TIOGA CASTING FACILITY, 754012 Monitoring Well Inventory, 04/01/2009

Photos with Notes

Photo



Description

We arrived on site at 11:45 AM. Almost immediately someone from the Village of Oswego drove up. Payson chatted while Carl, Jerry and I prepared to dismantle the fence and purge monitoring wells.

Later in the afternoon we had another visitor in a gray SUV. This person was concerned that now that the fence was down, kids would have unrestricted access.



We snipped aluminum fasteners, un-bolted clamps and cut the fence fabric where we had to. Will Welling had brought a bolt cutter which was perfect for the job. Using a generator we ran a recipricating saw to cut brush and trees up to five inches in diameter. A chain saw might have been better for the large trees but the electric saw worked out well.



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MW-7			
NYTM-X: NYTM-Y:			
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WC: 9.54'			
DTW 12.76' DTB 22.30'			

Gauging MW-1



MW-2			
NYTM-X: NYTM-Y:			
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WC:6.23'			
DTW 13.20' DTB 19.43'			

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MW-5		
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WC:	7.04'
DTW 9.17'	DTB 16.21'



Water above the seal.



MW-3 (left)			
NYTM-X:	NYTM-Y:		
394889	4662216		
WC:2.06'			
DTW 16.42' DTB 18.48'			
MW-3D (right)			
NYTM-X:	NYTM-Y:		
394892	4662215		
WC:	8.71'		
DTW 16.25'	DTB 24.96'		



The gates were cumbersome. We dragged the rolled up fence fabric on an improvised sled made of the deteriorated construction sign.



Close-up.



Payson (left) and carl (right) measure the distance between fence poles. They counted fence poles and calculated that we left 900 feet of fence to be removed by a call-out contractor.



Northeast third of panorama shot



Looking west panorama shot



Looking west southwest panorama shot





MW-5

Counting posts



Sunlight completely fades the red word "DANGER." This is another reason why we need cut-out signs as are proposed for Davis-Howland site.



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DTW 9.72' D	TB 15.86'	





Over-the-head shot of Will and Payson at MW-4.

MW-8	
NYTM-X:	NYTM-Y:
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At MW-8. Drizzle was falling.

Wrapping up the last well.





Looking back towards the raised (fenced) landfill cap.



Telephoto shot of Carl standing among the fence poles. The village agreed to pull the poles and take away the fence parts.



Staged metal fence. "Suck my COC" is written on the back fence. "COC" of course means "certificate of completion."



We placed the coiled barbed wire on the metals pile back inside the central area.



Telephoto shot looking back from the metal pile towards the sampling van. No more fence.

Squaring away the van.





The DER sampling van. This is an excellent tool to have!



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Fence is gone in the lower image. In three years there was quite a lot of tree growth.

