

August 12, 2008

Michael J. Hinton, P.E. Division of Environmental Remediation New York State Department of Environmental Conservation 270 Michigan Avenue Buffalo, NY 14203-2999

Subject: 2008 July Site Inspection Report Booth Oil Site North Tonawanda, New York NYSDEC Site No. 9-32-100

Dear Mr. Hinton:

On behalf of the Booth Oil Site Administrative Group (BOSAG), AMEC Earth and Environmental, Inc. (AMEC) presents this *Annual Site inspection Report* for the above referenced site (Figure 1). The Site Inspection was performed on July 10, 2008. The following sections of this report discuss the observations and activities completed during the Inspection event.

SITE SURFACE CONDITIONS

A visual inspection of the site including surface conditions and its surroundings was conducted on July 10, 2008. No significant signs of erosion were noted, and the grass was well maintained. The drainage ditch that runs along the outskirts of the site has been cleaned and remains free of debris. There also weren't any neighboring encroachments noted at the time of the site inspection. There consistently have been no signs of extensive erosion during recent site inspections, therefore as of this current site visit new erosion control is not recommended. A photographic log of the site conditions is included as **Attachment 1**.

SUMMARY

In general, the Site appeared well maintained. Now that the wells have been decommissioned, the only site activities that will continue are mowing of the grass in the summer months, which is part of the site maintenance. The first of two annual site inspections has been completed; the next and final inspection will be conducted July 2009.

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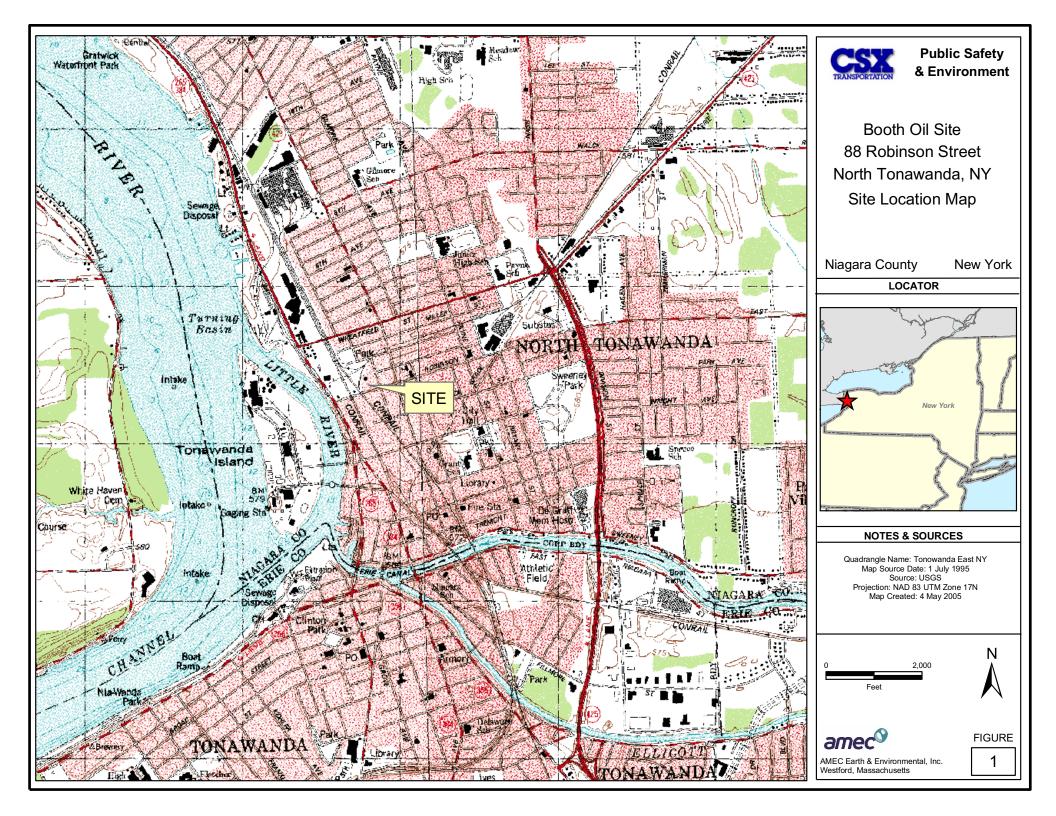
Should you have any questions or comments concerning this report, please contact Jeff LaRock or myself at (518) 372-0905 or by e-mail at <u>Jeffrey.larock@amec.com</u> or <u>howard.miller@amec.com</u>.

Sincerely, **AMEC Earth and Environmental Inc.**

Howard G. Miller Environmental Engineer

Jeffrey W. LaRock Project Manager

cc: BOSAG Steering Committee BOSAG Technical Committee Paul J. Kurzanski, CSXT Matthew J. Forcucci, NYSDOH **FIGURES**



ATTACHMENTS



Photo 1

Facing northeast looking across the site.



Photo 2

Looking west along Robinson Street. A pile of removed ties was noted along Robinson Street.

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Photo 3

View of the drainage ditch looking east along the tracks.



Photo 4

View of the drainage ditch facing southwest following the tracks.



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Photo 5

Facing southwest looking at drainage area free of debris.



Photo 6

Facing west looking across the site.

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