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Re: Voluntary Site Remediation Work Plan for  
Trench Camp Property (January Mine, Norton Mine and Trench Camp Mine Claims)  
ADEQ-VRP Site Code #5051430-02

Dear Mr. Patricki:

Enclosed please find 2 copies of the above-referenced work plan, as well as a digital copy of the document on CD.

This work plan was prepared in conformance with the guidance provided by ADEQ. We have included an annotated copy of the ADEQ VRP Work Plan Checklist identifying the sections that address those items that require a specific response, in accordance with the applicable Arizona statutes referenced in the checklist.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (520) 485-1300 or [jpappas@arizonamining.com](mailto:jpappas@arizonamining.com).

Sincerely,

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## Voluntary Remediation Program Work Plan Checklist

Complete Shaded Areas and Submit with Work Plan

Site Name: January, Norton, and Trench Camp Mine Claims VRP Site Code: 505143-02

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Reference	Summary of Statutory Requirement	Page(s) Where Addressed in Work Plan	VRP Use Only
	(please review all statutes in their entirety to ensure compliance)	(write N/A if not applicable)	
<a href="#">§49-175A.1</a>	Summary of existing site characterization and assessment information; information regarding any remediation previously conducted; copies of referenced reports not previously submitted;	Section 5	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.2</a>	If the site has not been characterized, a plan to conduct site characterization and a schedule for completion.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.3.a</a>	If site characterization is completed, a description of how the remediation will comply with <a href="#">§49-175B</a> ("Work Plans") and how the completion of remediation will be verified. A schedule for completion must be included.	N/A per 49-175.B3 (AZPDES permit)	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.3.b</a>	If site characterization is completed, the work plan may provide for the remediation to be conducted in phases or tasks. A schedule for completion must be included.	Attachment E	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.4</a>	Schedule for submission of progress reports.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.5</a>	A proposal for community involvement as prescribed by <a href="#">§49-176</a> ("Community Involvement Requirements")	Section 10 and Attachment F	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.6</a>	If known, a list of institutional or engineering controls necessary during remediation and after completion of the proposed remediation to control exposure to contaminants.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.7</a>	A proposal for monitoring during remediation and after the remediation if necessary to verify whether the approved remediation levels or controls have been attained and will be maintained.	TBD in permit issued	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.8</a>	A list of any permits or legal requirements known to apply to the work or already performed by the applicant.	Section 7	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175A.9</a>	If requested by the department, information regarding the financial capability of the applicant to conduct the work identified in the application. (IF APPLICABLE)	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>



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<a href="#">§49-175B</a>	Remediation levels or controls for remediation conducted pursuant to this article shall be established in accordance with rules adopted pursuant to <a href="#">§49-282.06</a> unless one or more of the following applies: see §49-175B.1 through §49-175B.4, below.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175B.1</a>	The applicant demonstrates that remediation levels, institutional controls, or engineering controls for remediation of contaminated soil comply with <a href="#">§49-152</a> and the rules adopted.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175B.2</a>	The applicant demonstrates that remediation levels, institutional controls, or engineering controls for remediation of landfills or other facilities that contain materials that are not subject to <a href="#">§49-152</a> (i.e.: asbestos) do not exceed a cumulative excess lifetime cancer risk between $1 \times 10^{-4}$ to $1 \times 10^{-6}$ , and a hazard index of no greater than 1.	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175B.3</a>	The applicant demonstrates that on achieving remediation levels or controls for a source or potential source of contamination to a navigable water, the source of contamination will not cause or contribute to an exceedance of surface water quality standards, or if a permit is required pursuant to <a href="#">33 United States Code §1342</a> for any discharge from the source, that any discharges from the source will comply with the permit.	AMI will apply for AZPDES Permit and APP	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175B.4</a>	The applicant demonstrates that, on achieving remediation levels or controls for a source of contamination to an aquifer, the source will not cause or contribute to an exceedance of aquifer water quality standards (AWQS) beyond the boundary of the facility where the source is located.	in accordance with APZDES permit and APP	<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">§49-175C</a>	The VRP may waive any work plan requirement under this section that it determines to be unnecessary to make any of the determinations required under <a href="#">§49-177</a> . <i>If any waivers are requested in the Work Plan or have been previously requested and approved by the VRP, cite them in the Work Plan, including a citation of the statute for which the waiver applies.</i>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**To support the prerequisites established by A.R.S. §49-177 and §49-180, the VRP expects certain documentation to accompany a Work Plan. The following provides a list of attachments/exhibits which are recommended for submittal with a Work Plan to provide the information required by the statutes.**

Work Plan Information	Title of Figure/Table/Attachment/Exhibit Where Requested Information is Cited <small>(write N/A if not applicable)</small>	Figure/Table/Attachment or Report Page Number <small>(write N/A if not applicable)</small>	VRP Use Only
Site Location Map <small>(topographic or aerial)</small>	Location Map (main text of work plan)	Figure 1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Site Map <small>(to scale)</small>	Site Plan (main text)	Figure 3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historical Sampling Data Table	Figures 1, 2, 3 (main text)	Figures 1,2,3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historical Sample Location Map <small>(to scale)</small>	Figure 12: Water Monitoring Locations (main text)	Figure 12	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed Sample Location Map <small>(to scale)</small>	TBD	TBD	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sampling and Analysis Plan <small>(includes Field Sampling Plan &amp; Quality Assurance Plan)</small>	TBD in permit issued	TBD	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed Remediation System Location Map	Attachment B Figures Cover Page	Attachment B	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed Remediation System Layout <small>(Design Drawings)</small>	Figure A010 (Attachment B)	Attachment B	<input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule for Implementation of Project Activities* <small>(Gantt Style Chart)</small>	Attachment E	Attachment E	<input type="checkbox"/>
*Project Activities are defined in A.R.S. §§49-175A.2 through 49-175A.4, and 49-176A.2 (Community Involvement).			
Proposed Language for Public Notification of Remediation <small>(i.e.: example signage)</small>	Attachment F	Attachment F	<input type="checkbox"/>
Plan for Investigative Derived Waste (IDW)		NA	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evaluation of Remedial Alternatives <small>(i.e: for Feasibility Study Work Plan)</small>		NA	<input type="checkbox"/>

DOES THE WORK PLAN PROPOSE IMPLEMENTING SITE-SPECIFIC REMEDIATION LEVELS?

Yes

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No

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DOES THE WORK PLAN PROPOSE EVALUATION OF BACKGROUND LEVELS?

Yes

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No

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NOTE: When reports are submitted which document any type of sampling activity, the submittal of Electronic Data per ADEQ's [Groundwater Data Submittal Guidance \(V3.4\)](#) is strongly recommended.

**ASARCO January Adit (Norton Mine)  
Voluntary Remediation Program (VRP) Site  
Remedial Action Work Plan**

**Santa Cruz County, Arizona  
VRP Site Code 505143-02**

**Volume 1 of 2**



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### Volume 1:

Attachment A: Materials Characterization by Schafer Limited LLC

Attachment B: Included in Volume 2 (see below)

Attachment C: Water Treatment Plant Design by Water Engineering Technologies, Inc.

Attachment D: Clean Water Act Section 404 Jurisdictional Determination

Attachment E: Project Schedule

Attachment F: Community Involvement

### Volume 2:

Attachment B: Tailings and Potential Acid Generating Material Remediation, Placement and Storage Facilities by NewFields Mining Design and Technical Services

## ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

AAC	Arizona Administrative Code
ADEQ	Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
ADWR	Arizona Department of Water Resources
AL	Alert Level
AMI	Arizona Minerals Inc.
APP	Aquifer Protection Permit
AQL	Aquifer Quality Limit
ARS	Arizona Revised Statutes
AWQS	Aquifer Water Quality Standard
AZPDES	Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
BADCT	Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology
bls	below land surface
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
Clear Creek	Clear Creek Associates, PLC
COC	Constituent of Concern
CRD	Carbonate Replacement Deposit
CWA	Clean Water Act
DIA	Discharge Impact Area
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
ft	feet
ft/day	feet per day
gpm/ft	gallons per day per foot
gpm	gallons per minute
GWSI	Groundwater Site Inventory
m	meter
MIW	mine influenced water
mg/L	milligrams per liter
PAG	Potentially Acid Generating
RPTS	Remediation Passive Treatment System
TMDL	total maximum daily load
TSF	tailing storage facility
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
USGS	United States Geological Survey
VRP	Voluntary Remediation Program

Wells 55	ADWR Well Registry Database
WTP	Water Treatment Plant
µg/l	microgram per liter



## **1. INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose**

Arizona Minerals, Inc. (AMI) is the applicant to the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality's (ADEQ) Voluntary Remediation Program (VRP) for the January Adit (Norton Mine) Project at the Trench Camp Mine property in Santa Cruz County, Arizona. This revised work plan was prepared by AMI in accordance with A.R.S. §49-175 to eliminate discharges of mine impacted water to Alum Gulch from the January Adit and tailings pile seepage.

Key elements of this Work Plan include materials characterization by Schafer Limited (Attachment A), design of the proposed lined tailing storage facility and underdrain pond (Attachment B) by NewFields, and the water treatment plant design by Water Engineering Technologies (Attachment C).

### **1.2 VRP Status**

AMI submitted a VRP application for the January Mine, Norton Mine and Trench Camp Mine claims (Project) in the historic Harshaw Mineral District on February 19, 2016, shortly after AMI acquired the claims. The project was designated as VRP Site No. 505143-02.

A pilot scale Remediation Passive Treatment System (RPTS) was constructed near the January Mine Adit, in February 2016 to treat discharges from the January Mine Adit and seepage from Tailing Storage Piles #1, #2, and #4. The Pilot RPTS was continuously monitored by AMI personnel for a period of 24 weeks, from March to August 2016.

While the pilot test showed that a full-scale system would work with some modifications, AMI decided to revise the scope of the VRP work plan by replacing the passive water treatment plant with an active water treatment plant and building a lined tailing/waste rock storage facility and underdrain collection pond. The revised plan, presented in this document, is a more rigorous approach to achieving the project objectives.

### **1.3 Project Approach**

The purpose of remedial actions to be conducted under the VRP is to address mine influenced water (MIW) discharges from the January Mine Adit and seepage from historic tailing and potentially acid generating (PAG) waste rock storage piles located on the Trench Camp, Norton, and January Mine property. This will be achieved through the following elements that are described in this revised Work Plan:

- Material from historic tailing storage piles #1, #2, #3, and #4 and PAG waste rock will be re-handled and placed on a lined tailing storage facility (TSF) for collection of solutions through an underdrain collection system. This will prevent future seeps from the toe of the historic tailing piles, and allow for collection of underdrain solutions.
- A double-lined underdrain collection pond will be constructed downgradient of the lined TSF according to prescriptive BADCT, to collect solutions from the re-handled historic tailings and PAG waste rock.
- An active water treatment plant (WTP) will be constructed to treat discharges from the January Mine workings and solutions captured in the underdrain collection pond from the historic tailings, PAG waste rock, and precipitation that falls within the lined facility.

Remedial design and operations will be conducted under the provisions of an Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (AZPDES) permit and an Aquifer Protection Permit (APP).

## **1.4 Constituents of Concern**

As discussed in more detail in Section 1.6, ADEQ evaluated conditions along Alum Gulch and promulgated the Total Maximum Daily Loading (TMDL) Implementation Plan for Alum Gulch, in March of 2007. The plan recognizes cadmium, copper, zinc and acidity as the primary agents with undesirable levels of concentration present in the Alum Gulch drainage. These are considered the Constituents of Concern (COCs).

## **1.5 Location**

The Trench Camp, Norton, and January Mine claims (Property) are located approximately 5 miles south of the Town of Patagonia, Arizona within the Southeast Quarter of Section 32, Township 22 South and Range 16 East, Gila and Salt River Meridian, in Santa Cruz County, Arizona (Figure 1). AMI acquired the January, Trench Camp, and Norton claims in early 2016 from ASARCO, LLC. Both the January and the Norton mine claims are recognized under a single property designation by the Santa Cruz County Recorder, having been assigned parcel number 105-50-001B (Figure 2, Santa Cruz County Assessor Map Book 105, Page 50). The Trench Camp and Josephine Mine claim parcel has been assigned parcel numbers 105-50-001A and 105-49-003. The U.S. Forest Service manages the surrounding adjacent lands, as part of the Coronado National Forest.

## **1.6 January Mine, Norton Mine, and Trench Camp Mine History**

Mining in the Harshaw District dates from mid-18th century Spanish Colonial times, but is poorly documented before the 1870's. Initially, oxide lead-silver vein ore was mined from small

operations on the Trench property. This work continued intermittently until the late 19th century. Historical information from the late 1800s and early 1900s has been well documented (Schrader, 1915; Keith, 1975). The district's historic production is poorly reported but is believed to be around 250,000 tons, yielding approximately two million ounces of silver with by-product lead, zinc, copper and manganese. Production from the Harshaw district was dominated by the Trench-area mines, small mines on the Alta claim, the Hardshell Incline and the Hermosa mine.

Ownership of the Property prior to its acquisition by American Smelting and Refining Company, precursor to ASARCO, LLC (ASARCO) is not known. ASARCO began operating the Trench Camp Mine in 1939. The Trench area mines and sulfide flotation custom mill produced primarily silver ores with minor by-product lead from small underground operations. Approximately half of the production was direct-shipping oxide ore and the balance was milling ore. The Trench mill produced both lead and zinc concentrates with copper, silver and minor gold by-product production. The 150-ton per day Trench lead-zinc flotation mill also treated district ores between 1939 and 1964 on a custom basis. ASARCO continued ownership of the Property until it was acquired by AMI in 2016.

According to public records, the January mine was worked intermittently since the early 1870s. It was patented in 1894, and it was last operated by ASARCO in the period 1925 to 1949. Originally, the January and Norton Mines were operated jointly, extracting zinc, lead, silver, gold and manganese ore. In its later years ASARCO extracted mostly copper, lead and zinc ore.

Mineral extraction and concentration activities generated mining waste material in large quantities, which was deposited at four tailings storage locations within the larger Trench Camp Mine claim, and in several smaller piles within the two other smaller mining claim sites (Figure 3). As can be seen in the figure, three of the spent mineral ore tailings piles, identified as TP#1, TP#2 and TP#4 are located within areas that drain into the lowlands of Alum Gulch and eventually join other discharge along the main wash in Alum Gulch. TP#3 is within the Harshaw Creek Watershed.

## **1.7 Mine Influenced Water Sources**

The Property falls within the Alum Gulch and Harshaw Creek watersheds. The January and Norton claims and most of the Trench claim are within the Alum Gulch watershed; the eastern portion of the Trench claim is within the Harshaw Creek watershed (Figure 4).

Alum Gulch is a tributary of Sonoita Creek, joining it approximately 5.5 miles downstream from the January Mine and 2.25 miles southwest (and downstream from) from the Town of Patagonia. In addition to mining activities at the Property, several other historical mining ventures have extracted mineral ore from the upstream canyons that eventually drain into Alum Gulch. Historic mining activity in the watershed raised concerns about the presence of trace minerals in the natural drainage that eventually would reach the Sonoita Creek. To address the State of Arizona's Clean Water Act responsibilities, ADEQ evaluated conditions along Alum Gulch and promulgated the Total Maximum Daily Loading (TMDL) Implementation Plan for Alum Gulch,

in March of 2007. The plan recognizes cadmium, copper, zinc and acidity as the primary agents with undesirable levels of concentration present in the Alum Gulch drainage.

Two sources of mine influenced water (MIW) have been identified at the Trench/January/Norton sites:

- Discharges from the January Mine Adit into Alum Gulch: Testing of these discharges by ADEQ indicated the presence of cadmium, copper, zinc and acidity at levels exceeding the provisions of the TMDL Implementation Plan for Alum Gulch. ADEQ issued a discharge violation notice to ASARCO, who at that time owned the mining claim parcels.
- Seepage from Tailing Pile #1: In 2014, seepage from the base of the covered tailings into the unnamed wash in the Trench Mine property was observed. ADEQ issued a Notice of Violation to the ASARCO Multi-State Environmental Custodial Trust, the owner at the time. The Trust committed to the development and implementation of a SWPPP and initiated the application for an AZPDES Multi-Sector General Permit from ADEQ.

Both of these discharges are within the Alum Gulch watershed.

In response to these discharges, ASARCO implemented a plan to capture MIW discharges by capturing it and delivering it to a wetlands treatment system. This treatment system did not meet the treatment goals, resulting in exceedances of the surface water quality standards specified by ADEQ in an AZPDES permit that was issued for the wetlands. This permit was allowed to lapse by ASARCO. Because the initial wetlands treatment system implemented by ASARCO was not effective, after AMI acquired the property in 2016, they proposed to implement an alternative treatment under the provisions of VRP.

## **1.8 Responsible Party**

ASARCO transferred the Trench Camp Mine claim to the ASARCO Multi-State Environmental Custodial Trust (Trust) in 2009. In early 2016, AMI purchased the January and Norton Mine Claims and the Trench Camp Mine Claims from the ASARCO Trust. The following provisions were included in the purchase agreement:

- AMI would enter ADEQ's VRP program and develop an acceptable work plan to remediate the MIW discharge from the January Adit and tailing pile seepage from the Trench Camp Mine.
- AMI must post a bond with the State of Arizona to cover long-term operations and maintenance expenses associated with the work plan.

## 2. GEOLOGY

### 2.1 Regional Geology

The Project Area is located in the Patagonia Mountains of southern Arizona within the Basin and Range physiographic province. The province is typified by north-northwest trending normal faults. The fault-bounded mountains, typically with large intrusive cores, are separated by deep basins filled with Tertiary and Quaternary sediments (“basin fill”). The core of the Patagonia Mountain range is a Laramide-age granodiorite pluton that has been dated at 60-65 million years (Graybeal, 2007).

### 2.2 Geologic Formations

The geology of the area was recently mapped by Graybeal et al (2015) (Figure 5). Much of Graybeal’s work includes mapping of Simons (1974).

Surface rocks in the Trench Camp area consist primarily of:

- Cretaceous andesite (designated as *Ka* by Graybeal, 2015) - Gray, greenish-gray, or grayish-red, porphyritic to fine-grained, thin to very thick flows of trachyandesite or diorite; contains some rhyodacite or dacite. Maximum thickness of about 3000 feet.
- Tertiary Volcaniclastic Rocks of middle Alum Gulch (*Tv*) - Grayish to white, well consolidated and poorly sorted lapilli tuff and tuff breccia, probable crater-fill material of the Sunnyside porphyry Cu-Mo system. Contains clasts of Mesozoic volcanic and sedimentary rocks and clear quartz xenocrysts in fine-grained, illite-alunite-kaolinite-altered matrix. Numerous silicified zones. Bedded sequences have concentric strike and inward dips.
- Jurassic/Triassic volcanics (*JTrv*) - Light-colored rhyolitic, alkali rhyolitic, and quartz latitic lava, tuff, and welded tuff; locally much altered to sericite, epidote, carbonate, and chlorite, or strongly hornfelsed. Thickness uncertain but probably more than 6,000 feet.

North- to northwest-dipping Paleozoic sedimentary rocks underlie the *JTrv*. The Paleozoic-Mesozoic contact is unconformable. The Paleozoic units, from youngest to oldest, include:

- Naco group
  - Permian Concha Limestone (*Pcn*) - Gray to light-gray, fine-grained, medium to thick-bedded limestone with lenses and nodules of chert. About 155 m (510 ft) thick.
  - Permian Scherrer Formation (*Ps*) - Brownish-gray to gray, massive, sandy limestone and white to light-brownish-gray, fine-grained sandstone. About 46 m (150 ft) thick.

- Permian Epitaph Dolomite (*Pe*) - Gray fine-grained, thick-bedded limestone, silty limestone, gray dolomitic limestone, lesser sandstone and conglomerate, and sparse pods of chert and quartz. About 262 m (860 ft) thick.
- Permian Colina Limestone (*Pc*) - Gray to dark-gray, fine-grained, and medium- to thin-bedded limestone and thin beds of dolomite. About 72–104 m (235–340 ft) thick.
- Permian/Pennsylvanian Earp Formation (*P\*e*) - Gray, light-gray, or pink thin-bedded to massive, sandy to silty limestone and dolomitic limestone, and lesser dolomite, chert and limestone conglomerate, and sandstone. About 229 m (750 ft) thick.
- Pennsylvanian Horquilla Limestone (*\*h*) - Light-gray, gray, or pinkish-gray, fine- to coarse-grained, medium-bedded limestone and lesser dolomitic limestone and brown to maroon thin-bedded limestone. About 82 m (270 ft) thick. Unconformably overlies Escabrosa Limestone (unit Me).
- Mississippian Escabrosa Formation is below the Horquilla Limestone. The contact is disconformable.
- The Devonian Martin Limestone unconformably underlies the Escabrosa Formation.
- Cambrian Abrigo Limestone unconformably underlies the Martin Limestone.
- Cambrian Bolsa Quartzite underlies the Abrigo Limestone. This contact is generally conformable.
- Precambrian Quartz Monzonite is the basement rock in the area. The contact with the Bolsa Quartzite is a nonconformity.

## 2.3 Surficial Geology

Surface rock in the Project Area consist of the Cretaceous andesite (*Ka*) and the Tertiary Volcaniclastic Rocks of middle Alum Gulch (*Tv*), and the Jurassic/Triassic volcanics (*JTrv*) (Figure 5). The Cretaceous andesite is the surface unit throughout most of the Trench Camp claim and most of the Alta Claim. Underneath the Cretaceous andesite lies the Jurassic/Triassic volcanics (*JTrv*) which are present at the surface at the eastern part of the Alta claim. The Jurassic-Cretaceous contact is unconformable. The western side of the Trench Camp Claims is predominantly the Tertiary volcaniclastic rocks of middle Alum Gulch.

## 2.4 Site Specific Geology

### 2.4.1 Geologic Cross Sections

A geologic cross section through the Trench and Taylor deposits was included in Graybeal et al (2015). It is provided as Figure 6. This cross section depicts the Mesozoic volcanics underlain by the Paleozoic sedimentary units wherein lies the Taylor Deposit.

A major structural feature in the Project Area is the Harshaw Creek Fault, a north-northwest trending left-lateral strike slip fault that has more than 4 miles of displacement at its southern end. It is late Cretaceous in age (Laramide). According to Graybeal et al (2015), this fault appears to run west of the project site where it is covered by Tertiary volcanics.

#### 2.4.2 Mineralization

The core of the Patagonia Mountain range is a Laramide-age granodiorite pluton that has been dated at 60-65 million years (Graybeal, 2007). Mineralization is associated with the pluton, which outcrops to the west of the Property. Following emplacement of the pluton, a quartz feldspar porphyry stock was intruded at about 60 million years (Paleocene). This porphyry generated a strong hydrothermal system that developed a zone of disseminated pyrite and resulted in additional mineralization. It is the quartz feldspar porphyry which is considered to be the source of the mineralization.

### **2.5 Seismicity**

According to the Arizona Geological Survey (Fellows, 2000), the Property is located in an area of moderate to low seismic hazard. National Seismic Hazard Maps are available from the United States Geological Survey (USGS). These maps display earthquake ground motions for various probability levels across the United States. The motion is expressed as peak acceleration as a percent of gravity. In the vicinity of the Project, the Peak Horizontal Acceleration with a 10 percent probability of exceedance in 50 Years is between 3 and 4 percent of gravity. Statewide, the values range between 2 and 10 percent of gravity (Peterson et al., 2015).

NewFields conducted a seismic hazard assessment (SHA) to define the maximum probable earthquake event for the design of the lined TSF, as discussed in Attachment B. The SHA was completed to determine ground motions experienced at the project site associated with the maximum credible earthquake (MCE) and maximum probable earthquake (MPE), based on regional seismicity and the probable 100, 475 and 2,475-year return events. A deterministic seismic hazard assessment was performed using available historic earthquake data from several national and international earthquake catalogs and regional active faults from the United States Geological Survey (USGS) and the Arizona Geological Survey (AZGS) within a 124-mile (200 km) radius of the project. Attenuation calculations were applied to these events and fault sources to determine the peak ground acceleration (PGA) at the project site. A probabilistic assessment was also completed using the USGS interactive deaggregation tool, based on the published 2008 national seismic hazard map.

Based on the study, the MCE for the deterministic and probabilistic assessments are 0.11 gravity (g) and 0.10 g, respectively. The complete SHA report is appended to Attachment B.

## 2.6 Geologic Hazards

In addition to earthquakes (discussed in Section 2.5), geologic hazards in Arizona include earth fissures, landslides and debris flows, and floods. The risk from any of these hazards at the Project Area is low.

Earth fissures and land subsidence occur in alluvial basins where there have been extensive groundwater withdrawals. The Project is not located in an alluvial basin, and therefore the area is not susceptible to subsidence and earth fissure formation.

Debris flows are recognized as a hazard in mountainous areas (Pearthree and Youberg, 2006). Although these events are infrequent, generally occurring as the result of very high precipitation events, they can alter the landscape significantly. Loss of vegetation from wildfires can increase the chances for debris flows. Operations at the project site will be sited and designed to reduce risks from debris flows.

According to the Flood Insurance Rate Map (Federal Emergency Management Agency [FEMA, 2011]), the Project is located in a Zone D (Figure 7). The Zone D designation is used for areas where there are possible but undetermined flood hazards, as no analysis of flood hazards has been conducted. These areas are often undeveloped and sparsely populated.



### 3. HYDROLOGY

#### 3.1 Climate

The climate in the Project area varies from high desert in the Sonoita Valley to the steppe-like climate of the higher elevation grasslands and scrub area (ADEQ, 2003). In this semi-arid climate, average rainfall is 17 inches per year, with the majority of precipitation occurring between June and October through “monsoonal” convective thunderstorms. Daytime temperatures in the summer may reach 90°F with warm to moderately cool nights. Temperatures are usually mild with periodic overnight frosts and occasional snowfall at higher elevations during the winter months that usually melts within a few days (WRCC, 2017).

Additional climate data can be found in Section 2.2 of Attachment B.

#### 3.2 Surface Water Hydrology

The Project Area is located within the Middle Sonoita Creek (USGS Hydrologic Unit Code [HUC] #150503010206) and Harshaw Creek (HUC# 15050301-025A) watersheds. The upper Alum Gulch subwatershed<sup>1</sup> (HUC# 15050301-561A) of the Middle Sonoita Creek watershed drains the western portion of the Project Area. Portions of Alum Gulch are designated as ephemeral reaches: from its headwaters to the January Adit, and from 800 meters downstream of the World’s Fair Mine to its confluence with Sonoita Creek. From the January Adit to 800 meters downstream of World’s Fair Mine, Alum Gulch is designated as an intermittent reach. Harshaw Creek drains the eastern portion of the Project Area. Harshaw Creek and all of its tributaries are designated as ephemeral reaches (ADEQ, 2003). Both drainages are tributaries of Sonoita Creek, which is located to the northwest between the Santa Rita and Patagonia Mountains (Figure 4). Sonoita Creek flows to the west as a tributary of the Santa Cruz River.

Both Alum Gulch and Harshaw Creek in the Project Area are considered “Not Attaining” under the Clean Water Act §303(d). Segments of Alum Gulch are Not Attaining for cadmium, copper, zinc, and acidity while segments of Harshaw Creek are Not Attaining for copper and acidity. Another drainage basin to the west of Alum Gulch, the Three R Basin, is also Not-Attaining due to exceedances of cadmium, copper, zinc, and acidity. In the TMDL Implementation Plan for Alum Gulch (ADEQ, 2007), ADEQ notes that “all three waters are in areas of high mineralization and share similar historic mining practices”. The sources of impairment for Alum

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<sup>1</sup> Alum Gulch subwatershed is divided into the upper watershed, HUC# 15050301-561 A, and the lower watershed, HUC# 15050301-561A.

Gulch “include adit drainage, waste rock and tailings piles, and sediments” and “the major portion of the loading originates from the World’s Fair Mine and Humboldt Canyon areas with relatively minor contributions from Trench Camp Mine and January Adit”. The TMDL document for Harshaw Creek (ADEQ, 2003) identifies the Trench mine’s dump number 3 as a “minor source” of loading into Harshaw Creek. ADEQ considered mining residues from the Morning Glory Mine and the Endless Chain Mine, located upstream of the Trench Camp, to be significant sources of loading to Harshaw Creek.

### **3.3 Site Stormwater Analysis**

The TSF, underdrain collection pond, and stormwater controls were designed for a 100-year/24 hour storm event, as described in Attachment B, Section 9. Newfields used the hydrological modeling system HEC-HMS (version 3.5), a precipitation-runoff simulation computer program developed by the Army Corps of Engineers, to calculate the magnitude and timing of the peak flows as well as volumes resulting from specified storm events. The watershed areas were divided into sub-basins such that flows and volumes could be calculated at various points within the watershed where design elements were located. Peak flows and volumes were developed for the 100-yr/24-hr storm event and are used to complete the design calculations.

## **4. HYDROGEOLOGY**

Groundwater flows in bedrock fractures at the site. There is little to no alluvium present. Porosity of fractured bedrock aquifers is generally low, on the order of 1-2 percent. However mineralization can result in higher porosities.

### **4.1 Water Wells Within One-Half Mile of Property Boundary**

The Wells 55 database was downloaded from the Arizona Department of Water Resources on January 29, 2017. Based on the download, there is reportedly one non-AMI water supply well registered within one half mile of the property (Figure 8). This well, 55-642746, is registered to Coronado National Forest. ADWR records indicate a total depth of “0” feet. The single-page imaged record on file with ADWR states the principle use of this well as stockwater/wildlife.

The location plotted on Figure 8 is a cadastral location from the ADWR database. The registered location corresponds to a square measuring ¼ mile by ¼ mile centered on the mapped location. ADWR well registry records are not always accurate, and are limited by the quality of data that was submitted when a well was registered. AMI intends to conduct a field reconnaissance to evaluate whether this well actually exists near its registered location, and if so, will record the well’s actual location with a GPS and evaluate whether the well appears to be in use.

### **4.2 Depth to Groundwater and Groundwater Flow**

There is no alluvial aquifer in the Project Area. As noted in Section 2.1, the bedrock outcrops at the surface. Groundwater in the area is limited to faults, fractures, and voids within the bedrock complex.

#### **4.2.1 Depth to Groundwater**

A groundwater elevation map, based primarily on a water level sweep conducted in September 2017, is presented on Figure 9. Depths to water ranged from 17.1 feet bls at MW-3 near the January Adit at the northwest portion of the Project Area, to 338 feet bls at HDS-345. In general, depths to water decrease to the north as the land surface elevation decreases.

#### **4.2.2 Water Level Trends**

Monthly monitoring of selected boreholes began in July 2013. Since 2013, groundwater elevation has been stable with very little variation (2 to 5 feet) at most locations. The greatest variation (over 10 feet) in groundwater elevation is seen at HDS-321 and HDS-249 to the east of the Property near an unnamed tributary of Harshaw Creek. At these two boreholes the

groundwater elevation has increased approximately 2 feet per year over the three years of monitoring (Figure 10). The higher variability of water levels in these wells may be due to their proximity to surface drainages. AMI continues to collect water level data at several locations at the Project site to characterize hydrogeologic conditions and trends.

#### 4.2.3 Groundwater Flow Direction and Hydraulic Gradient

As shown on Figure 9, groundwater flow is generally towards the north, with localized northeast and northwest flows, depending on the location. Based on the September 2016 groundwater levels shown on Figure 9, the horizontal hydraulic gradient ranged from 0.025 at the southern part of the site to approximately 0.013 at the northeastern part of the site.

#### 4.2.4 Recharge

Groundwater is recharged from precipitation at higher elevation. Based on water level trends observed in wells located in washes (as noted in Section 4.5.2), recharge also appears to occur in the washes and drainages which carry surface flows from rain events north and northwest out of the basins.

## 5. SITE CHARACTERIZATION

### 5.1 Previously Conducted Characterization

Previous characterization studies were documented in the October 19, 2016 Work Plan (CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc., 2016) that was submitted to ADEQ and Public Noticed on October 21 and 28, 2016. The work plan characterized the quantity and quality of adit and tailings pile discharges. Samples of the adit and TP seepages were collected by AMI personnel in 2015. After AMI took ownership of the Trench Camp Mine property in January of 2016, AMI personnel conducted field measurements and sampling of both the adit and onsite seepages, in conjunction with installation of a Pilot RPTS. CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. used the data to characterize flows and levels of metals (including the constituents of concern) present in the subject seepages. Portions of the CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. characterizations that are pertinent to the revised Work Plan are summarized below.

#### 5.1.1 January Adit and Seepage Flows and January Mine Workings Recharge Flows

CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. (2016) evaluated January adit seepage flow for the Work Plan as follows:

*In order to determine the level of treatment needed for remediation of the January Mine Adit discharges, the parameters that must be identified are the volume of water contained in the adit as well as the rate of flow of the discharges observed at the adit. The initial measurements were performed in the adit drain pipe that discharges into the existing constructed wetlands immediately downstream from the adit, during the period September through November of 2015. The resulting measurements placed the flow in the range between 7-10 gallon-per-minute (GPM). Subsequent flow measurements using a flowmeter installed as part of the Pilot RPTS confirmed the prior flows and the sensitivity of flow to seasonal conditions.*

*In conjunction with the pilot plant installation, one of two monitoring wells that had earlier been installed, by ASARCO, above the adit and into the January Mine workings was equipped with a submersible pump. This well is identified as Well #1 (see Figure 5, Well Equipment Diagram). The second well, identified as Well #2, was outfitted with equipment to measure water level in the adit, as shown in Figure 5.*

*In May of 2016, a well recovery test was performed at the adit with a 70 GPM pump. The results from this test provided an initial estimate of 7 GPM as the recovery rate of the January Mine workings, measured at the existing January Mine wells (see Figure 6, January Mine Workings Pumping Test Results). This was taken to be representative of dry weather conditions, and correspond to the smaller flows in the 2016 adit discharge*

measurements. Similar adit discharge flows were reported by the previous owner/operator.

*In order not to release adit seepage into the existing constructed wetlands during the Pilot RPTS evaluation, AMI requested authorization to use the January Mine water for its mineral exploration activities. ADEQ granted its authorization in July of 2016.*

*Detailed January Mine water pumping measurements were observed and recorded during August through October of 2016, during which time a 32 GPM pump was kept in nearly continuous operation, to evaluate the adit well production and recovery during dry and rainfall periods. The results from this test provided an estimate of 14 GPM for the well recovery rate of the adit during Monsoon Season without major storm events. A 39 GPM recovery rate was noted during Monsoon Season, due to a major storm event where 2.8-inches of rain fell within two-hours.*

*As explained earlier, a pilot remedial process treatment system evaluation was conducted for discharges originating at the January Adit, which also provided an opportunity to further investigate the January Mine well recovery rate and, from extrapolation of this data, the available storage in the January Mine workings. These parameters will be used for sizing of the final remedial passive treatment system. The pilot test system was installed at a location close to the January Mine Adit (see Figure 7, Remedial Treatment System Pilot Test Site Layout). Effluent generated by the pilot test treatment system was discharged to the existing constructed wetlands.*

*Well production, pumping rate and static water level were closely monitored during the pilot treatment period. The data gathered and the data analysis computations are provided in Appendix B to this report; the findings are summarized in an annotated graph, for ease of reference (see Figure 8, January Mine Workings Pumping Analysis Summary).*

*Accordingly, the following observations can be made:*

*The measured overflow discharge rate for the January Mine workings was 7 GPM, and this was taken to be representative of the adit recharge rate under dry weather conditions.*

- *The computed recovery rate for the January Mine workings was 14 GPM, and this was taken to be representative of mine workings recharge under continuous pumping conditions, during the monsoon season and without significant rainfall events.*
- *When a significant rainfall event was observed on site, the computed recharge rate for the January Mine workings was 39 GPM.*

- *The well static water level dropped to a depth of 7.52 feet during the active pumping period when the pilot test was conducted. The available January Mine working storage at this depth is estimated at 393,120 gallons.*
- *Using a recovery rate of 7 GPM, this storage volume is equivalent to 39 days of available storage before January Mine workings overflow and begin discharging from the adit.*
- *Using a January Mine working recovery rate of 14 GPM, this storage volume is equivalent to 19.5 days of storage before the mine workings would overflow and a discharge would occur from the adit.*

*It is proposed that the pumping rate at its well be maintained at 20 GPM, in order to extract more water from the January Mine workings than its average recovery rate, thus creating storage for use in times of extreme rainfall or in case of temporary outages or stoppages for periodic maintenance. A mass balance worksheet is provided in Appendix B, in support of this recommendation.*

CPE recently updated Figure 8 of their January Mine Workings Recharge Rate Analysis report for this work plan (Figure 11). Pumping at 28 gpm has continued to lower the water level in the January Mine, which will allow for additional storage volume when recharge rates increase during the monsoon season.

Tailings pile seepages volumes were also evaluated by CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. to determine the level of treatment needed for remediation. They examined pumping records for the dewatering pump installed at the TP#1 pond and concluded that seepages are generated at a rate of 3 gpm during the monsoon season. CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. estimated that the remediation passive treatment system should be designed based on a treatment flow rate of 23 gpm average flow, based on their estimates of January Mine Adit flows and TP seepage.

#### 5.1.2 Pilot scale Remedial Passive Treatment System

CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. used water quality data from an initial water quality sample collected in 2015 from the January Adit and the TSF#1 seepage to arrive at a mixed water chemistry for the passive treatment system influent. A pilot scale RPTS (Pilot RPTS) was constructed near the January Mine Adit, in February, 2016. The Pilot RPTS was continuously monitored by AMI personnel for a period of 24 weeks, from March to August 2016. The Work plan documented influent and effluent changes in pH, temperature, flow rate, oxidation-reduction potential (ORP), conductivity, dissolved oxygen, and ferrous iron. CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. concluded that the results obtained during the Pilot RPTS period indicated a successful removal of metals from the water sources treated. Based on what was learned from

operating the Pilot RPTS, CPE and Sovereign Consulting Inc. recommended some design modifications to be included in a full-scale treatment.

The complete Pilot RPTS findings and conclusions are provided in Appendix C (Pilot Scale Test Report, Passive Treatment System January Mine) of the October 19, 2016 Work Plan.

### 5.1.3 Abandoned Passive Treatment Wetlands

Sovereign Consulting Inc. conducted soil characterization in the passive treatment wetlands that were constructed by ASARCO to act as a treatment system. Soil characterization was conducted to evaluate whether contaminants of concern may have precipitated in the soil or taken up in the vegetation. Elevated concentrations of metals (arsenic, lead) were identified that were consistent with the geology of the local bedrock. Sovereign concluded that the wetland soils could be managed or co-mingled with the historic tailings, or from the future ore processing mill, and placed in tailing facilities. The concentrations of RCRA metals in vegetation were below non-residential soil remediation levels. Refer to Appendix F of the CPE October 19, 2016 work plan.

## **5.2 Recent Site Characterization**

AMI has conducted further site characterization since the previous Work Plan. The following characterization tasks are described below and in the relevant appendices, as noted.

- Geotechnical Investigation
- Historic Tailing and waste rock characterization
- January Mine Workings Recharge and Water Quality
- Tailings Piles Seepage Flows and Water Quality
- Surface Water Quality
- Water Balance

### 5.2.1 Geotechnical Investigation

Newfields conducted a geotechnical investigation in January 2017 to characterize the proposed site and define relevant engineering material properties for the design of the new lined tailing/waste rock storage facility and underdrain pond. The investigation consisted of borings, test pits, and geophysical surveys, and was focused on the existing tailings piles 1 through 4. The objectives of the investigation were to:

- define the tailings and PAG waste rock volumes within each facility



- identify potentially impacted material below the piles
- determine tailings and PAG waste rock material properties.

Additional boreholes, test pits and seismic refraction lines were placed outside the limits of the existing tailings piles, in order to define engineering characteristics of the near surface soil, bedrock depth and potential construction borrow sources. Samples were collected during the field investigation for laboratory testing for engineering characterization, standard soil and rock strength, liner interface shear strength, permeability, consolidation and a battery of geochemical testing. Refer to Drawing A030 in Attachment B for the geotechnical investigation plan view. No groundwater was encountered during the geotechnical investigation.

Boreholes were placed along the geophysics lines in order to correlate known depths of the logged materials to seismic velocities. Using the depth to tailings and waste rock identified in the boreholes in combination with the velocities generated during the geophysical survey, a velocity band was identified that correlated with the bottom of the tailings and waste rock material within the historic tailings deposits. Refer to Attachment B (Drawings A050 through A053) for a plan view of the geophysics survey lines, boreholes and test pits as well as profiles showing the estimated depth of tailings and PAG waste rock.

Newfields used the tailings depth data to estimate the volume of tailings or PAG waste rock within each pile. The estimated tailings and PAG waste rock volumes to be relocated onto the lined TSF are presented in the table below:

**VRP TAILINGS PILES RELOCATED VOLUMES**

Stage	Material Volumes (tons)				Material Source
	Tailings	Waste Rock	Native Material	Total Material	
Tailings Pile 1 on Tailings Pile 2 and 4 (Temporary Condition)	112,800	223,600	15,500	~352,000	Tailings Pile 1
Stage 1 TSF	112,800	223,600	15,500	~1,036,000	Tailings Pile 1
	649,900	0	33,700		Tailings Piles 2 and 4
Stage 2 TSF	213,800	0	12,300	~227,000	Tailings Pile 3

Supporting documentation and volume calculations are provided in Newfields' report in Attachment B.

During Newfields drilling program in January 2017, native materials from beneath the historic tailings were collected for geochemical testing. As documented in Attachment A, foundation (native) soil and rock samples were lower in sulfur than either tailings or waste rock but 4 of the 19 samples still had pyritic sulfur greater than 0.3%, which would likely generate acidic conditions after sufficient exposure to oxygen. These higher sulfide samples were encountered in boreholes 1 and 2 beneath tailing pile 2/4. It is possible that some of the foundation soil and rock material in this area consists of historic sulfide waste or may contain naturally occurring sulfides. However, any sulfides beneath the tailings in pile 2/4 will be covered by the liner for the new repository, which will prevent contact with infiltrating water.

### 5.2.2 Historic Tailing and Waste Rock Characterization

A range of geochemical tests were on representative samples of historic tailings, waste rock, foundation soils (underlying the unlined tailings), and development rock from an exploration decline and shaft to characterize the material that will be placed in the lined TSF. The methodology and results are provided in Attachment A.

### 5.2.3 January Mine Adit and January Mine Workings Water Quality

Water quality samples have been collected from the January Adit and January Mine workings (sampling locations denoted on Figure 12 as “JAN AD” and JA-1, respectively) since April 2016. The results of these samples are compared to SWQSS (Table 1), including the dissolved-metal standards, which are the focus of the TMDL Implementation Plan for Alum Gulch. The results of the comparison are provided on Table 1. For some dissolved metals (cadmium copper, lead, nickel, silver, and zinc), SWQSS are based on the hardness of the receiving water body (in this case, Alum Gulch) or the hardness of the water from the discharge when there is not a receiving flow of water (i.e., ephemeral).

Samples were analyzed for dissolved metals. Iron and zinc were identified to be above the SWQSS (Aquatic and Wildlife warm, chronic). Samples were also analyzed for total metals. Arsenic, cadmium, and lead were identified to be above the applicable SWQSS, as noted on Table 1. Discharges from the January Adit to the constructed wetlands ceased in August 2016 and the January mine workings water is pumped and used for exploration drilling.

### 5.2.4 Tailings Pile Seepage Water Quality

In addition to tailing seepage samples collected in 2015, seepage was collected on January 9, 2017 and the water quality data were used in the design of the active WTP. The seepage chemistry is provided on Table 3-1 in attachment C.

### 5.2.5 Surface Water Quality

AMI and its consultants have conducted surface water quality monitoring in the Alum Gulch and Harshaw Creek watersheds. The monitoring locations are shown on Figure 12. Results of surface water analyses are provided on Tables 2A (Alum Gulch) and 2B (Harshaw Creek).

The SWQS for pH is 6.5 to 9.0. The pH values measured in all of the Alum Gulch samples listed on Table 2A were below 6.5. In contrast, the pH values measured in samples from Harshaw Creek met the standard.

Several dissolved metals were identified to be elevated in the Alum Gulch watershed. Dissolved zinc, lead, iron, cadmium, nickel concentrations are above their respective SWQSs at for aquatic and wildlife (warm water, chronic). Total cadmium, copper, iron, lead, and zinc concentrations were also identified to be above their SWQSs.

### 5.2.6 Groundwater Quality

MW-3 is located downstream of the proposed WTP (Figure 12). AMI has collected two rounds of groundwater samples from this well. The results are summarized on Table 3. Dissolved cadmium was detected at a concentration of 0.0051 mg/L, above the AWQS of 0.005 mg/L, in February 2017. In March 2017, dissolved cadmium was below the AWQS. The other analytes met AWQSs.

## **6. REMEDIAL DESIGN**

### **6.1 Remediation Goals**

The remediation goal is to reduce the constituents of concern from the January Mine Adit and the tailing seep to meet the applicable discharge water quality parameters that will be specified in an AZPDES permit (to be issued). This goal will be achieved by placing the historic ASARCO tailings on a lined tailing storage facility and constructing an active water treatment plant to treat January Mine workings water, tailings seepage, and meteoric water that comes in contact with the tailings. Key assumptions are provided in Sections 6.2 and 6.3 below and in Attachments B and C.

### **6.2 Tailing Storage Facility and Underdrain Collection Pond**

Placement of the historic tailings onto a lined permanent containment is an essential element of the remediation plan to be conducted under VRP. The Trench Camp TSF will be designed as a lined permanent storage area for remediation of the existing tailings piles that are shown on Figure 3. Tailings, PAG waste rock and impacted soils beneath the historic tailings facilities are to be excavated and placed in the lined Trench Camp TSF as an earthen material. PAG development rock from a planned exploration decline and shaft will also be stored in the lined TSF as a co-mingled material with the existing tailings and PAG waste rock. Additionally, it may be placed on the exterior face of the existing tailings and PAG waste rock thereby acting as rock armor, to prevent water and wind erosion.

Underdrain flows from the TSF will be directed via gravity to an underdrain collection pond located downstream of the TSF. Water collected in the underdrain collection pond will be pumped to the Water Treatment Plant (WTP) for treatment. This water may be used for exploration drilling makeup water, dust control, other operational uses, or released to a receiving stream downgradient of the WTP.

Construction level design drawings and supporting documentation are provided in Attachment B for the Tailings and Potentially Acid Generating (PAG) Material Remediation, Placement and Storage Final Design Report.

### **6.3 Water Treatment Plant**

A preliminary engineering report is provided by Water Engineering Technologies, Inc. (WET) for the water treatment plant (WTP) located at the Trench Camp in Attachment C. The report contains sixty percent (65%) plans and sections on: WTP background; design criteria including water chemistry and flow rates; process design including a process flow diagram, process and

instrumentation diagrams, mechanical equipment list, a facility general arrangement, and major equipment data sheets.

The water treatment plant is designed for treating underdrain seepage and storm water runoff from the TSF and water from the January Mine workings. The design accommodates variable flow rates from the TSF, using a nominal basis of design throughput of 120 gpm. The design allows for seasonal fluctuations in flow rates.

Treated water will be utilized for on-going mine exploration, dust control, construction soil conditioning, and future milling and mining operations. Periodic, short-term discharge of treated water or a portion of treated water to Alum Gulch may be necessary during periods of exploration or mine development. This discharge will be authorized under an AZPDES permit.

## **7. PERMITTING AND LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

### **7.1 Applicable Requirements**

Aquifer Protection Permit (APP) – The lined tailing/waste rock storage facility and underdrain collection pond are categorical facilities under the Aquifer Protection Permit regulations (A.R.S. 49-241).

Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (AZPDES) Permit – This permit provides authorization to discharge treated water from the water treatment plant in compliance with applicable water quality standards.

Arizona State Mine Inspector (ASMI) – Site reclamation plan, health and safety, and financial assurance mechanisms.

Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) – Dam safety procedures for any artificial barrier that is not an exempt structure.

### **7.2 Other Determinations**

A request for Approved Clean Water Section 4040 Jurisdictional Determination covering the project area was submitted to the Los Angeles District Office of the US Army Corps of Engineers. Following their jurisdictional review, they determined that jurisdictional waters do not occur in this area.

A copy of the Jurisdictional Determination Letter is included in Attachment D to this work plan document.

## **8. SAMPLING AND ANALYSIS PLAN (SAP)**

Monitoring of the WTP effluent and the associated reporting and record keeping requirements will be specified in the AZPDES permit and the APP issued to AMI by ADEQ. A copy of the Sampling and Analysis Plan (SAP) will be provided to ADEQ-VRP.

## 9. SCHEDULE

A Gantt chart providing the proposed project schedule is provided in Attachment E.



## **10. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROPOSAL**

As required by §49-176, the communities and stakeholders that could be affected by the work described in this work plan will be informed about the project goals and achievements. A copy of the Public Notice to be published for this project is included in Attachment F of this document. Public comments and additional pertinent information will be incorporated into the attachment as they are received.

## 11. CONCLUSIONS

AMI prepared this Work Plan in accordance with A.R.S. 49-175 and 176. The proposed Work Plan will address mine influenced water discharges from the January Mine Adit and seepages from historical tailing piles at the Trench Camp, Norton, and January Mine properties. AMI is confident that the approach described in this work plan will result in an efficient and effective remediation system to meet the project goals and achieve the water quality standards that have been established for Alum Gulch.

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## TABLES

TABLE 1  
January Adit and January Mine Workings

Analyte	Units	SWQS <sup>2</sup>	Date						
			JAN AD <sup>1</sup>	JA#1	JA#1	JAN AD	JA#1	JA#1	JA#1
			4/14/2016	4/15/2016	6/20/2016	6/20/2016	8/15/2016	2/7/2017	3/14/2017
Field Parameters									
Flow	gpm	NA	12	--	--	5	--	--	--
Conductivity	µS/cm	NA	3,180	3,425	3,480	3,790	3,687	3,200	3,498
pH	SU	6.5-9.0	5.87	6.20	6.75	6.35	5.87	6.40	5.85
ORP	mV	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Temperature	°C	NA	20.3	21.2	22.1	23.3	21.9	21.2	20.7
Dissolved Metals									
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	<2.0	<2.0	--	--	<10	<2.0	--
Antimony	mg/L	0.03	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	0.0032	0.0045	<0.0050	--
Arsenic	mg/L	0.15	0.089	0.066	0.024	0.072	0.13	0.085	--
Barium	mg/L	NA	--	--	0.0072	--	0.0047	<0.0050	--
Beryllium	mg/L	0.0053	<0.0025	<0.0025	<0.00025	0.00036	<0.0013	<0.0025	--
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	--	470	520	--	480	--
Cadmium	mg/L	0.0062	0.0035	<0.0025	<0.00025	0.0022	0.00040	0.00038	--
Chromium	mg/L	1	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0024	0.00093	0.0030	<0.0050	--
Copper	mg/L	0.0293	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.00093	0.0014	0.0014	<0.0050	--
Iron	mg/L	1	36	31	23	38	42	36	--
Lead	mg/L	0.0109	<0.025	<0.0050	<0.00050	0.0014	0.0078	<0.0050	--
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	--	260	260	--	250	--
Manganese	mg/L	130.667	68	66	48	62	61	53	--
Mercury	mg/L	0.00001	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	--
Nickel	mg/L	0.1680	0.055	0.042	0.034	0.057	0.057	0.050	--
Selenium	mg/L	NA	0.0031	0.0024	0.0031	0.0039	0.0026	0.0021	--
Silver	mg/L	0.0349	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.15	<0.025	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.0010	<0.00050	<0.0050	--
Zinc	mg/L	0.379	9.8	0.27	<0.40	8.9	6.0	4.8	--
Total Metals									
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	<2.0	<2.0	--	--	<2.0	<2.0	--
Antimony	mg/L	0.64	<0.0050	0.011	0.0026	0.0030	0.0052	0.0063	--
Arsenic	mg/L	0.03	0.097	0.092	0.025	0.077	0.10	0.11	--
Barium	mg/L	98	--	--	0.020	--	0.013	0.0063	--
Beryllium	mg/L	0.084	<0.0025	<0.0025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	0.00028	--
Calcium	mg/L	NA	470	450	460	510	450	520	--
Cadmium	mg/L	0.05	0.0043	0.035	0.0018	0.0020	0.0005	0.0006	--
Chromium	mg/L	1	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0024	0.00069	0.0077	0.0010	--
Copper	mg/L	0.5	0.0053	0.010	0.0047	<0.0050	0.0044	0.0011	--
Iron	mg/L	NA	35	38	22	38	40	41	--
Lead	mg/L	0.015	0.0092	0.32	0.050	0.0091	0.0088	0.0088	--
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	240	250	250	270	260	270	--
Manganese	mg/L	130.667	61	61	45	59	64	59	--
Mercury	mg/L	0.010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	--
Nickel	mg/L	4.6	0.0029	0.054	0.026	0.053	0.053	0.040	--
Selenium	mg/L	0.002	<0.0050	0.0024	0.0014	0.0051	0.00045	0.0021	--
Silver	mg/L	4.667	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.00077	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.0072	<0.0010	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	--
Zinc	mg/L	5.106	10	4.9	1.4	8.1	5.7	5.2	--
Inorganics									
Alkalinity, Bicarbonate (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	170	--	--
Alkalinity, Carbonate (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	<2.0	--	--
Alkalinity, Hydroxide (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	<2.0	--	--
Alkalinity, Total (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	170	--	--
Hardness -[CALC] Ca (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hardness -[CALC] Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> ) (Dissolved)	mg/L	NA	--	2100	--	2400	--	2200	--
Hardness -[CALC] Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	2200	--	2200	--	2400	2400	--
TSS (residue, non-filterable)	mg/L	NA	12	42	71	15	22	<10	--
TDS (residue filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	--	3100	3700	3900	3600	--
Anions									
Cyanide	mg/L	0.2	--	--	<0.10	--	<0.10	<0.10	--
Fluoride	mg/L	NA	--	--	0.68	--	0.62	0.95	--
Nitrate + Nitrite	mg/L	NA	--	--	<0.10	--	<0.10	<0.10	--
Sulfate	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	2200

Notes:  
**Bold** indicates concentration above SWQS (Surface Water Quality Standard)  
<sup>1</sup> Jan Ad = January Adit discharge; JA#1 = January Adit Well  
<sup>2</sup> Designated Uses at Alum Gulch: Aquatic & wildlife warm water, full body contact, fish consumption, and Agricultural Livestock watering.  
<sup>2</sup> SWQS - standards for cadmium, copper, lead, nickel, zinc based on a maximum hardness of 400 mg/L  
CaCO<sub>3</sub> = calcium carbonate  
°C = degrees Celsius  
gpm = gallons per minute  
mg/L = milligrams per Liter  
µS/cm = microsiemens per centimeter  
SU = standard units  
mV = millivolts  
NA = no applicable standard  
TDS = total dissolved solids  
TSS = total suspended solids  
-- indicates no sample  
Duplicate Values separated by a '/'

TABLE 2A  
Alum Gulch Surface Water Quality

Analyte	Units	Alum Gulch SWQS (mg/L)	FC-1	FC-2	HC-1	SW-AL1	SW-AL1	SW-AL1	SW-AL1	SW-AL2	SW-AL2	SW-AL2	SW-AL2	SW-AL3	SW-AL3	SW-AL3	SW-AL3	SW-AL4	SW-AL4	SW-AL4	SW-AL4	SW-AL4	SW-AL4
			12/29/2016	12/29/2016	12/29/2016	4/14/2016	8/15/2016	11/29/2016	2/8/2017	4/14/2016	8/15/2016	11/29/2016	2/8/2017	4/14/2016	8/15/2016	11/29/2016	2/8/2017	4/14/2016	8/15/2016	8/15/16 DUP	11/29/2016	2/8/2017	2/8/17 DUP
Field Parameters																							
Conductivity	µS/cm	NA	3680	2923	939.8	3541	Pooled water (No sample collected)	DRY	DRY	3334	3030	DRY	DRY	3233	3220	DRY	DRY	2573	2140	2140	375	2820	2820
pH	SU	6.5-9.0	3.66	3.94	3.17	5.16				5.66	5.80			5.31	5.38			4.57	4.43	4.43	3.12	4.04	4.04
Temperature	°C	NA	10.6	11.5	10.5	21.4				19.8	27.9			21.8	28.7			20.4	23.5	23.5	9.1	6.5	6.5
Flow	gpm	NA	0.025	0.2	0.004	0				3-4	9			3-4	12			7-8	25	25	0.2	1.0	1.0
Dissolved Metals																							
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	5.4	--	--	--	<2.0	<10	--	--	4.0	<10	--	--	24	19	18	--	18.0	16.6
Antimony	mg/L	0.03	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050
Arsenic	mg/L	0.15	<0.0400	<0.0400	<0.0400	<0.0051	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0013	--	--	<0.0050	0.0016	--	--	<0.0050	0.0012	0.0013	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0013
Barium	mg/L	NA	0.05	<0.050	<0.050	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Beryllium	mg/L	0.0053	0.016	0.0027	0.0026	<0.0025	--	--	--	<0.0025	<0.0013	--	--	<0.0025	0.0019	--	--	0.0029	0.0024	0.0023	0.0031	0.0027	0.0019
Cadmium	mg/L	0.0062	0.21	0.18	0.031	0.092	--	--	--	0.043	0.040	--	--	0.074	0.058	--	--	0.074	0.084	0.083	0.11	0.20	0.18
Calcium	mg/L	NA	380	350	17	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	430	320
Chromium	mg/L	1	0.043	<0.030	<0.030	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	0.00054	0.00068	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Copper	mg/L	0.50	2.1	0.51	3.2	0.092	--	--	--	0.045	0.040	--	--	0.16	0.088	--	--	0.42	0.71	0.76	0.32	0.72	0.64
Iron	mg/L	1.0	1.7	0.42	5.4	4.5	--	--	--	<0.30	<1.5	--	--	<0.30	<1.5	--	--	0.33	1.3	1.3	0.60	<0.30	<0.30
Lead	mg/L	0.0109	0.6	0.12	<0.040	0.68	--	--	--	0.058	0.027	--	--	0.070	0.050	--	--	0.18	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.11	0.1
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	220	200	17	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	260	200
Manganese	mg/L	130.667	190	59	6.5	100	--	--	--	31	39	--	--	56	55	--	--	54	38	38	72	58	57
Mercury	mg/L	0.00001	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	--
Nickel	mg/L	0.1680	0.39	0.21	0.073	0.25	--	--	--	0.080	0.096	--	--	0.14	0.13	--	--	0.18	0.15	0.15	0.26	0.22	0.23
Potassium	mg/L	NA	7.1	6.1	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Selenium	mg/L	NA	<0.040	<0.040	<0.040	0.0073	--	--	--	0.0043	0.0027	--	--	0.0063	0.0032	--	--	0.0051	0.0022	0.0025	0.0071	0.0069	0.0035
Silver	mg/L	0.0349	0.051	0.017	<0.010	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050
Sodium	mg/L	NA	78	72	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.15	<0.00050	<0.00050	0.00058	<0.025	--	--	--	<0.025	<0.00050	--	--	<0.025	<0.00050	--	--	<0.025	0.00051	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Uranium	mg/L	NA	0.014	0.0013	0.0045	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Zinc	mg/L	0.379	76	45	6.4	49	--	--	--	26	24	--	--	32	31	--	--	34	25	25	45	38	39
Total Metals																							
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	5.2	--	--	--	<2.0	<2.0	--	--	3.9	2.6	--	--	21	19	19	--	20.6	20.6
Antimony	mg/L	0.64	--	--	--	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.00080	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Arsenic	mg/L	0.03	--	--	--	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0016	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0025	<0.00050	0.00050
Barium	mg/L	98	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Beryllium	mg/L	0.084	--	--	--	<0.0025	--	--	--	<0.0025	0.00051	--	--	0.0028	0.0017	--	--	0.0030	0.0026	0.0027	0.0029	0.0027	0.0021
Cadmium	mg/L	0.050	--	--	--	0.11	--	--	--	0.052	0.043	--	--	0.089	0.062	--	--	0.085	0.089	0.090	0.110	0.19	0.18
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	480	--	--	--	410	420	--	--	470	460	--	--	320	230	230	320	320	340
Chromium	mg/L	1	--	--	--	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0082	--	--	<0.0050	0.0078	--	--	<0.0050	0.0086	0.0083	<0.0025	0.0025	0.0026
Copper	mg/L	0.5	--	--	--	0.098	--	--	--	0.054	0.034	--	--	0.17	0.097	--	--	0.44	0.74	0.73	0.32	0.66	0.66
Iron	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	5.1	--	--	--	<0.30	0.74	--	--	<0.30	<0.30	--	--	0.33	1.3	1.4	0.67	<0.30	<0.30
Lead	mg/L	0.015	--	--	--	0.63	--	--	--	0.049	0.059	--	--	0.068	0.046	--	--	0.17	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	280	--	--	--	230	230	--	--	260	250	--	--	190	140	140	210	200	200
Manganese	mg/L	130.667	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	33	34	--	--	54	56	--	--	49	38	39	63	58	61
Mercury	mg/L	0.010	--	--	--	<0.0010	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Nickel	mg/L	4.6	--	--	--	0.27	--	--	--	0.094	0.080	--	--	0.15	0.13	--	--	0.19	0.13	0.13	0.23	0.20	0.18
Potassium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Selenium	mg/L	0.002	--	--	--	0.0082	--	--	--	0.0050	0.00089	--	--	0.0067	0.0020	--	--	0.0054	0.00082	0.00084	0.0037	0.0039	0.0037
Silver	mg/L	4.667	--	--	--	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050
Sodium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.0072	--	--	--	<0.0050	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	<0.0050	0.00052	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050
Uranium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Zinc	mg/L	5.106	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	21	20	--	--	30	30	--	--	31	24	24	38	36	38
Inorganics																							
Nitrogen, Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	NA	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.55	<0.50
Nitrogen, Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	NA	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.10	<0.10
Hardness , Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	2300	--	--	--	2000	2000	--	--	2200	2200	--	--	1600	1100	1200	1700	2200	1600
TSS (residue, non-filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	41	--	--	--	<10	12	--	--	<10	<10	--	--	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10
TDS (residue,																							

Notes:  
**Bold** indicates concentration above SWQS (Surface Water Quality Standard)  
<sup>1</sup> Dissolved metals SWQSs: Only the most stringent hardness based calculated SWQS of all applicable designated uses is shown above.  
Designated Uses at Alum Gulch: Aquatic & wildlife warm water, full body contact, fish consumption, and Agricultural Livestock watering.  
Designated Uses at Humboldt Canyon (SW-HU-1): Aquatic & wildlife ephemeral, partial body contact.  
Hardness based SWQSs calculated using 400 mg/L in Alum Gulch; Humboldt Canyon uses hardness value of the collected sample  
CaCO<sub>3</sub> = calcium carbonate  
µS/cm = microsiemens per centimeter  
SU = standard units  
°C = degrees Celsius  
gpm = gallons per minute  
mg/L = milligrams per Liter  
NA = no applicable standard  
TDS = total dissolved solids  
TSS = total suspended solids  
-- indicates no data available

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TABLE 2A  
Alum Gulch Surface Water Quality

Analyte	Units	Humboldt Canyon SWQS (mg/L)	SW-HU 1	SW-HU 1	SW-HU 1	SW-HU 1
			4/14/2016	8/15/2016	11/29/2016	2/8/2017
Field Parameters						
Conductivity	µS/cm	NA	DRY	717	DRY	DRY
pH	SU	6.5-9.0		3.72		
Temperature	°C	NA		26.0		
Flow	gpm	NA		10		
Dissolved Metals						
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	27	--	--
Antimony	mg/L	NA	--	<0.00050	--	--
Arsenic	mg/L	0.44	--	0.00068	--	--
Barium	mg/L	NA	--	NA	--	--
Beryllium	mg/L	NA	--	0.0020	--	--
Cadmium	mg/L	0.072	--	0.050	--	--
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Chromium	mg/L	NA	--	0.0021	--	--
Copper	mg/L	0.1506	--	1.8	--	--
Iron	mg/L	0.1	--	0.59	--	--
Lead	mg/L	0.1512	--	0.042	--	--
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Manganese	mg/L	NA	--	4.4	--	--
Mercury	mg/L	0.005	--	<0.0010	--	--
Nickel	mg/L	0.1512	--	0.067	--	--
Potassium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Selenium	mg/L	NA	--	0.00070	--	--
Silver	mg/L	0.0038	--	<0.00050	--	--
Sodium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Thallium	mg/L	NA	--	0.00075	--	--
Uranium	mg/L	2.8	--	--	--	--
Zinc	mg/L	3.599	--	5.3	--	--
Total Metals						
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	26	--	--
Antimony	mg/L	0.747	--	<0.00050	--	--
Arsenic	mg/L	0.03	--	<0.00050	--	--
Barium	mg/L	98	--	--	--	--
Beryllium	mg/L	1.867	--	0.0022	--	--
Cadmium	mg/L	0.07	--	0.052	--	--
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	17	--	--
Chromium	mg/L	NA	--	0.012	--	--
Copper	mg/L	1.3	--	1.8	--	--
Iron	mg/L	NA	--	0.57	--	--
Lead	mg/L	0.015	--	0.028	--	--
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	16	--	--
Manganese	mg/L	130.667	--	4.1	--	--
Mercury	mg/L	0.28	--	<0.0010	--	--
Nickel	mg/L	28	--	0.065	--	--
Potassium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Selenium	mg/L	0.033	--	<0.0025	--	--
Silver	mg/L	4.667	--	<0.00050	--	--
Sodium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.075	--	0.00064	--	--
Uranium	mg/L	2.8	--	--	--	--
Zinc	mg/L	280	--	5.1	--	--
Inorganics						
Nitrogen, Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Nitrogen, Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Hardness , Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	110	--	--
TSS (residue, non-filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	<10	--	--
TDS (residue, filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Anions						
Chloride	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--
Cyanide	mg/L	0.084	--	--	--	--
Fluoride	mg/L	140	--	--	--	--
Sulfate	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--

Notes:  
**Bold** indicates concentration above SWQS (Surface Water Quality Standard)  
<sup>1</sup> Dissolved metals SWQSs: Only the most stringent hardness based calculated SWQS of all applicable designated uses is shown above.  
Designated Uses at Alum Gulch: Aquatic & wildlife warm water, full body contact, fish consumption, and Agricultural Livestock watering.  
Designated Uses at Humboldt Canyon (SW-HU-1): Aquatic & wildlife ephemeral, partial body contact.  
Hardness based SWQSs calculated using 400 mg/L in Alum Gulch; Humboldt Canyon uses hardness value of the collected sample  
CaCO<sub>3</sub> = calcium carbonate  
µS/cm = microsiemens per centimeter  
SU = standard units  
°C = degrees Celsius  
gpm = gallons per minute  
mg/L = milligrams per Liter  
NA = no applicable standard  
TDS = total dissolved solids  
TSS = total suspended solids  
-- indicates no data available



**TABLE 2B**

**Harshaw Creek Surface Water Quality**

Analyte	Units	SWQS <sup>1,2</sup> (mg/L)	SW-HA 1 4/14/2016	SW-HA 1 8/15/2016	SW-HA 1 11/29/2016	SW-HA 1 2/8/2017	SW-HA 2 4/14/2016	SW-HA 2 8/15/2016	SW-HA 2 11/29/2016	SW-HA 2 2/8/2017	SW-HA 3 4/14/2016	SW-HA 3 8/15/2016	SW-HA 3 11/29/2016	SW-HA 3 2/8/2017	SW-HA 4 4/14/2016	SW-HA 4 8/15/2016	SW-HA 4 11/29/2016	SW-HA 4 2/8/2017	SW-HA 5 4/14/2016	SW-HA 5 8/15/2016	SW-HA 5 11/29/2016	SW-HA 5 2/8/2017	SW-HA 6 8/15/2016	SW-HA 6 11/29/2016	SW-HA 6 11/29/16 DUP	SW-HA 6 2/8/2017	
Field Parameters																											
Conductivity	µS/cm	NA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	1802	1043	1416	1636	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	1435	942	1308	1519	1677	1448	1448	1633	
pH	SU	6.5-9.0									6.95	7.20	7.47	7.42					6.87	7.71	7.33	8.04	7.25	6.88	6.88	7.29	
Temperature	°C	NA									21.1	24.2	11.8	6.9					18.4	25.2	14.1	8.6	22.6	10.3	10.3	10.1	
Flow	gpm	NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	4	25	2	0	0	0	0	4-5	40	15	0.2	5	15	15	3	
Dissolved Metals																											
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<2.0	<10	--	<0.0400	--	--	--	--	<2.0	<2.0	--	<0.0400	<10	--	--	<0.0400	
Antimony	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0010	0.0014	<0.0050	0.00054	--	--	--	--	0.0028	0.0024	<0.0050	0.0020	0.0037	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0035	
Arsenic	mg/L	0.28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0027	0.0035	<0.0050	0.0026	--	--	--	--	0.0038	0.0054	<0.0050	0.0031	0.0029	<0.0050	<0.0050	0.0021	
Barium	mg/L	98	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Beryllium	mg/L	1.867	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00050	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	
Cadmium	mg/L	0.290	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	0.00025	<0.0025	<0.00025	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.0025	<0.00025	0.00037	<0.0025	<0.0025	<0.00050	
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	270	--	--	--	--	--	--	240	--	--	--	--	280	
Chromium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0016	0.00059	<0.00050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	0.0011	0.00096	<0.00050	<0.00050	0.0010	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0010	
Copper	mg/L	0.08588	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0014	0.0031	0.0014	0.00081	--	--	--	--	0.0016	0.0019	0.0016	0.00097	0.0026	0.0017	0.0019	0.0011	
Iron	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.30	<1.5	<0.30	<0.30	--	--	--	--	<0.30	<0.30	<0.30	<0.30	<1.5	<0.30	<0.30	<0.30	
Lead	mg/L	0.5927	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	0.00068	0.0033	<0.0050	<0.00050	0.0011	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	42	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	45	--	--	--	44	
Manganese	mg/L	130.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.11	0.038	0.11	0.085	--	--	--	--	0.022	0.025	0.020	0.016	0.030	0.073	0.062	0.0056	
Mercury	mg/L	0.28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	<0.0010	--	--	--	
Nickel	mg/L	13.436	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.0078	--	--	--	--	0.0092	0.0062	0.012	0.0070	0.015	0.0096	0.0099	0.0081	
Potassium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Selenium	mg/L	4.667	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0023	0.0013	<0.025	0.0012	--	--	--	--	0.0017	0.0013	<0.025	0.0011	0.0032	<0.025	<0.025	0.0015	
Silver	mg/L	0.0349	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0010	
Sodium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Thallium	mg/L	0.075	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	
Uranium	mg/L	2.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Zinc	mg/L	3.599	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.040	<0.20	0.048	<0.040	--	--	--	--	<0.040	<0.040	<0.040	<0.040	<0.20	0.055	0.048	0.069	
Total Metals																											
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<2.0	<2.0	--	0.282	--	--	--	--	<2.0	<2.0	--	0.0896	<2.0	--	--	0.535	
Antimony	mg/L	0.747	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0010	0.0018	0.00065	0.00068	--	--	--	--	0.0028	0.0025	0.0020	0.0019	0.0036	0.0014	0.0014	0.0037	
Arsenic	mg/L	0.28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0034	<0.0025	0.0029	--	--	--	--	0.0052	0.0037	0.0037	0.0022	0.0014	<0.0025	<0.0025	0.0024	
Barium	mg/L	98	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Beryllium	mg/L	1.867	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.0013	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.0013	<0.0013	<0.00025	
Cadmium	mg/L	0.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	0.00031	<0.00025	<0.00025	--	--	--	--	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	0.00036	<0.00025	<0.00025	<0.00025	
Calcium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	300	320	280	300	--	--	--	--	270	150	260	250	340	340	290	300	
Chromium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.00099	0.0077	<0.0025	0.0027	--	--	--	--	0.0012	0.0065	<0.0025	0.0026	0.0067	0.0034	<0.0025	0.0040	
Copper	mg/L	1.3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0097	0.0037	0.0060	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0053	0.0065	0.0015	0.0061	<0.0025	<0.0025	0.0068	
Iron	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.30	0.78	<0.30	0.76	--	--	--	--	<0.30	<0.30	0.49	<0.30	<0.30	<0.30	<0.30	0.98	
Lead	mg/L	0.015	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.020	0.0010	0.0048	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	0.0044	0.018	0.0012	0.0050	0.0017	0.0022	0.0035	
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	44	48	39	45	--	--	--	--	51	30	50	49	54	43	44	48	
Manganese	mg/L	130.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.057	0.12	0.11	0.14	--	--	--	--	0.024	0.072	0.17	0.023	0.081	0.051	0.062	0.078	
Mercury	mg/L	0.28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	--	--	--	--	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	
Nickel	mg/L	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.018	0.019	0.011	0.0082	--	--	--	--	0.016	0.012	0.010	0.0078	0.019	0.011	0.011	0.010	
Potassium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Selenium	mg/L	4.667	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0017	0.0013	0.0012	0.0010	--	--	--	--	0.0014	0.00079	0.00080	0.00075	0.0021	0.0012	0.0010	0.0019	
Silver	mg/L	4.667	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	
Sodium	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Thallium	mg/L	0.075	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	--	--	--	--	<0.0050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050	
Uranium	mg/L	2.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Zinc	mg/L	280	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.040	0.049	0.048	<0.040	--	--	--	--	<0.040	<0.040	<0.040	<0.040	0.093	0.042	0.048	0.088	
Inorganics																											
Nitrogen, Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	3733	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.50	--	--	--	0.52	
Nitrogen, Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	233	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<0.10	--	--	--	<0.10	
Hardness , Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	930	990	860	850	--	--	--	--	880	500	860	790	1100	1000	900	880	
TSS (residue, non-filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<10	18	<10	39	--	--	--	--	<10	<10	14	<10	<10	<10	<10	33	
TDS (residue, filterable)	mg/L	NA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1400	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1300	--	--	--	1400	

Notes:

**Bold** indicates concentration above SWQS (Surface Water Quality Standard)

<sup>1</sup> Dissolved metals SWQSS: Aquatic and Wildlife ephemeral (A&We) use. Hardness based standards (for dissolved cadmium copper, lead, nickel, silver, and zinc) are based on 400 mg/L hardness of the sample.

<sup>2</sup> Partial Body Contact (PBC) standard applies to total metals

$\text{CaCO}_3$  = calcium carbonate

$\mu S/cm$  = microsiemens per centimeter

*SU = standard units*

$^{\circ}\text{C}$  = degrees Celsius

*gpm = gallons per minute*

mg/L = milligrams per Liter

TDS = total dissolved solids

TSS = total suspended solids  
NA = no applicable standard

NA = no applicable standard  
indicates no data available

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**TABLE 3**  
**MW-3 Groundwater Quality**

Analyte	Units	AWQS (mg/L)	2/7/2017	4/17/2017
<b>Field Parameters</b>				
Conductivity	µS/cm	NA	2960	3191
pH	SU	NA	7.98	7.09
Temperature	°C	NA	19.8	19.7
<b>Dissolved Metals</b>				
Aluminum	mg/L	NA	<2.0	--
Antimony	mg/L	0.006	<0.00050	<0.00050
Arsenic	mg/L	0.05	0.0064	0.0087
Barium	mg/L	2	0.027	0.022
Beryllium	mg/L	0.004	<0.00025	0.00043
Cadmium	mg/L	0.005	<b>0.0051</b>	0.0044
Calcium	mg/L	NA	570	--
Chromium	mg/L	0.1	0.00053	<0.0050
Copper	mg/L	NA	0.00080	--
Iron	mg/L	NA	<0.30	--
Lead	mg/L	0.05	<0.0050	<0.00050
Magnesium	mg/L	NA	210	--
Manganese	mg/L	NA	24	--
Mercury	mg/L	0.002	<0.000094	<0.000094
Nickel	mg/L	0.1	0.070	0.071
Selenium	mg/L	0.05	0.0021	0.0065
Silver	mg/L	NA	<0.00050	--
Thallium	mg/L	0.002	<0.0050	<0.00050
Zinc	mg/L	NA	4.7	--
<b>Total Metals</b>				
Aluminum	mg/L		<2.0	--
Antimony	mg/L		<0.00050	<0.00050
Arsenic	mg/L		0.0061	0.0068
Barium	mg/L		0.033	0.026
Beryllium	mg/L		0.00066	0.00052
Cadmium	mg/L		0.0065	0.0042
Calcium	mg/L		580	520
Chromium	mg/L		0.0016	0.0066
Copper	mg/L		0.0011	--
Iron	mg/L		1.8	--
Lead	mg/L		0.00059	0.0027
Magnesium	mg/L		220	200
Manganese	mg/L		24	--
Mercury	mg/L		<0.00094	<0.000094
Nickel	mg/L		0.059	0.080
Selenium	mg/L		0.0021	0.0046
Silver	mg/L		<0.00050	--
Thallium	mg/L		<0.00050	<0.00050
Zinc	mg/L		5.8	--
<b>Inorganics</b>				
Hardness, Ca/Mg (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	NA	2300	--
Nitrogen, Nitrate (as N)	mg/L	10	<0.50	<0.50
Nitrogen, Nitrite (as N)	mg/L	1	<0.10	<0.10
TDS (residue, filterable)	mg/L	NA	3300	--
TSS (residue, non-filterable)	mg/L	NA	<10	--
<b>Anions</b>				
Cyanide	mg/L	0.2	<0.10	<0.10
Fluoride	mg/L	4	0.80	0.85
Sulfate	mg/L	NA	--	2100
<b>Radionuclides</b>				
Uranium-234	µg/L	NA	0.00015 ± 0.00004	--
Uranium-235	µg/L	NA	0.010 ± 0.001	--
Uranium-238	µg/L	NA	1.4 ± 0.5	--
Uranium Activity (U <sup>234</sup> , U <sup>235</sup> , U <sup>238</sup> )	pCi/L	NA	1.4 ± 0.5	--
Radium-226	pCi/L	NA	0.7 ± 0.2	<0.3
Radium-228	pCi/L	NA	<0.6	<0.6
Total Radium Activity	pCi/L	5	0.7 ± 0.2	<0.6
Gross Alpha Activity	pCi/L	15	--	3.3 ± 1.2

Notes:

**Bold** indicates concentration above AWQS (Aquifer Water Quality Standard)

CaCO<sub>3</sub> = calcium carbonate

°C = degrees Celsius

mg/L = milligrams per Liter

NA = no applicable standard

SU = standard units

TDS = total dissolved solids

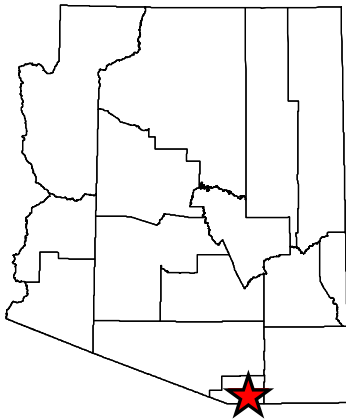
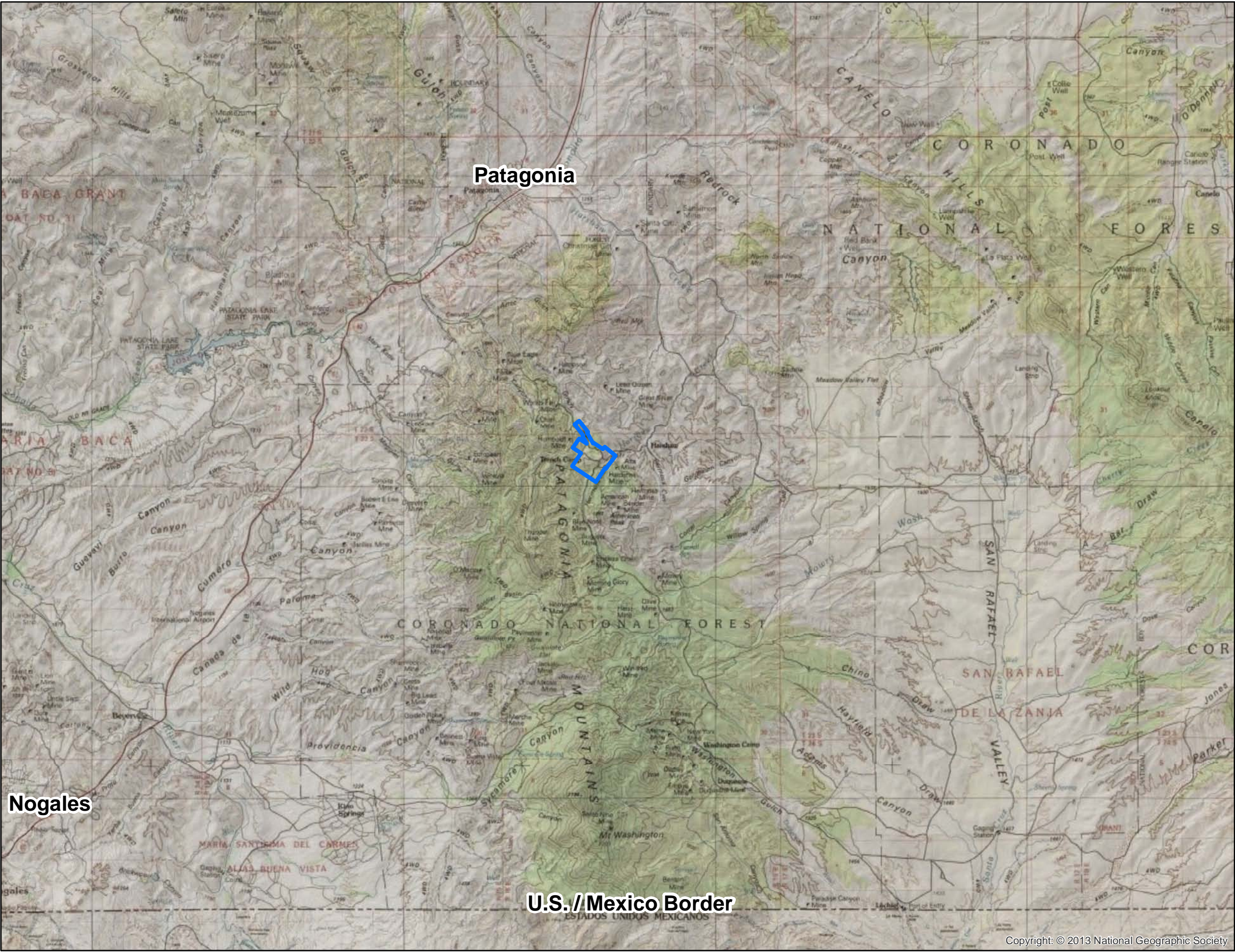
TSS = total suspended solids

µS/cm = microsiemens per centimeter

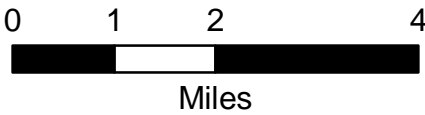
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## FIGURES





**Legend**  
Project Area

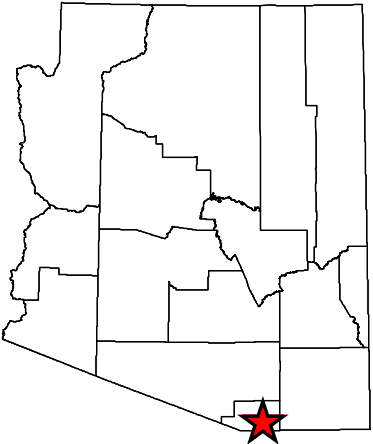
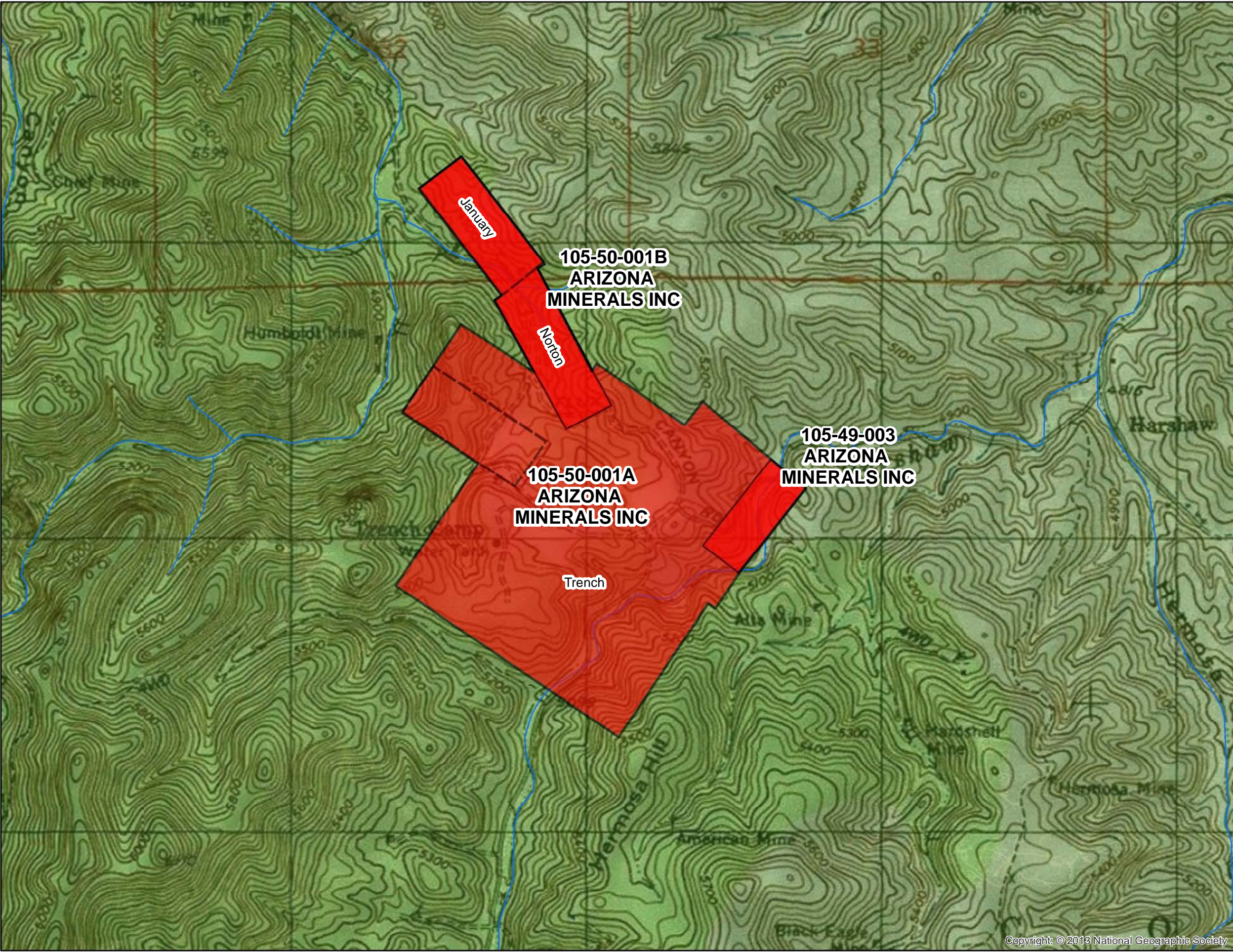


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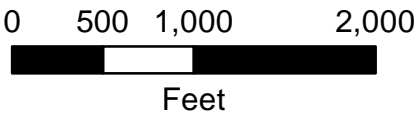
FIGURE 1  
Project Location  
January Adit (Norton Mine)  
Voluntary Remediation Program  
Site 505143-02





**Legend**  
January / Norton / Trench Claims

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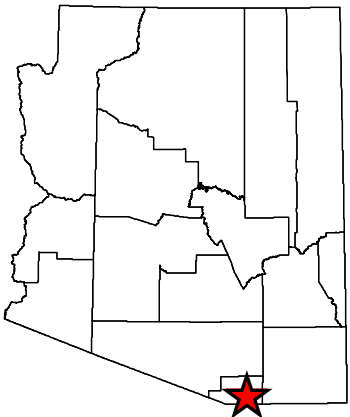
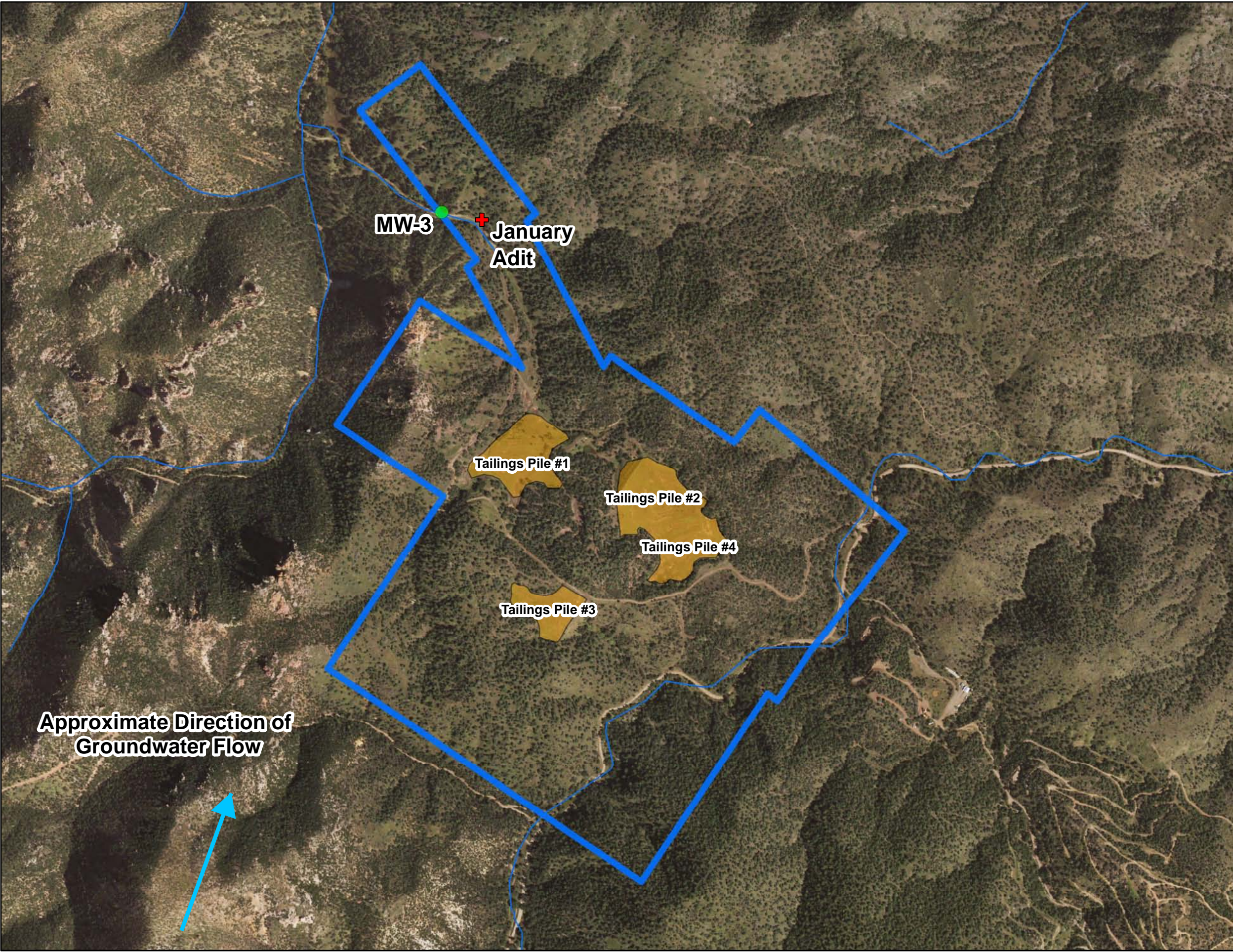


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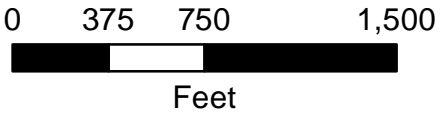
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FIGURE 2  
January, Norton, Trench  
Claim Locations  
January Adit (Norton Mine)  
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- Legend**
- Project Area
  - Existing Tailings Storage Facilities
  - MW-3
  - Location of January Adit

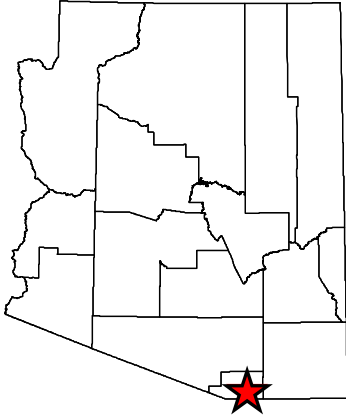


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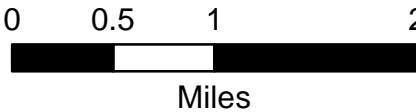
FIGURE 3  
Site Plan  
January Adit (Norton Mine)  
Voluntary Remediation Program  
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- Legend**
- Project Area
  - Stream / River Channels
  - Watershed Divide

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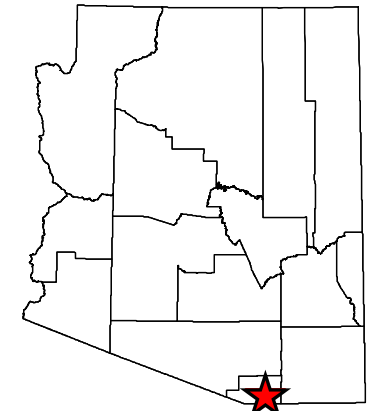
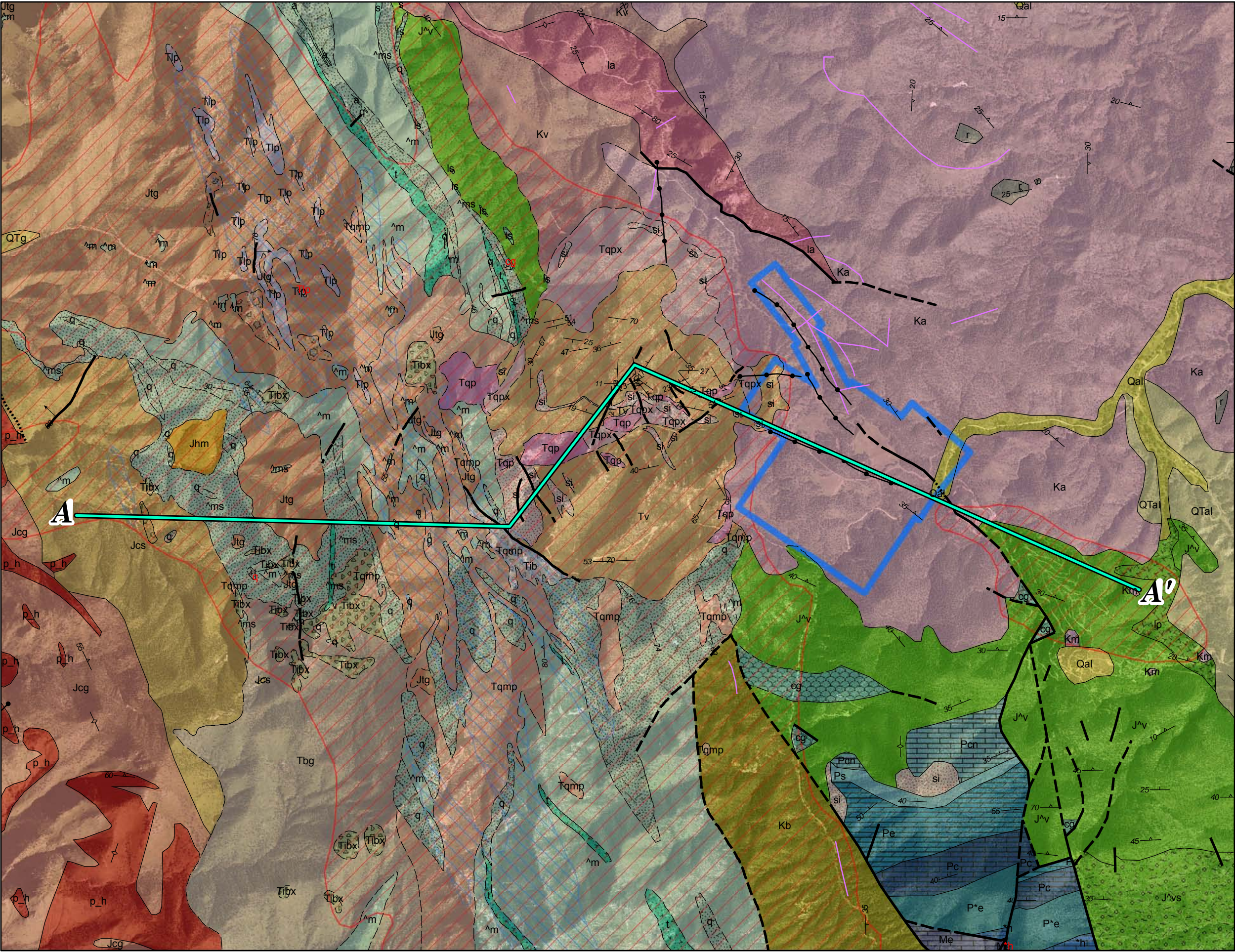


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FIGURE 4  
Watershed Boundaries  
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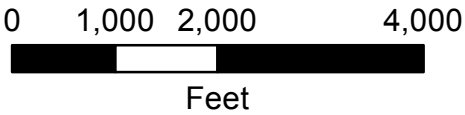




**Legend**



-  Project Area
-  Geologic Cross Section Line

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**FIGURE 5**  
Geologic Map  
January Adit (Norton Mine)  
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Legend

Project Area

Contacts, faults, folds, and linear units

- linear units
- contact, certain
- contact, dashed where approximately located
- contact, dotted where concealed
- fault, certain
- fault, dashed where approximately located
- fault, dotted where concealed
- thrust fault, certain
- anticline
- vein
- Extent of mapped area

Shear zones

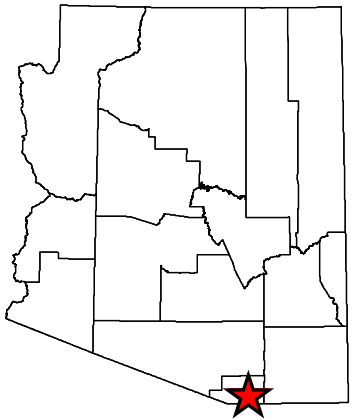
Pyrite zones

Map units

Symbol, Unit name

- Qal—Younger alluvium and talus
- QTal—Older alluvium
- QTg—Gravel and conglomerate
- Tl—Limestone
- Tt—Biotite rhyolite tuff
- si—Silicification
- Tv—Volcaniclastic rocks of middle Alum Gulch
- Tib—Intrusive breccia of middle Alum Gulch
- Tqp—Quartz feldspar porphyry of middle Alum Gulch
- Tqpx—Xenolithic quartz feldspar porphyry of middle Alum Gulch
- Tqmp—Quartz monzonite porphyry, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tqmpb—Breccia, in quartz monzonite porphyry (unit Tqmp) of granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tg—Granodiorite, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tgb—Breccia, in granodiorite (unit Tg) of granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tlp—Latite porphyry, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tbq—Biotite quartz monzonite, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tbqb—Breccia, in biotite quartz monzonite (unit Tbq) of granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tbg—Biotite granodiorite, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tibx—Intrusion breccia, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tsy—Syenodiorite or mangerite, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tag—Biotite augite quartz diorite, in granodiorite of the Patagonia Mountains
- Tmp—Quartz monzonite porphyry of Red Mountain
- TKr—Rhyolite of Red Mountain

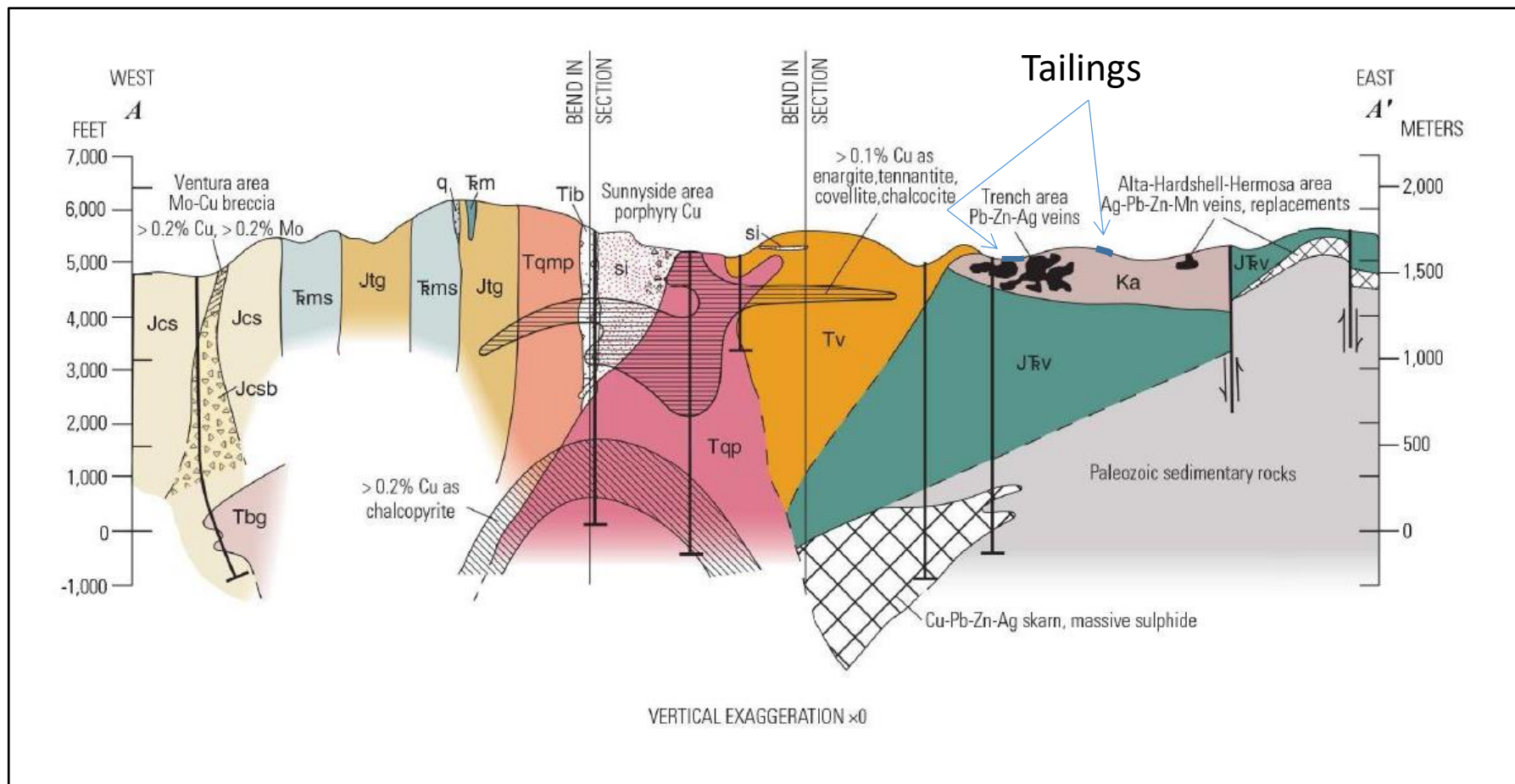
- TKggt—Gringo Gulch Volcanics
- Ka—Trachyandesite
- r—Rhyolite or latite, in trachyandesite (unit Ka)
- Km—Pyroxene monzonite
- Kl—Biotite quartz latite(?)
- Kv—Silicic volcanics
- la—Biotite latite(?), in silicic volcanics (unit Kv)
- Kpg—Porphyritic biotite granodiorite
- Kb—Bisbee Formation
- Kbc—Conglomerate, in Bisbee Formation (unit Kb)
- Jtg—Granite of Three R Canyon, in granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jtgb—Breccia, in granite of Three R Canyon (unit Jtg) of granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jcm—Porphyritic granite, in granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jcs—Equigranular alkali syenite, in granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jcsb—Breccia, in equigranular alkalik syenite (unit Jcs) of granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jcg—Equigranular granite, in granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jcgb—Breccia, in equigranular granite (unit Jcg) of granite of Cumero Canyon
- Jhm—Hornblende monzonite of European Canyon
- JTRv—Volcanic rocks, in silicic volcanic rocks
- ha—Hornblende andesite dike and (or) plug, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- b—Volcanic breccia, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- s—Sedimentary rocks, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- cg—Limestone conglomerate, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- qz—Quartzite, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- ls—Exotic blocks of upper Paleozoic limestone, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- w—Rhyolitic welded(?) tuff, in volcanic rocks (unit JTRv)
- lp—Latite(?) porphyry, in volcanic rocks (JTRv)
- JTRvs—Volcanic and sedimentary rocks, in silicic volcanic rocks
- TRm—Mount Wrightson Formation
- q—Quartzite, in Mount Wrightson Formation (unit TRm)
- a—Biotite(?)—albite andesite lava(?), in Mount Wrightson Formation (unit TRm)
- t—Coarse volcaniclastic beds, in Mount Wrightson Formation (unit TRm)
- TRms—Sedimentary rocks, in the Mount Wrightson Formation (unit TRm)
- Pcn—Concha Limestone
- Ps—Scherrer Formation
- Pe—Epitaph Dolomite
- Pc—Colina Limestone
- PPe—Earp Formation
- Ph—Horquilla Limestone
- Me—Escabrosa Limestone
- Dm—Martin Limestone
- Ca—Abrigo Limestone
- Cb—Bolsa Quartzite
- pCq—Biotite or biotite-hornblende quartz monzonite
- pCh—Hornblende-rich metamorphic and igneous rocks
- pCm—Biotite quartz monzonite
- pCd—Hornblende diorite



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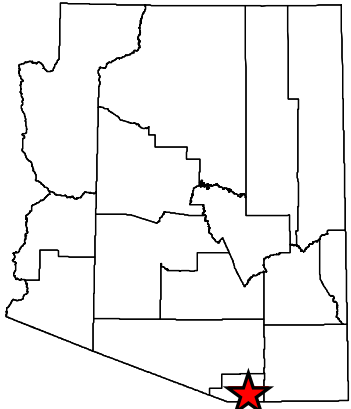
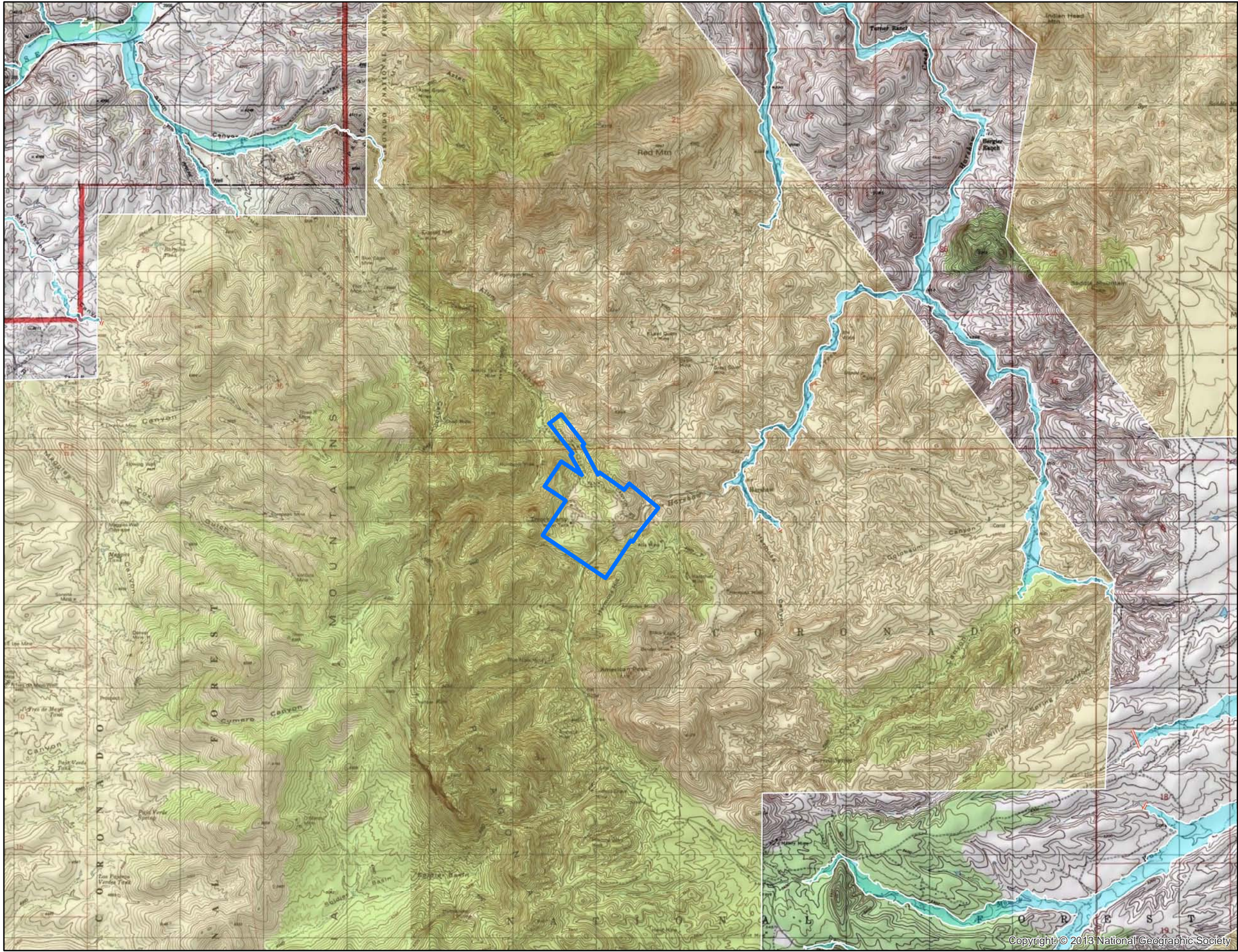
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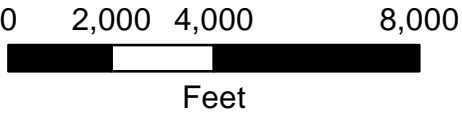
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<b>FIGURE 6</b> Cross Section A – A'		





- Legend**
- Project Area
  - 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard
  - Area Of Undetermined Flood Hazard

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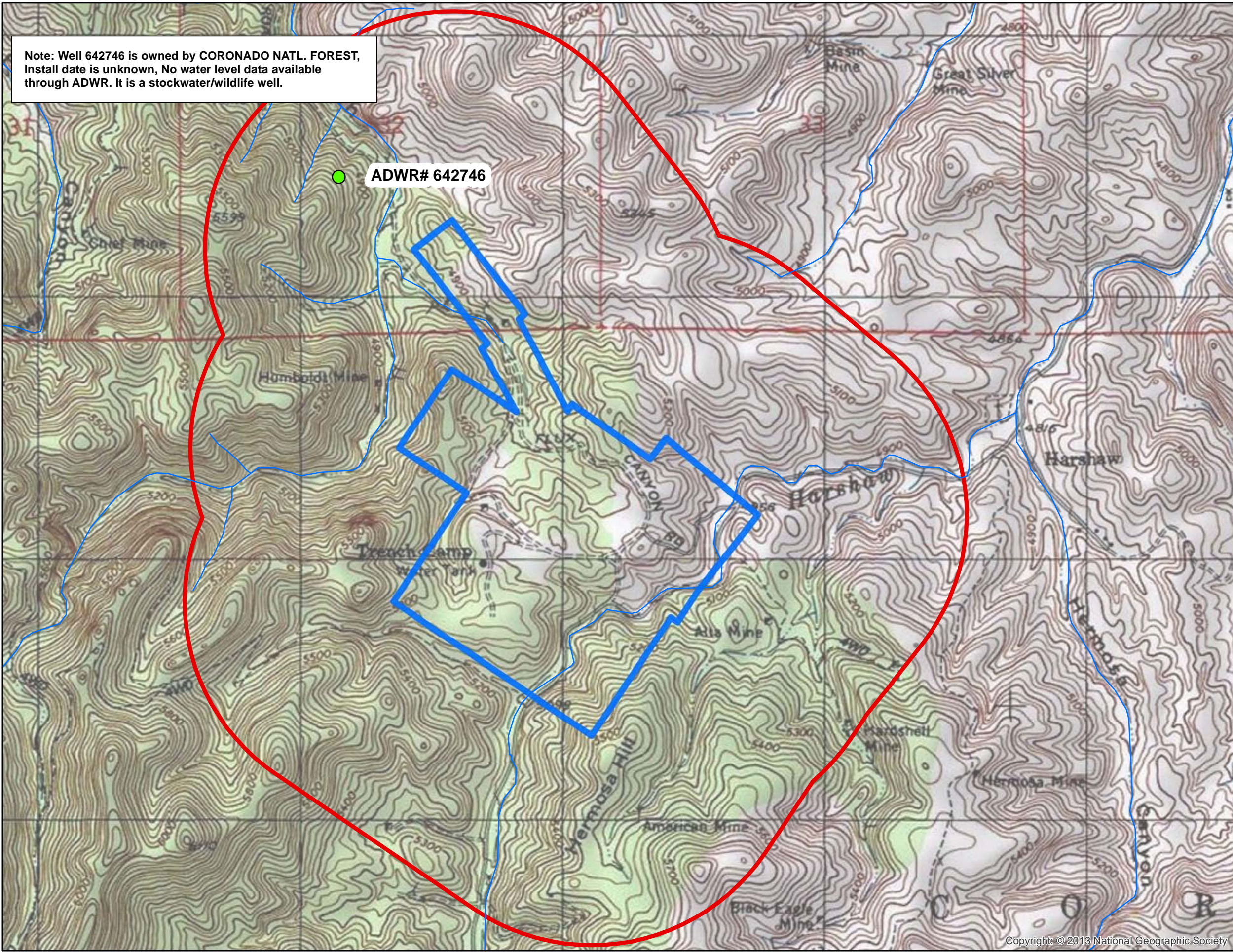


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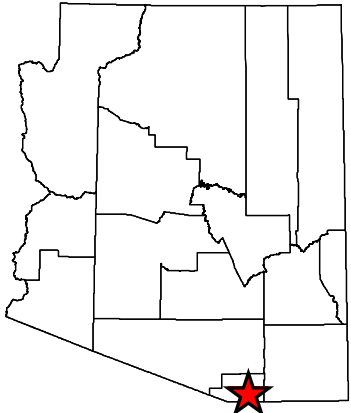
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FEMA Floodplain Map  
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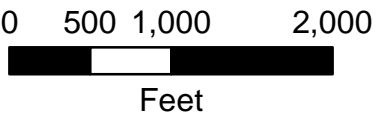
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- Legend**
- Project Area
  - Half-Mile
  - Cadastral Locations

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Note: Locations are cadastral coordinates.

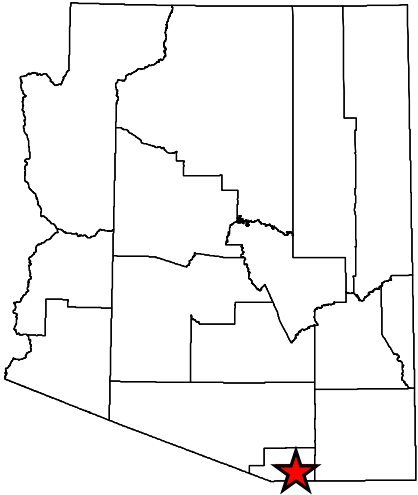
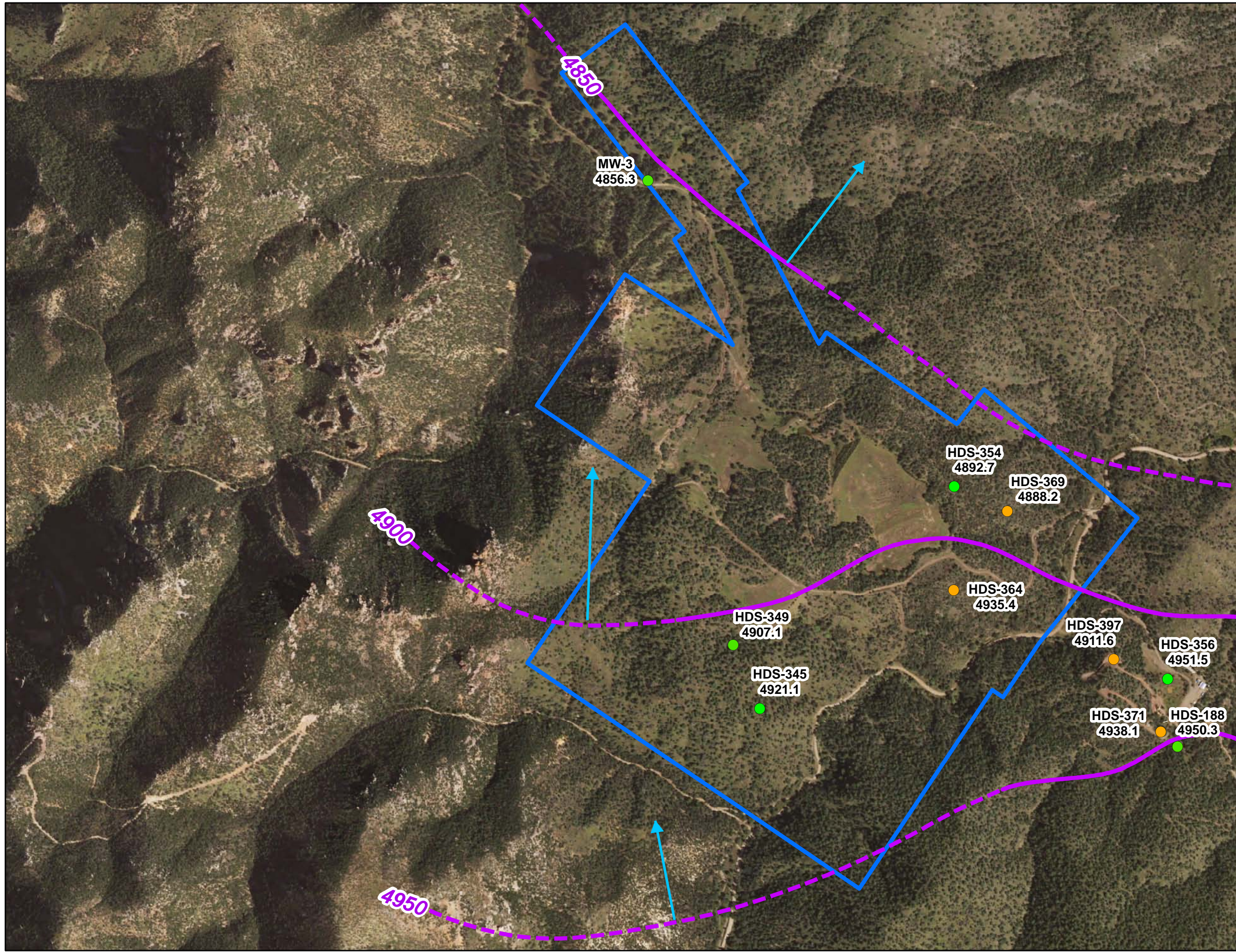


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Water Well Locations within 1/2 mile  
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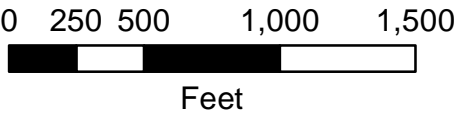




- Legend**
- Project Area
  - Vibrating Wire Piezometer Array
  - Wells with Static Water Level Data
  - Groundwater Flow Direction

Note: All water levels from September 2016 unless otherwise noted.

Note: Water level data for MW-3 from January 2017.

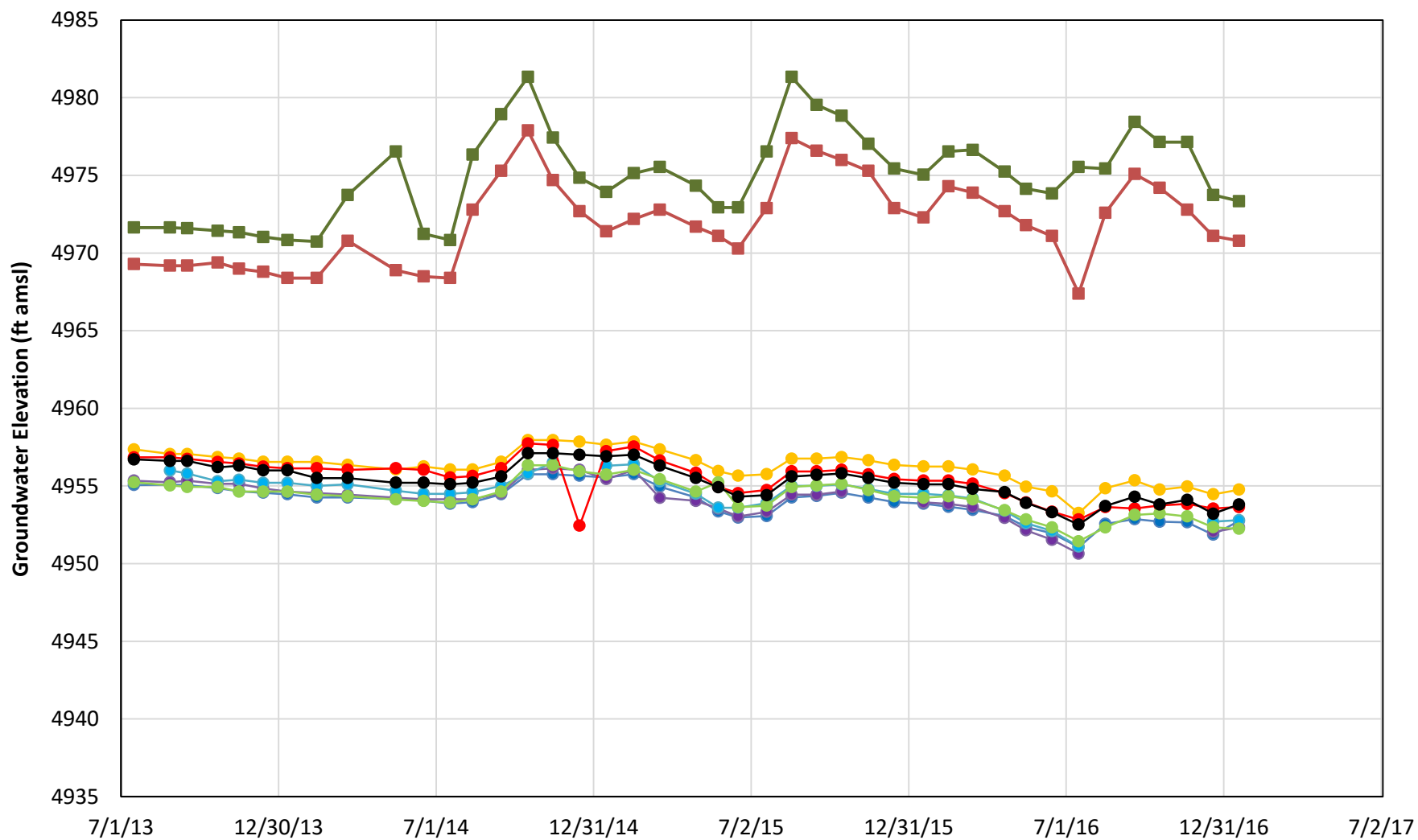


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Groundwater Elevation Map  
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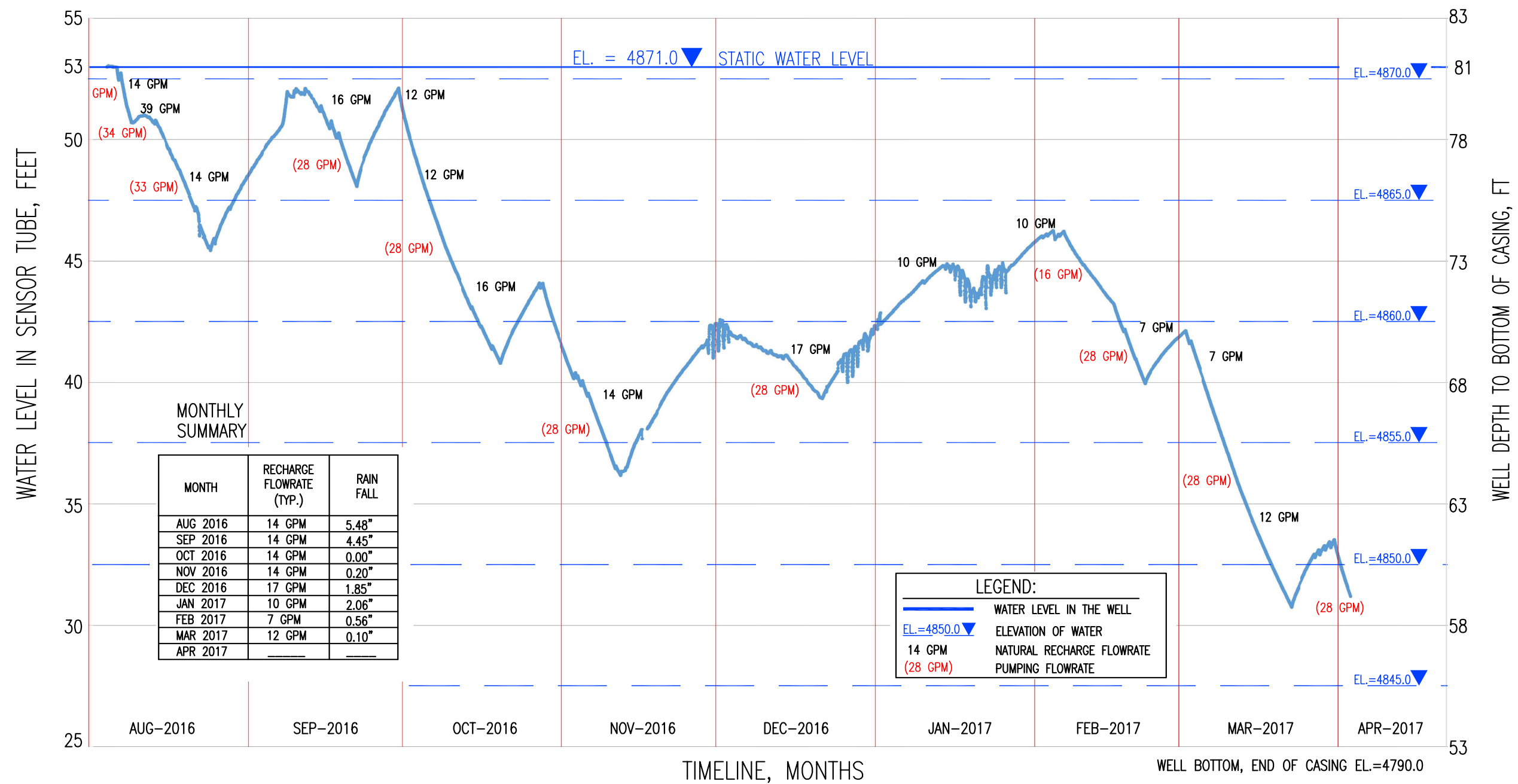




HDS-321 HDS-121 HDS-150 HDS-179 HDS-237  
 HDS-242 HDS-249 HDS-266 HDS-290

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FIGURE 10 Selected Hydrographs	

JANUARY MINE WORKINGS PUMPING AND RECHARGE SUMMARY FOR AUGUST 2016 – APRIL 2017



TOTAL WATER PUMPED OUT: 4,866,000 GALS (8/06/2016 to 3/31/2017)

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FIGURE 11  
January Mine Workings Pumping  
& Recharge Summary for  
August 2016 to April 2017







## **ATTACHMENT A**

# Trench Camp Historic Tailings Geochemistry and Material Characterization



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## **1.0 Material Characterization**

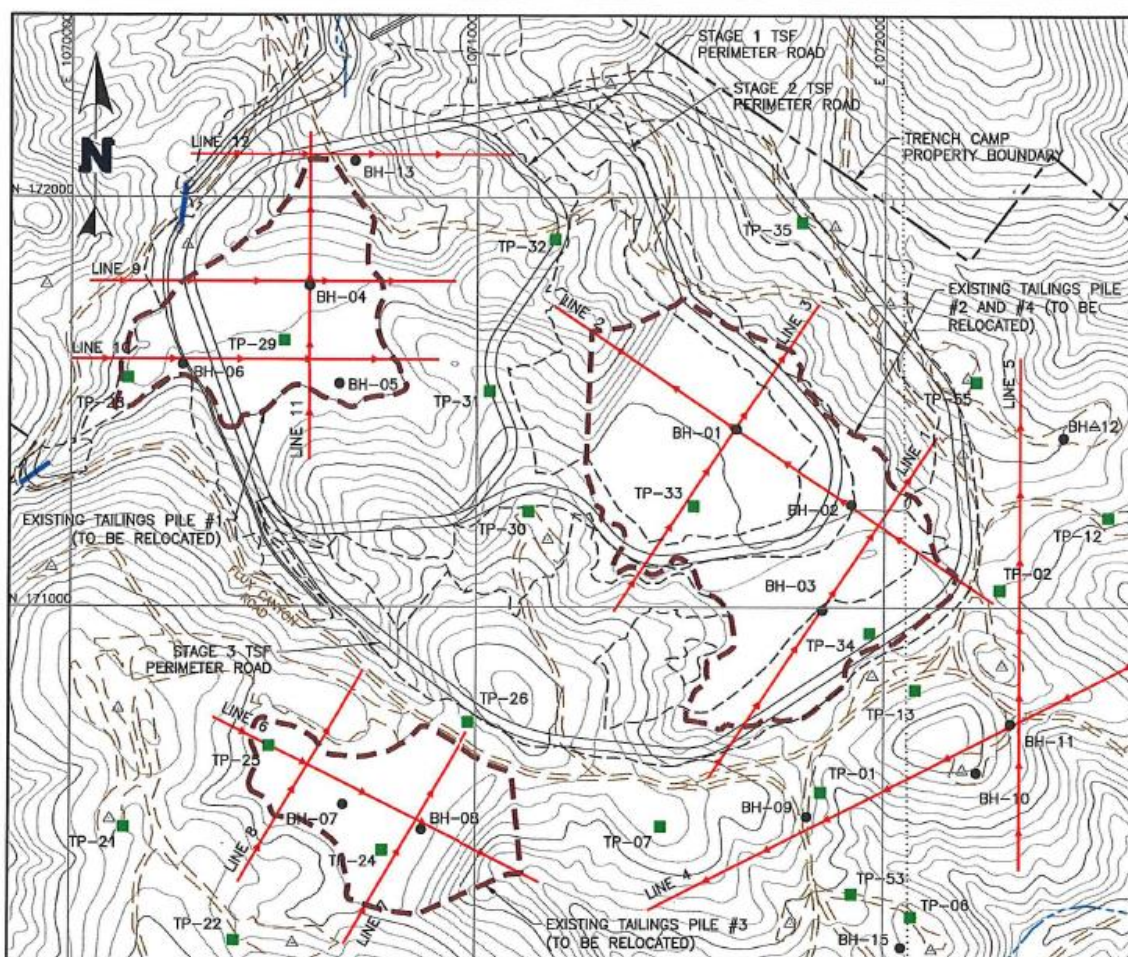
### **1.1 Geochemical Characterization Plan**

A range of geochemical tests (Table 1) was conducted on representative samples from the historic Trench Camp Tailings piles 1, 2/4 and 3 (Figure 1). Samples consisted of tailings, foundation soils underlying the unlined tailings, and waste rock material located near the base of tailings pile #1. In addition, samples of development rock that will be generated from an exploration decline and a shaft proposed as part of the Hermosa Taylor Deposit were also characterized.

Samples from the historic tailings are grouped into classes of similar materials (tailings, waste rock, and foundation soils) to facilitate test interpretation. Tests for metal solubility were conducted on composite samples. Three tailings composites included waste rock, shallow-oxidized, deeper-unoxidized and non acid-generating categories. The foundation layer soils underlying tailings were grouped by depth beneath base of the tailings (0-2 ft, 2-3 ft, 3-6 ft, and 8-20 ft). Drillhole samples were categorized into major rock units recognized in the Hermosa Taylor Deposit: Meadow Valley Volcanics, Hardshell Volcanics, Concha, Epitaph and Sherrer Formation.



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TEST PIT LOCATIONS (JAN 2017)			
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING	ELEVATION
TP-01	170,548.03	1,071,846.74	5,114.72
TP-02	171,042.32	1,072,285.55	5,108.80
TP-06	170,244.73	1,072,068.89	5,094.13
TP-07	170,464.69	1,071,455.51	5,176.05
TP-12	171,219.43	1,072,550.65	5,106.08
TP-13	170,798.07	1,072,078.30	5,127.18
TP-21	170,461.94	1,070,133.19	5,230.00
TP-22	170,185.20	1,070,404.66	5,222.82
TP-24	170,405.67	1,070,766.81	5,185.94
TP-25	170,660.35	1,070,489.09	5,182.00
TP-26	170,718.48	1,070,981.20	5,188.99
TP-28	171,558.67	1,070,139.78	5,040.09
TP-29	171,650.11	1,070,522.92	5,041.43
TP-30	171,233.35	1,071,126.15	5,135.85
TP-31	171,526.23	1,071,031.00	5,085.63
TP-32	171,897.83	1,071,190.83	5,042.39
TP-33	171,247.24	1,071,534.42	5,102.44
TP-34	170,936.99	1,071,964.91	5,114.71
TP-35	171,939.49	1,071,797.34	5,166.58
TP-53	170,300.30	1,071,923.07	5,094.20
TP-55	171,549.36	1,072,226.65	5,168.14

BOREHOLE LOCATIONS (JAN 2017)			
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING	ELEVATION
BH-01	171,434.89	1,071,638.05	5,099.00
BH-02	171,251.10	1,071,918.68	5,098.30
BH-03	170,993.46	1,071,848.26	5,115.00
BH-04	171,783.52	1,070,582.77	5,038.76
BH-05	171,544.73	1,070,656.11	5,047.47
BH-06	171,591.49	1,070,273.94	5,041.04
BH-07	170,517.23	1,070,668.81	5,182.42
BH-08	170,456.57	1,070,864.19	5,187.44
BH-09	170,488.85	1,071,812.79	5,125.87
BH-10	170,596.56	1,072,228.21	5,146.81
BH-11	170,715.49	1,072,311.63	5,127.26
BH-12	171,414.05	1,072,440.26	5,149.59
BH-13	172,088.43	1,070,692.81	4,973.88
BH-15	173,170.13	1,072,044.06	5,089.30

- LEGEND:**
- EXISTING GROUND CONTOURS
  - EXISTING ROADS/TRAILS
  - EXISTING DRAINAGES
  - PROPERTY BOUNDARY
  - SECTION LINES
  - BH-01 NEWFIELDS BOREHOLE (JAN 2017)
  - TP-01 NEWFIELDS TEST PIT (JAN 2017)
  - AMI DRILLING LOCATION
  - GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY (JAN 2017)
  - EXISTING TAILINGS PILE LIMITS



EXISTING GROUND TOPOGRAPHY DEVELOPED FROM JUNE 15TH, 2016 DATA PROVIDED BY ARIZONA MINERALS. REMAINING EXISTING GROUND TOPOGRAPHY OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF AMI SURVEY DATA CREATED FROM USGS DATA. DATA PROJECTED TO STATE PLANE ARIZONA CENTRAL NAD 83 FEET.

<b>NewFields</b>		CLIENT <b>ARIZONA MINERALS INC</b>	
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**Table 1. Number and kind of tests conducted on Trench Camp historic tailings and exploration core from the Hermosa Taylor Deposit.**

<b>Sample Type</b>	<b>Tests</b>	<b>Purpose</b>
Trench Camp Area Tailings (n=29) Waste Rock (n=6) Foundation Soil and Rock (n=19)	Sobek Acid Base	Assess acid generation and neutralization risk
	Accounting	
	Paste pH	Assess current degree of weathering and acidification
	MWMP and EPA 1312	Performed on composites of the waste rock, tailings (shallow and deep), and foundation samples to assess metal leaching risk
	Multi element analysis	Total metals in 4-acid digest of samples
Exploration Drillhole Core (n=35,000)	Sobek Acid Base	Assess acid generation and neutralization risk
	Accounting	
	Paste pH	Assess current degree of weathering and acidification on 307 representative samples
	Multi element analysis	Total metals in 4-acid digest of samples



## 2.0 Trench Camp Historic Tailings Area Geochemistry

### 2.1 Historic Tailings Area

Static test results (Appendix A) for historic tailings samples (Figure 2 and 3) show the potential for rock to produce or to neutralize acidity as a result of weathering. The Acid Generation Potential (AGP) is based on the quantity of pyritic sulfur contained in a sample and expresses the amount of acidity that a sample could release if all pyrite was to fully oxidize. The AGP is expressed in units of kg/t as  $\text{CaCO}_3$ . Acid Neutralization Potential (ANP) is the capacity of a sample to neutralize acidity and is expressed in the same units as AGP. The ANP minus AGP is the Net Neutralization Potential (NNP) and in theory a sample is potentially acid generating if the NNP is less than zero. Conversely, a sample with a NNP greater than zero would be considered non-acid generating. In practice, there is some uncertainty for samples with NNP between -20 and +20 kg/t, and test results in this range are often considered uncertain in terms of the acid generation risk.

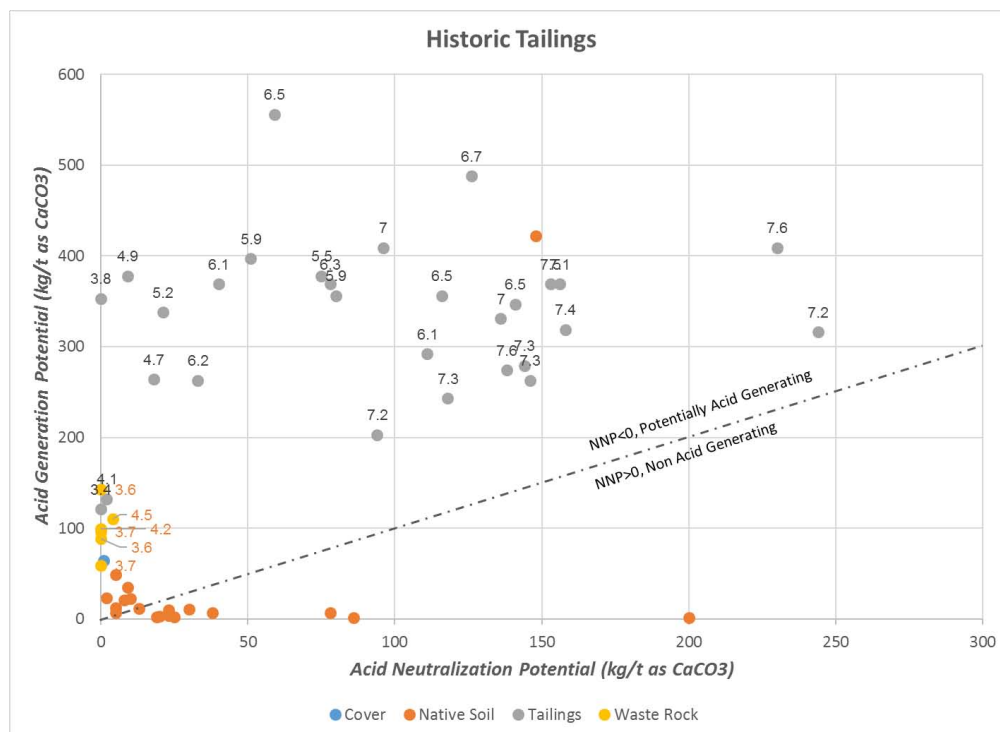
Virtually all historic tailings and waste rock samples would be considered acid generating (Figure 2) because of the NNP values that are less than -20 kg/t as  $\text{CaCO}_3$ . However, most of the tailings samples have not yet become acidic in pH owing to the abundance of carbonates in the tailings material. Only five tailings samples, all located in the upper few feet of the tailings piles, have developed a pH of less than 5 (Figure 3). Two of the lower pH samples were in Pile 3 and the others were in Pile 2/4. In these samples, oxidation of the sulfides has removed most the ANP, thus allowing the pH to drop from 7 to below 5. Given a long enough period of exposure to oxygen, all tailings would eventually become acid, but this would likely require many decades of exposure given the limited oxidation evidenced after more than 50 years of exposure of the historic Trench Camp tailings to weathering. Therefore, after the historic Trench Camp tailings are removed and replaced on a liner, they are not likely to change appreciably from the conditions currently found in surface tailings. Ultimately, the re-handled tailing piles, which are placed on the liner, will be compacted, sloped, and covered in a manner that limits infiltration of meteoric water and oxygen, thus minimizing long-term oxidation and acidification risk.

Samples were analyzed using the Net Acid Generation pH (NAG pH, Figure 4) test in which hydrogen peroxide is added to a sample and allowed to react with sulfides for 24 hours before pH is recorded. NAG pH provides a reliable indication of long-term pH that would develop in a sample after years of weathering. While most tailings samples had a NAG pH less than 4.5, which indicates acid generation risk, many samples with low NNP ( $< -100$  kg/t as  $\text{CaCO}_3$ ) also had NAG pH above 4.5. These samples were likely dominated by lead and zinc sulfide minerals that may have high sulfur and low NNP but do not form acidity upon oxidation. Tailings samples with NAG pH above 4.5 were grouped for the soluble metals tests under the non potentially acid generating (non-PAG) tailings category.

Waste rock samples, although much lower in total sulfur than tailings also had much lower ANP values. The relative lack of ANP allowed these samples to acidify more quickly than tailings. As a result all waste rock samples had low pH values, even though they were buried by several feet of tailings in Tailings pile #1. Given their pH, water in contact with waste rock is likely to be more strongly acidic and have higher metals and sulfate than tailings contact water. To the extent possible, waste rock will be buried by tailings in the lined repository to minimize contact with water.



Foundation soil and rock samples were much lower in sulfur than either tailings or waste rock but 4 of the 19 samples still had pyritic sulfur greater than 0.3%, which would likely generate acidic conditions after sufficient exposure to oxygen. The higher sulfide samples were all encountered in boreholes 1 and 2 beneath pile 2/4. It is possible that some of the foundation soil and rock material in this area consist of historic sulfide waste or may contain naturally occurring sulfides. However, any sulfides beneath the tailings in pile 2/4 will be covered by the liner for the new repository, which will prevent any contact with water.



**Figure 2. ANP and AGP of samples collected from the historic tailings area.**

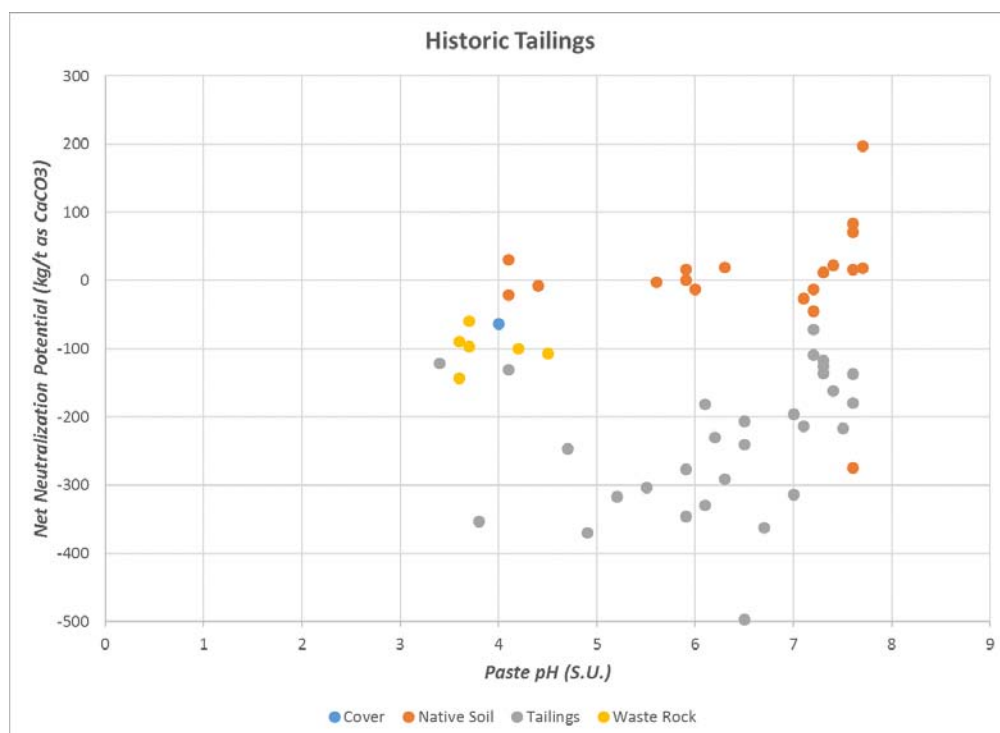


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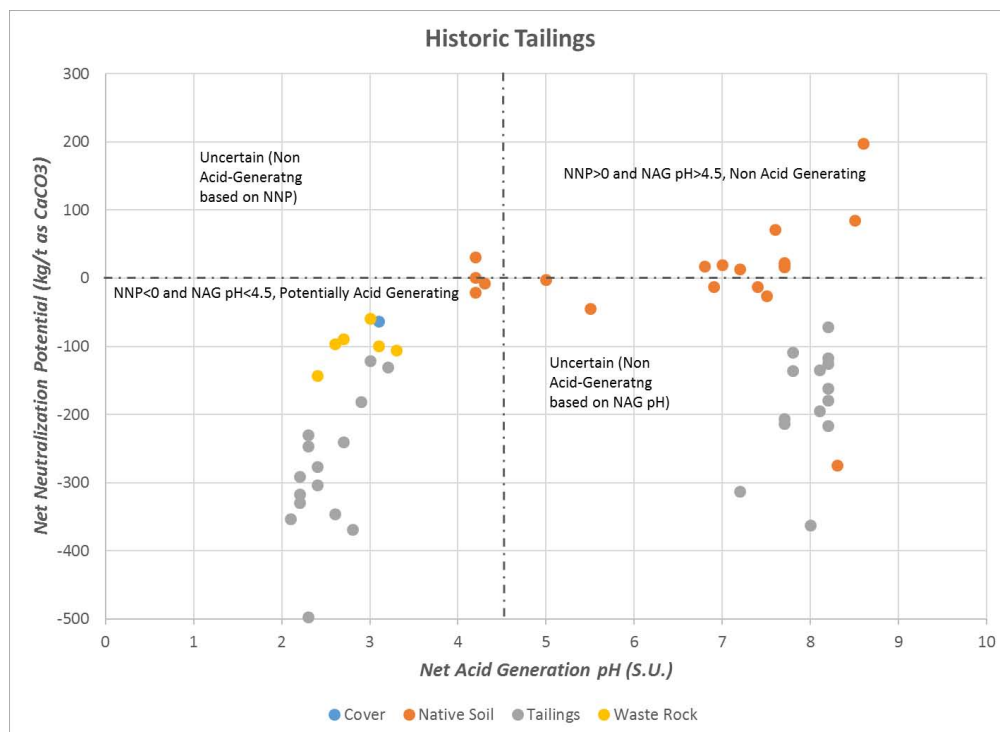


Figure 4. NNP and NAG pH of samples collected from the historic tailings area.



Soluble metals were determined using both Meteoric Water Mobility Procedure (MWMP) and Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP) tests. These methods differ primarily in the water to rock ratio. The SPLP is a more dilute extraction 20:1 than the MWMP, which is 1:1. Eight composite samples were tested including shallow oxidized and deeper unoxidized tailings, waste rock, and 4 foundation layers (Table 2 and 3). Soluble metals in SPLP extracts exceeded Arizona aquifer standards for four constituents in one or more samples: antimony, cadmium, lead, and nickel (Figures 5 to 8). Since contact water within the lined repository will be collected and treated, the elevated levels of metals will not pose an environmental risk. All other constituents met Arizona Ambient Water Quality Standards. The MWMP tests tended to have higher levels of soluble constituents than the SPLP tests due to differences in the water to rock ratio used in the tests. The MWMP tests were used to estimate contact water quality in section 2.3.

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**Table 2. Soluble constituents in composite samples using SPLP method.**

Constituent (mg/L)	Unoxidized Tailings	Oxidized Tailings	Non PAG Tailings	Waste	Foundation (0 TO 2 ft)	Foundation (2 TO 3 ft)	Foundation (3 TO 6 ft)	Foundation (8 TO 20 ft)
Aluminum	<0.03	<0.03	0.1	13.8	<0.03	<0.03	0.09	<0.03
Antimony	<0.002	<0.002	0.0011	0.004	0.0088	0.0005	0.0016	0.0016
Arsenic	0.001	0.002	0.0008	0.005	0.0138	0.0054	0.0098	0.0011
Barium	0.01	0.014	0.014	0.011	0.023	0.004	0.018	0.016
Boron	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.02	<0.01	0.02	0.01
Cadmium	0.069	0.145	0.0247	0.128	0.0019	0.0008	0.0066	0.0037
Calcium	586	582	318	267	30.3	14.1	22.1	86.5
Chloride	<0.5	6.5	23.3	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	16.6
Chromium	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Cobalt	0.05	0.13	<0.01	0.07	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	<0.01
Conductivity (uS/cm)	2350	2410	1470	1680	385	199	257	574
Copper	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.12	<0.01	<0.01	0.02	<0.01
Cyanide, WAD	<0.003	0.013	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003
Fluoride	0.07	0.34	0.35	1.07	0.23	0.46	0.16	0.35
Iron	<0.02	<0.02	0.13	2	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Lead	0.0467	0.599	0.118	2.6	0.0002	0.0004	0.001	0.0089
Magnesium	6.1	11.3	15.6	35	19.2	8.2	9	12.2
Manganese	47.9	68.8	9.3	37.9	3.79	3.75	4.81	5.61
Mercury	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002
Molybdenum	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Nickel	0.026	0.077	<0.008	0.065	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008
Nitrate/Nitrite as N	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04
Phosphorus	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Potassium	0.4	0.8	1.3	2.4	4	1.6	2.2	2.3
Selenium	0.0046	0.0032	0.0019	0.0016	<0.0002	0.0002	<0.0002	0.0009
Silver	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Sodium	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	1.8	1.9	1.1	1.2
Strontium	0.164	0.186	0.129	0.054	0.104	0.045	0.077	0.111
Sulfate	1550	1550	809	1000	159	72.7	103	232
Thallium	<0.0005	0.0006	0.0007	<0.0005	0.0007	<0.0001	<0.0002	0.0002
Thorium	<0.005	<0.005	<0.002	<0.005	<0.002	<0.001	<0.002	<0.002
Tin	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04
Uranium	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0002	0.0005	<0.0002	<0.0001	<0.0002	<0.0002
Vanadium	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005
Zinc	3.36	14.4	1	30.4	0.07	0.01	0.71	0.05

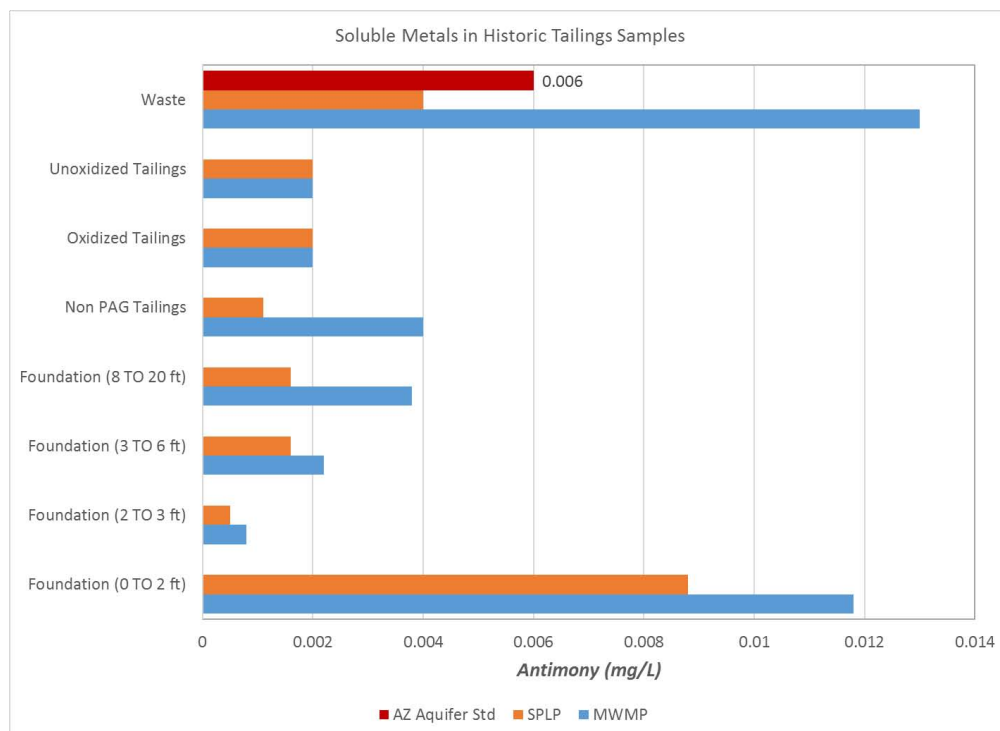
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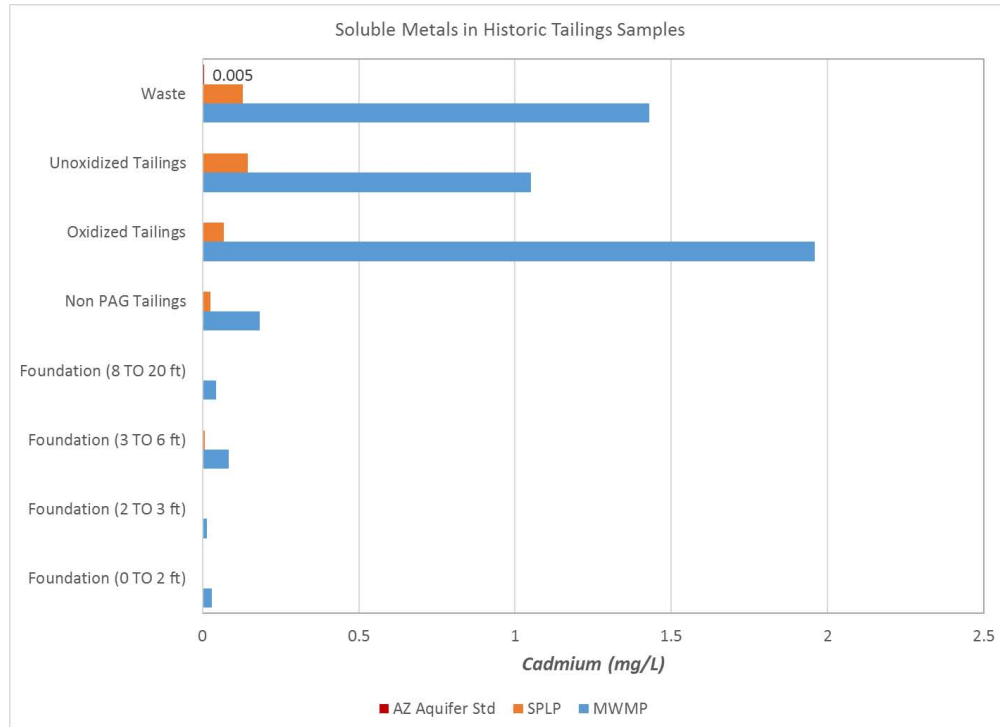
**Table 3. Soluble constituents in composite samples using MWMP method.**

Constituent (mg/L)	Unoxidized Tailings	Oxidized Tailings	Non PAG Tailings	Waste	Foundation (0 TO 2 ft)	Foundation (2 TO 3 ft)	Foundation (3 TO 6 ft)	Foundation (8 TO 20 ft)
Aluminum	0.08	<0.06	<0.06	108	<0.06	<0.06	0.43	<0.06
Antimony	<0.002	0.002	0.004	0.013	0.0118	<0.0008	0.0022	0.0038
Arsenic	0.002	0.002	0.0016	0.012	0.0171	0.0085	0.0223	0.0019
Barium	0.024	<0.006	0.021	<0.006	0.031	0.018	0.025	0.048
Boron	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.03	0.13	0.16
Cadmium	1.96	1.05	0.182	1.43	0.0294	0.0138	0.0847	0.0429
Calcium	495	498	604	434	312	160	316	603
Chloride	0.9	94	265	5.8	2.2	0.6	1.3	159
Chromium	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Cobalt	1.7	1.68	0.14	0.66	<0.02	<0.02	0.08	0.04
Conductivity (uS/cm)	4390	4500	3230	5150	2750	1450	2110	3110
Copper	0.11	0.05	<0.02	0.33	<0.02	<0.02	0.05	<0.02
Cyanide, WAD	<0.003	0.097	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003
Fluoride	0.05	0.35	0.54	0.26	0.38	0.43	0.34	0.39
Iron	0.18	0.06	<0.04	14.3	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04
Lead	0.88	3.2	0.586	2.65	0.0017	0.0026	0.0048	0.0828
Magnesium	106	241	188	362	250	91.2	121	147
Manganese	1110	761	75.6	428	50.8	37.4	67.5	69.5
Mercury	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002
Molybdenum	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04
Nickel	0.93	1.48	0.1	0.67	<0.02	<0.02	0.12	<0.02
Nitrate/Nitrite as N	0.09	<0.02	0.03	<0.2	0.06	0.02	0.04	<0.1
Phosphorus	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2
Potassium	1.7	9.8	14.8	26.2	20.4	8.3	13.8	18.7
Selenium	0.0324	0.03	0.0147	0.0116	0.0012	0.0018	0.0011	0.0088
Silver	<0.2	<0.1	<0.02	<0.05	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Sodium	5.4	4.9	10.2	5.3	25.8	20	14.6	20.7
Strontium	0.77	0.28	0.56	0.16	1.1	0.46	0.78	1.07
Sulfate	3800	3620	2170	4440	1940	837	1400	2040
Thallium	<0.0005	0.0036	0.0031	0.0006	0.0019	0.0005	0.0005	0.0012
Thorium	<0.005	<0.005	<0.002	<0.005	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002
Tin	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08
Uranium	<0.0005	<0.0005	0.0007	0.0029	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002	0.0015
Vanadium	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Zinc	129	158	24.9	306	0.55	0.31	5.74	1.73

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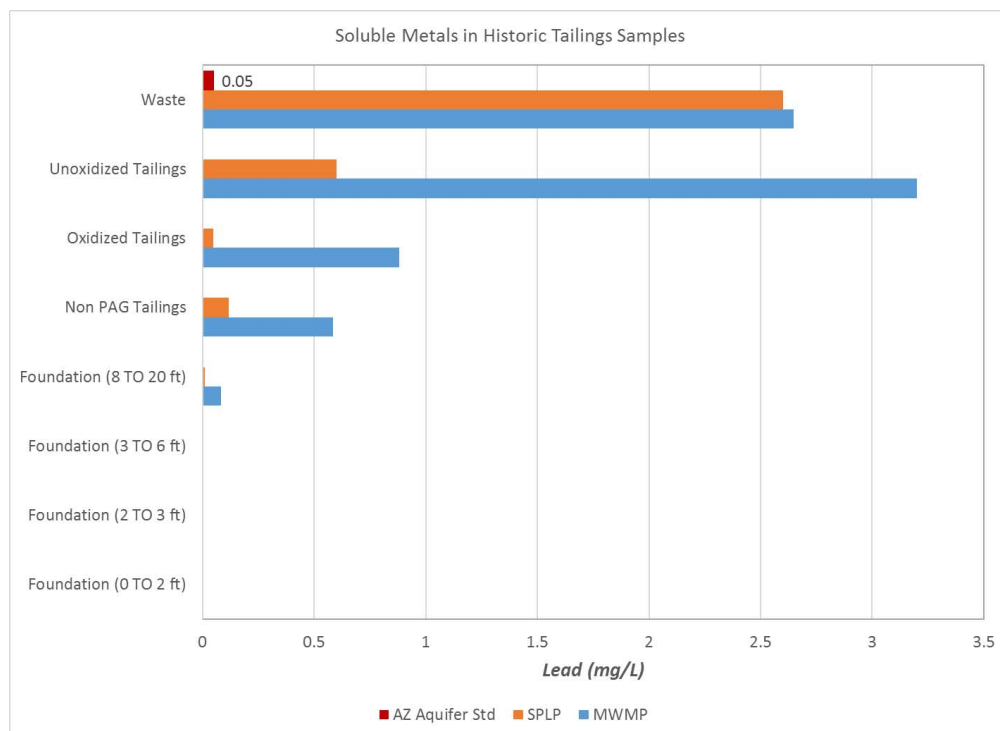


**Figure 5. Soluble antimony in samples collected from the historic tailings area.**

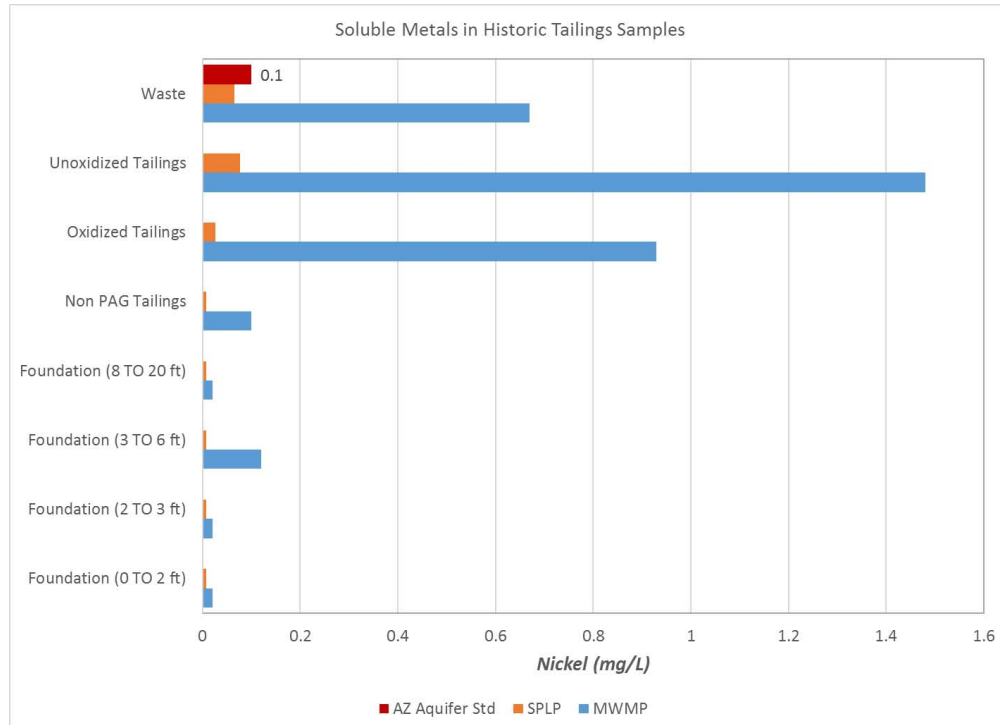


**Figure 6. Soluble cadmium in samples collected from the historic tailings area.**

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**Figure 7. Soluble lead in samples collected from the historic tailings area.**



**Figure 8. Soluble nickel in samples collected from the historic tailings area.**



## 2.2 Development Rock

Potentially acid generating (PAG) development rock from the proposed Hermosa Taylor Deposit project will be placed in the same lined facility as the historic tailings and waste rock. Extensive data have been collected from rock units to be mined in the Taylor project including 307 samples from 2 representative boreholes (HDS-332 and HDS-364) that were analyzed for Sobek acid base accounting NAG pH and paste pH. In addition, total metals were measured on over 35,000 samples across all exploration holes.

The NAG pH and NNP of samples from boreholes HDS-332 and HDS-364 (Figure 9 and 10) show three distinct groups of samples (Figure 11). The vast majority of rocks encountered in the Taylor Deposit is strongly alkaline and not expected to become acidic or to leach appreciable levels of metals. Unlike the historic tailings and waste rock that was volcanic-hosted, the Taylor Deposit, the first group in Figure 11, is a deeper Carbonate Replacement Deposit, accounting for the preponderance of alkaline rock. The second group of materials is potentially acid generating (PAG), due to the pyritic sulfur content. In order to access the carbonate host rock, a decline will be developed through approximately 1,000 feet of volcanic rock. The surficial Meadow Valley Volcanics and deeper Hardshell Volcanics contain a proportion of PAG material with NNP  $<0$  and NAG pH  $< 4.5$ . The third group of samples is zinc-lead-silver ore. Ore in the carbonate sequence had low NNP but also had high NAG pH. In these samples, the majority of sulfur is in the form of galena and sphalerite, which are not acid generating sulfides like pyrite. The Sobek test therefore overestimates acid generating risk in samples where pyrite is not the primary sulfide mineral. Ore samples will be processed to recover economic sulfides as a concentrate (that will be shipped off-site) and the resultant tailings will be non acid-generating based on preliminary tests.

The vertical distribution of ANP, AGP and lead plus zinc grade in HDS-332 and HDS-364 is shown in Figures 12 and 13, respectively. PAG Zones occur where the red bars are more pronounced than the blue bars. In the upper volcanic units, PAG material will be treated as waste and will be placed in the lined repository to prevent release of acidity or metals in contact water. Most zones that appear as PAG in the carbonate units are actually ore and will be processed to remove the economic sulfides.



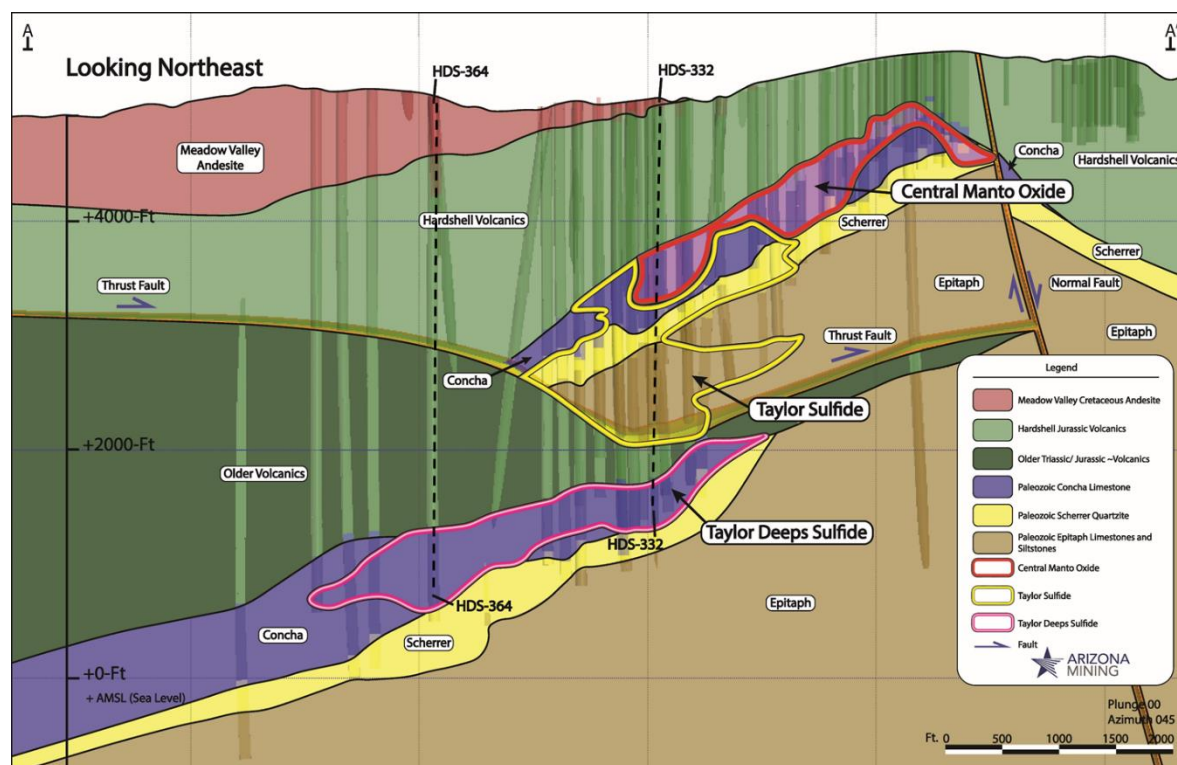


Figure 9. Cross section 1 through the Hermosa Taylor Deposit.

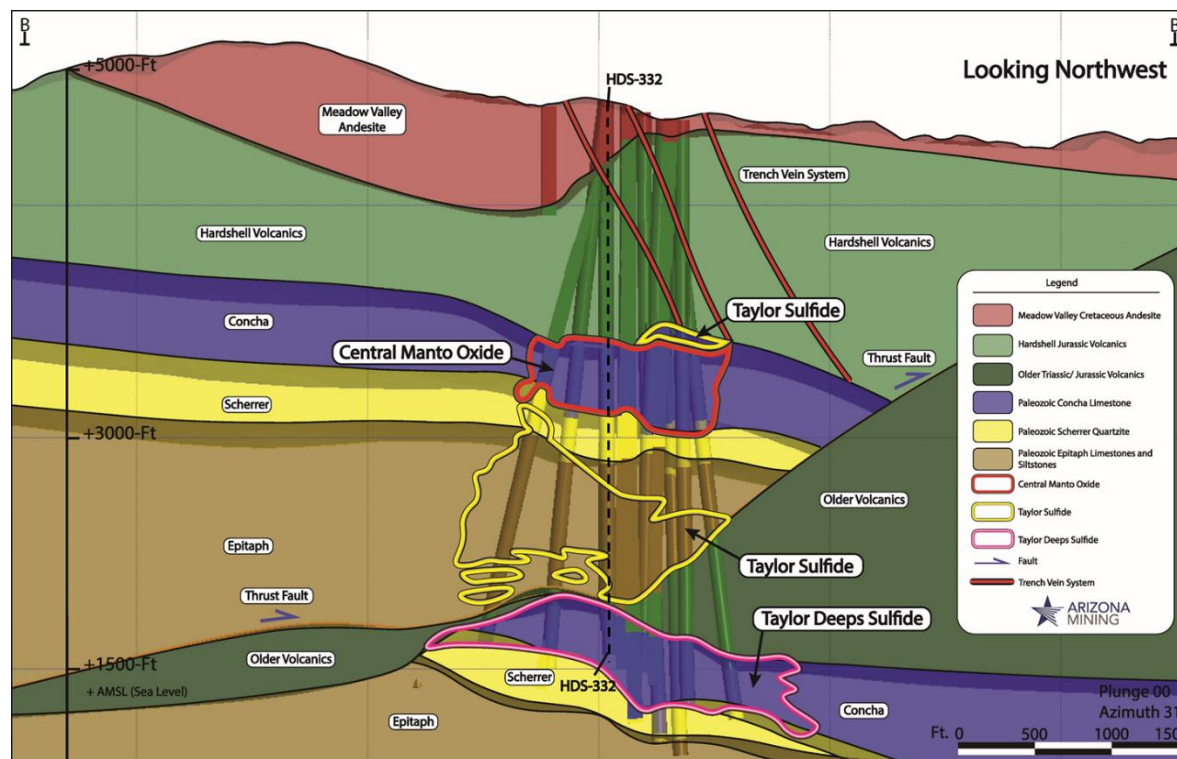


Figure 10. Cross section 2 through the Hermosa Taylor Deposit.

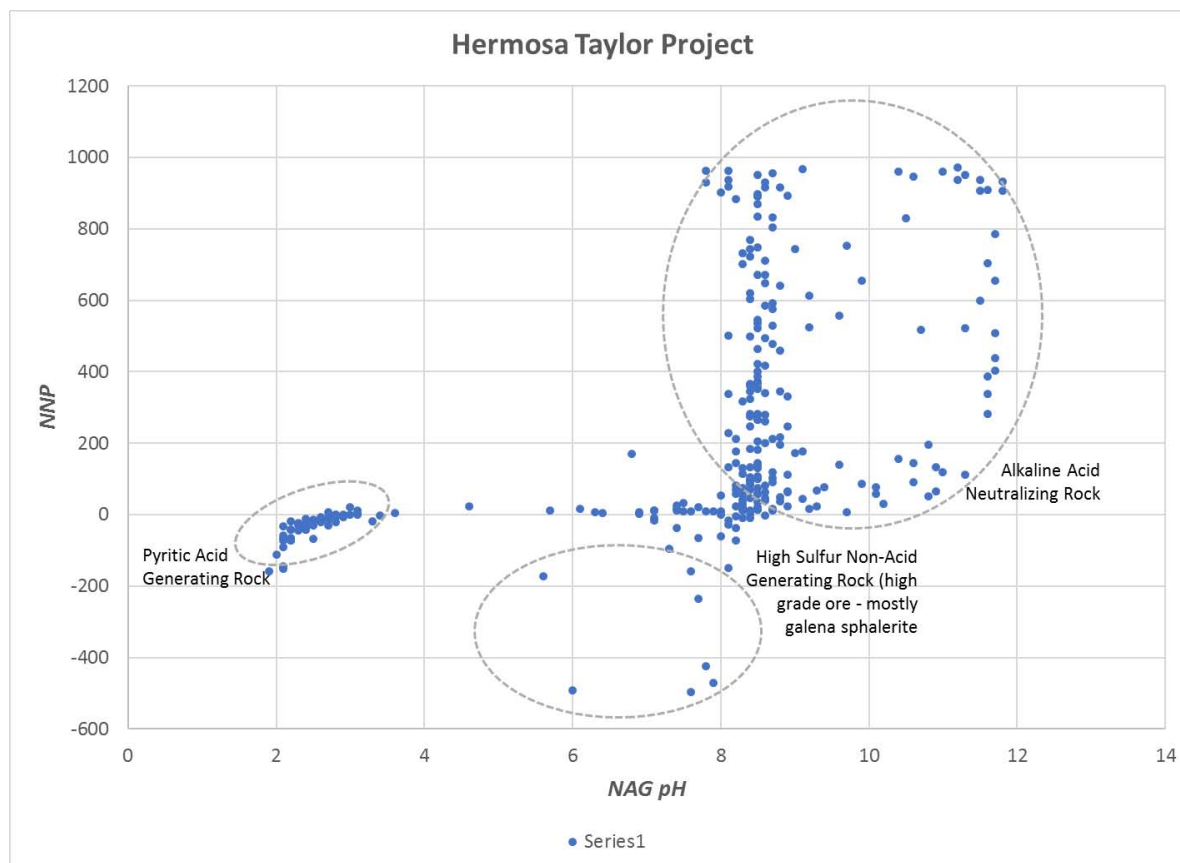


Figure 11. Distribution of NNP and NAG pH in select exploration samples.

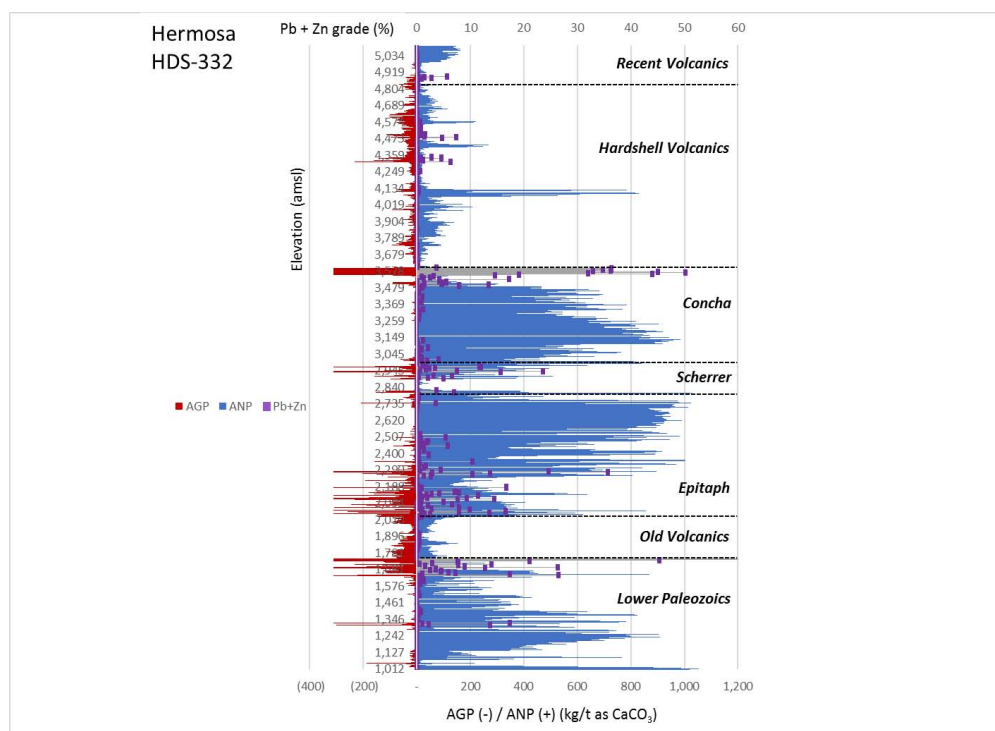


Figure 12. Distribution and ANP, AGP and Pb+Zn grade in borehole HDS-332.

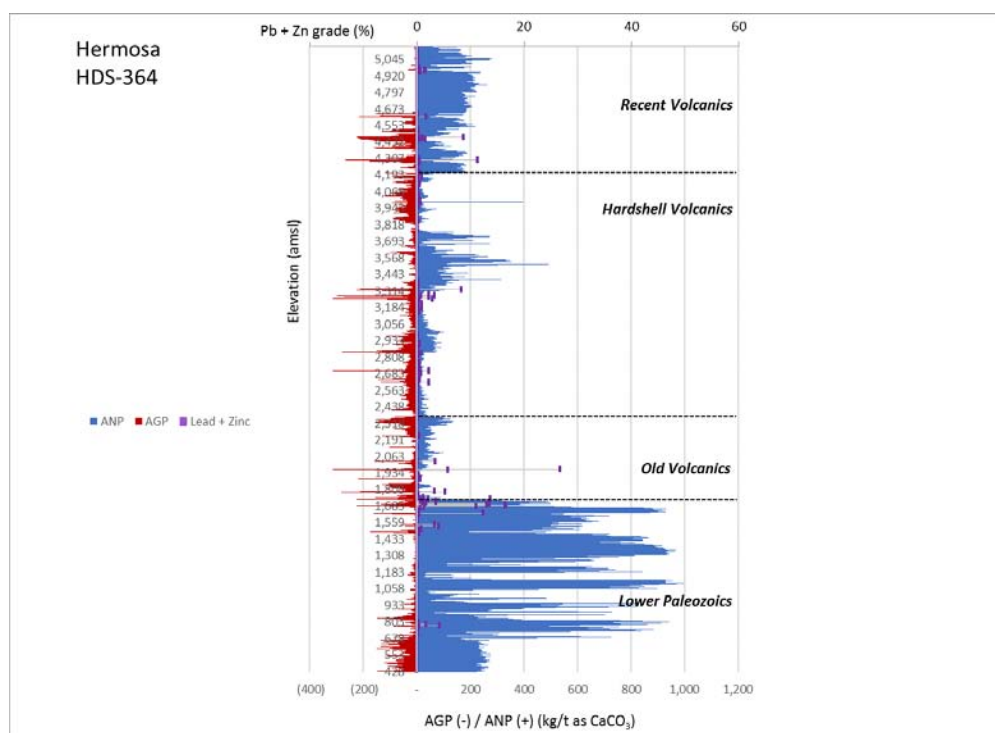


Figure 13. Distribution and ANP, AGP and Pb+Zn grade in borehole HDS-364.



### 2.2.1 Estimating ANP and AGP from Total Metals Data

Arizona Minerals Inc. has performed multi-element analyses on over 35,000 samples to date using a 4-acid digestion and ion determination by ICP AES and MS methods (ALS Chemex ME-MS61m). The ANP and AGP values for all 35,000 samples were estimated by assuming all calcium and magnesium are present as carbonate and all sulfur is pyrite according to equation [1]. The estimated ANP and AGP from multi element data will provide more spatially extensive information about the Hermosa Taylor deposit. However, it is important to establish whether the estimated ANP and AGP derived from equation 1 are in agreement with ANP and AGP measured using the standard Sobek method.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Estimated NNP (kg/t as CaCO}_3\text{)} = & \text{ANP (Total Ca \%} \times 10 \times 40.1/100 + \\ & \text{Total Mg \%} \times 10 \times 24.3/100) - \text{AGP (Total S \%} \times 31.25) \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

Estimated ANP and AGP based on multi-element data (Figure 14 and 15) provided good correlation with the Sobek method as shown for the 307 samples tested by both methods. Estimated and measured AGP had an  $R^2$  of 0.9888 and a slope of 1.01 while estimated and measured ANP had an  $R^2$  of 0.9341 and a slope of 0.9865. Based on the strong correlation, the multi-element data available for all boreholes provide an accurate and precise estimate ANP and AGP.

Based on average composition (Table 4) all Paleozoic units (Concha, Epitaph and Sherrer plus older Paleozoics below the Sherrer) are strongly alkaline with ANP ranging from 320 to 610 kg/t as  $\text{CaCO}_3$ . Some PAG material was found in the Paleozoic units in or near ore zones where mineralization caused increases in sulfide sulfur and significant loss of carbonates due to alteration. PAG abundance varied from 3 to 8% in the Concha, Epitaph, Scherrer and older Paleozoic rocks. Most drifts and ore development will occur in the Paleozoic units although much of the waste produced would likely be placed underground as backfill.

The volcanic units had somewhat lower alkalinity than the Paleozoic rocks with ANP averaging 161 kg/t as  $\text{CaCO}_3$  in the Meadow Valley and 73 kg/t in the deeper Hardshell Volcanics. Pyritic sulfur averaged about 0.5% in the Meadow Valley (AGP = 18 kg/t) and was a little over 1% in the Hardshell (AGP = 39 kg/t). The Hardshell Volcanics had 20.5% PAG material and this PAG development rock will be placed on the lined facility. The upper volcanics in the Meadow Valley Unit had more carbonate so contain only 4% PAG material.

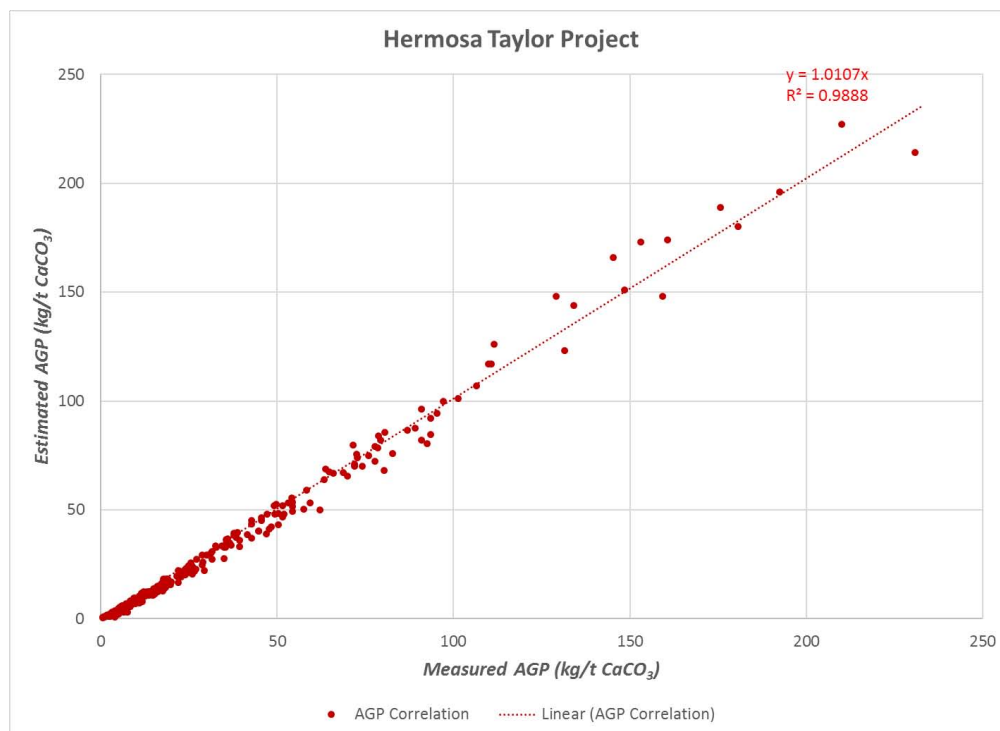


Figure 14. Correlation of measured and estimated AGP in boreholes HDS-332 and HDS-364.

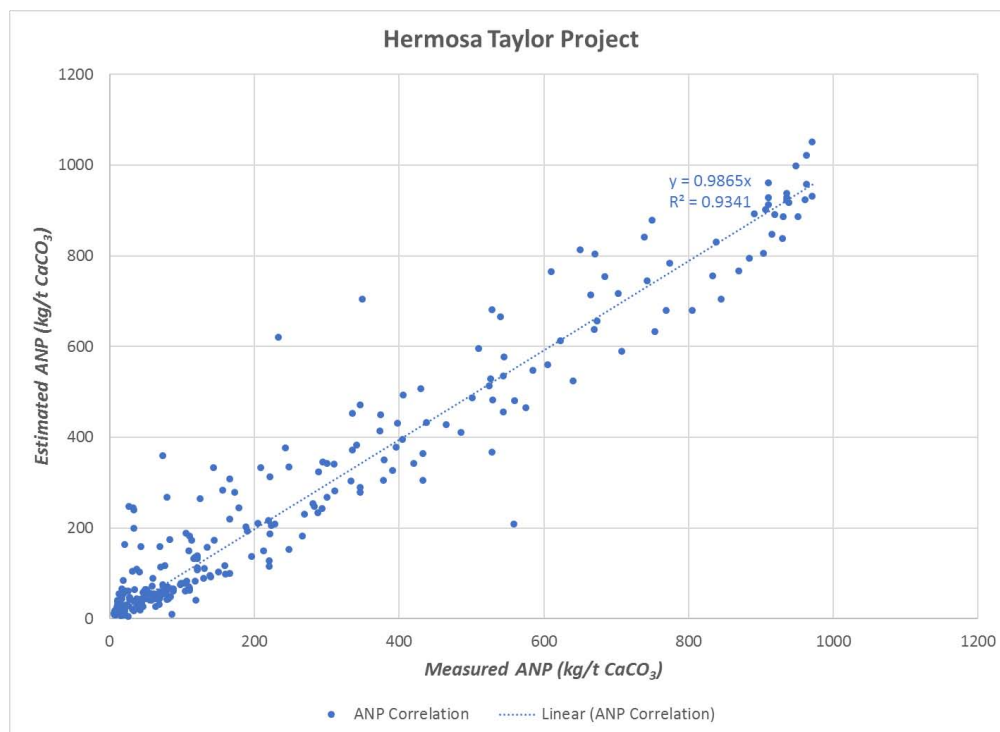


Figure 15. Correlation of measured and estimated ANP in boreholes HDS-332 and HDS-364.



**Table 4. Average ANP, AGP and PAG abundance in each rock unit in the Hermosa Taylor Deposit.**

Row Labels	n	Average of ANP	Average of AGP	Average of NNP	PAG (%)
Meadow Valley Volcanics	3,777	161	18	143	4.3%
Hardshell Volcanics	12,727	73	39	33	20.5%
Concha Formation	2,671	412	38	374	8.1%
Scherrer Formation	1,510	322	44	278	6.7%
Epitaph Formation	3,884	610	53	557	2.8%
Old Volcanics	4,723	57	45	12	17.5%
Lower Paleozoics	5,780	478	32	446	2.7%

## 2.3 Expected Water Quality of Contact Water

Water that comes into contact with materials placed on the liner will be directed to the lined underdrain pond where it will be stored for eventual treatment and re-use or discharge under an approved permit. Tests of different materials to be placed in the liner repository indicate that contact water quality may vary spatially depending on the kind of material contacted. This variability will cause some variation in water fed to the water treatment plant, although the variability will be less pronounced than the range of values in Table 5 because underdrain pond water will be an average across the facility. An overall average water quality was computed by assuming that about 40% of the contact water is represented by oxidized tailings, 25% by unoxidized tailings, 25% by non-PAG tailings and 10% by waste rock. The composite water quality was estimated by combining these three water types in a geochemical equilibrium model (PHREEQC). Reasonable low temperature solid phases were allowed to form and sorption on ferrihydrite was permitted. Contact water pH may range between 3.8 and 6.8 with a most likely pH of 4.2. Sulfate may range from 2,170 to 4,440 mg/L with a most likely concentration of around 3,300 mg/L. Most metals levels will be relatively low except for cadmium, manganese and zinc with likely concentrations of 1.1, 645 and 133 mg/L respectively.

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**Table 5. Likely range in quality of contact water in Trench Camp historic tailings underdrain pond.**

<b>Constituent (mg/L)</b>	<b>Minimum</b>	<b>Maximum</b>	<b>Expected</b>
pH	3.8	6.8	4.17
Aluminum	<0.06	108	5.05
Antimony	<0.002	0.013	0.0036
Arsenic	0.0016	0.012	0.003
Barium	<0.006	0.024	0.003
Boron	<0.02	0.04	0.04
Cadmium	0.182	1.96	1.09
Calcium	434	604	480
Bicarbonate	<2	51.2	9.82
Chloride	0.9	265	105
Chromium	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02
Cobalt	0.14	1.7	1.20
Copper	<0.02	0.33	0.09
Fluoride	<0.05	0.54	0.31
Iron	<0.04	14.3	1.45
Lead	0.59	3.2	1.59
Magnesium	106	362	207.1
Manganese	75.6	1,110	645
Mercury	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.0002
Molybdenum	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04
Nickel	<0.1	1.48	0.92
Nitrate/Nitrite as N	<0.02	0.2	0.06
Phosphorus	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2
Potassium	1.7	26.2	9.32
Selenium	0.0116	0.0324	0.025
Silver	<0.02	0.2	0.10
Sodium	4.9	10.2	6.42
Strontium	0.16	0.77	0.46
Sulfate	2,170	4,440	3,287
Thallium	0.0005	0.0036	0.002
Thorium	<0.002	<0.005	<0.005
Tin	<0.08	<0.08	<0.08
Uranium	0.0005	0.0029	0.001
Vanadium	<0.01	<0.01	<0.010
Zinc	24.9	306	133





## **Appendix A - Acid Base Accounting Data**



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**Table A-1. Static test results for Trench Camp historic tailings area samples.**

Sample	Acid Generation Potential (calc on Sulfur total)	Acid Neutralization Potential (calc)	Net Neutralization Potential (calc on Sulfur total)	Net Acid Generation Procedure	Neutralization Potential as CaCO3	pH, Saturated Paste
BH-01 / S-1	64.4	1	-63.4	3.1	0.1	4
BH-01 / S-2	356	116	-240	2.7	11.6	6.5
BH-01 / S-3	369	156	-213	7.7	15.6	7.1
BH-01 / S-4	409	230	-179	8.2	23	7.6
BH-01 / S-5	369	153	-216	8.2	15.3	7.5
BH-01 / S-6	422	148	-274	8.3	14.8	7.6
BH-01 / S-8	3.13	20	16.9	7.7	2	7.6
BH-02 / S-2	132	2	-130	3.2	0.2	4.1
BH-02 / S-3	378	9	-369	2.8	0.9	4.9
BH-02 / S-4	331	136	-195	8.1	13.6	7
BH-02 / S-6	316	244	-71.6	8.2	24.4	7.2
BH-02 / S-7	34.7	9	-25.7	7.5	0.9	7.1
BH-02 / S-8	49.1	5	-44.1	5.5	0.5	7.2
BH-03 / S-2	369	40	-329	2.2	4	6.1
BH-03 / S-3	369	78	-291	2.2	7.8	6.3
BH-03 / S-4	279	144	-135	8.1	14.4	7.3
BH-03 / S-5	263	146	-117	8.2	14.6	7.3
BH-03 / S-6	22.2	10	-12.2	7.4	1	7.2
BH-04 / S-1	121	0	-121	3		3.4
BH-04 / S-2	397	51	-346	2.6	5.1	5.9
BH-04 / S-3A	347	141	-206	7.7	14.1	6.5
BH-04 / S-3B	99.7	0	-99.7	3.1		4.2
BH-04 / S-4	88.8	0	-88.8	2.7		3.6
BH-04 / S-5	143	0	-143	2.4		3.6
BH-04 / S-6	23.1	2	-21.1	4.2	0.2	4.1
BH-05 / S-2	409	96	-313	7.2	9.6	7
BH-05 / S-3A	556	59	-497	2.3	5.9	6.5
BH-05 / S-3B	10	23	13	7.2	2.3	7.3
BH-05 / S-4	1.88	25	23.1	7.7	2.5	7.4
BH-05 / S-5	4.06	23	18.9	7.7	2.3	7.7
BH-06 / S-2	110	4	-106	3.3	0.4	4.5
BH-06 / S-3	59.1	0	-59.1	3		3.7
BH-06 / S-4	96.3	0	-96.3	2.6		3.7
BH-07 / S-2	353	0	-353	2.1		3.8
BH-07 / S-3	338	21	-317	2.2	2.1	5.2
BH-07 / S-4	263	33	-230	2.3	3.3	6.2
BH-07 / S-6A	203	94	-109	7.8	9.4	7.2
BH-07 / S-6B	11.6	13	1.4	4.2	1.3	5.9
BH-07 / S-7	12.5	5	-7.5	4.3	0.5	4.4
BH-07 / S-8	7.19	5	-2.2	5	0.5	5.6
BH-07 / S-9	1.88	19	17.1	6.8	1.9	5.9
BH-08 / S-2	378	75	-303	2.4	7.5	5.5
BH-08 / S-3	488	126	-362	8	12.6	6.7
BH-08 / S-4	319	158	-161	8.2	15.8	7.4
BH-08 / S-5	243	118	-125	8.2	11.8	7.3
BH-08 / S-6	274	138	-136	7.8	13.8	7.6
BH-08 / S-8	6.56	78	71.4	7.6	7.8	7.6
BH-08 / S-9	1.56	86	84.4	8.5	8.6	7.6
BH-08 / S-10	1.56	200	198	8.6	20	7.7
TP-24 / S-1	356	80	-276	2.4	8	5.9
TP-24 / S-2	10.6	30	19.4	7	3	6.3
TP-25 / S-1	264	18	-246	2.3	1.8	4.7
TP-25 / S-2	6.88	38	31.1	4.2	3.8	4.1
TP-34 / S-1	292	111	-181	2.9	11.1	6.1
TP-34 / S-2	20.6	8	-12.6	6.9	0.8	6

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Trench Camp Historic Tailings  
Geochemistry and Material Characterization



**Table A-2. Static test results for Trench Camp historic tailings area samples.**

Sample	Sulfur HCl Residue	Sulfur HNO3 Residue	Sulfur Organic Residual	Sulfur Pyritic Sulfide	Sulfur Sulfate	Sulfur Total	Total Sulfur minus Sulfate	Material	Depth
BH-01 / S-1	0.39	0.03	0.03	0.36	1.67	2.06	0.39	Cover	-1.5
BH-01 / S-2	7.11			7.11	4.26	11.4	7.11	Tailings	-5.75
BH-01 / S-3	7.67	0.01	0.01	7.66	4.11	11.8	7.67	Tailings	-15.75
BH-01 / S-4	10.1	0.01	0.01	10	3.01	13.1	10.1	Tailings	-25.75
BH-01 / S-5	10.9			10.9	0.95	11.8	10.9	Tailings	-35.75
BH-01 / S-6	12			12	1.51	13.5	12	Native Grounc	-45.75
BH-01 / S-8	0.05			0.05	0.05	0.1	0.05	Native Grounc	-53.25
BH-02 / S-2	0.54			0.54	3.69	4.23	0.54	Tailings	-5.75
BH-02 / S-3	7.66	0.01	0.01	7.65	4.48	12.1	7.66	Tailings	-15.75
BH-02 / S-4	9.78	0.04	0.04	9.74	0.78	10.6	9.78	Tailings	-25.75
BH-02 / S-6	9.42	0.05	0.05	9.37	0.71	10.1	9.42	Tailings	-35.75
BH-02 / S-7	1	0.69	0.69	0.31	0.11	1.11	1	Native Grounc	-38.25
BH-02 / S-8	1.56	1.17	1.17	0.39	0.01	1.57	1.56	Native Grounc	-40.75
BH-03 / S-2	7.78	0.02	0.02	7.76	3.98	11.8	7.78	Tailings	-4.75
BH-03 / S-3	8.99	0.03	0.03	8.96	2.77	11.8	8.99	Tailings	-15.75
BH-03 / S-4	7.88	0.03	0.03	7.85	1.06	8.94	7.88	Tailings	-25.75
BH-03 / S-5	5.79	0.03	0.03	5.76	2.61	8.4	5.79	Tailings	-35.8
BH-03 / S-6	0.67	0.47	0.47	0.2	0.04	0.71	0.67	Native Grounc	-43.75
BH-04 / S-1	1.48	0.02	0.02	1.46	2.38	3.86	1.48	Tailings	-1.3
BH-04 / S-2	8.52	0.02	0.02	8.5	4.13	12.7	8.52	Tailings	-5.75
BH-04 / S-3A	7.82	0.01	0.01	7.81	3.27	11.1	7.82	Tailings	-15.55
BH-04 / S-3B	1.2	0.02	0.02	1.18	1.99	3.19	1.2	Waste Rock	-16
BH-04 / S-4	0.95	0.01	0.01	0.94	1.89	2.84	0.95	Waste Rock	-20.75
BH-04 / S-5	2.2	0.03	0.03	2.17	2.38	4.58	2.2	Waste Rock	-25.75
BH-04 / S-6	0.22	0.19	0.19	0.03	0.52	0.74	0.22	Native Grounc	-40.75
BH-05 / S-2	11.3	0.02	0.02	11.3	1.87	13.1	11.3	Tailings	-5.75
BH-05 / S-3A	16.4	0.01	0.01	16.4	1.38	17.8	16.4	Tailings	-15.55
BH-05 / S-3B	0.16	0.04	0.04	0.12	0.16	0.32	0.16	Native Grounc	-16
BH-05 / S-4		0.01	0.01		0.06	0.06		Native Grounc	-18.25
BH-05 / S-5	0.06			0.06	0.07	0.13	0.06	Native Grounc	-20.75
BH-06 / S-2	0.94	0.12	0.12	0.82	2.58	3.52	0.94	Waste Rock	-10.75
BH-06 / S-3	0.73	0.01	0.01	0.72	1.16	1.89	0.73	Waste Rock	-20.75
BH-06 / S-4	1.79	0.03	0.03	1.76	1.29	3.08	1.79	Waste Rock	-22.65
BH-07 / S-2	7.94	0.01	0.01	7.93	3.31	11.3	7.94	Tailings	-5.75
BH-07 / S-3	7.47	0.01	0.01	7.46	3.35	10.8	7.47	Tailings	-10.75
BH-07 / S-4	6.14	0.03	0.03	6.11	2.27	8.41	6.14	Tailings	-20.75
BH-07 / S-6A	5.15	0.03	0.03	5.12	1.36	6.51	5.15	Tailings	-30.55
BH-07 / S-6B	0.23	0.04	0.04	0.19	0.14	0.37	0.23	Native Grounc	-31
BH-07 / S-7	0.21	0.18	0.18	0.03	0.19	0.4	0.21	Native Grounc	-33.25
BH-07 / S-8	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.01	0.07	0.23	0.16	Native Grounc	-35.75
BH-07 / S-9	0.01			0.01	0.05	0.06	0.01	Native Grounc	-40.75
BH-08 / S-2	7.12	0.11	0.11	7.01	5	12.1	7.12	Tailings	-5.75
BH-08 / S-3	14.7	0.26	0.26	14.4	0.97	15.6	14.7	Tailings	-15.75
BH-08 / S-4	9.51	0.22	0.22	9.29	0.67	10.2	9.51	Tailings	-25.75
BH-08 / S-5	6.33	0.16	0.16	6.17	1.46	7.79	6.33	Tailings	-35.75
BH-08 / S-6	7.14	0.3	0.3	6.84	1.64	8.78	7.14	Tailings	-45.75
BH-08 / S-8	0.11			0.11	0.1	0.21	0.11	Native Grounc	-50.75
BH-08 / S-9					0.05	0.05		Native Grounc	-53.25
BH-08 / S-10	0.02			0.02	0.03	0.05	0.02	Native Grounc	-55.75
TP-24 / S-1	7.98	0.13	0.13	7.85	3.4	11.4	7.98	Tailings	-7.5
TP-24 / S-2	0.06			0.06	0.28	0.34	0.06	Native Grounc	-9.5
TP-25 / S-1	5.44	0.14	0.14	5.3	3.02	8.46	5.44	Tailings	-9
TP-25 / S-2	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.2	0.22	0.02	Native Grounc	-15
TP-34 / S-1	5.56	0.08	0.08	5.48	3.78	9.34	5.56	Tailings	-6
TP-34 / S-2	0.61	0.41	0.41	0.2	0.05	0.66	0.61	Native Grounc	-9

## **ATTACHMENT B**

## **ATTACHMENT C**

**TRENCH CAMP PROPERTY**  
**WATER TREATMENT PLANT**  
**PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING REPORT**

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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

This preliminary engineering report is provided by Water Engineering Technologies, Inc. (WET) to Arizona Minerals, Inc. (AMI) for the water treatment plant (WTP) located at the Trench Camp Property (Trench Camp, January Mine, and Norton Mine Claims) Project (Project) located in Santa Cruz County, AZ. This report contains sections on: WTP background; design criteria including water chemistry and flow rates; process design including a process flow diagram, process and instrumentation diagrams, mechanical equipment list, a facility general arrangement, and major equipment data sheets; and a cost estimate for capital expenditures (Capex) and annual operating expenditures (Opex).

## **2.0 WTP BACKGROUND**

AMI wants to engineer and install a water treatment plant capable of treating underdrain seepage and storm water runoff from a tailings storage facility (TSF) located on the Project property and water from the January Mine (Mine) workings. The flow rate from the TSF Underdrain Collection Pond (UP) is estimated to fluctuate up to a maximum of 120 gallons per minute (gpm) in reaction to monsoon rains, then fall to a minimum of less than ten gpm during extended dry periods. The flow rate from the Mine also fluctuates because of hydrologic influences from monsoon rains and dry periods and is estimated to be between 39 and 7 gpm, respectively.

It is anticipated that treated water will be utilized for on-going mine exploration, dust control, construction soil conditioning, and future milling and mining operations. Periodic, short-term discharge of treated water or a portion of treated water to Alum Gulch may be necessary during periods of exploration or mine development. This discharge would be authorized under an AZPDES permit.

## **3.0 DESIGN CRITERIA**

### **3.1 FLOW RATES**

Water sources to the WTP consist of TSF UP flow and January Mine water flow. It is understood both sources are heavily influenced by meteoric precipitation events and thus highly variable.

Several factors in addition to source flow variability must also be considered when selecting a WTP throughput value, including:

- (1) water storage availability in the TSF UP;
- (2) desired mine water level and drawdown resulting from mine water pumping; and
- (3) WTP operation shift schedule.

AMI has developed plans for installing a lined underdrain collection pond in conjunction with the TSF, so the amount of future water storage has already been determined. AMI has collected data that provide a good understanding of the effects of pumping and resulting drawdown of the January Mine workings, and have in place a dedicated mine water pumping system. AMI will operate the WTP on a variable shift schedule up to 24-hours per

day as needed to respond to seasonal fluctuations in UP water volumes and mine water levels. Given all these factors, it was determined that a nominal WTP throughput to be used as a basis of design is 120 gpm. The two water sources will be combined prior to treatment, with the ratio of Mine water to UP water variable dependent on local meteorological conditions.

### **3.2 WATER CHEMISTRY**

Water chemistry from mine water and the existing tailings seepage (worst-case surrogate for UP water) were characterized using water samples collected the week of January 9, 2017. In addition to characterizing the two separate water sources, these waters were combined in a 20:3 ratio (Mine to seep water) and characterized. Water chemistry of these three waters is shown in Table 3-1.

#### **3.2.1 Water Treatability Jar Tests**

Water treatability jar tests were performed using the two site waters and the combined site waters in a 20:3 ratio. The jar test protocol was developed using best professional judgement based on the site water chemistry and anticipated effluent requirements. Twelve different jar tests were undertaken on seep water and mixed water (mine to seep at 20:3) mimicking six different treatment processes consisting of:

- pH adjustment to 9.0
- pH adjustment to 9.0 plus aeration
- pH adjustment to 9.0 plus aeration and filtration
- pH adjustment to 10.5
- pH adjustment to 10.5 plus aeration
- pH adjustment to 10.5 plus aeration and filtration

The lab test protocol describing the treatment processes is provided in Appendix 1. The jar tests were performed by Veolia Water under WET direction.

The supernatant from each of the twelve jar tests was analyzed by Turner Laboratories for select anions and cations. Results of all twelve jar tests are summarized in Appendix 2, along with laboratory data from Turner Laboratories. Select results from the jar tests as well as potentially applicable Alum Gulch surface water quality standards that may be used as the basis for permit limits are shown in Table 3-1. Any discharge will be to a portion of Alum Gulch classified as ephemeral; Table 3-1 includes aquatic and wildlife EDW standards in the event they are used as the basis for permit limits pursuant to A.A.C. R18-11-113.



Table 3-1

Constituent	Units	Mine Raw	Seep Raw	Mine + Seep Mixed 20:3	Mixed pH 9.0	Mixed pH 10.5	Surface Water Quality Standards			
							A&W (EDW) chronic (1)	A&W (EDW) acute (1)	Partial Body Contact	Ag & Livestock Watering
Conductivity	µmhos/cm	4600	14000	6000						
Hardness	mg/L	2100	4200	2300	2900	2700				
Ca, Dissolved	mg/L	480	480	440	720	870				
Fe, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0044	2.5	<0.0044	<0.0044	<0.022	1			
Mg, Dissolved	mg/L	220	740	280	280	130				
Al, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0400	148	10.6	0.0701	<0.40				
As, Dissolved	mg/L	0.00099	0.027	0.0030	0.0010	<0.00050	0.15	0.34		
Be, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.00025	0.031	0.0045	<0.00025	<0.00025	0.0053	0.065		
Cd, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.00025	1.8	0.23	0.0080	<0.00025	0.00622	0.01912		
Cr, Dissolved	mg/L	0.00051	0.0027	0.00053	0.00072	<0.00050				
Cu, Dissolved	mg/L	0.0015	2.4	0.35	0.00093	0.00075	0.02928	0.04962		
Mn, Dissolved	mg/L	56	1200	210	96	0.30				
Ni, Dissolved	mg/L	0.062	1.2	0.23	0.051	0.040	0.16804	1.51289		
Pb, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.00050	0.015	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	0.01094	0.28085		
Se, Dissolved	mg/L	0.0022	0.073	0.0081	0.004	0.0017				
Tl, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.00050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.00050	0.15	0.7		
Zn, Dissolved	mg/L	6.3	670	84	0.071	<0.040	0.3793	0.3793		
Fe, Total	mg/L	21	2.5	21	<0.0044	<0.0044				
Al, Total	mg/L	<0.400	176	25.0	<0.40	<0.800				
As, Total	mg/L	0.048	0.029	0.054	<0.0050	<0.00050			0.28	0.2
Be, Total	mg/L	<0.0025	0.042	0.0058	<0.0025	<0.0050			1.867	
Cd, Total	mg/L	0.0010	1.3	0.25	0.021	0.0035			0.7	0.05
Cr, Total	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.025	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.010				1
Cu, Total	mg/L	<0.0051	2.8	0.38	0.0051	0.0045			1.3	0.5
Mn, Total	mg/L	65	1200	200	110	4.5			130.667	
Ni, Total	mg/L	0.053	1.5	0.29	0.040	0.053			28	
Pb, Total	mg/L	0.0075	<0.025	0.011	0.0015	0.00090			0.015	0.1
Se, Total	mg/L	0.0031	0.063	0.011	0.0028	0.0011	0.002		4.667	0.05
Tl, Total	mg/L	<0.00050	<0.025	<0.00050	<0.00050	<0.00050			0.075	
Zn, Total	mg/L	6.6	680	91	0.83	0.60			280	25
TDS	mg/L	3200	13000	4400						
SO4	mg/L	2200	8800	3100						
Notes: (1) limits or hardness-based metals (cadmium, copper, lead, nickel, silver, zinc) are based on a hardness of 400										

## 4.0 PROCESS DESIGN

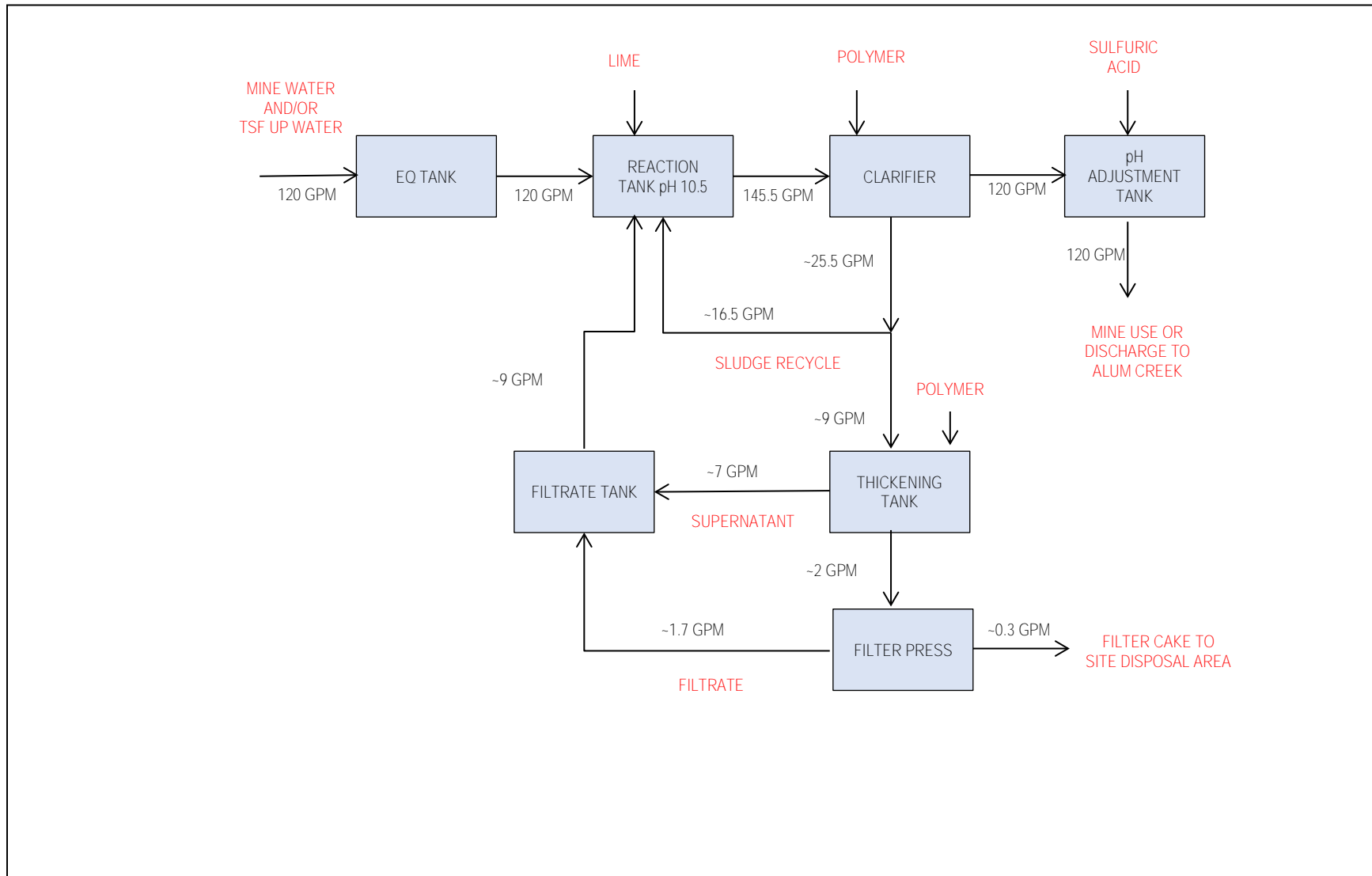
### 4.1 PROCESS SUMMARY

The selected treatment process for 100 percent mine water, 100 percent UP water, or a combination of both waters for a total combined flow of 120 gpm producing effluent capable of meeting potential effluent limits consists of pH adjustment to 10.5 followed by liquid/solids separation. This process is summarized as follows:

- Mine water & UP water routed to equalization (EQ) tank.
- Water from the EQ tank is routed to a reaction tank with agitator for pH adjustment to 10.5 using hydrated lime.
- Water from the reaction tank is routed to a clarifier for liquid/solids separation. A flocculant is added to the clarifier to enhance hydroxide floc formation and settling.
- Clarifier overflow is routed to a reaction tank for pH adjustment to less than 8.5 using sulfuric acid.
- Water from the acid reaction tank is pumped back to a tank or tanks for use in exploration, dust control, or mine (mill and mine operations) for re-use, or discharge to Alum Gulch.
- Clarifier underflow sludge is primarily routed to a sludge thickening tank, with a portion of sludge recycled back to the lime reaction tank;
- Thickening tank overflow is routed back to the lime reaction tank;
- Thickening tank underflow is routed to a sludge filter press for dewatering;
- Dewatered sludge is routed to the TSF for permanent storage;

A block flow diagram (BFD) showing this treatment process is shown in Figure 4-1.

Figure 4-1



## 4.2 PROCESS DESCRIPTION

A description of the treatment process is described in the following paragraphs. Refer to the process flow diagram (PFD) and process and instrumentation diagrams (PID) in Appendix A for further information on equipment sizes, pipe sizes and materials, and instrumentation. Equipment data are found in the equipment data sheets contained in Appendix B.

**EQ Tank.** Mine water and UP water are pumped at a combined flow rate of 120 gpm to the 10,000-gallon equalization (EQ) tank. These waters are co-mingled in this tank then routed via gravity through a tank overflow pipe to the reaction tank. Flow rates of mine water and UP water are both measured on the inlet piping to the EQ tank.

**Reaction Tank.** Water from the EQ tank overflow is piped to the 4,500-gallon reaction tank for pH adjustment using hydrated lime supplied from the lime system. This tank utilizes an agitator to ensure adequate lime mixing into solution with the untreated water. The pH is adjusted to a pre-determined set point, which for the purposes of this design is assumed to be 10.5 based on the jar testing described in previous sections. The amount of hydrated lime to be added based on the jar tests is 1.0 g/l; the actual lime addition rate will be determined upon WTP startup and commissioning. The hydraulic residence time in the reaction tank is 30 minutes at the 120 gpm design flow. pH is measured using in the reaction tank. As the pH of the untreated water changes due to differing ratios of mine water to UP water, the amount of hydrated lime required to reach the pH set point will be adjusted based on the output signal from the pH probe controlling the amount of hydrated lime pumped from the lime system. pH adjusted water is routed via gravity through a tank overflow pipe to the clarifier.

**Hydrated Lime System.** The lime system will utilize a silo sized to store 1,700 cubic feet of hydrated lime at 35 pounds per cubic feet. The silo includes a single discharge cone providing one feed train. The system includes a dry product metering system and dilution equipment to produce a lime slurry. Fresh water from the fresh water tank is used to make up the lime slurry. The lime slurry is pumped to the reaction tank for pH adjustment. The silo system will be controlled by a PLC and will include an operator interface with local indication of conditions and alarms.

**Fresh Water System.** The fresh water system consists of a 2,000-gallon tank and forwarding pump. Fresh water is supplied to the tank from an on-site fresh water well. Fresh water is pumped to the lime system for dilution; Water is also pumped for use as service water in the WTP.

**Flocculation System.** The flocculation system consists of a chemical tote containing a liquid anionic polymer flocculant and two chemical feed pumps. Flocculant is pumped to the clarifier to assist with particle flocculation. The amount of flocculant to be added based on the jar tests is 1.0 mg/l; the actual flocculant addition rate will be determined upon WTP startup and commissioning. Flocculant is also pumped to the thickening tank to assist with thickening the solids in the tank.

**Clarification.** Water from the reaction tank overflow is fed to the clarifier for liquid/solids separation. Flocculant from the flocculation system is added to the clarifier center well to assist with hydroxide floc formation. As the flocs settle in the water column, an internal impeller circulates the solids within the center well to mix with incoming solids formed in the reaction tank. Solids separate in the water column within the tank and settle in the bottom of the tank. Clarified water overflows the internal weir at the top of the tank and is piped to the pH reaction tank. Sludge is formed in the clarifier as the gypsum and metal hydroxide solids formed in the reaction tank settle in the cone-shaped area of the clarifier bottom. The clarifier utilizes a slow-moving rake powered by a 1 h.p. motor to ensure the sludge continuously moves toward the center of the cone at the bottom of the clarifier. The sludge is pumped from the cone bottom to the sludge thickening tank. A portion of the pumped sludge is diverted back to the reaction tank where it mixes with the lime and untreated water. This sludge recycle helps solids formation to occur in the reaction tank as well as utilize un-reacted lime contained in the sludge.

**Final pH adjustment.** Clarifier overflow is routed to pH adjustment tank for pH adjustment to 8.5 using sulfuric acid. The acid will be fed from the acid feed system. A pH probe in the tank will relay a signal to the acid feed pump to regulate the acid feed rate from the chemical feed pump. Overflow from the pH adjustment tank will be routed to the mine supply pump for use at the mine site or discharged to Alum Creek.

**Acid Feed System.** The sulfuric acid system consists of a chemical tote containing 92% sulfuric acid, a chemical feed pump, and a secondary containment tray. The acid is pumped to the pH adjustment tank using a feed rate determined by the pH in the tank.

**Mine Supply Pump.** Overflow from the pH adjustment tank is piped to the mine supply pump for use at the mine. This pump is rated at 20 h.p., with a flow rate of 120 gpm. Treated water not needed for mining is diverted through a tee to the discharge pipe for discharge into Alum Creek.

**Clarifier Sludge Forwarding Pump.** Clarifier underflow sludge is pumped to the sludge thickening tank using an 1 h.p. centrifugal pump. The pump discharge is piped to the thickening tank, with a diversion valve in the pipe that enables some sludge to be recycled back to the reaction tank. The operator controls the amount of sludge recycle based on manual observation of solids formation in the reaction tank and subsequent settling in the clarifier. This is an iterative procedure that is undertaken as the mine water to UP water flow ratio changes. During periods of steady water ratios, the sludge recycle rate will remain constant.

**Sludge Thickening Tank.** Sludge from the clarifier underflow is pumped to the sludge thickening tank. This tank has a cone shaped bottom and slow-moving rake to concentrate the sludge in the tank bottom. This allows water to separate from the solids to create a supernatant which then flows out of the tank through the effluent piping. The supernatant flows by gravity to the filtrate tank. The remaining sludge is expected to be greater than approximately 5 percent solids by weight. The thickened sludge is pumped from the tank bottom to the filter press. Anionic polymer is fed to this tank from the flocculation system. The flocculant feed rate will be optimized by the operator based on the actual sludge

production rate occurring in the clarifier, but is expected to be on the order of 2-5 mg/l of clarifier sludge.

**Thickened Sludge Forwarding Pump.** Thickened sludge from the thickening tank is pumped to the filter press using a 0.75 h.p. progressive cavity pump. The pump operates in a non-continuous mode; that is, after the filter press completes a press cycle and is emptied the operator will manually engage this pump to remove sludge from the thickening tank and transfer it to the filter press for de-watering.

**Filter Press.** The 30-cubic foot (cf) filter press receives thickened sludge from the thickening tank and removes the free water from the sludge during a press run. Sludge is pumped in-between filter panels by the thickened sludge forwarding pump. The press uses pressurized air to force the water filtrate from the sludge to produce a filter cake, expected to be greater than 25 percent solids by weight. The press run is complete when the filtrate is completely removed from the solids. The filtrate flows by gravity pipe to the filtrate tank. The de-watered solids are manually removed from the filter panels by the operator. The filter cake falls from the filter panels into a collection area beneath the press. The operator removes the filter cake from the collection area using a backhoe or skid-steer type bucket for transport to the TSF. The frequency of the press run will be determined once the WTP is under operation, but is not expected to be more often than once per operating shift.

**Filtrate Tank and Filtrate Pump.** Supernatant from the sludge thickening tank and the filter press are routed by gravity to the filtrate tank. This tank supplies water to the 0.25 h.p. filtrate pump which transfers supernatant from the filtrate tank to the reaction tank for further treatment.

#### **4.3 PROCESS AND INSTRUMENTATION DIAGRAMS**

PIDs for the entire WTP process are included in Appendix A.

#### **4.4 FACILITY GENERAL ARRANGEMENT**

The general arrangement of the WTP is shown on Sheet GA-101 in Appendix A.

#### **4.5 MAJOR EQUIPMENT**

The major equipment list is shown on Sheet MEL-101 in Appendix A.

The major equipment data are shown on Equipment Data Sheets in Appendix B.

### **5.0 CHEMICAL FIRST FILL REQUIREMENTS**

Chemicals designated for use in the WTP include and their respective on-site storage capacities are:

- Hydrated lime – 1,700 cubic feet, housed in the storage silo;
- Anionic polymer flocculant - 250-gallon tote; and
- Sulfuric acid – 330-gallon tote with secondary containment.

**APPENDIX A**

**PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM**

**PROCESS AND INSTRUMENTATION DIAGRAMS**

**GENERAL ARRANGEMENT DIAGRAM**

**MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT LIST**



LEGAL DESCRIPTION

JANUARY & NORTON MINING CLAIMS  
MINERAL SURVEYS (MS) NO. S 745 & 929  
LYING IN A PORTION OF UNSURVEYED SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH,  
RANGE 16 EAST, & SURVEYED SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 16 EAST,  
GILA AND SALT RIVER BASE AND MERIDIAN, SANTA CRUZ COUNTY, ARIZONA.

HARDSHELL NO. 7; JOSEPHINE; TRENCH NO. 2, TRENCH NO. 3; TRENCH NO. 4; TRENCH  
NO. 5; TRENCH NO. 6; TRENCH NO. 7; TRENCH NO. 8; TRENCH EXTENSION NO. 1; TRENCH  
EXTENSION NO. 2; TRENCH EXTENSION NO. 3; AND TRENCH EXTENSION 4 LOAD MINING  
CLAIMS, DESIGNATED AS SURVEY NO. 4222, BEING A PORTION OF SECTIONS 4 AND 5,  
TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 16 EAST OF GILA AND SALT RIVER BASE AND MERIDIAN,  
SANTA CRUZ COUNTY, ARIZONA.

EARTHWORK QUANTITIES

SITE  
CUT: 50,930 CY  
FILL: 1 CY

BENCHMARK

BASIS OF ELEVATION: NE CORNER OF NORTON MINERAL CLAIM MS 929.  
POINT BEING A FOUND 1/2" REBAR WITH ALUMINUM CAP  
ELEVATION = 4950.84 (NAVD 88)

BASIS OF BEARINGS

THE BASIS OF BEARING IS GRID, BASED ON ARIZONA STATE PLANE  
COORDINATES, CENTRAL ZONE NAD83. THE BASIS OF BEARING IS BETWEEN  
FOUND MONUMENTATION OF THE SE AND NE CORNER OF THE JANUARY  
MINERAL CLAIM MS 745.  
BEARING BEING S 38°18'25" E.

MATERIAL QUANTITIES	
QTY	DESCRIPTION
____ LF	UGE - UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC
____ LF	3" SDR-11 HDPE
4350 LF	3" SDR-17 HDPE
5730 LF	4" SDR-17 HDPE
381 LF	6" SDR-17 HDPE
____ EA	3" CLEANOUT
____ EA	4" CLEANOUT
____ CY	RIP-RAP D <sub>50</sub> =4", T=8"
____ CY	RIP-RAP D <sub>50</sub> =12", T=24"

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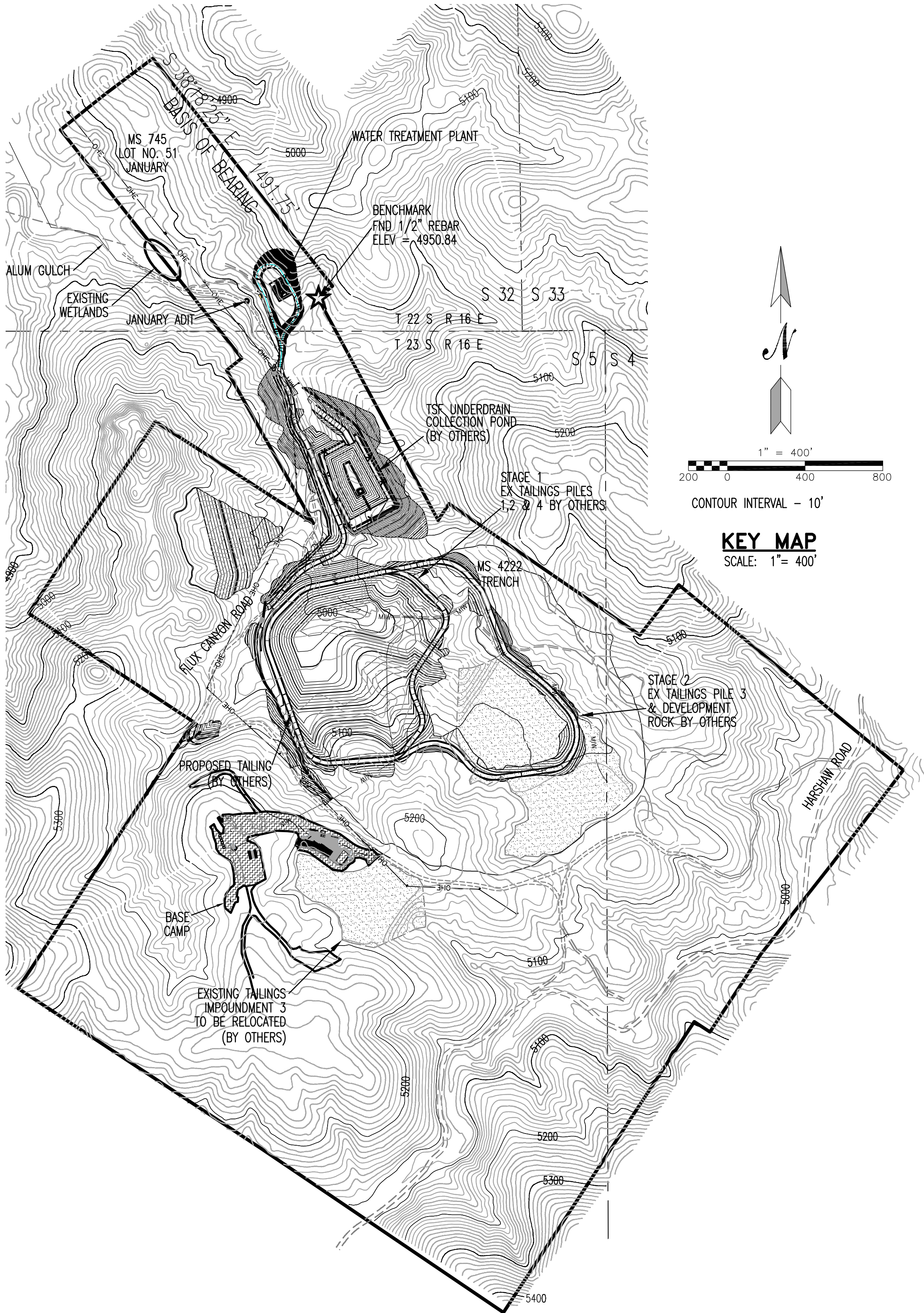
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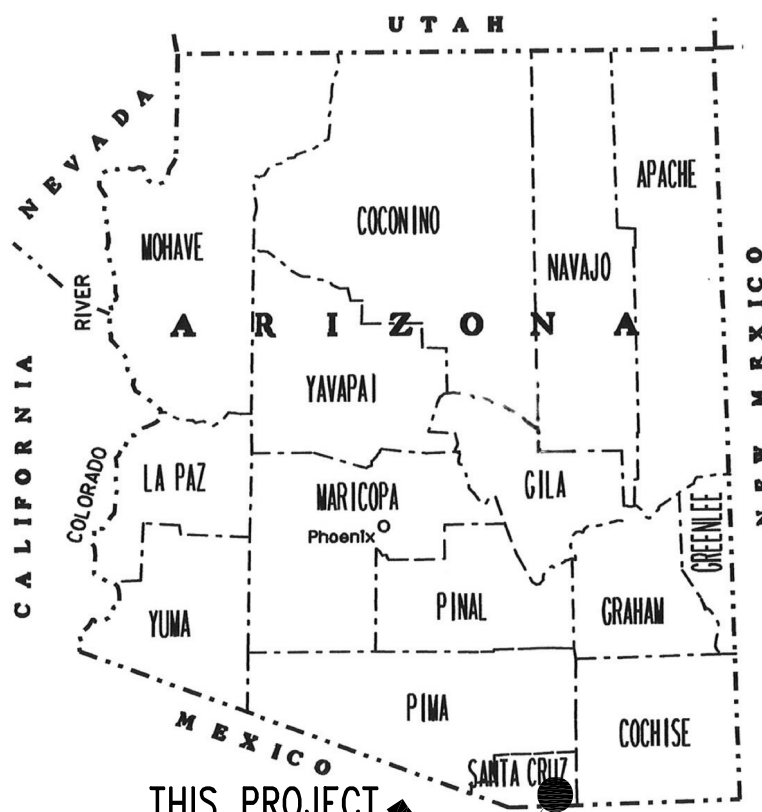
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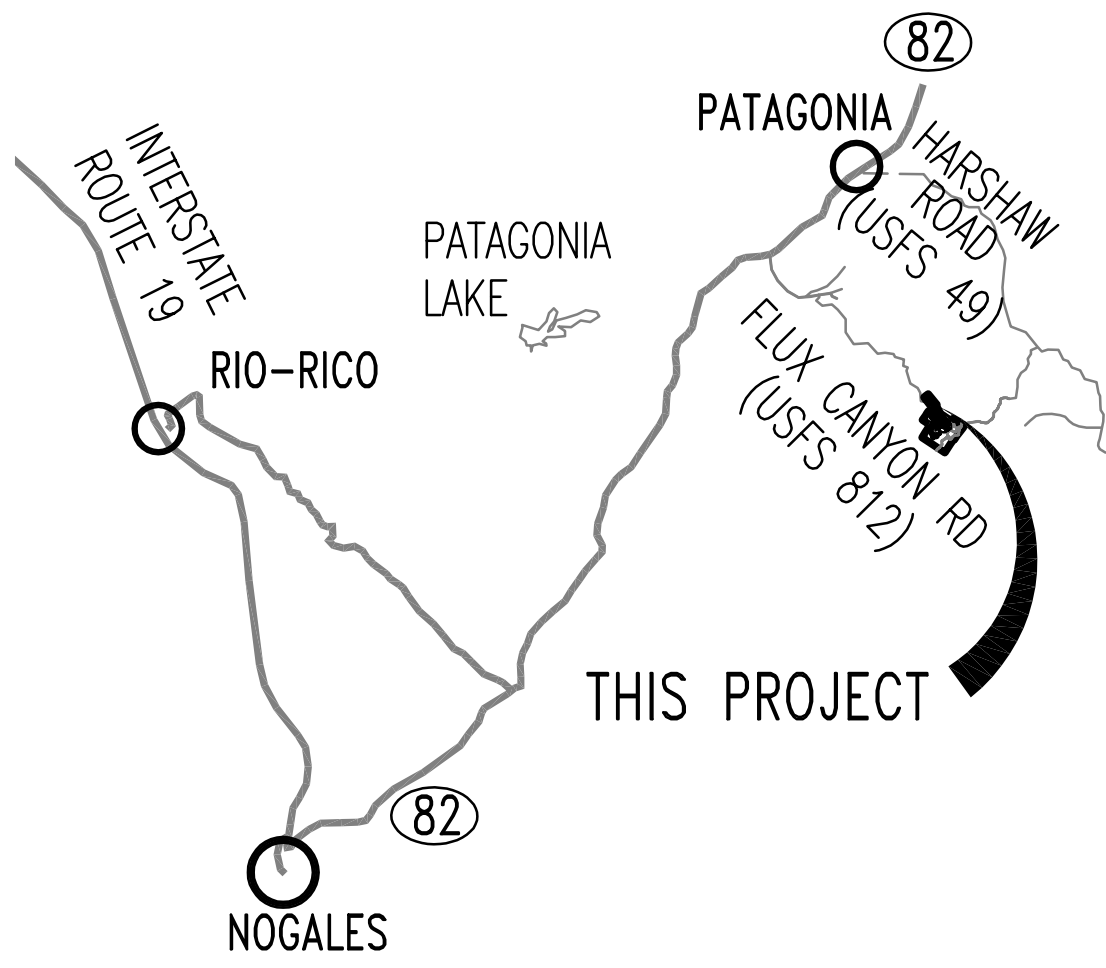


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LOCATION MAP  
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1. ALL CONSTRUCTION AND TEST METHODS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARICOPA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS (MAG) UNIFORM STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND DETAILS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION, EDITION 2015, EXCEPT AS MODIFIED, SHOWN AND ACCEPTED BY DETAIL WITHIN THESE PLANS.
2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION REGULATIONS.
3. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLYING WITH ALL REGULATIONS AND REQUESTS BY THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (ADEQ).
4. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY AND OBTAIN ALL PERMITS REQUIRED BY THE GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES, TO INCLUDE BUT NOT LIMITED TO: UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE AND SANTA CRUZ COUNT, PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
5. A STAMPED COPY SET OF THE LATEST APPROVED PLANS SHALL BE ON THE JOB SITE AT ALL TIMES.
6. ALL REVISIONS TO THESE PLANS MUST BE APPROVED BY ARIZONA MINERALS, INC., CPE CONSULTANTS, AND THE APPLICABLE DESIGN ENGINEER SEALING THE PLANS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
7. ERRORS, OMISSIONS OR CONFLICTS BETWEEN VARIOUS ELEMENTS OF THE DRAWINGS, NOTES, AND DETAILS SHALL BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE ENGINEER AND RESOLVED BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE WORK.
8. EXISTING UTILITIES ARE SHOWN BASED UPON THE BEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY LOCATIONS AND ELEVATIONS OF ALL EXISTING UTILITIES PRIOR TO ANY CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT BLUE STAKE (CALL 811 OR CLICK [Arizona811.com](http://Arizona811.com)) TO VERIFY LOCATION OF ALL UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION.
9. DURING CONSTRUCTION, SHOULD CONFLICTS WITH ANY EXISTING UTILITIES BECOME EVIDENT, THE ENGINEER OF RECORD IS TO BE CONTACTED BEFORE ANY ADJUSTMENTS ARE MADE WHICH DIFFER FROM THIS PLAN.
10. THE CONTRACTOR IS NOT PERMITTED TO MAKE AUTONOMOUS DECISIONS TO CARRY OUT CONSTRUCTION FIELD CHANGES WITHOUT WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE ENGINEER OF RECORD AND ARIZONA MINERALS, INC.
11. IT SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO FURNISH, HAUL AND APPLY ALL WATER REQUIRED FOR COMPACTION AND FOR THE CONTROL OF DUST FROM CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY. THE COST THEREOF IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE GRADING CONSTRUCTION PRICE.
12. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CARE, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, OR REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE WORK AREA WHICH HAVE BEEN REMOVED OR DAMAGED DURING THE COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION. ALL REPAIR, REPLACEMENT, OR CLEANUP SHALL BE DONE TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE OWNER.
13. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF EXISTING VEGETATION TO REMAIN IN THE WORK AREA.
14. ALL WORK TO BE LIMITED TO THE PROJECT SITE AND NO CONTRACTOR ACTIVITIES SHALL BE ON USFS LANDS OR PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY WITHOUT PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE APPROPRIATE PARTY.
15. THE ENGINEER OF RECORD OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE, SHALL OBSERVE, INSPECT, AND TEST ALL EARTHWORK OPERATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO: CLEARING, GRUBBING, SUBGRADE PREPARATION, STRUCTURAL AND TRENCH EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL, TOGETHER WITH PLACEMENT AND COMPACTION AND FILL.
16. IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR AND OR THE SURVEYOR PROVIDING THE CONSTRUCTION STAKING AND LAYOUT TO VERIFY THE BENCHMARK AND COMPARE THE SITE CONDITIONS WITH THE PLANS AND NOTIFY THE OWNER OR ENGINEER OF RECORD OF ANY DISCREPANCIES OBSERVED. SHOULD ANY BENCHMARK, GRADE, OR DESIGN INDICATED ON THE PLANS BE INTERPRETED TO BE INCORRECT, THE OWNER OR ENGINEER OF RECORD SHALL BE NOTIFIED BEFORE CONSTRUCTION BEGINS.
17. DRAINAGEWAYS AND ADJOINING AREAS ARE SUBJECT TO FLOODING. NO EQUIPMENT, TOOLS, OR MATERIALS SHALL BE STAGED, STOCKPILED, PARKED OR LEFT WITHIN A DRAINAGEWAY BEYOND OR OUTSIDE OF THE WORKING HOURS OF EACH DAY. THE OWNER ASSUMES NO LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE TO CONTRACTOR'S PROPERTY OR WORK AS THE RESULT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF.

GENERAL – THE FOLLOWING NOTES/SPECIFICATIONS ARE FOR CLARIFICATION AND/OR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE CONVEYANCEE, AS APPLICABLE, TO THE CONTRACTOR FOR COMPLYING WITH ALL SECTIONS, AS APPLICABLE, OF THE MAG UNIFORM STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND DETAILS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION, EDITION 2015 (MAG SPECS).

1. THE FOLLOWING DEFINITIONS OF SECTION 101.2 DEFINITIONS AND TERMS OF THE MAG SPECS ARE REVISED TO READ: OWNER: ARIZONA MINERALS, INC.; ENGINEER: CPEC OR OTHER ENGINEER DESIGNATED BY OWNER.

2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PERFORM ALL WORK AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE CONTRACT IN A SATISFACTORY AND ACCEPTABLE MANNER IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THE PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND TERMS OF THE CONTRACT. IN THE EVENT A CONFLICT EXISTS BETWEEN CONTRACT DOCUMENTS THE ORDER OF PRECEDENCE LISTED IN DESCENDING ORDER SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:  
CHANGE ORDERS  
ADDENDA  
SPECIAL PROVISIONS  
PROJECT PLANS  
MAG UNIFORM STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS  
MAG STANDARD DETAILS

3. CLEARING AND GRUBBING: THE AREAS OF THE CONSTRUCTION SITE TO BE IMPROVED PER THESE PLANS SHALL BE CLEARED OF ALL TREES, STUMPS, BRUSH, ROOTS, RUBBISH, DEBRIS AND OTHER OBJECTIONABLE MATTER, EXCEPT THAT THE CONTRACTOR SHALL AVOID, AS FAR AS PRACTICABLE, INJURY TO TREES, SHRUBBERY, PLANTS, GRASSES AND OTHER VEGETATION GROWING OUTSIDE OF THE AREAS TO BE IMPROVED. WITHIN EXCAVATED AREAS, ALL STUMPS, ROOTS AND OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS 3 INCHES OR OVER IN DIAMETER SHALL BE GRUBBED TO A DEPTH OF NOT LESS THAN 18 INCHES BELOW FINISH GRADE. IN EMBANKMENT AREAS ALL STUMPS, ROOTS AND OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS SHALL NOT BE LEFT HIGHER THAN SPECIFIED IN TABLE 201-1 OF THE MAG SPECS. ALL TREE TRUNKS, STUMPS, BRUSH, LIMBS, ROOTS, VEGETATION AND OTHER DEBRIS REMOVED IN CLEARING AND GRUBBING SHALL BE REMOVED, CHIPPED/MULCHED, AND STOCKPILED ONSITE, FOR FUTURE USE, AS DIRECTED BY THE OWNER/ENGINEER.

4. EXCAVATION: EXCAVATION SHALL CONSIST OF EXCAVATION INVOLVED IN THE GRADING AND CONSTRUCTION OF BASINS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS SHOWN ON THE PLANS, EXCEPT STRUCTURE EXCAVATION, TRENCH EXCAVATION AND ANY OTHER EXCAVATION SEPARATELY DESIGNATED.

5. UNSUITABLE MATERIAL: MATERIAL SHALL BE CONSIDERED UNSUITABLE FOR FILL, SUBGRADE, AND OTHER USES IF IT CONTAINS ORGANIC MATTER, SOFT SPONGY EARTH, OR OTHER MATTER OF SUCH NATURE THAT COMPACTION TO THE SPECIFIED DENSITY IS UNOBTAINABLE. MATERIAL THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE INTENDED USE SHALL BE EXCAVATED AND STOCKPILED AT THE SITE OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF AS DIRECTED BY THE OWNER OR ENGINEER.

6. SURPLUS MATERIAL: SURPLUS SUITABLE MATERIAL SHALL BE STOCKPILED ONSITE, FOR FUTURE USE, AS DIRECTED BY THE OWNER/ENGINEER. SURPLUS SUITABLE MATERIAL, AS APPLICABLE, SHALL BE PLACED IN TWO STOCKPILES. ONE STOCKPILE SHALL CONSIST OF MATERIAL SUITABLE FOR PLACEMENT IN EMBANKMENTS (FILLS) AND THE SECOND SHALL CONSIST OF ROCK MATERIAL GENERALLY EXCEEDING 4 INCHES IN GREATEST DIMENSION. ROCK MATERIAL IS INTENDED FOR FUTURE USE AS ROCK RIP-RAP SLOPE PROTECTION. EMBANKMENT MATERIAL IS INTENDED FOR FUTURE USE IN FILL OF OTHER AREAS OF THE SITE AS DESIGNATED BY THE OWNER/ENGINEER.

7. FILL CONSTRUCTION: PLACEMENT OF FILL MATERIAL FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF EMBANKMENTS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 211 OF THE MAG SPECS.

8. ROCK RIPRAP: RIPRAP CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 220 OF THE MAG SPECS AND CONSIST OF FURNISHING AND PLACING STONE, WITHOUT GROUT, AND UNDERLAIN WITH FILTER MATERIAL OF GRANULAR FILTER BLANKETS OR EROSION CONTROL GEOSYNTHETIC FABRIC. THE DEPTH AND TYPE OF RIPRAP FOR BASIN SLOPE PROTECTION SHALL BE 18" IN DEPTH AND D50=12". OTHER RIPRAP DEPTH AND TYPE SHALL BE AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR IN THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

9. CONCRETE STRUCTURES: CONCRETE STRUCTURES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 505 OF THE MAG SPECS AND SHALL CONSIST OF CLASS A CONCRETE UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS OR PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS.

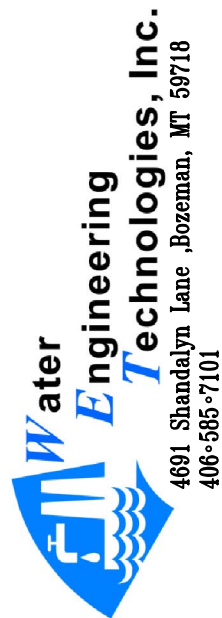
10. TRENCHING: TRENCH EXCAVATION, BACKFILL, AND COMPACTIONS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 601 OF THE MAG SPECS EXCEPT WHERE MODIFIED BY THE PLANS AND/OR PROJECT SPECIAL PROVISIONS.


11. WARNING TAPE: UNDERGROUND MARKING TAPE SHALL BE A 4" WIDTH, DETECTABLE MARKING TAPE, WITH A MINIMUM 5.0 MIL OVERALL THICKNESS. TAPE SHALL BE MANUFACTURED USING A 0.8 MIL CLEAR VIRGIN POLYPROPYLENE FILM, REVERSE PRINTED AND LAMINATED TO A 0.35 MIL SOLID ALUMINUM FOIL CORE, AND THEN LAMINATED TO A 3.75 MIL CLEAR VIRGIN POLYETHYLENE FILM. TAPE SHALL BE PRINTED USING A DIAGONALLY STRIPED DESIGN FOR MAXIMUM VISIBILITY, AND MEET THE APWA COLOR-CODE STANDARD FOR IDENTIFICATION OF BURIED UTILITIES. TAPE SHALL MEET THESE SPECIFICATIONS OR AN APPROVED EQUAL.

12. FRENCH DRAIN FILTER FABRIC: FILTER FABRIC SHALL BE A NON-WOVEN, 100% POLYPROPYLENE GEOTEXTILE, US FABRICS US 180NW OR EQUAL. SHALL BE PLACED PER MANUFACTURER SPECIFICATIONS.

13. FRENCH DRAIN IMPERVIOUS LINER: IMPERVIOUS LINER SHALL BE IMPERVIOUS PLASTIC SHEETING, MINIMUM 60 MIL, DOUBLE THICKNESS. SHALL BE PLACED PER MANUFACTURER SPECIFICATIONS AND PLACED TO AVOID PUNCTURE DURING INSTALLATION.

14. GUNITE LINING: REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING GUNITE LINING REMOVED FOR THE FOREMAIN INSTALLATION SHALL CONFORM TO SECTION 525 OF THE MAG SPECS OR AS APPROVED BY THE OWNER/ENGINEER.

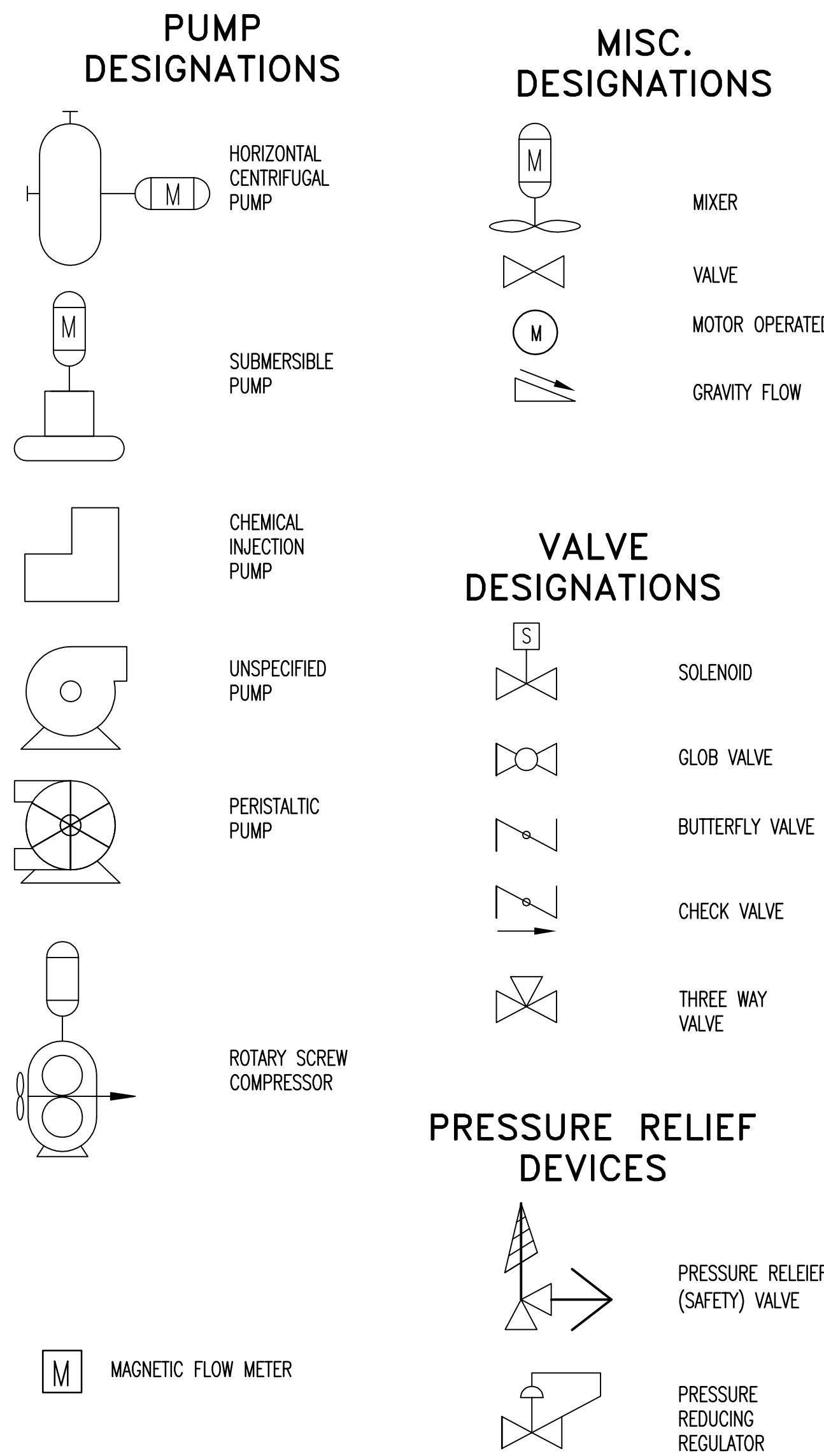


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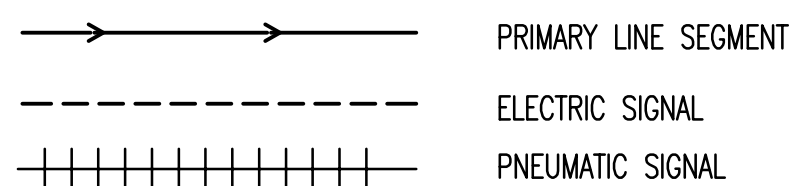


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AT	AGGREGATE BASE	ELEC	EAST ELECTRIC, ELECTRICITY	(M)	MEASURED	REINF	REINFORCE, REINFORCED,
AB	AGGREGATE BASE COURSE	EA	EACH	MAG	MARICOPA ASSOCIATION OF	RELOC	REINFORCING
ABDN	ABANDONED	ECC	ECCENTRIC	MAINT	GOVERNMENTS		RELOCATE, RELOCATION
AC	ACRES	EF	EACH FACE		MAINTENANCE, MAINTAIN	REM	REMOVE
ACI	AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE	EG	EXISTING GRADE	MAX	MATERIAL	REQD	REQUIRED
ADDL	ADDITIONAL	EL	ELECTRICAL	MECH	MECHANICAL	RET	RETAIN OR RETAINING
ADEQ	ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	ELEV	ELEVATION	MEL	MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT LIST	REV	REVISED OR REVISION
		ELB	ELBOW	MFR	MANUFACTURER	RT	RIGHT
ADJ	ADJACENT, ADJUSTABLE	EMB	EMBANKMENT	MH	MANHOLE	RTE	ROUTE
AFF	AT FINISH FLOOR	ENGR	ENGINEER	M&I	MUNICIPAL AND INDUSTRIAL	RTN	RETURN
AGG	AGGREGATE	ENT	ENTRANCE	MI	MILE OR MILES	RWGV	RESILIENT WEDGE GATE VALVE
AISC	AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF STEEL CONSTRUCTION	EP OR EOP	EDGE OF PAVEMENT	MIN	MINIMUM		
		EQ	EQUATION	MW	MINE INFLUENCED WATER		
ALUM	ALUMINUM	EQPMT	EQUIPMENT		MINUTES	<b>S</b>	
ALT	ALTERNATE	EST	ESTIMATE	MISC	MISCELLANEOUS	SALV	SOUTH
AMT	AMOUNT	E/W	EACH WAY		MECHANICAL JOINT	SB	SALVAGE
ANG	ANGLE	EYC	EXCAVATION	MO	MONTH	SO	SOIL BORING
APPROX	APPROXIMATE, APPROXIMATELY	EX, EXST	EXISTING	MOD	MODIFY OR MODIFIED	SCHED	SCHEDULE
APW	AEROBIC POLISHING WETLAND	EXP	EXPOSED	MON	MONUMENT	SD	STORM DRAIN
ASTM	AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING MATERIALS	EXP JT	EXPANSION JOINT	MRB	MANGANESE REMOVAL BED	SDR	STANDARD DIMENSION RATIO
ASSY	ASSEMBLY	EXT	EXTEND OR EXTENSION	MT	MOUNTAIN	SE	SOUTHEAST
ATS	ACTIVE TREATMENT SYSTEM			MTD	WALL MOUNTED	SEC	SECTION
AUTO	AUTOMATIC			MTG	MOUNTING	SEC OR "	SECONDS
AUX	AUXILIARY			MTL	MATERIAL	SF	SQUARE FEET
AVG	AVERAGE			MTL	METAL	SG	SUBGRADE
AWWA	AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION			MW	MONITORING WELL	SGL	SINGLE
		<b>F</b>		MWS	MAXIMUM WATER SURFACE	SH	SHEET
		'/FT	FEET PER FOOT			SHDR	SHOULDER
<b>B</b>		FAB	FABRICATION	<b>N</b>		SHR	SHRINKAGE
BAL	BALANCE	FC	FLANGIBLE COUPLING	N/A	NOT APPLICABLE	SIM	SIMILAR
BCR	BIOCHEMICAL REACTOR	FCA	FLANGED COUPLING ADAPTER	NATL	NATIONAL	SK	SKEW
BCSM	BRASS CAP SURVEY MONUMENT	FD	FOUND	NAD	NORTH AMERICAN DATUM	SL, S	SECTION LINE, SURVEY LINE
BDRY	BOUNDARY	FDN	FOUNDATION	NAV	NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM	SM	SELECT MATERIAL
BF	BLIND FLANGE, BOTTOM FACE	FED	FEDERAL	NE	NORTH EAST	SP	SPACE, SPACES
BGN	BEGIN	F.F.E.	FINISHED FLOOR ELEVATION	NE	NORTH EAST	SPCL	SPECIAL
BK	BACK, BOOK	FG	FINISHED GRADE	NIC	NOT IN CONTRACT	SPEC	SPECIFICATIONS
BKFL	BACKFILL	FIG	FIGURE	NO	NUMBER	SPEC'D	SPECIFIED
BLDG	BUILDING	FIN	FINISH	NOM	NOMINAL	SPLY	SUPPLY
BM	BENCH MARK	FL	FLOWLINE	NORM	NORMAL	SQ	SQUARE
BLDG	BUILDING	FLEX	FLEXIBLE	NPT	NON PAY ITEM	SQ FT	SQUARE FEET
BOR	BORROW	FLG	FLANGE	NPS	NATIONAL PIPE TREAD	SQ YD	SQUARE YARD
BOTT	BOTTOM	FLR	FLOOR	NTS	NOT TO SCALE	SR	STATE ROUTE
BP	BANK PROTECTION	FM	FORCE MAIN	NW	NORTHWEST	STD	STANDARD
BRG	BEARING	FND	FOUND	NWS	NORMAL WATER SURFACE	STL	STEEL
BTWN	BETWEEN	FW	FACE OF WALL			STR	STRUCTURAL
BW	BARBED WIRE	FPS	FEET PER SECOND			STRUCT	STRUCTURE </td
BY	BALL VALVE, BUTTERFLY VALVE	FR	FRAME			SUR	SURFACE
		FST	FOREST			SURF	SURFACE
		FT OR "	FOOT, FEET	<b>O</b>		SUSP	SUSPEND
		FTG	FOOTING, FILLING	O&M	OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	SW	SOUTHWEST
		FURN	FURNISH OR FURNISHED	OC	OF CENTER	SW	SWELL
		FUT	FUTURE	OD	OUTSIDE DIAMETER	SY	SQUARE YARDS
		FWD	FORWARD	OF	OUTSIDE FACE, OVERFLOW	SYMM	SYMMETRICAL
				OH	OVERHEAD		
<b>C</b>				OPNG	OPENING	<b>T</b>	
C TO C	CENTER TO CENTER			OPP	OPPOSITE	T	TOWNSHIP
C IN PL	COMPLETE IN PLACE	<b>G</b>		ORIG	ORIGINAL	T&B	TOP & BOTTOM
CALC OR (C)	CALCULATED	G	GAS	OVFL	OVERFLOW	TB	THRUST BLOCK
CAP	CAPACITY	GA	GAUGE			TBM	TEMPORARY BENCH MARK
CEM	CEMENT	GAL	GENERAL ARRANGEMENT			TDH	TOTAL DYNAMIC HEAD
CF	CUBIC FEET	GB	GALLON			TECH	TECHNICAL
CFM	CUBIC FEET PER MINUTE	GND	GRADE BREAK	<b>P</b>		TEMP	TEMPORARY
CFS	CUBIC FEET PER SECOND	GND COMP	GROUND COMPACTION	PAR	PARCEL	TF	TOP FACE
CHAN	CORRUGATED HIGH-DENSITY POLYETHYLENE PLASTIC PIPE	GOV'T	GOVERNMENT	PE	POLYETHYLENE	THD	THREAD
CHDPEPP	CAST-IN PLACE CENTER LINE	GPD	GALLONS PER DAY	PFD	PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM	THK	THICK
		GPH	GALLONS PER HOUR	PG	PAGE	THRD	THREADED
C-I-P	CAST-IN PLACE CENTER LINE	GPM	GALLONS PER MINUTE	PIP	PROTECT IN PLACE	TO	TOP OF
CLR	CHAIN LINK, CONTROL LINE	GR	GRADE	P&ID	PROCESS & INSTRUMENTATION DIAGRAM	TOP	TOP OF BANK
C/L	CHAIN LINK, CONTROL LINE	GRB	GRUBBING	PL	PLACE	TOL	TOP OF LINING
CMP	COMPACT OR COMPACTION	GSRM	GILA & SALT RIVER MERIDIAN	P/L	PROPERTY LINE	TOP	TOP OF PIPE
CO	CONCRETE	GV	GATE VALVE, GAS VALVE	POB	POINT OF BEGINNING	TOPO	TOPOGRAPHY
COMP	CONCRETE CONNECTION			POE	POINT OF ENDING	TRANS	TRANSITION
CONC	CONCRETE			PP	POWER POLE	TS	TOP OF SLOPE
CONN	CONNECTION			PRELIM	PRELIMINARY	TW	TOP OF WALL
COND	CONDUIT			PREFAB	PREFABRICATED	TY	TYPICAL
CONST	CONSTRUCTION, CONSTRUCT			PRESS	PRESSURE		
CONT	CONTINUOUS			PRI	PRIMARY		
COORD	COORDINATE			PRJ	PROJECT		
COR	CORNER			PROP	PROPOSED		
CORR	CORRECTION			PROP	PROPERTY		
CP	CONTROL POINTS			PRT	PROTECTION		
CPLG	COUPLING			PRV	PROVISION OR PROVIDE		
CTR	CENTER			PS	PUMP STATION, PRESSURE SWITCH		
CTRD	CENTERED			PSI	POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH		
CU	CUBIC			PSF	POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT		
CULV	CULVERT			PT	POINT		
CV	CHECK VALVE			PV	PLUG VALVE, PRESSURE VALVE		
CWS	CALCULATED WATER SURFACE			PVC	POLYVINYL CHLORIDE		
CY, CU YD	CUBIC YARD OR CUBIC YARDS			PVMT	PAVEMENT		
		<b>H</b>				<b>U</b>	
		H, HT	HEIGHT			U/G	UNDERGROUND
		HDPE	HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE			UBC	UNIFORM BUILDING CODE
		HDWR	HARDWARE			UGND	UNDERGROUND
		HGL	HYDRAULIC GRADE LINE			UNK	UNKNOWN
		HGT	HEIGHT			UNO	UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE
		HORIZ	HORIZONTAL			USFS	UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE
		HP	HORSEPOWER				
		HW	HEADWATER				
		HWS	HIGH WATER SURFACE				
				<b>I</b>			
		ID	INDICATE				
		IE	INVERT ELEVATION				
		IF	INSIDE FACE				
		IMPR	IMPROVEMENT				
		IN OR "	INCH OR INCHES				
		INCL	INCLUDE, INCLUDED, OR INCLUSIVE				
		INST	INSTRUMENTATION				
		INSUL	INSULATE				
		INT	INTERIOR				
		INV	INVERT				
		IP	IRON PIN				
		<b>J</b>					
		JT	JOINT				
		JCT	JUNCTION				
		<b>L</b>					
		L	LEVEL, LENGTH				
		LAT	LATERAL				
		LB	POUND				
		LF	LINEAR FEET				
		LN	LINE				
		LN FT	LINEAR FEET				
		LOC	LOCATION				

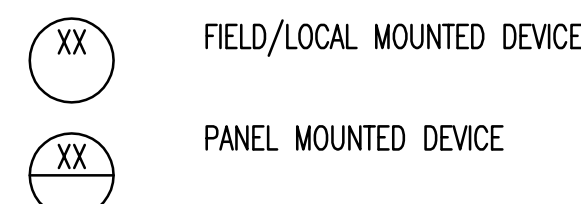
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## LINE SYMBOLS



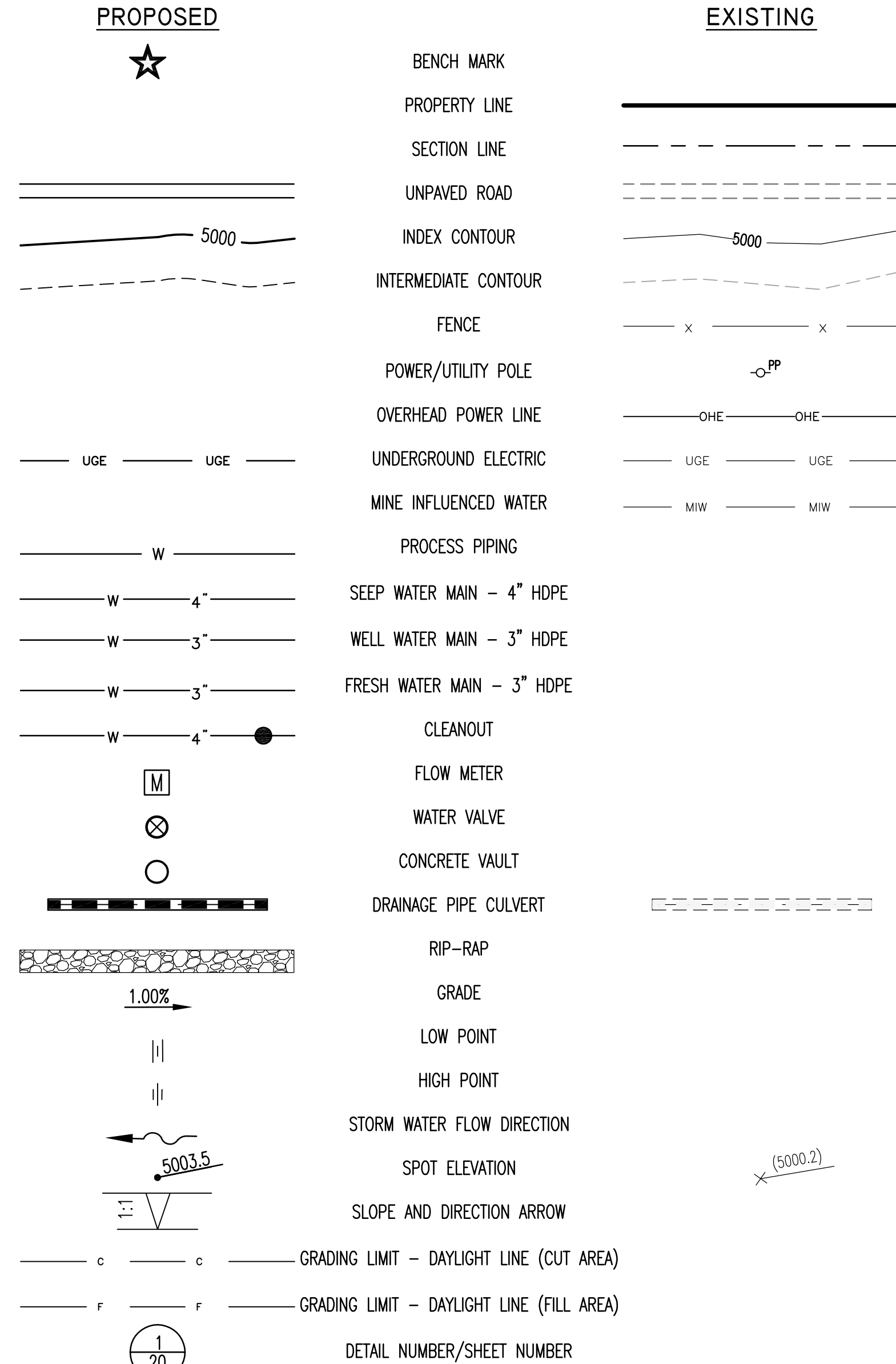
## CONTROLS



## TAG DESCRIPTIONS

AC	AIR COMPRESSOR
AIC	ANALYSIS INDICATOR CONTROL
AS	AIR SUPPLY
CF	CHEMICAL FEED PUMP
CL	CLARIFIER
F	FLOW
FIC	FLOW INDICATOR CONTROL
FP	FILTER PRESS
P	PUMP
PL	PIPELINE
SK	SCREEN
V	VALVE

## LEGEND



INSTRUMENT IDENTIFICATION LETTERS				
FIRST LETTER		SUCCEEDING LETTERS		
MEASURED OR INITIATING VARIABLE	MODIFIER	READOUT OR PASSIVE FUNCTION	OUTPUT FUNCTION	MODIFIER
A	ANALYSIS	ALARM		
B	BURNER, FLAME, COMBUSTION	USER'S CHOICE	USER'S CHOICE	USER'S CHOICE
C	USER'S CHOICE (TYPICALLY CONDUCTIVITY - ELECTRICAL)		CONTROL	CLOSED
D	USER'S CHOICE (TYPICALLY DENSITY OR SPECIFIC GRAVITY)	DIFFERENTIAL		DIVERT
E	VOLTAGE	SENSOR (PRIMARY ELEMENT)		
F	FLOW RATE	RATIO (FRACTION)		
G	USER'S CHOICE OR GAUGING (DIMENSIONAL)	GLASS, VIEWING DEVICE		HIGH
H	HAND			
I	CURRENT (ELECTRICAL)	INDICATE		
J	POWER	SCAN		
K	TIME, TIME SCHEDULE	TIME RATE OF CHANGE	CONTROL STATION	
L	LEVEL	LIGHT		LOW
M	USER'S CHOICE (TYPICALLY MOISTURE OR HUMIDITY)	MOMENTARY		MIDDLE INTERMEDIATE
N	USER'S CHOICE	USER'S CHOICE	USER'S CHOICE	USER'S CHOICE
O	USER'S CHOICE	ORIFICE, RESTRICTION		OPEN
P	PRESSURE, VACUUM	POINT (TEST) CONNECTION		
Q	QUANTITY OR HEAT DUTY	INTEGRATE, TOTALIZE		
R	RADIATION	RECORD		
S	SPEED, FREQUENCY	SAFETY	SWITCH	
T	TEMPERATURE		TRANSMIT	TRANSMIT
U	MULTIVARIABLE	MULTIFUNCTION	MULTIFUNCTION	MULTIFUNCTION
V	VIBRATION, MECHANICAL ANALYSIS		VALVE, DAMPER, LOUVER	
W	WEIGHT, FORCE	WELL		
X	UNCLASSIFIED	X AXIS	UNCLASSIFIED	UNCLASSIFIED
Y	EVENT, STATE OR PRESENCE	Y AXIS	RELAY, COMPUTE, CONVERT	
Z	POSITION, DIMENSION	Z AXIS	DRIVER, ACTUATOR, UNCLASSIFIED FINAL	



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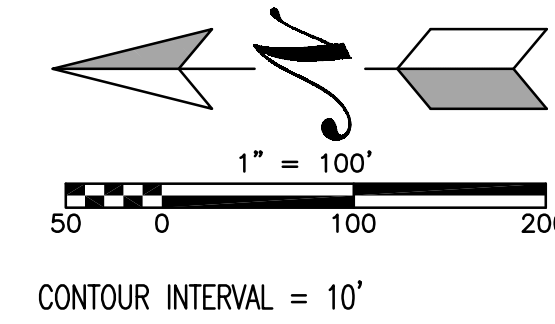
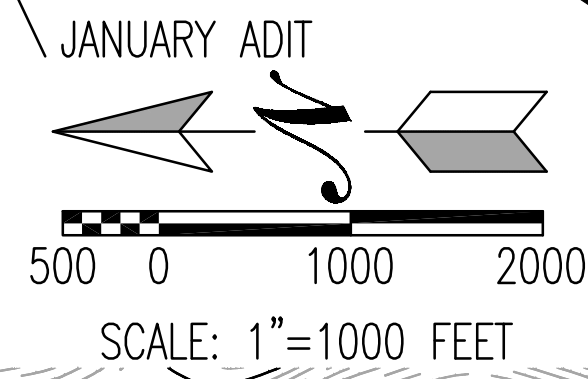
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## PROJECT OVERVIEW PLAN



EXISTING DIVERSION CHANNEL  
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EXISTING TAILING  
IMPOUNDMENT 2 & 4

EXISTING TAILINGS

TSF UNDERDRAIN  
COLLECTION POND  
(BY OTHERS)

PROPERTY LINE

EXISTING ELECTRIC  
POLE & PANEL

EXISTING UNDERGROUND  
ELECTRIC POWER LINE

DUAL CONTAINMENT  
3" HDPE FORCE MAIN  
TO EQUALIZATION TANK

# WATER TREATMENT PLANT

EQUIPMENT SLAB

3" HDPE FORCE MAIN  
TO EQUALIZATION TANK

EXISTING

JANUARY ADI

EXISTING  
WELL #1

SECTION LINE

— EXISTING WETLANDS

EXISTING 3" HDPE  
FORCE MAIN FOR  
EXPLORATION USE -  
TO BE ABANDONED  
IN PLACE OR  
REMOVED AS NEEDED


PROPERTY LINE

UNPAVED ACCESS

EXISTING OVERHEAD ELECTRIC POWER LINE

3" HDPE GRAVITY  
FRESH WATER LINE  
TO FRESH WATER TANK

4" HDPE  
TREATED WATER  
FOR MINE USE



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## WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM

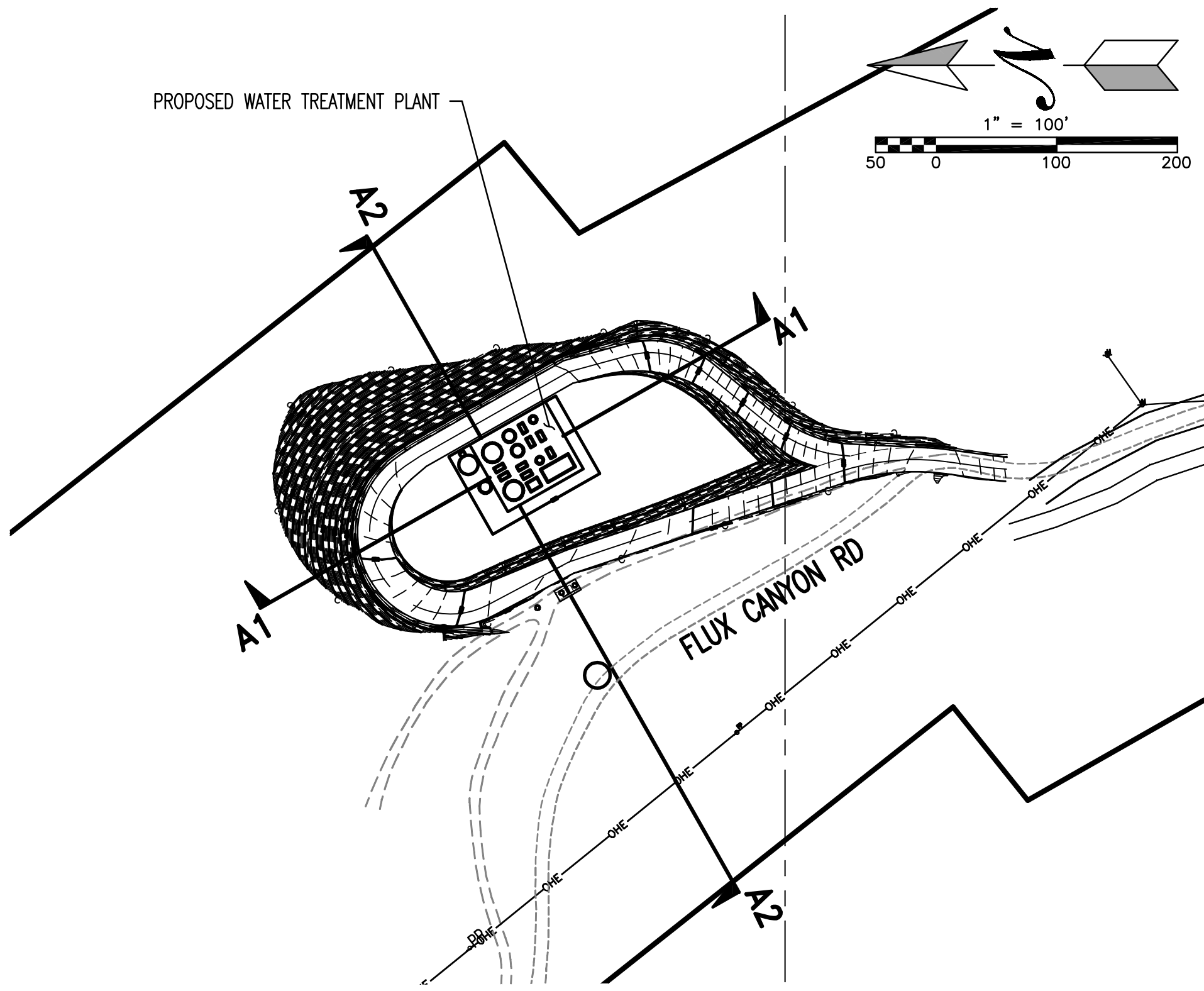
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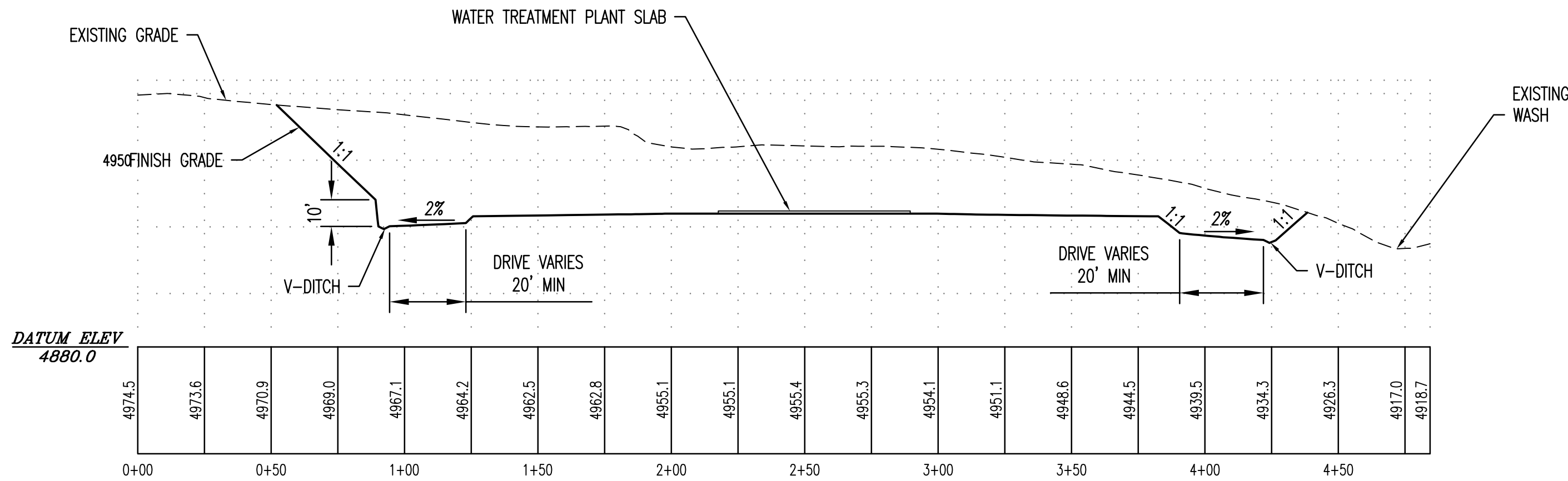
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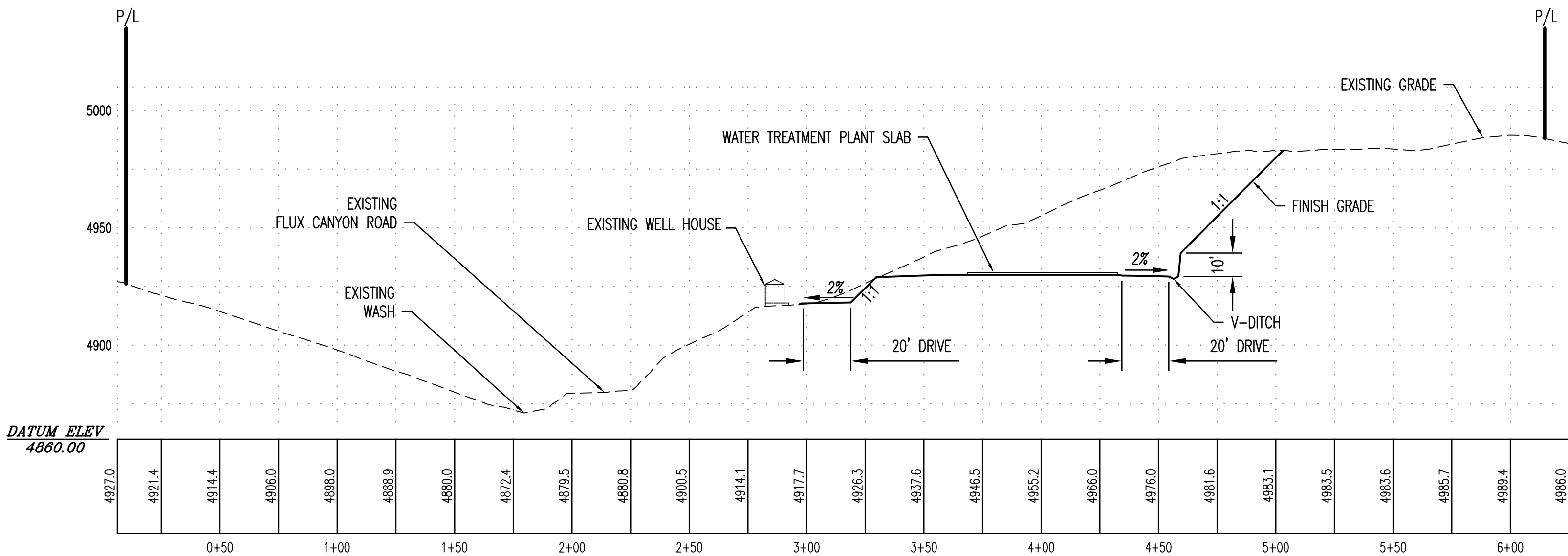


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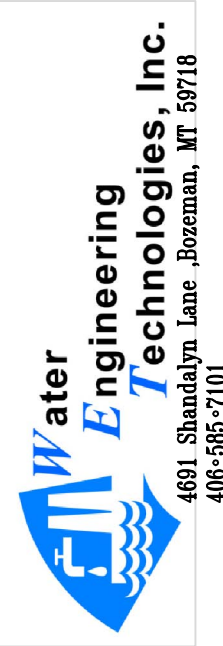
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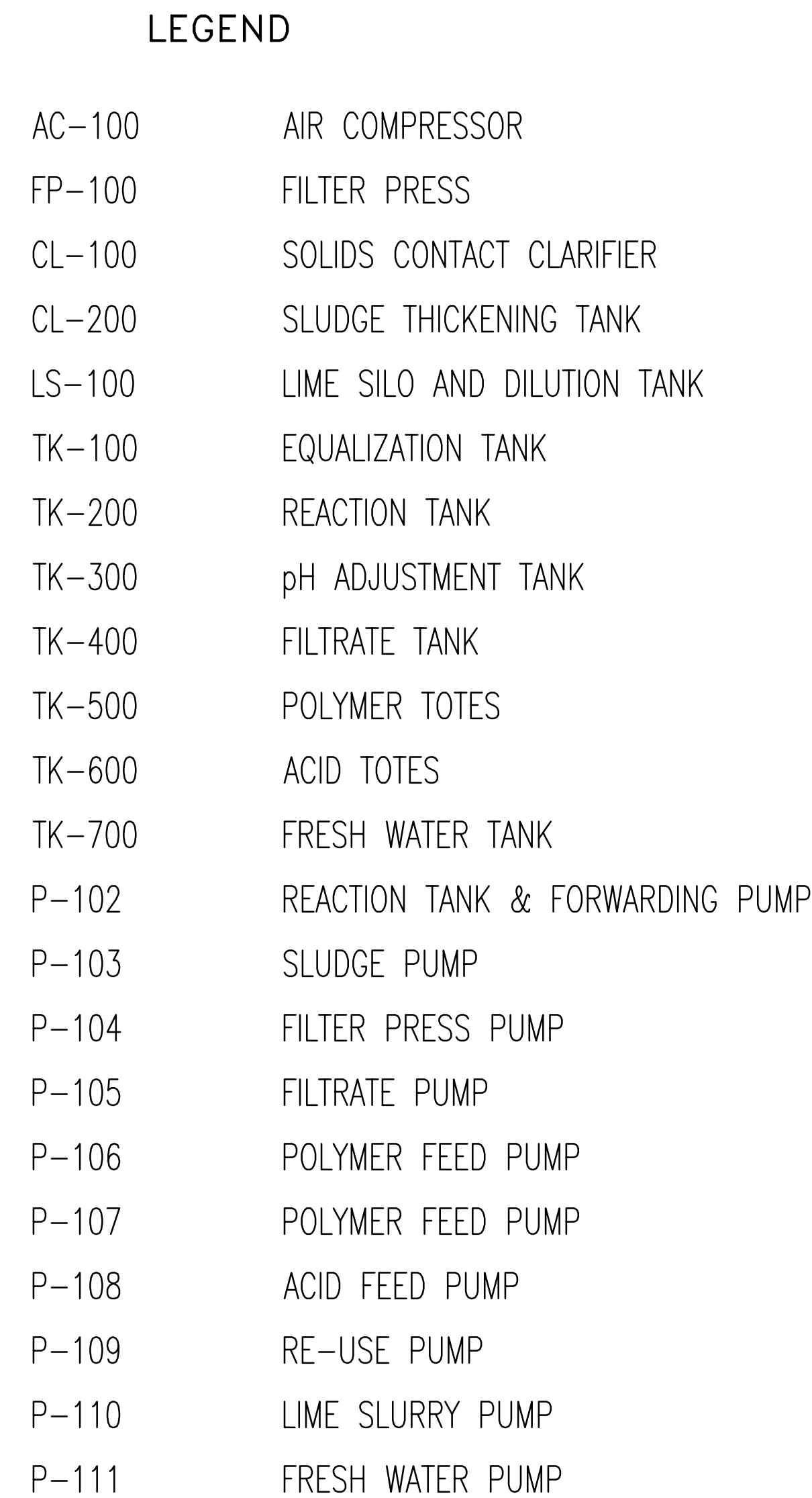
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# P-100A & P-100B MINE WATER PUMPS

CAPACITY: 60 GPM @ 150' TDH  
MOTOR: 5 HP, 3,460 RPM  
POWER: 460 V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL: SUBMERSIBLE  
TYPE: GRUNDFOS 62S50-9  
MODEL: GRUNDFOS  
MANUFACTURER: GRUNDFOS  
CONFIGURATION: OPERATING

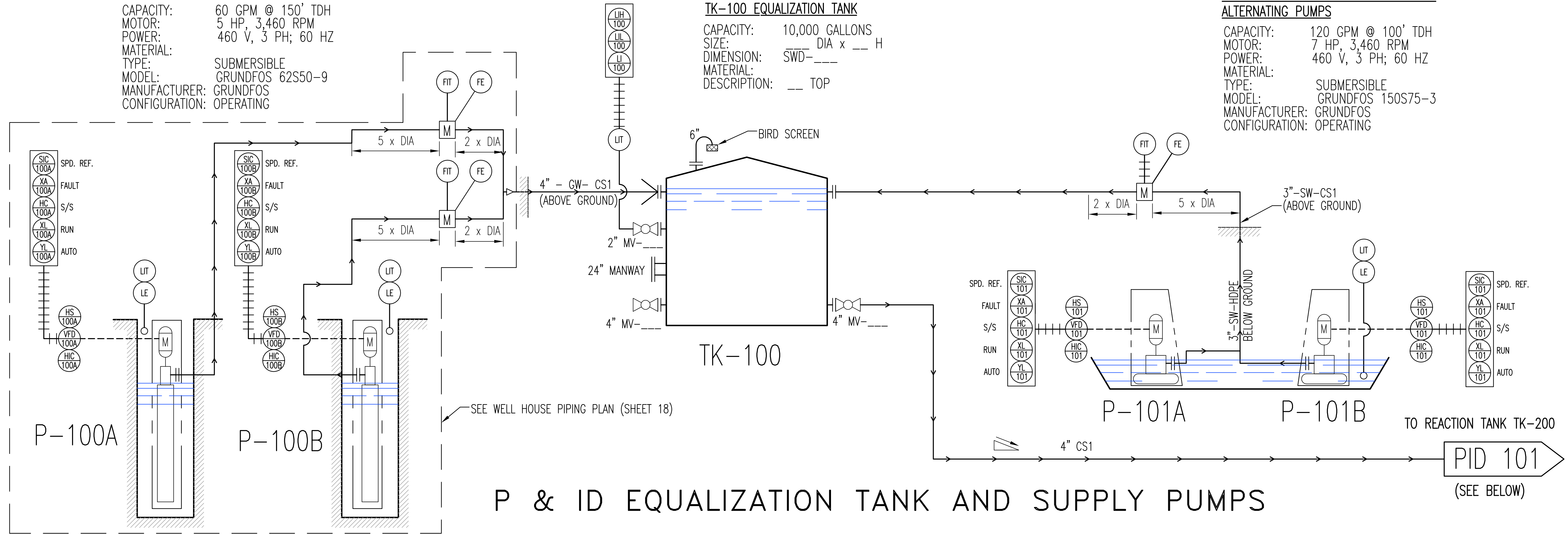
# TK-100 EQUALIZATION TANK

CAPACITY: 10,000 GALLONS  
SIZE: DIA x H  
DIMENSION: SWD-  
MATERIAL: TOP  
DESCRIPTION: TOP

# P-101A & P-101B UNDERDRAIN POND

## ALTERNATING PUMPS

CAPACITY: 120 GPM @ 100' TDH  
MOTOR: 7 HP, 3,460 RPM  
POWER: 460 V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL: SUBMERSIBLE  
TYPE: GRUNDFOS 150S75-3  
MODEL: GRUNDFOS  
MANUFACTURER: GRUNDFOS  
CONFIGURATION: OPERATING



## P & ID EQUALIZATION TANK AND SUPPLY PUMPS

# TK-200 REACTION TANK

CAPACITY: 4,500 GALLONS  
SIZE: DIA x H  
DIMENSION: SWD-  
MATERIAL: OPEN TOP  
DESCRIPTION: OPEN TOP

# A-100 REACTION TANK MIXER

MOTOR: HP, RPM  
POWER: V, 3PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL: SHAFT - 304SS  
MATERIAL: IMPELLER - 304SS  
TYPE MIXER: TOP MOUNTED  
OUTPUT SPEED: RPM  
MODEL:  
MANUFACTURER:

# P-102 REACTION TANK FORWARDING PUMP

CAPACITY: 145 GPM @ 25' TDH  
MOTOR: 1 HP, RPM  
POWER: 240 V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL:  
TYPE:  
MODEL:  
MANUFACTURER:  
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FROM LIME SYSTEM LS-100

FROM EQUALIZATION TANK TK-100  
(SEE ABOVE)

FROM FILTRATE PUMP P-105

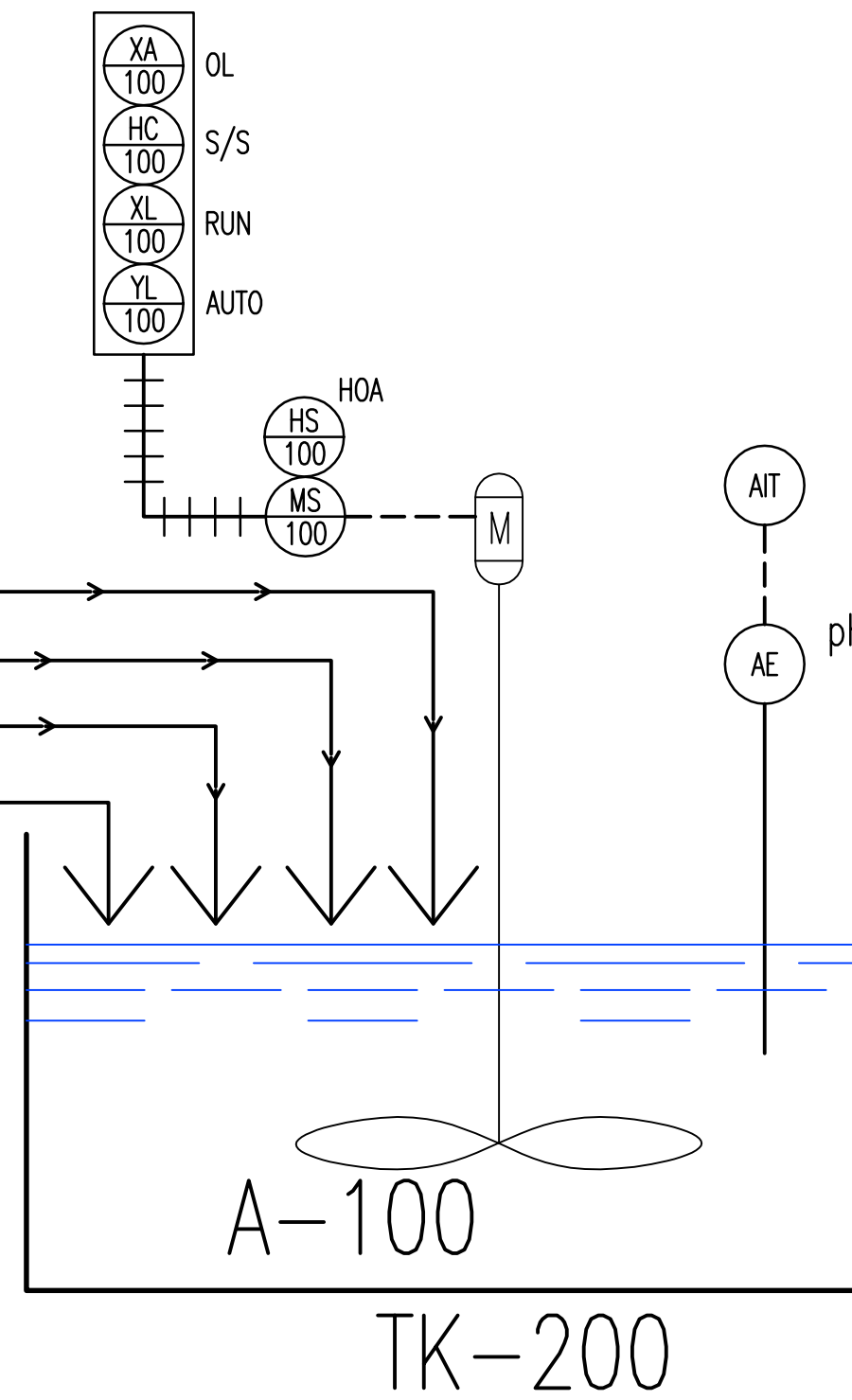
FROM SLUDGE PUMP P-103

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PID 104

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# CL-100 PACKAGE

SOLIDS CONTACT CLARIFIER  
DIAMETER: 14'  
TANK SIDE WALL DEPTH: 16'  
DESIGN FLOW RATE: 150 GPM

CLD-100  
RAKE MOTOR: 1 HP, 1,800 RPM  
RAKE POWER: 460 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ  
CLP-100  
IMPELLER MOTOR: 1 HP, 1 - 10 RPM  
IMPELLER POWER: 460 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ

## P-103 SLUDGE PUMP

CAPACITY: 25 GPM @ 25' TDH  
MOTOR: 1 HP, 1,800 RPM  
POWER: 240 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ  
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FROM POLYMER FEED PUMP P106

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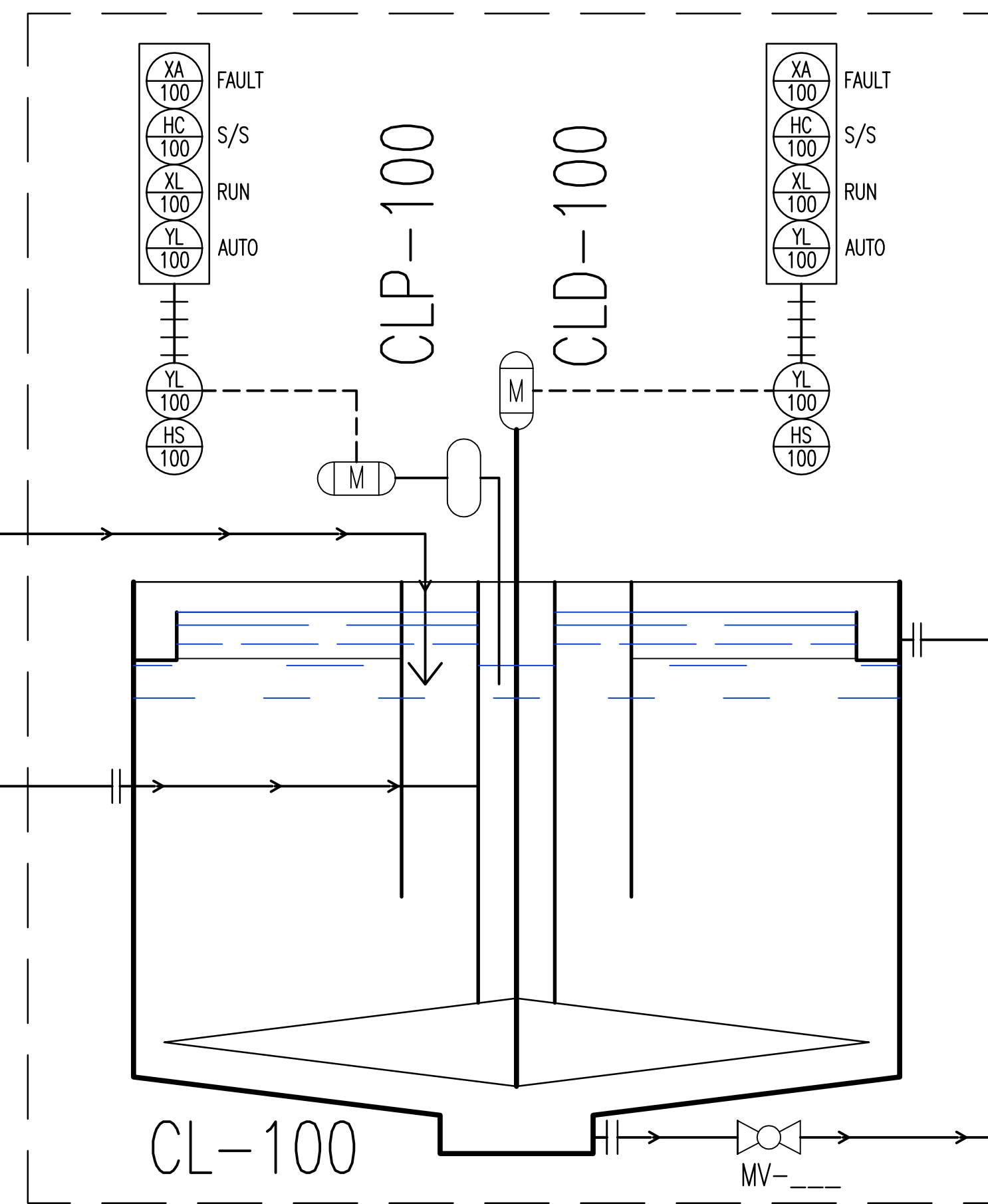
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FROM REACTION TANK FORWARDING PUMP P102

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3" PVC1

## CLARIFIER PACKAGE



## P & ID SOLIDS CONTACT CLARIFIER & SLUDGE PUMP

### A-200 pH ADJUSTMENT TANK MIXER

MOTOR: 1 HP, 1,800 RPM  
POWER: 240 V, 3PH, 60 HZ  
MATERIAL: SHAFT - 304SS  
MATERIAL: IMPELLER - 304SS  
TYPE MIXER: MOUNTED  
OUTPUT SPEED: 10 RPM  
MODEL:  
MANUFACTURER:

### TK-300 pH ADJUSTMENT TANK

CAPACITY: 2,000 GALLONS  
SIZE: 5' DIA x 5' H  
DIMENSION: SWD-5'  
MATERIAL:  
DESCRIPTION: OPEN TOP

### P-109 RE-USE PUMP

CAPACITY: 120 GPM @ 350' TDH  
MOTOR: 20 HP, 1,800 RPM  
POWER: 240 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ  
MATERIAL:  
TYPE:  
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FROM SULFURIC ACID FEED PUMP P-108

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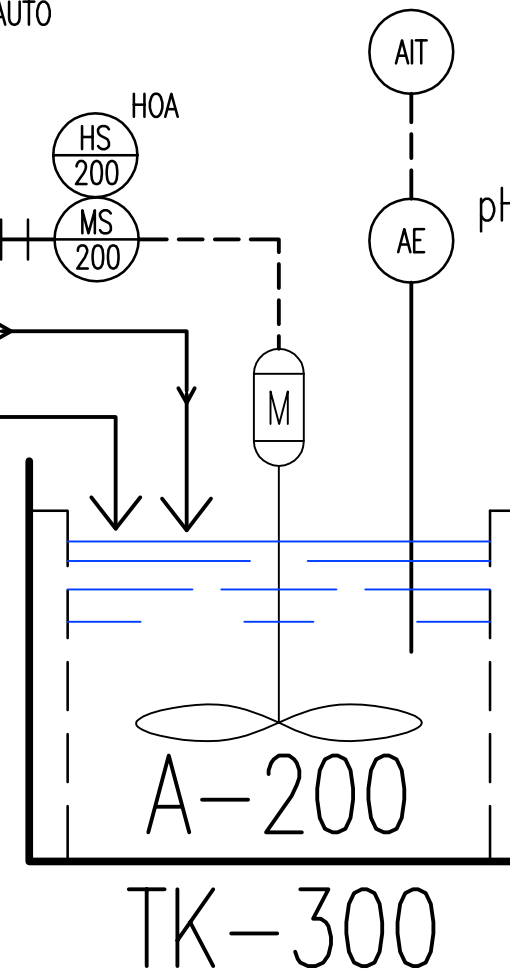
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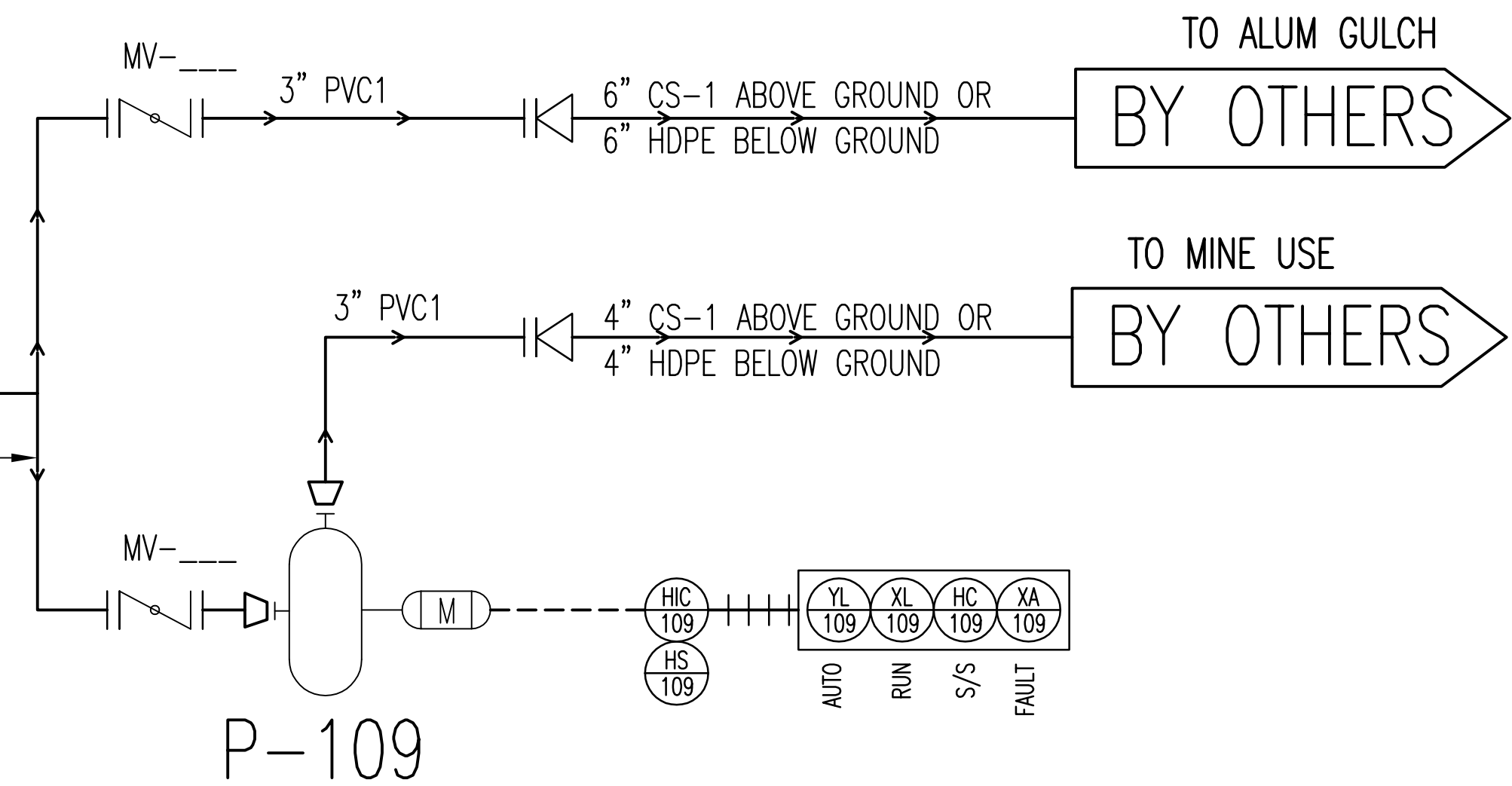
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QA 200  
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XL 200  
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S/S  
AUTO



## P & ID pH ADJUSTMENT TANK & RE-USE PUMP

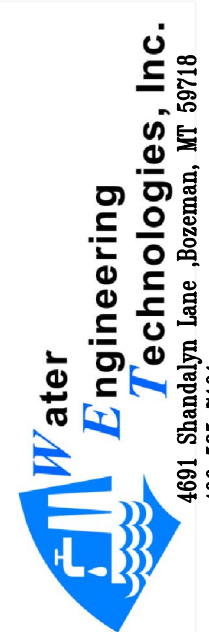


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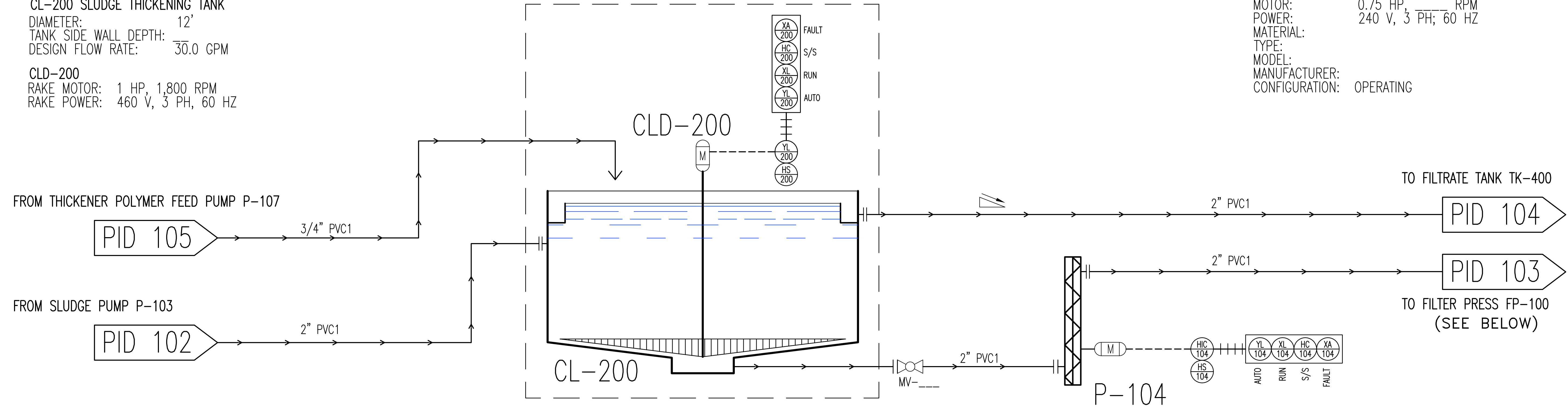


# CL-200 SLUDGE THICKENING TANK PACKAGE

CL-200 SLUDGE THICKENING TANK  
 DIAMETER: 12'  
 TANK SIDE WALL DEPTH: 30.0 GPM  
 DESIGN FLOW RATE: 30.0 GPM

CLD-200  
 RAKE MOTOR: 1 HP, 1,800 RPM  
 RAKE POWER: 460 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ

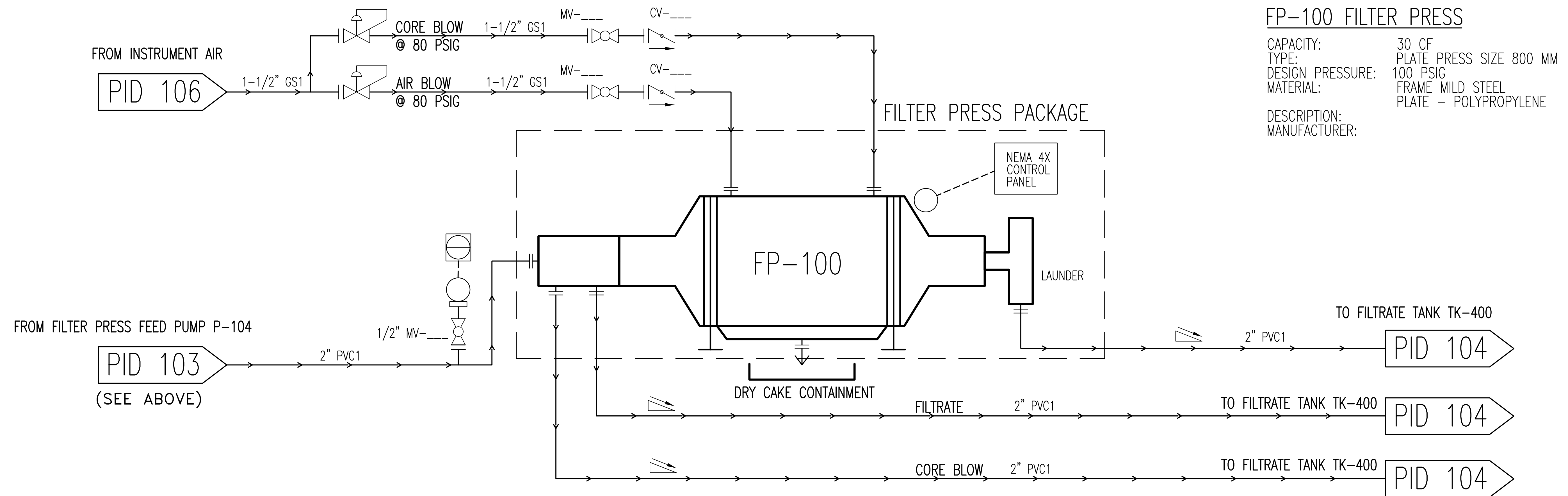
# SLUDGE THICKENING TANK PACKAGE



## P-104 FILTER PRESS FEED PUMP

CAPACITY: 45 GPM @ 100 PSI  
 MOTOR: 0.75 HP, 240 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ  
 POWER:  
 MATERIAL:  
 TYPE:  
 MODEL:  
 MANUFACTURER:  
 CONFIGURATION: OPERATING

## P & ID SLUDGE THICKENING TANK & FILTER PRESS FEED PUMP



## FP-100 FILTER PRESS

CAPACITY: 30 CF  
 TYPE: PLATE PRESS SIZE 800 MM  
 DESIGN PRESSURE: 100 PSIG  
 MATERIAL: FRAME MILD STEEL  
 PLATE - POLYPROPYLENE  
 DESCRIPTION:  
 MANUFACTURER:

## P & ID FILTER PRESS

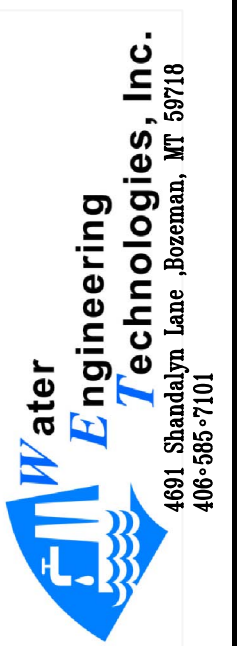
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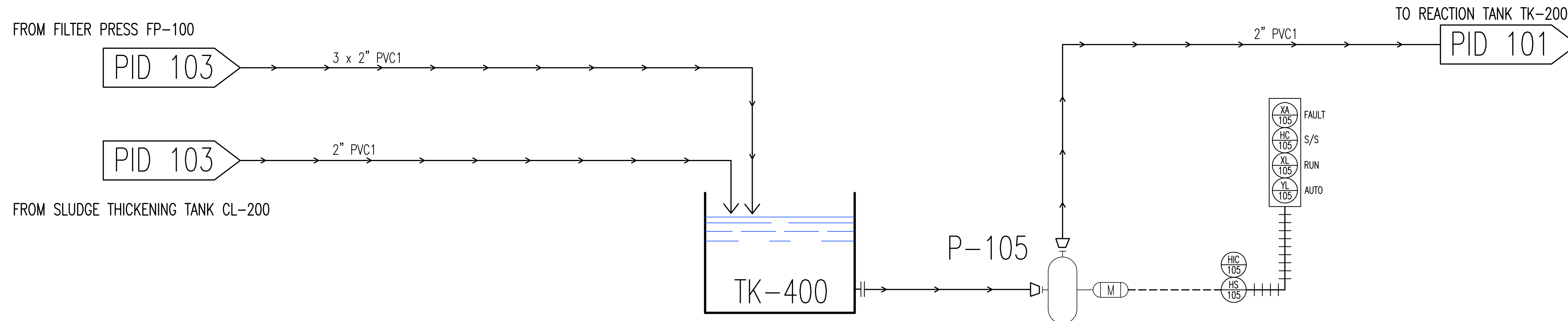
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### TK-400 FILTRATE TANK

CAPACITY: 900 GALLONS  
 SIZE: --- DIA x --- H  
 DIMENSION: --- SWD---  
 MATERIAL:  
 DESCRIPTION: OPEN TOP

### P-105 FILTRATE PUMP

CAPACITY: 15 GPM @ 25' TDH  
 MOTOR: 0.25 HP, --- RPM  
 POWER: 240 V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
 MATERIAL:  
 TYPE:  
 MODEL:  
 MANUFACTURER:  
 CONFIGURATION: OPERATING



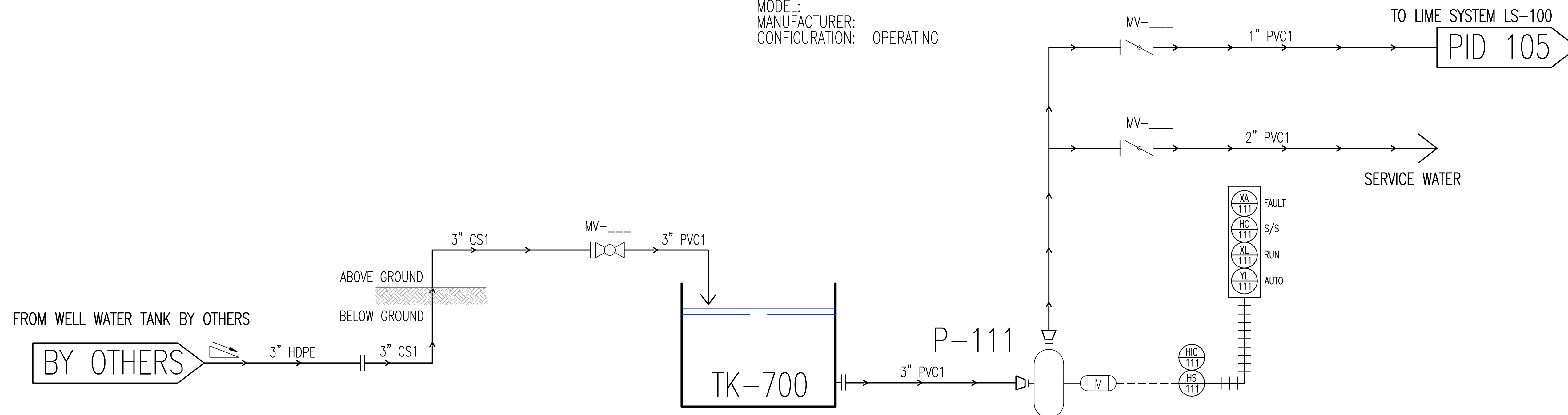
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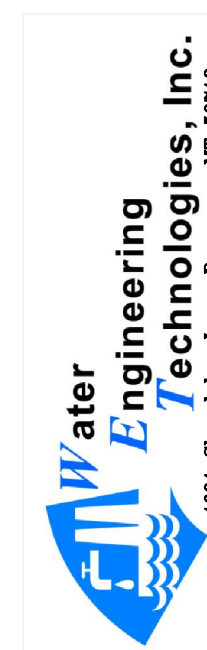
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 SIZE: --- DIA x --- H  
 DIMENSION: --- SWD---  
 MATERIAL:  
 DESCRIPTION: OPEN TOP

### P-111 FRESH WATER PUMP

CAPACITY: 10 GPM @ 20' TDH  
 MOTOR: 0.25 HP, --- RPM  
 POWER: 240 V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
 MATERIAL:  
 TYPE:  
 MODEL:  
 MANUFACTURER:  
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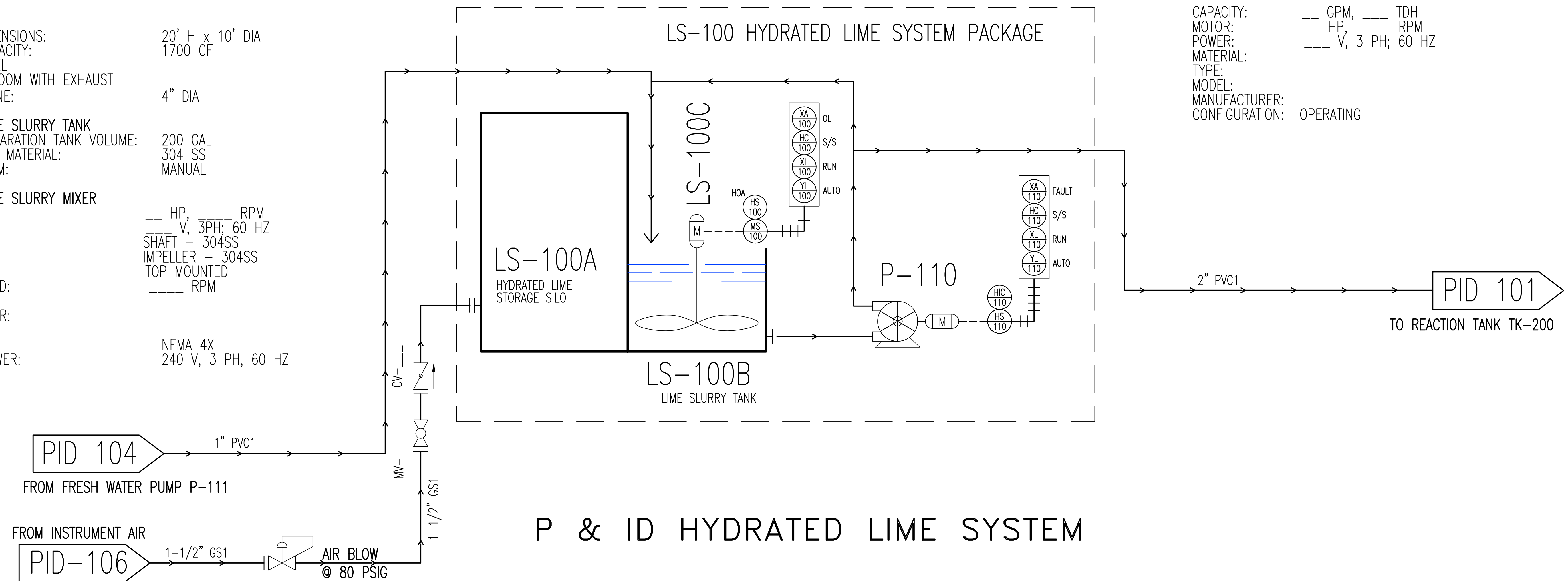
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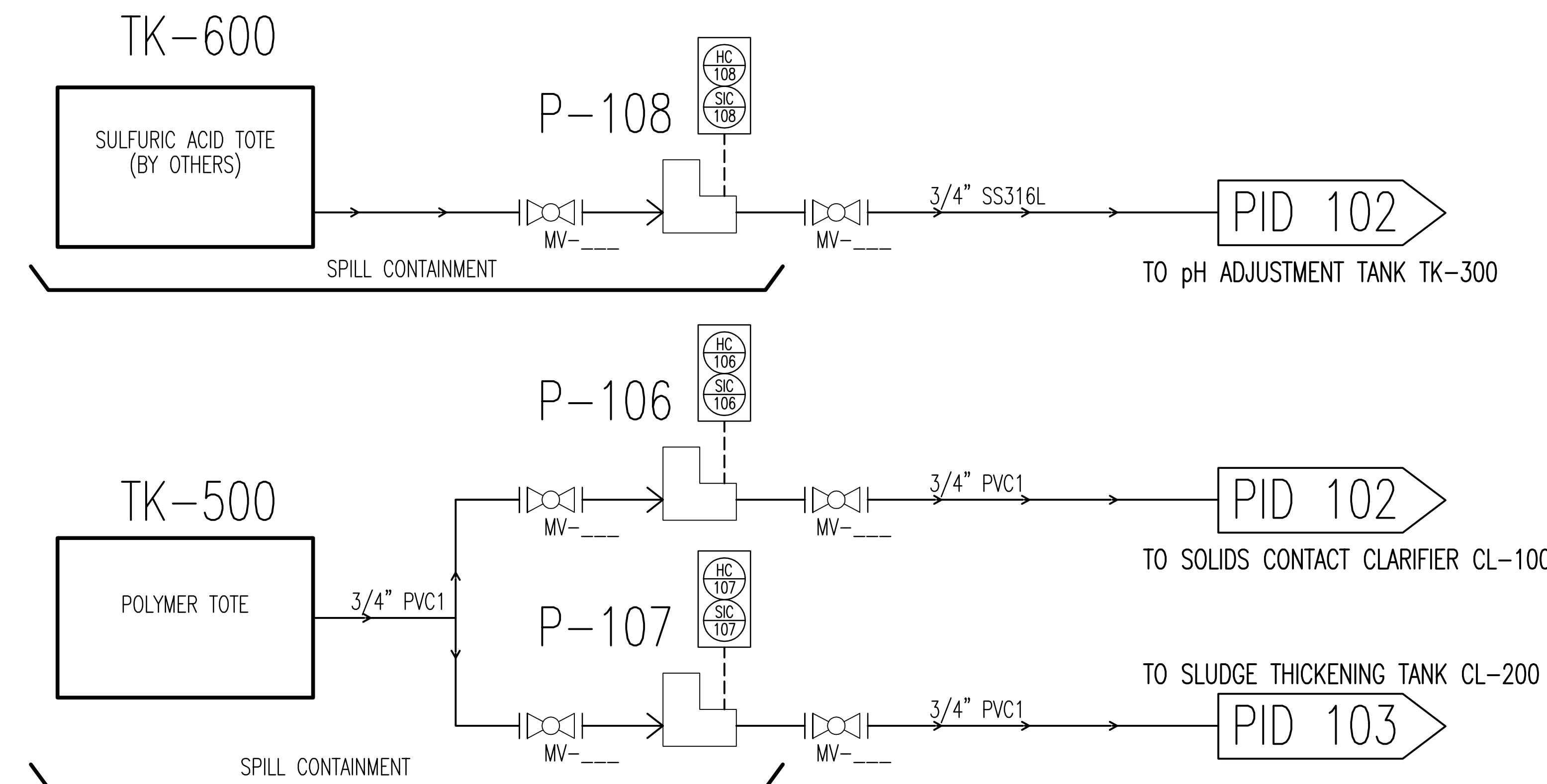
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**LS-100A**  
 OVERALL DIMENSIONS: 20' H x 10' DIA  
 STORAGE CAPACITY: 1700 CF  
 MATERIAL: STEEL  
 EQUIPMENT ROOM WITH EXHAUST  
 TRUCKFILL LINE: 4" DIA  
  
**LS-100B LIME SLURRY TANK**  
 SLURRY PREPARATION TANK VOLUME: 200 GAL  
 SLURRY TANK MATERIAL: 304 SS  
 FLUSH SYSTEM: MANUAL  
  
**LS-100C LIME SLURRY MIXER**  
 MOTOR: \_\_\_\_\_ HP, \_\_\_\_\_ RPM  
 POWER: \_\_\_\_\_ V, 3PH; 60 HZ  
 MATERIAL: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SHAFT - 304SS  
 IMPELLER - 304SS  
 TYPE MIXER: TOP MOUNTED  
 OUTPUT SPEED: \_\_\_\_\_ RPM  
 MODEL: \_\_\_\_\_  
 MANUFACTURER: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
 CONTROLS: NEMA 4X  
 CONTROL POWER: 240 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ



## P & ID HYDRATED LIME SYSTEM



## P & ID CHEMICAL FEED PUMPS

CAPACITY:            \_\_\_ GPM,    \_\_\_ TDH  
MOTOR:             \_\_\_ HP,    \_\_\_ RPM  
POWER:              \_\_\_ V, 3 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL:  
TYPE:  
MODEL:  
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CAPACITY:           \_\_\_ GPM,   \_\_\_ TDH  
MOTOR:             \_\_\_ HP,       \_\_\_ RPM  
POWER:             120 V, 1 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL:  
TYPE:  
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CAPACITY:            \_\_\_ GPM,    \_\_\_ TDH  
MOTOR:             \_\_\_ HP,        \_\_\_ RPM  
POWER:             120 V, 1 PH; 60 HZ  
MATERIAL:  
TYPE:  
MODEL:  
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CAPACITY:           \_\_\_ GPM, \_\_\_ TDH  
MOTOR:             \_\_\_ HP, \_\_\_ RPM  
POWER:             120 V, 1 PH; 60 HZ  
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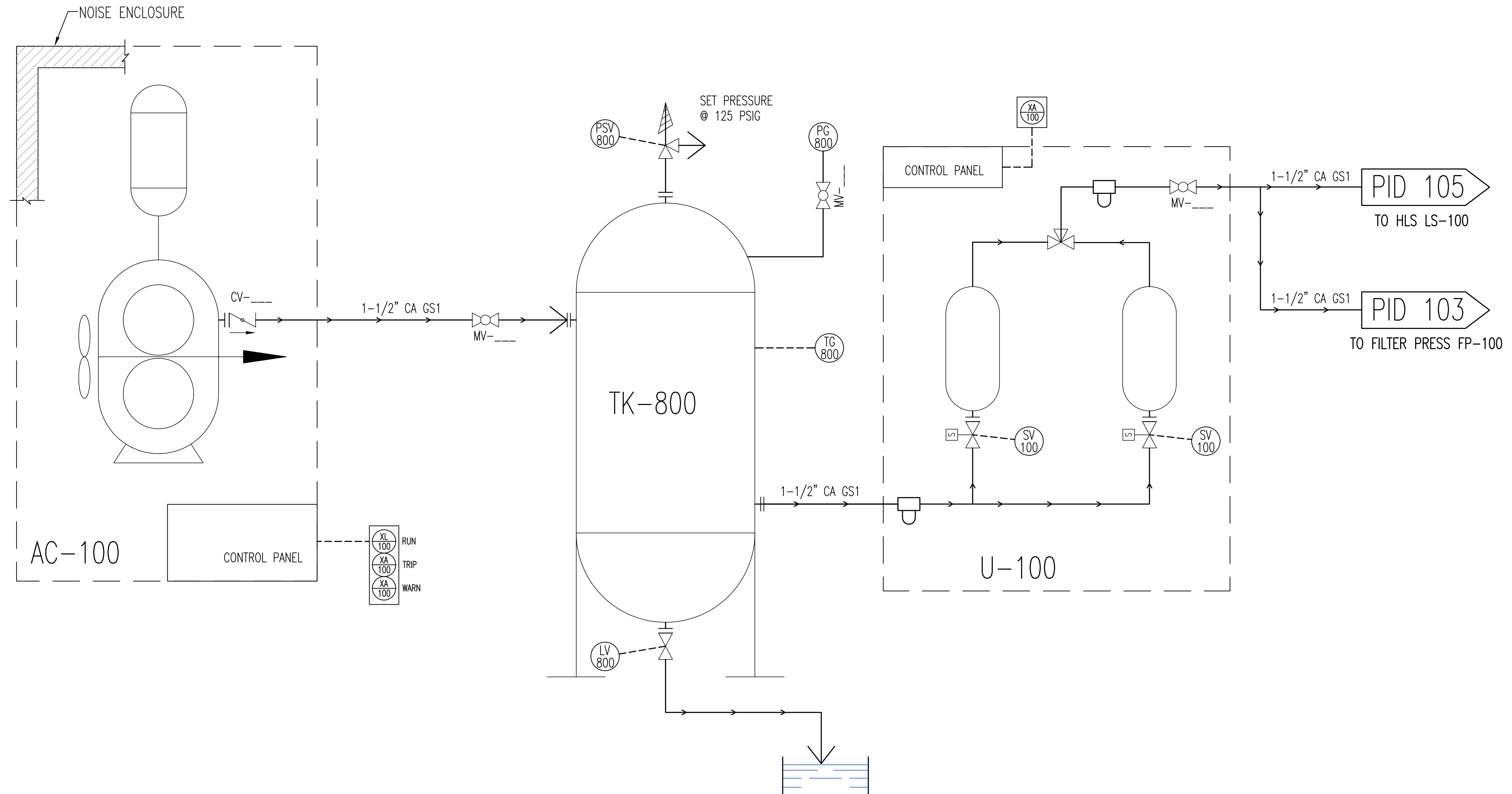




CAPACITY: 100 CFM @ 125 PSIG  
MOTOR: 4 HP  
POWER: 480 V, 3 PH, 60 HZ  
MATERIAL: CAST IRON  
TYPE: ROTARY SCREW AIR COOLED  
MANUFACTURER:  
MODEL:

CAPACITY: 250 GALLONS  
 SIZE: \_\_\_\_ DIA x \_\_\_\_ H  
 MATERIAL: CS  
 DESCRIPTION: ASME VESSEL

CAPACITY: 100 CFM  
 SIZE: \_\_\_\_\_ DIA x \_\_\_\_\_ H  
 TYPE: \_\_\_\_\_ HL DESICCANT DRYER  
 MANUFACTURER: \_\_\_\_\_  
 MODEL: \_\_\_\_\_

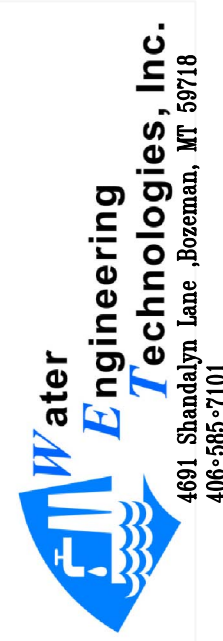


# P & ID AIR COMPRESSOR SYSTEM



MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT LIST

REV NO.	EQUIPMENT NO.	EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION	EQUIPMENT TYPE	DESIGN CAPACITY/MISC. INFO.	EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED BY	P&ID NO.	P&ID REV.	SPEC NUMBER	MODEL/SIZE/ MANUFACTURER	DESIGN PRESS. (psig)	DESIGN TEMP. (F)	MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION	PUMP DIFF. HEAD (ft)	MOTOR RATING HP/RPM	VFD	VOLT/PHASE/HZ	DIMENSIONS	WEIGHT (lbs)	TECHNICAL NOTES
A	P-100A, P-100B	MINE WATER PUMP	SUBMERSIBLE	60 GPM @ 150 FT TDH EACH	TBD	101	A	TBD	62SS0-9/5 HP/GRUNFOS	TBD	AMBIENT	304 SS	150	5/3460	YES	460/3/60	TBD	TBD	
A	TK-100	EQUALIZATION TANK	VERTICAL DOMED	10,000 GAL	TBD	101	A	TBD	15' DIA X 8'H	N/A	AMBIENT	STEEL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	
A	P-101	UNDERDRAIN POND PUMP	SUBMERSIBLE	120 GPM @ 100 FT TDH	TBD	101	A	TBD	150S73-3/7 HP/GRUNFOS	TBD	AMBIENT	304 SS	100	7/3460	YES	460/3/60	TBD	TBD	
A	TK-200	REACTION TANK	VERTICAL OPEN TOP	4,500 GAL	TBD	101	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	TBD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	
A	A-100	REACTION TANK MIXER	AGITATOR	N/A	TBD	101	A	TBD	14Q2/2 HP/LIGHTIN	N/A	AMBIENT	316 SS	N/A	2/1200	NO	230/3/60	SHAFT 2" x 68.5" 38" IMPELLER DIA	TBD	
A	P-102	REACTION TANK FORWARDING PUMP	HORIZONTAL CENTRIFUGAL	145 GPM @ 25 FT TDH	TBD	101	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	TBD	TBD	1/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
A	CL-100	SOLIDS CONTACT CLARIFIER	LIQUID/SOLIDS SEPARATION	150GPM	TBD	102	A	TBD	CONTACT CLARIFIER /14- FT/TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	304 SS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	
A	CLD-100	CLARIFIER RAKE DRIVE MOTOR	DIRECT COUPLED	500 FT-LBS @ 12 FPM	TBD	102	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	304 SS	N/A	1/1800	NO	460/3/60	TBD	N/A	INCLUDED IN CLARIFIER PACKAGE
A	CLP-100	CLARIFIER IMPELLER PUMP	IMPELLER PUMP	TBD	TBD	102	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	304SS	N/A	N/A	NO	480/3/60	TBD	N/A	INCLUDED IN CLARIFIER PACKAGE
A	P-103	SLUDGE PUMP	HORIZONTAL CENTRIFUGAL	25 GPM @ 25 FT TDH	TBD	102	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	304 SS	TBD	1/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
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A	A-200	pH ADJUSTMENT TANK MIXER	AGITATOR	N/A	TBD	102	A	TBD	X6Q150/1.5 HP/LIGHTIN	N/A	AMBIENT	316 SS	N/A	1.5/1725	NO	230/3/60	SHAFT 1" x 56" 19" IMPELLER DIA	TBD	
A	P-109	RE-USE PUMP	HORIZONTAL CENTRIFUGAL	120 GPM @ 350 FT TDH	TBD	102	A		TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	304 SS	TBD	20/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
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A	P-104	FILTER PRESS FEED PUMP	PROGRESSIVE CAVITY	45 GPM @ 100 PSI	TBD	103	A	TBD	TBD	100	AMBIENT	304 SS	TBD	0.75/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
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A	P-111	FRESH WATER PUMP	HORIZONTAL CENTRIFUGAL	10 GPM @ 20 FT TDH	TBD	104	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	TBD	TBD	0.25/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
A	LS-100	HYDRATED LIME SYSTEM	HYDRATED LIME SYSTEM	60 LB/HR	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	SEE INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	SEE COMPONENTS	TBD	
A	LS-100A	LIME SILO	STORAGE SILO	1700 CF	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	STEEL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20' H X 10' DIA	TBD	INCLUDED IN LIME SYSTEM
A	LS-100B	LIME SLURRY TANK	MIXING TANK	200 GAL	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	304SS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	INCLUDED IN LIME SYSTEM
A	LS-100C	LIME SLURRY MIXER	AGITATOR	N/A	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	N/A	AMBIENT	304 SS	N/A	2/TBD	NO	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	INCLUDED IN LIME SYSTEM
A	P-110	LIME SLURRY PUMP	PERISTALTIC	GPM @ 25 FT TDH	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	304 SS	TBD	TBD	YES	240/3/60	TBD	TBD	
A	TK-600	SULFURIC ACID TOTE	VERTICAL CLOSED TOP	~ 345 LBS/DAY	VENDOR	105	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	TBD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	
A	P-108	SULFURIC ACID FEED PUMP	DIAPHRAM METERING PUMP	1.5 GPH @ 50 PSIG	TBD	105	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	PVC	TBD	TBD	NO	120/1/60	TBD	TBD	> 92% SULFURIC ACID
A	TK-500	POLYMER TOTE	VERTICAL CLOSED TOP	~ 1.4 LBS/DAY	VENDOR	105	A	TBD	TBD	TBD	AMBIENT	TBD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	
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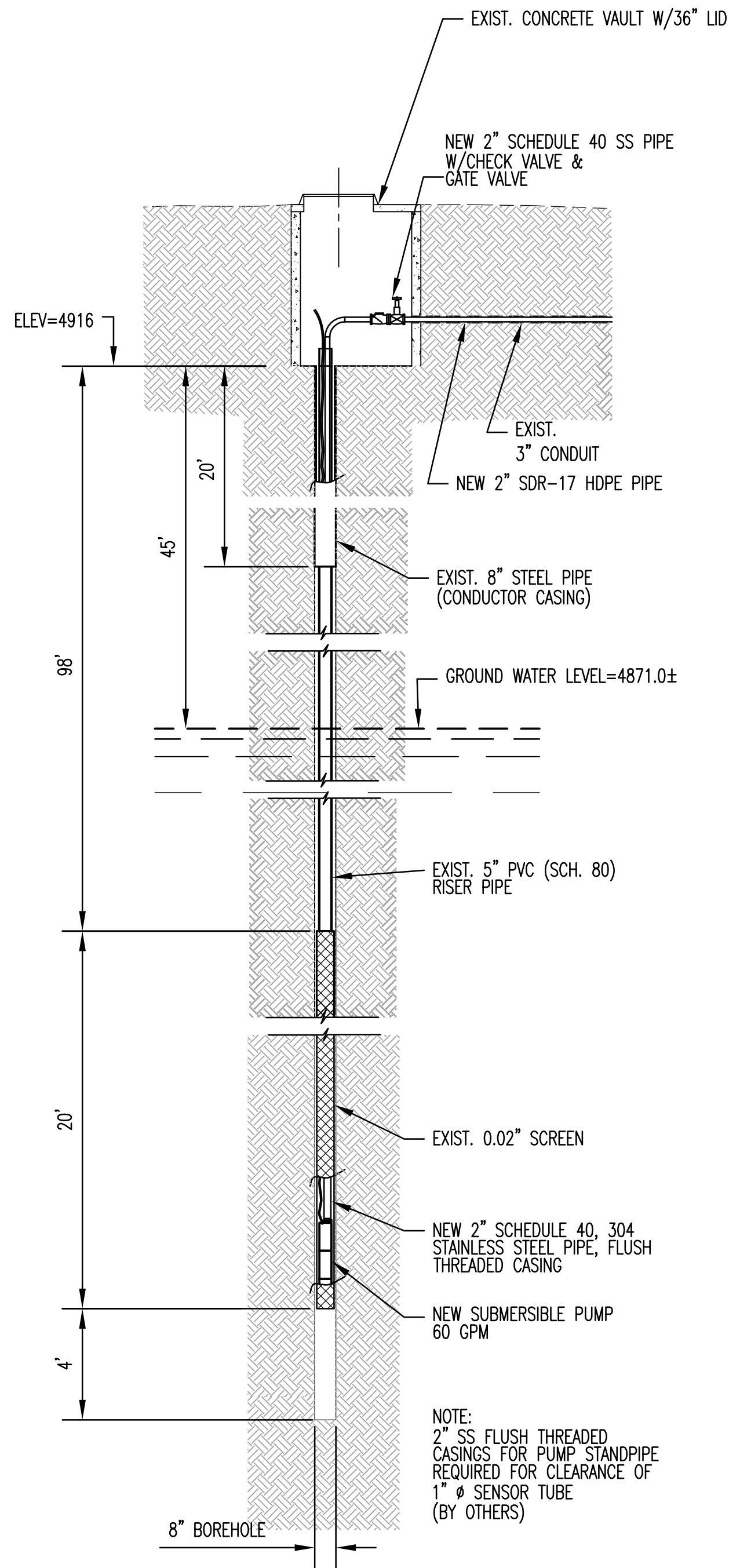
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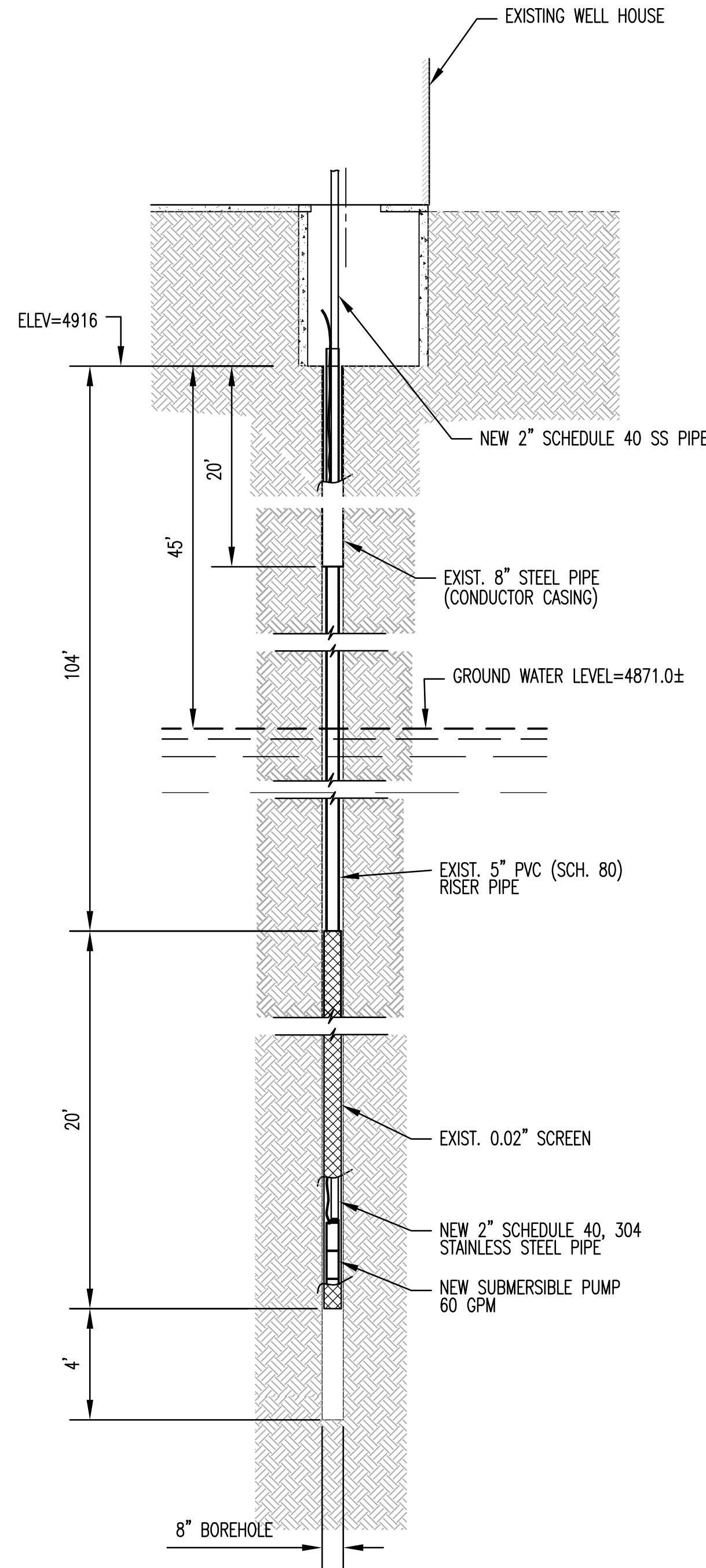
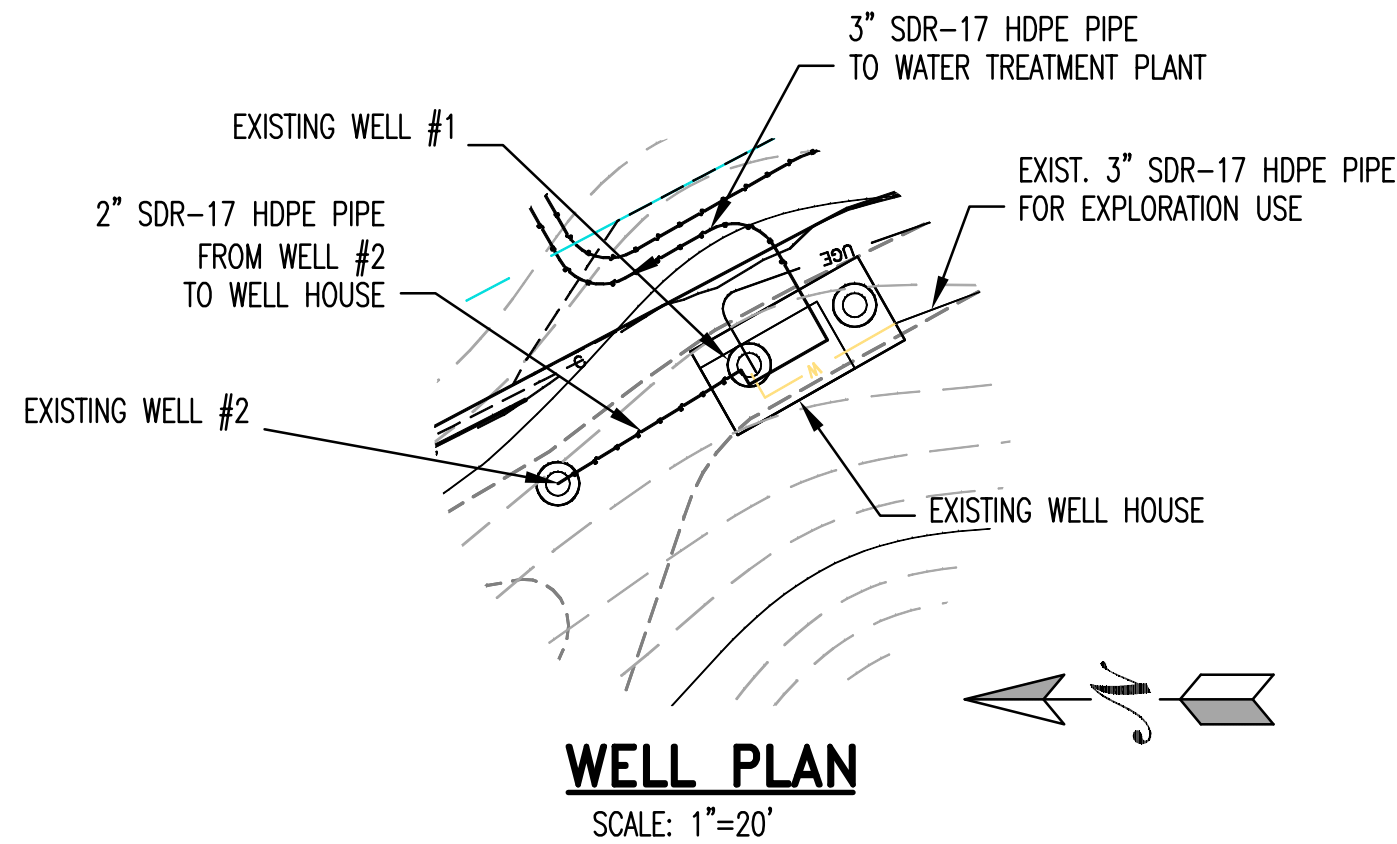






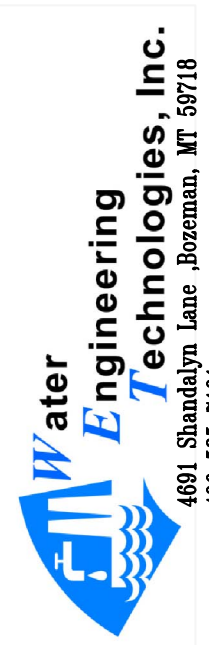
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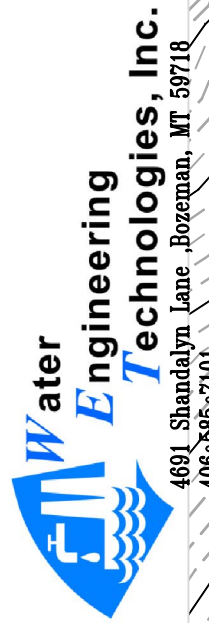
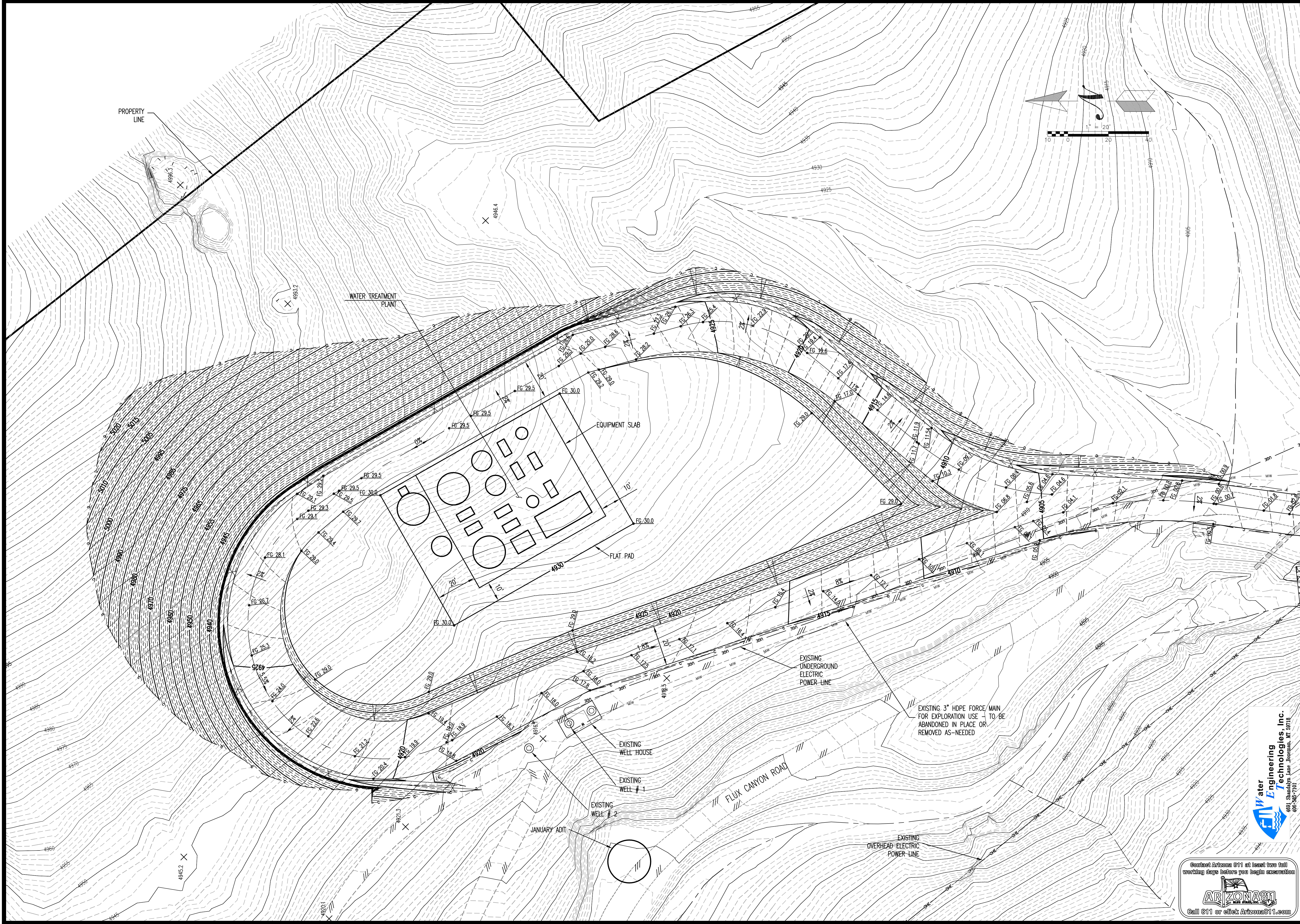


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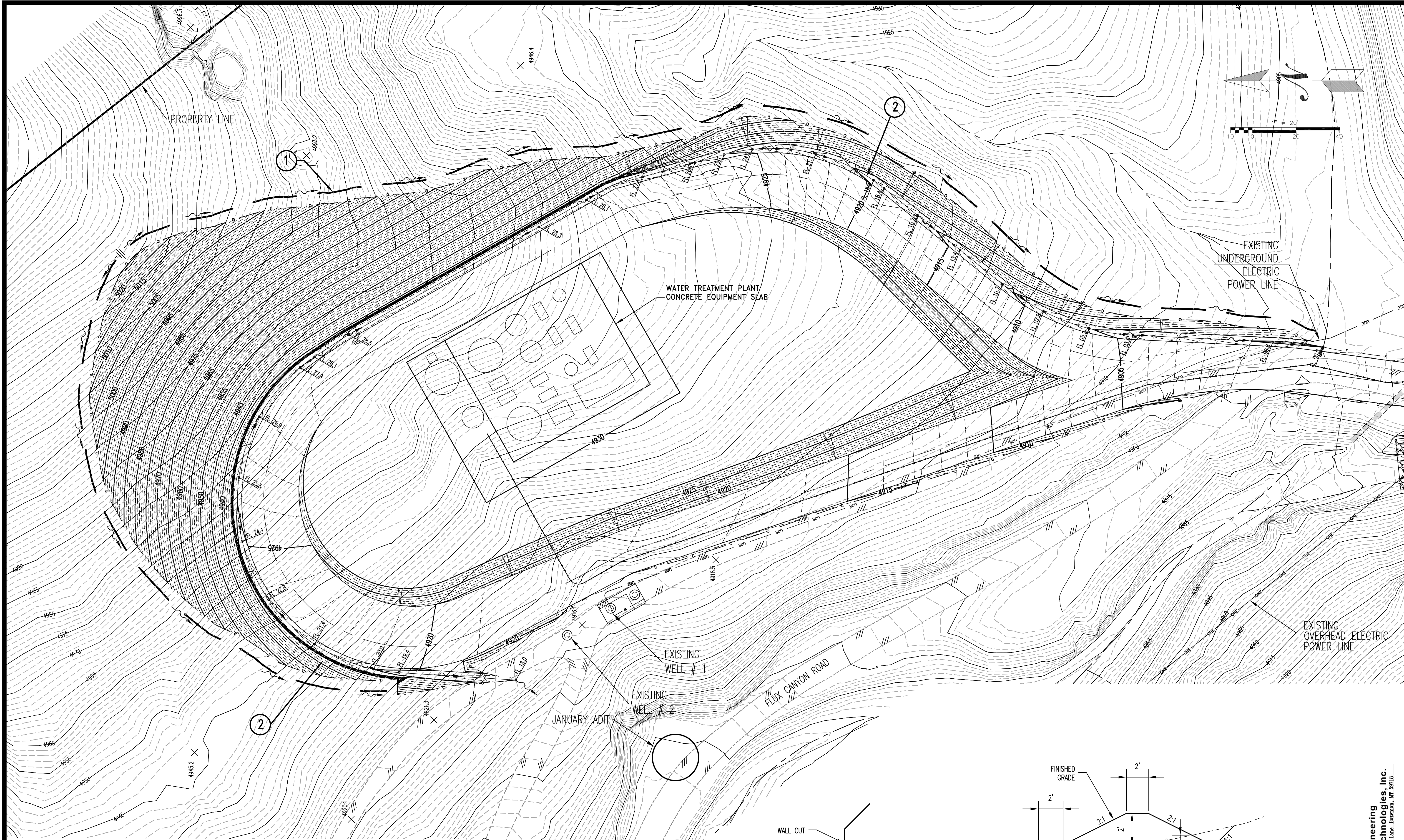


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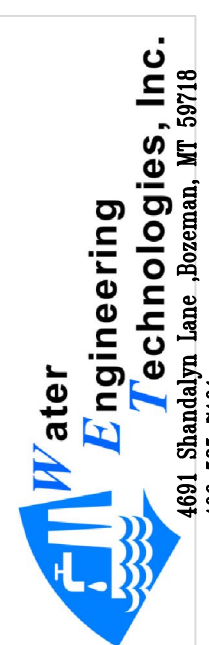
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**APPENDIX B**

**EQUIPMENT DATA SHEETS**

**EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET**

DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
PROJECT \_\_\_\_\_ Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

Equipment Type: Agitator

Item: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tag No. \_\_\_\_\_ Reaction Tank Mixer  
A-100

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Manufacturer	Lightin
Model	14Q2
Size	2 HP
Mounting	Overhead, center
RPM	1200 rpm
Design BHP	2 hp
Coupling Type	
Reaction Forces	
Vertical (Direction)	1100 lb
Bending Moment	15000 in-lb
Torsional	3150 in-lb
Drive:	
Reducer Model Number	
Reducer Ratio	14.06
AGMA Service Rating	
V-Belt Sheaves	
Drive	
Driven	
Electric Motor:	
Manufacturer	
HP	2 hp
RPM	1200 rpm
Volts	230
Cycle	60
Phase	3
Temperature Rise (°C over 40 °C ambient)	°C
Insulation Class	
Enclosure	TEFC
Frame Size	184TC
FLA	
Impeller:	
Quantity	1
Diameter	38 in
Type	A510E
Material	316 SS
Lining	
Speed	84 rpm
Shaft:	
Material	316 SS
Diameter	2 in
Length	68.5 in
Lining	
Static Runout of Shaft	in/ft
Shaft/Impeller will operate at % of the System Critical Frequency	
Seal Type	
Lining: List Rubber Specification Used	
Weight:	
Shipping	464 lb
Heaviest Item for Installation	464 lb
Heaviest Item for Maintenance	464 lb



**EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET**

DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
PROJECT Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

**Equipment Type:****Agitator**

Item: pH Adjustment Tank Mixer  
Tag No. A-200

Manufacturer	Lightin
Model	X6Q150
Size	1.5 HP
Mounting	Overhead, center
RPM	1725 rpm
Design BHP	1.5 hp
Coupling Type	
Reaction Forces	
Vertical (Direction)	510 lb
Bending Moment	8700 in-lb
Torsional	650 in-lb
Drive:	
Reducer Model Number	
Reducer Ratio	6
AGMA Service Rating	
V-Belt Sheaves	
Drive	
Driven	
Electric Motor:	
Manufacturer	
HP	1.5 hp
RPM	1725 rpm
Volts	230
Cycle	60
Phase	3
Temperature Rise (°C over 40 °C ambient)	°C
Insulation Class	
Enclosure	TFEC
Frame Size	
FLA	
Impeller:	
Quantity	1
Diameter	19 in
Type	A310
Material	316 SS
Lining	
Speed	280 rpm
Shaft:	
Material	316 SS
Diameter	1 in
Length	56 in
Lining	
Static Runout of Shaft	in/ft
Shaft/Impeller will operate at % of the System Critical Frequency	
Seal Type	
Lining: List Rubber Specification Used	
Weight:	
Shipping	216 lb
Heaviest Item for Installation	216 lb
Heaviest Item for Maintenance	216 lb

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE	10-Apr-17
PROJECT:	Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Solids Contact Clarifier

Item:	Mine water clarifier
Tag No.	CL-100

### FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Liquid/solids separator to remove suspended solids from water stream

### PROCESS DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

Design flow, gpm @ mg/l TSS	135gpm @ 1,200 mg/l
Pressure	ATM
Water temperature, °F	40-85

### GENERAL

Pumped Liquid	Water
Specific Gravity (SG)	1
pH	10.5

### PROCESS TANKS

Diameter, feet-inches	14-0
Tank side wall height, feet-inches	16-0
Tank side wall water depth, feet-inches	15-0
Design flow rate	135 gpm
Location of use	Inside

### EQUIPMENT ASSEMBLY

Bridge structures	Beam, mild steel
Bridge walkway type	Full-span, 42" wide
Rake arm type	Beam, 304LSS
Rake arm quantity	2
Tank type	Anchor channel, steel bottom, false bottom, 304SS
Tank bottom slope	0:12
Shell thickness, inches	0.25
Floor thickness, inches	0.25
Shipping weight, pounds	TBD
Design style	Shop assembled
Center Shaft diameter, inches	2, 304SS
Feedwell type	Cylindrical
Feedwell diameter, feet	3
Impeller diameter, feet	1
Number of launders	TBD
Inlet pipe diameter, inches	TBD

### DRIVE ASSEMBLY



Continuous Torque	2000 ft-lbs
Rake tip speed	12 fpm
Rake motor size, h.p.	1
Motors, RPM/VAC/ph/Hz	1800/460/3/60
Impeller motor size,h.p.	1
Impeller speed, RPM	1-11

## **INSTRUMENTATION**

Control Panel	NEMA 4X, 304SS
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## **SURFACE PREPARATION AND COATINGS**

Non-submerged coating, 1st, 2nd	Epoxy, Urethane
Drive, 1st, 2nd	Epoxy, Urethane

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE	10-Apr-17
PROJECT:	Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Thickening Tank

Item:	Thickening Tank
Tag No.	CL-200

### FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Liquid/solids separator to thicken suspended solids in clarifier sludge

### PROCESS DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

Design flow, gpm @ mg/l TSS	10 gpm @ 20,000 mg/l
Pressure	ATM
Water temperature, °F	40-85

### GENERAL

Pumped Liquid	Water
Specific Gravity (SG)	1
pH	10.5

### PROCESS TANKS

Diameter, feet-inches	12-0
Tank side wall height, feet-inches	10-0
Tank side wall water depth, feet-inches	9-0
Design flow rate	10 gpm
Location of use	Inside

### EQUIPMENT ASSEMBLY

Bridge structures	Half span
Bridge walkway type	Beam design
Rake arm type	Low-drag beam
Rake arm quantity	2
Tank type	Anchor channel, steel bottom, false bottom, 304SS
Tank bottom slope	0:12
Shell thickness, inches	0.25
Floor thickness, inches	0.25
Shipping weight, pounds	TBD
Design style	Shop assembled
Center Shaft diameter, inches	4"

### DRIVE ASSEMBLY

Continuous Torque	TBD
Rake tip speed	TBD
Rake motor size, h.p.	TBD
Motors, RPM/VAC/ph/Hz	TBD



## **INSTRUMENTATION**

Control Panel	NEMA 4X, 304SS
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## **SURFACE PREPARATION AND COATINGS**

Non-submerged coating, 1st, 2nd	<u>Epoxy, Urethane</u>
Drive, 1st, 2nd	<u>Epoxy, Urethane</u>

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE: 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

### EQUIPMENT TYPE Hydrated Lime System

Item: Lime System  
Tag No. LS-100

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#### Storage Silo

Material of Construction	<u>Steel</u>
Diameter x Overall Height	<u>12' x 32'</u>
Manway	
Size	<u>24"</u>
Location	<u>Roof</u>
Cone Bottom Angle	<u>          </u>
Discharge Nozzle Size	<u>          </u>
Bin Activator (Option)	<u>          </u>
Quantity	<u>1</u>
Manufacturer	<u>TBD</u>
Size	<u>1700 cf</u>
Model Number	<u>          </u>
Air Consumption	<u>          </u>
Electrical Requirement	<u>          </u>
Air Connection	<u>          </u>
Size	<u>          </u>
Type	<u>          </u>

#### Fill Pipe

Diameter	<u>4"</u>
Wall Thickness	<u>sch 40</u>
Material of Construction	<u>carbon steel</u>

#### Bin Vent Filter

Manufacturer	<u>          </u>
Size	<u>          </u>
Model Number	<u>          </u>
Area of Media	<u>          </u>
Media Material	<u>          </u>
Nominal Rating	<u>          </u> micron
Cleaning Device	<u>          </u>
Controls (Describe)	<u>          </u>
Electrical Enclosure	<u>          </u>

#### Feeder

Manufacturer/Model	<u>          </u>
Maximum Capacity	<u>          </u>
Minimum Capacity	<u>          </u>
Motor HP	<u>          </u>
SCR Drive Manufacturer	<u>          </u>

#### Slurry Tank

Capacity	<u>200 gal</u>
Diameter	<u>          </u>
Height	<u>          </u>
Materials of Construction	<u>304 SS</u>



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plant

EQUIPMENT TYPE Hydrated Lime System

Item: Lime System

Tag No. LS-100

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### Agitator

Manufacturer/Model \_\_\_\_\_

Motor 480V/3PH/60HZ

RPM \_\_\_\_\_

Motor HP 2

### Instrumentation

Level Probes \_\_\_\_\_

Flowmeters \_\_\_\_\_

Programmable Controller \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Pieces to Assemble \_\_\_\_\_

### Largest Component for:

Shipping \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Erection \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Maintenance \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Largest Piece for Shipping \_\_\_\_\_ ft x ft x ft

Number of Boxes Shipped \_\_\_\_\_

Total Shipping Volume \_\_\_\_\_

Total Shipping Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Heaviest Item Handled for Erection \_\_\_\_\_

Heaviest Item Handled for Maintenance \_\_\_\_\_

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Submersible Pump

Item: Mine Water Pump  
Tag No. P-100A, P-100B

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 50  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1  
pH 5.8  
Flow Rate, gpm 60  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 150

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 Stainless Steel  
Impeller 304 Stainless Steel  
Motor

### INSTALLATION

Pump outlet, " NPT 2

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 5  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 460  
Rated Speed, RPM 3460

### OTHERS

VFD P-100A yes



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Underdrain Pond Pump  
Tag No. P-101

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid TSF Underdrain Water and Stormwater  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.00  
pH 5.8 - 6.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 120  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 100

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 Stainless Steel  
Impeller 304 Stainless Steel  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Outside

Pump outlet, " NPT TBD

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 7  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 460  
Rated Speed, RPM 3460

### OTHERS

VFD Yes

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Reaction Tank Forwarding Pump  
Tag No. P-102

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.0  
pH 10.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 145.5  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 25

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 SS  
Impeller 304 SS  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT TBD

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 1  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Sludge Pump  
Tag No. P-103

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Clarifier sludge  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.02  
pH 10.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 26  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 25

### MATERIALS

Pump TBD  
Impeller TBD  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT TBD

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 1  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Progressive Cavity Pump

Item: Filter Press Feed Pump  
Tag No. P-104

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.1  
pH 10.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 45  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 45

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 SS  
Impeller 304 SS  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT TBD

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 0.75  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Filtrate Pump  
Tag No. P-105

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.0  
pH 10.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 15  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 25

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 SS  
Impeller 304 SS  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT 2

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 0.25  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizaon Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Chemical Feed Pump

Item: Sulfuric acid feed pump  
Tag No. P-108

### OPERATING REQUIREMENTS

#### Utility Requirements

Voltage, V 110  
Phase 1  
Frequency, Hz 60

#### Environment:

Indoor/outdoor Indoor  
Corrosive No

#### General Requirements

Pump 1 x 100%, each  
Flow rate, gph TBD  
Motor h.p./rpm TBD  
Speed control local/PLC  
Inlet/Outlet diameter, inches TBD  
Maturation tank N/A  
Valves TBD

#### Notes



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Re-use Pump  
Tag No. P-109

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.0  
pH 8.5  
Flow Rate, gpm 120  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 350

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 SS  
Impeller 304 SS  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT TBD

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 20  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Pla

**EQUIPMENT TYPE** Horizontal Centrifugal Pump

Item: Fresh Water Pump  
Tag No. P-111

### OPERATING DATA

Pumped Liquid Water  
Liquid Temperature, °F 40-85  
Specific Gravity (SG) 1.0  
pH 7  
Flow Rate, gpm 10  
Total Dynamic Head, feet 20

### MATERIALS

Pump 304 SS  
Impeller 304 SS  
Motor

**INSTALLATION** Inside

Pump outlet, " NPT 2

### ELECTRICAL DATA

Rated Power, HP 0.25  
Frequency, Hz 60  
Phase 3  
Voltage, V 240  
Rated Speed, RPM TBD

### OTHERS



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Carbon Steel Storage Tank

Item:

Equalization Tank

Tag No.

TK-100

### FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Mixing and equalization of mine water and Underdrain Pond water

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Location, Inside/outside

Outside

Tank life, years

20

Standard design guidelines

AWWA, NSF

### FLUID PARAMETERS

Fluid Description

Water

Specific Gravity

1

Fluid Temperature Range, °F

40-90

pH

5.8-6.5

Solids Content

N/A

Particle Size

N/A

### TANK PARAMETERS

Diameter, feet-inches

9-0

Height, feet-inches

20-0

Nominal Volume, gallons

10,000

Working Volume, gallons

10,000

Material of Construction

carbon steel, bolted or welded

Bottom Option

Flat bottom

Minimum Thickness:

Shell

Bottom

Baffles

None

Foundation to be Provided

By Owner

Exterior Paint

Epoxy coated

### FLANGE OPENINGS

Inlet diameter, inches

4

Inlet diameter, inches

Probe diameter, inches

TBD

Outlet diameter, inches

4

Outlet diameter, inches

4

Drain diameter, inches

4

Overflow diameter, inches

4

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

#### Reaction Tank

Item: Reaction Tank  
Tag No. TK-200

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Location, Inside/outside Inside  
Tank life, years 20

### FLUID PARAMETERS

Fluid Description Water  
Specific Gravity 1  
Fluid Temperature Range, °F 40-85  
pH 10.5  
Solids Content  
Particle Size

### TANK PARAMETERS

Diameter, feet-inches 12-0  
Height, feet-inches 6-0  
Nominal Volume, gallons 4,500  
Working Volume, gallons 4,500  
Material of Construction High Density Polyethylene  
Corrosion Allowance  
Minimum Thickness:  
    Shell  
    Bottom  
    Roof  
Roof Open top  
Bottom Flat  
Upcomers N/A  
Baffles Three  
Foundation to be Provided By others  
Exterior Paint NA

### FLANGE OPENINGS

Inlet diameter, inches  
Inlet diameter, inches N/A  
Manhole diameter, inches N/A  
Probe diameter, inches N/A  
Outlet diameter, inches 4  
Outlet diameter, inches  
Drain diameter, inches 4  
Overflow diameter, inches 4  
Vent diameter, inches

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

pH Adjustment Tank

Item:

pH Adjustment Tank

Tag No.

TK-300

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Location, Inside/outside

Inside

Tank life, years

20

### FLUID PARAMETERS

Fluid Description

Water

Specific Gravity

1

Fluid Temperature Range, °F

40-85

pH

8.5

Solids Content

Particle Size

### TANK PARAMETERS

Diameter, feet-inches

8-0

Height, feet-inches

5-7

Nominal Volume, gallons

2,000

Working Volume, gallons

2,000

Material of Construction

High Density Polyethylene

Corrosion Allowance

Minimum Thickness:

Shell

Bottom

Roof

Roof

Open top

Bottom

Flat

Upcomers

N/A

Baffles

None

Foundation to be Provided

By others

Exterior Paint

NA

### FLANGE OPENINGS

Inlet diameter, inches

N/A

Inlet diameter, inches

N/A

Manhole diameter, inches

N/A

Probe diameter, inches

N/A

Outlet diameter, inches

2

Outlet diameter, inches

2

Drain diameter, inches

2

Overflow diameter, inches

2

Vent diameter, inches



## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Filtrate Tank

Item:  
Tag No.

Filtrate Tank  
TK-400

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Location, Inside/outside  
Tank life, years

Inside  
20

### FLUID PARAMETERS

Fluid Description  
Specific Gravity  
Fluid Temperature Range, °F  
pH  
Solids Content  
Particle Size

Water  
1  
40-85  
10.5

### TANK PARAMETERS

Diameter, feet-inches  
Height, feet-inches  
Nominal Volume, gallons  
Working Volume, gallons  
Material of Construction  
Corrosion Allowance  
Minimum Thickness:  
    Shell  
    Bottom  
    Roof  
Roof  
Bottom  
Upcomers  
Baffles  
Foundation to be Provided  
Exterior Paint

5-4  
6-0  
900  
900  
High Density Polyethylene  
  
  
  
Open top  
Flat  
N/A  
None  
By others  
NA

### FLANGE OPENINGS

Inlet diameter, inches  
Inlet diameter, inches  
Manhole diameter, inches  
Probe diameter, inches  
Outlet diameter, inches  
Outlet diameter, inches  
Drain diameter, inches  
Overflow diameter, inches  
Vent diameter, inches

N/A  
N/A  
N/A  
2  
  
2  
2

## EQUIPMENT DATA SHEET

DATE 10-Apr-17  
PROJECT: Arizona Minerals Inc Water Treatment Plan

### EQUIPMENT TYPE

Water Tank

Item:  
Tag No.

Fresh Water Tank  
TK-700

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Location, Inside/outside  
Tank life, years

Inside  
20

### FLUID PARAMETERS

Fluid Description  
Specific Gravity  
Fluid Temperature Range, °F  
pH  
Solids Content  
Particle Size

Water  
1  
40-85  
7

### TANK PARAMETERS

Diameter, feet-inches  
Height, feet-inches  
Nominal Volume, gallons  
Working Volume, gallons  
Material of Construction  
Corrosion Allowance  
Minimum Thickness:  
    Shell  
    Bottom  
    Roof  
Roof  
Bottom  
Upcomers  
Baffles  
Foundation to be Provided  
Exterior Paint

8-0  
5-7  
2,000  
2,000  
High Density Polyethylene  
  
  
  
Open top  
Flat  
N/A  
None  
By others  
NA

### FLANGE OPENINGS

Inlet diameter, inches  
Inlet diameter, inches  
Manhole diameter, inches  
Probe diameter, inches  
Outlet diameter, inches  
Outlet diameter, inches  
Drain diameter, inches  
Overflow diameter, inches  
Vent diameter, inches

N/A  
N/A  
N/A  
2  
2  
2

## **ATTACHMENT D**





**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**LOS ANGELES DISTRICT, U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**  
**3636 N. CENTRAL AVE, SUITE 900**  
**PHOENIX, AZ 85012-1939**

October 13, 2016

Tom Klimas  
WestLand Resources, Inc.  
1750 South Woodlands Village Blvd.  
Flagstaff, Arizona 86001

**SUBJECT: Approved Jurisdictional Determination Regarding Geographic Jurisdiction**

Dear Mr. Klimas:

I am responding to your request (File No. SPL-2016-00752-MWL) dated June 10, 2016, for an approved Department of the Army jurisdictional determination (JD) for the January Adit Passive Treatment System project site (Sections 4 and 5, Township 23 South, Range 16 East) located southeast of the Town of Patagonia, Santa Cruz County, Arizona.

Based on available information, I have determined waters of the United States do not occur on the project site. The basis for our determination can be found in the enclosed Approved Jurisdictional Determination (JD) form(s).

This letter includes an approved jurisdictional determination for the January Adit Passive Treatment System project site. If you wish to submit new information regarding this jurisdictional determination, please do so within 60 days. We will consider any new information so submitted and respond within 60 days by either revising the prior determination, if appropriate, or reissuing the prior determination. If you object to this or any revised or reissued jurisdictional determination, you may request an administrative appeal under Corps regulations at 33 CFR Part 331. Enclosed you will find a Notification of Appeal Process (NAP) fact sheet and Request for Appeal (RFA) form. If you wish to appeal this decision, you must submit a completed RFA form within 60 days of the date on the NAP to the Corps South Pacific Division Office at the following address:

Tom Cavanaugh  
Administrative Appeal Review Officer  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
South Pacific Division, CESPD-PDS-O, 2042B  
1455 Market Street  
San Francisco, California 94103-1399

In order for an RFA to be accepted by the Corps, the Corps must determine that it is complete, that it meets the criteria for appeal under 33 CFR Part 331.5 (see below), and that it has been received by the Division Office by December 12, 2016.

This determination has been conducted to identify the extent of the Corps' Clean Water Act jurisdiction on the particular project site identified in your request, and is valid for five years from the date of this letter, unless new information warrants revision of the determination before the expiration date. This determination may not be valid for the wetland conservation provisions of the Food Security Act of 1985. If you or your tenant are USDA program participants, or anticipate participation in USDA programs, you should request a certified wetland determination from the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service prior to starting work.

Thank you for participating in the regulatory program. If you have any questions, please contact me at 602-230-6953 or via e-mail at Michael.W.Langley@usace.army.mil. Please help me to evaluate and improve the regulatory experience for others by completing the customer survey form at [http://corpsmapu.usace.army.mil/cm\\_apex/f?p=regulatory\\_survey](http://corpsmapu.usace.army.mil/cm_apex/f?p=regulatory_survey).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sallie Diebolt". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sallie Diebolt  
Chief, Arizona Branch  
Regulatory Division

Enclosure(s)

## **ATTACHMENT E**



## Attachment E

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## **ATTACHMENT F**

**NOTICE OF 45-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD  
ASARCO JANUARY ADIT (NORTON MINE)  
VOLUNTARY REMEDIATION PROGRAM (VRP) SITE  
REMEDIAL ACTION WORK PLAN**

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has received a work plan for remedial actions to be conducted at the ASARCO January Adit (Norton Mine) VRP Site (VRP Site Code 505143-02). The Work Plan was submitted in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §49-175 and §176. The Work Plan will address mine influenced water discharges from the January Mine Adit and seepage from historic tailing piles at the Trench Camp, Norton, and January Mine properties. This will be achieved through the following elements that are described in the Work Plan:

- An active water treatment plant (WTP) will be constructed to treat discharges from the January Mine workings and solutions captured in the underdrain collection pond from the historic tailings, waste rock, and precipitation that falls within the lined facility.

The work plan is available for review online at: <http://www.azdeq.gov/notices>, at the Patagonia Public Library, 346 Duquesne Ave., Patagonia (520) 394-2010 and at the ADEQ Records Center, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, (602) 771-4380, or (800) 234-5677, ext. 6022345677. Please call for hours of operation and to schedule an appointment.

**PARTIES WISHING TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS** regarding the Work Plan for the ASARCO January Adit (Norton Mine) VRP Site may do so to Arizona Mining Inc., attn: Johnny Pappas at 3845 North Business Center Drive, Suite 115, Tucson, AZ 85705. Comments may also be submitted to ADEQ, attn: John Patricki, VRP, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, AZ 85007, or [jp10@azdeq.gov](mailto:jp10@azdeq.gov) and reference this listing. **Comments must be postmarked to Arizona Minerals and/or ADEQ no later than June 19, 2017.**

Dated this 5 and 12 day of May, 2017

**Johnny Pappas, Arizona Mining Inc.**

ADEQ will take reasonable measures to provide access to department services to individuals with limited ability to speak, write, or understand English and/or to those with disabilities. Requests for language interpretation services or for disability accommodations must be made at least 48 hours in advance by contacting: 7-1-1 for TDD; (602) 771-2215 for Disability Accessibility; or Ian Bingham, Title VI Nondiscrimination Coordinator at (602) 771-4322 or [idb@azdeq.gov](mailto:idb@azdeq.gov). **Disclaimer: Any ADEQ translation or communication in a language other than English is unofficial.**

ADEQ tomará medidas razonables para proveer acceso a los servicios del departamento para personas con capacidad limitada para hablar, escribir o entender Inglés y / o para las personas con discapacidad. Las solicitudes de servicios de interpretación del lenguaje o de alojamiento de discapacidad deben hacerse por lo menos 48 horas de antelación poniéndose en contacto con Ian Bingham, Title VI Nondiscrimination Coordinator al (602) 771-4322 o [idb@azdeq.gov](mailto:idb@azdeq.gov). **Cualquier traducción o comunicado de ADEQ en un idioma diferente al inglés no es oficial**