

## GORDON SERVICES – KEENE PIT ACID MINE DRAINAGE MONITORING PROGRAM



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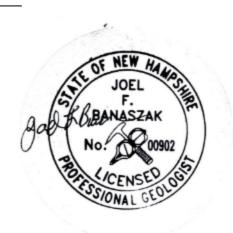
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#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

A comprehensive groundwater and surface water monitoring program will be implemented at the Site to evaluate potential impacts from acid mine drainage (AMD). Monitoring will include quarterly sampling at five groundwater wells (BRW-7, BRW-8, BRW-9, BRW-12, and proposed well BRW-13) and at surface water infiltration features, including a downgradient discharge station and an upgradient background station. pH will also be measured monthly at all monitoring wells and drainage basins to provide early detection of AMD.

Baseline conditions will be established through two pre-excavation sampling rounds, and quarterly monitoring will continue in January, April, July, and October. If four consecutive quarters of results confirm that AMD is not being generated, the monitoring frequency may be reduced to biannual sampling in April and October.

All samples will be analyzed for key field parameters (pH, conductivity, oxidation-reduction potential, dissolved oxygen, and turbidity) and dissolved/total metals (arsenic, copper, iron, manganese, nickel, and lead). Results will be compared to NHDES Ambient Groundwater Quality Standards (AGQS) and Env-Wq 1700 Surface Water Quality Regulations. The determination of AMD will be based on trends of decreasing pH and increasing dissolved metals, not isolated exceedances. Monitoring results will be submitted to the City of Keene Community Development Department within forty-five (45) days of collection.

#### 2.0 ACID MINE DRAINAGE DEFINITON

Acid mine drainage is defined by highly acidic water (pH < 6 standard units) that is enriched in dissolved heavy metals, including arsenic, copper, iron, manganese, nickel, and lead.

The identification of AMD under this program will be based on:

- Consistent relationships between low pH values and elevated concentrations of dissolved heavy metals, rather than individual exceedances of standards in isolation.
- Observed trends over time indicating a decrease in pH in conjunction with an increase in dissolved metals concentrations, which together are diagnostic of AMD formation.

#### 3.0 GROUNDWATER MONITORING

Groundwater samples will be collected on a quarterly basis in January, April, July, and October from the following monitoring wells:

- BRW-7
- BRW-8
- BRW-9
- BRW-12
- BRW-13 (proposed; to be installed downgradient of the entire site between the mining operation and Route 9)

Following four (4) consecutive quarters of analytical results demonstrating that AMD is not being produced, the monitoring frequency may be reduced to a biannual schedule in April and October. Pleaser refer to **Figure 1** for a **Monitoring Well Location Map**.

#### 4.0 SURFACE WATER AND INFILTRATION FEATURES

All surface water generated from excavation activities will be directed into infiltration basins. Monitoring of these features will include:

- The infiltration feature currently located in the western portion of Period 8.
- Newly constructed infiltration features, which will be incorporated into the program on an iterative basis as the project progresses.
- A downgradient surface water station located at the primary discharge point of the infiltration system.
- An upgradient background surface water station, SWS-6, to provide baseline comparison data.

#### 5.0 SAMPLING PARAMETERS

At each quarterly monitoring location (groundwater wells and surface water stations), the following parameters will be measured:

- Field parameters: pH, specific conductance, oxidation-reduction potential, dissolved oxygen, and turbidity.
- Laboratory analyses: dissolved and total metals, including arsenic, copper, iron, manganese, nickel, and lead via EPA Method 200.8 ICP-MS.

#### 6.0 BASELINE MONITORING

Prior to initiation of excavation activities, two (2) rounds of baseline samples will be collected from all identified monitoring locations. Sampling events will be conducted a minimum of fourteen (14) calendar days apart.

#### 7.0 MONTHLY PH MONITORING

In addition to the quarterly monitoring described above, pH will be measured on a monthly basis at:

- All surface water drainage basins, including newly constructed infiltration features.
- All groundwater monitoring wells (BRW-7, BRW-8, BRW-9, BRW-12, and BRW-13).

This supplemental monitoring provides an early-warning mechanism to identify AMD generation between comprehensive quarterly sampling events.

#### 8.0 APPLICABLE REGULATORY STANDARDS

Applicable standards for the monitoring program are established under two regulatory frameworks:

- Groundwater: NHDES Env-Or 600 Contaminated Site Management, Table 600-1 Ambient Groundwater Quality Standards (AGQS).
- Surface Water: NHDES Env-Wq 1700 Surface Water Quality Regulations.

For groundwater, standards for heavy metals are applied to dissolved concentrations, which are considered the most representative measure of bioavailability. Some heavy metals may naturally occur at concentrations exceeding applicable standards. In such cases, baseline sampling will be used to establish background concentrations. The determination that AMD is contributing to elevated

metals will be based on the observance of increasing dissolved metal concentrations coupled with decreasing pH values, rather than on single exceedances.

#### Groundwater Quality Standards (Env-Or 600, Table 600-1 AGQS)

Specific Conductance: No Standard

Oxidation Reduction Potential (ORP): No Standard
Dissolved Oxygen: No Numeric Standard (field indicator)

Turbidity: 10 NTU above natural background pH: No Numeric Standard (field indicator)

Arsenic: 5 µg/L Copper: 1,300 µg/L Iron: 300 µg/L

Manganese: 300 μg/L Nickel: 100 μg/L Lead: 15 μg/L

#### Surface Water Quality Standards (Env-Wq 1700)

Specific Conductance: No Standard

Oxidation Reduction Potential (ORP): No Standard

Dissolved Oxygen: Narrative Criterion (generally ≥ 75% saturation or 5 mg/L to support aquatic life)

Turbidity: 10 NTU above natural background

pH: Narrative Criterion (generally 6.5–8.0 SU; not below 6.0 SU)

Arsenic: 150 μg/L (a,b) Copper: 2.3 μg/L (b,c) Iron: 1,000 μg/L

Manganese: No Numeric Standard

Nickel: 13.3 μg/L (a,c) Lead: 0.41 μg/L (a,c)

Footnotes (from Env-Wq 1700):

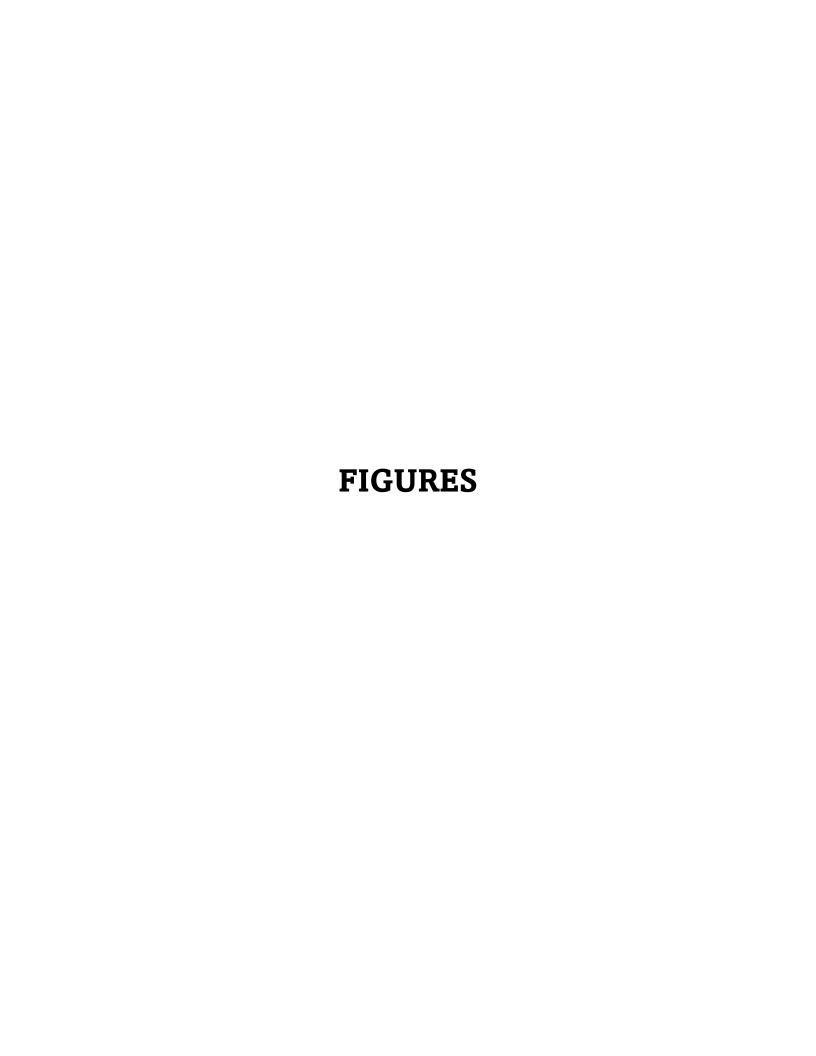
- (a) Metals criteria expressed as a function of the Water Effect Ratio (WER). Values shown correspond to WER = 1.0; site-specific criteria shall be determined per EPA (1994) guidance.
- (b) Values for aquatic life protection are expressed as dissolved metals and, for hardness-dependent metals, are based on hardness of 20 mg/L. Conversion between dissolved and total recoverable metals must use the equations and tables in Env-Wq 1703.23.
- (c) Hardness-dependent metals criteria vary with water hardness (mg/L as CaCO3). The values shown correspond to hardness of 20 mg/L. Criteria for other hardness values shall be calculated using Env-Wq 1703.23 and Env-Wq 1703.24.

#### 9.0 DATA REVIEW AND REPORTING

All analytical results, including quarterly sampling data and monthly pH monitoring results, will be reviewed against the applicable groundwater and surface water quality standards described in Section 8.0.

The determination of AMD will be based on observed trends of decreasing pH and increasing concentrations of dissolved heavy metals, in accordance with the definition provided in Section 2.0.

Results will be submitted to the City of Keene Community Development Department within forty-five (45) days of sample collection.



# Figure 1 Proposed Water Quality Monitoring Plan

#### ON-SITE WATER QUALITY MONITORING NOTES (ARD MONITORING) PH. SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE, OXIDATION, REDECTION POTENTIAL, DISSOLVED OXYGEN AND TURBITY AND LABRATORY ANALYSIS OF DISSOLVED AND TOTAL

DIG SAFE

( IN FEET )

1 inch = 125 ft.

FREQUENCY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

MONTHLY

<u>ANALYTE</u>

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE

OXIDATION REDUCTION POTENTIAL

DISSOLVED OXYGEN

**TURBIDITY** 

рΗ

IRON

MANGANESE

NICKEL

LEAD

926.0

1190.0

TP-1

TP-2

TP-3

TP-4

TP-5

TP-6

MW-1

MW-2

M3 - 3

MW-4

MW-5

MW-6

MW-7

MW-8

MW-9

of the nearest excavation.

EXISTING GRADE

884.31

879.94

881.39

882.74

AMD FORMATION STANDARDS

TEST PITS

ID EXISTING GRADE LEDGE GROUNDWATER E.S.H.W.T.

**OVERBURDEN WELLS** 

**BEDROCK WELLS** 

TOP OF WELL

886.81

884.34

885.19

886.74

EXISTING GRADE

944.0

1052.0

1103.0

1112.0

1192.0

1178.0

1182.0

884.38

<u>STANDARD</u>

NO STANDARD

NO STANDARD

75%/5 mg/L

10 NTU (BEYOND

NATURALLY OCCURRING

CONDITIONS)

6.0 SU

5 μg/L

1,300 µg/L

300 μg/L

300 μg/L

100 µg/L

15 µg/L

3.1' NONE FOUND NONE FOUND

NONE NONE FOUND NONE FOUND

0.5' NONE FOUND NONE FOUND

LEDGE GROUNDWATER

3.3' NONE FOUND

12' NONE FOUND

14.2' NONE FOUND

3.1' NONE FOUND

5' NONE FOUND

0.9' | NONE FOUND

1.9' NONE FOUND

1.1' NONE FOUND

| DEPTH | GROUNDWATER

50'

85'

85'

90'

877.91

854.44

839.96

830.92

xx | xx \_\_\_

873.0 NONE FOUND NONE FOUND

NONE NONE FOUND

NONE NONE FOUND

WATER LEVEL MONITORING

BR-7

BR-8

BR-9

BR-12

BR-13

SWS-6

SWS-7

SWS-8

SWS-9

SWS-10

SWS-11

METALS INCLUDING; ARSENIC, COPPER, IRON, MAGNESE, NICKEL AND LEAD WILL BE TESTED AT EACH LOCATION

#### INITIAL RESPONSE ACTION - AMD DETECTION

IF A SURFACE AND/OR GROUNDWATER SAMPLING LOCATION PRESENTS RESULTS THAT ARE INDICATIVE OF THE FORMATION OF ACID MINE DRAINAGE, NHDES AND THE CITY OF KEENE WILL BE NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY. FURTHERMORE, THE FOLLOWING IMMEDIATE INITIAL RESPONSE ACTIONS WILL BE IMPLEMENTED.

1. ALL ACTIVE QUARRYING/MINING OPERATIONS OCCURRING IN THE AFFECTED AREA WILL CEASE AND EXPOSED BEDROCK SURFACES SHALL BE EXPEDITIOUSLY RESTORED TO HAVE A MINIMUM THICKNESS OF 3-FEET OF COVER MATERIAL. THE COVER MATERIAL SHALL CONSIST OF A MINIMUM OF 30% CLAY CONTENT. COVER MATERIAL SHALL BE COMPACTED IN 1-FOOT LIFTS. THE INTENT OF THE CLAY CONTENT AND COMPACTION IS TO LIMIT AIR AND SURFACE WATER CONTACT WITH THE SOURCE OF THE ACID MINE DRAINAGE.

2. ANY DOWNSLOPE AFFECTED DRAINAGES WHICH MAY BE CONTRIBUTING/CONVEYING ACID MINE DRAINAGE SHALL BE ARMORED WITH 1-FOOT OF 2-INCH MINUS, CRUSHED, LIMESTONE GRAVEL.

3. ALL SURFACE WATER WITHIN 1/2-MILE DOWNGRADIENT OF THE DETECTED ACID MINE DRAINAGE SHALL BE SAMPLED WITHIN 2-WEEKS OF THE INITIAL DETECTION AND BE INCLUDED IN THE SURFACE WATER MONITORING PROGRAM. 4. SAMPLING OF ALL DOMESTIC WATER SUPPLY WELLS WITHIN 1/2-MILE OF THE AFFECTED AREA FOR ACID MINE

DRAINAGE PARAMETERS WILL OCCUR WITHIN 2-WEEKS OF THE INITIAL DETECTION AND CONTINUE TO BE SAMPLED

A. IF ACID MINE DRAINAGE IS DETECTED IN A DOMESTIC WATER SUPPLY WELL THE HOMEOWNER SHALL BE OFFERED TO HAVE A "POINT-OF-USE" WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED WHILE A NEW, UNIMPACTED, DOMESTIC WATER SUPPLY IS MADE AVAILABLE AT NO COST TO THE HOMEOWNER.

5. A GROUNDWATER QUALITY ASSESSMENT IN THE AREAS ADJACENT TO THE DETECTED ACID MINE DRAINAGE WILL BE INITIATED. A. THE GROUNDWATER QUALITY ASSESSMENT SHALL INCLUDE THE INSTALLATION OF A MINIMUM OF THREE (3) MONITORING WELLS; ONE UPGRADIENT OF THE AFFECTED SURFACE WATER, AND TWO

DOWN-GRADIENT OF THE AFFECTED SURFACE WATER. ADDITIONAL MONITORING WELLS MAY BE REQUIRED TO

DETERMINE THE HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL DISTRIBUTION OF THE GROUNDWATER IMPACTS. B. GROUNDWATER SAMPLES WILL BE COLLECTED WITHIN 2 WEEKS OF INSTALLATION AND ANALYZED FOR ACID MINE DRAINAGE PARAMETERS LISTED ABOVE. A SECOND, CONFIRMATORY ROUND OF SAMPLING WILL OCCUR 2-WEEKS AFTER THE INITIAL SAMPLING ROUND. MONITORING WELLS WILL BE SAMPLED ON A QUARTERLY BASIS IF ACID MINE DRAINAGE IMPACTS ARE DETECTED.

#### OFF-SITE WATER QUALITY MONITORING NOTES

- . LAND OWNERS WITHIN 3 MILE OF THE EXCAVATION SITE WILL BE OFFERED GROUNDWATER QUALITY MONITORING.
- 2. NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE MADE TO LANDOWNERS WITH THE OPTION TO ALLOW OR DECLINE MONITORING. BASELINE MONITORING
  TWO ROUNDS OF SAMPLING WILL OCCUR A MINIMUM OF 14 CALENDAR DAYS APART.
- 4. SAMPLES WILL BE ANALYZED FOR VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS AND NITRATE.

  5. RESULTS WILL BE SENT TO THE LAND OWNER, THE CITY OF KEENE, & TOWN OF SULLIVAN.
- ON-GOING MONITORING

  6. BI-ANNUAL BASIS OF WELLS DURING THE TERM OF THE PERMIT.
- 7. BI-ANNUAL BASIS OF WELLS TWO (2) YEARS FOLLOWING THE CEASE OF OPERATIONS AT THE SITE AND

ON A QUARTERLY BASIS.

- RECLAMATION.
- 4. SAMPLES WILL BE ANALYZED FOR VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS AND NITRATE. 5. RESULTS WILL BE SENT TO THE LAND OWNER, THE CITY OF KEENE, & TOWN OF SULLIVAN
- ADVERSE IMPACTS DRINKING WATER RESULTS WILL BE COMPARED TO THE NHDES AMBIENT GROUNDWATER QUALITY STANDARDS (AGQS).
- IF ADVERSE IMPACTS ARE NOTED, THE APPLICANT WILL IMMEDIATELY BE NOTIFIED TO CEASE BEDROCK EXCAVATION. 8. NHDES, THE CITY OF KEENE, AND TOWN OF SULLIVAN WILL BE NOTIFIED.
- 9. IF MONITORING INDICATES THE EXCAVATION ACTIVITIES CAUSED THE IDENTIFIED CONTAMINATION, A LICENSED NH WELL CONTRACTOR WILL BE IMMEDIATELY RETAINED FOR INSTALLATION OF A NEW WATER SUPPLY WELL IN AN AREA
- 10. COST OF WELL WILL BE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE APPLICANT.

THAT HAS NOT BEEN IMPACTED BY CONTAMINATION.

#### BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR BLASTING

ALL ACTIVITIES RELATED TO BLASTING SHALL FOLLOW BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPS) TO PREVENT CONTAMINATION OF GROUNDWATER INCLUDING PREPARING, REVIEWING AND FOLLOWING AN APPROVED BLASTING PLAN; PROPER DRILLING, EXPLOSIVE HANDING AND LOADING PROCEDURES; OBSERVING THE ENTIRE BLASTING PROCEDURES; EVALUATING BLASTING PERFORMANCE; AND HANDLING AND STORAGE OF BLASTED ROCK.

- (1) LOADING PRACTICES. THE FOLLOWING BLASTHOLE LOADING PRACTICES TO MINIMIZE ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS SHALL BE
- FOLLOWED: (a) DRILLING LOGS SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE DRILLER AND COMMUNICATED DIRECTLY TO THE BLASTER. THE LOGS SHALL INDICATE DEPTHS AND LENGTHS OF VOIDS, CAVITIES, AND FAULT ZONES OR OTHER WEAK ZONES ENCOUNTERED AS WELL AS GROUNDWATER CONDITIONS. IF A FRACTURE OR WATER BEARING ZONE IS ENCOUNTERED IN A BOREHOLE, NO BLASTING SHALL OCCUR AT THAT LOCATION.
- (b) EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS SHALL BE MANAGED ON SITE SO THAT THEY ARE EITHER USED IN THE BOREHOLE, RETURNED TO THE DELIVERY VEHICLE, OR PLACED IN SECURE CONTAINERS FOR OFF SITE DISPOSAL.
- SPILLAGE AROUND THE BOREHOLE SHALL EITHER BE PLACED IN THE BOREHOLE OR CLEANED UP AND RETURNED TO AN APPROPRIATE VEHICLE FOR HANDLING OR PLACEMENT IN SECURED CONTAINERS FOR OFF-SITE DISPOSAL.
- (d) LOADED EXPLOSIVES SHALL BE DETONATED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND SHALL NOT BE LEFT IN THE BLASTHOLES OVERNIGHT, UNLESS WEATHER OR OTHER SAFETY CONCERNS REASONABLY DICTATE THAT DETONATION SHOULD BE
- (e) LOADING EQUIPMENT SHALL BE CLEANED IN AN AREA WHERE WASTEWATER CAN BE PROPERLY CONTAINED AND HANDLED IN A MANNER THAT PREVENTS RELEASE OF CONTAMINANTS TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
- EXPLOSIVES SHALL BE LOADED TO MAINTAIN GOOD CONTINUITY IN THE COLUMN LOAD TO PROMOTE COMPLETE DETONATION. INDUSTRY ACCEPTED LOADING PRACTICES FOR PRIMING, STEMMING, DECKING AND COLUMN RISE NEED TO BE ATTENDED TO.
- (2) EXPLOSIVE SELECTION. THE FOLLOWING BMPS SHALL BE FOLLOWED TO REDUCE THE POTENTIAL FOR GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION WHEN EXPLOSIVES ARE USED:
- (a) EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS SHALL BE SELECTED THAT ARE APPROPRIATE FOR SITE CONDITIONS AND SAFE BLAST EXECUTION. (b) EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS SHALL BE SELECTED THAT HAVE THE APPROPRIATE WATER RESISTANCE FOR THE SITE
- CONDITIONS PRESENT TO MINIMIZE THE POTENTIAL FOR HAZARDOUS EFFECT OF THE PRODUCT UPON GROUNDWATER. PREVENTION OF MISFIRES. APPROPRIATE PRACTICES SHALL BE DEVELOPED AND IMPLEMENTED TO PREVENT MISFIRES. (4) MUCK PILE MANAGEMENT. MUCK PILES (THE BLASTED PIECES OF ROCK) AND ROCK PILES SHALL BE MANAGED IN A MANNER TO REDUCE THE POTENTIAL FOR CONTAMINATION BY IMPLEMENTING THE FOLLOWING
- (a) REMOVE THE MUCK PILE FROM THE BLAST AREA AS SOON AS REASONABLY POSSIBLE. MANAGE THE INTERACTION OF BLASTED ROCK PILES AND STORMWATER TO PREVENT CONTAMINATION OF WATER SUPPLY WELLS OR SURFACE WATER. (5) SPILL PREVENTION MEASURES AND SPILL MITIGATION. SPILL PREVENTION AND SPILL MITIGATION MEASURES SHALL BE

IMPLEMENTED TO PREVENT THE RELEASE OF FUEL AND OTHER RELATED SUBSTANCES TO THE ENVIRONMENT. THE MEASURES

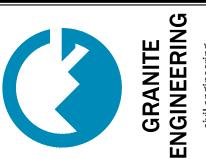
- SHALL INCLUDE AT A MINIMUM: (a) THE FUEL STORAGE REQUIREMENTS SHALL INCLUDE
- STORAGE OF REGULATED SUBSTANCES ON AN IMPERVIOUS SURFACE. SECURE STORAGE AREAS AGAINST UNAUTHORIZED ENTRY.
  - LABEL REGULATED CONTAINERS CLEARLY AND VISIBLY.
  - INSPECT STORAGE AREAS WEEKLY. COVER REGULATED CONTAINERS IN OUTSIDE STORAGE AREAS.
  - WHEREVER POSSIBLE, KEEP REGULATED CONTAINERS THAT ARE STORED OUTSIDE MORE THAN 50 FEET FROM SURFACE WATER AND STORM DRAINS, 75 FEET FROM PRIVATE WELLS, AND
- 400 FEET FROM PUBLIC WELLS. SECONDARY CONTAINMENT IS REQUIRED FOR CONTAINERS CONTAINING REGULATED SUBSTANCES STORED OUTSIDE, EXCEPT FOR ON PREMISE USE HEATING FUEL TANKS, OR ABOVEGROUND OR UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS OTHERWISE REGULATED
- (a) THE FUEL HANDLING REQUIREMENTS SHALL INCLUDE: EXCEPT WHEN IN USE, KEEP CONTAINERS CONTAINING REGULATED SUBSTANCES CLOSED AND SEALED.
- PLACE DRIP PANS UNDER SPIGOTS, VALVES, AND PUMPS. HAVE SPILL CONTROL AND CONTAINMENT EQUIPMENT READILY AVAILABLE IN ALL WORK AREAS.
- USE FUNNELS AND DRIP PANS WHEN TRANSFERRING REGULATED SUBSTANCES. PERFORM TRANSFERS OF REGULATED SUBSTANCES OVER AN IMPERVIOUS SURFACE
- (a) THE TRAINING OF ON-SITE EMPLOYEES AND THE ON SITE POSTING OF RELEASE RESPONSE INFORMATION DESCRIBING WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OF REGULATED SUBSTANCES.
- (b) FUELING AND MAINTENANCE OF EXCAVATION, EARTHMOVING AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION RELATED EQUIPMENT WILL COMPLY WITH THE REGULATIONS OF NHDES [NOTE THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE SUMMARIZED IN WD-DWGB-22-6: "BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR FUELING AND MAINTENANCE OF EXCAVATION AND EARTHMOVING EQUIPMENT" OR ITS SUCCESSOR DOCUMENT.]

#### **AMD MONITORING**

Location	Type	Frequency	Parameters	Applicable Standards
BRW-7	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-8	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-9	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-12	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-13 (proposed)	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
Period 8 infiltration basin	Surface water	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Wq 1700
Additional infiltration basins (as constructed)	Surface water	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Wq 1700
Downgradient discharge station	Surface water	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Wq 1700
SWS-6	Surface water	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Wq 1700

- SC = Specific Conductance; ORP = Oxidation-Reduction Potential; DO = Dissolved Oxygen.

- Baseline monitoring will consist of two (2) rounds, ≥14 days apart, prior to excavation.
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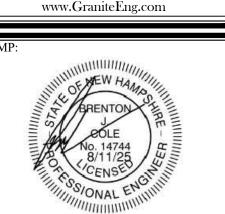
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3	27/6/9	REVISED PER CITY COMMENTS	ar
4	27/6/2	REVISED PER CITY COMMENTS	<u>a</u>
5	7/24/25	ADDITIONAL WELL LOCATIONS	ar
9	8/11/25	REVISED PER CITY COMMENTS	ar —
7	8/22/22	REVISED PER CITY COMMENTS	<u> ۱</u>

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**MONITORING PLAN** 

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# APPENDIX A MONITORING PROGAM SUMMARY TABLE

Location	Туре	Frequency	Parameters	Applicable Standards
BRW-7	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-8	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-9	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-12	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
BRW-13 (proposed)	Groundwater	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Or 600 AGQS
Period 8 infiltration basin	Surface water	Quarterly (Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct); pH monthly	Field + Metals suite	Env-Wq 1700
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