

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
Division of Environmental Remediation
Remedial Bureau C, 11th Floor
Inspection Unit



DAILY INSPECTION REPORT

Site Code #: C314121	Date: 07-May-2014	Report #:
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Site Name: Hudson River Psychiatric Center – North Area

Location: Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County

Volunteer Proj. Mgr.: Mary B. Hashem of EFG/DRA Heritage, LLC

DEC Proj. Mgr.: William Wu

Consultant Proj. Mgr.: Christopher B. Brown of PVE Sheffler

Proj. Contr.: Geoprobe borings performed by HydroEnvironmental Solutions, Inc. of Somers, NY

Site Phone & Fax: (845) 473-1976, Stephen P. Burke, Site Manager

	AM	PM
Weather	Sunny	Sunny
Temperature	56 F	65 F
Wind Direction	NE 3.5 mph	Calm

Description of work performed by contr. this report period:

- NYSDEC arrived at the site at 9:45 AM
- The focus of the morning was to finish the surface soil sampling in the coal storage area.
- At 11:30 AM, moved to the AST area of the Powerhouse AOC. PH-1 encountered refusal at 3 ft. PH-2 had petroleum contaminated soil from 7 ft to 9 ft bgs. 7 feet was where the groundwater interface was, and refusal was hit at 9 ft bgs. This contaminated interval had a PID reading of 9.8. The contamination can be described as having a petroleum odor, and it was able to stain the plastic bag with petroleum.
- Confirmatory boring to the bedrock will be performed at PH-2 at a later time.
- The Geoprobe pull-cap was lost in the boring, so the rest of the day was spent trying to fish it out of the hole. PVE Sheffler continued to make progress with the surface soil sampling though.
- A lab cooler sent on Monday got lost and ended up in California. May not meet holding time requirements for VOCs. This includes some borings in the Auto Garage AOC, and equipment blanks. This area will need to be resampled.

Discussions/comments regarding visitors, contractor and/or engineer:

- The site is still actively rummaged, day and night, by people who are fishing out material for the scrap market.
- There are also probably squatters scattered among the buildings on the site.

Sampling and Analyses:

- N/A

Major Issues	Description & Reason

Health & Safety:

Level of protection: Normal.

Is the level of protection in conformance with the approved Health & Safety Plan? Yes.

List of deviations:

Are atmospheric monitoring results acceptable? Yes.

Site Visitors	Representing	Entered Exclusion Zone
William Wu Christopher B. Brown Conor Tarbell Timothy Pagano Chris Miller	NYSDEC PVE Sheffler PVE Sheffler PVE Sheffler EnviroFinance Group	

Site Representative: William Wu

Date: May 07, 2014

Representative's signature: