

Part 2 — Technical Requirements

Application under the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* for a confined feeding operation, manure collection area, and/or manure storage facility(ies)

NRCB USE ONLY	Application number	Legal land description
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval <input type="checkbox"/> Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Authorization <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<u>BA25001</u>	<u>NW 24-68-22 W4M</u>

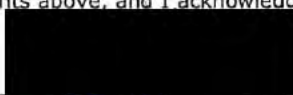
APPLICATION DISCLOSURE

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Any construction prior to obtaining an NRCB permit is an offence and is subject to enforcement action, including prosecution.

I, the applicant, or applicant's agent, have read and understand the statements above, and I acknowledge that the information provided in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

April, 30, 2025
Date of signing
Deep Creek Farms Inc 2020
Corporate name (if applicable)


Signature
Wesley Walter
Print name

GENERAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

Proposed facilities: list all proposed confined feeding operation facilities and their dimensions. Indicate whether any of the proposed facilities are additions to existing facilities. (attach additional pages if needed)	
Proposed facilities	Dimensions (m) (length, width, and depth)
Feedlot Pens	470m 102m
Catch Basin	85m 60m 4.5m
Cattle handling / Processing	
Commodity / Silage Pad	

Existing facilities: list ALL existing confined feeding operation facilities and their dimensions		
Existing facilities	Dimensions (m) (length, width, and depth)	NRCB USE ONLY
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If a new facility is replacing an old facility, please explain what will happen to the old facility and when. ☐ N/A

Construction completion date for proposed facilities December 30, 2028

Additional information

Livestock numbers: Complete only if livestock numbers are different from what was identified in the Part 1 application. Note: if livestock numbers increase in your Part 2 application, a new Part 1 application must be submitted which may result in a loss of priority for minimum distance separation (MDS).

Livestock category and type (Available in the Schedule 2 of the Part 2 Matters Regulation)	Permitted number	Proposed increase or decrease in number (if applicable)	Total
<i>finishers</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3000</i>	<i>3000</i>

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DECLARATION AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF APPLICANT CONCERNING WATER ACT LICENCE issued by Alberta Environment and Protected Areas (EPA) for a confined feeding operation (CFO) *Date and sign one of the following four options*

OPTION 1: Applying through the NRCB for both the AOPA permit and the Water Act licence

I **DO** want my water licence application coupled to my AOPA permit application.

Signed this ____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature of Applicant or Agent

OPTION 2: Processing the AOPA permit and Water Act licence separately

1. I (we) acknowledge that the CFO will need a new water licence from EPA under the *Water Act* for the development or activity proposed in this AOPA application.
2. I (we) request that the NRCB process the AOPA application **independently of** EPA's processing of the CFO's application for a water licence.
3. In making this request, I (we) recognize that, if this AOPA application is granted by the NRCB, the NRCB's decision will not be considered by EPA as improving or enhancing the CFO's eligibility for a water licence under the *Water Act*.
4. I (we) acknowledge that any construction or actions to populate the CFO with livestock pursuant to an AOPA permit in the absence of a *Water Act* licence will **not** be relevant to EPA's consideration of whether to grant the *Water Act* licence application.
5. I (we) acknowledge that any such construction or livestock populating will be at the CFO's sole risk if the *Water Act* licence application is denied or if the operation of the CFO is otherwise deemed to be in violation of the *Water Act*. This risk includes being required to depopulate the CFO and/or to cease further construction, or to remove "works" or "undertakings" (as defined in the *Water Act*).
6. **AS RELEVANT:** I (we) acknowledge that the CFO is located in the South Saskatchewan River Basin and that, pursuant to the *Bow, Oldman and South Saskatchewan River Basin Water Allocation Order* [Alta. Reg. 171/2007], this basin is currently closed to new surface water allocations.
7. **Provide:** Water licence application number(s) _____

Signed this ____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature of Applicant or Agent

OPTION 3: Additional water licence not required

1. I (we) declare that the CFO will not need a new licence from EPA under the *Water Act* for the development or activity proposed in this AOPA application.
2. **Provide:** Water license number(s) or water conveyance agreement details _____

Signed this ____ day of _____, 20____.

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OPTION 4: Uncertain if *Water Act* licence is needed; acknowledgement of risk (for existing CFOs only)

1. At this time, I (we) do not know whether a new water licence is needed from EPA under the *Water Act* for the development or activity proposed in this AOPA application.
2. If a new *Water Act* licence is needed, I (we) request that the NRCB process the AOPA application **independently of** EPA's processing of the CFO's application for a water licence.
3. In making this request, I (we) recognize that, if this AOPA application is granted by the NRCB, the NRCB's decision will not be considered by EPA as improving or enhancing the CFO's eligibility for a water licence under the *Water Act*.
4. I (we) acknowledge that any construction or actions to populate the CFO with additional livestock pursuant to an AOPA permit in the absence of a *Water Act* licence will **not** be relevant to EPA's consideration of whether to grant my *Water Act* licence application, if a new water licence is needed.
5. I (we) acknowledge that any such construction or livestock increase will be at the CFO's sole risk if the *Water Act* licence application is denied or if the operation of the CFO is otherwise deemed to be in violation of the *Water Act*. This risk includes being required to depopulate the CFO and/or to cease further construction, or to remove "works" or "undertakings" (as defined in the *Water Act*).
6. **AS RELEVANT:** I (we) acknowledge that the CFO is located in the South Saskatchewan River Basin and that, pursuant to the *Bow, Oldman and South Saskatchewan River Basin Water Allocation Order* [Alta. Reg. 171/2007], this basin is currently closed to new surface water allocations.
7. **Provide:** Water license number(s) or water conveyance agreement details _____

Signed this 30 day of April, 2025.

Signature of Applicant or Agent

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GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

(complete this section for the worst case of the existing facility which is the closest to water bodies or water wells and for each of the proposed facilities)

Facility description / name (as indicated on site plan)

Existing: _____

Proposed 1: Fred lot

Proposed 2: _____

Proposed 3: _____

Facility and environmental risk information		Facilities				NRCB USE ONLY	
		Existing	Proposed 1	Proposed 2	Proposed 3	Meets requirements	Comments
Flood plain information	What is the elevation of the floor of the lowest manure storage or collection facility above the 1:25 year flood plain or the highest known flood level?	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1 m <input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1 m	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1 m <input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1 m	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1 m <input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1 m	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1 m <input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1 m	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	
Surface water information	How many springs are within 100 m of the manure storage facility or manure collection area?		0			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	
	How many water wells are within 100 m of the manure storage facility or manure collection area?		0			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	
	What is the shortest distance from the manure collection or storage facility to a surface water body? (e.g., lake, creek, slough, seasonal)		200m			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	
Groundwater information	What is the depth to the water table?		5.7			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	
	What is the depth to the groundwater resource/aquifer you draw water from?					<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES with exemption	

Additional information (attach supporting information, e.g. borehole logs, records, etc. you consider relevant to your application)



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NRCB Natural Resources Conservation Board

DISTANCE OF ANY MANURE STORAGE FACILITY (EXISTING OR PROPOSED) TO NEIGHBOURING RESIDENCES

Neighbour name(s)	Legal land description	Distance (m)	NRCB USE ONLY				
			Zoning (LUB) category	MDS category (1-4)	Distance (m)	Waiver attached (if required)	Meets regulations
① Salamon	NE 24 68 22 W4	970					
② Wolanuk	SW 19 68 21 W4	1000					
③ Lamoureux	SW 19 68 21 W4	1200					
④ Holt	SE 25 68 22 W4	1000					
⑤ Roberge	NW 30 68 21 W4	1400					

LAND BASE FOR MANURE AND COMPOST APPLICATION (complete only if an increase in livestock or manure production will occur)

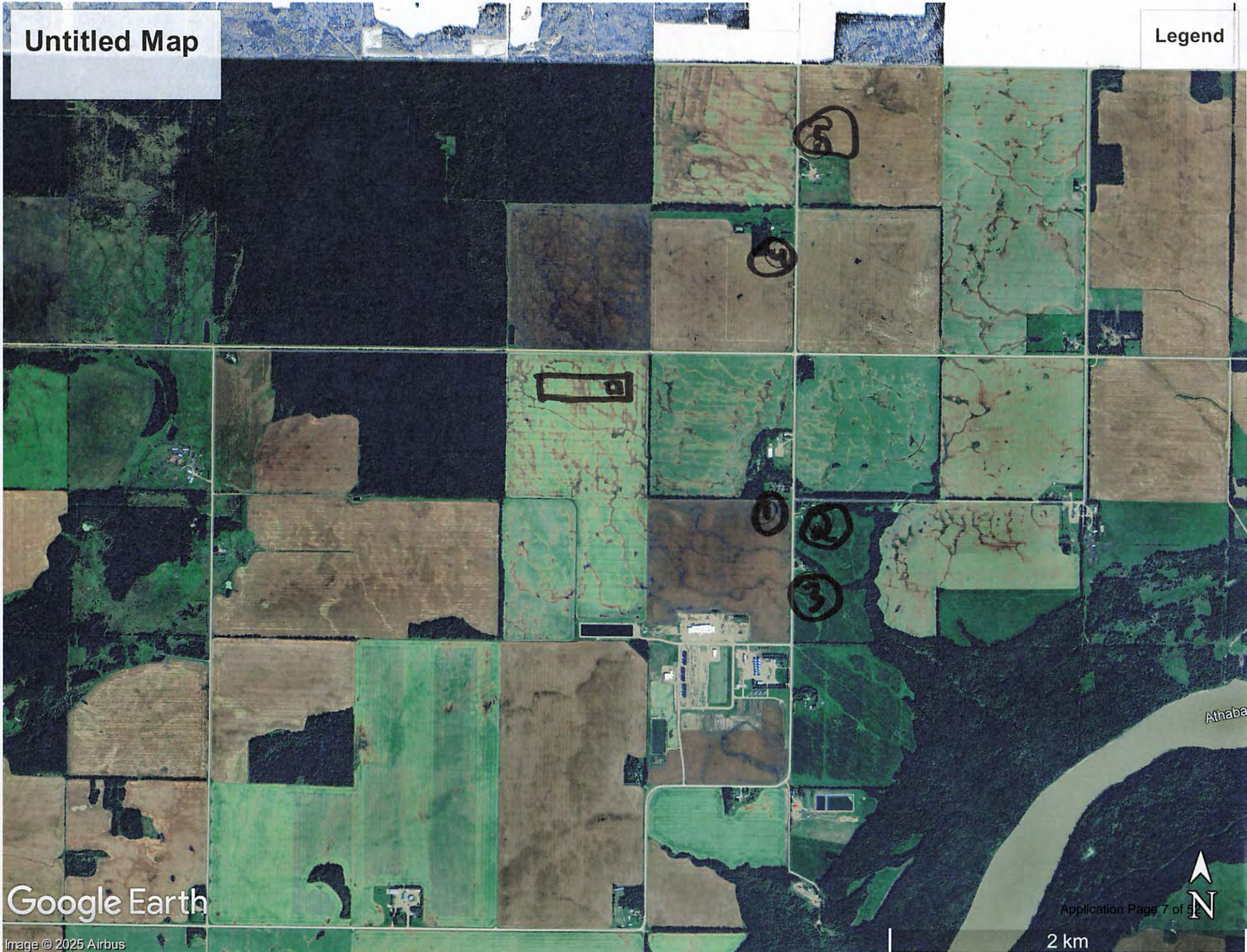
Name of land owner(s)*	Legal land description	Usable area** (ha)	Soil zone ***	NRCB USE ONLY	
				Usable area (ha)	Agreement attached (if required)
	SW/NE 25-68-22-W4	308'			
	W 1/2 32-68-21-W4	308'			
	E 1/2 5-69-21-W4	308'			
	See attached				
Total					

* If you are **not** the registered landowner, you must attach copies of land use agreements signed by all landowners.

** Available manure spreading area (excluding setback areas from residences, common bodies of water, water wells, etc. as identified in Agdex 096-5 Manure Spreading Regulations)

*** Brown, dark brown, black, grey wooded, or irrigated

Additional information (attach any additional information as required)



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SOLID MANURE, COMPOST, & COMPOSTING MATERIALS: Barns, feedlots, & storage facilities - Naturally occurring protective layer

(complete a copy of this section for **EACH** barn, feedlot, and storage facility for solid manure, composting materials, or compost with a naturally occurring protective layer for the liner)

Facility description / name (as indicated on site plan)

1. Feed lot Pens

2. _____

Manure storage capacity

	Length (m)	Width (m)	Depth below ground level (m)	NRCB USE ONLY Estimated storage capacity (m ³)
1.	<u>470 m</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>0</u>	
2.				
TOTAL CAPACITY				

☐ I plan to use a short-term solid manure storage (STMS) as part of my manure storage and handling plan for this CFO. (The AOPA requirements for STMS are set out in the NRCB [Short-Term Solid Manure Storage Requirements Fact Sheet](#).)

Surface water control systems

Describe the run-on and runoff control system

Run off towards catch Basin

Naturally occurring protective layer details

Thickness of naturally occurring protective layer	<u>6</u> (m)	Provide details (as required)		
Soil texture	<u>45</u> % sand	<u>24</u> % silt	<u>31</u> % clay	
Hydraulic conductivity - naturally occurring protective layer	Depth and type of soil tested <u>4.2 m</u>	Hydraulic conductivity (cm/s) <u>4.5×10^{-9}</u>	Describe test standard used <u>Insitu</u>	

Additional information (attach copies of soil test reports)

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Requirements met: ☐ YES ☐ NO
Condition required: ☐ YES ☐ NO
Report attached: ☐ YES ☐ NO

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RUNOFF CONTROL CATCH BASIN: Naturally occurring protective layer

(complete a copy of this section for **EACH proposed** runoff control catch basin with a naturally occurring protective layer)

Facility description / name (as indicated on site plan)

1. Catch Basin
2. _____
3. _____

Determination of runoff area

Provide a plan and show how you calculated the area contributing to runoff for each catch basin

See attached

Catch basin capacity

	Length (m)	Width (m)	Total depth (m)	Depth below ground level (m)	Slope run:rise			NRCB USE ONLY Calculated storage capacity (excl. 0.5 m freeboard) (m ³)
					Inside end walls	Inside side walls	Outside walls	
1.	<u>85m</u>	<u>60m</u>	<u>4.5m</u>	<u>4.5m</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	
2.								
3.								
TOTAL CAPACITY								

Naturally occurring protective layer details

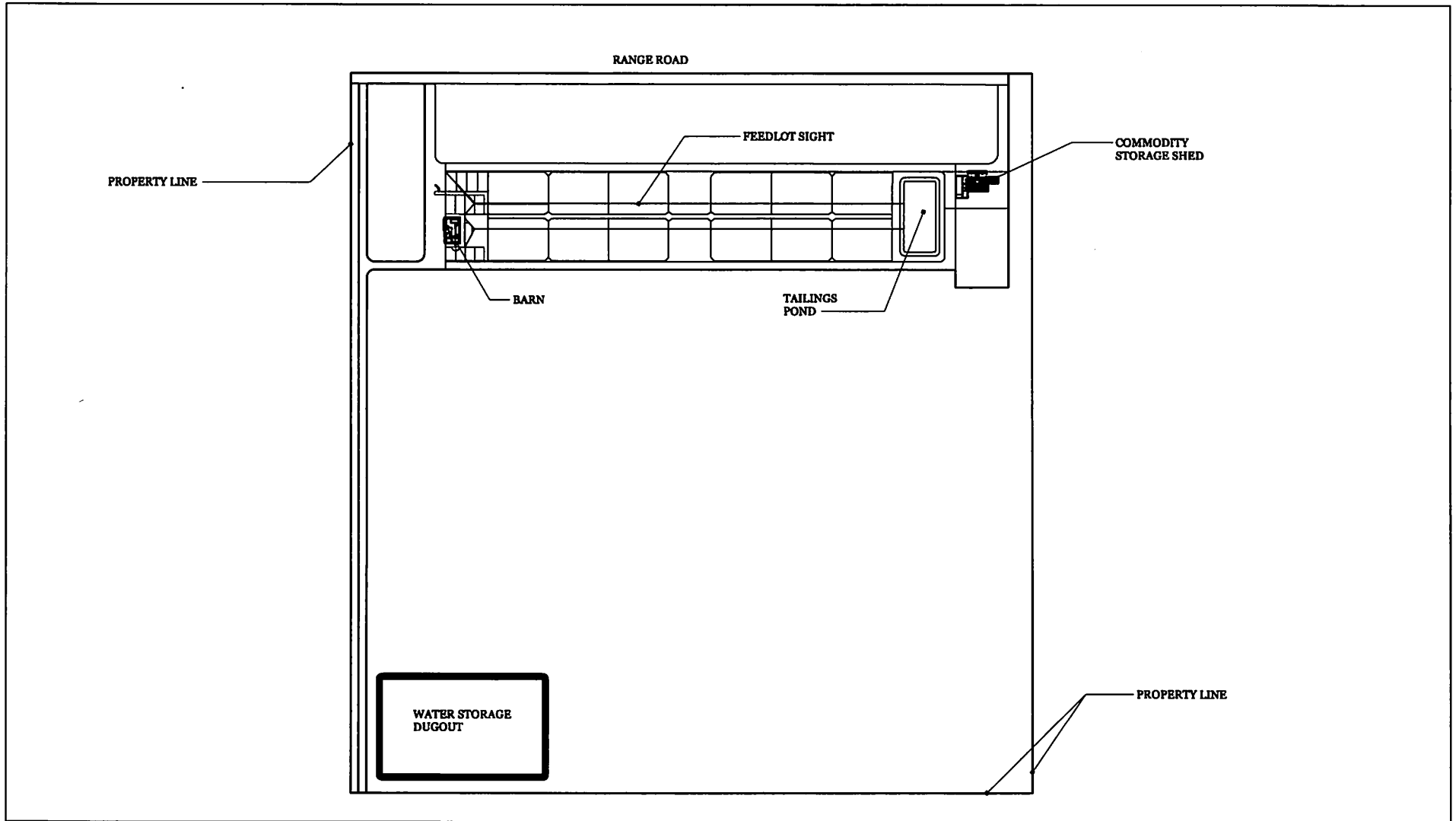
Thickness of naturally occurring protective layer	<u>6</u> (m)	Provide details (as required)	
Soil texture	<u>47</u> % sand	<u>29</u> % silt	<u>28</u> % clay
Hydraulic conductivity - naturally occurring protective layer	<u>4.2m</u>	Hydraulic conductivity (cm/s) <u>4.85×10^{-9}</u>	Describe test standard used <u>Insitu</u>

Catch Basin – Design and management requirements can be found in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-101

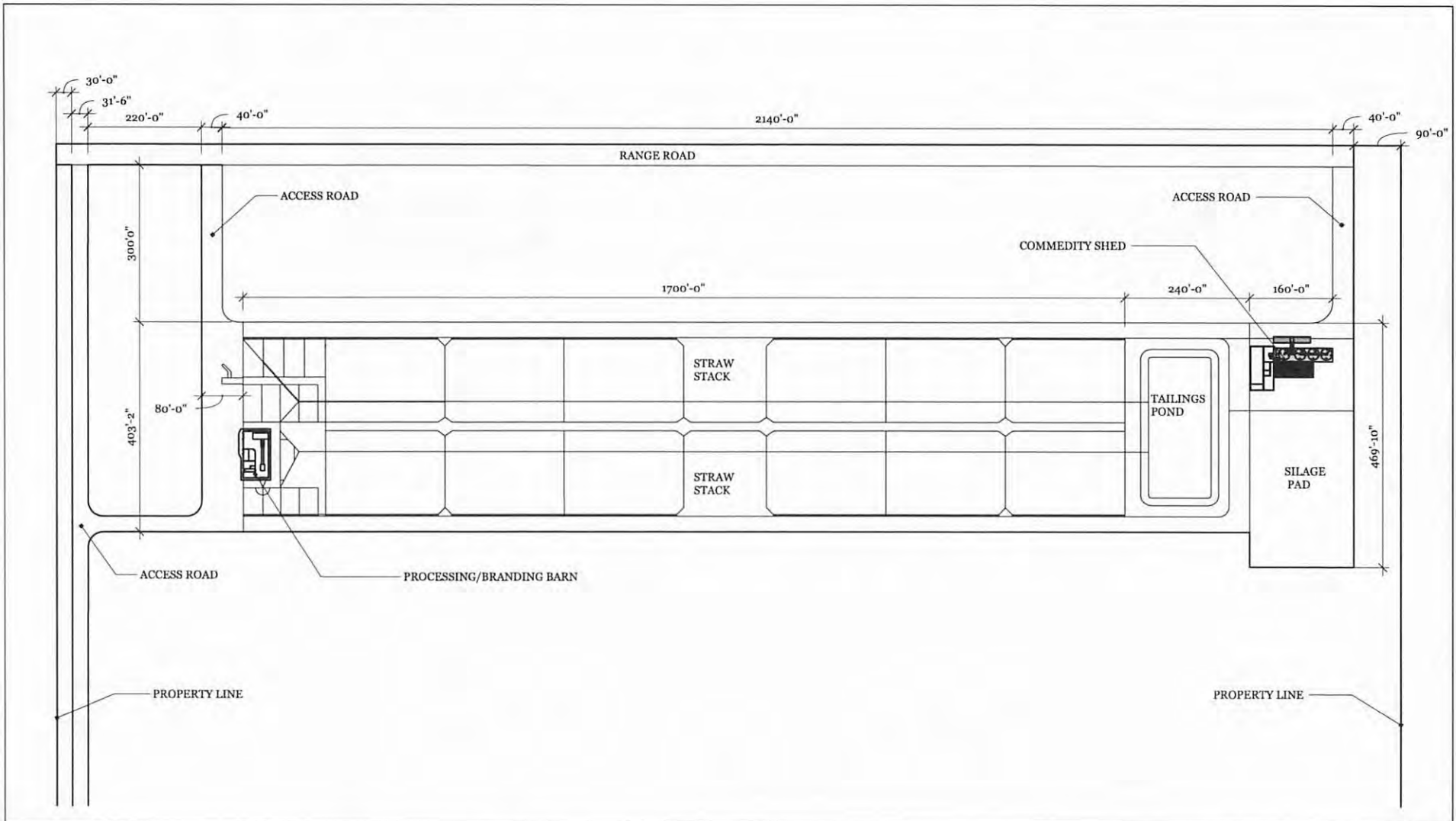
If soil info differs per facility include additional soils page.

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Requirements met: ☐ YES ☐ NO
Condition required: ☐ YES ☐ NO
Report attached: ☐ YES ☐ NO

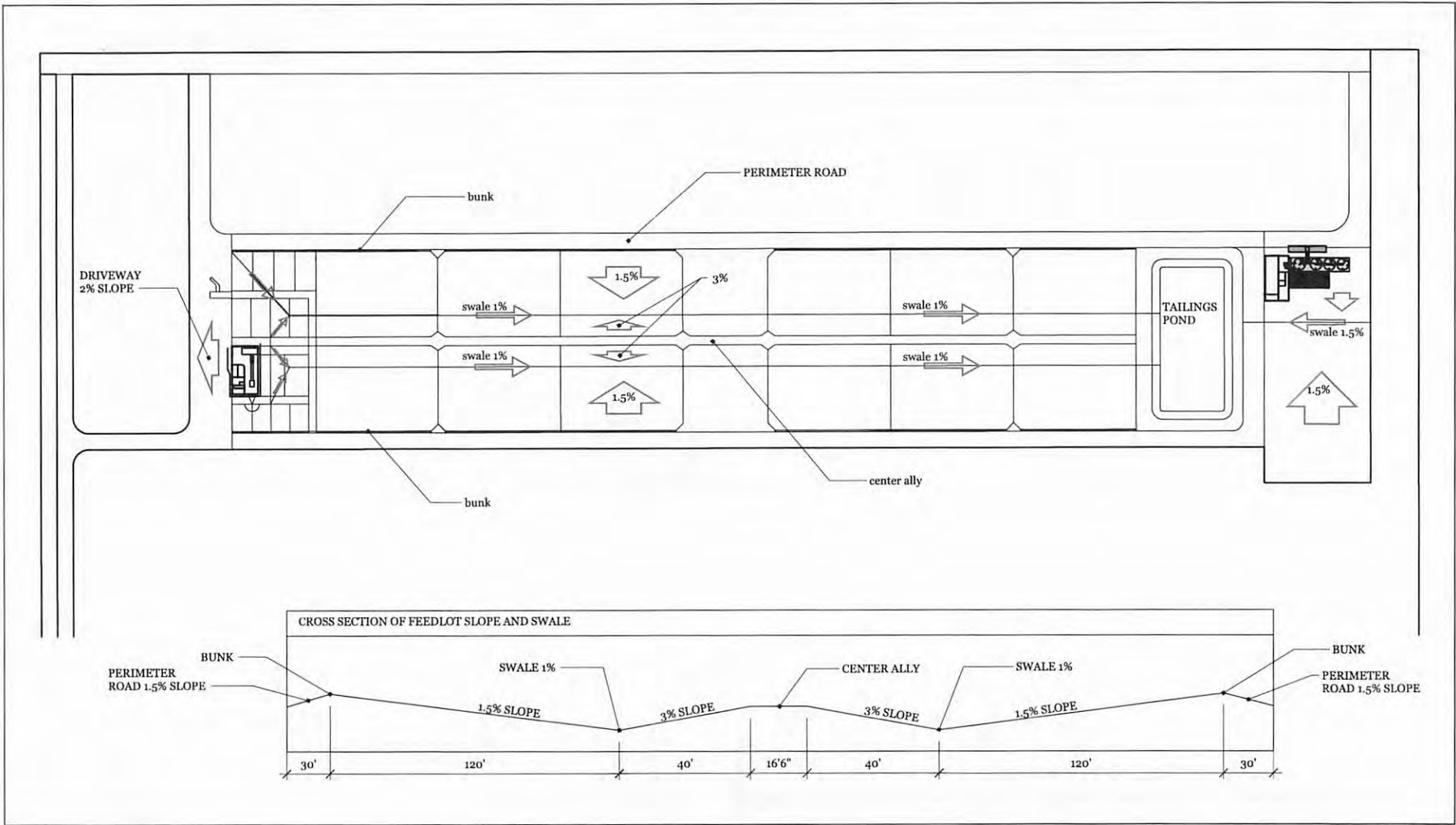


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		May 2, 2025

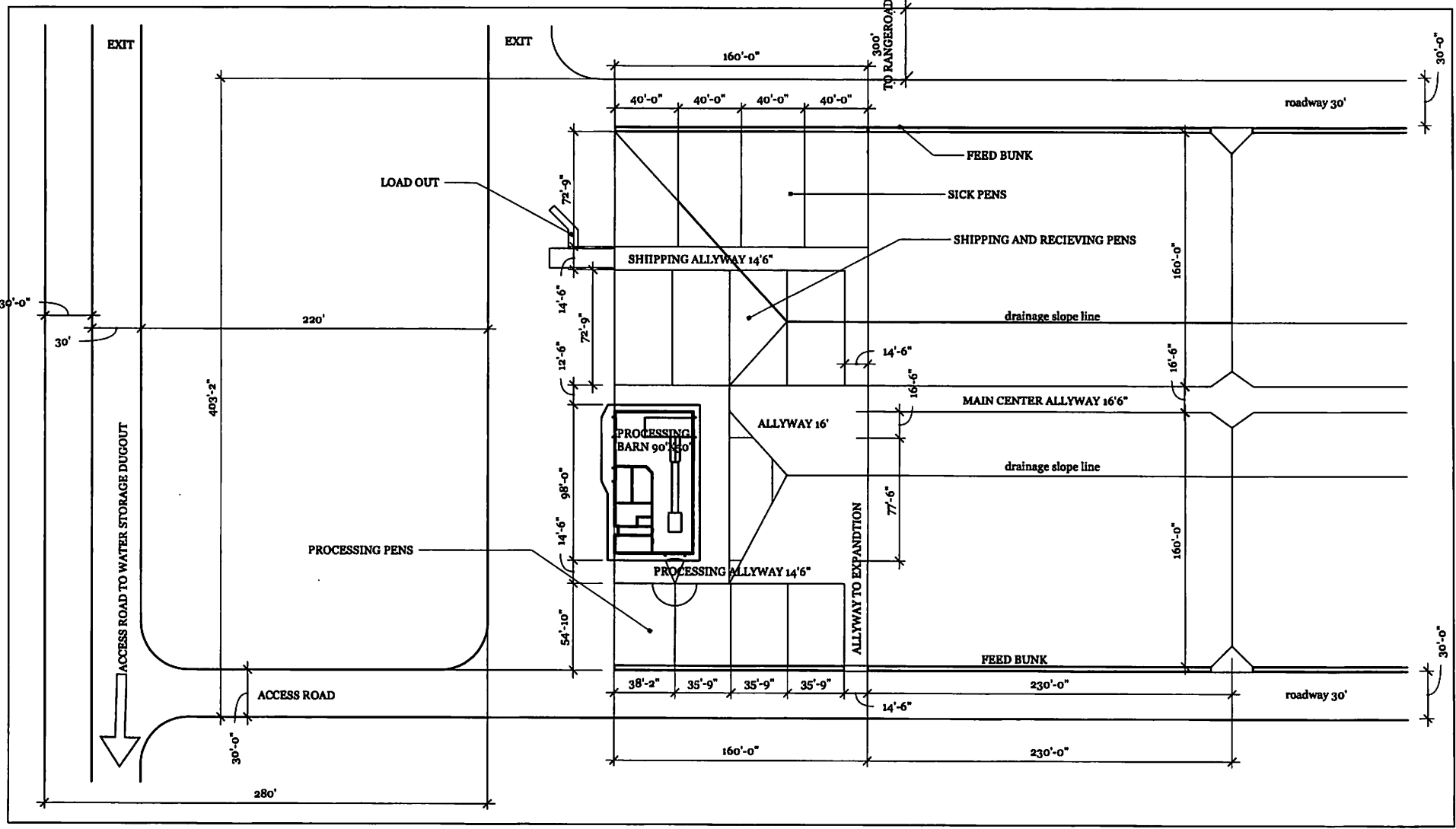


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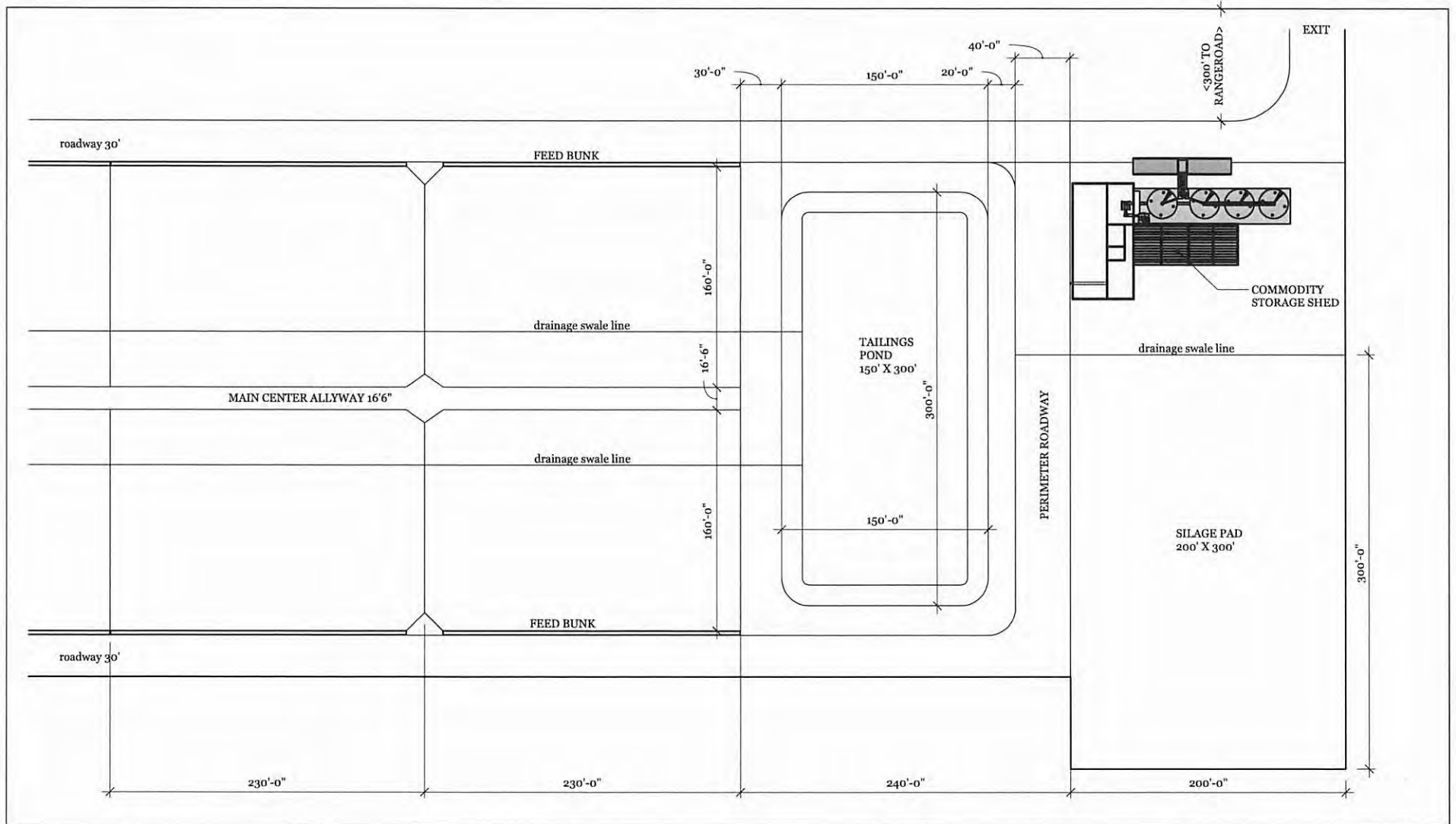


PROCESSING BARN AREA LAYOUT

DEEP CREEK FARMS

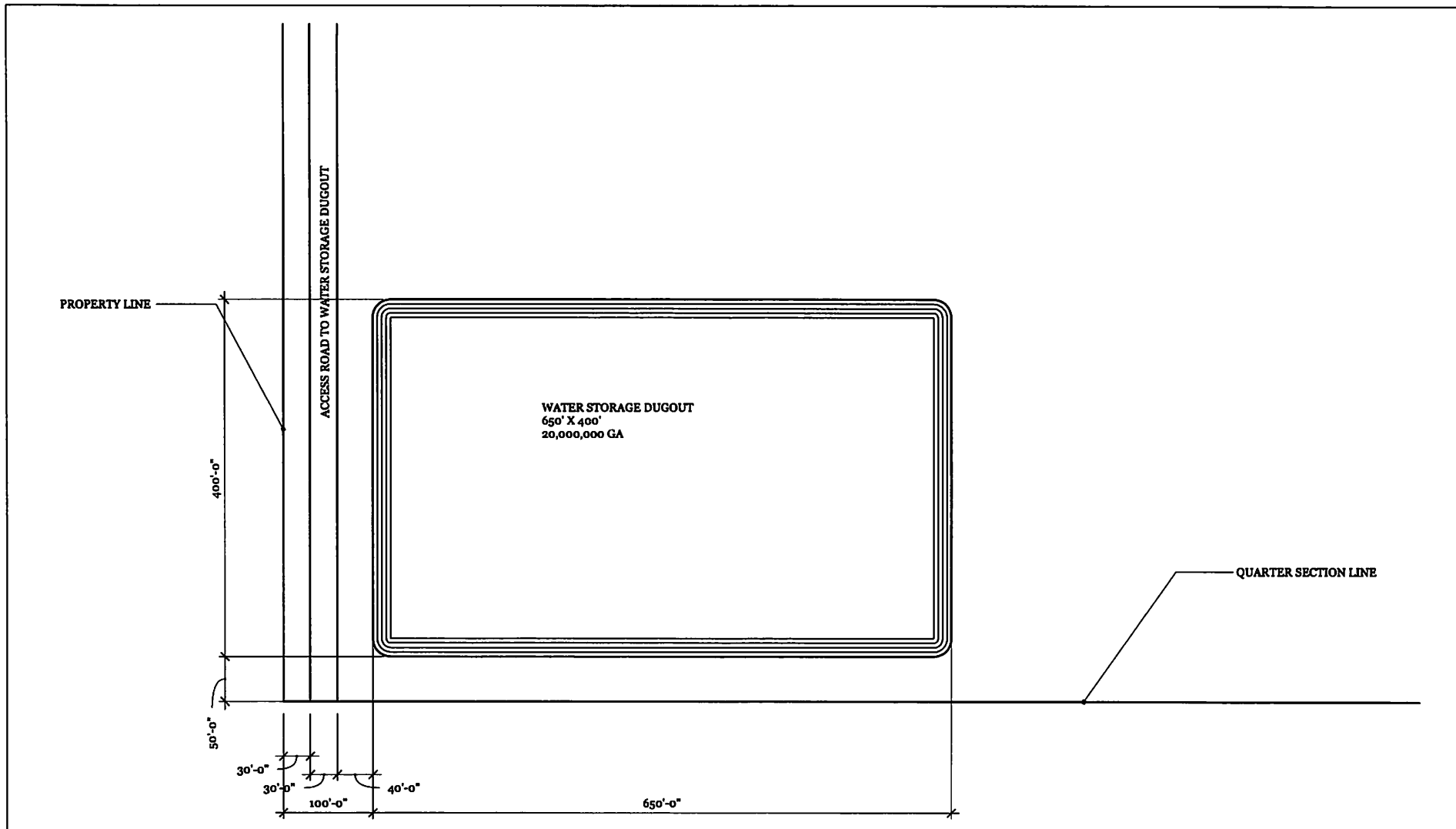
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DUGOUT AREA LAYOUT		FINAL REV	
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SITE AND SOIL ASSESSMENT

Proposed Solid Manure Storage and Catch Basin
NW¼-24-068-22-W4M

Athabasca County, Alberta



**Site and Soil Assessment
Proposed Solid Manure Storage and Catch Basin
NW¼-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta**

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1.0 Introduction and Scope of Work

Envirowest Engineering (Envirowest) was retained by Wes Walter of Deep Creek Farms 2020 Inc. to conduct a Site and Soil Assessment for the proposed construction of solid manure storage pens and a catch basin associated with a proposed feedlot operation.

The assessment was completed to determine conditions beneath the proposed construction area and assess soil properties for construction of proposed facilities. The operation, herein referred to as “the Site,” is located on NW-24-068-22-W4M in Athabasca County.

The assessment has been completed in accordance with the standards and regulations associated with the amended Agricultural Operation Practices Act and associated regulations which govern all new and modified confined feeding operations.

Scope of Work

Seven investigative boreholes were drilled using a truck-mounted rotary auger and completed to a maximum depth of 6.0 m below ground surface (mbgs) on February 20, 2025. The boreholes were completed in the area proposed for solid manure storage (feedlot pens) and for the catch basin. The borehole locations are shown on Figure 1.0 (attached).



2.0 Assessment Results

The Site is in an area of relatively flat. The Site is currently utilized as cropland.

Seven investigative boreholes were drilled using a truck-mounted rotary auger and completed to a maximum depth of 6.0 m below ground surface (mbgs) on February 20, 2025. The boreholes were completed in the area proposed for solid manure storage (feedlot pens) and for the catch basin. The borehole locations are shown on Figure 1.0 (attached).

Potential natural barrier material (noted in borehole logs as sandy clay) was typically found beneath topsoil and intermittent clayey sand. A sand pocket was noted at 3.5 mbgs to 4.25 mbgs within borehole 25BH02. Bedrock was not encountered to the depth of investigation (6.0 mbgs).

Boreholes were backfilled with the material removed by back spinning the solid stem auger and compacting to depth of the borehole.

The results of the soil analysis completed by a third-party laboratory are presented in Table 1a and 1b below. The soil sample locations are presented on Figure 1, and borehole logs are attached.



Table 1a: Soil Properties Results: Proposed Pen Area

Parameter	25BH01-01	25BH01-02	25BH01-04	25BH04-01	25BH05-01	25BH06-01
Sample Depth (mbgs)	0.5	2.25	5.5	2.5	2.25	2.25
Particle Size (%sand)	40	44	44	46	45	41
Particle Size (%silt)	24	25	25	23	24	24
Particle Size (%clay)	36	32	31	31	31	35
Texture Class	Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam
Field Hydraulic Conductivity (cm/sec)	-	-	4.85×10^{-9}	-	-	-



Table 1b: Soil Properties Results: Proposed Catch Basin Area

Parameter	25BH02-01	25BH02-03	25BH03-01	25BH03-02	25BH03-03	25BH03-04	25BH07-01	25BH07-02	25BH07-03	25BH07-04
Sample Depth (mbgs)	0.75	5.25	0.75	2.25	3.75	5.25	0.5	2.25	3.5	5.25
Particle Size (%sand)	47	49	45	43	43	45	47	45	47	43
Particle Size (%silt)	24	21	24	26	23	22	25	24	22	24
Particle Size (%clay)	29	30	31	31	34	33	28	31	31	33
Texture Class	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam
Field Hydraulic Conductivity (cm/sec)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



The soils were identified as clay loam or sandy clay loam. The natural barrier material had an average clay content of 32%, ranging from 29 to 36%.

The monitoring well installed at borehole 24BH01 (24MW01) was sufficiently hydrated prior to completing the in-situ hydraulic conductivity testing. The in-situ hydraulic conductivity test was completed between March 21 to 28, 2025. The monitoring well was placed to assess the material below surface, and was screened from 4.24 to 5.74 meters below ground surface (mbgs) with bentonite filling the annulus below the screen from surface to 4.0 mbgs.

The initial depth to water was measured in the well. A microdiver was installed to log and measure water level, temperature, and time. A volume of water was then removed from the well and the change in pressure head measured over time to assess hydraulic conductivity of the clay strata. It is assumed (as per AGDEX 096-01) that all flow occurs under saturated conditions. The depth was measured every minute for 1 week. The results of the test were analyzed as a falling head test using AQTESOLV Bouwer-Rice method for unconfined wells. The results of the assessment were an in-situ hydraulic conductivity of 4.85×10^{-9} cm/sec.

A saturated water table was not encountered during the assessment to a maximum depth of 6.0 mbgs.

A piezometer was installed at the location of the proposed catch basin, to a depth of 6.0 mbgs on February 20, 2025. Depth to water table was measured to be 5.7 mbgs on April 23, 2025.

Boreholes were backfilled with the material removed by back spinning the solid stem auger and compacting to depth of the borehole.



3.0 Liner Assessments

3.1 Natural Barrier Assessment (Solid Manure Storage)

Based on the information obtained it was determined that the native clay within the proposed area of construction for solid manure storage was found to the maximum depth of investigation to a maximum of 3.0 meters, generally at surface.

Minimum Required Liner Depth for a natural barrier for solid manure storage:

$$\frac{2 \text{ m}}{1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ cm/sec}} = \frac{X \text{ m}}{4.85 \times 10^{-9} \text{ cm/sec}}$$

$$X = 0.01 \text{ m}$$

A minimum of **0.5** meters of native clay is required to be present to provide a sufficient protective barrier. It is found that there is sufficient protection across the proposed solid manure storage area.

3.1 Natural Barrier Assessment (Catch Basin)

Based on the information obtained it was determined that the native clay within the proposed area of construction for a catch basin was found to the maximum depth of investigation to a maximum of 6.0 meters, generally at surface.

Minimum Required Liner Depth for a natural barrier for liquid manure storage:

$$\frac{5 \text{ m}}{1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ cm/sec}} = \frac{X \text{ m}}{4.85 \times 10^{-9} \text{ cm/sec}}$$

$$X = 0.02 \text{ m}$$

A minimum of **0.5** meters of native clay is required to be present to provide a sufficient protective barrier. It is found that there is sufficient protection across the proposed catch basin area.



4.0 Conclusions

The following conclusions are based on the discussed scope of the construction.

The naturally occurring soils were determined to be appropriate for the construction of a naturally clay lined solid manure storage (pens) and a catch basin.



5.0 Design and Construction Considerations

5.1 Solid Manure Storage

The area measures approximately 375 meters by 230 meters. The pen area should be graded to ensure 0.5% slope towards the catch basin.

5.2 Catch Basin

The proposed area of contributing run-off for Catch Basin, is conservatively 86,250 m². The size of the catch basin is requested to be 2.0 million gallons.

The storage capacity required for the Catch Basin is 4,140 m³ (based on local 1 in 30 year precipitation data) and will have the following specifications:

- To provide the required capacity, the catch basin should be 62 m in length x 62 m in width. The overall depth has been designed as 4.5 m. The overall capacity of the catch basin will be 10,858 m³, which accounts for the required 0.5 m of freeboard, and provides a storage capacity of 9,028 m³. The sizing is based on an inside end and side wall slope of 3:1 (run/rise).
- The bottom of the liner must be not less than 1.0 m above the top of the shallow groundwater level at the time of construction.
- The overall depth of 4.5 m will be achieved through a below grade depth of 4.5 m. Above-grade dykes may be needed to redirect unimpacted surface flow. The outside dyke walls should be completed to a slope of 4:1. The crest of the dyke should be sloped slightly outward to direct rainfall away from the storage facility.



6.0 Closure

Envirowest Engineering is pleased to submit the report to Wes Walter of Deep Creek 2020 Inc. The information and conclusions contained in this report are for their sole use. No other party is to rely upon the information contained within the report without the express written authorization of Envirowest Engineering.

Envirowest Engineering is not responsible for any damages that may be suffered as the result of any unauthorized use of, or reliance on, this report. Envirowest Engineering has performed the work and made the findings and conclusions set out in the report in a manner consistent with the level of care and skill normally exercised by members of the environmental engineer profession practicing under similar conditions at the time the work was performed. Envirowest Engineering accepts no responsibility for any deficiency, misstatement or inaccuracy in this report resulting from misinformation from any individuals or parties that provided information as part of this report.

We trust that this report meets your present needs. Please feel free to contact the undersigned with any questions or should you require additional information.

Respectfully submitted



Prepared by:

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7.0 Qualifications of Assessors

Ms. Emily Low, B.Sc., P.Eng, is an Environmental Engineer with Envirowest Engineering and has approximately 15 years of environmental assessment, monitoring, and remediation experience in the agricultural, industrial, real estate and development, and oil and gas sectors. Ms. Low has a Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering from the University of Alberta and is a certified Professional Engineer in Alberta (Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta).



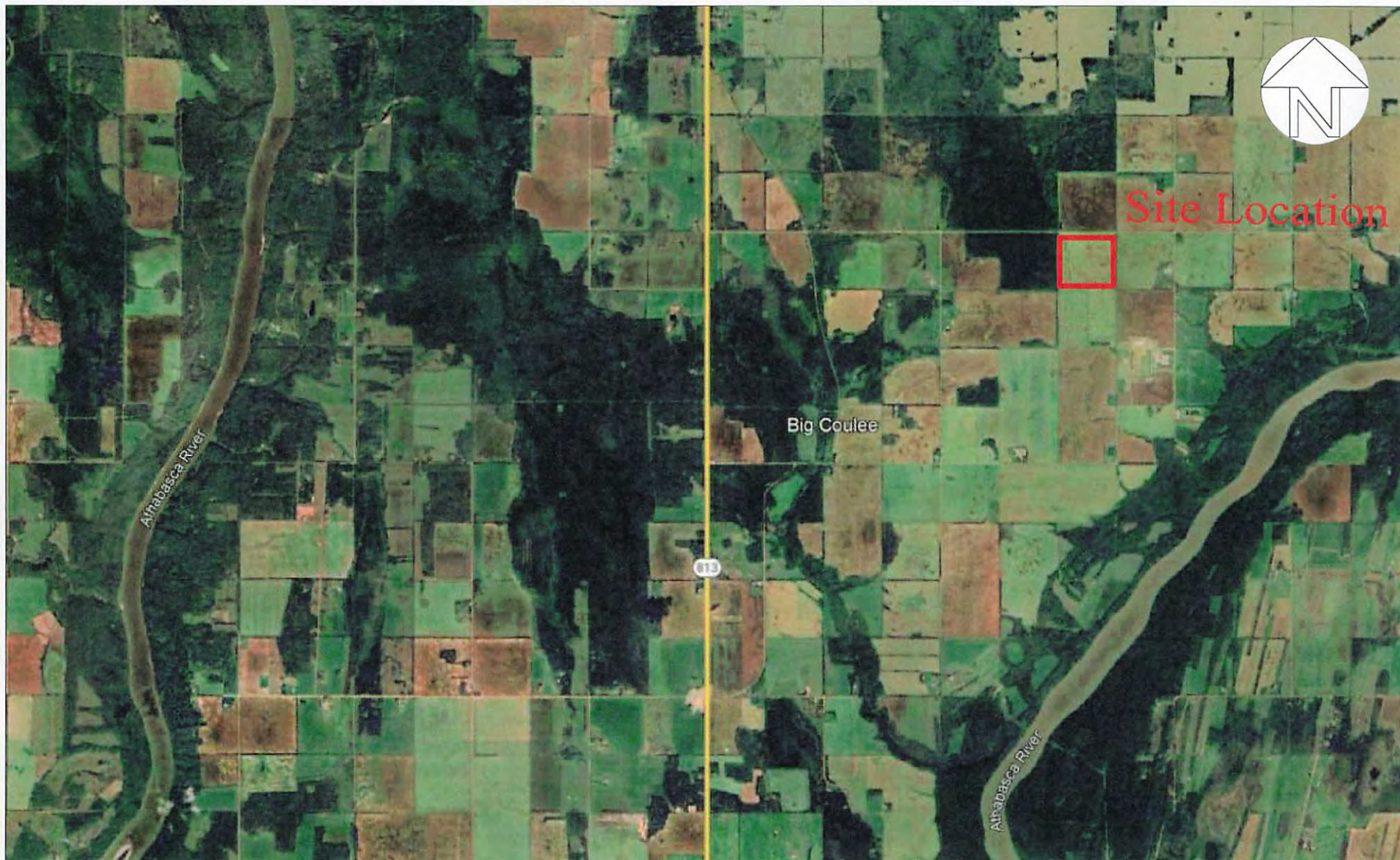
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Appendix A

Figure





Title:

Site Location
 Site and Soil Assessment
 NW¼-Sec.24-Twp.068-Rge.22-W4M
 Athabasca County, Alberta

Project No:

2502-43077

Date:

April 20, 2025

Scale:

Prepared By:

E.Low

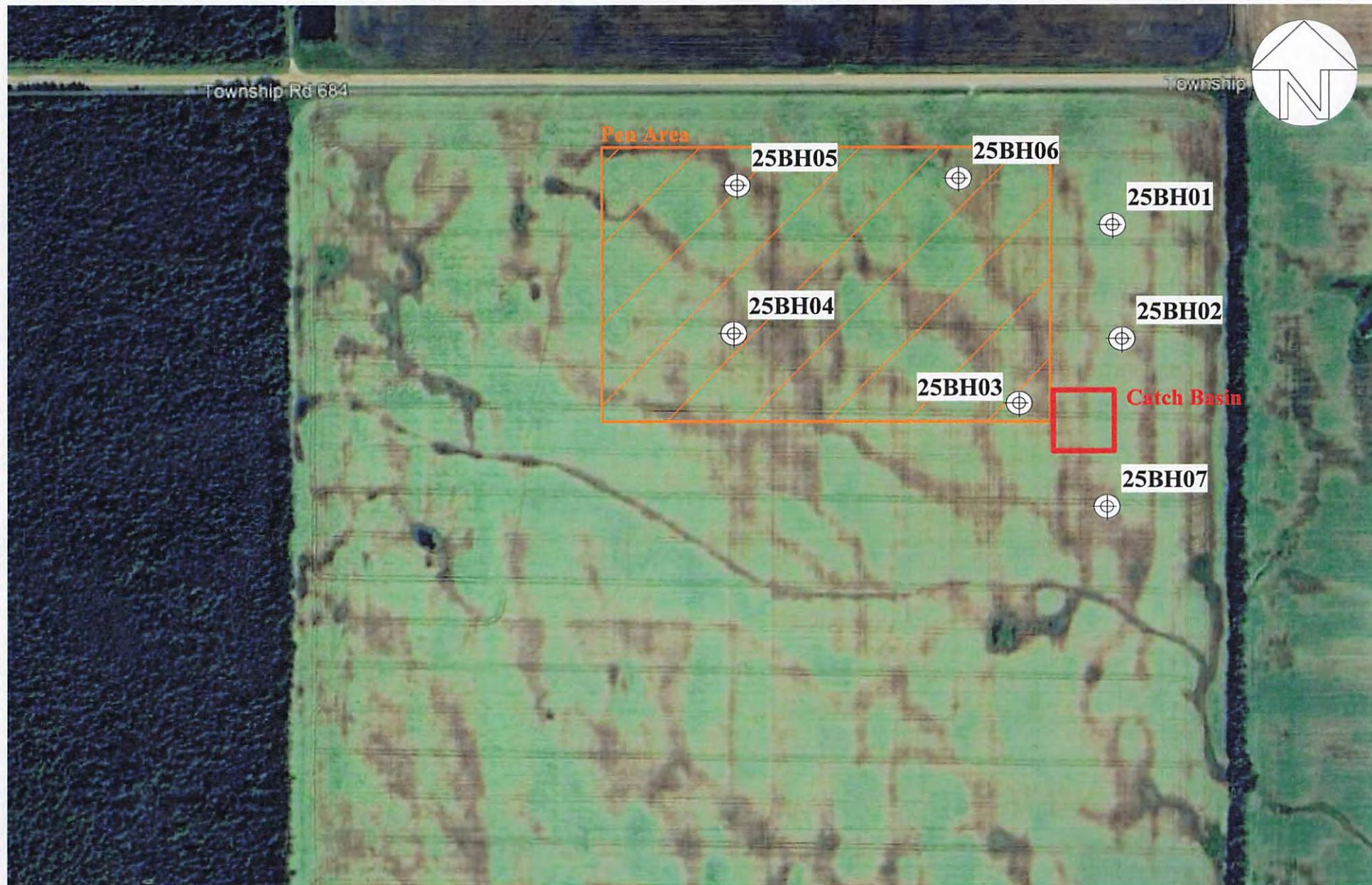
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Title:

Site Location
Site and Soil Assessment
NW¼-Sec.24-Twp.068-Rge.22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Project No:

2502-43077

Date:

April 24, 2025

Scale:

Prepared By:

E.Low

Image Source:

Google Earth Pro (September 11, 2023)

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Appendix B
Borehole Logs



LOG OF BORING 25BH01

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth
in
Meters

Gastech Reading (ppm)

0 100 200 300 400 500

VOC
Reading

GRAPHIC

DESCRIPTION

Well:
Elev.:

Water Level

0.0
0.3
0.5
0.8
1.0
1.3
1.5
1.8
2.0
2.3
2.5
2.8
3.0
3.3
3.5
3.8
4.0
4.3
4.5
4.8
5.0
5.3
5.5
5.8
6.0

SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp

grey

Bentonite
Solid

Sand
Screen



LOG OF BORING 25BH02

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth in Meters	Gastech Reading (ppm)	VOC Reading	GRAPHIC	DESCRIPTION	Well: Elev.:	Water Level
0.0				SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp		
0.3						
0.5						
0.8						
1.0						
1.3						
1.5						
1.8						
2.0						
2.3				grey		
2.5						
2.8						
3.0						
3.3						
3.5				sand pocket (3.5 - 4.25)		
3.8						
4.0						
4.3						
4.5						
4.8						
5.0						
5.3						
5.5						
5.8						
6.0						

04-24-2025 Y:\Operations\Client Data\43077 Wes Walter\25BH02.bor



LOG OF BORING 25BH03

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth in Meters	Gastech Reading (ppm)	VOC Reading	GRAPHIC	DESCRIPTION	Well: Elev.:	Water Level
0.0				SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp		
0.3						
0.5						
0.8						
1.0						
1.3						
1.5						
1.8						
2.0						
2.3				grey		
2.5						
2.8						
3.0						
3.3						
3.5						
3.8						
4.0						
4.3						
4.5						
4.8						
5.0						
5.3						
5.5						
5.8						
6.0						



LOG OF BORING 25BH04

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth in Meters	Gastech Reading (ppm)	VOC Reading	GRAPHIC	DESCRIPTION	Well: Elev.:	Water Level
0.0				CLAYEY SAND, yellowish brown, compact, damp		
0.3						
0.5						
0.8						
1.0						
1.3						
1.5						
1.8						
2.0				SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp		
2.3						
2.5						
2.8						
3.0						

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LOG OF BORING 25BH05

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth
in
Meters

Gastech Reading (ppm)

0 100 200 300 400 500

VOC
Reading

GRAPHIC

DESCRIPTION

Well:
Elev.:

Water Level

0.0
0.3
0.5
0.8
1.0
1.3
1.5
1.8
2.0
2.3
2.5
2.8
3.0

SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp



LOG OF BORING 25BH06

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth
in
Meters

Gastech Reading (ppm)
0 100 200 300 400 500

VOC
Reading

GRAPHIC

DESCRIPTION

Well:
Elev.:

Water Level

0.0

0.3

0.5

0.8

1.0

1.3

1.5

1.8

2.0

2.3

2.5

2.8

3.0

CLAYEY SAND, yellowish brown,
compact, damp

SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp



LOG OF BORING 25BH07

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Site and Soil Assessment
NW-24-068-22-W4M
Athabasca County, Alberta

Driller: : Ever Green Drilling
Drilling Method: : Truck Mounted Auger
Drill Date : February 20, 2025
Logged By: : Emily Low P.Eng.

Project Number: 2502-43077

Depth
in
Meters

Gastech Reading (ppm)

0 100 200 300 400 500

VOC
Reading

GRAPHIC

DESCRIPTION

Well: 25MW01
Elev.:

Water Level

0.0
0.3
0.5
0.8
1.0
1.3
1.5
1.8
2.0
2.3
2.5
2.8
3.0
3.3
3.5
3.8
4.0
4.3
4.5
4.8
5.0
5.3
5.5
5.8
6.0

SANDY CLAY, brown, firm, damp

grey

Bentonite
Solid

Sand
Slotted

Appendix C
Certificate of Analysis

CLIENT NAME: ENVIROWEST
BOX 4248, 5118-50th STREET
PONOKA, AB T4J1R6
(403) 783-8229

ATTENTION TO: Emily Low

PROJECT: 43077

AGAT WORK ORDER: 25R254137

SOIL ANALYSIS REVIEWED BY: Max Dou, Report Writer

DATE REPORTED: Mar 10, 2025

PAGES (INCLUDING COVER): 9

VERSION*: 1

Should you require any information regarding this analysis please contact your client services representative at (403) 735-2005

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- For environmental samples in the Province of Quebec: The analysis is performed on and results apply to samples as received. A temperature above 6°C upon receipt, as indicated in the Sample Reception Notification (SRN), could indicate the integrity of the samples has been compromised if the delay between sampling and submission to the laboratory could not be minimized.



Certificate of Analysis

AGAT WORK ORDER: 25R254137

PROJECT: 43077

2910 12TH STREET NE
CALGARY, ALBERTA
CANADA T2E 7P7
TEL (403)735-2005
FAX (403)735-2771
<http://www.agatlabs.com>

CLIENT NAME: ENVIROWEST

ATTENTION TO: Emily Low

SAMPLING SITE:

SAMPLED BY:

Particle Size - Texture (Sand, Silt, Clay)											
DATE RECEIVED: 2025-02-27						DATE REPORTED: 2025-03-08					
		SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:		25BH01-01	25BH01-02	25BH01-04	25BH02-01	25BH02-03	25BH03-01	25BH03-02	25BH03-03
		SAMPLE TYPE:		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
		DATE SAMPLED:		2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20
Parameter	Unit	G / S	RDL	6554888	6554889	6554891	6554892	6554894	6554895	6554896	6554897
Particle Size Distribution (Sand)	%		2	40	44	44	47	49	45	43	43
Particle Size Distribution (Silt)	%		2	24	25	25	24	21	24	26	23
Particle Size Distribution (Clay)	%		2	36	32	31	29	30	31	31	34
Soil Texture				Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Clay Loam
		SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:		25BH03-04	25BH04-01	25BH05-01	25BH06-01	25BH07-01	25BH07-02	25BH07-03	25BH07-04
		SAMPLE TYPE:		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
		DATE SAMPLED:		2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20	2025-02-20
Parameter	Unit	G / S	RDL	6554898	6554899	6554900	6554901	6554902	6554903	6554904	6554905
Particle Size Distribution (Sand)	%		2	45	46	45	41	47	45	47	43
Particle Size Distribution (Silt)	%		2	22	23	24	24	25	24	22	24
Particle Size Distribution (Clay)	%		2	33	31	31	35	28	31	31	33
Soil Texture				Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Sandy Clay Loam	Clay Loam

Comments: RDL - Reported Detection Limit; G / S - Guideline / Standard

6554888-6554905 Soil Texture is a calculated parameter. The calculated parameter is non-accredited. The parameters that are components of the calculation are accredited.
% Silt is a calculated parameter. The calculated value is determined by subtracting the percent sand and clay values from 100 percent.

Analysis performed at AGAT Calgary (unless marked by *)

Certified By:



Quality Assurance

CLIENT NAME: ENVIROWEST

PROJECT: 43077

SAMPLING SITE:

AGAT WORK ORDER: 25R254137

ATTENTION TO: Emily Low

SAMPLED BY:

Soil Analysis															
RPT Date:			DUPLICATE			Method Blank	REFERENCE MATERIAL			METHOD BLANK SPIKE			MATRIX SPIKE		
PARAMETER	Batch	Sample Id	Dup #1	Dup #2	RPD		Measured Value	Acceptable Limits		Recovery	Acceptable Limits		Recovery	Acceptable Limits	
								Lower	Upper		Lower	Upper		Lower	Upper

Particle Size - Texture (Sand, Silt, Clay)

Particle Size Distribution (Sand)	6560805	6560805	17	16	5.9%	< 2	106%	80%	120%
Particle Size Distribution (Silt)	6560805	6560805	42	43	2.4%	< 2	94%	80%	120%
Particle Size Distribution (Clay)	6560805	6560805	41	41	0.0%	< 2	95%	80%	120%

Comments: Duplicate NA: results are less than 5X the RDL and RDP will not be calculated.

Certified By:





Method Summary

CLIENT NAME: ENVIROWEST

PROJECT: 43077

SAMPLING SITE:

AGAT WORK ORDER: 25R254137

ATTENTION TO: Emily Low

SAMPLED BY:

PARAMETER	AGAT S.O.P	LITERATURE REFERENCE	ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUE
Soil Analysis			
Particle Size Distribution (Sand)	SOIL 0520; SOIL 0110; SOIL 0120	JONES 2001	HYDROMETER
Particle Size Distribution (Silt)	SOIL 0520; SOIL 0110; SOIL 0120	JONES 2001	HYDROMETER
Particle Size Distribution (Clay)	SOIL 0520; SOIL 0110; SOIL 0120	JONES 2001	HYDROMETER



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AGAT Job Number:

25R254137

Emergency Support Services Hotline 1-855-AGAT 245 (1-855-242-8245)

PO/CC #:

UWI:

Date Revised: Oct 14, 2021
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RECEIVING BASICS - Shipping

Company/Consultant: Envirowest Engineering

Courier: JAZOO Prepaid ☐ Collect ☐

Waybill# _____

Branch: EDM ☐ GP ☐ FN ☐ FM ☐ RD ☒ VAN ☐ LYD ☐ FSJ ☐ EST ☐ SASK ☐ Other: ☐

If multiple sites were submitted at once: Yes ☒ No ☐

Custody Seal Intact: Yes ☐ No ☒ NA ☐

TAT: <24hr ☐ 24-48hr ☐ 48-72hr ☐ Reg ☒ Other _____

Cooler Quantity: 1

TIME SENSITIVE ISSUES - Shipping

ALREADY EXCEEDED HOLD TIME? Yes ☐ No ☒

Inorganic Tests (Please Circle): Mibi , BOD , Nitrate/Nitrite , Turbidity , Color , Microtox , Ortho PO4 , Tedlar Bag , Residual Chlorine , Chlorophyll* , Chloroamines*

Earliest Expiry: _____

Hydrocarbons: Earliest Expiry _____

SAMPLE INTEGRITY - Shipping

Hazardous Samples: YES ☐ NO ☒ Precaution Taken: _____

Legal Samples: Yes ☐ No ☒

International Samples: Yes ☐ No ☒

Tape Sealed: Yes ☒ No ☐

Coolant Used: Icepack ☐ Bagged Ice ☐ Free Ice ☐ Free Water ☐ None ☒

Temperature (Bottles/Jars only) N/A if only Soil Bags Received

FROZEN (Please Circle if samples received Frozen)

1 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C 2 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C

3 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C 4 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C

5 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C 6 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C

7 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C 8 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C

9 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C 10 (Bottle/Jar) _____ + _____ + _____ = _____ °C

(If more than 10 coolers are received use another sheet of paper and attach)

LOGISTICS USE ONLY

Workorder No: 25R254137

Samples Damaged: Yes ☐ No ☐ If YES why?

No Bubble Wrap Frozen Courier

Other: _____

Account Project Manager: _____ have they been notified of the above issues: Yes ☐ No ☐

Whom spoken to: _____ Date/Time: _____

CPM Initial _____

General Comments: _____

* Subcontracted Analysis (See CPM)

Date issued: March 11, 2020

Document ID: SR-9505.004



JAZOO EXPRESS COURIER

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CLIENT USE ONLY

Sender Name:	Elaine	Receiver Name:		Billed To:	AGAT
Date:	Feb 27, 2025	Delivery From:	AGAT #12 7471 Edgar Industrial Bend Red Deer, AB		
		Delivery To:	AGAT Labs 2910 12th Street NE; Calgary, AB		
Total # Items:	4	Item Description:	2 Small coolers Sinopac		
			1 Small cooler - Lynx Energy		
			1 large cooler - Envirowest		
			Job/PO/Reference #:		
Authorized Shipper Signature:					

DRIVER USE ONLY

P/U Driver Name:	RB	P/U Time:		am	D/O Time:		am
# Items P/U:	A		1:05	pm		15:15	pm
# Of Overweight		# Of TDG		# Of Same Day		Surcharge	

Additional Info:

Total # Items Dropped Off:	4	D/O Driver Name:	CRAG
Authorized Receiver Signature:			

HOTSHOT DETAILS

Total Km:		Or Total Charge (\$):	
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OFFICE USE ONLY

Verified By:		Invoiced By:	

To schedule a pickup please contact dispatch at the city nearest you:

Calgary, Alberta | 403-660-5504
calgary.operations@jazoocourier.com

Edmonton, Alberta | 780-903-3628
edmonton.operations@jazoocourier.com

Red Deer, Alberta | 403-357-7222
reddeer.operations@jazoocourier.com

Fort McMurray, Alberta | 587-645-6364
fortmac.operations@jazoocourier.com

Grande Prairie, Alberta | 587-297-8406
gp.operations@jazoocourier.com

AGAT Laboratories

SAMPLE INTEGRITY RECEIPT FORM

RECEIVING BASICS - Shipping

Company/Consultant: Environ West
 Courier: JAW Prepaid Collect
 Waybill# _____
 Branch: EDM GP FN FM RD VAN LYD FSJ EST SASK Other: _____
 If multiple sites were submitted at once: Yes No
 Custody Seal Intact: Yes No NA
 TAT: <24hr 24-48hr 48-72hr Reg Other _____
 Cooler Quantity: 1

TIME SENSITIVE ISSUES - Shipping

ALREADY EXCEEDED HOLD TIME? Yes No
 Inorganic Tests (Please Circle): Mibi , BOD , Nitrate/Nitrite , Turbidity ,
 Color , Microtox , Ortho PO4 , Tedlar Bag , Residual Chlorine , Chlorophyll* ,
 Chloramines*
 Earliest Expiry: _____
 Hydrocarbons: Earliest Expiry _____

SAMPLE INTEGRITY - Shipping

Hazardous Samples: YES NO Precaution Taken: _____
 Legal Samples: Yes No
 International Samples: Yes No
 Tape Sealed: Yes No
 Coolant Used: Icepack Bagged Ice Free Ice Free Water None

Temperature (Bottles/Jars only) N/A if only Soil Bags Received

FROZEN (Please Circle if samples received Frozen)

1 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C 2 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C
 3 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C 4 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C
 5 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C 6 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C
 7 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C 8 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C
 9 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C 10 (Bottle/Jar) ___ + ___ + ___ = ___ °C

(If more than 10 coolers are received use another sheet of paper and attach)

LOGISTICS USE ONLY

Workorder No: _____
 Samples Damaged: Yes No If YES why?
 No Bubble Wrap Frozen Courier
 Other: _____
 Account Project Manager: _____ have they been notified of the
 above issues: Yes No
 Whom spoken to: _____ Date/Time: _____
 CPM Initial _____
 General Comments: _____

* Subcontracted Analysis (See CPM)

Data Set: Y:\Operations\Client Data\43077 Wes Walter\25MW01.aqt
Date: 04/10/25
Time: 12:25:51

PROJECT INFORMATION

Company: Envirowest Engineering
Client: Wesley Walter
Project: 2502-43077
Test Date: March 21 - 28, 2025
Test Well: 25MW01

AQUIFER DATA

Saturated Thickness: 1.5 m
Anisotropy Ratio (Kz/Kr): 1.

SOLUTION

Slug Test
Aquifer Model: Unconfined
Solution Method: Bouwer-Rice
ln(Re/rw): 3.953

VISUAL ESTIMATION RESULTS

Estimated Parameters

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Estimate</u>	
K	4.852E-9	cm/sec
y0	2.928	m

$$T = K \cdot b = 7.277E-7 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$$