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GLOSSARY OF ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

bgs	below ground surface
EC	engineering control
IC	institutional control
MACTEC	MACTEC Engineering and Consulting, P.C.
NTU	nephelometric turbidity unit
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
PID	photoionization detector
PVC	polyvinyl chloride
RA	remedial action
Report	Field Activities Report
ROD	Record of Decision
Site	South Hill Dump Site
SM	Site Management
SMP	Site Management Plan
TCE	trichloroethene
µg/L	microgram(s) per liter

1.0 INTRODUCTION AND DESCRIPTION OF THE REMEDIAL ACTION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

MACTEC Engineering and Consulting, P.C. (MACTEC), under contract to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC), is submitting this Field Activities Report (Report) for the South Hill Dump Site (Site) in the Town of Cortlandville, Cortland County, New York (Figure 1.1). The Site is currently listed as a Class 4 Inactive hazardous waste site - Site No. 712009 - in the Registry of Hazardous Waste Sites in New York State. This Report is being submitted in accordance with Work Assignment No. D007619-16, and with the Superfund Standby Contract between MACTEC and the NYSDEC. The Site is under site management (SM) in accordance with the Record of Decision (ROD) dated January 2008 (NYSDEC, 2008).

The Site is located in the Town of Cortlandville, Cortland County, approximately two miles south of the Village of McGraw, on the south side of South Hill Road (Figure 1.1). Much of the property is steeply sloped. The area surrounding the Site includes wooded areas, orchards, and active and former farm fields. A mix of forested areas and apple orchards are located east of the Site. The topography in this area slopes to the south, toward an unnamed stream located approximately 1/4 mile south of the Site (MACTEC, 2006).

Two residential parcels abut the Site and are located along the southern and eastern sides of South Hill Road; the closest residence is less than 1/4 mile southwest of the Site. The area west and north of the Site consists primarily of active farm land. A former apple orchard is located farther west. A mix of meadow, farm land, apple orchards, and forest area is located northeast of the Site. The Tioughnioga River is located within two miles southwest of the Site. The unnamed stream located south and east of the Site discharges to the Tioughnioga River via Hoxie Gorge Creek.

The Site was operated as a municipal waste disposal facility by the Town of Cortlandville from the early 1960s until 1972, although it is reported that local residents used the Site for trash disposal as early as 1949. During its years of operation, wastes were received from the Village of McGraw and the Towns of Cortlandville and Solon, as well as local industry. Access to the Site was reportedly unrestricted during this time. It has also been reported that waste was often permitted to burn during landfill operation, and that at one time a waste oil pit may have existed. Operations are

reported to have involved pushing waste over the working face of the landfill with some spreading and compaction. Cover material was reportedly spread one or more times per week. Prior to the remedial action (RA) described in this report, waste was observed protruding from the surface of the landfill across much of the Site, and included road construction debris, brush, stumps, tires, white metal, automobile parts, and miscellaneous industrial waste materials. Numerous decomposed drums were present across many areas of the landfill (MACTEC, 2006).

1.2 SUMMARY OF THE REMEDIAL ACTION

A RA was conducted at the Site in 2011 and 2012, in accordance with the ROD, and as documented in the Final Engineering Report (MACTEC, 2013a).

The RA included the following activities:

- Installation of stabilized vehicle entrance
- Installation of perimeter erosion and sedimentation controls
- Clearing of trees and brush above the ground surface
- Grubbing of areas within the limit of grading, and disposal of grubbings on-site (beneath the new landfill cover)
- Excavation of on-site waste outside the new solid waste boundary and consolidation within the new solid waste boundary
- Decommissioning of two existing groundwater monitoring wells (MW-3S and MW-3B)
- Installation of additional erosion and sedimentation controls and measures, including a sedimentation basin, in preparation for landfill grading and soil cover installation
- Grading of the landfill within the new solid waste boundary to achieve subgrade
- Excavation for installation of landfill storm water controls (slope benches and downdrains) within the new solid waste boundary
- Removal of bulky waste items uncovered during the course of waste consolidation and landfill grading, with off-site disposal of removed bulky wastes
- Characterization and offsite disposal of uncovered buried waste drums, drum nests, and drum remnants
- Installation of 24 inch landfill cover system including associated landfill storm water controls
- Installation of landfill gas vents
- Installation of perimeter access road with waterbars
- Installation of perimeter storm water controls including riprap drainage channels and culverts

- Conversion of the sedimentation basin to a storm water detention basin
- Installation of two new groundwater monitoring wells (MW-3SR and MW-3BR)
- Seeding and mulching of all disturbed areas within the limit of work.

RA activities for the Site were completed in December 2012.

1.2.1 Remaining Contamination

Remaining contamination at the Site consists primarily of municipal and industrial wastes beneath the constructed landfill cover.

1.2.2 Engineering and Institutional Controls

Because remaining contamination is present at this Site, engineering controls (ECs) and institutional controls (ICs) have been implemented to protect public health and the environment for the applicable future use. The Controlled Property has the following ECs:

- a cover system placed over the landfilled waste
- site access controls
- surface water drainage conveyance
- landfill gas vents

A series of ICs are required to implement, maintain and monitor these ECs. The Environmental Easement requires compliance with these ICs, to ensure that:

- All ECs must be operated and maintained as specified in the SM Plan (SMP)
- All ECs on the Site must be inspected and certified at a frequency and in a manner defined in the SMP
- Environmental monitoring must be performed as defined in the SMP
- Data and information pertinent to SM for the Controlled Property must be reported at the frequency and in a manner defined in the SMP
- On-site environmental monitoring devices, including but not limited to groundwater monitoring wells, must be protected and replaced as necessary to ensure continued functioning in the manner specified in the SMP.

This report describes SM field activities conducted in June 2014 in accordance with the SMP (MACTEC 2013b) for the Site. The field activities were completed following the procedures described herein, in accordance with the SMP, in general accordance with the Quality Assurance Program Plan (MACTEC, 2007), and the Site Specific Health and Safety Plan (MACTEC, 2013c). This Report is organized as follows:

- Section 2.0 describes the field activities conducted at the Site in accordance with the SMP
- Section 3.0 presents recommendations for future site activities
- Section 4.0 includes the references discussed in this report.

2.0 FIELD ACTIVITIES

This Report describes the field activities completed at the site from June 23 through June 27, 2014 including landfill inspection, replacement monitoring well installation, and well development.

The June 2014 annual landfill inspection was conducted in accordance with the SMP.

Groundwater monitoring wells MW-3S and MW-3D installed during the Remedial Investigation were decommissioned in 2011 during the RA. Replacement wells MW-3SR and MW-3BR were installed approximately 120 feet southwest of the original MW-3 pair in 2012.

Trichloroethene (TCE) concentrations reported during historic groundwater sampling at MW-3S and MW-3B consistently exceeded the groundwater standard. The concentration of TCE reported in the replacement overburden well MW-3SR (20 micrograms per liter [ug/L]) in 2013 was significantly less than the concentration of TCE in MW-3S in 1997 (80 ug/L) and in 2001 (200 ug/L). TCE was not detected in the replacement bedrock well MW-3BR. The most recent Field Activities Report (MACTEC, 2013a) recommended that an additional downgradient well pair (bedrock and overburden) be installed in an attempt to replicate the groundwater flow path position of MW-3S/3R.

The remainder of Section 2.0 describes the field activities conducted in accordance with the SMP.

2.1 LANDFILL INSPECTION

On June 23, 2014 an environmental professional from MACTEC arrived on site to conduct a landfill inspection. Inspected features include the landfill cover system, surface water drainage conveyance system, landfill gas vents, chain link fence, and groundwater monitoring wells. The completed landfill inspection report is included in Appendix A. The following are the notable findings that require further action:

- Grass needs mowing and overgrown vegetation at some locations.
- Stone check dam in the southeast corner of the site is in disrepair.

- Two erosion gullies were observed cutting across the perimeter road exiting the southeast corner of the downdrain terminus.
- An erosion gully observed in the southwest extension of the perimeter road starting downgradient of the end of the west drainage swale downgradient of culvert C-3.
- The eastern drainage swale has 9 different areas where the geotextile fabric is exposed. Beginning from South Hill road and ending at the outfall at the property boundary in the southeast property corner. Rip rap appears to slide, exposing the geotextile, which bunches up to a depth of approximately two feet. This observation appears to be most prevalent at the water bars.

2.2 GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL INSTALLATION AND DEVELOPMENT

From June 24 through June 27, two monitoring wells consisting of a shallow overburden (MW-3SR2) and a shallow bedrock (MW-3BR2) well pair were installed and developed in down gradient locations relative to the landfill (Figure 2.1). The wells were positioned to replicate sampling results from MW-3S and MW-3D that showed elevated volatile organic compounds in groundwater. TCE concentrations reported during previous groundwater sampling at MW-3S and MW-3B consistently exceeded the groundwater standard. MW-3S and MW-3D were decommissioned during landfill capping efforts. A MACTEC environmental professional oversaw the installation of the wells. Empire Geo Services, Inc., a standby drilling contractor to the NYSDEC, completed the drilling using a CME 850 drilling rig via hollow stem augers and rock coring methods.

Monitoring well MW-3BR2 was initiated with hollow stem augers. Split-spoon samples were collected for visual evaluation of geology and grain size. The soil encountered consisted of silt with little to trace coarse sand and gravel. The water table was encountered at approximately 7-8 feet below ground surface (bgs) and bedrock was encountered at a depth of 12 feet. A roller bit was used to drill a rock socket and steel casing was seated using grout. Once the grout hardened, the drilling method was changed to NX-size rock coring and the core barrel was advanced to a depth of 26 feet. The bedrock consisted of gray shale. The soil boring and rock coring logs for MW-3BR2 are provided in Appendix B. Following completion of the coring, the borehole was reamed using a roller bit to a diameter of 4-inches.

MW-3BR2 was completed as a 4-inch diameter open-hole bedrock well. The bottom depth of the well is 26 feet bgs. Well construction diagrams are provided in Appendix B. MW-3SR2 was

completed using hollow stem augers and is co-located with MW-3BR2. MW-3SR2 was conventionally built using a 2-inch diameter, 5-foot long, 10-slot polyvinyl chloride (PVC) screen. The screened section is from a depth of 11-feet to 6-feet. Above the screen, PVC riser extends up to the ground surface. Both MW-3BR2 and MW-3SR2 were completed as flush-mount wells and are located within curb boxes.

No elevated photoionization detector (PID) readings were noted of the soil cuttings or groundwater water. Cuttings were disposed of on-site. Both wells were developed using a whale pump. No sheen on the water was observed, nor was there an odor or elevated PID readings and as a result, purge water was discharged to the ground. MW-3SR2 produced very little water. The well was pumped dry four times and turbidity was still greater (i.e., off-scale) than 1000 nephelometric turbidity units (NTU); a total of 2 gallons of water was removed. MW-3BRS had a total of 89 gallons of water removed and turbidity, although still high, was measurable at 208 NTU. Well development records are included in Appendix C.

3.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommendations for additional activities are included in this section.

3.1 WELL INSTALLATION – ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

The following activities need to be completed to supplement the installation of groundwater monitoring wells MW-3SR2 and MW-3BRS: monitoring well survey (horizontal and vertical), hydraulic conductivity testing, groundwater sampling, and a synoptic round of water level measurements. These activities will occur in October 2014 during the next planned round of sitewide groundwater sampling.

3.2 GROUNDWATER SAMPLING TECHNIQUE

Recognizing the silty material in which MW-3SR2 was screened, and the still relatively high turbidity displayed by MW-3BRS after development, it is recommended that these wells be sampled using passive diffusion bags to avoid prolonged purging and investigation derived waste generation.

3.3 LANDFILL COVER REPAIR

MACTEC will prepare a scope of work describing remedial activities needed to address the notable findings identified in the June 2014 landfill inspection and described in Subsection 2.1 of this Report.

4.0 REFERENCES

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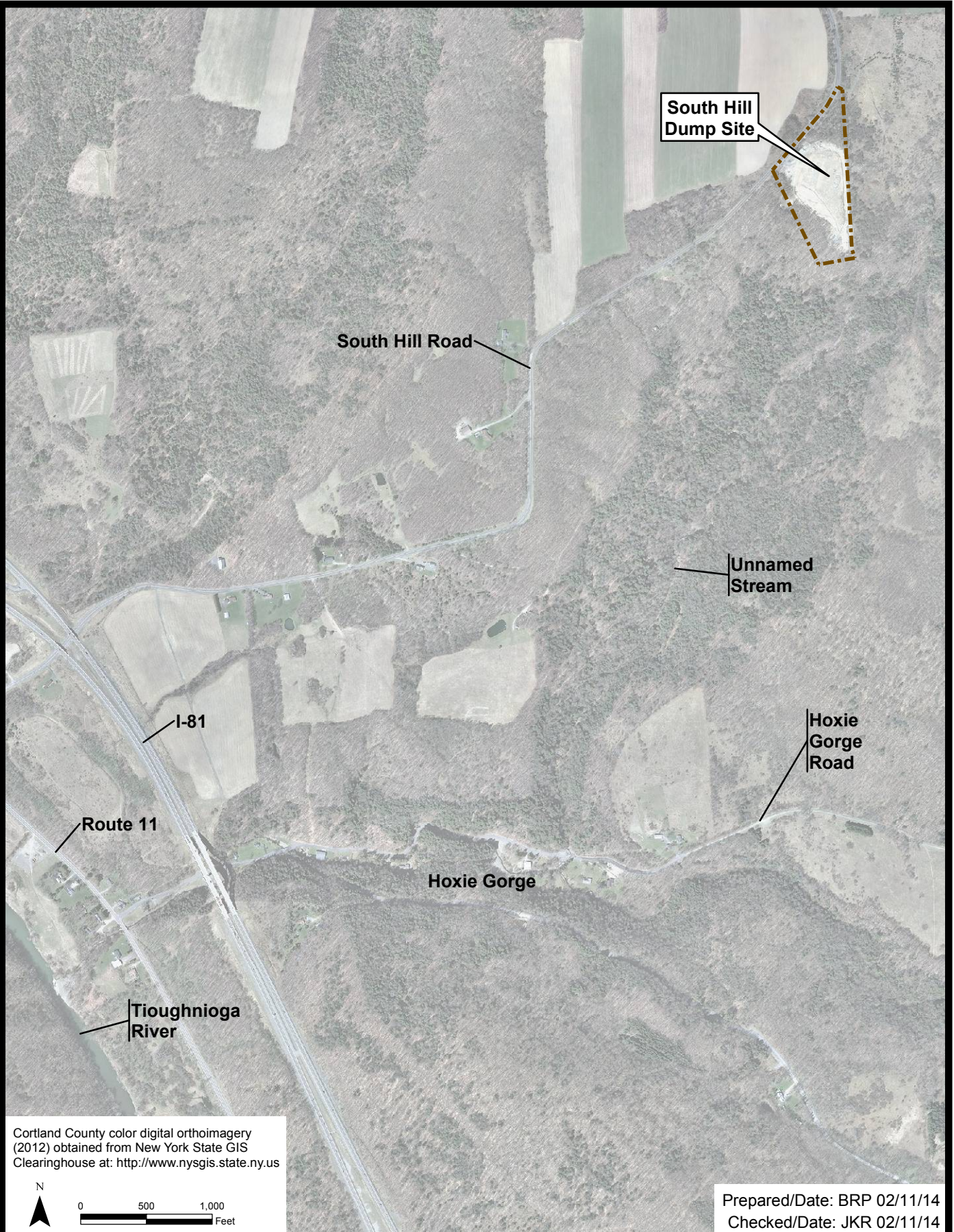
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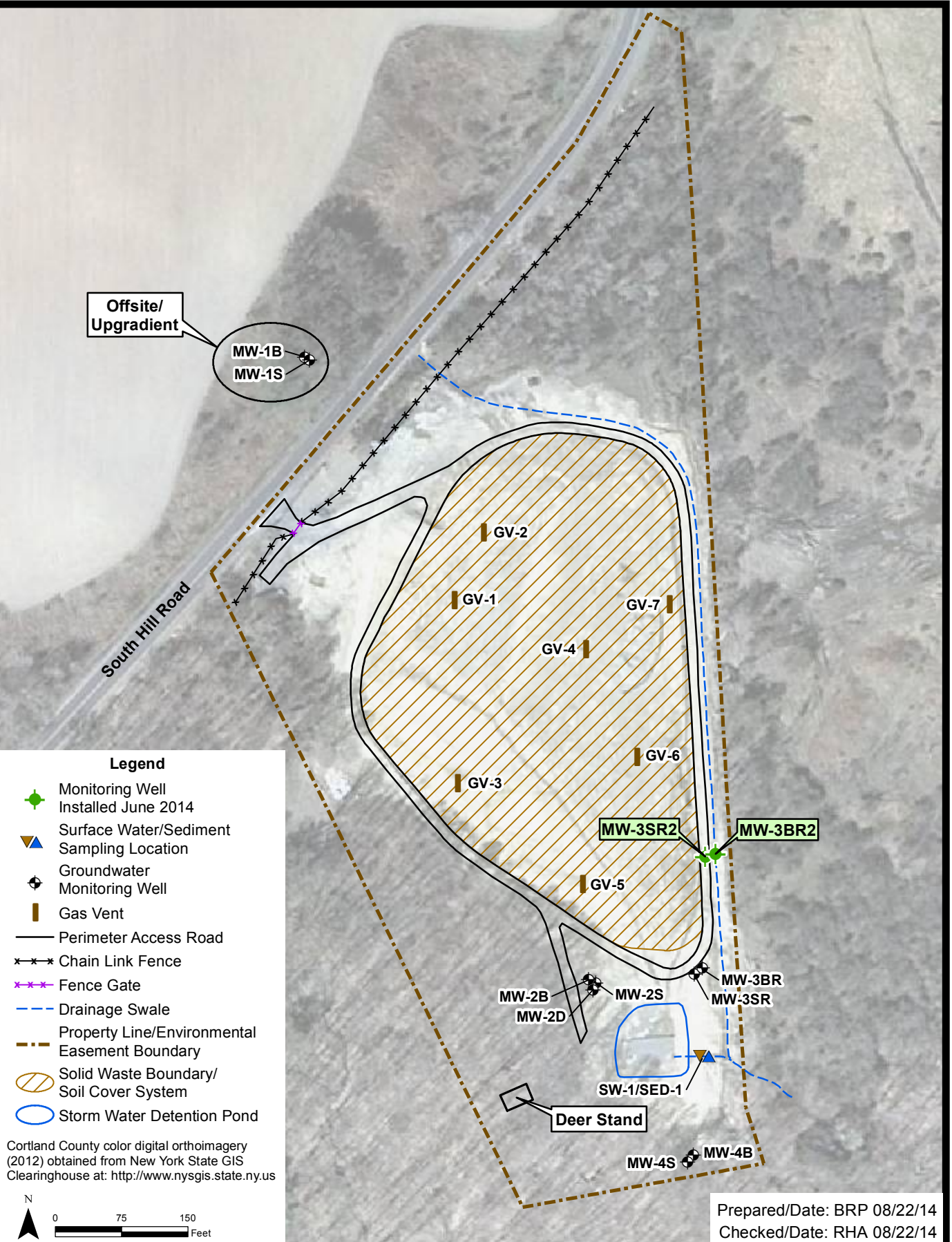
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SITE LOCATION

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GROUNDWATER MONITORING
 WELL LOCATIONS
 Project 3617137309 Figure 2.1

APPENDIX A

LANDFILL INSPECTION REPORT

APPENDIX I-1

New York Department of Environmental Conservation
Inactive Hazardous Waste Site
Inspection Form-Landfills

Site Name: South Hill Dump		NYSDEC Site Number: 712009		NYSDEC PM: D. Chiusano	
Site Location: South Hill Road, Cortlandville, NY		Site Classification # (circle): 1 2 2a 3 4		Primary Site Contact: D. Chiusano	
Site Inspection Date: 06/23/14		Purpose of Inspection: Annual Inspection			
Name of Inspector: Rick Walzak		Title: Project Scientist		Agency/Company: AMEC	
Phone Number: 860-529-7191				Address: 1090 Elm St. Rocky Hill, CT	

Landfill Cover System			
Cover System Onsite?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	(Proceed to next Section)
Vegetative Cover Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Evidence of Vegetative Stress	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Mowing Required	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Presence of Debris	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Evidence of Pooled Water	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Exposed Geotextile	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Evidence of Erosion/Settlement	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Engineered Drainage Swale Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Evidence of Leachate Seepage	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Evidence of Erosion	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Presence of Woody Growth	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Animal Burrows	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
			Cover System Observations: Site dry during inspection. Vegetation > 2 ft.

Stormwater Collection and Drainage			
Drainage Channel Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Sedimentation	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Debris	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Erosion/Slope Loss	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Evidence of Leachate Seepage	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	NA
Rip-Rap Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Condition of Synthetic Liner	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Culvert Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Other Drainage Structures/Pipes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Condition of Drainage Grates	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Retention Ponds	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
			Collection System Observations: Detention Basin Outlet Structure - Chicken wire screen clogged with grass and zip ties loose. Grass removed / ties secured.

Building Structures			
Are there any building structures at the site?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	(Proceed to next section)
Overall Exterior Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Overall Interior Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Interior Floor	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Vaulted Areas	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
			Building Condition Observations:

Leachate Collection System			
Is there a leachate collection system at the site?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	(Proceed to next section)
Collection Trench Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Transfer Flow Pipes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Condition of Valves	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Leachate Pump Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Holding Tank(s) Condition	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Leachate Transfer/Loading Area	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
List other applicable components and their overall condition			Collection System Observations:

Environmental Monitoring Locations			
Is there a monitoring network at the site?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	(Proceed to next section)
Monitoring Wells/Piezometers	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Soil Gas Monitoring Probes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
Landfill Gas Vents	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Good	<input type="radio"/> Poor	NA
List other applicable location types and their overall condition			Monitoring Network Observations: MW's condition good. MW-1 + MW-4 series overgrown with vegetation MW-2 + MW-3 series needs mowing.

NA

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Interviews/Additional Contacts			
Name/Title	Phone:	Company/Entity	Contact Information
None			

Additional Observation Notes:

See report.

Photograph Log:
Photograph 1
Photograph 2
Photograph 3
Photograph 4
Photograph 5
Photograph 6
Photograph 7
Photograph 8
Photograph 9
Photograph 10

Performance Monitoring

Were check samples collected during this visit? Yes ☒ No

Sample type collected (circle or write in other): Groundwater Sediment Soil Leachate Air Surface Water

List Parameters/Methods Collected Per Media:

Analytical Laboratory/Location:

Sample Observations:

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ATTACHMENT: PHOTOGRAPHS

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Photo 205

Description:

Two erosion gullies across perimeter road from the southeast corner of the downdrain terminus near culvert C-1.

Orientation:

Looking west.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



Photo 206

Description:

Close up of the gully crossing the road from the downdrain terminus.

Orientation:



Looking west.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



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<p>Photo 207</p> <p><u>Description:</u> West side of landfill looking east from entrance gate.</p> <p><u>Source:</u> MACTEC, July 2014 Site Inspection</p>	
<p>Photo 208</p> <p><u>Description:</u> Erosion gully cutting into the southwest branch of the perimeter road beginning downgradient of the end of the west drainage swale downgradient of culvert C-3.</p> <p><u>Source:</u> MACTEC, July 2014 Site Inspection</p>	

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Photo 209

Description:

Original seep area
sample location
condition on June
23, 2014. Area dry.
No seep observed.

Orientation:

Looking west.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



Photo 210

Description:

West perimeter
road and west
landfill slope.
Grass and weeds
growing in road.

Orientation:

Looking south.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



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Photo 211

Description:

East perimeter road with grass and weeds growing in road. Eastern landfill slope. East drainage swale.

Orientation:

Looking north.

Source:

MACTEC, July 2014 Site Inspection



Photo 212

Description:

Downdrain terminus.

Orientation:

Looking northwest from the downdrain terminus.

Source:

MACTEC, July 2014 Site Inspection



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Photo 213

Description:

Detention basin in-flow pipe. Culvert C-1.

Orientation:

Looking south into the detention basin.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



Photo 214

Description:

Culvert C-2.
Detention basin out-flow pipe into the east drainage swale.

Orientation:

Looking north toward the landfill.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site
Inspection



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Photo 215

Description:

Exposed geotextile as the east drainage swale exits the site property.

Orientation:

Looking southeast.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



Photo 216

Description:

Detention basin outlet structure after repairing chicken wire zip ties and removing grass clogging screen.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



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Photo 217

Description:

West drainage swale
looking from top
down, facing south.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



Photo 218

Description:

Site entrance gate
and fence. Grasses
and weed growing in
access road.

Orientation:

Looking north.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



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Photo 219

Description:

Looking down site access road to the temporary drum storage area.

Orientation:

Looking northeast.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



Photo 220

Description:

Two exposed geotextile areas at the head of the east drainage swale.

Orientation:

Looking north.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



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Photo 221

Description:

Close up of the exposed geotextile area at the head of the east drainage swale showing rip rap bunching up below the exposed area.

Orientation:

Looking south.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



Photo 222

Description:

Rip rap sliding down steep slope exposing geotextile fabric at South Hill Road and the head of the east drainage swale.

Orientation:

Looking north.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



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Photo 223

Description:

Slope Bench 4 (SB-4) viewed north to south.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



Photo 224

Description:

Landfill cover eastern slope looking north to south.

Source:

MACTEC, July
2014 Site Inspection



APPENDIX B

SOIL BORING AND ROCK CORING LOGS

WELL/PIEZOMETER CONSTRUCTION DIAGRAM FLUSHMOUNT			LOCATION ID: <u>MW-3SR2</u>	
Project Name:	<u>NYSDEC - South Hill Dump</u>		Date Started:	<u>6/26/14</u>
Project Location:	<u>Cortlandville, NY</u>		Date Completed:	<u>6/27/14</u>
Project Number:	<u>3617137309</u>	Task Number:	<u>03</u>	
Subcontractor:	<u>Empire Geoservices</u>		Logged By:	<u>Rick Wajack</u>
Development Method:	<u>Whale Pump</u>		Checked By:	<u>RAC</u>
Bucking Posts/Ballards:	<u>NA</u>		Checked Date:	<u>8/21/14</u>
Notes:	<u>4.25 augers</u>			
			Measuring Point Information	
			Measuring Point (MP) Type:	<u>Top Of Riser</u>
			MP Elevation (ft):	

Item	Depth BMP (ft)	Elevation (ft)		Description	
Surface Casing Elevation	<u>0</u>	<u>Flush</u>			
Ground Surface Elevation	<u>0</u>			Surface Seal Type:	<u>Concrete</u>
Riser Pipe (Top)	<u>0.23</u>			Lock Identification:	<u>No lock</u>
				Stickup Casing Diameter:	<u>8 inch road box</u>
				Backfill/Grout Type:	<u>Native cuttings</u>
				Riser Pipe Type:	<u>Sch 40 PVC</u>
				Riser Pipe ID:	<u>2 inch</u>
				Borehole Diameter:	<u>10 inch</u>
Top of Well Seal	<u>1.5</u>			Type of Seal:	<u>Bentonite Chip</u>
Top of Sand Pack	<u>4</u>				
Top of Screen	<u>6</u>		Screen Type:	<u>Sch 40 PVC</u>	
			Screen ID:	<u>2 inch</u>	
			Screen Slot Size:	<u>10 slot</u>	
			Screen Length:	<u>5 ft</u>	
Base of Screen	<u>11.0</u>		Filter/Sand Pack Type:	<u>#0</u>	
End Cap	<u>11.2</u>		Sump:	<u>2.5 inches</u>	
Drilled Depth	<u>11.5</u>		Fallback/Backfill:	<u>Native</u>	
Bottom of Exploration	<u>11.5</u>				
Bedrock Surface	<u>11 to 11.5</u>				

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FIGURE 4.8
WELL/PIEZOMETER CONSTRUCTION DIAGRAM - FLUSHMOUNT
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WELL/PIEZOMETER CONSTRUCTION DIAGRAM FLUSHMOUNT			LOCATION ID: MW - 3BR2	
Project Name: <u>NYSDEC - South Hill Dump</u>			Date Started: <u>6/24/14</u> Date Completed: <u>6/27</u>	
Project Location: <u>Cortlandville, NY</u>			Logged By: <u>Rick Walzak</u>	
Project Number: <u>3617137309</u> Task Number: <u>03</u>			Checked By: <u>RAC</u> Checked Date: <u>8/21/14</u>	
Subcontractor: <u>Empire Geoservices</u> Drilling Method: <u>(A)</u>				
Development Method: <u>Whole Pump / Surge</u> Development Date: <u>6/27/14</u>				
Bucking Posts/Ballards: <u>None. Flushmount, 8 inch roadbox</u>				
Notes: <u>① Hollow stem auger to rock; 6-25 augers.</u> <u>Overburden borehole diameter = 10 inch</u> <u>4 inch roller bit through rock.</u>				
Measuring Point Information				
Measuring Point (MP) Type: <u>Top Of Riser</u>				
MP Elevation (ft): _____				

Item	Depth BMP (ft)	Elevation (ft)	Description
Surface Casing Elevation	<u>0</u>	<u>Flush</u>	
Ground Surface Elevation	<u>0</u>		
Riser Pipe (Top)	<u>-0.40</u>		
Grout Top of Well Seal	<u>5</u>		Surface Seal Type: <u>Concrete</u> Lock Identification: <u>No lock.</u> Stickup Casing Diameter: <u>NA</u> Backfill/Grout Type: <u>Grout = Portland little bentonite</u> Riser Pipe Type: <u>Steel pipe</u> Riser Pipe ID: <u>4 inch</u> Borehole Diameter: <u>Overburden 10 in</u> Type of Seal: <u>Grout = Portland little bentonite powder.</u> Bedrock Surface: <u>12 ft.</u> Riser: <u>14 ft.</u> Screen Type: <u>NA</u> Screen ID: <u>NA</u> Screen Slot Size: <u>NA</u> Screen Length: <u>NA</u> Filter/Sand Pack Type: <u>NA</u> Sump: <u>NA</u> Fallback/Backfill: <u>None</u>
Top of Sand Pack	<u>NA open hole</u>		
Top of Screen	<u>NA bedrock well</u>		
Base of Screen	<u>NA open hole</u>		
End Cap	<u>NA bedrock well</u>		
Drilled Depth	<u>26</u>		
Bottom of Exploration	<u>26</u>		
Bedrock Surface			

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FIGURE 4.8

WELL/PIEZOMETER CONSTRUCTION DIAGRAM - FLUSHMOUNT

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SOIL BORING LOG



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Project Name: NYSDEC - South Hill Dump
 Project Location: Cortlandville, NY
 Project No.: 3617137309 Client: M NYSDEC
 Boring ID: MW-3BR2
 Page No. 1 of 1
 of: APW
 Boring Location: MW-3BR2
 Refusal Depth: 12.0 ft Total Depth: 14 ft
 Weather: Overcast. Rain. 70°F
 Soil Drilled: 12.0 ft. Method: HSA
 Subcontractor: Empire Geoservices
 P.I.D (eV): 0.0 Protection Level: D
 Driller: Guy
 Date Started: 6/24/14 Date Completed: 6/24/14
 Rig Type/Model: CME 850
 Logged By: RHW Checked By: RAC
 Reference Elevation: Grade/Road surface
 Water Level: 7-8 ft Time: 10:10
 Bore Hole ID/OD: 4.25/8"
 Casing Size: —
 Sampler: 2' split spoon
 Sampler ID/OD: 2 inch
 Hammer Wt/Fall: 140 lbs / 30"
 Hammer Type: Automatic

Sample Information				Monitoring				Sample Description and Classification	USCS Group Symbol	Remarks
Depth (feet bgs)	Sample Number	Penetration/Recovery (feet)	SPT Blows/6"	N Value	PID Field Scan	PID Headspace	Lab Tests Performed			
0.0										
1	①	2'	7		0.0	NT	NT	Auger 0-1		
		1.6	14					Split Spoon 1-3'		
			11					0-0.9 Road base		
			14					0.9-1.6 - Brown/Olive Grey/Orange Silt, Little Fine Gravel, Trace C sand. Med. Stiff. Damp. Till or Fill.	ML	
3										
5	②	2'	6		0.0	NT	NT	Auger to 5'		
		1.0	8					Split spoon 5-7'		
			9					0-3 in stuff from above	ML	
								3"-7" Brown Silt, uniform. Soft. Da Moist.	ML	
								7"-12" Brown Silt, Little Fine gravel, Trace C sand.	ML	
7								Wet. Till. Fractured shale in tip.		
10	③	0.2	50	No	0.0	NT	NT	Auger to 10'		
		0.2	12					Sample 10-10.2		
								50 blows over 2 tenths.	ML	
10.2								Refusal. Coarse gravel. Same till as above.		
12								Auger 10.2-12 ft. Refusal. No sample.		

NOTES: NT- Not Taken No lab samples.
 Core 12-14 to confirm bedrock & not a boulder. See Rock core. FIGURE 4.4
 SOIL BORING LOG
 NYSDEC QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM PLAN
 Grey shale bedrock 12-14' bgs.


ROCK CORING LOG													
 MACTEC 511 Congress Street, Portland Maine 04101				Project Name: <u>NYSDEC - South Hill Dump</u>				Boring ID: <u>MLW-3BR2</u>					
				Project Location: <u>Cortlandville, NY</u>				Page No. <u>1</u>					
Project No.: <u>3617137309</u>				Client: <u>NYSDEC</u>				of: <u>1</u>					
Boring Location: <u>MLW-3BR2</u> <i>over</i>				Refusal Depth: <u>12.0 ft</u>				Total Depth: <u>26</u>					
Weather: <u>Rain, 70°F, calm east</u>				Soil Drilled: <u>12.0 ft</u>				Method: <u>Corp barrel/Roller</u>					
Subcontractor: <u>Empire Geoservices</u>				P.L.D (eV): <u>0.0</u>				Protection Level: <u>D</u>					
Driller: <u>Guy</u>				Date Started: <u>6/26/14</u>				Date Completed: <u>6/26/14</u>					
Rig Type/Model: <u>CME 850</u>				Logged By: <u>RHW</u>				Checked By: <u>RHS</u>					
Reference Elevation: <u>Grade/Road surface</u>				Water Level: <u>(A)</u>				Time: <u>12:20</u>					
Core Interval: <u>14-</u>													
Depth (feet bgs)	Sample Number	Penetration/Recovery (feet)	Natural Core Breaks		Weathered Condition	Rock Quality			Drill Rate (mm/ft)	Color	Rock Description and Comments on Drilling	Graphic Log	Additional Remarks
			Type/Dip	Surface Condition		Total 4" Core	RQD (%)	Rock Quality Description					
14	①	5' 2" / 1.9	Fracture	very slight oxidation	very slight	1	50%	Poor to Fair	1 min / .6 ft	Grey, Fine grained, sedimentary, laminated, Hardness - Medium		1/2 .5	
16			40'						2 / 1.7	Weathering - very slight		More weathering at 14 than at 16.	
16	②	5' 4.8	Fracture 0'	fresh	fresh	2	60%	Fair	1 min / .5 ft	Grey, Fine Grained, sedimentary, laminated, Shale, Hardness - Medium		3/5 = 0.6	
21									2 / .8	Weathering - fresh			
21	③	5' 5"	Fracture 0'	fresh	fresh	2	40%	Poor	1.6 min / 1 ft	Grey Shale.			
26									1.52 / 1 ft	Same as above			
26									1.53 min / 1 ft				
End Boring													
NOTES: ① Water level at ground surface in open hole due to heavy rain overnight.													

FIGURE 4.5
ROCK CORING LOG
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APPENDIX C

WELL DEVELOPMENT RECORDS

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LOCATION ID MW-3SR2	PAGE 1 OF 1
START TIME 11:00	START DATE 6/27/14
END TIME 13:08	END DATE 6/27/14

WELL DIAMETER (INCHES)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-IN.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 4-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 6-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 8-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
CASING DIAMETER (INCHES)*	<input type="checkbox"/> 4-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 6-IN.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 8-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 10-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> 12-IN.	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	Road box
MEASUREMENT POINT (MP)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TOP OF RISER (TOR)	<input type="checkbox"/> TOP OF CASING (TOC)	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER				
INITIAL WELL DEPTH (BMP)	10.79 FT	FINAL WELL DEPTH (BMP)	10.79 FT	SCREEN LENGTH	5 FT	PROT. CASING STICKUP (AGS)	NA FT
INITIAL DTW (BMP)	9.05 FT	SEDIMENT REMOVED	well bottom FT	SCREENED INTERVAL (BMP)	6 TO 11	TOC/TOR DIFFERENCE	NA FT
(final well depth - initial well depth)							
WATER COLUMN	1.74 FT	DTW AFTER DEVELOP. (BMP)		PUMPING DEPTH (BMP)	Bottom FT	PID AMBIENT AIR	NA PPM
(initial well depth - initial depth to water)							
CALCULATED GALVOL.	0.29 GAL	FINAL RECOVERY DEPTH (BMP)		APPROXIMATE RECHARGE RATE	FT-MIN	PID WELL MOUTH	NA PPM
(column X well diameter squared X 0.041)							
TOTAL VOL. PERGED	2.25 GAL	FINAL RECOVERY TIME (elapsed)		FLUIDS LOST DURING DRILLING	0 GAL	END OF WELL DEVELOPMENT SAMPLE TAKEN?	Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(total volume to reach minimum X 0.00026 gal/min)							

[illegible]

2	WATER LEVEL METER	
	FID -	
	WQ METER	
1	TURB. METER	2100 Q #20124
	OTHER	
	OTHER	
	OTHER	

Well water clear to the unaided eye?
Sediment thickness remaining in well <1.0% of screen length?
Total water removed = a minimum of 5x calculated well volumes plus 5x drilling fluids lost?
Turbidity < 5 NTUs?
10% change in field parameters?

WAS DEVELOPMENT CRITERIA MET?

SKETCH

PURGE WATER	Y	N
CONTAINERIZED	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

NUMBER OF GALLONS
GENERATED

NOTES

Well Developer Signature: _____
Checked By: *R*

Print Name _____
Date _____

Date: 8/21/14

FIGURE 4.9
WELL DEVELOPMENT RECORD
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FIGURE 4.9



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WELL DEVELOPMENT RECORD

PROJECT NAME
NYSDEC - South Hill Dump
PROJECT NUMBER
3617137309.03.+++
WELL INSTALLATION DATE
6/25/14
WELL DEVELOPMENT DATE
6/27/14

LOCATION ID
MW-3BRS
PAGE
1 OF 1
START TIME
9:30
START DATE
6/27/14
END TIME
12:50
END DATE
6/27/14

WELL DIAMETER (INCHES) ☐ 1-IN. ☐ 2-IN. ☒ 4-IN. ☐ 6-IN. ☐ 8-IN. ☐ OTHER
CASING DIAMETER (INCHES) ☒ 4-IN. ☐ 6-IN. ☐ 8-IN. ☐ 10-IN. ☐ 12-IN. ☐ OTHER
MEASUREMENT POINT (MP) ☒ TOP OF RISER (TOR) ☐ TOP OF CASING (TOC) ☐ OTHER

INITIAL WELL DEPTH (BMP) 26.74 FT
FINAL WELL DEPTH (BMP) 26.80 FT
SCREEN LENGTH Open bore FT
INITIAL DTW (BMP) A FT
SEDIMENT REMOVED All FT
SCREENED INTERVAL (BMP) 14 to 26
WATER COLUMN 26 FT
DTW AFTER DEVELOP. (BMP) Bottom FT
PUMPING DEPTH (BMP) Bottom FT
CALCULATED GAL/VOL 17.06 GAL
FINAL RECOVERY DEPTH (BMP) Bottom FT
APPROXIMATE RECHARGE RATE .35 to .60 FT/MIN
TOTAL VOL. 89 GAL
FINAL RECOVERY TIME (elapsed) Bottom MIN
FLUIDS LOST DURING DRILLING Bottom GAL

PROT. CASING STICKUP (AGS) NA FT
TOC/TOR DIFFERENCE NA FT
PID AMBIENT AIR Not Available PPM
PID WELL MOUTH Bottom PPM
END OF WELL DEVELOPMENT SAMPLE TAKEN? ☐ Y ☒ N

FIELD PARAMETERS

TIME	DTW (ft BMP)	PURGE RATE (mL/min)	TEMP. (°C)	SP. CONDUCTANCE (mS/cm)	pH (units)	DISS. O ₂ (mg/L)	TURBIDITY (ntu)	REDOX (mv)	VOLUME PURGED (gal)	TOTAL GALLONS	COMMENTS
9:45											Start pumping.
9:53											Dry 4 gals/min
											0.6 ft/min recharge
10:15	15.42										15.07 0.35 ft/min. recharge
10:21	13.50										0.27 ft/min recharge.
10:25	12.55										367
											Well tapped on well bottom
10:31											Dry 4 gals/min
11:00	14.90										4/ gals/min. Dry
12:05	8.75										4. 55 gal/s
12:45	13.5										74 gallons

EQUIPMENT DOCUMENTATION

☐ DEDICATED SUBMERSIBLE SURGE BLOCK
☐ BAILER
☐ GRUNDFOSS
☒ OTHER Whale pump
☒ WATER LEVEL METER
☐ PID
☐ WQ METER
☒ TURB. METER 21000 #20124
☐ OTHER
☐ OTHER

ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
PURGE WATER CONTAINERIZED ☐ Y ☒ N
NUMBER OF GALLONS GENERATED NA

NOTES

Well Developer Signature Rick Walzak
Checked By: RAC
Print Name Rick Walzak
Date 6/27/14

WELL DEVELOPMENT CRITERIA

Well water clear to the unaided eye?
Sediment thickness remaining in well <1.0% of screen length?
Total water removed = a minimum of 5x calculated well volumes plus 5x drilling fluids lost?
Turbidity < 5 NTUs?
10% change in field parameters?

WAS DEVELOPMENT CRITERIA MET? ☐ Y ☐ N

Water at grade. Drilling water introduced yesterday? Appears to recharge to similar depth as overburden well.