

## AREA 30A AND 30B

## AREA 30A: New Incinerator

Area Description			
Location	South of sewage treatment plant.		
Topography	Generally flat with slight slope to the northeast.		
Surface Drainage	Northeast.		
Background	New incinerator used to incinerate municipal waste.		
Historical Assessment Information			
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA 2009)	Number of test pits	0	
	Number of surface soil samples	0	
	Number of soil samples analyzed	0	
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbon impacts	0	
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts	0	
Comments: Not previously assessed			
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?		Yes	
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?		N/A	
Number of test pits advanced		2 (2017)	
Number of boreholes advanced		0	
Number of hand auger locations advanced		0	
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis		2 (2017)	
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of groundwater samples collected		0	
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected		0	
Geophysics Findings			
N/A			
Soil Investigation and Conditions			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	1.1 mbgs (September 18, 2017)		
General Stratigraphy			
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations
Sand	0	0.2	Fill soil
Gravel or sand	0.2	1.1	Native soil
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)			
Ranged from 2.2 ppm in sample 17A30ATP2-1 to 6.8 ppm in sample 17A30ATP1-1.			
Groundwater Conditions			
Depth to Groundwater	Inferred to be about 6 mbg based on groundwater elevation contours		
Free Product Thickness (if present)	N/A		

## AREA 30A: New Incinerator

### 2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary

- Figure A30A-1 shows the test pit locations.
- Table A30A-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.
- General Site Observations**
  - Sampled both up-valley and down-valley directions, as we understand that prevailing wind directions change seasonally.
  - No surface stains or ash was observed on the surface soils surrounding the incinerator.
  - No evidence of environmental impact was observed in the test pits advanced.
  - No additional work done in this area in 2018.
- Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC, PAHs)**
  - Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines.
- Soil: Metals**
  - The following metals exceeded CCME CEQGs: arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, selenium, and zinc.
  - Barium concentration in 17A30ATP2 at 0.25 mbgs also exceeded the preliminary background concentration.
- Soil: Other PCOCs (PCBs, Dioxins and Furans)**
  - Laboratory results less than guidelines.
- Soil: Routine (pH)**
  - Laboratory results within guidelines.
- Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons**
  - N/A
- Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters**
  - N/A
- Groundwater: Other PCOCs**
  - N/A
- Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbon**
  - N/A
- Sediment: Metals**
  - N/A
- Sediment: Other PCOCs**
  - N/A
- Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons**
  - N/A
- Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients**
  - N/A
- Surface Water: Other PCOCs**
  - N/A
- Grainsize Analysis**
  - N/A

### Environmental Concerns

Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; <b>bold &amp; underline</b> )
Downwind area(s) near incinerator	Incinerator exhaust	Soil	<b><u>Soil:</u></b> Metals, petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), Dioxins and Furans.

## AREA 30A: New Incinerator

### Discussion (Significance of the Results)

#### Soils:

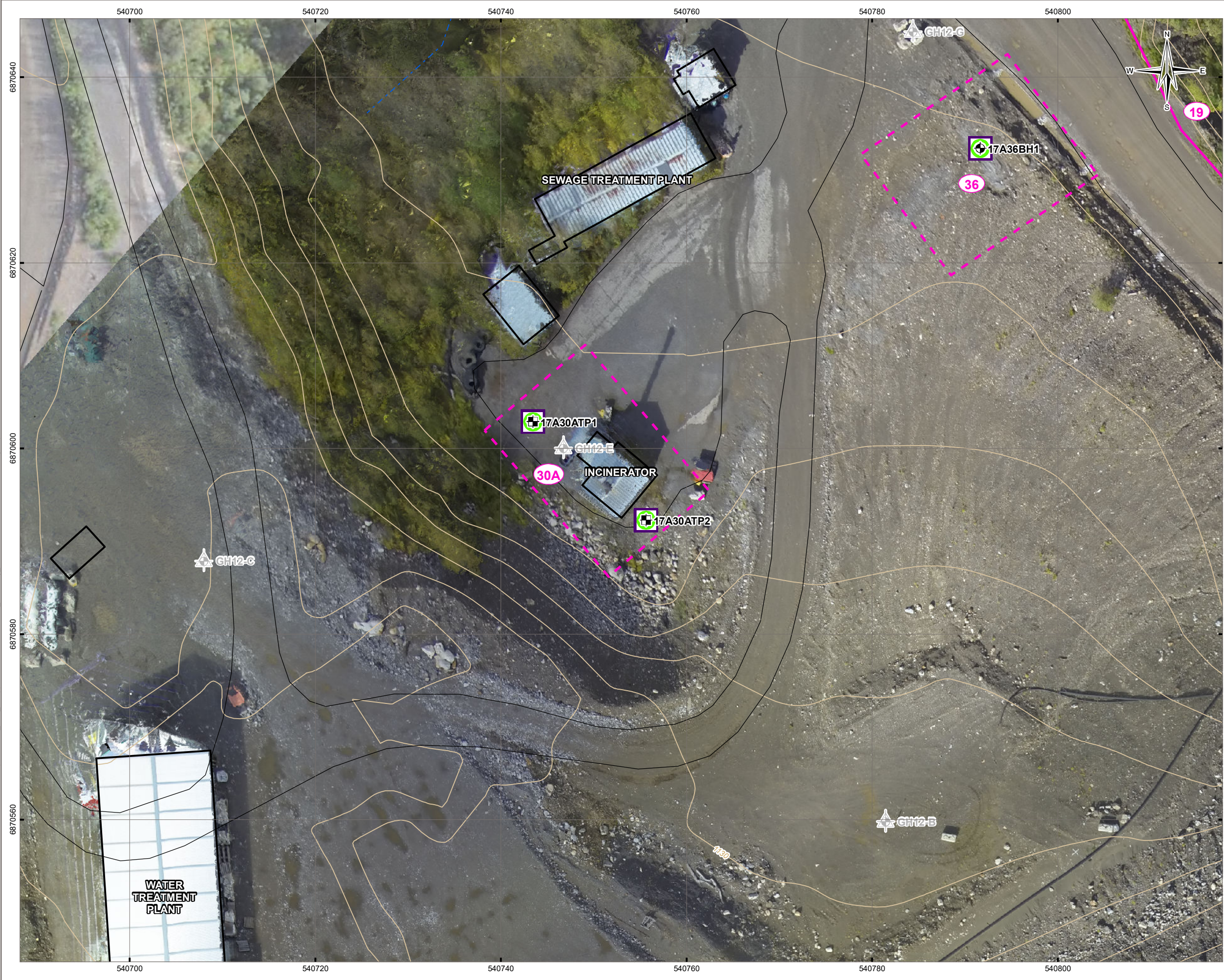
- No environmental impacts related to incinerator were identified.
- Elevated metals concentrations above CCME CEQGs and background concentrations are similar to other areas of the mine site and unlikely to be related to the incinerator.

### Attachments

Figure A30A-1 – Soil and Sediment Results  
Figure A30A-2 – Groundwater and Surface Water Results  
Table A30A-1 – Soil Analytical Results  
Test pit Logs  
Photographs



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**LEGEND**

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- Area
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Monitoring Well

**Soil/Sediment Analytical Results**

- No PHC Impact
- Metals exceedance of preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, exceedance of CCME guidelines

- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Contour (2 m)

**NOTES**

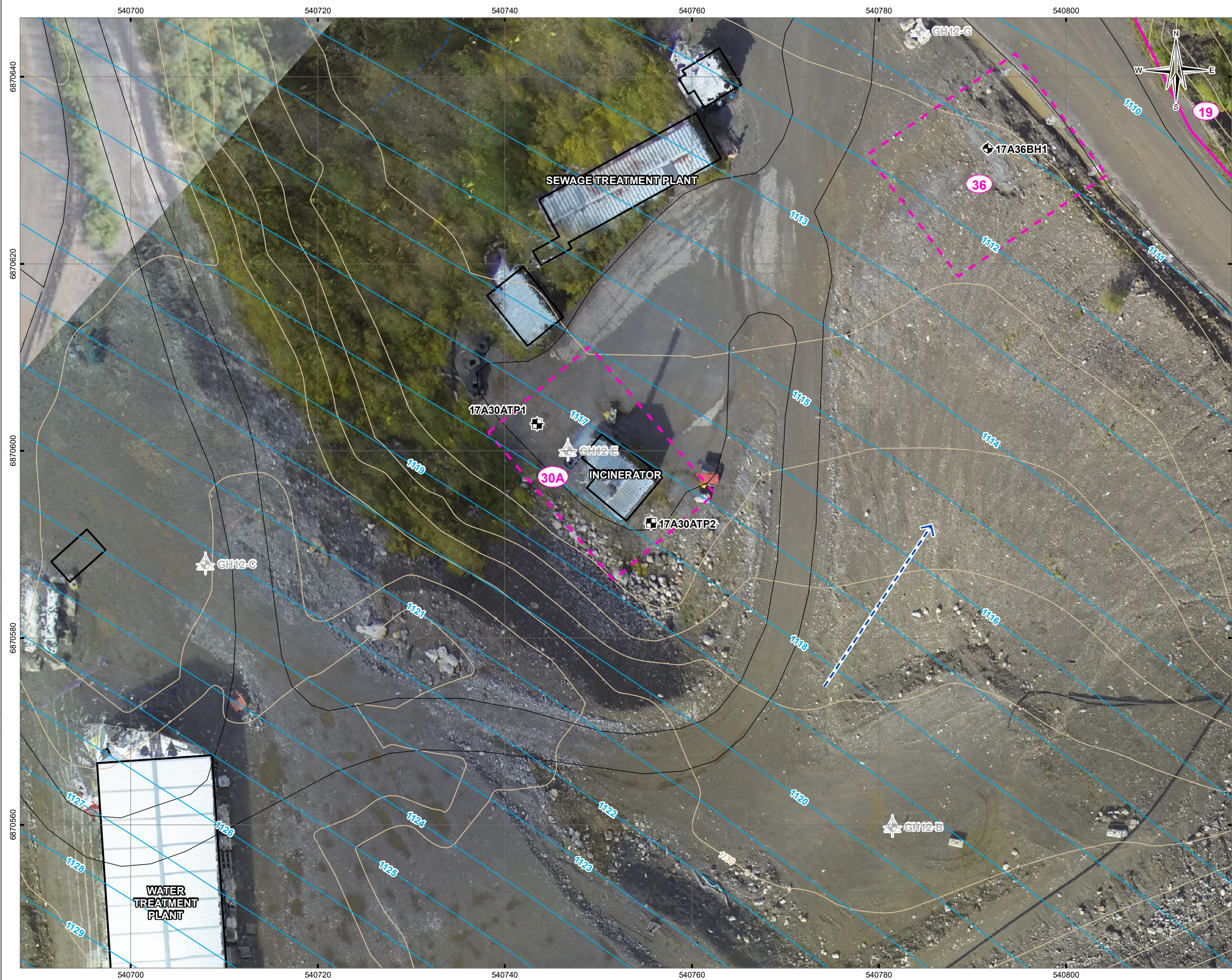
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

**CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA**  
**Area 30A  
New Incinerator  
Soil and Sediment Results**

<b>PROJECTION</b> UTM Zone 9	<b>DATUM</b> NAD83	<b>CLIENT</b> 			
Scale: 1:400 5 2.5 0 5 Metres					
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<b>OFFICE</b> TL-VANC	<b>DWN</b> SL		<b>CKD</b> BB	<b>APVD</b> BB	<b>REV</b> 0
<b>DATE</b> June 22, 2020			<b>PROJECT NO.</b> ENW.WENW03039-03		



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LEGEND

Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)

Area

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

Historical Monitoring Well

Inferred Groundwater Flow Direction

Groundwater Contour (1 m asl; Fall 2017)

Building

Road

Ditch

Contour (2 m)

FIGWQG	Federal Interim Groundwater Quality Guidelines
CCME	Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment
WQG	Water Quality Guidelines
AW	Freshwater Aquatic Life
EQGASW	Environmental Quality Guidelines for Alberta Surface Waters

NOTES

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Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

STATUS  
ISSUED FOR USE

CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

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New Incinerator  
Groundwater and Surface Water Results

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Table A30A-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	A30	
				17A30ATP1	17A30ATP2
				17A30ATP1-1	17A30ATP2-1
				0.25 m	0.25 m
				2017-09-18	2017-09-18
Routine / Salinity					
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	7.31	7.28
Moisture	%	NG	NG	12	8.8
Metals					
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	1	1.9
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	23.7	23.1
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	389	1420
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	0.7	1.1
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	1.32	2.13
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	14	28
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	12.4	18.8
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	286	199
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	19.4	24.6
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	0.68	0.1
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	3.4	3.7
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	22	43
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	1.6	1.5
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	<0.5	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.3	0.5
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	3	2.5
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	1.9	2.6
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	38	64
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	129	260
Petroleum Hydrocarbons					
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Xylenes (m & p)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Volatile Hydrocarbons (VH6-10)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
F1 (C6-C10)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10
VPH C6-C10	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
F1 (C6-C10 / BTEX CORRECTED)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10
F2 (C10-C16)	mg/kg	150	NG	<20	<20
F3 (C16-C34)	mg/kg	300	NG	115	110
F4: (C34-C50)	mg/kg	2800	NG	58	39
VPHs	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Glycols					
Diethylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Ethylene glycol	mg/kg	960	NG	-	-
Propylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Tetraethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Triethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)					
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	NG	<0.6	<0.6
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	NG	<0.05	<0.05
2-methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	NG	<0.004	<0.004
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(a) pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(b+j)fluoranthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(e)pyrene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	50	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Fluorene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.013	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.046	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	ug/g	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)					
Aroclor 1242	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1254	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1260	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1262	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
PCBs (Sum of total)	mg/kg	0.5	NG	<0.05	<0.05

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				17A30ATP1	17A30ATP2
				17A30ATP1-1	17A30ATP2-1
				0.25 m	0.25 m
				2017-09-18	2017-09-18
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)					
Carbon	%	NG	NG	-	-
1-Methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acetone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Bromodichloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Bromoform	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Bromomethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
2-Butanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Carbon tetrachloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Chlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Chloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Chloroform	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Chloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Dibromochloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
1,2-Dibromoethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,1-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,2-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,1-Dichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,2-Dichloroethene (cis)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,2-Dichloroethene (trans)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,2-Dichloropropane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,3-Dichloropropene [cis]	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
1,3-Dichloropropene [trans]	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Methyl t-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Methylene Chloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Styrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Tetrachloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.05	NG	-	-
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Trichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-
Trichlorofluoromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Vinyl chloride	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Dioxins and Furans					
Total PCDDs	ng/kg	NG	NG	44	3
Total PCDFs	ng/kg	NG	NG	14.3	<2
2,3,7,8-Tetra CDD (TEF 1.0)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,7,8-Penta CDD (TEF 1.0)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,4,7,8-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.0204	0
1,2,3,6,7,8-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,7,8,9-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-Hepta CDD (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.053	0.0173
Octa CDD (TEF 0.0003)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.0104	0.000907
2,3,7,8-Tetra CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,7,8-Penta CDF (TEF 0.03)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
2,3,4,7,8-Penta CDF (TEF 0.3)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,4,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,6,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,7,8,9-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
2,3,4,6,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-Hepta CDF (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.0135	0.00511
1,2,3,4,7,8,9-Hepta CDF (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	0
Octa CDF (TEF 0.0003)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.00204	0
Total PCDDs and PCDFs (TEQ)	TEQ	4	NG	0.0993	0.0233
Sample Code				8740316	8740319
Lab Report Number				17Y262746	17Y262746

Notes:

<sup>1</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008)

<sup>2</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999)

<sup>3</sup> - Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003)

<sup>4</sup> - Preliminary Background Concentration

*Italic* - Laboratory detection limit is greater one or more referenced guidelines

NG - No guideline

Shaded - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value

**Bold** - Exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value


**Bold and Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value, and exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value


**Red** - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

N/A - Not applicable

Blank - Not analyzed

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.			Testpit No: 17A30ATP1					
			Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6			
			Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1122.943 m			
			Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540743.427 E; 6870602.901 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0								
1	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, damp, firm, brown, medium sand, (200 mm thick) - red orange		1-1				
		GRAVEL - sandy, some cobbles, some silt, trace boulders, damp, dense, reddish brown						
		- some boulders		1-2				
2		END OF TESTPIT (1.1 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						
3								
4								
5								

 <b>TETRA TECH</b>	Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1.1 m
	Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe	Start Date: 2017 September 18
	Logged By: NH	Completion Date: 2017 September 18
	Reviewed By: JW	Page 1 of 1

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A30ATP2							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1122.979 m				
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540755.632 E; 6870592.3 N; Z 9				
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, trace to some cobbles, trace boulders, damp, dense, reddish brown - brown		2-1					
1		- silty, some gravel, no visible cobbles or boulders, damp, firm, brown, fine sand		2-2					1122
END OF TESTPIT (1.1 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion									
2									1121
3									1120
4									1119
5									1118
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.1 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 18				
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 18				
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1				



**Photo 1:** Facing south. New incinerator building and fuel ASTs.  
(September 7, 2017)



**Photo 2:** Facing west. New incinerator building. ASTs visible to the right of building.  
(September 7, 2017)





**Photo 3:** Arrow indicates location of new incinerator. Photo provided by NATC.  
(August 13, 2013)



## AREA 30B: Old Incinerator

Area Description			
Location	Southwest of Heavy Duty Maintenances Shop Building.		
Topography	Generally flat with slight slope to northeast.		
Surface Drainage	Northeast.		
Background	Old incinerator used to be located at this location for incineration of municipal waste.		
Historical Assessment Information			
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA 2009)	Number of test pits	0	
	Number of surface soil samples	0	
	Number of soil samples analyzed	0	
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbon impacts	0	
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts	0	
Comments: Not previously assessed.			
2017 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?	Yes – mitigation was to de-energize power.		
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?	N/A		
Number of test pits advanced	2 (2017)		
Number of boreholes advanced	0		
Number of hand auger locations advanced	0		
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis	2 (2017)		
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells	0		
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells	0		
Number of groundwater samples collected	0		
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected	0		
Geophysics Findings			
N/A			
Soil Investigation and Conditions			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	1.0 mbgs (September 20, 2017)		
General Stratigraphy			
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations
Silt and Sand	0	1.0	Fill soil. Wood debris and slight PHC odour observed in 17A30BTP1.
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)			
Ranged from 2.1 ppm in sample 17A30BTP2-2 to 34 ppm in sample 17A30BTP1-2.			
Groundwater Conditions			
Depth to Groundwater	about 10 m; inferred from local groundwater contours (Figure 30B-2).		
Free Product	N/A		
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Figure A30B-1 shows test pit locations.</li><li>Figure A30B-2 shows groundwater elevation contours.</li><li>Table A30B-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.</li></ul>			

## AREA 30B: Old Incinerator

### General Site Observations

- The old incinerator is no longer present in area.
- No surface stains or ash was observed on surface soils surrounding incinerator.
- Evidence of environmental impact including debris and PHC odour was identified in test pit 17A30BTP1.
- No further work was done in this area in 2018 (Area 30b covered under AEC16).

### Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC, PAHs)

- Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines with exception of:
  - Sample 17A30BTP1-2 collected from depth of 1.0 m contained PHC and PAHs greater than guidelines.

### Soil: Metals

- Various metals exceeding CCME CEQGs including arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, and zinc.
- The following metals also exceeded preliminary background concentrations:
  - Barium (17A30BTP2 at 0.25 and 1.0 mbgs)
  - Cadmium (17A30BTP2 at 0.25 mbgs)
  - Nickel (17A30BTP2 at 0.25 mbgs)

### Soil: Other PCOCs (VOCs, glycols, Dioxins and Furans)

- Laboratory results less than guidelines.

### Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within guidelines.

### Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

### Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

- N/A

### Groundwater: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbon

- N/A

### Sediment: Metals

- N/A

### Sediment: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

### Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

- N/A

### Surface Water: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Grainsize Analysis

- N/A

## Environmental Concerns

Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Area surrounding incinerator	Incinerator exhaust	Soil	Soil: <b><u>Metals</u></b> , <b><u>petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs)</u></b> , <b><u>polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)</u></b> , volatile organic compound (VOCs), glycols, Dioxins and Furans

## AREA 30B: Old Incinerator

### Discussion (Significance of Results)

#### Soils:

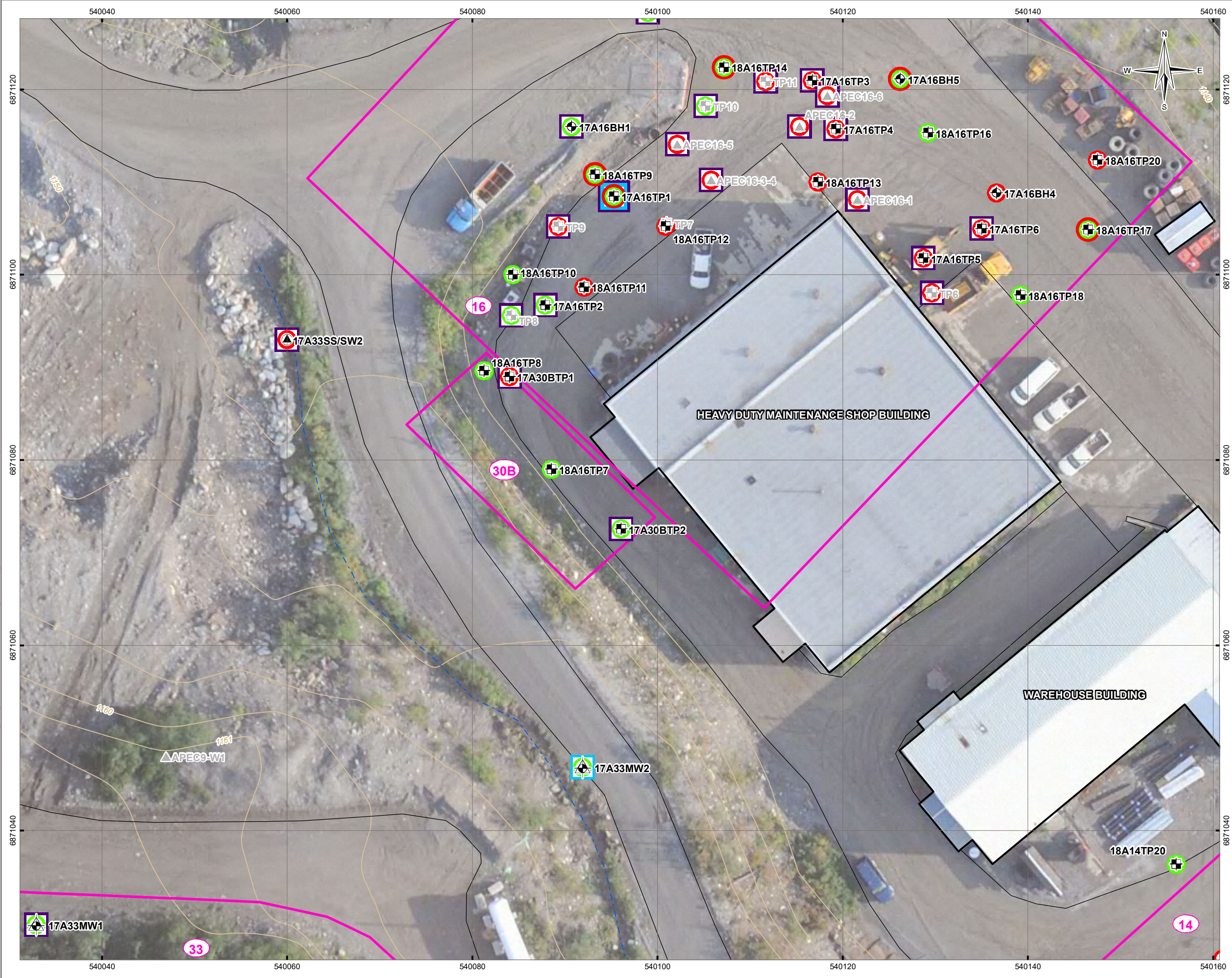
- The environmental impacts identified were horizontally delineated to southeast.
- The AEC is bounded by berm to southwest and northwest, and Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop (AEC 16) to northeast.
- Based on depth and composition, environmental impacts identified at test pit 17A30BTP1 may be associated with buried debris and/or impacts identified at Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop (See AEC 16 Summary), and not with former incinerator operations.
- The environmental impacts measured in 17A30BTP1 were not vertically delineated, however vertical delineation achieved for PHC affected area identified at Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop (AEC 16) suggest impacts at 17A30BTP1 are limited to depth of 1.5 mbgs.
- Glycols, VOCs, dioxins and furans were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC.
- Based on current assessment results, maximum estimated depth of PHC and PAH impacts used to calculate contaminated soil volumes in affected area is 1.5 mbgs.
- Various metals exceeding CCME CEQGs and preliminary background concentrations (barium, cadmium, copper, and nickel).
- Metals concentrations are similar to other areas of mine site and unlikely to be related to old incinerator.

### Attachments

Figure A30B-1 – Soil and Sediment Results  
 Figure A30B-2 – Groundwater Elevation Contours  
 Table A30B-1 – Soil Analytical Results  
 Test pit Logs  
 Photographs



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**LEGEND**

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- 2017 Monitoring Well (MW)
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- 2017 Surface Water/Sediment Sample (SW/SS)
- Historical Testpit
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample

**Soil/Sediment Analytical Results**

- PHC Impacts
- PHC Impacts, vertically delineated
- No PHC Impact
- Metals exceedance of preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, exceedance of CCME guidelines
- Metals exceedance, vertically delineated
- No metals exceedance of CCME guidelines or preliminary background concentrations

- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Contour (2 m)

**NOTES**

All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

**STATUS**  
ISSUED FOR USE

**CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA**

**AEC 30B  
Old Incinerator  
Soil and Sediment Results**

<b>PROJECTION</b> UTM Zone 9	<b>DATUM</b> NAD83	<b>CLIENT</b> 			
Scale: 1:400 5 2.5 0 5 Metres					
<b>FILE NO.</b> WENW03039-03_Summary_A30B-1.mxd		<b>A30B-1</b>			
<b>OFFICE</b> TL-VANC	<b>DWN</b> SL		<b>CKD</b> BB	<b>APVD</b> BB	<b>REV</b> 0
<b>DATE</b> June 22, 2020	<b>PROJECT NO.</b> ENW.WENW03039-03				







Table A30B-1: Soil Analytical Results


Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	A30		
				17A30BTP1	17A30BTP2	
				17A30BTP1-2	17A30BTP2-1	17A30BTP2-2
				1.0 m	0.25 m	1.0 m
				2017-09-20	2017-09-20	2017-09-20
<b>Routine / Salinity</b>						
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	7.96	7.9	7.91
Moisture	%	NG	NG	9.92	7.7	5.41
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	0.6	5.2	3.1
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	61.3	25.3	39.5
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	423	4900	7740
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	3.3	0.5	0.7
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	0.91	3.07	1.55
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	23	20	24
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	16.2	19.1	17.5
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	192	64.5	110
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	17.3	22.3	23.1
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	0.42	0.08	0.12
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	2.5	7.8	5.3
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	30.1	75.1	49.8
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	0.9	1.5	1.2
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.4	0.4	0.4
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	2.9	0.3	0.7
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	3.3	1.9	2.5
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	35	70	61
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	228	433	269
<b>Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>						
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	NG	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Xylenes (m & p)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Volatile Hydrocarbons (VH6-10)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
F1 (C6-C10)	mg/kg	30	NG	12	<10	<10
VPH C6-C10	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
F1 (C6-C10 / BTEX CORRECTED)	mg/kg	30	NG	12	<10	<10
F2 (C10-C16)	mg/kg	150	NG	2050	<20	<20
F3 (C16-C34)	mg/kg	300	NG	1360	<20	<20
F4: (C34-C50)	mg/kg	2800	NG	48	<20	<20
VPHs	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
<b>Glycols</b>						
Diethylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	<10	<10	<10
Ethylene glycol	mg/kg	960	NG	<10	<10	<10
Propylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	<10	<10	<10
Tetraethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	<10	<10	<10
Triethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	<10	<10	<10
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	NG	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
2-methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.005	<0.005
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	NG	<0.04	<0.004	<0.004
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(a) pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(b+j)fluoranthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(e)pyrene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	50	NG	0.03	<0.01	<0.01
Fluorene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.2	<0.02	<0.02
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.013	NG	<0.05	<0.005	<0.005
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.046	NG	0.4	<0.02	<0.02
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	0.19	<0.01	<0.01
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	ug/g	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>						
Aroclor 1242	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Aroclor 1254	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Aroclor 1260	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Aroclor 1262	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
PCBs (Sum of total)	mg/kg	0.5	NG	-	-	-

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				17A30BTP1	17A30BTP2	
				17A30BTP1-2	17A30BTP2-1	17A30BTP2-2
				1.0 m	0.25 m	1.0 m
				2017-09-20	2017-09-20	2017-09-20
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)						
Carbon	%	NG	NG	-	-	-
1-Methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	0.75	<0.005	<0.005
Acetone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
Bromodichloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Bromoform	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Bromomethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
2-Butanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
Carbon tetrachloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Chlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Chloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Chloroform	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Chloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Dibromochloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dibromoethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1-Dichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethene (cis)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethene (trans)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloropropane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [cis]	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [trans]	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Methyl t-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Methylene Chloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
Styrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Tetrachloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.05	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Trichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Trichlorofluoromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Vinyl chloride	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Dioxins and Furans						
Total PCDDs	ng/kg	NG	NG	2.5	-	-
Total PCDFs	ng/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	-	-
2,3,7,8-Tetra CDD (TEF 1.0)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,7,8-Penta CDD (TEF 1.0)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,4,7,8-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,6,7,8-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,7,8,9-Hexa CDD (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-Hepta CDD (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.00332	-	-
Octa CDD (TEF 0.0003)	TEQ	NG	NG	0.000575	-	-
2,3,7,8-Tetra CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,7,8-Penta CDF (TEF 0.03)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
2,3,4,7,8-Penta CDF (TEF 0.3)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,4,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,6,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,7,8,9-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
2,3,4,6,7,8-Hexa CDF (TEF 0.1)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-Hepta CDF (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
1,2,3,4,7,8,9-Hepta CDF (TEF 0.01)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
Octa CDF (TEF 0.0003)	TEQ	NG	NG	0	-	-
Total PCDDs and PCDFs (TEQ)	TEQ	4	NG	0.00389	-	-
Sample Code				8751713	8751714	8751715
Lab Report Number				17Y263896	17Y263896	17Y263896

Notes:

- <sup>1</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008)
- <sup>2</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999)
- <sup>3</sup> - Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003)
- <sup>4</sup> - Preliminary Background Concentration
- Italic* - Laboratory detection limit is greater one or more referenced guidelines
- NG - No guideline
- Shaded - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value
- Bold** - Exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value
- Bold and Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQC or CWS PHC land-use guideline value, and exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value
- Red** - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration
- N/A - Not applicable
- Blank - Not analyzed

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A30BTP1									
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6						
		Location: Cantung Mine									
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540084 E; 6871089 N; Z 9						
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200				Notes and Comments	Backfill	Depth (ft)
0	Excavated	SILT (FILL) - sandy, some gravel, some cobbles, trace boulders, damp, firm, brown, plastic and wood debris		1-1							0
		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, some cobbles, trace boulders, damp, brownish grey, slight hydrocarbon odour									1
											2
1				1-2							3
		END OF TESTPIT (1.0 metre) Note: Backfilled at completion									4
											5
											6
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5											
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1 m						
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 20						
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 20						
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1						



North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.			Testpit No: 17A30BTP2								
			Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6					
			Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1145.606 m					
			Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540096.064 E; 6871072.576 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200				Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0	Excavated	SILT (FILL) - sandy, some gravel, some cobbles, trace boulders, damp, firm, brown, (300 mm thick)	2-1	■							1145
SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some cobbles, trace silt, trace boulders, damp, brown											
1		END OF TESTPIT (1.0 metre) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion	2-2	■							
2											1143
3											1142
4											1141
5											
 TETRA TECH			Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1 m					
			Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 20					
			Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 20					
			Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1					



**Photo 1:** Facing west. Location of old incinerator in centre of photograph.  
(September 20, 2017)



**Photo 2:** Arrow indicates location of former incinerator adjacent to Heavy Equipment Maintenance Shop. Photo provided by NATC. (May 29, 2014)

## AREA 35

## AREA 35: Former PCB Storage and Copper Concentrate Shed

Area Description			
Location	Northwest of Tailings Pond 1.		
Topography	Generally flat with a slight slope to northeast.		
Surface Drainage	Northeast.		
Background	Out of service Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCB)-containing equipment was reportedly stored at former Copper Concentrate Shed.		
Historical Assessment Information			
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA 2009)	Number of test pits	0	
	Number of surface soil samples	0	
	Number of soil samples analyzed	0	
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbon impacts	0	
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts	0	
Comments: Not previously assessed			
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?		Yes	
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?		No	
Number of test pits advanced		2 (2017)	
Number of boreholes advanced		0	
Number of hand auger locations advanced		0	
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis		2 (2017)	
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of groundwater samples collected		N/A	
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected		N/A	
Geophysics Findings			
N/A			
Soil Investigation and Conditions			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	1.2 mbgs (September 17, 2017)		
General Stratigraphy			
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations
Various layers of sand and cobbles	0	1.2	Fill soil. Buried debris including metal and wood observed in 17A35TP1 and 17A35TP2.
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVC)			
Ranged from less than instrument detection limit to 5 ppm in soil sample 17A35TP1-2.			
Groundwater Conditions			
Depth to Groundwater	about 8 m; inferred from groundwater elevation contour map (Figure A35-2).		
Free Product	N/A		

## AREA 35: Former PCB Storage and Copper Concentrate Shed

### 2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary

- Figure A35-1 shows test pit locations.
- Figure A35-2 shows groundwater elevation contours.
- Table A35-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.

#### General Site Observations

- No PCB- containing equipment or other chemical storage was observed at AEC.
- No obvious signs of PCB impacts were observed.
- Debris containing fill soil was observed in test pits 17A35TP1 and 17A35TP2.
- No additional work was done in this area in 2018.

#### Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHCs)

- N/A

#### Soil: Metals

- Generally, very high metals concentrations, particularly in 17A35TP1 at 1.0 mbgs.
- Metals exceeding CCME CEQGs include: arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, tin, and zinc.
- The sample at 17A35TP1 had the highest concentration observed for copper at the site and is almost certainly impacted from copper concentrate.
- Most metals also exceed preliminary background concentrations, *except* for:
  - Arsenic (17A35TP2 at 0.25 mbgs).
  - Molybdenum (17A35TP2 at 0.25 mbgs).
  - Zinc (17A35TP2 at 0.25 mbgs).

#### Soil: Other PCOCs (PCBs)

- Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines for PCBs.

#### Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within guidelines.

#### Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

#### Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

- N/A

#### Groundwater: Other PCOCs

- N/A

#### Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

#### Sediment: Metals

- N/A

#### Sediment: Other PCOCs

- N/A

#### Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

#### Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

- N/A

#### Surface Water: Other PCOCs

- N/A

#### Grainsize Analysis

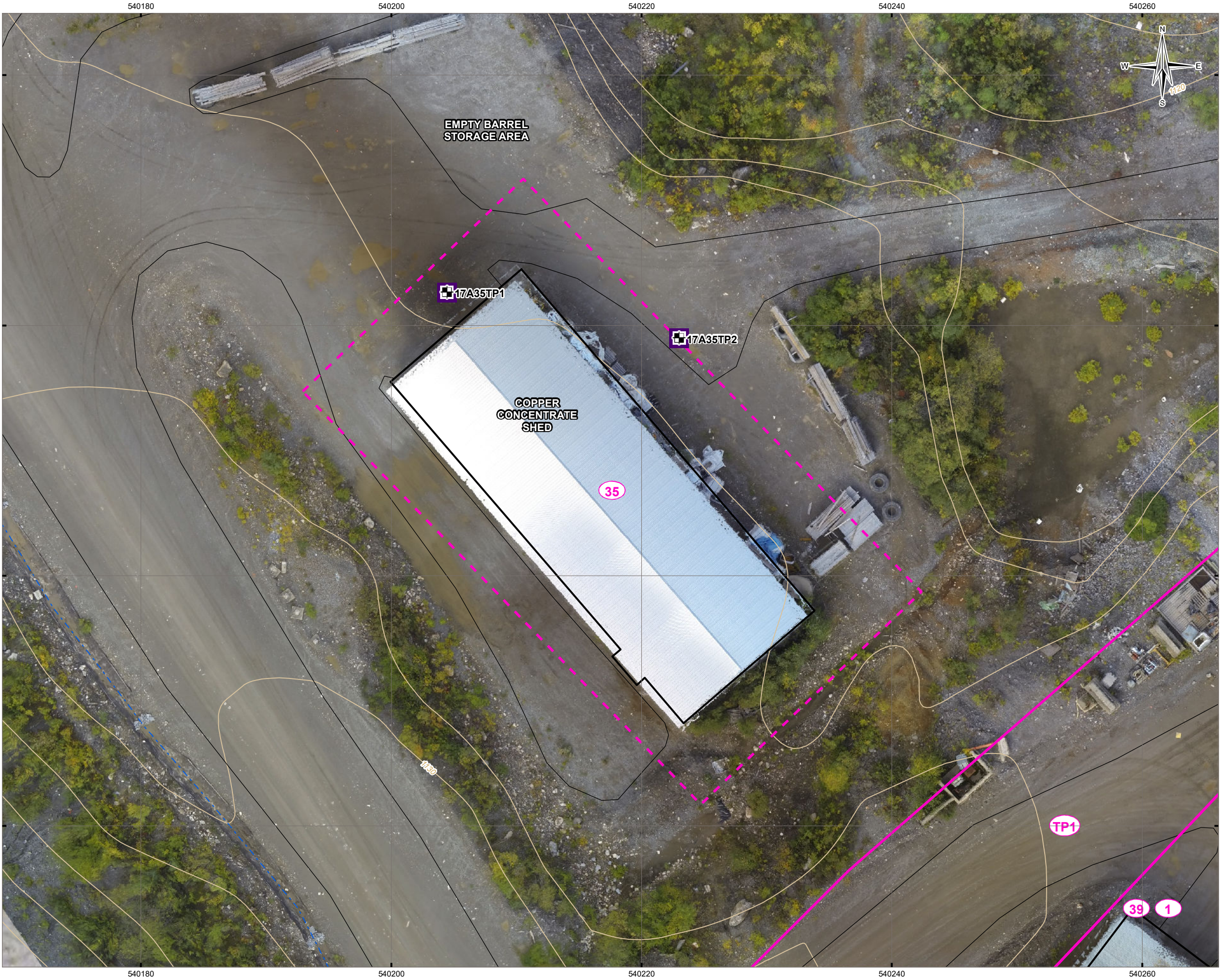
- N/A

## AREA 35: Former PCB Storage and Copper Concentrate Shed

Potential Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Area near entrance and downgradient of former Copper Concentrate Shed	Leaks or releases of PCBs from PCB-containing equipment	Soil	Soil: <b><u>Metals</u></b> , PCBs
Discussion (Significance of Results)			
<p><b><u>Soils:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Based on assessment results, there is no evidence of substantial environmental impacts associated with historical PCB storage.</li> <li>Soil samples contained high metals concentrations.</li> <li>Sample 17A35TP1 at 1.0 mbgs contained highest copper concentration observed at site (20,500 mg/kg), along with arsenic, cadmium, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, tin and zinc all exceeding CCME CEQGs and preliminary background concentrations.</li> <li>It is likely that soil 17A35TP1 is contaminated with copper concentrate spilled in vicinity of copper concentrate shed.</li> </ul>			
Attachments			
<p>Figure A35-1 – Soil and Sediment Results            Figure A35-2 – Groundwater Elevation Contours            Table A35-1 – Soil Analytical Results            Test pit Logs            Photographs</p>			



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LEGEND

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- Area
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Metals exceedance of preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, exceedance of CCME guidelines
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Contour (2 m)





**NOTES**  
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Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

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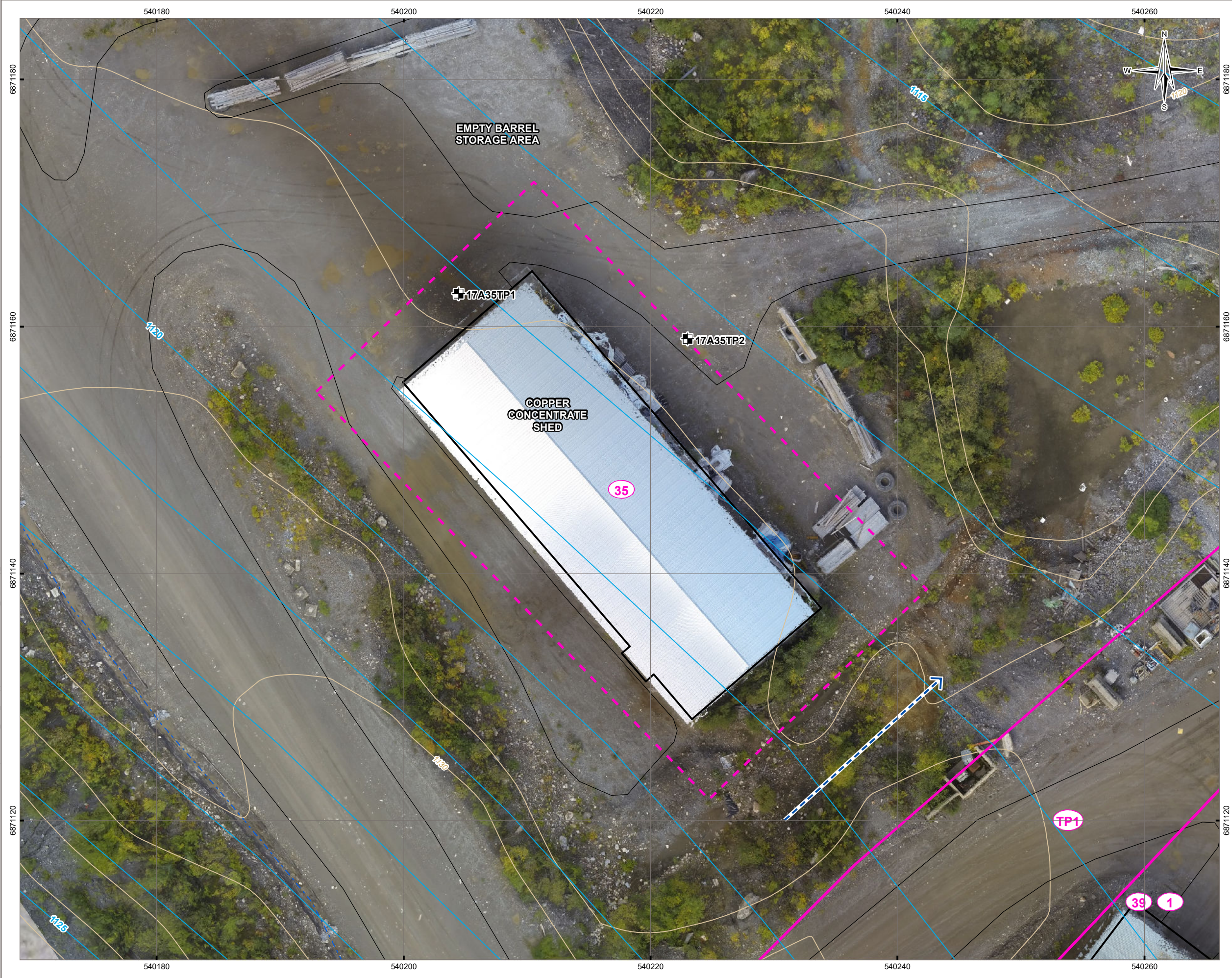
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Area 35  
Former PCB Storage at  
Copper Concentrate Shed  
Soil and Sediment Results

PROJECTION UTM Zone 9		DATUM NAD83		CLIENT <div> NORTH AMERICAN TUNGSTEN CORPORATION LTD</div>	
Scale: 1:300 <div><div>52.505</div><div></div><div>Metres</div></div>		<div><div> TETRA TECH</div></div>			
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DATE June 22, 2020		PROJECT NO. ENW.WENW03039-03			



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**Table A35-1: Soil Analytical Results**

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	AREA 35	
				17A35TP1	17A35TP2
				17A35TP1-2	17A35TP2-1
				1.0 m	0.25 m
				2017-09-17	2017-09-17
<b>Routine / Salinity</b>					
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	7.24	7.7
Moisture	%	NG	NG	-	-
<b>Metals</b>					
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	6.9	5.8
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	<b>71.6</b>	<b>23.7</b>
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	281	<b>4120</b>
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	0.8	0.3
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	<b>13.2</b>	<b>3.39</b>
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	23	11
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	34.5	18.2
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	<b>20500</b>	59.3
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	40.6	16.1
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	0.81	0.07
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	<b>25.7</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	<b>93.4</b>	<b>84.1</b>
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	<b>7.5</b>	<b>2.6</b>
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	14.1	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.6	0.4
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	<b>30.7</b>	<0.2
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	3.6	2.4
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	104	86
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	<b>1650</b>	<b>395</b>
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>					
Aroclor 1242	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1254	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1260	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Aroclor 1262	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
PCBs (Sum of total)	mg/kg	0.5	NG	<0.05	<0.05
<b>Sample Code</b>				8742814	8742815
<b>Lab Report Number</b>				17Y263066	17Y263066

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008)

<sup>2</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999)

<sup>3</sup> - Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003)

<sup>4</sup> - Preliminary Background Concentration

*Italic* - Laboratory detection limit is greater one or more referenced guidelines

NG - No guideline

Shaded - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value


**Bold** - Exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value


**Bold and Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value, and exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value

**Red** - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

N/A - Not applicable

Blank - Not analyzed

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A35TP1								
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6					
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1126.327 m					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540204.443 E; 6871162.648 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)	
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace rootlets, damp, loose, brown, wood debris  - reddish brown  - trace to some cobbles, buried metal bar		1-1					1126	
1				1-2						
2				END OF TESTPIT (1.2 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						
3									1124	
4									1123	
5									1122	
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.2 m					
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17					
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 17					
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1					

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A35TP2							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine							
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540223 E; 6871159 N; Z 9				
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		Notes and Comments	Backfill	Depth (ft)
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace cobbles, damp, soft, greyish brown							0
		- gravelly, some silt, trace to some cobbles, dense, lots of wood debris		2-1					1
		- unknown line							2
		- buried organics							3
1		COBBLES (FILL) - sandy, some gravel, some boulders, damp, loose, brown		2-2					4
		END OF TESTPIT (1.2 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion							5
2									6
									7
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3									11
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4									14
									15
									16
5									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.2 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17				
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 17				
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1				



**Photo 1:** Arrow indicates location of former PCB storage at copper concentrate shed.  
Photo provided by NATC. (August 13, 2013)



**Photo 2:** Facing southeast at copper concentrate shed.  
(October 3, 2017)

## AREA 36

## AREA 36: Former Fueling Area

Area Description			
Location	Northeast of Sewage Treatment Plant and Incinerator, adjacent Tailings Pond 4.		
Topography	Generally flat with a slight slope to northeast.		
Surface Drainage	Northeast towards Flat River.		
Background	Historical gasoline fueling area for townsite residents.		
Historical Assessment Information			
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA 2009)	Number of test pits	0	
	Number of surface soil samples	0	
	Number of soil samples analyzed	0	
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbon impacts	0	
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts	0	
Comments: Not previously assessed.			
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?		Yes	
EM 31 Geophysics Completed?		Yes	
Number of test pits advanced		0	
Number of boreholes advanced		1 (2017)	
Number of hand auger locations advanced		0	
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis		2 (2017)	
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of groundwater samples collected		N/A	
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected		N/A	
Geophysics (EM 31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity) Findings			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>As indicated on Figure A36-3 survey was completed at former fueling area.</li><li>Background apparent terrain conductivity values for area are generally between 5 to 10 mS/m. These values are represented by cool colours shown on figure.</li><li>Areas of higher than background apparent terrain conductivity values are not observed.</li><li>Negative apparent terrain conductivity values are likely caused by a buried utility or buried metal. This area is labeled on figure with a thick black rectangle.</li><li>No other areas of anomalous results are seen in data.</li></ul>			
Soil Investigation and Conditions			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	6.1 mbgs (September 21, 2017)		
General Stratigraphy			
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations
Silt	0	1.9	Fill soil
Sand	1.9	2.6	Fill soil
Cobbles	2.6	3.0	Native soil
Sand	3.0	6.1	Native soil
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVC)			
Ranged from 0.6 ppm in 17A36BH1-3 to 1.3 ppm in soil sample 17A36BH1-1			

## AREA 36: Former Fueling Area

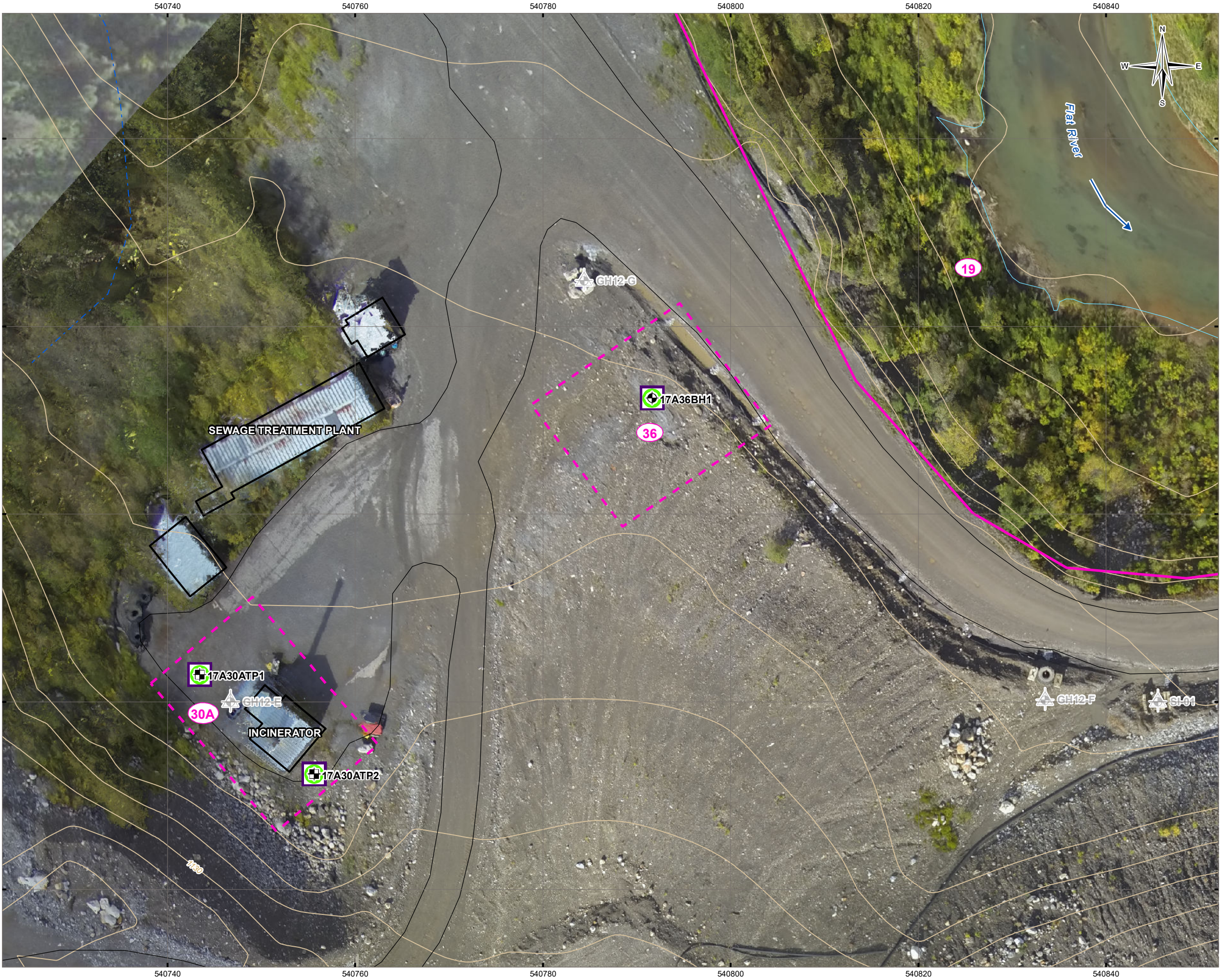
<b>Groundwater Conditions</b>	
Depth to Groundwater	N/A
Free Product	N/A
<b>2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Figure A36-1 shows borehole locations.</li> <li>Figure A36-2 shows groundwater elevation contours.</li> <li>Figure A36-3 shows geophysics results.</li> <li>Table A36-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.</li> </ul>	
<b>General Site Observations</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No residual fueling infrastructure was observed.</li> <li>No obvious signs of environmental impacts were observed.</li> <li>No additional work was done in this area in 2018.</li> </ul>	
<b>Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHCs, PAHs)</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines.</li> </ul>	
<b>Soil: Metals</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Various exceedances of CCME CEQGs including arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, selenium, and zinc.</li> <li>The following metals also exceeded preliminary background concentrations:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Barium (17A36BH1 at 2.0 mbgs)</li> <li>Selenium (17A36BH1 at 2.0 mbgs)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b>Soil: Other PCOCs (VOCs)</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines</li> </ul>	
<b>Soil: Routine (pH)</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Laboratory results within guidelines.</li> </ul>	
<b>Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>N/A</li> </ul>	
<b>Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters</b>	
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<b>Groundwater: Other PCOCs</b>	
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<b>Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>	
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<b>Sediment: Metals</b>	
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<b>Sediment: Other PCOCs</b>	
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<b>Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>	
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<b>Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients</b>	
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<b>Surface Water: Other PCOCs</b>	
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<b>Grainsize Analysis</b>	
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## AREA 36: Former Fueling Area

Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Beneath and down-gradient of former fueling area	Fuel releases	Soil	<b>Soil: <u>Metals</u></b> , petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), volatile organic compounds (VOCs)
Discussion (Significance of Results)			
<b><u>Soils:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Metals concentrations generally similar to other areas at Cantung Mine site, so not likely related to fueling area activities.</li> </ul>			
Attachments			
Figure A36-1 – Soil and Sediment Results Figure A36-2 – Groundwater elevation contours Figure A36-3 – Geophysics Results Table A36-1 – Soil Analytical Results Borehole Logs Photographs			

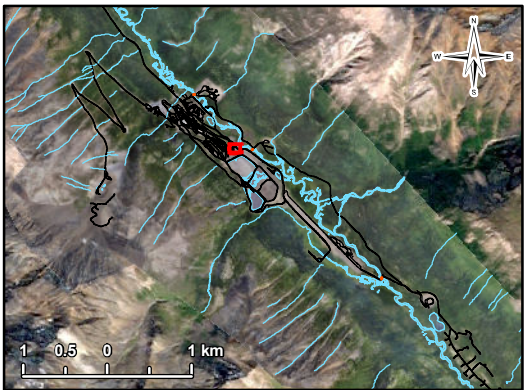


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LEGEND

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- Area
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Monitoring Well
- Soil/Sediment Analytical Results
  - No PHC Impact
  - Metals exceedance of preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, exceedance of CCME guidelines
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)



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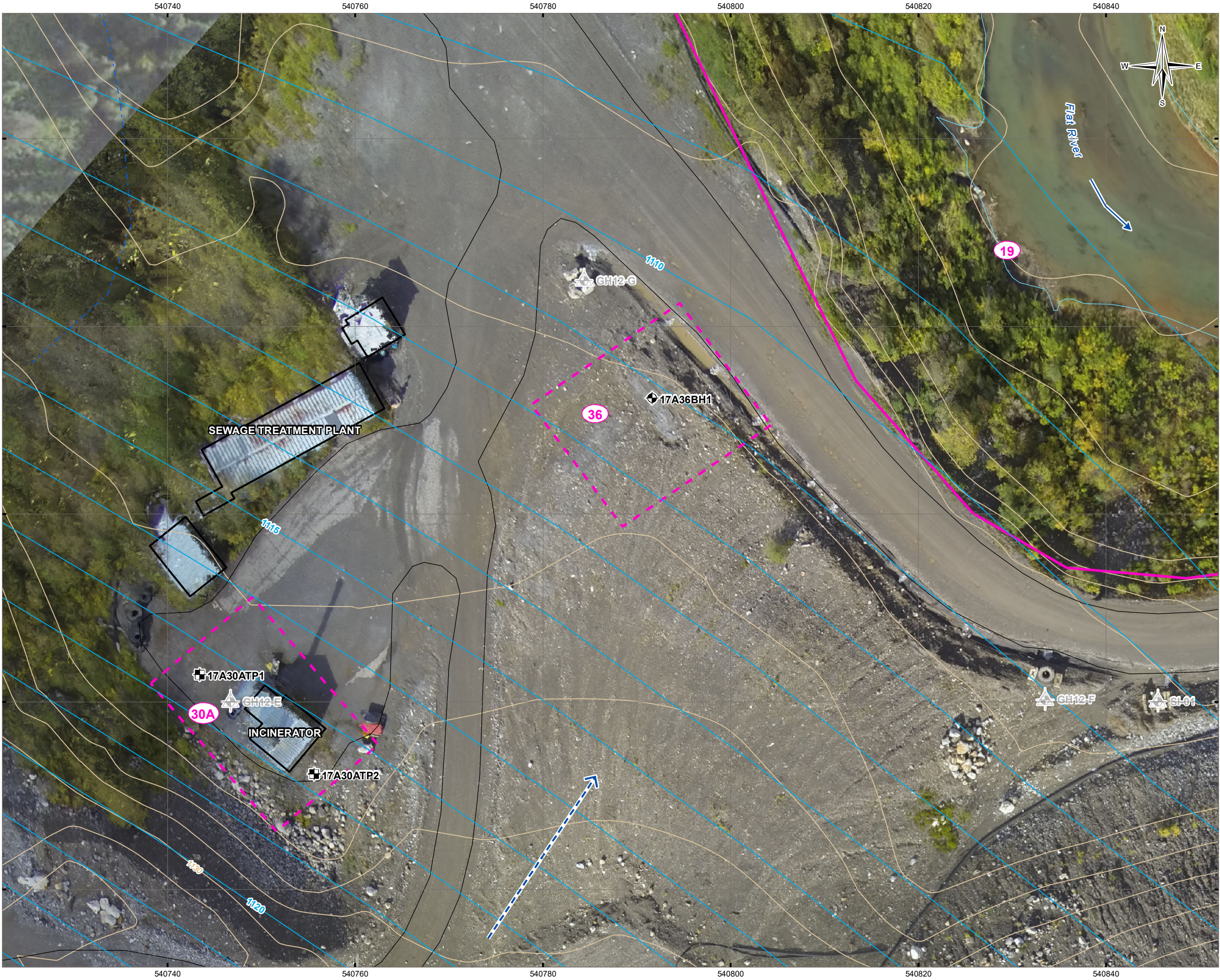
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**PHASE III ESA**

**Area 36**  
**Former Fueling Area**  
**Soil and Sediment Results**

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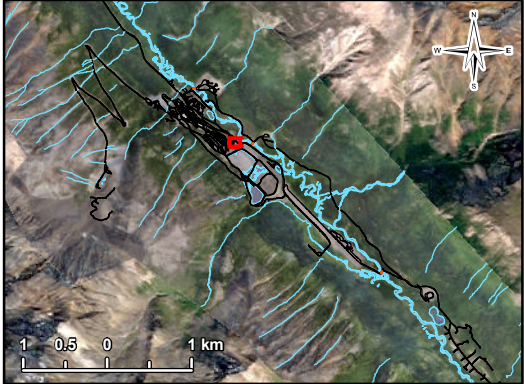
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- Area
- +

 2017 Borehole (BH)
- +

 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- +

 Historical Monitoring Well
- > Inferred Groundwater Flow Direction
- ~ Groundwater Contour (1 m asl; Fall 2017)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)

<b>FIGWQG</b>	Federal Interim Groundwater Quality Guidelines
<b>CCME</b>	Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment
<b>WQG</b>	Water Quality Guidelines
<b>AW</b>	Freshwater Aquatic Life
<b>EQGASW</b>	Environmental Quality Guidelines for Alberta Surface Waters





**NOTES**  
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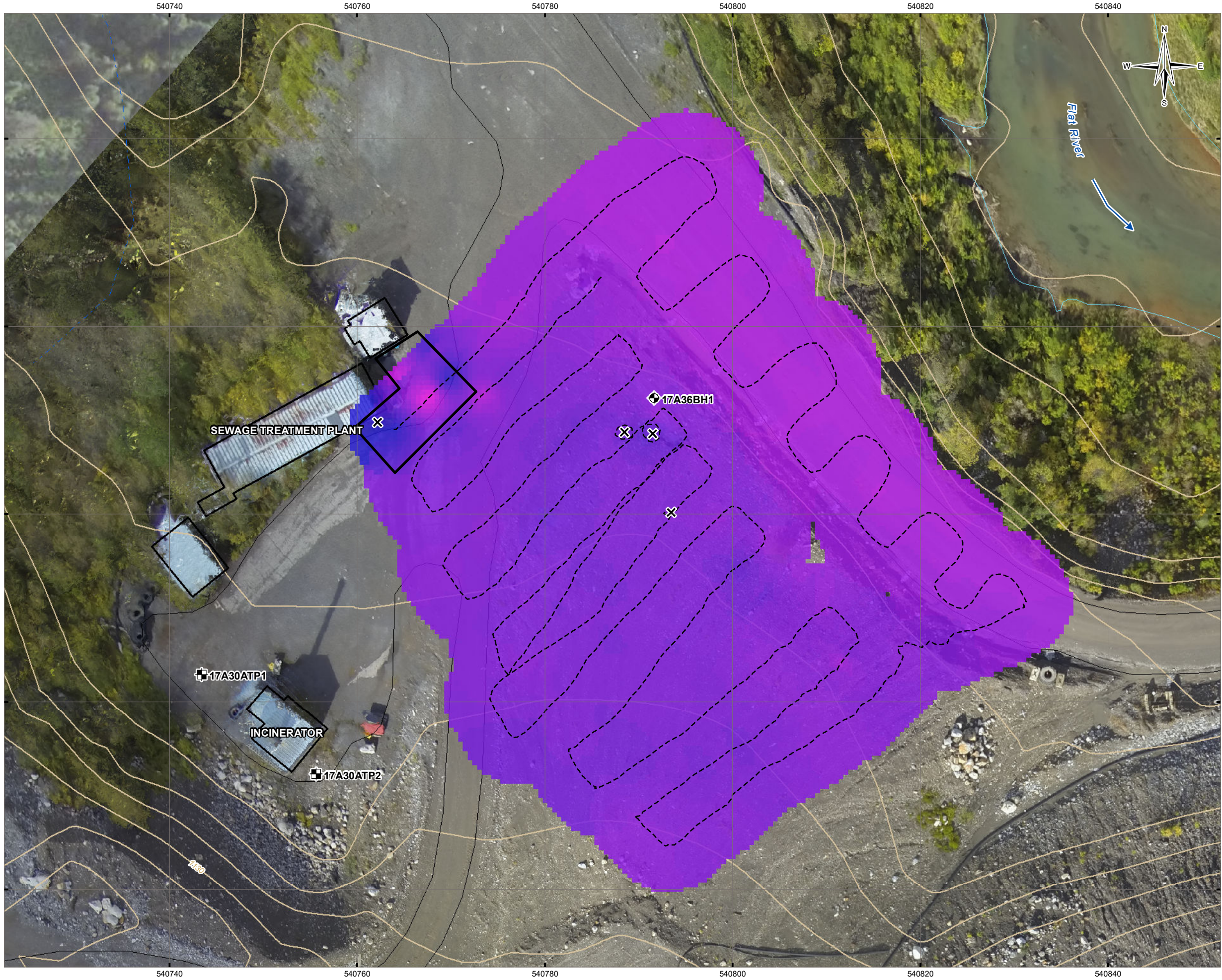
## CANTUNG MINE PHASE III ESA

### Area 36 Former Fueling Area Groundwater and Surface Water Results

PROJECTION UTM Zone 9		DATUM NAD83		CLIENT <div> NORTH AMERICAN TUNGSTEN CORPORATION LTD</div>	
Scale: 1:400 <div><div>52.505</div><div></div></div> Metres				<div> TETRA TECH</div>	
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LEGEND

- Survey Track
  - × Surface Metal
  - Potential Buried Utility
  - ⬮ 2017 Borehole (BH)
  - ⬮ 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
  - Building
  - Road
  - - - Ditch
  - Watercourse
  - Contour (2 m)
- Apparent Terrain Conductivity (mS/m)**
- 500  
200  
150  
100  
50  
0



**NOTES**  
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Negative apparent terrain conductivity values likely due to EM field created by a utility or metal response.  
EM31 S/N: 8411031 | Data collected: September 8, 2017.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

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Area 36  
Former Fueling Area  
EM31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity Survey



PROJECTION UTM Zone 9		DATUM NAD83		CLIENT  NORTH AMERICAN TUNGSTEN CORPORATION LTD		
Scale: 1:400 <div><div>52.505</div><div>Metres</div></div>				 TETRA TECH		
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Table A36-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	A36	
				17A36BH1	
				17A36BH1-1	17A36BH1-2
				0.45 m	2.0 m
				2017-09-21	2017-09-21
<b>Routine / Salinity</b>					
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	7.25	7.83
Moisture	%	NG	NG	14	8.06
<b>Metals</b>					
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	1.2	2.6
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	37.1	20.7
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	821	1700
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	1.1	0.6
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	1.82	2.04
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	22	23
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	15.5	13
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	192	130
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	20.2	18.8
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	0.51	0.6
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	3.9	5.4
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	31.7	41.3
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	1.4	1.8
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	<0.5	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.4	0.3
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	2.8	1.1
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	2.2	2
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	49	62
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	207	228
<b>Particle Size</b>					
>75 µm	%	NG	NG	75	68
Grain Size	N/A	NG	NG	Coarse	Coarse
<b>Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>					
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Xylenes (m & p)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Volatile Hydrocarbons (VH6-10)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
F1 (C6-C10)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10
VPH C6-C10	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
F1 (C6-C10 / BTEX CORRECTED)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10
F2 (C10-C16)	mg/kg	150	NG	<20	<20
F3 (C16-C34)	mg/kg	300	NG	24	<20
F4: (C34-C50)	mg/kg	2800	NG	23	23
VPHs	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>					
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	NG	<0.6	<0.6
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	NG	<0.05	<0.05
2-methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	NG	<0.004	<0.004
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(a) pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(b+j)fluoranthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(e)pyrene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	50	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Fluorene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.013	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.046	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	ug/g	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05

Table A36-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	A36	
				17A36BH1	
				17A36BH1-1	17A36BH1-2
				0.45 m	2.0 m
				2017-09-21	2017-09-21
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)					
Carbon	%	NG	NG	-	-
1-Methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005
Acetone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5
Bromodichloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Bromoform	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Bromomethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
2-Butanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5
Carbon tetrachloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.02	<0.02
Chlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Chloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Chloroform	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Chloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Dibromochloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dibromoethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1-Dichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethene (cis)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloroethene (trans)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2-Dichloropropane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [cis]	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [trans]	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Methyl t-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.1	<0.1
Methylene Chloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.5	<0.5
Styrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Tetrachloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.05	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Trichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.01	<0.01
Trichlorofluoromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Vinyl chloride	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05
Sample Code				8757727	8757728
Lab Report Number				17Y264579	17Y264579

Notes:

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**Bold and Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQC or CWS PHC land-use guideline value, and exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value

**Red** - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

N/A - Not applicable

Blank - Not analyzed

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.			Borehole No: 17A36BH1					
			Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6			
			Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1118.656 m			
			Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540791.63 E; 6870632.363 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0								
1	Sonic	SAND - silty, trace to some gravel, fine to medium sand and gravel		1-1		25% particles <75 µm (ie. smaller than sand particle)		1118
2		SILT - some sand, trace to some gravel, damp, brown, fine gravel		1-2		32% particles <75 µm (ie. smaller than sand particle)		1117
3		COBBLES						1116
4		SAND - trace gravel, damp, fine to coarse sand, fine gravel						1115
5		- gravelly		1-3				1114
6		END OF BOREHOLE (6.10 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						1113
7								1112
8								1111
9								1110
10								1109
11								1108
12								1107
13								1106
14								1105
15								1104

 <b>TETRA TECH</b>	Contractor: Boart Longyear	Completion Depth: 6.1 m
	Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted	Start Date: 2017 September 21
	Logged By: MG	Completion Date: 2017 September 21
	Reviewed By: JW	Page 1 of 1



**Photo 1:** Former fueling area to the right of image. Sewage treatment plant visible on left. Photo provided by NATC.



**Photo 2:** Location of former Town Site fueling area (circled). Photo provided by NATC. (August 13, 2013)

## AREA 37



## AREA 37: Airstrip

Area Description			
Location	Southeast of Tailings Pond 3 (TP3).		
Topography	Relatively flat with a slight downward slope to northeast.		
Surface Drainage	Northeast.		
Background	A fuel cache made up of a geosynthetic-lined cell is present on northeast portion of Airstrip. The cache stores drums of fuel for aviation fueling. Airstrip material is understood to be composed of mixed waste rock and granular fill materials.		
Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Northeast portion of AEC, area down-gradient of fuel cash	Leak or releases from fuel drums	Soil	<b>Soil: <u>metals</u></b> , petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), metals, glycols, volatile organic compounds (VOCs)
Historical Assessment Information			
Previous Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Results (EBA 2008)	Not in scope for EBA 2008		
Airstrip investigation program completed by Phase Geochemistry in 2011 (Phase 2014a).	Number of Rinse pH/EC analyses		25
	Number of ABA analyses		25
	Number of multi-element ICP analyses		25
	Number of shake flask extraction analyses		6
	Number of field barrel analyses		-
<b>Comments:</b> The test pits were noted to consist predominantly of till, that was largely unoxidized except for an occasional layer that was slightly red-brown with trace oxidation. Mineralogy was dominated by quartz (~60%) with lesser muscovite (20 to 30%), clinocllore (3 to 4%) and minor to trace amounts of feldspars, carbonates and other accessory minerals. With the exception of 2 samples, both of which had sulphide contents less than 0.05%, all runway samples classify as non-acid generating (NAG). Solids metal content were generally within the range of what is considered average for limestone hosted rocks types. Occasionally levels more than 10 times crustal abundances were seen for As, Ba, Cd, Mo, Ni, W and Zn, possibly indicating anomalous levels though not necessarily implying a potential for metal leaching. Soluble metals as determined by leach extraction tests were at low concentrations.			
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?			Yes
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?			No
Number of test pits advanced			2 (near fuel cache) (2017)
Number of boreholes advanced			0
Number of hand auger locations advanced			0
Number of soil samples collected for acid rock drainage/metal leaching			4 (2017)
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis			3 (2017)
Number of soil samples submitted for acid rock drainage analysis			1 (2017)
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells			0
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells			0
Number of groundwater samples collected			N/A
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected			N/A

## AREA 37: Airstrip

<b>Geophysics Findings</b>			
N/A			
<b>Soil Investigation and Conditions</b>			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	3.0 mbgs (September 18, 2017)		
<b>General Stratigraphy</b>			
<b>Description</b>	<b>Depth from (mbgs)</b>	<b>Depth to (mbgs)</b>	<b>Observations</b>
Sand	0	0.2	Fill soil.
Layers of sand and gravel	0.2	3.0	Native soil.
<b>Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)</b>			
Ranged from less than instrument detection limit to 4.8 ppm (in soil samples 17A37TP1-1 and 17A37TP2-4)			
<b>Groundwater Conditions</b>			
Depth to Groundwater	N/A		
Free Product	N/A		
<b>2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Figure A37-1 shows test pit locations and soil results.</li><li>Table A37-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.</li></ul>			
<b>General Site Observations</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fuel cache liner appeared to be in good condition.</li><li>No evidence of leak or releases from fuel cache.</li><li>No obvious signs of environmental impacts.</li><li>Airstrip appears to be primarily composed of fill material (reworked alluvium and till) with lesser amounts of waste rock. The exact proportions of material types is unknown.</li><li>Minor and localized iron oxidation observed on select fragments of rock (possibly waste rock).</li><li>There is a gravel pit adjacent to airstrip where building material for airstrip was likely sourced. A sample from this quarry (17A37-Quarry) was collected for reference.</li><li>No additional work was done in this area in 2018.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC)</b>			
Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines.			
<b>Soil: Metals</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>One soil sample analyzed for metals (17A37TP2 at 3.0 mbgs).</li><li>Metals exceeding CCME CEQGs include arsenic, barium, cadmium, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, and zinc.</li><li>All metals concentrations below preliminary background concentrations, except for barium and selenium.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Other PCOCs (PAHs, glycols, VOCs)</b>			
Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines.			
<b>Soil: Acid Rock Drainage</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Sample 17A37-03: classified NAG (NPR=2.74), sulphide sulphur content 0.12 S%, sulphate sulphur &lt;0.01 S%, inorganic carbon content 0.5 CO<sub>2</sub>%, paste pH 7.8.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Routine (pH)</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Laboratory results within guidelines with exception of:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Sample 17A37TP2-4 at a depth of 3.0 mbgs - pH value outside guideline range.</li></ul></li></ul>			
<b>Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons,</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			



## AREA 37: Airstrip

### Groundwater: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

### Sediment: Metals

- N/A

### Sediment: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

- N/A

### Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

- N/A

### Surface Water: Other PCOCs

- N/A

### Grainsize Analysis

- Sample 17A37TP2-4 collected from a depth of 3.0 mbgs indicated coarse grained soil type (92%>75um).

## Discussion (Significance of the Results)

- Lab results for single sample collected for metals analysis is consistent with historical data. Historical data indicating occasional element concentrations greater than 10 times crustal abundances shown for arsenic, barium, cadmium, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten and zinc. These results possibly indicate anomalous levels though not necessarily implying a potential for metal-leaching. Soluble metals as determined by leach extraction tests were low.
- Observed metals concentrations similar to other areas of Cantung Mine site.
- Historical data reported concentrations of selenium of 1 mg/kg in 24 of 25 samples. This is equal to CCME CEQG value.

### Conclusion:

- Current and historical results do not indicate risk of ARD/ML from airstrip materials. Airstrip materials expected to remain NAG with low potential for metal leaching.
- No evidence of environmental impacts from fuel drum cache.

## Attachments

Figure A37-1 – Soil and Sediment Results

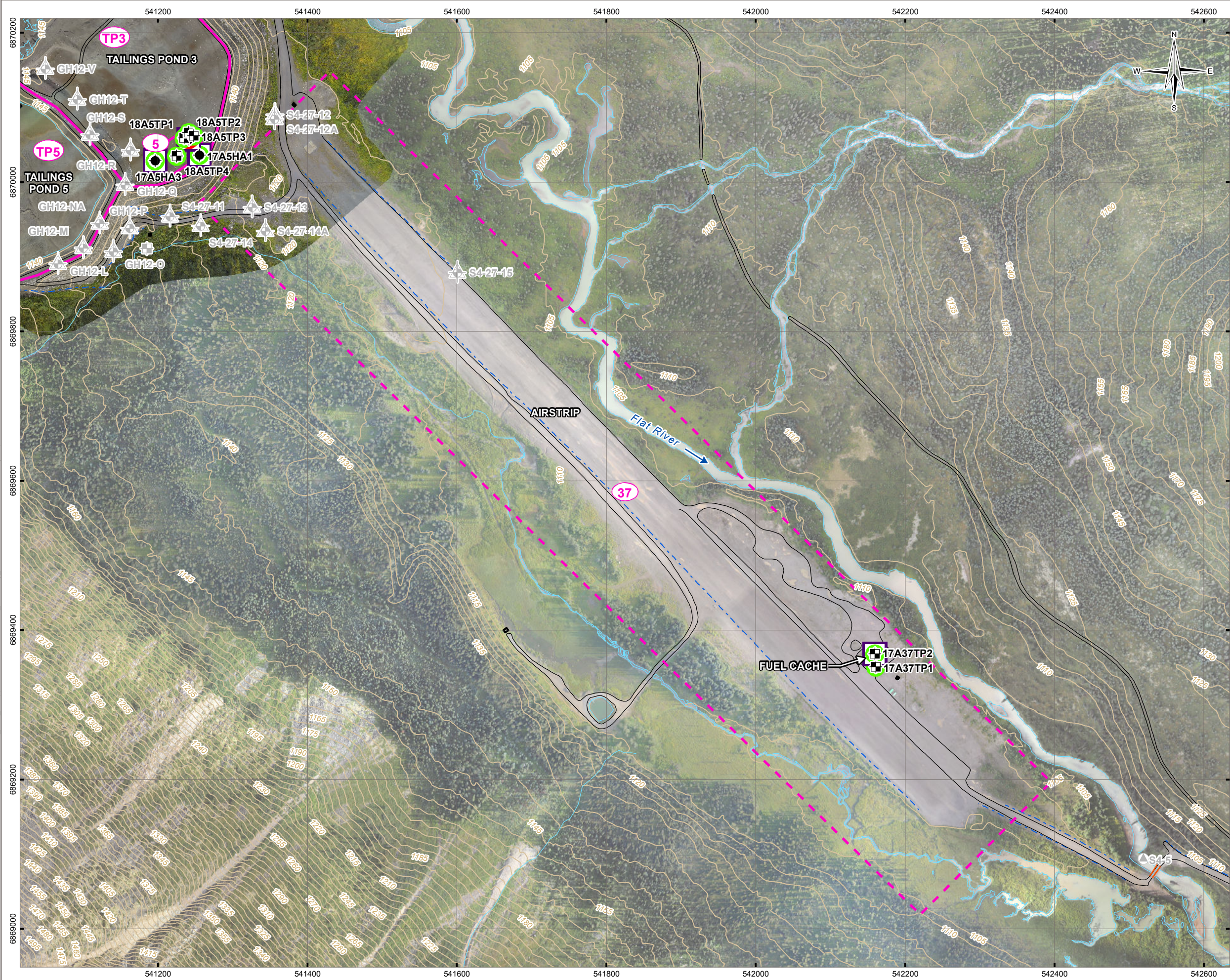
Table A37-1 – Soil Analytical Results

Test pit Logs

Photographs

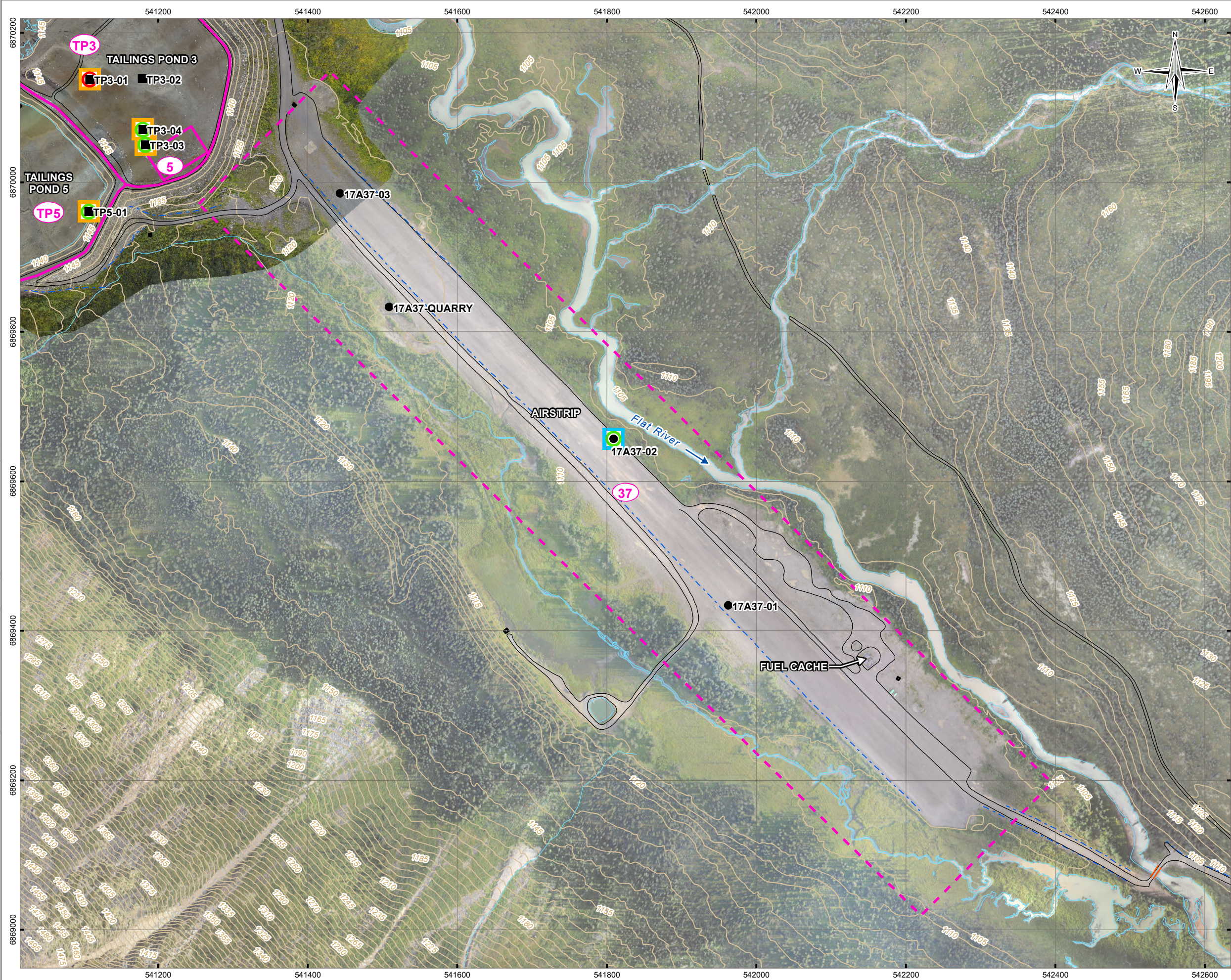


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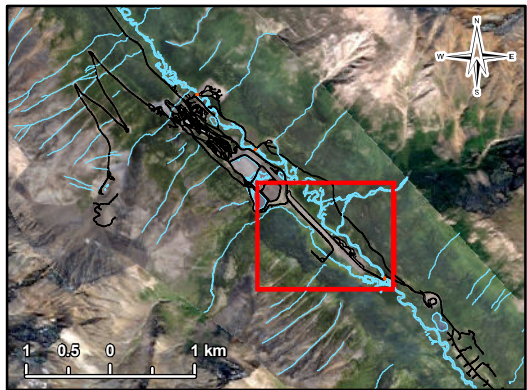


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LEGEND

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- Area
- 2017 Rock Sample for ARD/ML
- 2017 Tailings Sample for ARD/ML
- Acid Rock Drainage (ARD) Analytical Results**
  - Paste pH <7
  - Paste pH >7
  - Potentially Acid Generating (PAG)/Uncertain
  - Non Acid Generating (NAG)
- Building
- Road
- Bridge
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (5 m)



**NOTES**  
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

**STATUS**  
ISSUED FOR USE

CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

Area 37  
Airstrip  
Acid Rock Drainage Results



PROJECTION UTM Zone 9		DATUM NAD83		CLIENT <div> NORTH AMERICAN TUNGSTEN CORPORATION LTD</div>	
Scale: 1:5,000 <div><div>100</div><div>50</div><div>0</div><div>100</div></div> <div>Metres</div>				<div> TETRA TECH</div>	
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Table A37-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	AREA 37		
				17A37TP1		17A37TP2
				17A37TP1-1	17A37TP1-2	17A37TP2-4
				0.25 m	1.0 m	3.0 m
				2017-09-18	2017-09-18	2017-09-19
Routine / Salinity						
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	-	-	8.18
Moisture	%	NG	NG	11.2	7.5	8.56
Metals						
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	-	-	3.8
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	-	-	25
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	-	-	2890
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	-	-	0.5
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	-	-	2.54
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	-	-	18
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	-	-	12.7
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	-	-	37.8
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	-	-	17.9
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	-	-	0.07
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	-	-	5.4
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	-	-	65
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	-	-	2
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	-	-	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	-	-	0.3
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	-	-	<0.2
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	-	-	1.9
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	-	-	66
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	-	-	363
Particle Size						
>75 µm	%	NG	NG	-	-	92
Grain Size	N/A	NG	NG	Coarse		
Petroleum Hydrocarbons						
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	NG	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Xylenes (m & p)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Volatile Hydrocarbons (VH6-10)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
F1 (C6-C10)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10	<10
VPH C6-C10	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
F1 (C6-C10 / BTEX CORRECTED)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10	<10
F2 (C10-C16)	mg/kg	150	NG	<20	<20	<20
F3 (C16-C34)	mg/kg	300	NG	<20	<20	<20
F4: (C34-C50)	mg/kg	2800	NG	<20	<20	<20
VPHs	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Glycols						
Diethylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<10
Ethylene glycol	mg/kg	960	NG	-	-	<10
Propylene glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<10
Tetraethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<10
Triethylene Glycol	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<10
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)						
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	NG	-	-	<0.6
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	NG	-	-	<0.05
2-methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.005
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.005
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.005
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	NG	-	-	<0.004
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.03
Benzo(a) pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.03
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Benzo(b+)fluoranthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Benzo(e)pyrene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Chrysene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.005
Fluoranthene	mg/kg	50	NG	-	-	<0.01
Fluorene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.02
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.02
Naphthalene	mg/kg	0.013	NG	-	-	<0.005
Phenanthrene	mg/kg	0.046	NG	-	-	<0.02
Pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.01
Benzo(i)fluoranthene	ug/g	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05



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<b>Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)</b>						
Carbon	%	NG	NG	-	-	0.28
1-Methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.005
Acetone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.5
Bromodichloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Bromoform	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Bromomethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
2-Butanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.5
Carbon tetrachloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.02
Chlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Chloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Chloroform	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Chloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Dibromochloromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
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1,2-Dichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
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1,2-Dichloroethene (trans)	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,2-Dichloropropane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [cis]	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,3-Dichloropropene [trans]	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Methyl t-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.1
Methylene Chloride	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.5
Styrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Tetrachloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	mg/kg	0.05	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.05
Trichloroethene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	-	-	<0.01
Trichlorofluoromethane	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
Vinyl chloride	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	<0.05
<b>Sample Code</b>				8740305	8740313	8751548
<b>Lab Report Number</b>				17Y262746	17Y262746	17Y263896

**Notes:**

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		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1107.642 m				
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 542160.651 E; 6869351.044 N; Z 9				
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, dense, brown, trace oxides - some cobbles, reddish brown		1-1				1107
		SAND - gravelly, trace silt, damp, dense, coarse sand - trace cobbles, trace boulders		1-2				1106
1	Excavated	GRAVEL - sandy, trace to some cobbles, damp, dense, brown		1-3				1105
2				1-4				1104
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						1103
4								
5								

 <b>TETRA TECH</b>	Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 3 m
	Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe	Start Date: 2017 September 18
	Logged By: NH	Completion Date: 2017 September 18
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Testpit No: **17A37TP2**

Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6

Ground Elev: 1107.458 m

UTM: 542159.661 E; 6869368.356 N; Z 9

Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0								
	Excavated	SILT (FILL) - sandy, some gravel, trace rootlets, damp, firm, brown, (100 mm thick)						
		SAND - gravelly, some silt, some cobbles, damp, dense, reddish brown, (300 mm thick)	2-1					
		GRAVEL - some sand, some cobbles, damp to moist, loose, brown						1107
1		- cobbly	2-2					1106
2		SAND (GLACIOFLUVIAL) - some gravel, some cobbles, trace silt, damp to moist, loose, brown, coarse sand	2-3					1105
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion	2-4			8% particles <75 µm (ie. smaller than sand particle)		1104
4								1103
5								



**TETRA TECH**

Contractor: NATC

Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe

Logged By: NH

Reviewed By: JW

Completion Depth: 3 m

Start Date: 2017 September 19
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Completion Date: 2017 September 19
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**Photo 1:** Airstrip. Looking northwest toward mine site.  
(October 1, 2017)



**Photo 2:** Typical mixed material in airstrip including crushed waste rock and fill. Minor oxidation alteration and weathering of select fragments is noted. (October 1, 2017)





**Photo 3:** Sample 17A37-01 on edge of airstrip.  
(October 1, 2017)



**Photo 4:** Airstrip fueling area visible on the right. Photo provided by NATC.  
(August 13, 2013)

## AREA 45



## AREA 45: Former PCB Storage Area – Tailings Pond 4

Area Description			
Location	Beneath Tailings Pond 4.		
Topography	Generally flat.		
Surface Drainage	Variable based on Tailings Pond surface grades.		
Background	It was reported that shed with potential polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB)-containing equipment was located in this area prior to construction of Tailings Pond 4. Location was taken off historical drawings and photographs.		
Historical Assessment Information			
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA 2008)	Number of test pits	0	
	Number of surface soil samples	0	
	Number of soil samples analyzed	0	
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbon impacts	0	
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts	0	
Comments: Not previously assessed			
2017 Environmental Site Assessment Details			
Environmental Site Assessment Scope			
Utility Locate SOP followed?		Yes	
EM 31 Geophysics Completed?		No	
Number of test pits advanced		0	
Number of boreholes advanced		1	
Number of hand auger locations advanced		0	
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis		1	
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells		0	
Number of groundwater samples collected		N/A	
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected		N/A	
Geophysics Findings			
N/A			
Soil Investigation and Conditions			
Maximum Depth of Investigation	21.60 mbgs (September 29, 2017)		
General Stratigraphy			
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations
Sand	0	20.7	Tailings
Sand	20.7	21.3	Native soil
Bedrock	21.3	21.6	-
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVC)			
Less than instrument detection limit.			

## AREA 45: Former PCB Storage Area – Tailings Pond 4

Groundwater Conditions			
Depth to Groundwater	N/A		
Free Product	N/A		
2017 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Figure A45-1 shows borehole locations.</li><li>Table A45-1 summarizes soil chemical results relative to guidelines.</li></ul>			
<b>General Site Observations</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>No PCB- containing equipment or other chemical storage was observed at AEC.</li><li>No obvious signs of PCB impacts were observed.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHCs)</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Metals</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Sample from native material below Tailings Pond 4 exceeded CCME CEQGs for arsenic, barium, cadmium, molybdenum, selenium, and zinc.</li><li>Barium concentrations also exceeded preliminary background concentration.</li><li>Copper concentration below CCME CEQG.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Other PCOCs (PCBs)</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines.</li></ul>			
<b>Soil: Routine (pH)</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Laboratory results outside guidelines.</li></ul>			
<b>Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Groundwater: Other PCOCs</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Sediment: Metals</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Sediment: Other PCOCs</b>			
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<b>Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
<b>Surface Water: Other PCOCs</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
Grainsize Analysis			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>N/A</li></ul>			
Potential Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Centre of Tailings Pond 4	Leaks or releases of PCBs from PCB-containing equipment	Soil	<b>Soil: <u>Metals</u></b> , PCBs



## AREA 45: Former PCB Storage Area – Tailings Pond 4

### Discussion (Significance of Results)

#### **Soils:**

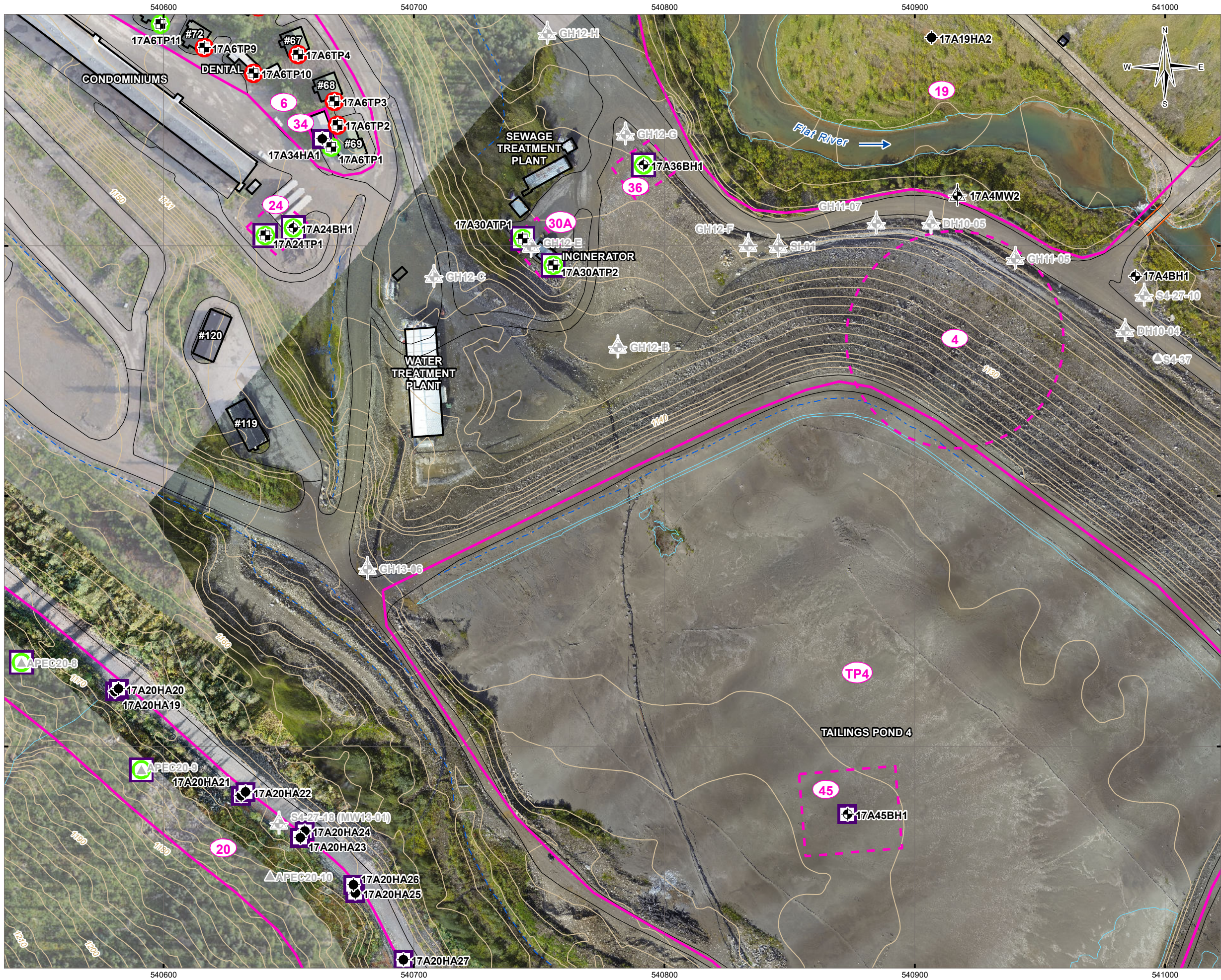
- Based on assessment results, there is no evidence of environmental impacts associated with historical PCB storage.
- Elevated metals concentrations above CCME CEQGs and proposed background are similar to other areas of Cantung Mine site and unlikely to be related to Former PCB Storage Area.

### Attachments

Figure A45-1 – Soil and Sediment Results  
Figure A45-2 – Groundwater Contours  
Table A45-1 – Soil Analytical Results  
Borehole Logs  
Photographs

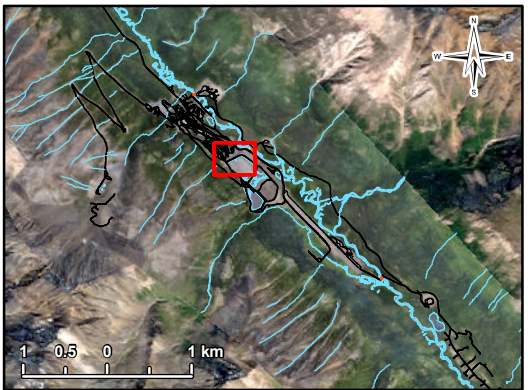


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## LEGEND

- Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)
- Area
- 2017 Monitoring Well (MW)
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017 Hand Auger (HA)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Monitoring Well
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample
- Historical Surface Water Sample
- Soil/Sediment Analytical Results**
  - PHC Impacts
  - No PHC Impact
  - Metals exceedance of preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, exceedance of CCME guidelines
- Building
- Road
- Bridge
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)





**NOTES**  
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
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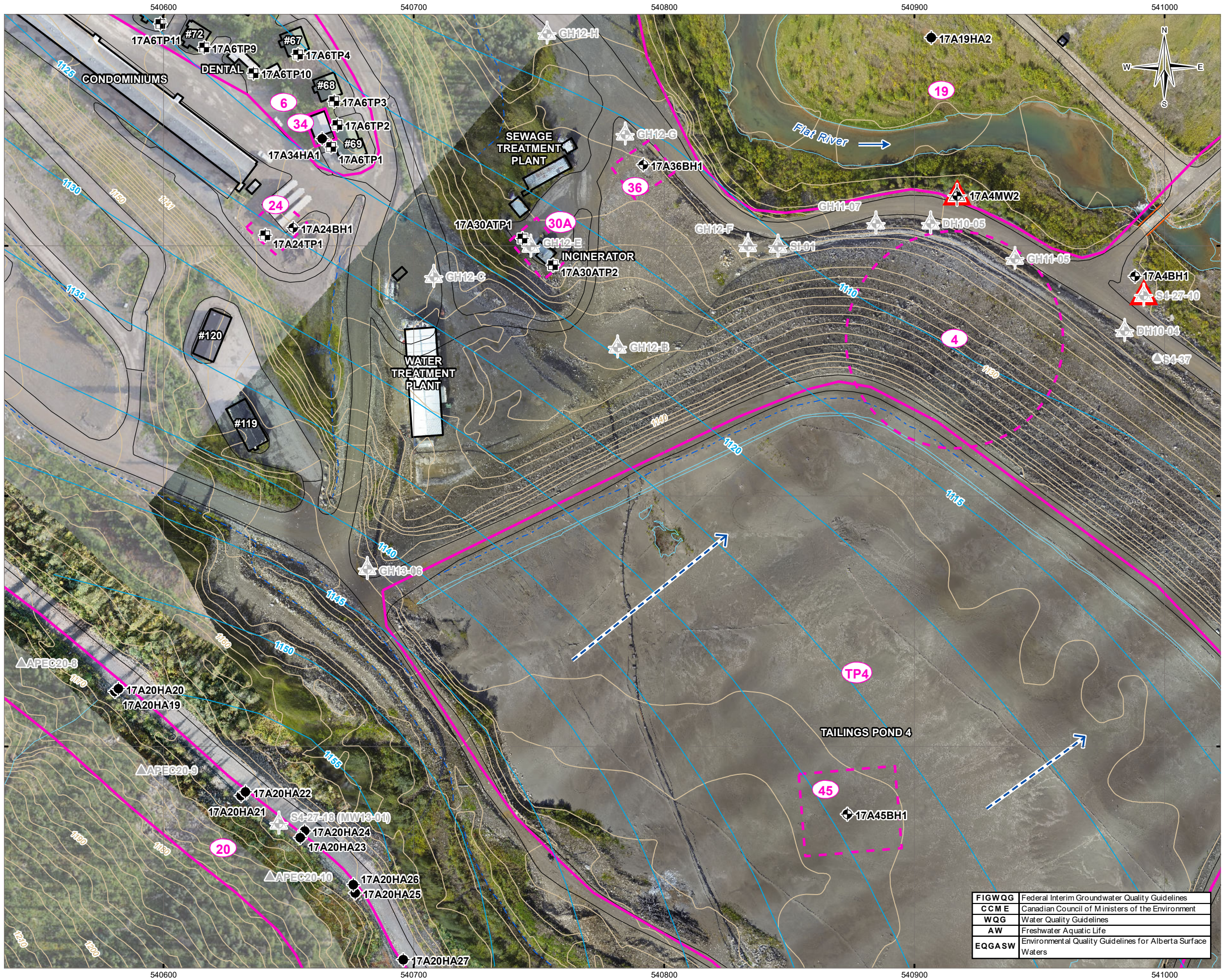
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### Area 45 Former PCB Storage Shed at TP4 Soil and Sediment Results

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## LEGEND

Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)

Area

2017 Monitoring Well (MW)

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017 Hand Auger (HA)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

Historical Monitoring Well

Historical Shallow Soil Sample

Historical Surface Water Sample

Inferred Groundwater Flow Direction

Groundwater Contour (5 m asl; Fall 2017)

### 2017/2018 Groundwater Analytical Results

Samples contain parameters that exceeded the preliminary background concentrations, or in the absence of background concentrations, FIGWQG

Building

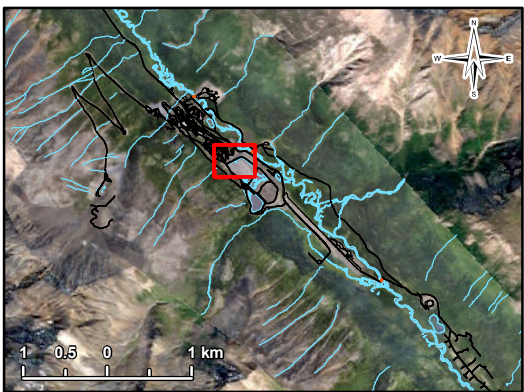
Road

Bridge

Ditch

Watercourse

Contour (2 m)



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### Area 45 Former PCB Storage Shed at TP4 Groundwater and Surface Water Results

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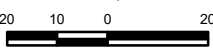
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FIGWQG	Federal Interim Groundwater Quality Guidelines
CCME	Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment
WQG	Water Quality Guidelines
AW	Freshwater Aquatic Life
EQGASW	Environmental Quality Guidelines for Alberta Surface Waters



**Table A45-1: Soil Analytical Results**

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Preliminary Background Concentration <sup>4</sup>	AREA 45
				17A45BH1
				17A45BH1-1
				20.7 m
				2017-09-29
<b>Routine / Salinity</b>				
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	<b>8.32</b>
Moisture	%	NG	NG	-
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	3.2
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	<b>14.4</b>
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	<b>1840</b>
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	0.4
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	<b>2.03</b>
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	19
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	9.5
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	48.2
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	11.4
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	0.21
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	<b>6.9</b>
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	42.2
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	<b>1.2</b>
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	<0.5
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.6
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	0.3
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	1.6
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	64
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	<b>215</b>
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>				
Aroclor 1242	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05
Aroclor 1254	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05
Aroclor 1260	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05
Aroclor 1262	mg/kg	NG	NG	-
PCBs (Sum of total)	mg/kg	0.5	NG	<0.05
<b>Sample Code</b>				8799462
<b>Lab Report Number</b>				17V269663

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008)

<sup>2</sup> - Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999)

<sup>3</sup> - Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003)

<sup>4</sup> - Preliminary Background Concentration

***Italic*** - Laboratory detection limit is greater one or more referenced guidelines

NG - No guideline

**Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value

**Bold** - Exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value


**Bold and Shaded** - Exceeds most stringent CCME CEQG or CWS PHC land-use guideline value, and exceeds most stringent NWT CSR land-use guideline value


**Red** - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

N/A - Not applicable

Blank - Not analyzed



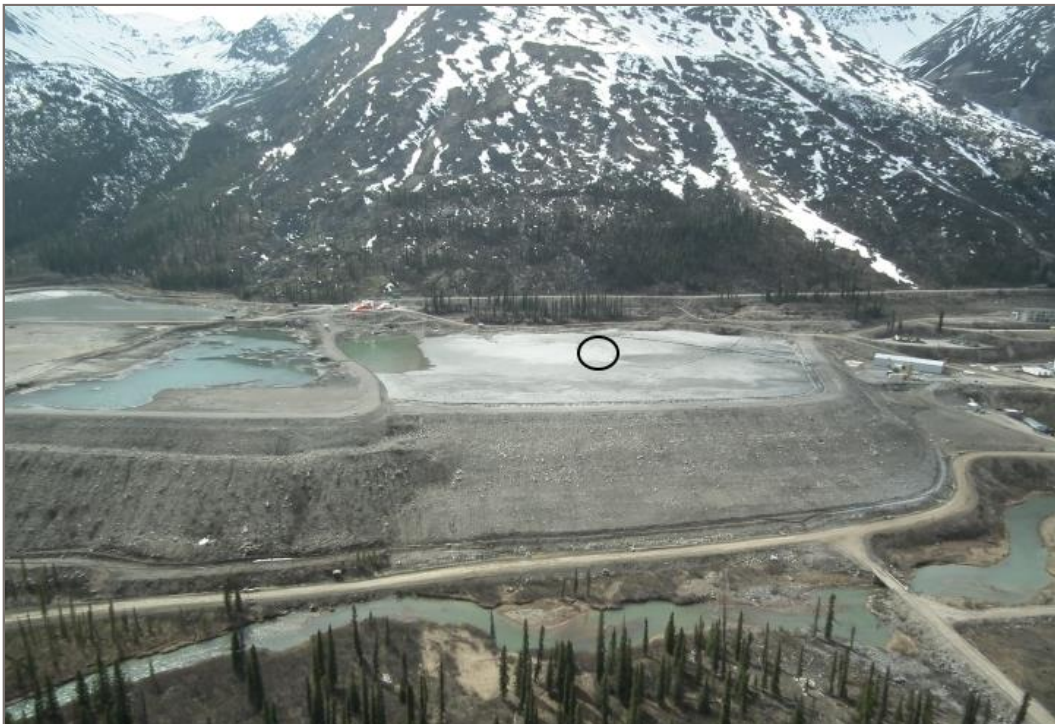
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		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1144.61 m			
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540873.253 E; 6870372.935 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill	Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200			
1	Sonic	SAND (TAILINGS) - trace silt, damp, loose, grey						1144
2								1143
3								1142
4								1141
5								1140
6								1139
7								1138
8								1137
9								1136
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13								1132
14								1131
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 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 21.6 m			
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 29			
		Logged By: MH			Completion Date: 2017 September 29			
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		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540873.253 E; 6870372.935 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
15	Sonic							1129
16								1128
17								1127
18								1126
19								1125
20								1124
21		SAND - gravelly, some silt, damp, brown, fine to medium sand		1-1				1123
		BEDROCK - weathered, pulverized rock, granitic diorite						1122
22		END OF BOREHOLE (21.60 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						1121
23								1120
24								1119
25								1118
26								1117
27								1116
28								1115
29								
30								
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 21.6 m			
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 29			
		Logged By: MH			Completion Date: 2017 September 29			
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**Photo 1:** Panorama of TP4. Former PCB storage area.  
(September 9, 2017)



**Photo 2:** Facing west towards TP4. Circled area indicated approximate location of former PCB storage area. Photo provided by NATC (May 29, 2014).

## APPENDIX B

### SUMMARY OF PETROLEUM HYDROCARBON CONTAMINATED AREAS



## B1.0 PETROLEUM HYDROCARBON CONTAMINATED ZONES

Nine PHC-contaminated zones with F2 to F4 concentrations greater than the management limits were delineated (Areas A through I) and are shown on Figures B1 to B9. Methods and assumptions used in these delineations are presented below. Separate zone letters were used rather than AEC numbers, since many contaminated areas spanned AEC boundaries. A summary of delineated areas, calculated volumes, and estimated percent delineation completed is presented in Table B-1.

### B1.1 Petroleum Hydrocarbon Contaminated Extents Methods

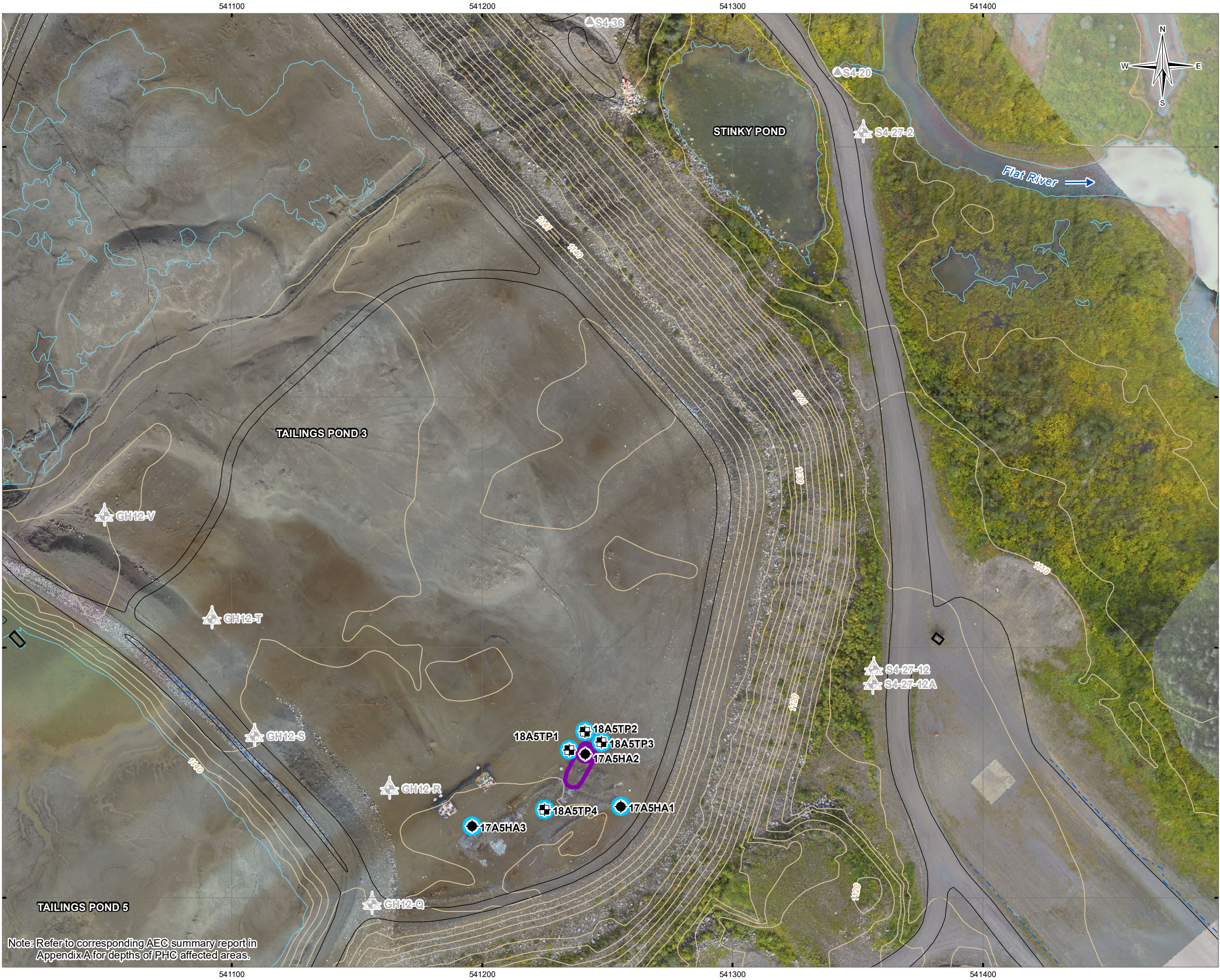
- PHC affected areas are comprised of locations where soil samples contain one or more of PHC fractions F2 to F4 concentrations greater than the management limits.
- The horizontal extents of PHC impacts were estimated by:
  - Extrapolating a limit between assessment locations with PHC concentrations greater than the management limits and assessment locations with PHC concentrations less than the management limits; or
  - Determining an inferred limit based on historical land use, typical behaviour of PHC impacts in coarse grained soils, and professional judgement.
- The vertical extents of impacts were estimated by:
  - Applying the maximum depth interval of impacts if delineation was achieved at depths less than 1 m in an affected area; or
  - Applied a depth of 1 m, if impacts were not delineated or management limit exceedances extended beyond 1 m, because PHC contamination in soil is only a potential concern if the contamination occurs near surface (to depth of 1 m) based on the results of the current risk assessment.
- Unless otherwise shown in Figures B1 to B9, we have assumed that PHC impacts do not extend beneath building footprints.
- The volume of PHC affected soil was calculated by multiplying the PHC affected area shown in Figures B1 to B9 by the vertical extents of impacts estimated at the coinciding affected area.
- Percent delineated was calculated by the ratio of vertical and horizontal extents confirmed out of five potential limits (i.e., four sides and the base).

Table B1 - Summary of Petroleum Hydrocarbon Management Limit Exceedance Volumes

PHC Delineation Zone	Figure Reference Number	PHC Affected Area Location Description	CCME Management Limits			
			Estimated Extent Delineated (%)	Estimated Depth of Impact (m)	Estimated Area of Impact (m <sup>2</sup> )	Estimated Volume of PHC Contaminated (m <sup>3</sup> )
A	Figure B1	Affected area northeast of stockpile (17A5HA2)	80	0.5	121	61
Subtotal						61
B	Figure B2	Affected area southeast of the Power House (APEC11-1, TP2)	100	1.0	30	30
		Affected area south of Power House (APEC11-7)	80	0.5	73	37
		Affected area south of Carpenters Shop (APEC11-8)	80	0.5	54	27
		Affected area east of Tungsten Concentrate Storage building (17A31HA2, 18A31TP8)	80	1.0	164	164
		Affected area south of Tungsten Concentrate Storage building (18A31TP9, APEC11A-W, APEC11A-18, APEC11A-N, APEC11A-E and APEC11-2 )	80	1.0	342	342
		Affected area east and south of Old Fuel Tank Farm (TP3, TP4, 17A14TP1, 17A14TP2, 17A14TP4, 17A14TP11, APEC11-4, 18A14TP21 to 18A14TP24.)	80	1.0	1296	1,296
		Affected area west of Old Fuel Tank Farm (OTF1, OTF2, 17A14TP9, 18A14TP15, 18A14TP17)	80	1.0	237	237
		Affected area north of Old Fuel Tank Farm (OTF (0,25), TP5)	100	1.0	45	45
Subtotal						17
C	Figure B3	Affected area northwest of Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop building (T17A30BTP1)	80	1.0	82	82
		Affected area north of Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop building (TP9, 17A16TP1)	80	1.0	135	135
		Affected area northeast of Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop building (TP11, APEC16-2, 18A16TP13, 18A16TP15)	80	1.0	335	335
		Affected area east of Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop building (TP6, 17A16TP6, 18A16TP17)	80	1.0	165	165
Subtotal						717
D	Figure B4	Affected area east of Compressor Building/Backfill Plant (APEC17-1, APEC17-8, APEC17-9, 17A17TP3, 17A17BH4, 18A17TP11)	100	1.0	438	438
		Affected area southwest and west of Compressor Building/Backfill Plant (APEC17-2 to APEC17-7, APEC17-11, APEC 27-5, APEC27-6, 17A17BH1, 18A17TP17 - 18A17TP19, 18A17TP21)	80	1.0	740	740
		Affected area north of Compressor Building/Backfill Plant (APEC17-10)	100	1.0	55	55
Subtotal						1,233
E	Figure B5	Affected area Upper Scrap area (Former Boneyard)-(17A21TP4)	100	1.0	49	49
Subtotal						49
F	Figure B6	Affected area South and West of Diesel Transfer Station (APEC23-1,2,3,4,7,8,N,E,S, TP13A, 17A23TP1, 18A23TP6 to 18A23TP9)	80	1.0	307	307
Subtotal						307
G	Figure B7	Affected area at Portal Fueling Tank (17A43TP2)	100	1.0	66	66
Subtotal						66
H	Figure B8	Affected area at Drum Storage Area (17A50HA2)	80	0.5	37	19
Subtotal						19
I	Figure B9	Impacted soil at residence #79 (17A6TP16)	100	1.0	41	41
Subtotal						41
TOTAL ESTIMATED VOLUME						4,687



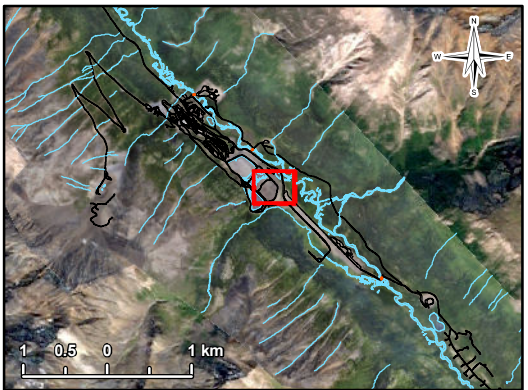
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Note: Refer to corresponding AEC summary report in Appendix A for depths of PHC affected areas.

LEGEND

- 2017 Hand Auger (HA)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Monitoring Well
- Historical Surface Water Sample
- PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface
- PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface
- Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)






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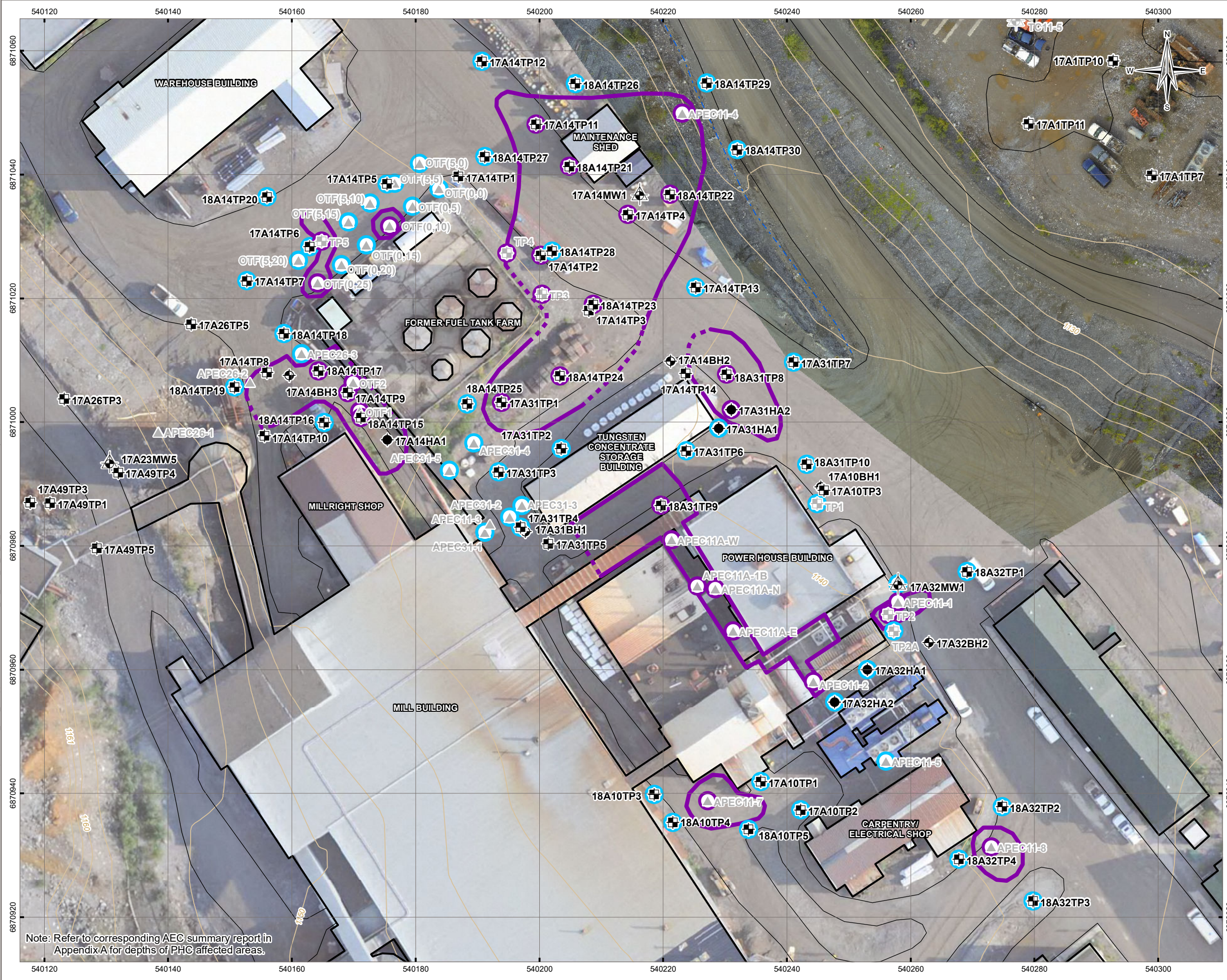
**CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA**

**PHC Delineation Zone A  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 5)**

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**LEGEND**

- 2017 Monitoring Well (MW)
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017 Hand Auger (HA)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Monitoring Well
- Historical Testpit
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample
- PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface
- PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface
- Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)
- Inferred PHC Extent (requires further assessment) (Management Limits)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Contour (2 m)

**NOTES**  
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Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

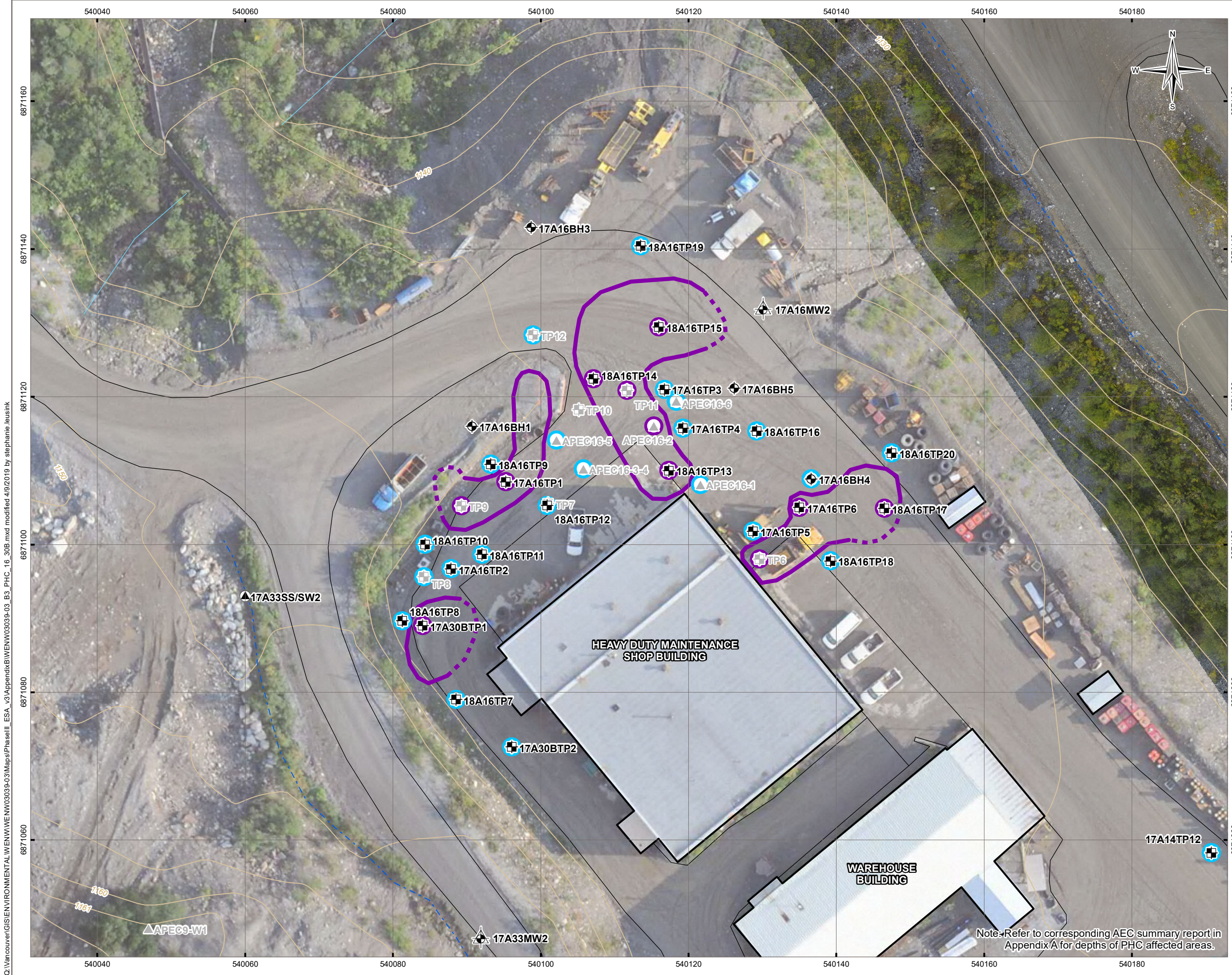
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**CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA**

**PHC Delineation Zone B  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 10, AEC 14, AEC 31, and AEC 32)**

<b>PROJECTION</b> UTM Zone 9	<b>DATUM</b> NAD83	<b>CLIENT</b> 		
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<b>OFFICE</b> TL-VANC	<b>DWN</b> SL		<b>CKD</b> BB	<b>APVD</b> BB
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**LEGEND**

- 2017 Monitoring Well (MW)
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- 2017 Surface Water/Sediment Sample (SW/SS)
- Historical Testpit
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample
- PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface
- PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface
- Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)
- Inferred PHC Extent (requires further assessment) (Management Limits)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)

**NOTES**

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Base data source:  
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Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

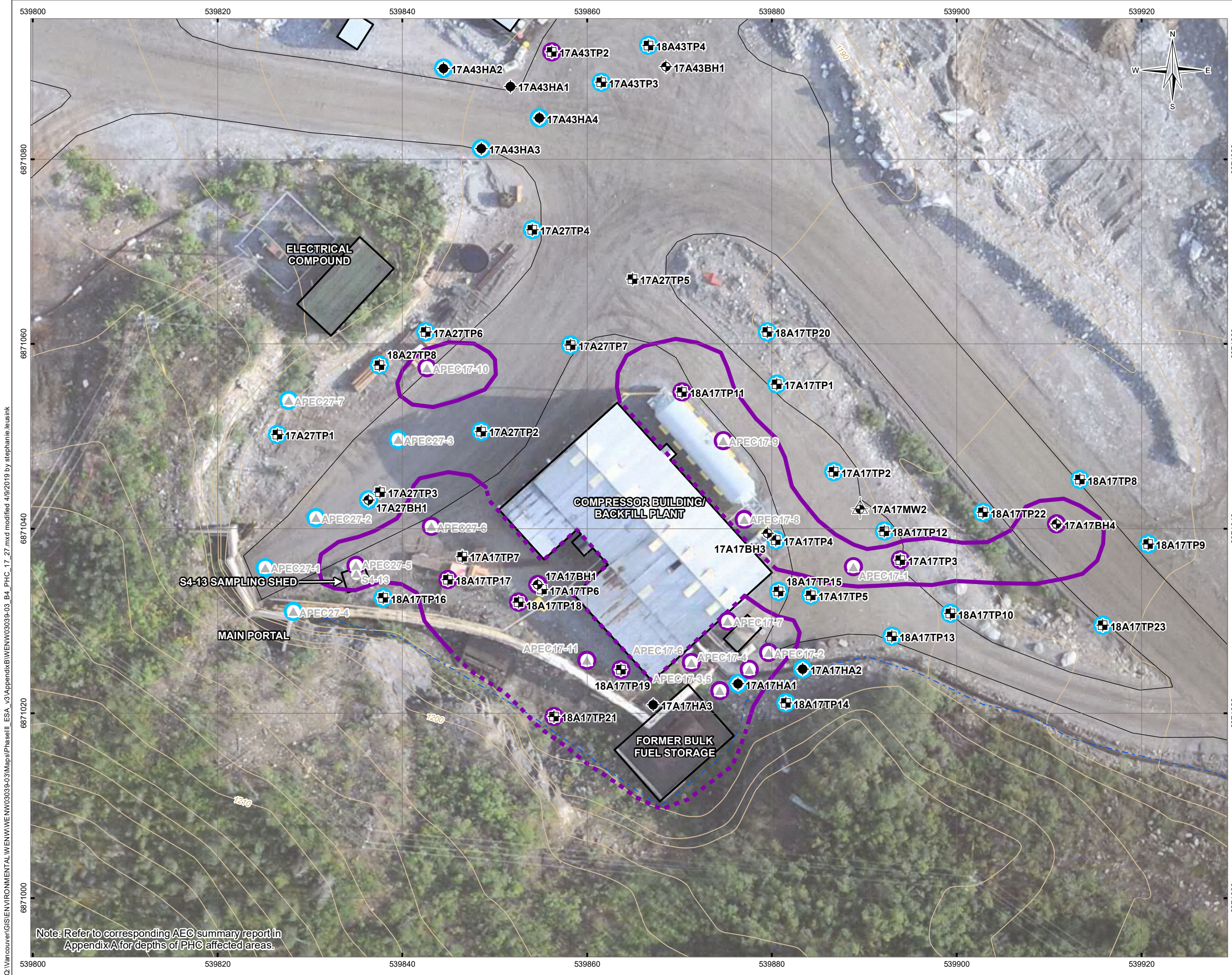
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**PHASE III ESA**

**PHC Delineation Zone C**  
**Showing Management Limit Exceedances**  
**(AEC 16 and AEC 30B)**

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<b>OFFICE</b> TL-VANC	<b>DWN</b> SL		<b>CKD</b> BB	<b>APVD</b> BB	<b>REV</b> 0
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LEGEND

2017 Monitoring Well (MW)

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017 Hand Auger (HA)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

Historical Shallow Soil Sample

Historical Surface Water Sample

PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface

PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface

Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)

Inferred PHC Extent (requires further assessment) (Management Limits)

Building

Road

Ditch

Contour (2 m)



NOTES

All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

STATUS  
ISSUED FOR USE

CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

PHC Delineation Zone D  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 17 and AEC 27)

PROJECTION  
UTM Zone 9

DATUM  
NAD83

CLIENT  
NORTH AMERICAN  
TUNGSTEN  
CORPORATION LTD

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TL-VANC

DWN  
SL

CKD  
BB

APVD  
BB

REV  
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TETRA TECH

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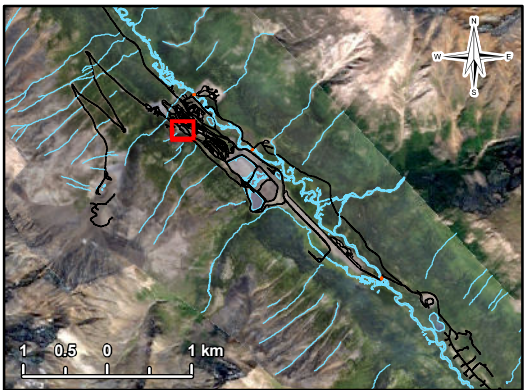


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LEGEND

- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017 Hand Auger (HA)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- 2017 Surface Water/Sediment Sample (SW/SS)
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample
- Historical Surface Water Sample
- PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface
- PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface
- Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Watercourse
- Contour (2 m)



**NOTES**  
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

**STATUS**  
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CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

PHC Delineation Zone E  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 21)



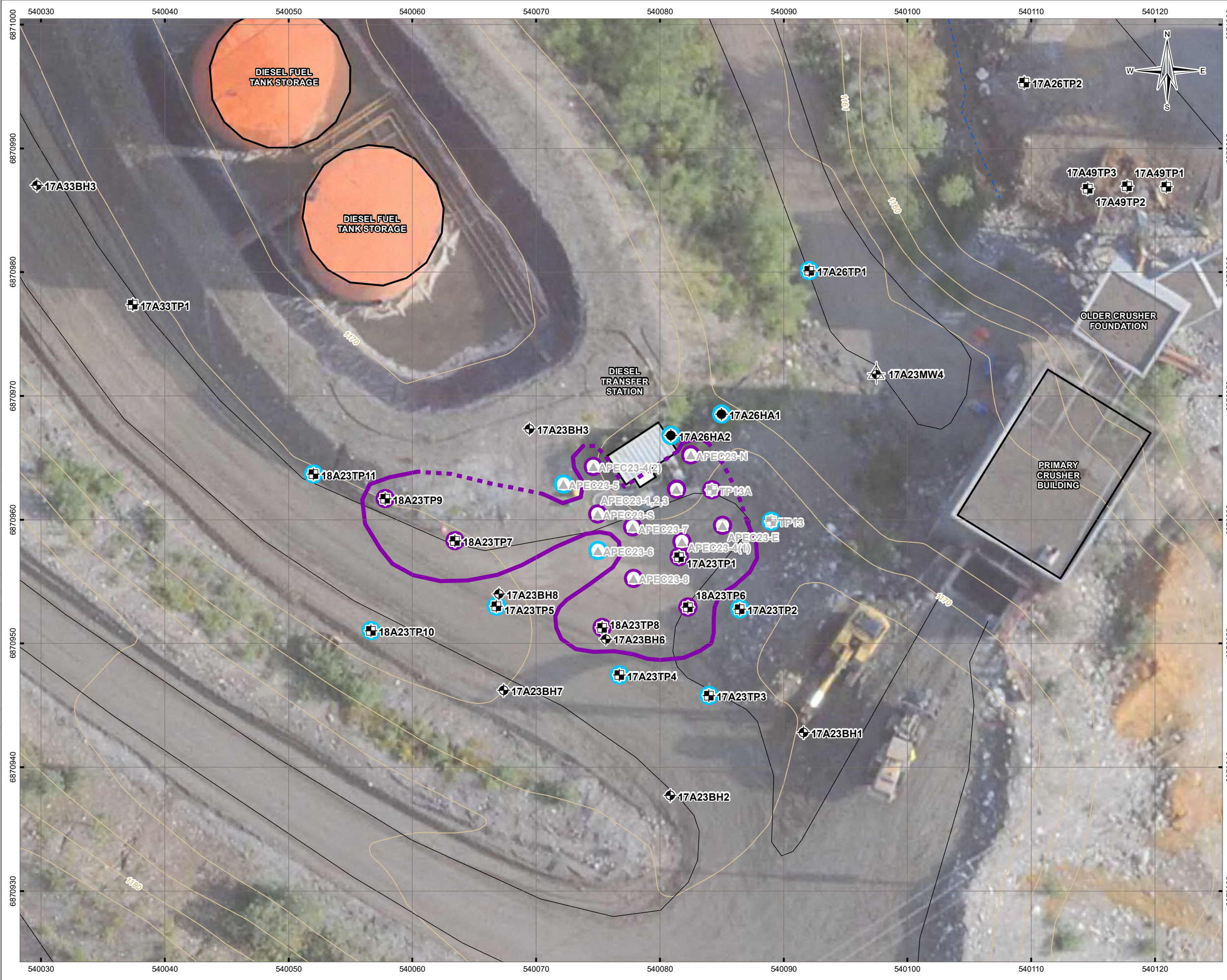
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Figure B5



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LEGEND

2017 Monitoring Well (MW)

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017 Hand Auger (HA)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

Historical Testpit

Historical Shallow Soil Sample

PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface

PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface

Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)

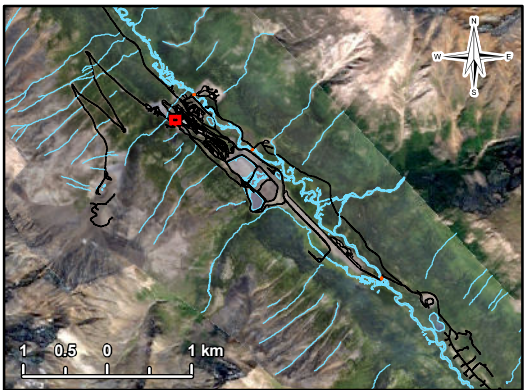
Inferred PHC Extent (requires further assessment) (Management Limits)

Building

Road

Ditch

Contour (2 m)



NOTES

All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

STATUS  
ISSUED FOR USE

CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

PHC Delineation Zone F  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 23)

PROJECTION  
UTM Zone 9

DATUM  
NAD83

CLIENT  
NORTH AMERICAN  
TUNGSTEN  
CORPORATION LTD

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Metres

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REV  
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TETRA TECH

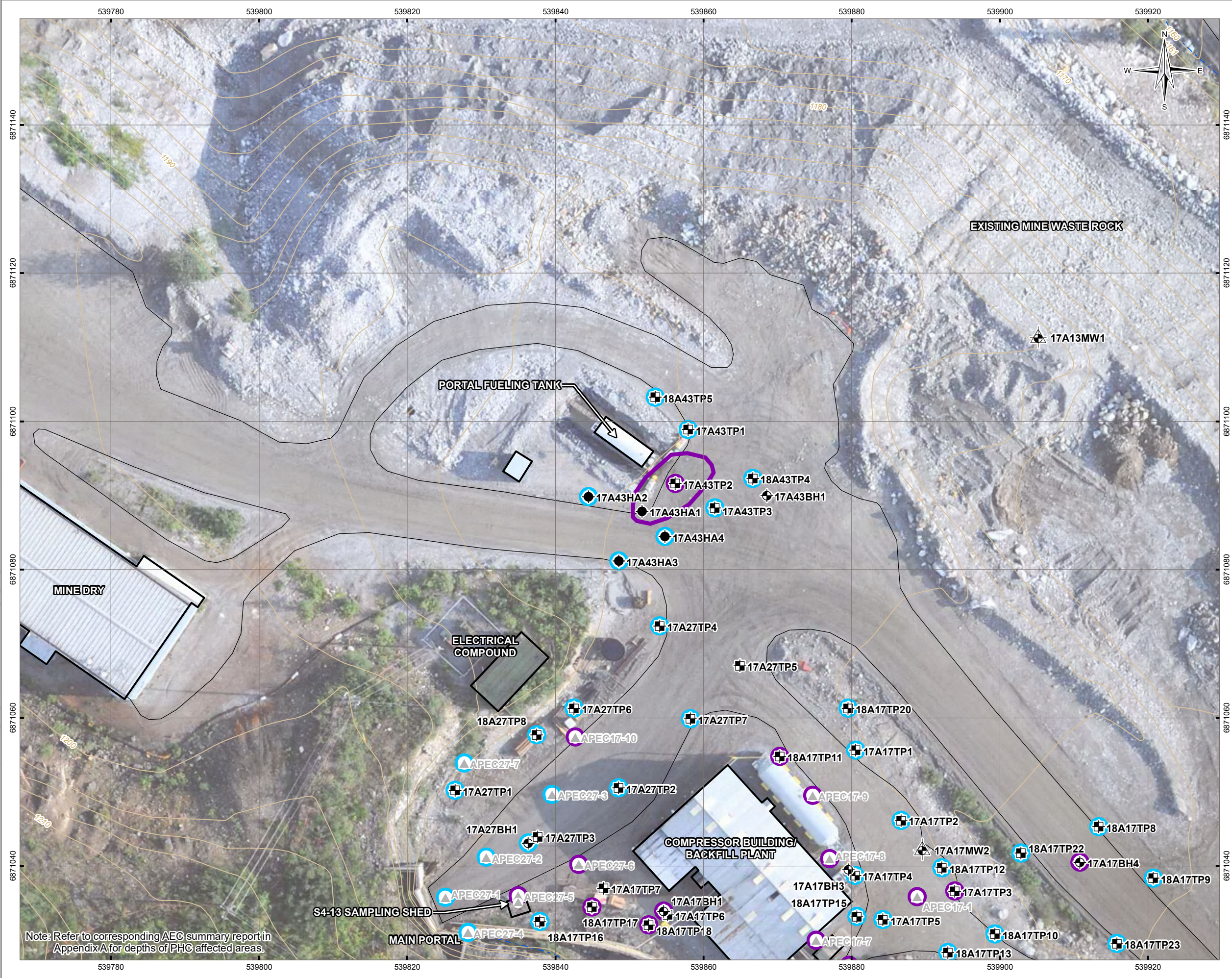
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Note: Refer to corresponding AEC summary report in Appendix A for depths of PHC affected areas.

**LEGEND**

- 2017 Monitoring Well (MW)
- 2017 Borehole (BH)
- 2017 Hand Auger (HA)
- 2017/2018 Testpit (TP)
- Historical Shallow Soil Sample
- Historical Surface Water Sample
- PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface
- PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface
- Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)
- Building
- Road
- Ditch
- Contour (2 m)

**NOTES**  
All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
Data provided by INAC (2013).  
Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

**STATUS**  
ISSUED FOR USE

**CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA**

**PHC Delineation Zone G  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 43)**

<b>PROJECTION</b> UTM Zone 9	<b>DATUM</b> NAD83	<b>CLIENT</b> 			
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**Figure B7**





LEGEND

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017 Hand Auger (HA)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

2017 Surface Water/Sediment Sample (SW/SS)

Historical Shallow Soil Sample

Historical Surface Water Sample

PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface

PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface

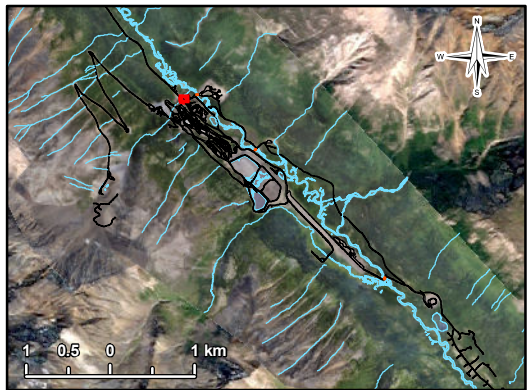
Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)

Road

Ditch

Watercourse

Contour (2 m)



NOTES

All locations and area boundaries are approximate.  
Base data source:  
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Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds,  
and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

STATUS  
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PHASE III ESA

PHC Delineation Zone H  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 50)

PROJECTION  
UTM Zone 9

DATUM  
NAD83

CLIENT  
NORTH AMERICAN  
TUNGSTEN  
CORPORATION LTD

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SL

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LEGEND

2017 Borehole (BH)

2017 Hand Auger (HA)

2017/2018 Testpit (TP)

Historical Monitoring Well

PHC concentrations less than management limits within 1 m of surface

PHC management exceedances within 1 m of surface

Estimated PHC Affected Area (Management Limits)

Building

Road

Ditch

Contour (2 m)

GH12-I

GH12-J

GH12-H

GH12-G

GH12-E

NOTES

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Drone imagery at the borrow pit, tailings ponds, and interceptor ditch collected in 2018.

STATUS  
ISSUED FOR USE

CANTUNG MINE  
PHASE III ESA

PHC Delineation Zone I  
Showing Management Limit Exceedances  
(AEC 6)

PROJECTION  
UTM Zone 9

DATUM  
NAD83

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Metres

CLIENT  
NORTH AMERICAN  
TUNGSTEN  
CORPORATION LTD

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