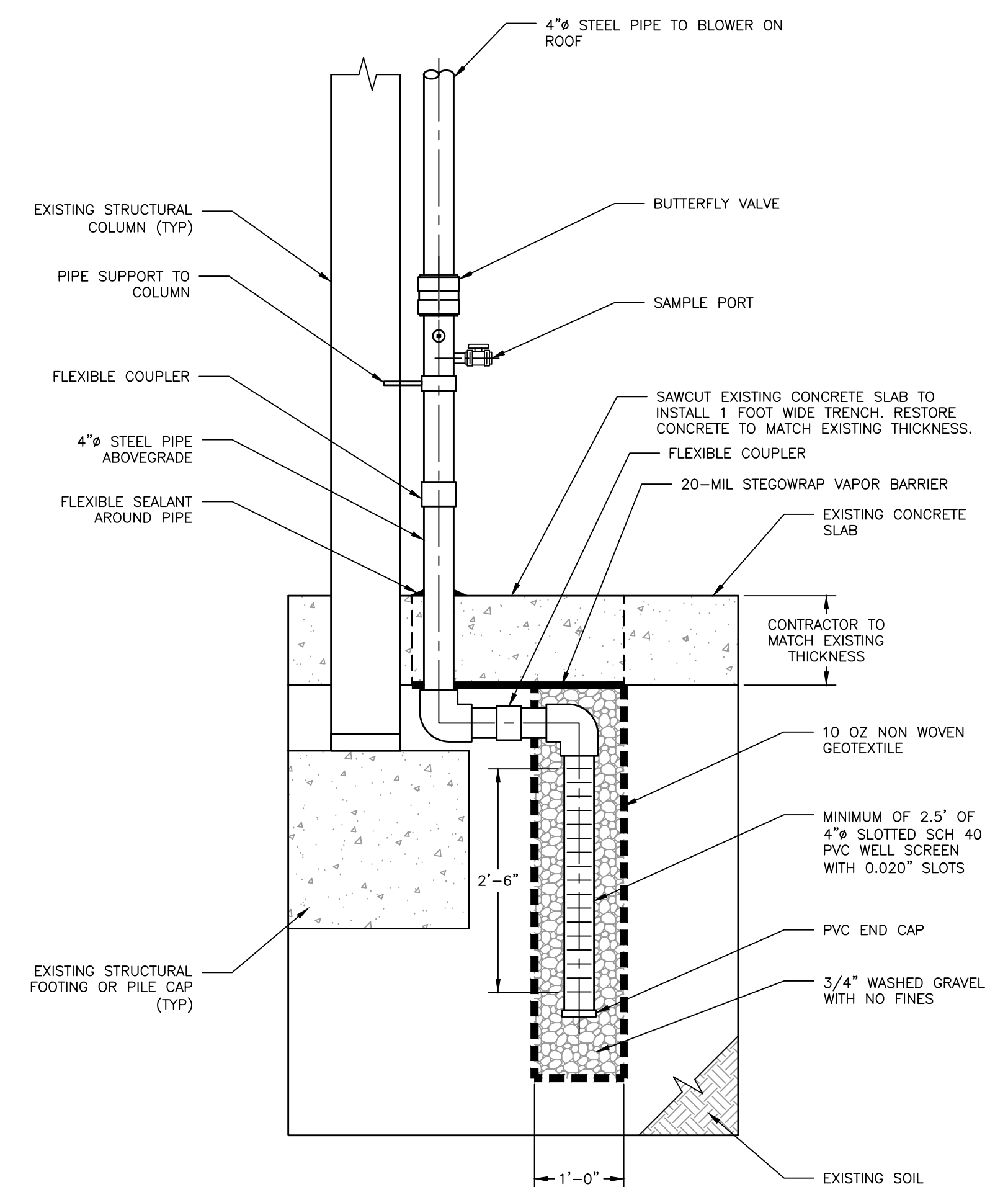
- LEGEND**
- SSV-1 ▲ LOCATION AND DESIGNATION OF SOIL VAPOR MONITORING POINT
 - SSDS-1 □ LOCATION AND DESIGNATION OF SUB SLAB DEPRESSURIZATION SYSTEM SUCTION POINT
 - ABOVEGROUND 4" SSDS PIPING

- SSDS NOTES**
- ALL SSDS PIPING SHALL BE SLOPED TOWARDS THE PERFORATED PIPE PITS TO PREVENT ANY POTENTIAL MOISTURE BUILD UP AND BLOCKAGES.
 - SURFACES LINED WITH GEOTEXTILE SHALL BE FREE OF ALL ROCKS, STONES, SHARP OBJECTS OR CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS OF ANY KIND.
 - GEOTEXTILE NONWOVEN FABRIC SHALL BE INSTALLED DIRECTLY ON FILL. MATERIAL OVERLAPS SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 12". OVERLAPPED SEAMS SHALL BE SEALED WITH TAPE.
 - ALL PENETRATIONS THROUGH THE SLAB ON GRADE (SOG) SHALL BE SEALED USING A SILICONE BASED WATERPROOF SEALANT OR EQUIVALENT.
 - ABOVE GRADE PIPING FROM EACH SUCTION POINT ABOVE GRADE PIPING FROM EACH SUCTION POINT SHALL BE INSTALLED VERTICALLY ALONG THE INTERIOR WALL OR COLUMN AND HORIZONTALLY ALONG THE CEILING WHERE THE PIPING ULTIMATELY CONNECTS TO THE MAIN RISERS AS SHOWN.

- BLOWER NOTES**
- PROVIDE ELECTRICAL/CONTROL CONDUIT TO BLOWER. COORDINATE WITH ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR.
 - ELECTRICAL CONDUIT SHALL BE SIZED FOR 120 VOLT, SINGLE PHASE, 60 HZ, FOR BLOWER MOTOR.
 - THE BLOWER DISCHARGE SHALL BE LOCATED A MINIMUM OF 10 FEET FROM HVAC AIR INLETS AND PROPERTY LINE.
 - BLOWER LOCATION ON ROOF SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH OWNER AND ENGINEER.
 - PROVIDE ALL NECESSARY PIPE SUPPORTS FOR RISERS FROM THE BUILDING SLAB TO THE BLOWER ON THE ROOF.



1 TYPICAL SOIL VAPOR MONITORING POINT DETAIL
SCALE: N.T.S.



2 SUCTION POINT DETAIL
SCALE: N.T.S.

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