

January 10, 2023

Ms. Greta White  
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Division of Environmental Remediation  
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC)  
625 Broadway  
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Re: NYSDEC Site No. 360174; BCP C361074  
December 2022 – January 2023 Monthly Progress Report  
Westchester County Airport, 240 Airport Road  
Harrison, New York 10604

Dear Ms.White:

### **Actions Taken/Accomplishments (December 2022 – January 2023)**

A schedule of completed and projected activities is included as Appendix A.

1. First Environment continued to monitor surface water flow and per- and polyfluoroalkyl substance (PFAS) concentrations leaving the end-of-pipe at Outfall 7 (OF-7) as well as New York City Department of Environment Projection (NYCDEP) gauging station (E-10). We concurrently recorded water level measurements in temporary wells along Airport Road and New King Street.
2. In December, groundwater water levels at monitoring wells increased slightly from those previously measured in November. In December, the flow rate measured at E-10 located downgradient from the Airport OF-7 was approximately five times higher than measured at OF-7, indicating the stream leading to E-10 had continued to gain groundwater increasing the flow rate. Water flow rates measured at OF-7, E-10, Trib 1, and Trib 2 are shown in Table 1. Figure 1 illustrates the locations where the water levels were measured. Hydrographs illustrating measured water-level below ground surface are included in Appendix B.
3. First Environment measured the end-of-pipe flow leaving the OF-7 storm sewer on November 29 at approximately 8 gallons per minute (gpm) and on December 28 at approximately 17 gpm compared to an average flow of 54 gpm measured from July 8 to 13, 2019. This reduced flow is the result of the new stormwater system installed at OF-7 despite the infiltration of groundwater into the storm sewer at 7015.1, 7014.2, 7013, 7008, and 7007, as shown in Figure 2 and the daylighting of groundwater into 7014.1, 7014.2, 7015.1.

4. On November 4, a FluxTracer™ was installed in FMW-13R to determine the precise depths of water movement and PFAS concentration within the saturated zone. Following retrieval of the FluxTracer™ on November 18, analysis for PFAS was performed. The results are presented as Table 2, and the report from Regenesi is included as Appendix C. A description of the FluxTracer™ is provided in Attachment 1.
5. The November 22 discrete groundwater samples collected from FMW-13R were analyzed for PFAS. This information will be used in combination with the FluxTracer™ data to target discrete injection depths where PFAS is concentrated in the saturated zone. The data is presented as Table 3.
6. First Environment oversaw the installation of the Fluoro-Sorb permeable reactive mat in areas where daylighting of groundwater to the surface is occurring as shown in Figure 3. The work activities began on December 5 and were completed December 13 (see photos in Appendix C). Groundwater daylighting to the ground surface and entering the stormwater drains at 7014.2 and 7016.1 was analyzed for PFAS before and after the mat was installed. It is apparent from the comparison that after the installation the Fluoro-Sorb is functioning effectively. At location 7016.1, PFOS was reduced from 1,030 ppt to 66.5 ppt and at 7014.2 ppt from 1,130 ppt to 4.4 ppt. The PFAS results are provided in Table 4
7. After completing placement of the Fluoro-Sorb mat, Pugni reportedly repaired subsurface stormwater inlets to prevent groundwater from entering the storm sewer at inlets 7015.1, 7014.2, 7013, 7008, and 7007, as shown in Figure 2. First Environment will evaluate if such repairs were successful in eliminating PFAS impacted groundwater from entering the stormwater system.
8. First Environment has transitioned from PFAS analysis using EPA modified method 537.1 in November to the EPA method 1633 in December. EPA method 1633 analyzes 40 PFAS while the former method analyzes 21.
9. First Environment recently observed increased water flow from headwall 7021.1 that is contributing to OF-7 that may have resulted in an increased PFAS concentrations at OF-7. As a result, First Environment will further evaluate the increase on water flow and PFAS levels during the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2023. The PFAS results identified at OF-7 are presented in Table 5.

## **January & February Activities**

1. First Environment intends to initiate the groundwater pilot test on January 18 and 19, 2023. The test is designed to evaluate the effectiveness of the Regenesi Plume Stop technology in reducing PFAS in groundwater. The test location is illustrated in Figure 4.
2. Evaluate the groundwater pilot test groundwater results.
3. Respond to comments in the NYSDEC December 29, 2022 letter addressing the March 2022 Site Characterization Report.

4. On October 5, 2022, the NYSDEC Invited Public Comment for the Draft Plan to Investigate Contamination at Brownfield Site on Airport Road, West Harrison. Upon workplan approval, First Environment will initiate the RIWP.
5. First Environment continues to provide environmental technical support to the County's engineering team during the bid process for the construction and installation of a water supply pipeline from Westchester Joint Water Works (WJWW).
6. Continue to evaluate the larger application of the Fluoro-Sorb mat and permeable reactive barrier for use at OF-4 to reduce PFAS in surface water.
7. Evaluating foam fractionation technology to reduce PFAS in surface and groundwater.
8. First Environment is working with the WCPWT to develop a permanent solution to correct the daylighting of groundwater to the storm sewer as shown in Figure 3

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Regards,

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## TABLES

TABLE 1  
Surface Water Flow

Date/Location	OF-7	E-10	Trib 1	Trib 2
6/17/2022	5	20	2	0.5
6/27/2022	5	17	2	0.5
7/5/2022	1	10	1	0
7/27/2022	1.5	10	1	0
8/15/2022	3	3	0.1	0
8/30/2022	2	2	0	0
9/28/2022	2.6	9	1	0
10/26/2022	9.75	43	5	1
11/18/2022	12	56	4	5
11/22/2022	7	33	5	1
11/29/2022	8	42	5	5
12/28/2022	17	87	15	10

Note - Flow is in gallons per minute

Table 2. Flux Tracer Results

Site Name	Westchester County Airport
Location	Westerport road,
Client	First Environment
Contact	Dave Luer
Well ID	MW-13R
Report prepared by:	Josh Moreno
Deployment length (ft)	17.48
Date deployed	11/4/22 10:14
Date recovered	11/18/22 10:15

Table 1. Darcy velocity and contaminant fluxes

Mass Flux (µg/m <sup>2</sup> /d)	Well Interval - Depth Below Top of Well Casing (ft)									
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Darcy velocity (cm/d)	4.5		4.0		3.4		2.4		2.6	
PBFA	10	7	32		7		7		8	
PFPeA	40	28	140		24		24		27	
PFHxA	17	9	56		9		9		9	
PFPtDA	7	4	23		5		5		5	
PFOA	3	1	11		2		2		2	
PFNA	1	0	5		1		1		1	
6.2-FTS	10	4	34		6		6		6	
PFBS	1	1	3		1		1		1	
PFFHS	11	4	46		8		8		9	
PFFpS	ND	ND	ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFOS	7	3	35		7		7		8	
PEDA	ND	ND	ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFUnA	1	ND	ND		ND		1		ND	
PFDnA	ND	ND	ND		ND		1		1	
PFTtDA	ND	ND	ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFPeS	6	2	14		3		3		4	
PFECHS	ND	ND	ND		ND		ND		ND	
5.3-FTA	ND	ND	1		1		1		1	
FBSA	ND	ND	2		2		2		2	
FHxSA	2	1	6		1		1		1	
8CI-PFOS	ND	ND	ND		ND		ND		ND	

TABLE 2. Fluxed-derived concentrations

Concentration (ng/L)	Well Interval - Depth Below Top of Well Casing (ft)									
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
PBFA	222	175	941		292		292		308	
PFPeA	889	700	4,118		1,039		1,000		1,039	
PFHxA	378	225	1,647		375		346		346	
PFPtDA	156	100	677		208		208		192	
PFOA	67	324	83		77		83		77	
PFNA	22	22	147		42		42		39	
6.2-FTS	222	100	1,000		250		250		231	
PFBS	22	N/A	88		42		42		N/A	
PFFHS	244	100	1,353		333		333		346	
PFFpS	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFOS	156	75	1,029		292		292		308	
PEDA	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFUnA	22	N/A	N/A		42		42		N/A	
PFDnA	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		39	
PFTtDA	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFPeS	133	50	412		125		125		154	
PFECHS	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
5.3-FTA	N/A	N/A	29		59		59		N/A	
FBSA	N/A	N/A	44		25		42		42	
FHxSA	44	N/A	177		N/A		N/A		39	
8CI-PFOS	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	

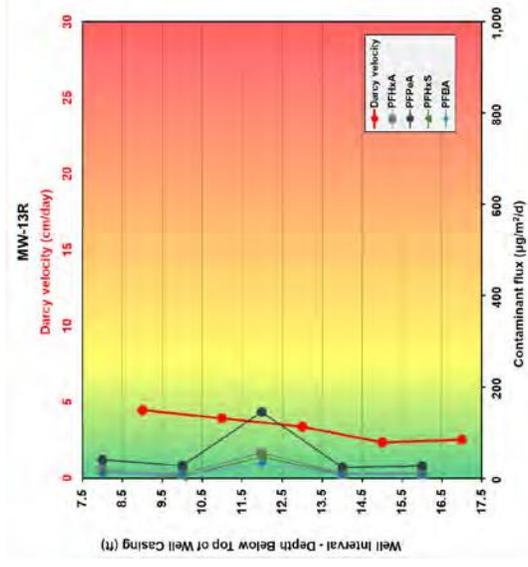


Table 3 - FMW-13R Discrete Sampling

Sample ID York ID Sampling Date Client Matrix	Compound	CAS Number	NYDEC Part 375 PFAS Remedial Program Water Oct 2020	FMW-13R Top 22K1238-01 11/22/2022 10:15:00 AM Water		FMW-13R Bottom 22K1238-02 11/22/2022 10:30:00 AM Water	
				Result ng/L	Q	Result ng/L	Q
	<b>PFAS, NYDEC Target List</b>		ng/L				
	<b>Dilution Factor</b>		100				
	1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (8:2 FTS)	39108-34-4	100		20		
	1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (6:2 FTS)	27619-97-2	100		3,250		
	N-EtFOSAA	2991-50-6	100	D	<b>463</b>		D
	N-MeFOSAA	2355-31-9	100	U			U
	Perfluoro-1-decanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	335-77-3	100	U			U
	Perfluoro-1-heptanesulfonic acid (PFHpS)	375-92-8	100	U	71.100		U
	Perfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (FOSA)	754-91-6	100				
	Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	375-73-5	100		68.800		
	Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	335-76-2	100	U	2.980		
	Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	307-55-1	100	U			U
	Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	375-85-9	100		<b>527</b>		D
	Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	355-46-4	100		<b>2,360</b>		D
	Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	307-24-4	100		<b>891</b>		D
	Perfluoro-n-butanoic acid (PFBA)	375-22-4	100		<b>433</b>		D
	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	375-95-1	100		86.900		
	Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	1763-23-1	10		<b>823</b>		D
	Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	335-67-1	10		<b>172</b>		D
	Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPeA)	2706-90-3	100		<b>1,760</b>		D
	Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTTA)	376-06-7	100				U
	Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTDA)	72629-94-8	100				U
	Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	2058-94-8	100				U
	PFOA + PFOS				995		2,464
	Total PFAS				5,898		9,125

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Table 4 - Fluoro-Sorb Pre and Post Placement

Sample ID York ID Sampling Date Client Matrix	Compound	CAS Number	PFAS, NYSDDEC Target List Dilution Factor	NYDEC Part 375 PFAS Remedial Program Water Oct 2020		7016.1 Before 2210405-01 12/16/2022 9:00:00 AM Water		7016.1 After 2210670-01 12/9/2022 7:30:00 AM Water		7014.2 Before 2210405-02 12/16/2022 12:00:00 PM Water		7014.2 After 2210670-02 12/9/2022 7:40:00 AM Water	
				ng/L	Q	Result	Q	Result	Q	Result	Q	Result	Q
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (8:2 FTS)		39108-34-4		100	10			1		10		1	
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (6:2 FTS)		27619-97-2		100	20.8			6.4		6.0			
N-EtFOSAA		2991-50-6		100	24.8		U						
N-MeFOSAA		2355-31-9		100			U						
Perfluoro-1-decanesulfonic acid (PFDS)		335-77-3		100			U						
Perfluoro-1-heptanesulfonic acid (PFHpS)		375-92-8		100	21.4					33.9			
Perfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (FOSA)		754-91-6		100	3.5								
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)		375-73-5		100	21.1					43.2			
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)		335-76-2		100			U			3.5			
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)		307-55-1		100			U						
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFHpA)		375-85-9		100	41.4					73.6			
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)		355-46-4		100	299.0		D			488.0		4.5	
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)		307-24-4		100	68.8					126.0		4.2	
Perfluoro-n-butanoic acid (PFBA)		375-22-4		100	25.5					43.0		7.3	
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)		375-95-1		100	8.4					38.9			
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)		1763-23-1		10	1,030.0		D			1,130.0		4.4	
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)		335-67-1		10	50.3					76.6			
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPeA)		2706-90-3		100	47.7					116.0		10.5	
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)		376-06-7		100									
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTDA)		72629-94-8		100	2.1		U						
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)		2058-94-8		100	3.2					9.9			
PFOS + PFOA					1,080.3					1,206.6		4.4	
Total PFAS					1,667.9					2,188.6		30.9	

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Table 5 - Fluoro-Sorb Pre and Post Installation at OF-7

Sample ID York ID Sampling Date Client Matrix		OF-7 22K1460-01 11/29/2022 9:20:00 AM Water		OF-7 22L0878-01 12/14/2022 11:30:00 AM Water	
Compound	CAS Number	Result	Q	Result	Q
<b>PFAS, EPA 1633 Target List</b>		ng/L		ug/L	
<b>Dilution Factor</b>		25		5	
11CL-PF3OUdS	763051-92-9	NT			U
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (8:2 FTS)	39108-34-4	66.3	D	16	
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (4:2 FTS)	757124-72-4	NT			U
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (6:2 FTS)	27619-97-2	280.0	D	95	
3-Perfluoroheptyl propanoic acid (FHpPA)	812-70-4	NT			U
3-Perfluoropentyl propanoic acid (FPePA)	914637-49-3	NT			U
3-Perfluoropropyl propanoic acid (FPrPA)	356-02-2	NT			U
9CL-PF3ONS	756426-58-1	NT			U
ADONA	919005-14-4	NT			U
HFPO-DA (Gen-X)	13252-13-6	NT			U
N-EtFOSA	4151-50-2	NT		1	B
N-EtFOSAA	2991-50-6		U		U
N-EtFOSE	1691-99-2	NT			U
N-MeFOSA	31506-32-8	NT			U
N-MeFOSAA	2355-31-9		U		U
N-MeFOSE	24448-09-7	NT			U
Perfluoro(2-ethoxyethane)sulfonic acid (PFEEESA)	113507-82-7	NT			U
Perfluoro-1-decanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	335-77-3		U		U
Perfluoro-1-heptanesulfonic acid (PFHpS)	375-92-8	190.0		36	
Perfluoro-1-nonanesulfonic acid (PFNS)	68259-12-1	NT		6	
Perfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (FOSA)	754-91-6	16.5		4	
Perfluoro-1-pentanesulfonate (PFPeS)	2706-91-4	NT		74	
Perfluoro-3,6-dioxahexanoic acid (NFDHA)	151772-58-6	NT			U
Perfluoro-4-oxapentanoic acid (PFMPA)	377-73-1	NT			U
Perfluoro-5-oxahexanoic acid (PFMBA)	863090-89-5	NT			U
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	375-73-5	87.8		34	
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	335-76-2	22.3		6	
Perfluorododecanesulfonic acid (PFDoS)	79780-39-5	NT			U
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	307-55-1		U		U
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	375-85-9	414.0	D	144	
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	355-46-4	1,210.0	D	3680	D
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	307-24-4	471.0	D	174	
Perfluoro-n-butanoic acid (PFBA)	375-22-4	169.0	D	61	
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	375-95-1	292.0	D	106	
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	1763-23-1	3,420.0	D	6370	D
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	335-67-1	997.0	D	266	
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPeA)	2706-90-3	490.0		258	
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)	376-06-7		U		U
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTTrDA)	72629-94-8		U		U
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	2058-94-8	68.5		21	

PFOS + PFOA

4,417.0

6,636.0

Total PFAS

8,194.4

11,352.3

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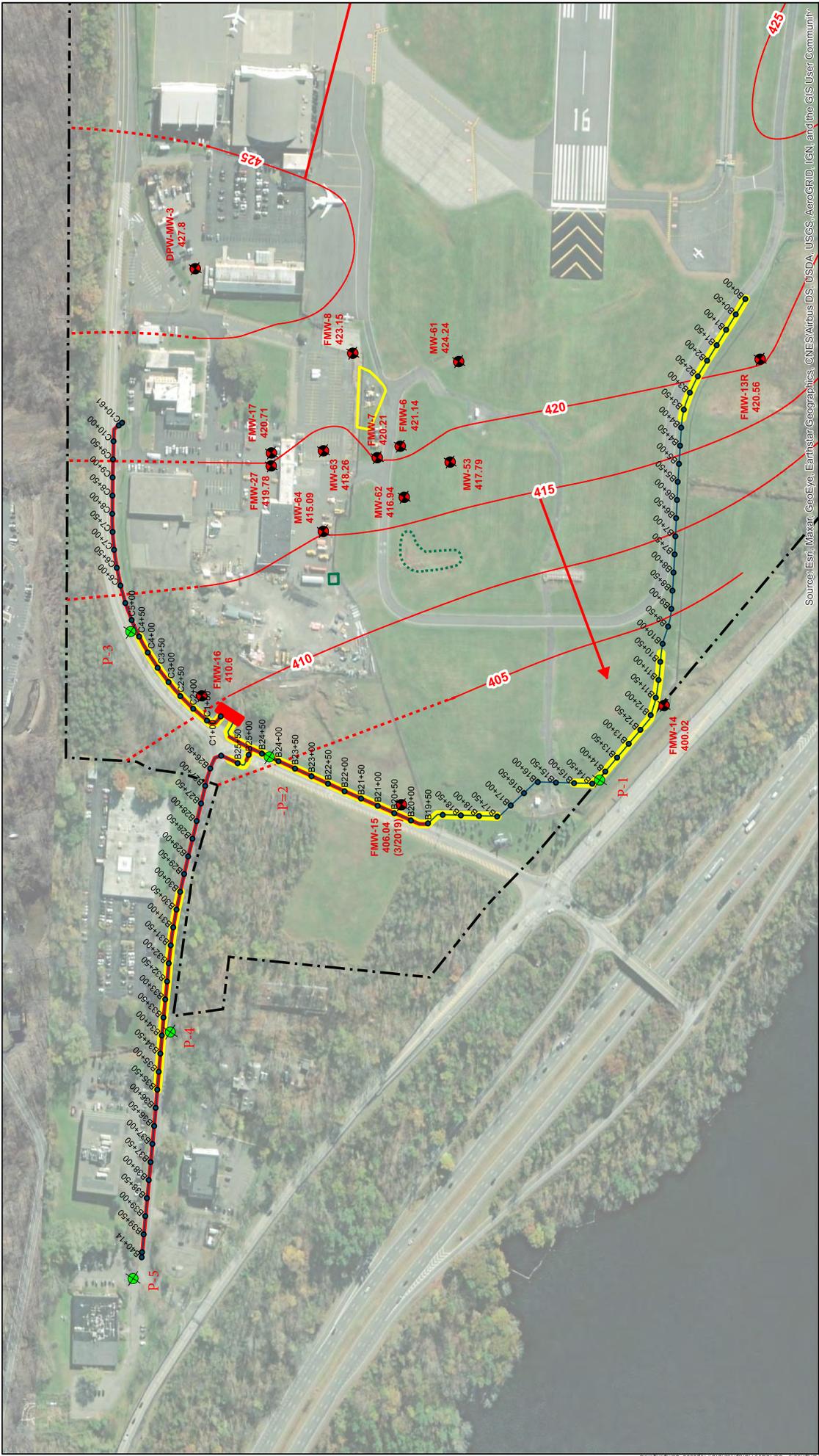
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## FIGURES



Sources: Esri, Maxar, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community

**ENVIRONMENT**  
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 Butler, NJ 07405

**APPROVED**  
 [Signature]

**REVISIONS**

Rev	By	Date	Description
01	LS	06/20/2020	Initial
02	DL	06/20/2020	Final

**PROJECT INFORMATION**  
 NYSDEC SITE NO. 360174  
 WESTCHESTER COUNTY AIRPORT  
 White Plains, Westchester County, New York  
 FIGURE 1  
 GROUNDWATER MEASUREMENT  
 LOCATIONS

**Legend**

- Unconsolidated Groundwater Flow Direction
- Unconsolidated Groundwater Elevation Contour (feet) as of 5/20/2020
- Inferred Unconsolidated Groundwater Elevation Contour (feet)
- Unconsolidated Monitoring Well
- 411.82 Unconsolidated Groundwater Elevation (feet) as of 5/20/2020
- Proposed Temp Well
- Station
- Station Elevation
- Area Requiring Remediation
- Area Requiring Dewatering & Treatment of Water
- Former AFFF Burn Pit
- Substance Catch Basin
- Property Boundary

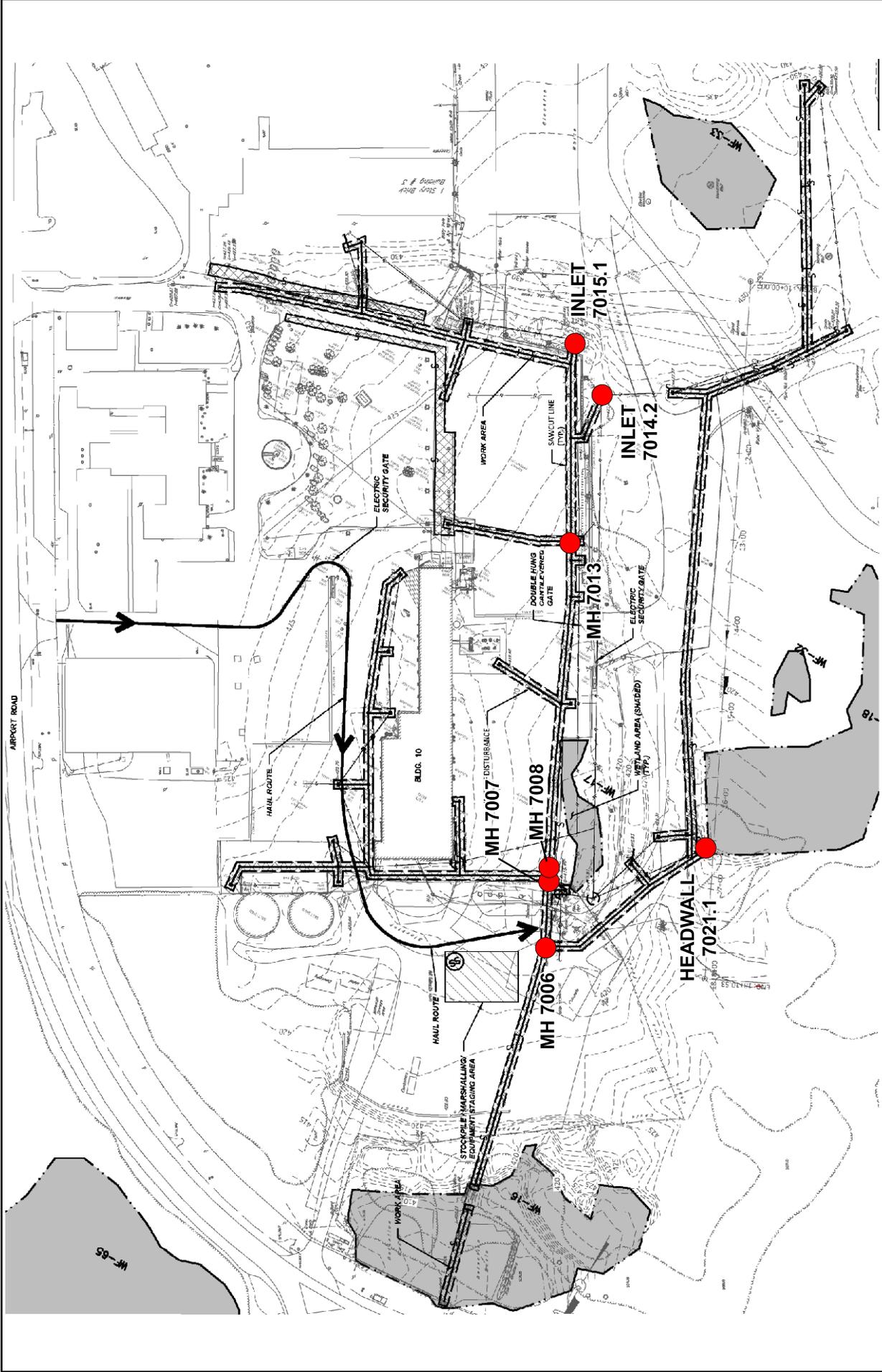
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North Arrow

Source: Esri, Maxar, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community

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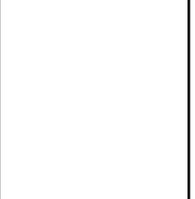
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WESTCHESTER COUNTY AIRPORT  
 FIGURE 2  
 SYSTEM LEAKS AS OF  
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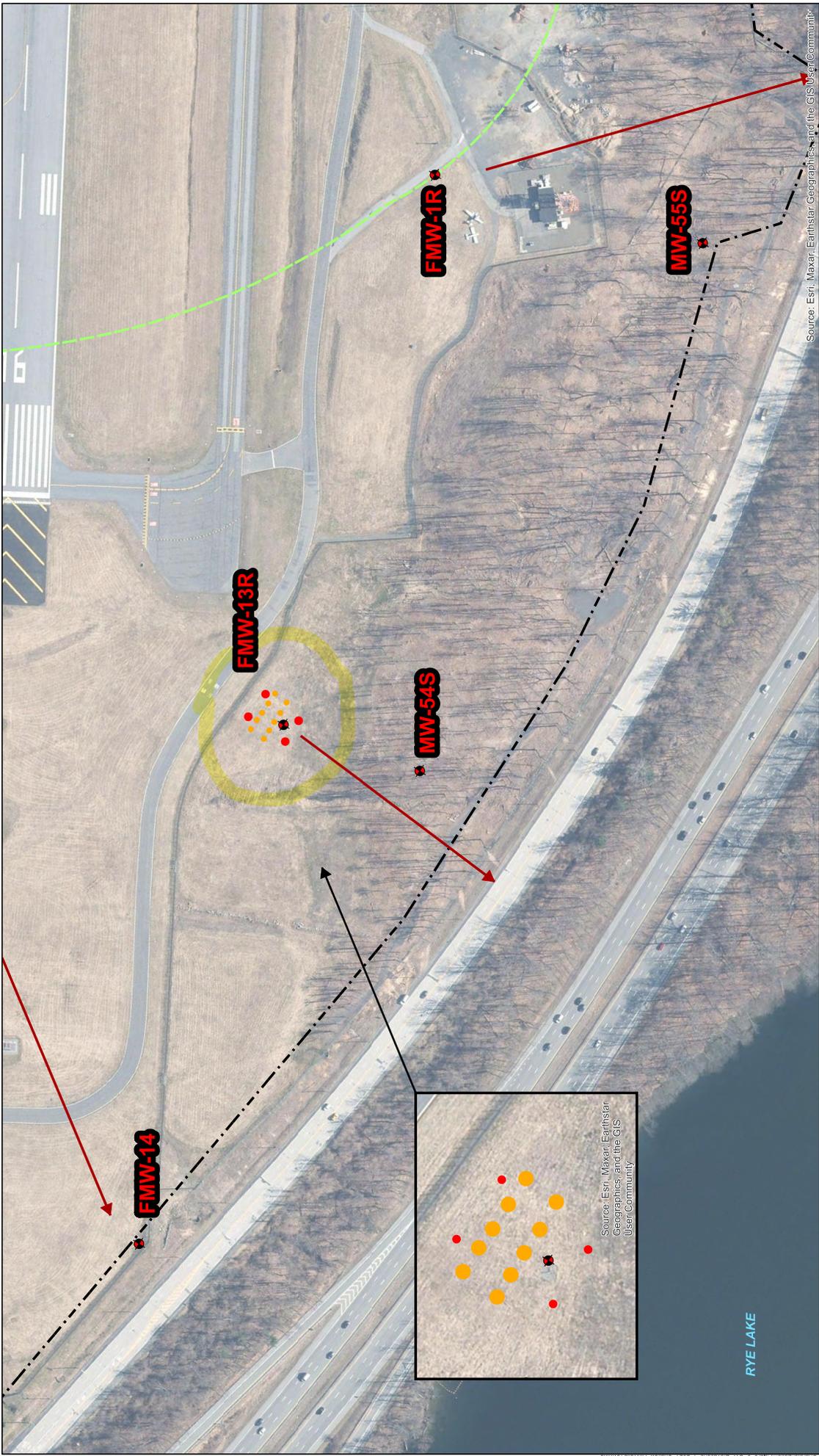
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**Legend**  
 ● Leaking Manhole Structures





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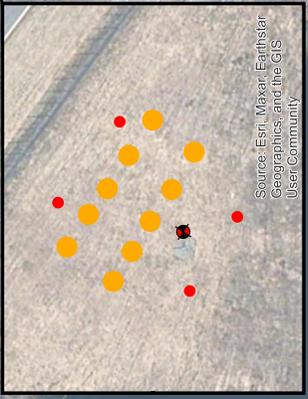
- Injection Gallery (5ft wide x 30 ft long)
- Proposed Upgradient & Downgradient Wells
- Monitoring Well Location (Unconsolidated Aquifer)
- ➔ Approximate Flow Direction
- Approximate Watershed Boundary
- Property Boundary

NM: Not Measured  
 NA: TOC Elevation not Available

Scale: 1 inch = 167 feet  
 0 100 200 Feet

Source: Esri, Maxar, Earthstar Geographics, and the GIS User Community

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NYSDEC SITE NO 360174 WESTCHESTER COUNTY AIRPORT White Plains, Westchester County, New York		FIGURE 4 PILOT STUDY GROUNDWATER TREATMENT PFOA-PFOS						
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## APPENDIX A

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**Work Activity Schedule**  
**2022-2023**

Milestone	Estimated Completion Date	Estimated Completion Percentage
OF-7 Storm Sewer Installation	May 13, 2022	100%
OF-7 Performance Monitoring	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2023	90%
New King Street Workplan – Phase 1	January 24	100%
New King Street Workplan – Phase 2	April 2022	100%
Waterline Workplan	April 2022	100%
Waterline Completion	October 2024	0%
OF-4 IRM Pilot Test <sup>1</sup>	Winter 2022	50%
Remedial Investigation Workplan Submittal	July 2022	100%
GW Pilot Test Scope of Work <sup>2</sup>	Summer 2022	100%
GW Pilot Test	Winter 2022	60%
Execution of RI workplan <sup>3</sup>	Spring 2023	0%
Remedial Action Alternatives Evaluation	2023-2024	0%
Remedial Action Selection Report	TBD	0%
Certificate of Completion	TBD	0%

Estimated task durations and completions are tentative and are subject to modification based on site work, progress, weather delays, and other considerations such as contractor availability or Airport access.

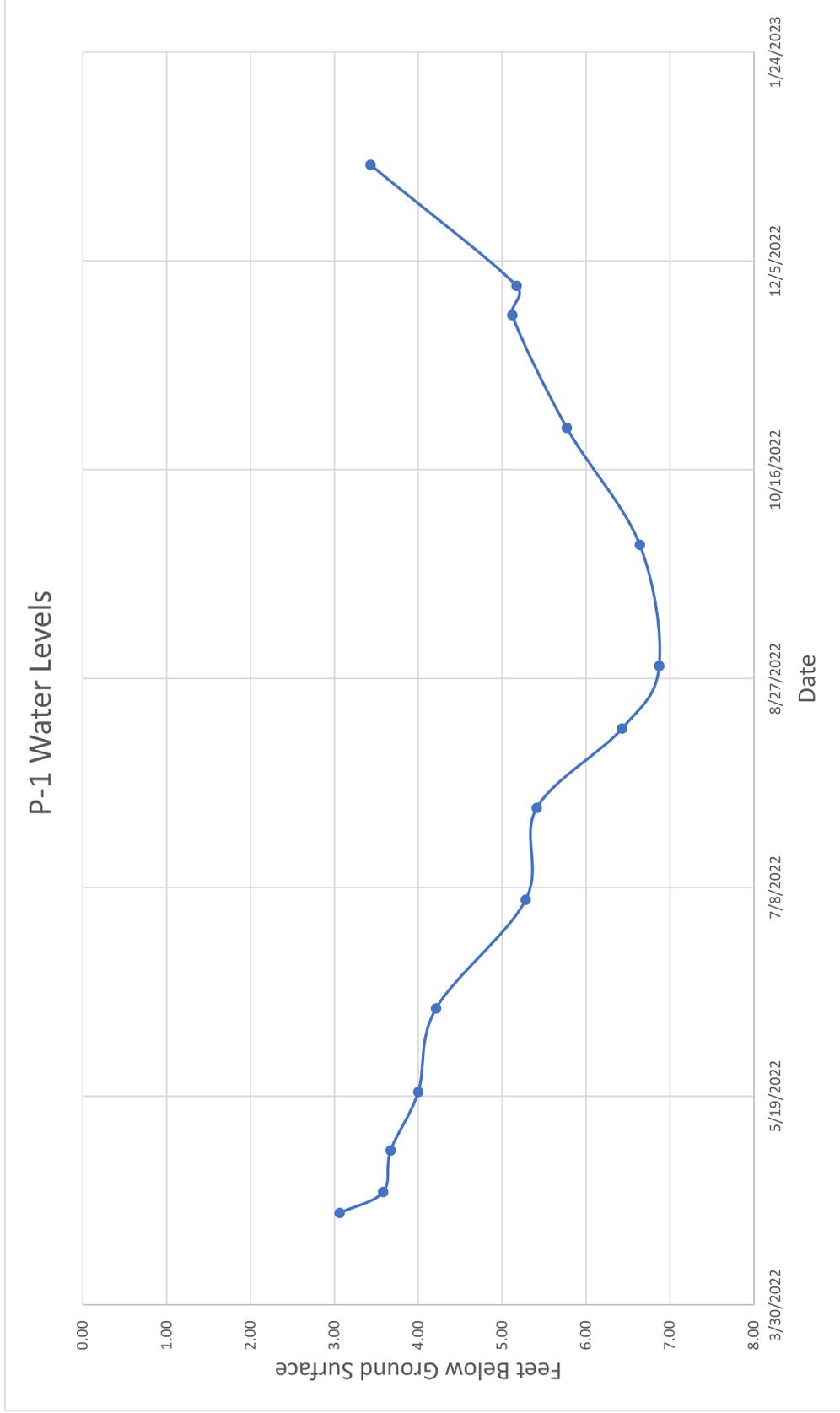
<sup>1</sup> Pilot test CETCO Fluor sorb at OF-7 – Evaluate the effectiveness of Fluor sorb reducing PFOS and PFOA in surface water. Pilot test CETCO Fluor sorb at OF-7 before testing at OF-4.

<sup>2</sup> Scope of work submitted to the County approved September 2022

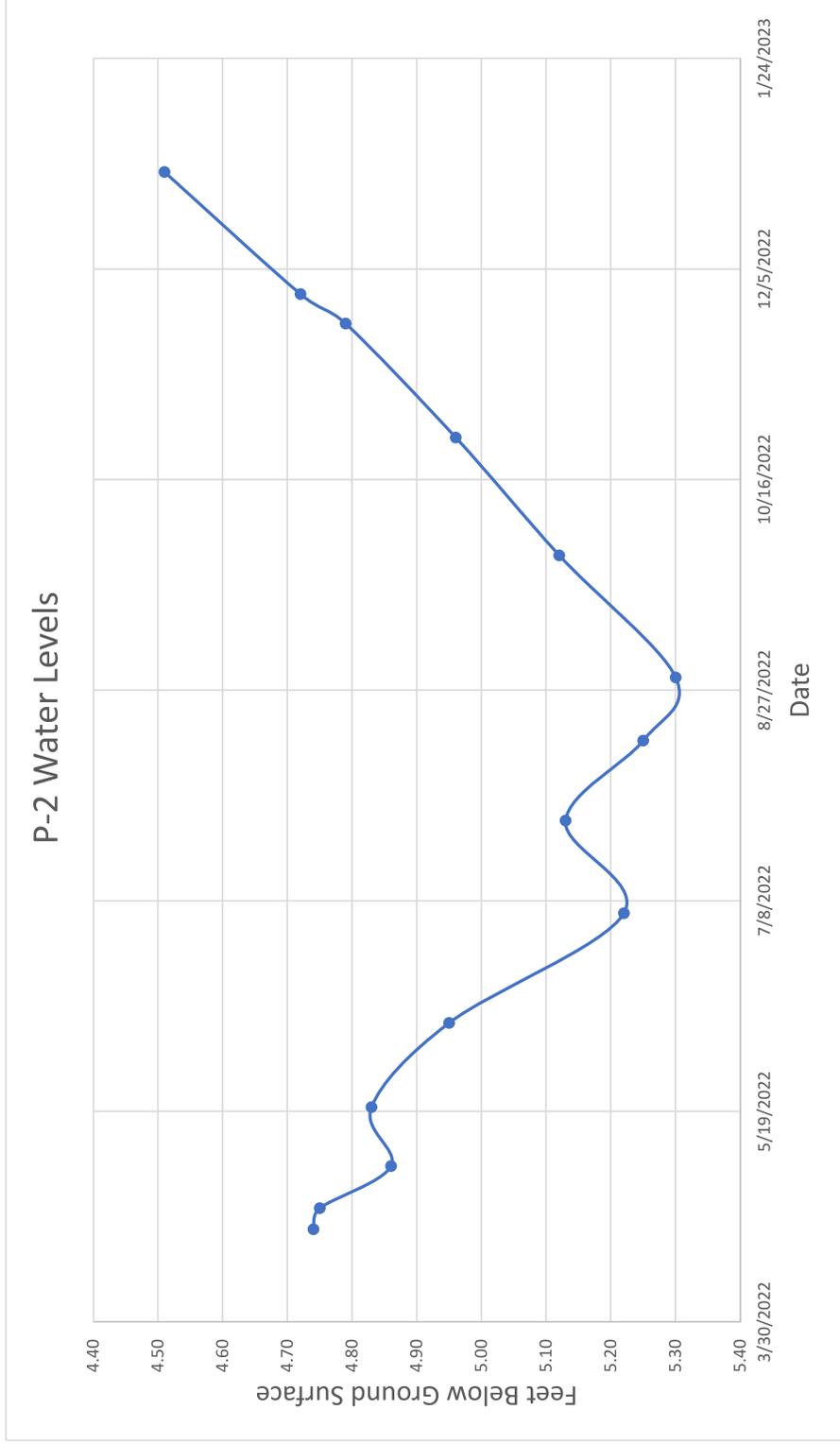
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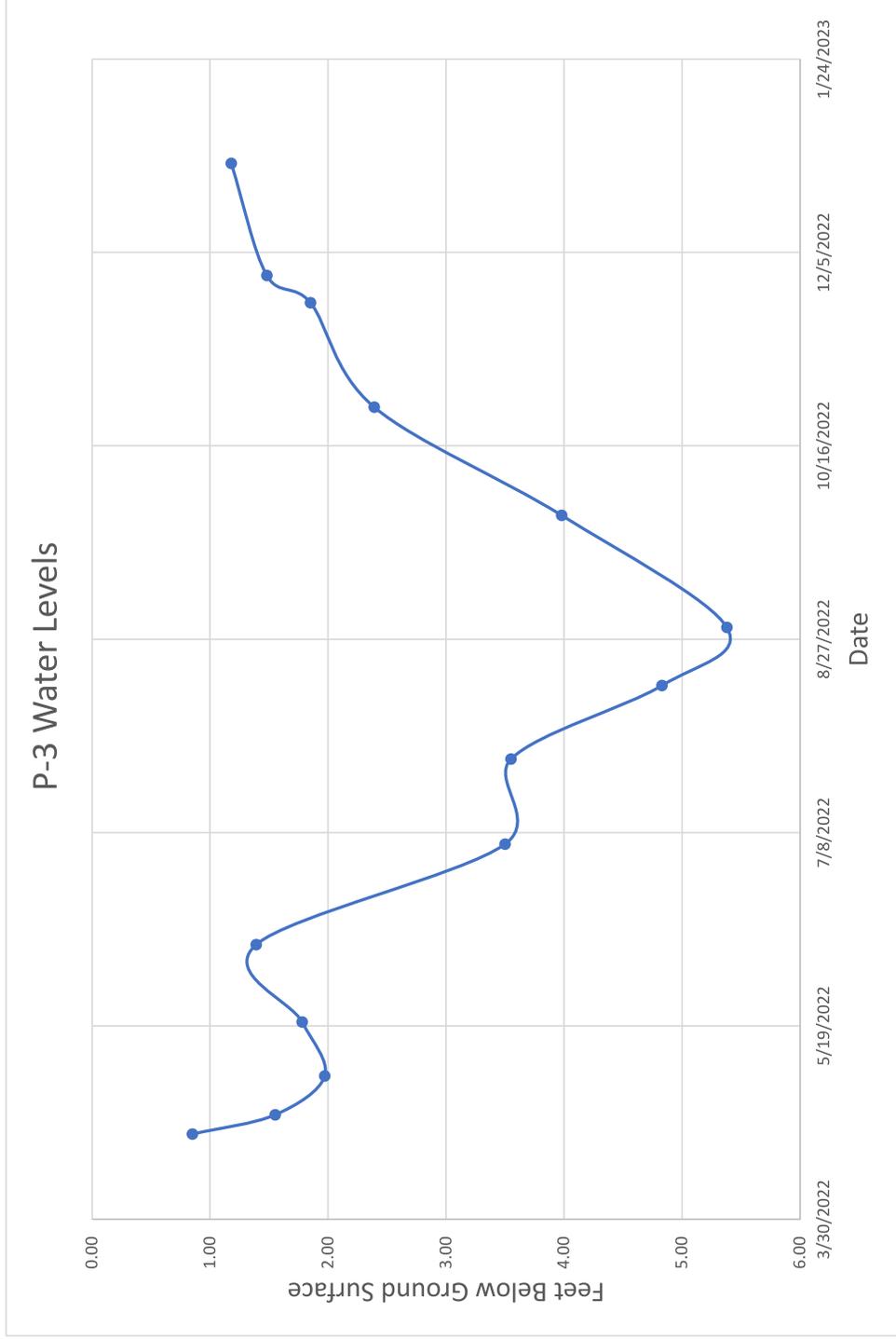
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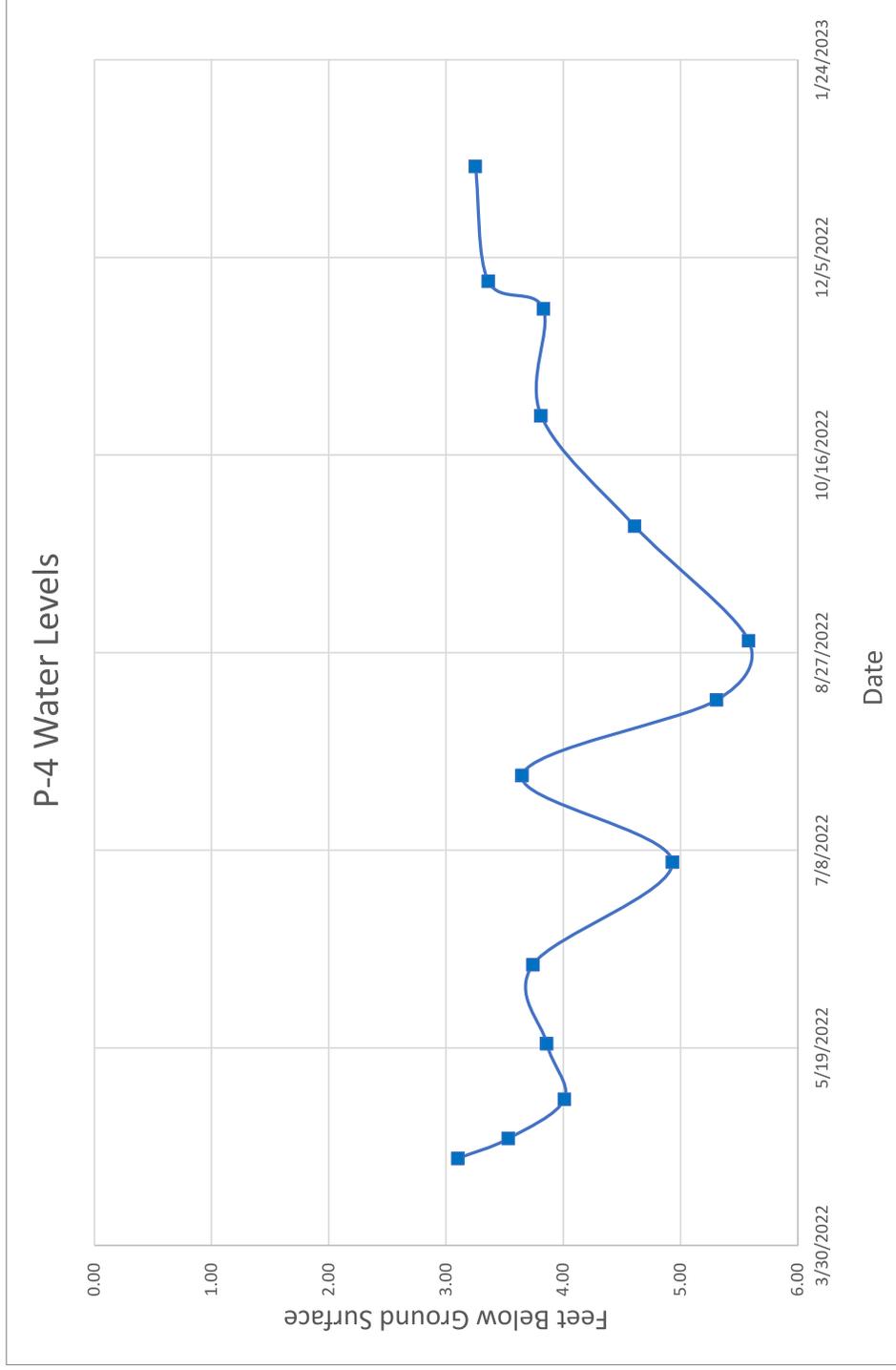
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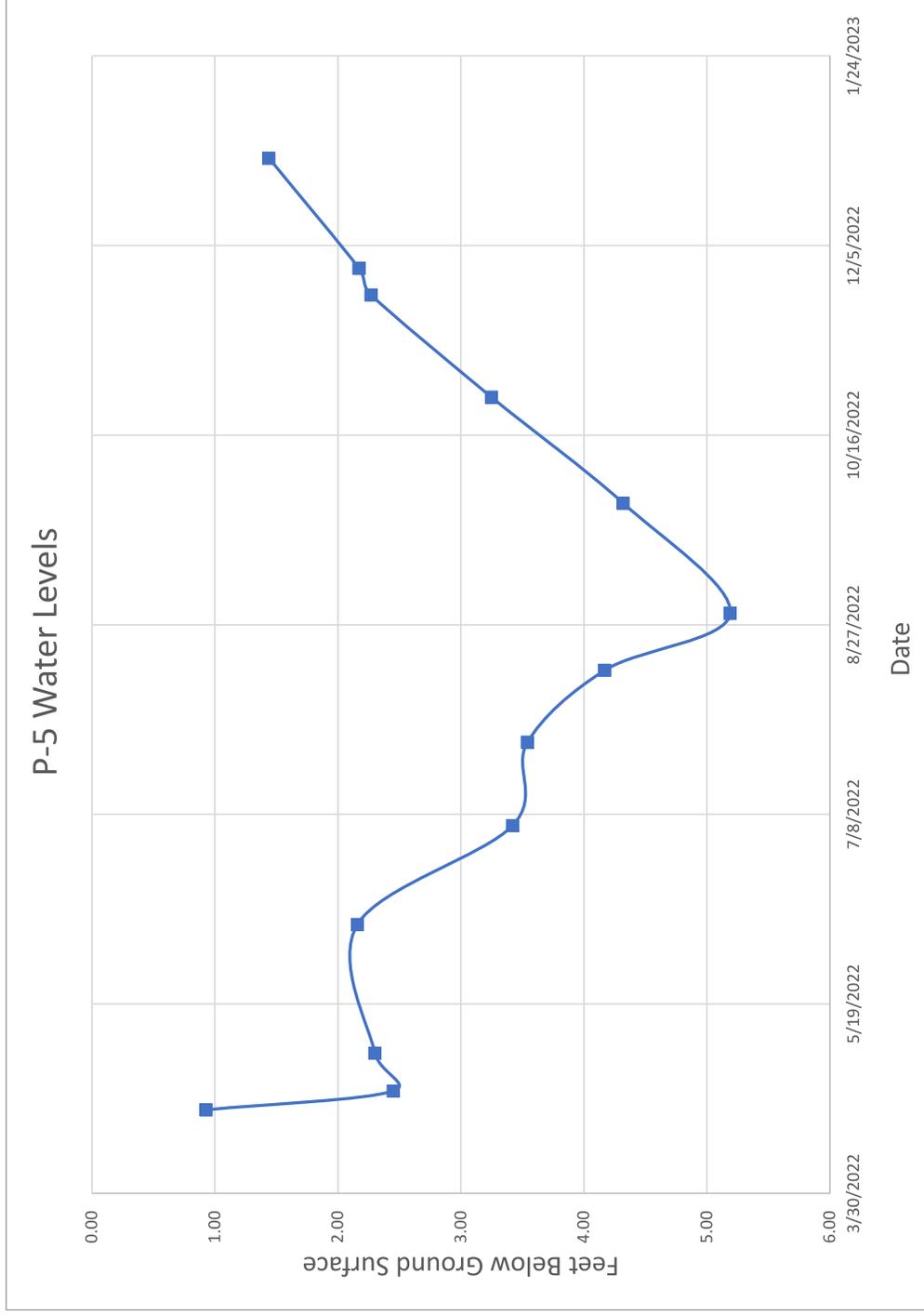
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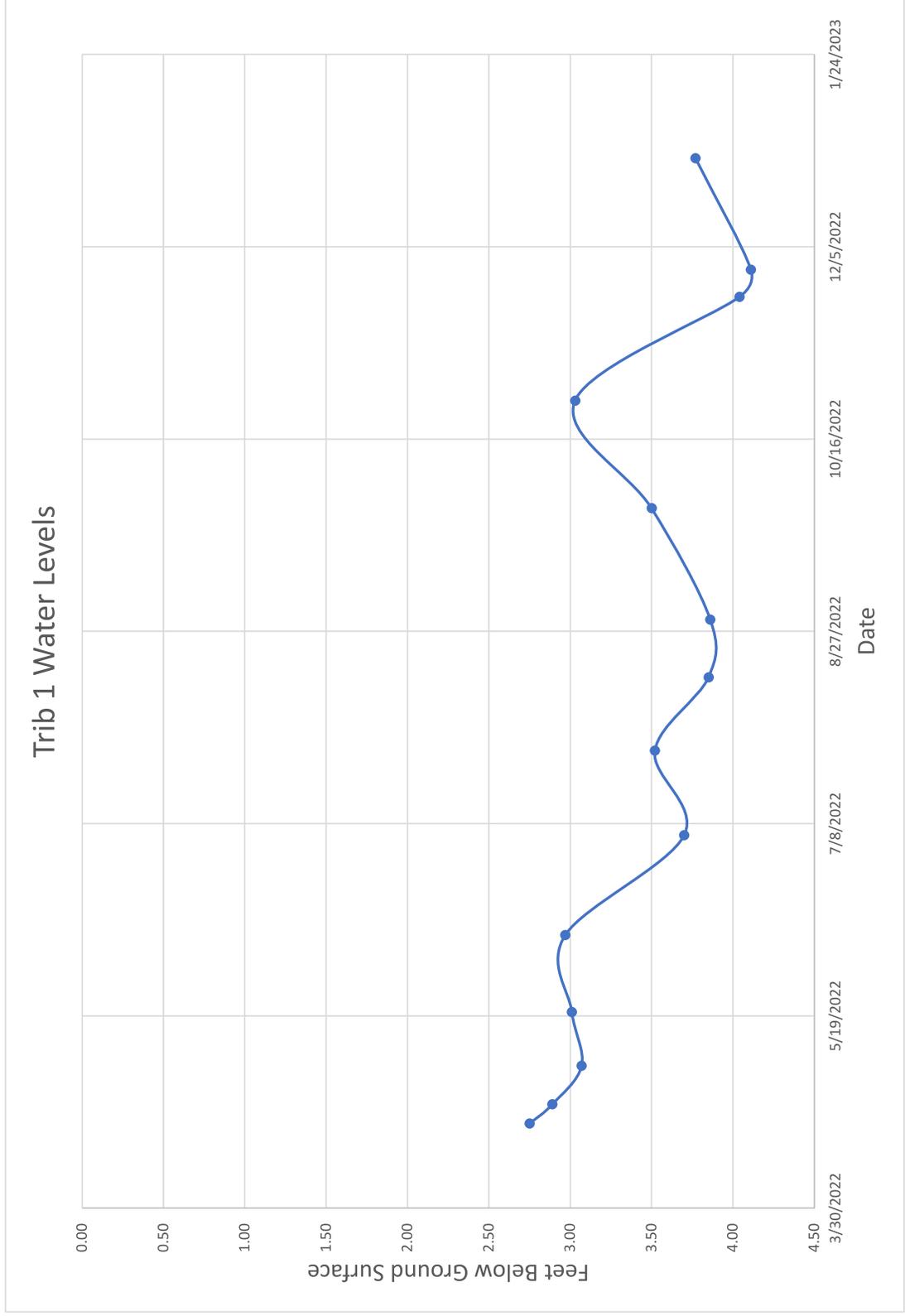
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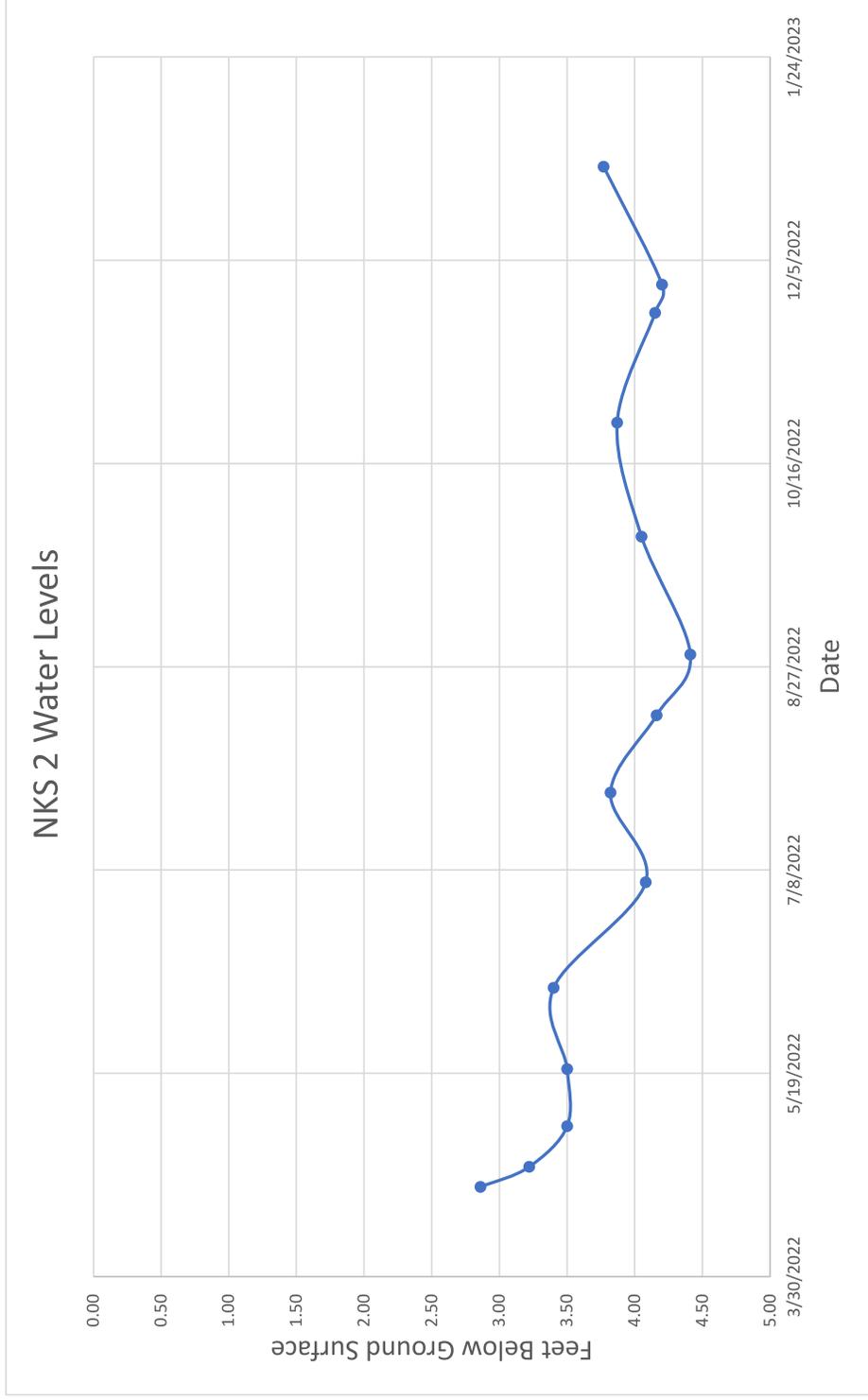
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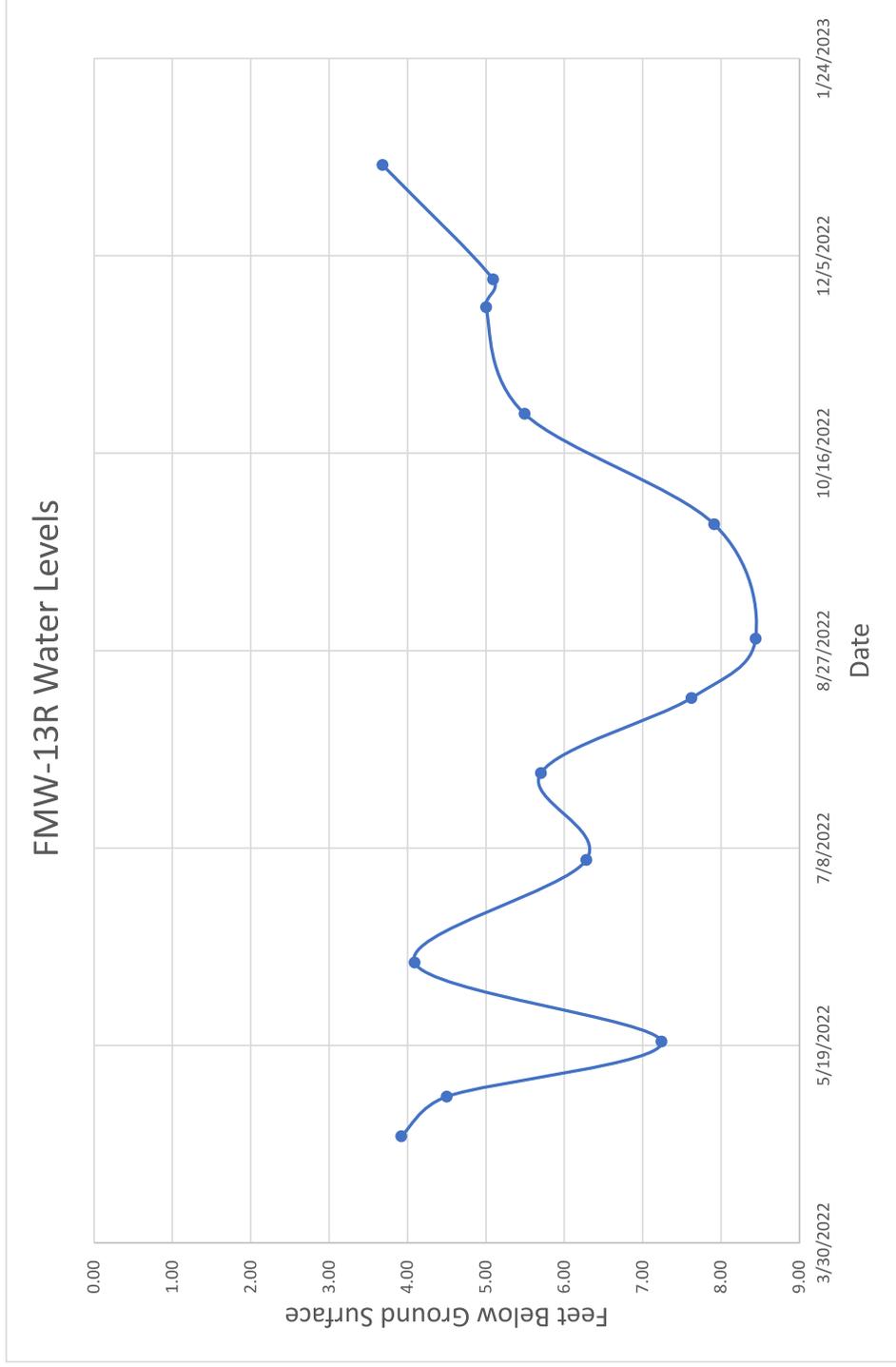
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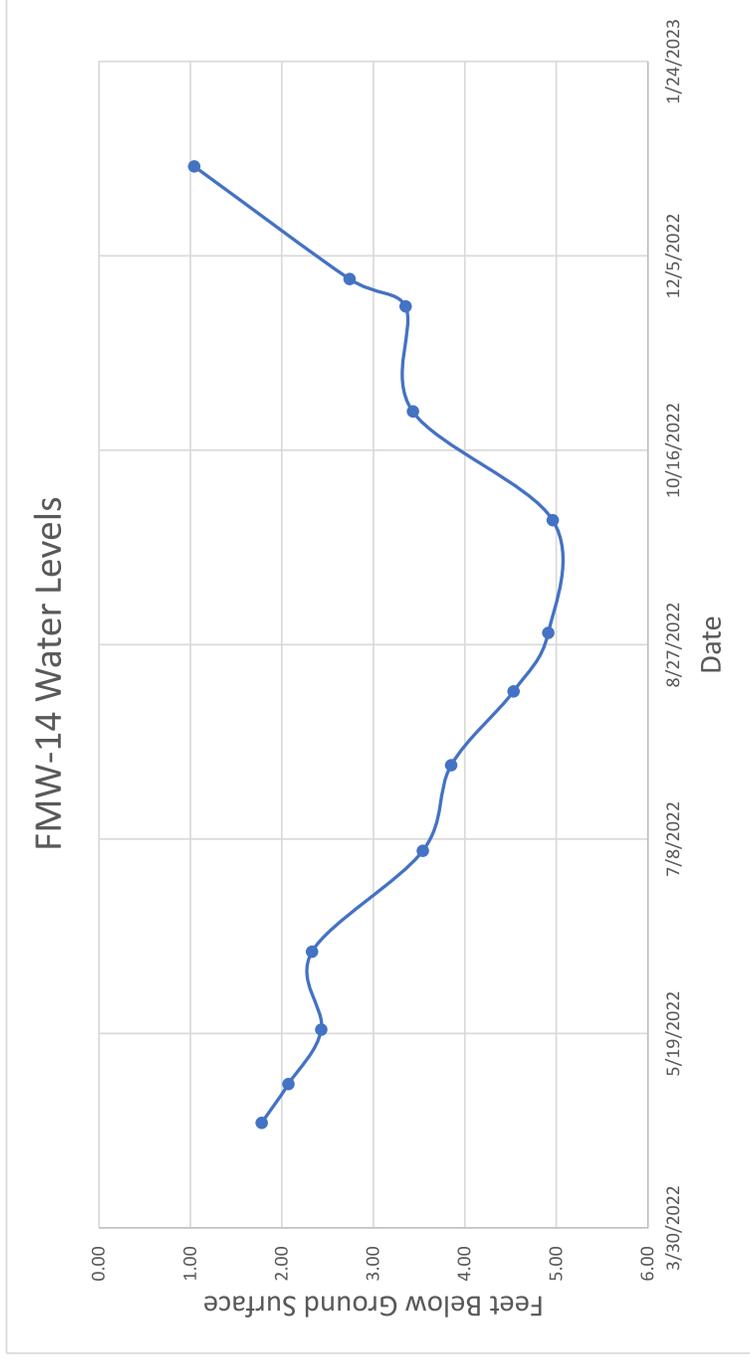
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## APPENDIX C

## FluxTracer® Results: Darcy Velocity, Mass Flux, and Contaminant Concentrations

January 5, 2023

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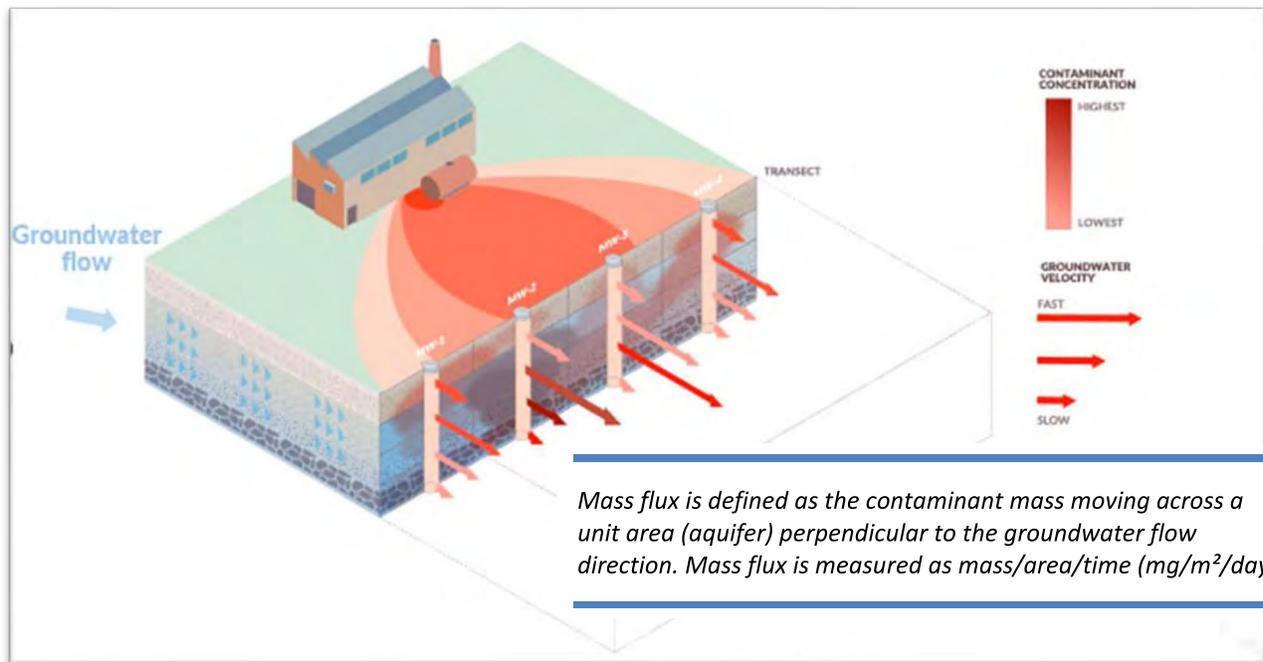
FROM: Joshua Moreno, REGENESIS  
Glenn Iosue, REGENESIS

RE: Flux Tracer Results for Dave, Westchester County Airport Site

### Scope of Work

FluxTracer® testing was conducted to assess groundwater velocity and contaminant mass flux within existing monitoring wells to aid in site characterization and remedial designs. REGENESIS received 1 set of 10' passive flux meter device from First Environment and performed FluxTracer analysis to determine Darcy flux, mass flux, and flux derived contaminant concentration. The quantitative FluxTracer test measures the amount of alcohol tracers that desorbed from the activated carbon due to groundwater passively flowing through the cylinder canisters. Concurrently, contaminants present in the plume will adsorb to a sorptive media ideally suited for PFAS during the deployed period after which will be extracted from the adsorbent to quantify mass flux and flux derived contaminant concentration.

## What is Mass Flux?



*Conceptual site modeling overlaying hydraulic conductivity, groundwater velocity, and contaminant concentrations.*

Mass flux refers to the movement of contaminant mass from one location to another, measured in units of mass per unit of time and area. Contaminant mass flux data is used in environmental remediation to identify the pathways through which contaminants are moving through the aquifer. This can involve the use of monitoring wells and various technologies to collect data on the flow of water and contaminants through the soil and rock formations. This information can help determine the locations of plumes and the direction of contaminant movement which is important for identifying the sources of contamination and designing remediation strategies.

Contaminant mass flux data can also be used to assess the potential risks to human and ecosystem health. By understanding the rate at which contaminants are moving through the groundwater and the concentrations at which they are present, it is possible to evaluate the potential impacts of environmental hazards on human and ecological receptors. Mass flux data can be used to prioritize remediation efforts and to develop risk management plans. For example, the use of permeable reactive barriers or in-situ bioremediation techniques may be more effective in certain locations based on contaminant mass flux data (ITRC, 2010). Contaminant mass flux data is an important tool in environmental remediation as it helps to understand and predict the movement of contaminants in the environment, assess potential risks to human and ecosystem, and design effective remediation strategies.

## Results

**Table 1.** MW-13R Darcy velocity and contaminant mass flux data

Mass Flux (ug/m <sup>2</sup> /day)	Well Interval - Depth Below Top of Well Casing (ft)									
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
<b>Darcy velocity (cm/day)</b>	<b>4.5</b>		<b>4.0</b>		<b>3.4</b>		<b>2.4</b>		<b>2.6</b>	
PFBA	10		7		32		7		8	
PFPeA	40		28		140		24		27	
PFHxA	17		9		56		9		9	
PFHpA	7		4		23		5		5	
PFOA	3		1		11		2		2	
PFNA	1		0		5		1		1	
6:2 FTS	10		4		34		6		6	
PFBS	1		ND		3		1		ND	
PFHxS	11		4		46		8		9	
PFHpS	ND		ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFOS	7		3		35		7		8	
PFDA	ND		ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFUnA	1		ND		ND		1		ND	
PFDoA	ND		ND		ND		1		1	
PFTTrDA	ND		ND		ND		ND		ND	
PFPeS	6		2		14		3		4	
PFECHS	ND		ND		ND		ND		ND	
5:3 FTA	ND		ND		1		ND		ND	
FBSA	ND		ND		2		ND		ND	
FHxSA	2		1		6		1		1	
8Cl-PFOS	ND		ND		ND		ND		ND	

**Table 2. MW-13R Flux-derived concentrations**

Concentration (ng/L)	Well Interval - Depth Below Top of Well Casing (ft)									
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
PFBA	222		175		941		292		308	
PFPeA	889		700		4,118		1,000		1,039	
PFHxA	378		225		1,647		375		346	
PFHpA	156		100		677		208		192	
PFOA	67		25		324		83		77	
PFNA	22		0		147		42		39	
6:2 FTS	222		100		1,000		250		231	
PFBS	22		N/A		88		42		N/A	
PFHxS	244		100		1,353		333		346	
PFHpS	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFOS	156		75		1,029		292		308	
PFDA	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFUnA	22		N/A		N/A		42		N/A	
PFDoA	N/A		N/A		N/A		42		39	
PFTrDA	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
PFPeS	133		50		412		125		154	
PFECHS	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
5:3 FTA	N/A		N/A		29		N/A		N/A	
FBSA	N/A		N/A		59		N/A		N/A	
FHxSA	44		25		177		42		39	
8Cl-PFOS	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	

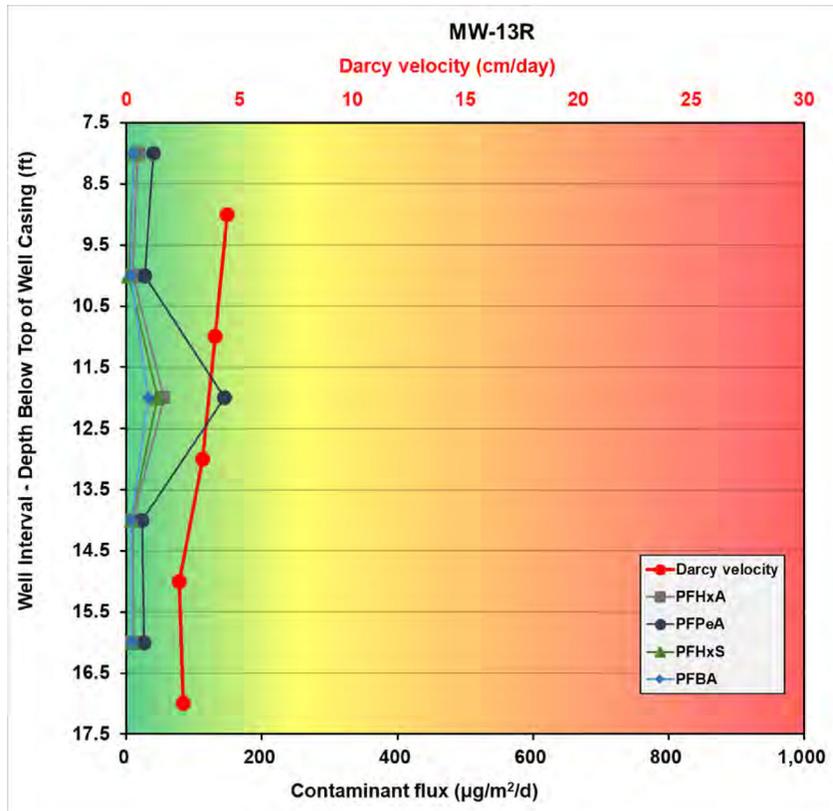


Figure 1. MW-13R Contaminant flux (µg/m²/d), Darcy velocity, and depth below casing.

## Data Validation:

Data validation was performed by comparing FluxTracer mass flux to its corresponding field estimated mass flux (Table 3). The purpose of this study is to validate FluxTracer data as it compares to field estimated data. The validated FluxTracer data shows that the difference between FluxTracer derived data and its corresponding field estimates are approximately within an order of magnitude which confirms the accuracy of the technology behind FluxTracer devices.

**Table 3.** York Analytical PFAS concentration in groundwater (ng/L) and the corresponding estimated mass flux derived from groundwater concentration and groundwater velocity ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$ ).

PFAS Compounds	FMW-13R Top			FMW-13R Bottom		
	Groundwater Concentration (York Analytical)	Derived Mass Flux	Darcy Velocity	Groundwater Concentration (York Analytical)	Derived Mass Flux	Darcy Velocity
	(ng/L)	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$	cm/d	(ng/L)	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$	cm/d
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (8:2 FTS)	2.750	0.117	4.25	3.250	0.081	2.50
1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (6:2 FTS)	404	17.170	4.25	463	11.575	2.50
N-EtFOSAA	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
N-MeFOSAA	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
Perfluoro-1-decanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
Perfluoro-1-heptanesulfonic acid (PFHpS)	25.4	1.080	4.25	71.1	1.778	2.50
Perfluoro-1-octanesulfonamide (FOSA)	ND	ND	4.25	1.920	0.048	2.50
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	57.2	2.431	4.25	68.8	1.720	2.50
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	ND	ND	4.25	2.980	0.075	2.50
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	458	19.465	4.25	527	13.175	2.50
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	785	33.363	4.25	2,360	59.000	2.50
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	891	37.868	4.25	822	20.550	2.50
Perfluoro-n-butanoic acid (PFBA)	433	18.403	4.25	405	10.125	2.50
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	87	3.693	4.25	148	3.700	2.50
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	823	34.978	4.25	2,240	56.000	2.50
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	172	7.310	4.25	224	5.600	2.50
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPeA)	1,760	74.800	4.25	1,790	44.750	2.50
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTTrDA)	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	ND	ND	4.25	ND	ND	2.50

## Interpretation of Results:

The PFAS FluxTracer test provides contaminant flux and Darcy velocity, alternating between each measurement type in 1-foot intervals. Contaminant flux and Darcy velocity are then used to estimate contaminant concentrations in the groundwater for comparisons sake.

Under these test conditions, the Darcy velocity of the groundwater passing through the well can be interpreted as follows shown below. We are currently developing guidance on PFAS mass flux interpretations, but tentatively this site is in the low range.

Indicator	Qualitative Interpretation	Darcy Velocity (cm/day)	*Seepage Rate (ft/yr)
Green to Yellow	Low	<2 - 5	<96 - 240
Yellow to Orange	Medium	5 - 15	240 - 719
Orange to Red	High	15- >30	719 - 1437

\*Seepage rate assumes a 0.25 porosity

Flux derived concentration is derived using the following equation:

$$GW\ concentration\ (ng/L) = \frac{Mass\ flux\ (\mu g/m^2/d)}{Darcy(cm/d)*10} * 1000$$

A non-applicable (N/A) is applied to the intervals where either the Darcy velocity, contaminant of concern, or both is less than the reporting limit.

A value of ND <X indicates that the analyte of concern is NOT detected above the method detection limit (MDL) or the method reporting limit (MRL).

A J-value indicates that the analyte of concern was detected and that the analyte concentration is an estimated value which is between the method detection limit (MDL) and the method reporting limit (MRL).

## Description of Experimental Methods

A batch reactor is filled with 10 grams of sample from each 1-foot interval and is extracted for alcohol tracers followed by extraction of chlorinated volatile organic solvents (CVOCs) using of isobutanol and acetone-hexane, respectively. Batch reactors are then placed on a shaker for 24 hours. A 1 ml extract from each batch reactor is transferred to a liquid gas chromatography vial and each sample is analyzed by a GC-FID for alcohol tracers and GC-MS for CVOCs. Mass flux is determined by quantitatively extracting off and analyzing the captured PFAS from the specialized media and combining with data on the device dimensions and length of time it was deployed.

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### Site Photos

#### Permeable Fabric Installation



Photo 1 – 7016.1 Area of installation prior to excavation.



Photo 2 – 7016.1 Post excavation and contouring

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Photo 3 – 7016.1 Fabric Placement



Photo 4 – 7016.1 Post installation with gravel cover, erosion control and traffic control.

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Photo 5 – 7014.2 Area of installation prior to excavation.



Photo 6 – 7014.2 Post excavation and contouring

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Photo 7 – 7014.2 Fabric Placement



Photo 8 – 7014.2 Post installation with gravel cover and erosion control, part I.

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Photo 9 – 7014.2 Post installation with gravel cover and erosion control, part II.