



July 12, 2018

Mr. Jacob Evans
Sr. EHS Specialist
2115 117th Avenue
Greeley, CO 80634

**Subject: Water Vault Removal
Wells Ranch USX AA25-09,15,10,16
40.453793, -104.38124
SE¼ SE¼ T6N-R63W-S25 L02
Weld County, Colorado
Facility ID 415674754**

Dear Mr. Evans,

This letter is being provided by URS to present the results from the water vault removal at the Wells Ranch USX AA25-09,15,10,16 site (site).

On June 19th, 2018, URS collected soil samples following the removal of the water vault at the site. A soil sample was collected from each of the four sidewalls and the floor for field screening. The sidewall soil sample with the highest photoionization detector (PID) reading (WR-USX-AA25-9-Eastwall) and the floor soil sample (WR-USX-AA25-9-Floor) were submitted for laboratory analysis. The sampling was performed in accordance with Noble guidance document Closure of Buried or Partially Buried Produced Water Vessels as per Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC) Rule 905.b.(1-4).

Based on laboratory analytical results, neither soil samples exceeded the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC) Table 910-1 concentration limits for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, total xylenes (BTEX), naphthalene, or total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH). The additional analysis of the sidewall sample for specific conductance, pH, and

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sodium adsorption ratio (SAR) also did not exceed COGCC Table 910-1 concentration limits.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Jim Litz at (303) 228-3066.

Sincerely,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James Ford".

James Ford
Project Geologist

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James Litz".

James Litz, P.E.
Project Manager

Attachments: **Figures**

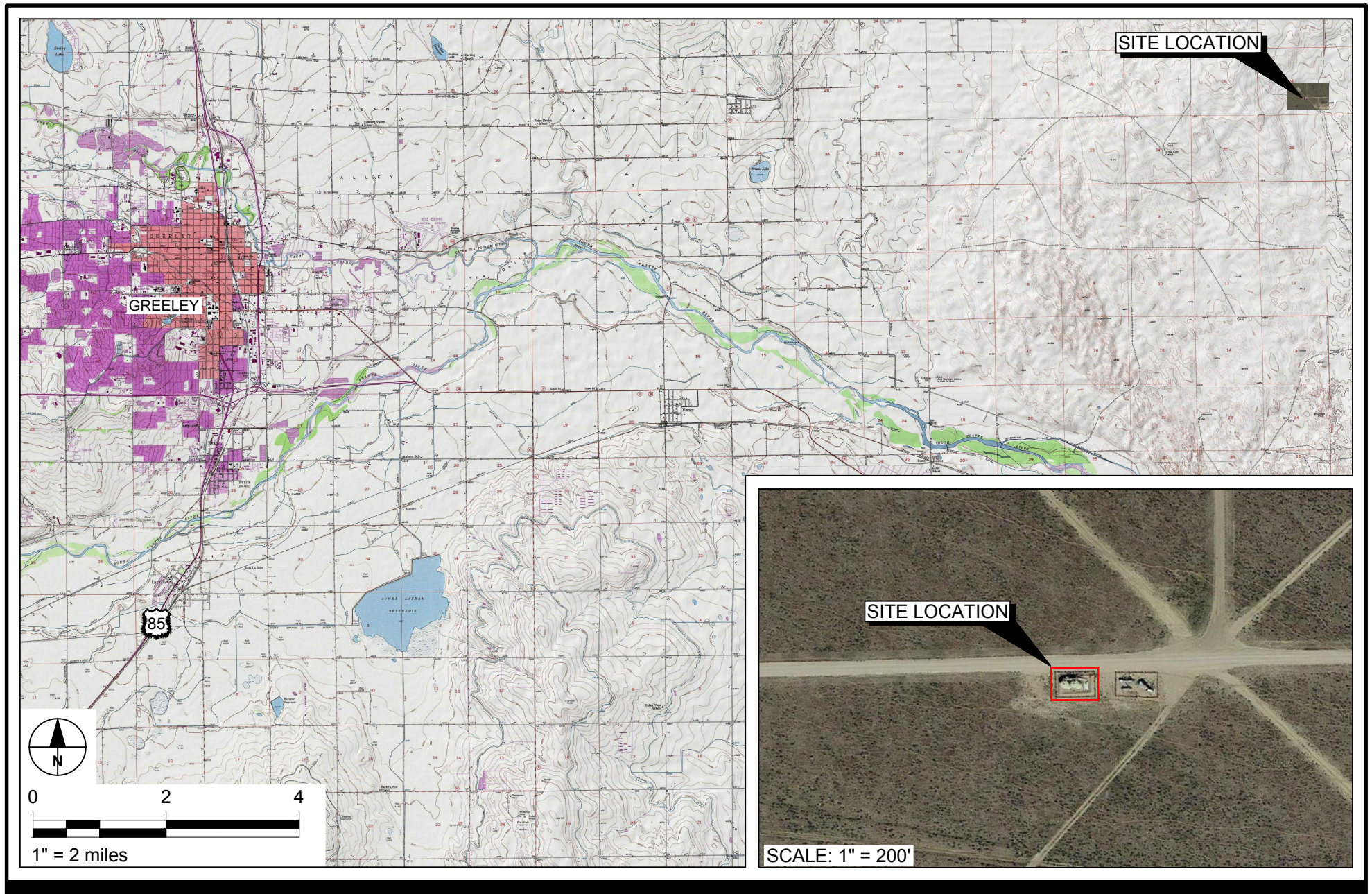
Figure 1 - Site Vicinity Map

Figure 2 – Soil Analytical Results

Laboratory Analytical Report



Figures



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SITE VICINITY MAP

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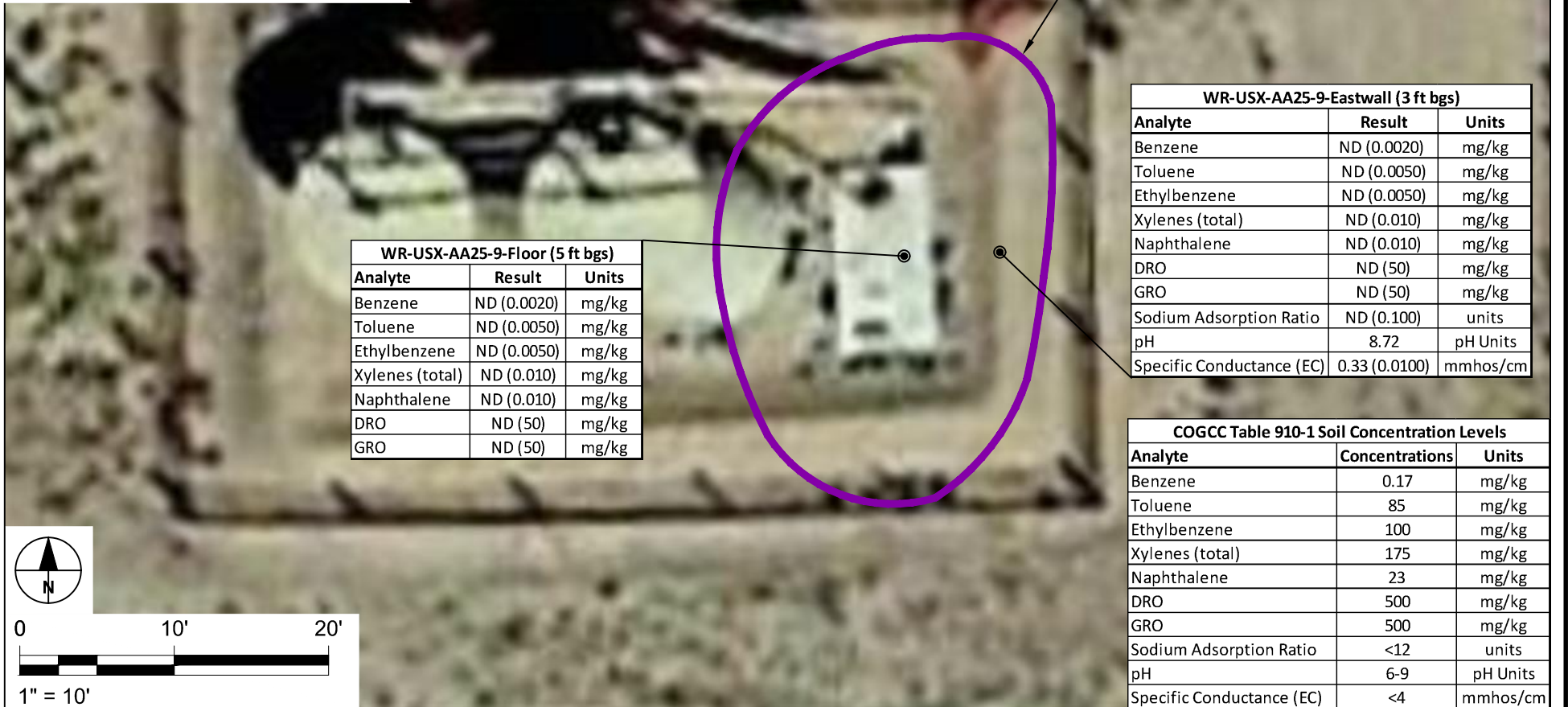
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Note:

ft bgs = feet below ground surface
 DRO = Diesel Range Organics
 GRO = Gasoline Range Organics
 mg/kg = milligrams/kilogram
 ND (50) = Non-Detect (Detection Limit)

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● SAMPLE LOCATIONS



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SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS

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Laboratory Analytical Report

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June 29, 2018

Jim Litz

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Ft. Collins, CO 80525

RE: Noble - Wells Ranch USX AA25-9,15,16

Enclosed are the results of analyses for samples received by Summit Scientific on 06/19/18 16:50. If you have any questions concerning this report, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Paul Shrewsbury For Ben Shrewsbury
Laboratory Manager



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Project: Noble - Wells Ranch USX AA25-9,15,16

Project Number: [none]
Project Manager: Jim Litz

Reported:
06/29/18 08:09

ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
WR-USX-AA25-9-Eastwall	1806248-01	Soil	06/19/18 14:35	06/19/18 16:50
WR-USX-AA25-9-Floor	1806248-02	Soil	06/19/18 14:40	06/19/18 16:50

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Project Number: RC# 815902494 Auct# 247039

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Sample Receipt Checklist

S2 Work Order: 1806248

Client: AECOM/NORCE

Client Project ID: NORCE Water Vessels

Shipped Via: Hand
(UPS, FedEx, Hand Delivered, Pick-up, etc.)

Airbill #: _____

Matrix (check all that apply): Air ☒ Soil/Solid Water Other: _____
(Describe)

Temp (°C)	<u>21.2</u>
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Thermometer ID: 61857155-K

	Yes	No	N/A	Comments (if any)
If samples require cooling, was the temperature at 4°C +/- 2°C ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
NOTE: If samples are delivered the same day of sampling, this requirement is met provided that there is evidence that cooling has begun.				
Were all samples received intact ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was adequate sample volume provided ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If custody seals are present, are they intact ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Are samples with holding times due within 48 hours sample due within 48 hours present?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Is a chain-of-custody (COC) form present and filled out completely ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Does the COC agree with the number and type of sample bottles received ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do the sample IDs on the bottle labels match the COC ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the COC properly relinquished by the client w/ date and time recorded ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
For volatiles in water – is there headspace present? If yes, contact client and note in narrative.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Are samples preserved that require preservation (excluding cooling) ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Note the type of preservative in the Comments column – HCl, H2SO4, NaOH, HNO3, ect				
If samples are acid preserved for metals, is the pH ≤ 2 ⁽¹⁾ ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Record the pH in Comments.				
If dissolved metals are requested, were samples field filtered?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Additional Comments (if any): 				
⁽¹⁾ If NO, then contact the client before proceeding with analysis and note in case narrative.				

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Custodian Printed Name or Initials

[Signature]
Signature or Initials of Custodian

6.19.18 16:56
Date/Time



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**WR-USX-AA25-9-Eastwall
1806248-01 (Soil)**

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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260B

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Benzene	ND	0.0020	mg/kg	1	1806330	06/22/18	06/26/18	EPA 8260B	
Toluene	ND	0.0050	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0050	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylenes (total)	ND	0.010	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Naphthalene	ND	0.010	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons	ND	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4		99.6 %	23-173		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: Toluene-d8		98.2 %	20-170		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		95.0 %	21-167		"	"	"	"	

Extractable Petroleum Hydrocarbons by 8015

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
C10-C28 (DRO)	ND	50	mg/kg	1	1806327	06/22/18	06/26/18	EPA 8015M	

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl		88.8 %	30-150		"	"	"	"	

Soluble Nutrients by EPA 6020/USDA60 6(2, 3A) - Dry Weight Basis

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Calcium	4130	11.0	mg/kg dry	1	1806295	06/20/18	06/23/18	EPA 6020B	

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**WR-USX-AA25-9-Eastwall
1806248-01 (Soil)**

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Soluble Nutrients by EPA 6020/USDA60 6(2, 3A) - Dry Weight Basis

Magnesium	306	5.51	mg/kg dry	1	1806295	06/20/18	06/23/18	EPA 6020B
Sodium	8.19	5.51	"	"	"	"	"	"

Calculated Analysis

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Sodium Adsorption Ratio	ND	0.100	units	1	1806347	06/25/18	06/25/18	Calculation	

Physical Parameters by APHA/ASTM/EPA Methods

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
% Solids	90.7		%	1	1806293	06/20/18	06/20/18	Calculation	
pH	8.72		pH Units	"	1806337	06/22/18	06/22/18	EPA 9045D	

Specific Conductance by EPA Method 120.1

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:35**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Specific Conductance (EC)	0.330	0.0100	mmhos/cm	1	1806338	06/22/18	06/22/18	EPA 120.1	

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**WR-USX-AA25-9-Floor
1806248-02 (Soil)**

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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260B

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:40**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Benzene	ND	0.0020	mg/kg	1	1806330	06/22/18	06/26/18	EPA 8260B	
Toluene	ND	0.0050	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0050	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Xylenes (total)	ND	0.010	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Naphthalene	ND	0.010	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons	ND	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:40**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4		98.5 %	23-173		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: Toluene-d8		100 %	20-170		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene		96.4 %	21-167		"	"	"	"	

Extractable Petroleum Hydrocarbons by 8015

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:40**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
C10-C28 (DRO)	ND	50	mg/kg	1	1806327	06/22/18	06/26/18	EPA 8015M	

Date Sampled: **06/19/18 14:40**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl		90.0 %	30-150		"	"	"	"	

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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260B - Quality Control

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Analyte	Reporting			Spike Level	Source		%REC		RPD	
	Result	Limit	Units		Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806330 - EPA 5030 Soil MS

Blank (1806330-BLK1)

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/26/18

Benzene	ND	0.0020	mg/kg							
Toluene	ND	0.0050	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0050	"							
Xylenes (total)	ND	0.010	"							
Naphthalene	ND	0.010	"							
Gasoline Range Hydrocarbons	ND	50	"							
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	0.0376		"	0.0396		94.8	23-173			
Surrogate: Toluene-d8	0.0399		"	0.0400		99.8	20-170			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0384		"	0.0400		96.1	21-167			

LCS (1806330-BS1)

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/26/18

Benzene	0.0891	0.0020	mg/kg	0.100		89.1	70-130			
Toluene	0.0999	0.0050	"	0.100		99.9	70-130			
Ethylbenzene	0.114	0.0050	"	0.100		114	70-130			
m,p-Xylene	0.228	0.010	"	0.200		114	70-130			
o-Xylene	0.104	0.0050	"	0.100		104	70-130			
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	0.0360		"	0.0396		90.8	23-173			
Surrogate: Toluene-d8	0.0391		"	0.0400		97.8	20-170			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0387		"	0.0400		96.8	21-167			

Matrix Spike (1806330-MS1)

Source: 1806248-01

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/26/18

Benzene	0.0905	0.0020	mg/kg	0.100	ND	90.5	70-130			
Toluene	0.102	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	102	70-130			
Ethylbenzene	0.115	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	115	70-130			
m,p-Xylene	0.229	0.010	"	0.200	ND	115	70-130			
o-Xylene	0.102	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	102	70-130			
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	0.0363		"	0.0396		91.7	23-173			
Surrogate: Toluene-d8	0.0397		"	0.0400		99.2	20-170			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0382		"	0.0400		95.4	21-167			

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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8260B - Quality Control
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Analyte	Reporting			Spike	Source		%REC		RPD	
	Result	Limit	Units	Level	Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806330 - EPA 5030 Soil MS

Matrix Spike Dup (1806330-MSD1)		Source: 1806248-01			Prepared: 06/22/18		Analyzed: 06/26/18			
Benzene	0.0909	0.0020	mg/kg	0.100	ND	90.9	70-130	0.430	30	
Toluene	0.102	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	102	70-130	0.206	30	
Ethylbenzene	0.113	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	113	70-130	1.34	30	
m,p-Xylene	0.225	0.010	"	0.200	ND	112	70-130	1.98	30	
o-Xylene	0.101	0.0050	"	0.100	ND	101	70-130	1.30	30	
Surrogate: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	0.0369		"	0.0396		93.1	23-173			
Surrogate: Toluene-d8	0.0397		"	0.0400		99.2	20-170			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0375		"	0.0400		93.7	21-167			

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Extractable Petroleum Hydrocarbons by 8015 - Quality Control
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Analyte	Reporting			Spike	Source		%REC		RPD	
	Result	Limit	Units	Level	Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806327 - EPA 3550A

Blank (1806327-BLK1)

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/27/18

C10-C28 (DRO) ND 50 mg/kg

LCS (1806327-BS1)

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/27/18

C10-C28 (DRO) 520 50 mg/kg 500 104 70-130

Matrix Spike (1806327-MS1)

Source: 1806241-01

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/27/18

C10-C28 (DRO) 505 50 mg/kg 500 ND 101 70-130

Matrix Spike Dup (1806327-MSD1)

Source: 1806241-01

Prepared: 06/22/18 Analyzed: 06/27/18

C10-C28 (DRO) 577 50 mg/kg 500 ND 115 70-130 13.4 20

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Soluble Nutrients by EPA 6020/USDA60 6(2, 3A) - Dry Weight Basis - Quality Control
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Analyte	Reporting			Spike	Source	%REC		RPD		
	Result	Limit	Units	Level	Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806295 - General Preparation

Blank (1806295-BLK1)

Prepared: 06/20/18 Analyzed: 06/22/18

Calcium	ND	10.0	mg/kg wet
Magnesium	ND	5.00	"
Sodium	ND	5.00	"

LCS (1806295-BS1)

Prepared: 06/20/18 Analyzed: 06/22/18

Calcium	571	10.0	mg/kg wet	500	114	70-130
Magnesium	576	5.00	"	500	115	70-130
Sodium	577	5.00	"	500	115	70-130

Duplicate (1806295-DUP1)

Source: 1806225-02

Prepared: 06/20/18 Analyzed: 06/22/18

Calcium	1200	11.8	mg/kg dry	1270	5.63	20
Magnesium	429	5.88	"	462	7.38	20
Sodium	40.0	5.88	"	38.7	3.36	20

Matrix Spike (1806295-MS1)

Source: 1806225-02

Prepared: 06/20/18 Analyzed: 06/22/18

Calcium	1800	11.8	mg/kg dry	588	1270	91.3	70-130
Magnesium	1010	5.88	"	588	462	94.0	70-130
Sodium	671	5.88	"	588	38.7	108	70-130

Matrix Spike Dup (1806295-MSD1)

Source: 1806225-02

Prepared: 06/20/18 Analyzed: 06/22/18

Calcium	1720	11.8	mg/kg dry	588	1270	77.6	70-130	4.57	25
Magnesium	945	5.88	"	588	462	82.2	70-130	7.04	25
Sodium	664	5.88	"	588	38.7	106	70-130	0.947	25

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Physical Parameters by APHA/ASTM/EPA Methods - Quality Control
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Analyte	Reporting			Spike	Source		%REC		RPD	
	Result	Limit	Units	Level	Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806293 - General Preparation

Duplicate (1806293-DUP1) **Source: 1806228-11** Prepared & Analyzed: 06/20/18

% Solids	88.5		%		87.2			1.45	20	
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Batch 1806337 - General Preparation

LCS (1806337-BS1) Prepared & Analyzed: 06/22/18

pH	9.2		pH Units	9.18		99.9	95-105			
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Duplicate (1806337-DUP1) **Source: 1806258-02** Prepared & Analyzed: 06/22/18

pH	9.0		pH Units		9.0			0.111	20	
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Project Number: [none]
Project Manager: Jim Litz

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Specific Conductance by EPA Method 120.1 - Quality Control
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Analyte	Reporting			Spike	Source		%REC		RPD	
	Result	Limit	Units	Level	Result	%REC	Limits	RPD	Limit	Notes

Batch 1806338 - General Preparation

LCS (1806338-BS1)

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/22/18

Specific Conductance (EC)	0.750	0.0100	mmhos/cm	0.750	100	90-110
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Duplicate (1806338-DUP1)

Source: 1806258-02

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/22/18

Specific Conductance (EC)	0.270	0.0100	mmhos/cm	0.276	2.18	20
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Project Number: [none]
Project Manager: Jim Litz

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Notes and Definitions

DET	Analyte DETECTED
ND	Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
NR	Not Reported
dry	Sample results reported on a dry weight basis
RPD	Relative Percent Difference