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Bradford Billings

New Mexico Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau
1220 S. St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: **2020 Annual Report**
Rice Operating Company – Vacuum SWD System
Vacuum L-26 Vent (1R425-66) T17S, R35E, Section 26 (L)

Sent via E-mail

Mr. Billings:

This letter summarizes progress made over the past calendar year pursuant to the NMOCD approved Corrective Action Plan and Addendum of April 4th, 2011 for this site, which is operated by Rice Operating Company (ROC). The site is located approximately 2.5 miles east of Buckeye, New Mexico at T17S, R35E, Section 26 (L) as shown on the Site Location Map (Appendix - Figure 1). The depth to groundwater (water table) averaged approximately 59 +/- ft below ground surface in the down-gradient monitor well (MW-3) in 2020.

Background and Previous Work

In 2008, ROC conducted field investigation on the former junction box. Soil samples were collected at regular intervals, creating a 30 x 30 x 12 ft deep excavation. Based on this investigation, a 30x30-ft geo-synthetic liner was installed at approximately 4.5 to 5 ft bgs. The liner was padded with a six inches of blow sand both above and below. The excavation was backfilled with blended, excavated soil and contoured to the surrounding area. NMOCD was notified of potential groundwater impact on December 1st, 2008, and a disclosure report was submitted with all the 2008 Junction Box Closures and Disclosures.

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Deeper soil sampling was initiated in 2010 which indicated elevated levels of soil chlorides throughout the vadose zone. This was summarized in the September 4th, 2011 Initial Characterization Report and Corrective Action Plan submitted to NMCOD and which recommended the installation of a near-source monitor well. A subsequent Corrective Action Plan and Addendum of April 4th, 2011 was submitted to NMOCD which proposed the installation of a sub-surface synthetic liner to isolate and prevent the downward migration of elevated soil chlorides (Appendix – Figure 2), and the installation additional monitor wells to further delineate groundwater quality. This was approved by NMOCD on April 4th, 2011 and two additional monitoring wells were installed on April 4th, 2011. The liner installation was completed in the summer 2011. A report detailing this work was submitted on August 2nd, 2011 and NMOCD granted soil closure on October 13th, 2011. According to the Additional Groundwater Monitoring and CAP for Groundwater, MW-1 was plugged and replaced with a 4 inch well (MW-1R). Groundwater removal began in July 2012 and has continued through 2019. In 2020, NMOCD granted approval to temporarily cease groundwater recovery.

Results of Groundwater Monitoring

Results of groundwater sampling from 2009 through 2020 are given in the Appendix (Appendix - Figure 3, Tables 1 & 2). Average annual groundwater chloride concentrations in the up-gradient monitor well (MW-2) have remained below 60 mg/l since sampling began in 2011, averaging 40 mg/l in 2020. Groundwater chloride concentrations in the down-gradient monitor well (MW-3) averaged 257 mg/l in 2020, down slightly from 268 mg/l in 2019. Groundwater chloride concentrations in the near-source pumping well (MW-1R) averaged 152 mg/l in 2020. BTEX concentrations have remained below detectable limit since installation. As such, NMOCD granted approval to cease analysis of BTEX. A total of 23,717 bbls of groundwater have been withdrawn from MW-1R since pumping began in 2013 resulting in the removal of approximately 439 kg of groundwater chloride. The withdrawn groundwater has been used for a purposeful use. Groundwater was not pumped from MW-1R during 2020.

Path Forward

It is clear at this point that groundwater chloride concentrations are attenuating near the source due to groundwater withdrawal and natural dilution. Groundwater chloride concentrations in the near-source pumping well (MW-1R) have declined substantially and remained below 250 mg/l since 2015. The decline in groundwater chloride concentrations in the near-source monitor well (MW-1R) are indicative of a diminishing chloride mass at the source which will

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have negligible effects further down-gradient away from the site. ROC will continue quarterly sampling in 2021 and will continue groundwater recovery, if warranted.

ROC is the service provider (agent) for the Vacuum SWD System and has no ownership of any portion of the pipeline, well, or facility. The system is owned by a consortium of oil producers, System Parties, who provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis. The Vacuum system is now abandoned. We thus submit this report for your review and consideration.

Please contact either myself or Katie Davis at Rice Operating Company if you have any questions or need additional information.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



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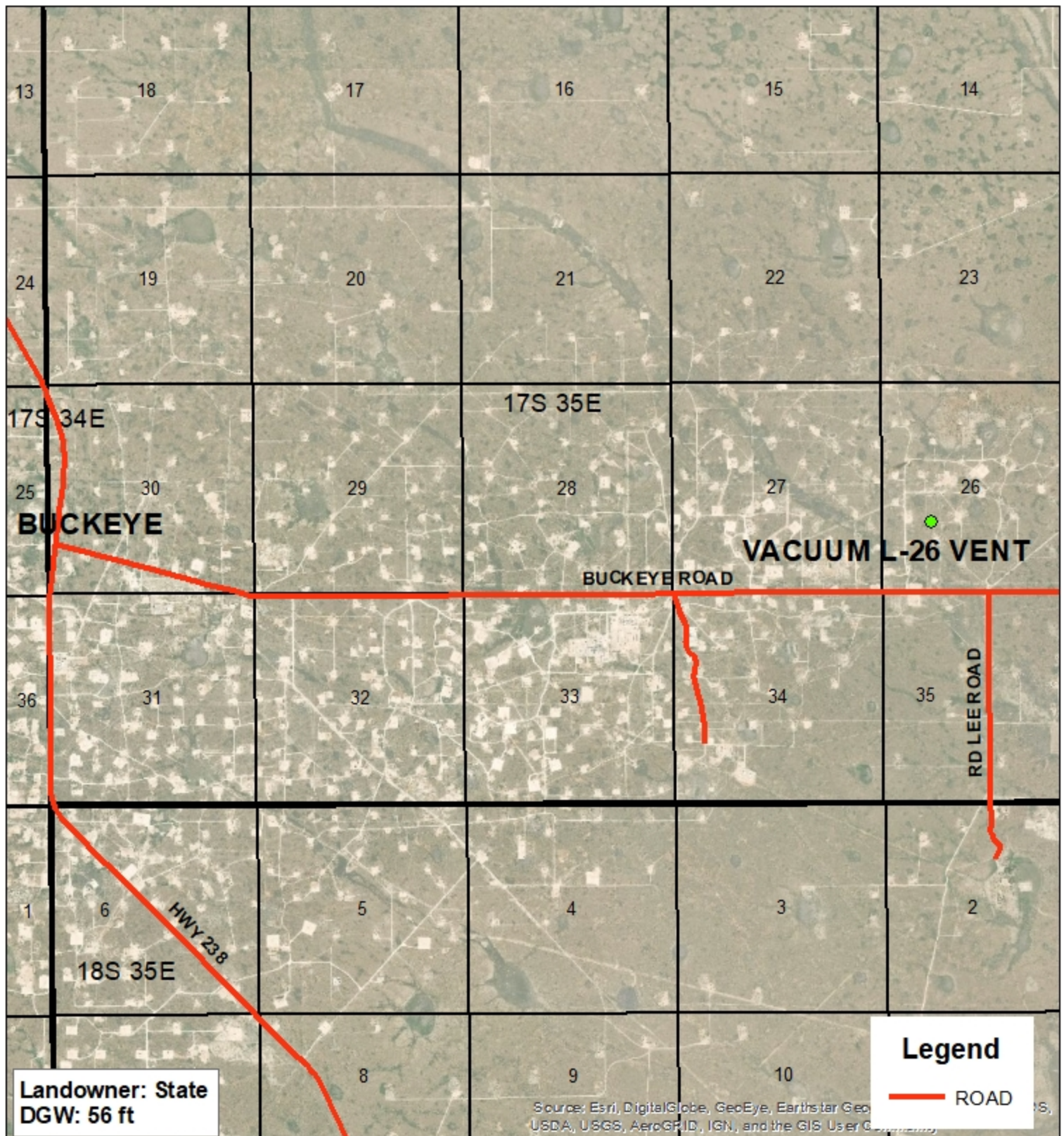
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Geographic Location



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L-26 VENT**
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T17S R35E
LEA COUNTY, NM

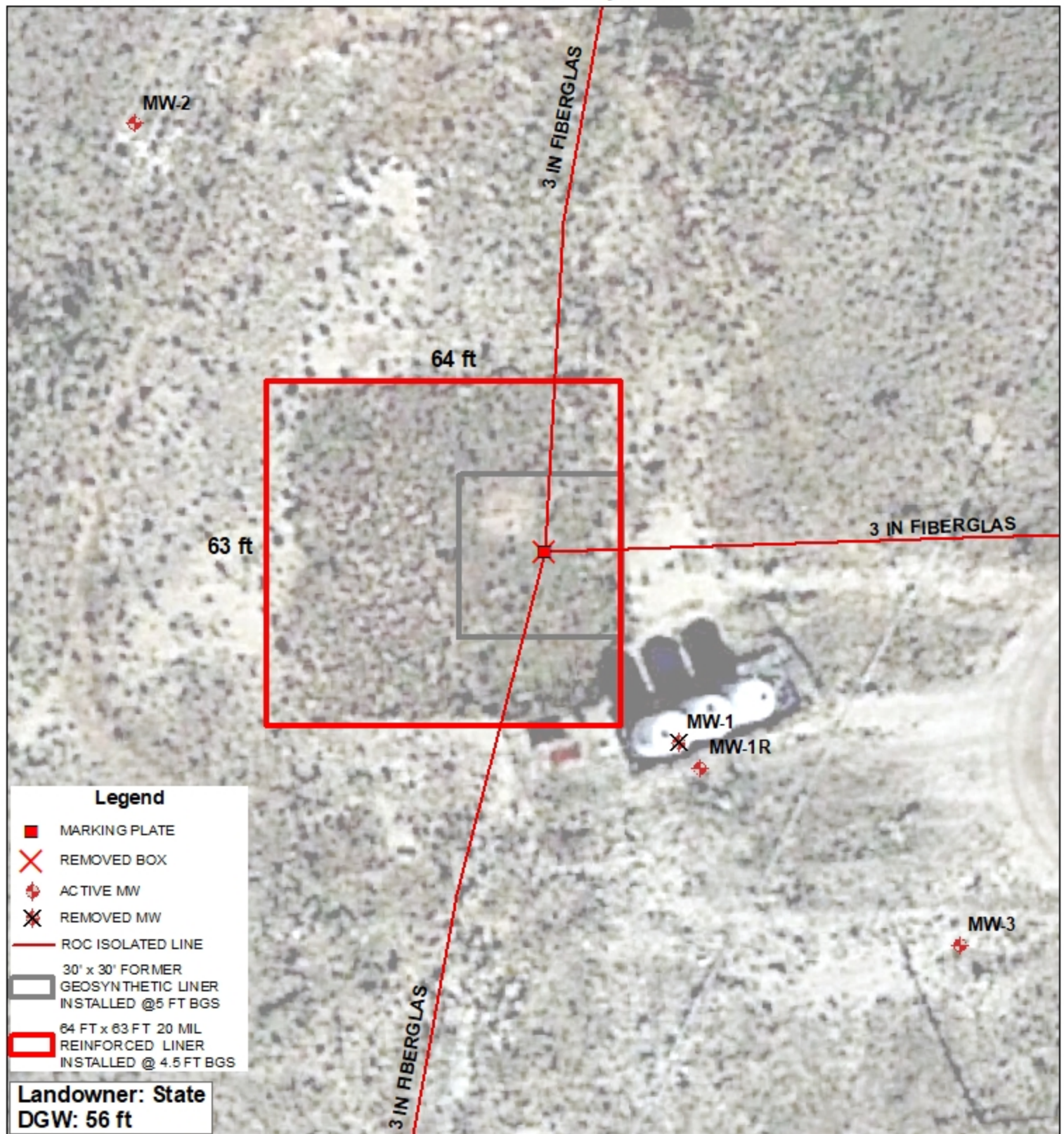
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Site Map



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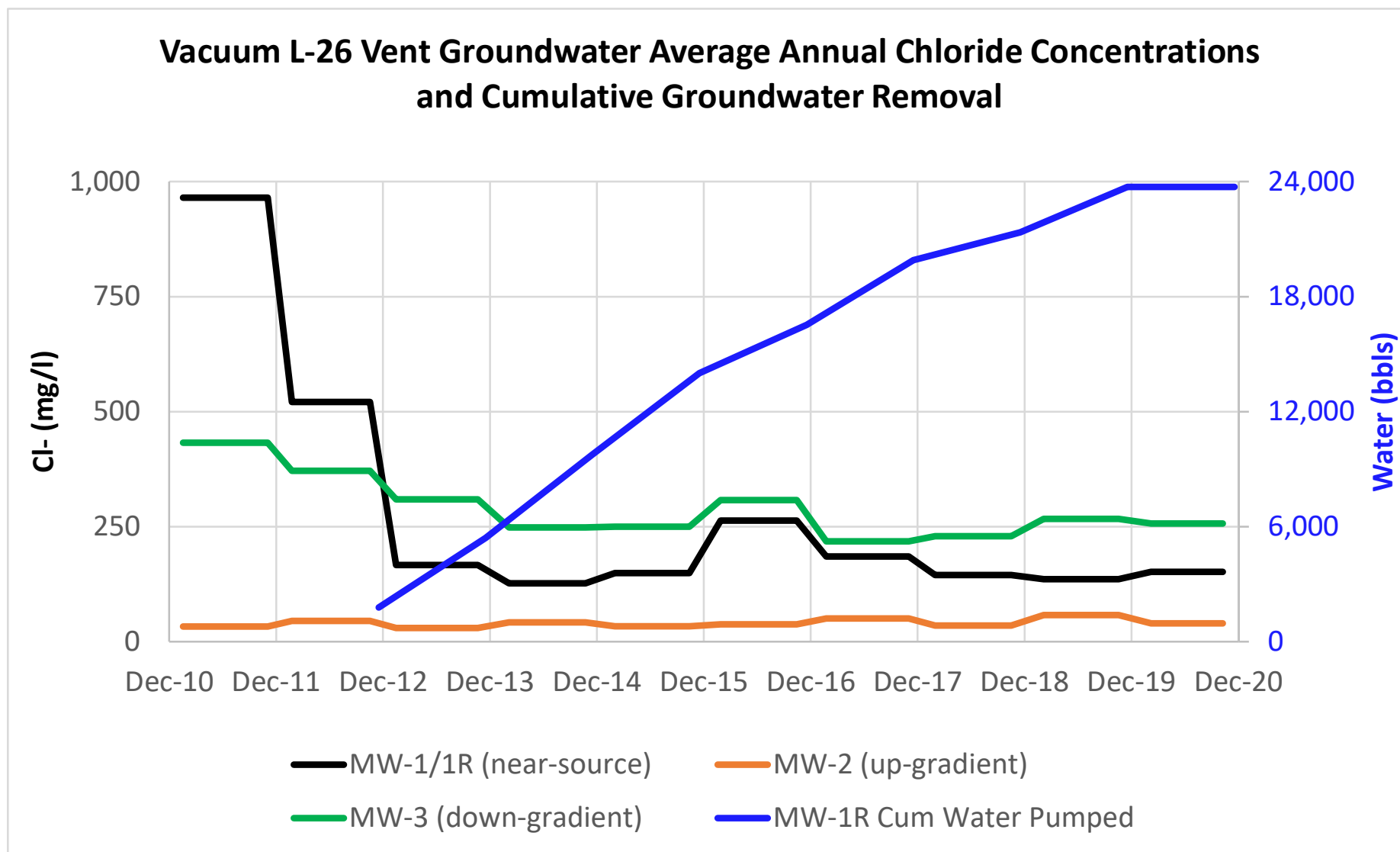


Table 1 - Groundwater Summary

Date	MW-1 (near-MW-1/1R (near-source) ann avg	MW-2 (up-gradient) ann avg	MW-3 (down-gradient) ann avg
11/22/2010	940		
2/16/2011	960	965	33 433
6/4/2011	1,040	965	32 33 432 433
8/31/2011	940	965	32 33 416 433
12/2/2011	920	965	36 33 450 433
2/22/2012	970	521	92 45 332 372
5/29/2012	710	521	28 45 380 372
8/24/2012	116	521	28 45 400 372
11/15/2012	288	521	32 45 376 372
2/12/2013	300	167	28 30 352 309
5/30/2013	140	167	32 30 320 309
9/6/2013	148	167	32 30 292 309
11/19/2013	80	167	28 30 272 309
3/5/2014	256	127	32 42 256 248
5/29/2014	88	127	72 42 248 248
8/20/2014	80	127	32 42 236 248
11/20/2014	84	127	32 42 252 248
3/2/2015	140	149	32 34 252 250
6/2/2015	44	149	32 34 268 250
8/20/2015	196	149	36 34 164 250
11/10/2015	216	149	36 34 316 250
2/25/2016	200	263	52 38 320 308
5/18/2016	408	263	28 38 324 308
9/12/2016	88	263	40 38 296 308
11/11/2016	356	263	32 38 292 308
2/21/2017	264	185	40 51 200 218
5/23/2017	208	185	96 51 220 218
9/8/2017	108	185	36 51 204 218
11/29/2017	160	185	32 51 248 218
2/27/2018	188	145	40 35 208 229
5/16/2018	240	145	32 35 248 229
9/6/2018	108	145	32 35 224 229
11/14/2018	44	145	36 35 236 229
3/5/2019	160	136	32 58 268 268
5/28/2019	140	136	28 58 260 268
8/29/2019	144	136	144 58 256 268
11/15/2019	100	136	28 58 286 268
3/5/2020	108	152	32 40 248 257
6/15/2020	128	152	72 40 216 257
9/10/2020	120	152	24 40 288 257
11/5/2020	252	152	32 40 276 257

Table 2a- MW 1/1R Groundwater Data

MW	Depth to Water	Total Depth (ft)	Well Volume (gal)	Volume Purged (gal)	Sample Date	Cl (mg/l)	TDS (mg/l)	Benzene (mg/l)	Toluene (mg/l)	Ethyl Benzene (mg/l)	Total Xylenes (mg/l)	Sulfate (mg/l)	Comments
1	56.5	72.5	2.6	10	11/22/2010	940	2,120	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	79.6	Clear No odor
1	56.6	72.6	2.6	10	2/16/2011	960	2,130	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	64.0	Clear No odor
1	56.7	72.6	2.5	10	6/4/2011	1,040	2,710	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	64.7	Clear No odor
1	56.8	72.6	2.5	10	8/31/2011	940	2,440	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	67.0	Clear No odor
1	56.9	72.6	2.5	10	12/2/2011	920	2,230	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	73.7	Clear No odor
1	57.0	72.6	2.5	10	2/22/2012	970	1,930	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	66.3	Clear No odor
1	57.1	72.6	2.5	10	5/29/2012	710	1,910	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	66.4	Clear No odor
1	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	8/24/2012	116	551	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	63.6	Clear No odor
1	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	11/15/2012	288	960	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	59.5	Clear No odor
1	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	2/12/2013	300	958	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	55.1	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	5/30/2013	140	651	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	60.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	9/6/2013	148	692	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	50.2	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	11/19/2013	80	446	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	58.7	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	90	3/5/2014	256	806	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	58.6	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	5/29/2014	88	490	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	59.3	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	8/20/2014	80	468	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.4	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	90	11/20/2014	84	498	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	53.7	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	90	3/2/2015	140	644	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	46.9	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	6/2/2015	44	590	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	37.2	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	8/20/2015	196	676	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	42.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	0.0	Pumping	11/10/2015	216	654	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	2/25/2016	200	640	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	60.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	5/18/2016	408	1,270	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	112.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	Running	9/12/2016	88	442	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	61.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	11/11/2016	356	1,140	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	2/21/2017	264	998	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	58.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	Running	5/23/2017	208	944	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	55.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	Running	9/8/2017	108	684	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	58.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	11/29/2017	160	796	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	2/27/2018	188	810	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.4	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	5/16/2018	240	960	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	58.5	Clear No odor

1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	9/6/2018	108	460	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	53.4	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	11/14/2018	44	520	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.3	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	3/5/2019	160	754	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	Running	5/28/2019	140	583	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	55.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	Running	8/29/2019	144	650	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	11/15/2019	100	765	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	46.0	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	3/5/2020	108	774	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.9	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	6/15/2020	128	836	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	62.2	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	9/10/2020	120	730	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	52.8	Clear No odor
1R	XXX	XXX	XXX	100	11/5/2020	252	972	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	69.0	Clear No odor

Table 2b - MW 2 Groundwater Data

MW	Depth to Water	Total Depth (ft)	Well Volume (gal)	Volume Purged (gal)	Sample Date	Cl (mg/l)	TDS (mg/l)	Benzene (mg/l)	Toluene (mg/l)	Ethyl Benzene (mg/l)	Total Xylenes (mg/l)	Sulfate (mg/l)	Comments
2	56.8	62.8	1.0	10	6/4/2011	32	457	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	37.0	Clear No odor
2	56.9	62.8	0.9	10	8/31/2011	32	374	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	33.5	Clear No odor
2	57.0	62.8	0.9	10	12/2/2011	36	405	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	40.8	Clear No odor
2	57.1	62.8	0.9	10	2/22/2012	92	408	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	41.6	Clear No odor
2	57.2	62.8	0.9	10	5/29/2012	28	411	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	41.4	Clear No odor
2	57.4	62.8	0.9	10	8/24/2012	28	490	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	27.7	Clear No odor
2	54.5	62.8	1.3	10	11/15/2012	32	518	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	20.3	Clear No odor
2	57.5	62.8	0.8	10	2/12/2013	28	573	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	28.7	Clear No odor
2	57.6	62.8	0.8	10	5/30/2013	32	611	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	28.7	Clear No odor
2	57.8	62.8	0.8	10	9/6/2013	32	646	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	31.0	Clear No odor
2	57.8	62.8	0.8	10	11/19/2013	28	587	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	32.2	Clear No odor
2	57.9	62.8	0.8	10	3/5/2014	32	308	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	61.2	Clear No odor
2	58.0	62.8	0.8	10	5/29/2014	72	454	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	51.9	Clear No odor
2	58.0	62.8	0.8	10	8/19/2014	32	558	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	32.9	Clear No odor
2	57.2	62.8	0.9	10	11/20/2014	32	526	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	31.3	Clear No odor
2	57.1	62.8	0.9	10	3/2/2015	32	546	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	28.2	Clear No odor
2	54.4	62.8	1.3	10	6/2/2015	32	586	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	40.7	Clear No odor
2	57.6	62.8	0.8	10	8/20/2015	36	546	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	35.4	Clear No odor
2	57.8	62.8	0.8	8	11/10/2015	36	510	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	38.6	Clear No odor
2	58.0	62.8	0.8	8	2/25/2016	52	496	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	49.0	Clear No odor
2	58.1	62.8	0.8	6	5/18/2016	28	564	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.0	Clear No odor
2	58.2	62.8	0.7	6	9/12/2016	40	432	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	44.0	Clear No odor
2	58.2	62.8	0.7	8	11/11/2016	32	444	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	41.0	Clear No odor
2	58.3	62.8	0.7	10	2/21/2017	40	490	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	44.0	Clear No odor
2	57.6	62.8	0.7	10	5/23/2017	96	512	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.0	Clear No odor
2	58.5	62.8	0.7	10	9/8/2017	36	628	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	51.0	Clear No odor
2	58.5	62.8	0.7	10	11/29/2017	32	638	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.0	Clear No odor
2	58.6	62.8	0.7	6	2/27/2018	40	622	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	46.9	Clear No odor
2	58.6	62.8	0.7	6	5/16/2018	32	606	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	50.3	Clear No odor
2	58.7	62.8	0.6	6	9/6/2018	32	532	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	50.1	Clear No odor
2	58.8	62.8	0.6	6	11/14/2018	36	664	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	52.2	Clear No odor

2	58.9	62.8	0.6	6	3/5/2019	32	512	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.0	Clear No odor
2	59.0	62.8	0.6	6	5/28/2019	28	673	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.0	Clear No odor
2	59.2	62.8	0.6	6	8/29/2019	144	622	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	53.0	Clear No odor
2	59.2	62.8	0.6	6	11/15/2019	28	606	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.0	Clear No odor
2	59.3	62.8	0.6	6	3/5/2020	32	669	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.7	Clear No odor
2	59.5	62.8	0.5	6	6/15/2020	72	793	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	53.8	Clear No odor
2	59.6	62.8	0.5	6	9/10/2020	24	686	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	43.4	Clear No odor
2	59.6	62.8	0.5	6	11/5/2020	32	560	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	68.1	Clear No odor

Table 2c - MW 3 Groundwater Data

MW	Depth to Water	Total Depth (ft)	Well Volume (gal)	Volume Purged (gal)	Sample Date	Cl (mg/l)	TDS (mg/l)	Benzene (mg/l)	Toluene (mg/l)	Ethyl Benzene (mg/l)	Total Xylenes (mg/l)	Sulfate (mg/l)	Comments
3	56.1	68.9	2.0	10	6/4/2011	432	1,210	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	69.1	Clear No odor
3	52.2	68.9	2.7	10	8/31/2011	416	1,250	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.3	Clear No odor
3	56.3	68.9	2.0	10	12/2/2011	450	1,330	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.8	Clear No odor
3	56.4	68.9	2.0	10	2/22/2012	332	1,330	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.9	Clear No odor
3	56.6	68.9	2.0	10	5/29/2012	380	1,220	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	57.4	Clear No odor
3	56.7	68.9	1.9	10	8/24/2012	400	1,220	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.9	Clear No odor
3	56.8	68.9	1.9	10	11/15/2012	376	1,240	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	48.7	Clear No odor
3	56.8	68.9	1.9	10	2/12/2013	352	1,260	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	52.6	Clear No odor
3	56.9	68.9	1.9	10	5/30/2013	320	1,220	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	49.0	Clear No odor
3	56.9	68.9	1.9	10	9/6/2013	292	1,170	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	46.2	Clear No odor
3	57.1	69.9	1.9	10	11/19/2013	272	1,150	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	45.1	Clear No odor
3	57.2	68.9	1.9	10	3/5/2014	256	984	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.0	Clear No odor
3	57.3	68.9	1.9	10	5/29/2014	248	826	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	86.2	Clear No odor
3	57.3	68.9	1.9	10	08.19.14	236	1,090	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	38.7	Clear No odor
3	56.5	68.9	2.0	10	11/20/2014	252	1,030	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	32.4	Clear No odor
3	56.4	68.9	2.0	10	03.02.15	252	1,030	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	42.0	Clear No odor
3	56.8	68.9	1.9	10	6/2/2015	268	1,060	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	45.3	Clear No odor
3	57.0	68.9	1.9	10	8/20/2015	164	1,100	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	47.5	Clear No odor
3	57.2	68.9	1.9	10	11/10/2015	316	1,090	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	50.5	Clear No odor
3	57.3	68.9	1.9	10	2/25/2016	320	1,160	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	49.0	Clear No odor
3	57.4	68.9	1.8	8	5/18/2016	324	1,180	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	62.2	Clear No odor
3	57.5	68.9	1.8	10	9/12/2016	296	1,150	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	53.0	Clear No odor
3	57.5	68.9	1.8	10	11/11/2016	292	1,050	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	44.0	Clear No odor
3	57.6	68.9	1.8	10	2/21/2017	200	1,380	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	43.0	Clear No odor
3	57.6	68.9	1.8	10	5/23/2017	220	980	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	59.0	Clear No odor
3	57.9	68.9	1.8	10	9/8/2017	204	942	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	59.0	Clear No odor
3	57.9	68.9	1.8	10	11/29/2017	248	930	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	55.0	Clear No odor
3	57.9	68.9	1.8	10	2/27/2018	208	766	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	51.3	Clear No odor
3	57.9	68.9	1.8	10	5/16/2018	248	962	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	57.7	Clear No odor
3	58.1	68.9	1.7	10	9/6/2018	224	916	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	53.4	Clear No odor
3	58.1	68.9	1.7	10	11/14/2018	236	856	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	57.4	Clear No odor

3	58.2	68.9	1.7	10	3/5/2019	268	968	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	57.0	Clear No odor
3	58.4	68.9	1.7	10	5/28/2019	260	1010	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	60.0	Clear No odor
3	58.2	68.9	1.7	10	8/29/2019	256	938	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	54.0	Clear No odor
3	58.6	68.9	1.7	10	11/15/2019	286	1020	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	56.0	Clear No odor
3	58.7	68.9	1.6	10	3/5/2020	248	1000	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	64.4	Clear No odor
3	58.8	68.9	1.6	10	6/15/2020	216	1010	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	78.4	Clear No odor
3	58.9	68.9	1.6	10	9/10/2020	288	1040	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	57.4	Clear No odor
3	58.9	68.9	1.6	10	11/5/2020	276	995	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	61.6	Clear No odor



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March 16, 2020

KATIE JONES

Rice Operating Company

112 W. Taylor

Hobbs, NM 88240

RE: VACUUM L-26 VENT

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Analytical Results For:

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Received:	03/10/2020	Sampling Date:	03/05/2020
Reported:	03/16/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1R (H000750-01)

BTEX 8021B		mg/L		Analyzed By: MS					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Benzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	0.861	
Toluene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.03	
Ethylbenzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.31	
Total Xylenes*	<0.003	0.003	03/11/2020	ND	0.060	99.7	0.0600	1.69	
Total BTEX	<0.006	0.006	03/11/2020	ND					

Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID) 100 % 58.2-133

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	108	4.00	03/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92	

Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Sulfate*	54.9	10.0	03/12/2020	ND	21.5	107	20.0	1.41	

TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	774	5.00	03/16/2020	ND	548	110	500	0.263	

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Received:	03/10/2020	Sampling Date:	03/05/2020
Reported:	03/16/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #2 (H000750-02)

BTEX 8021B		mg/L		Analyzed By: MS					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Benzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	0.861	
Toluene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.03	
Ethylbenzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.31	
Total Xylenes*	<0.003	0.003	03/11/2020	ND	0.060	99.7	0.0600	1.69	
Total BTEX	<0.006	0.006	03/11/2020	ND					

Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID) 103 % 58.2-133

Chloride, SM4500CI-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	32.0	4.00	03/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92	

Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Sulfate*	48.7	10.0	03/12/2020	ND	21.5	107	20.0	1.41	

TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	669	5.00	03/16/2020	ND	548	110	500	0.263	

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Reported:	03/16/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #3 (H000750-03)

BTEX 8021B		mg/L		Analyzed By: MS						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Benzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	0.861		
Toluene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.03		
Ethylbenzene*	<0.001	0.001	03/11/2020	ND	0.020	102	0.0200	1.31		
Total Xylenes*	<0.003	0.003	03/11/2020	ND	0.060	99.7	0.0600	1.69		
Total BTEX	<0.006	0.006	03/11/2020	ND						

Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID) 101 % 58.2-133

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	248	4.00	03/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92	

Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Sulfate*	64.4	10.0	03/12/2020	ND	21.5	107	20.0	1.41	

TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	1000	5.00	03/16/2020	ND	548	110	500	0.263		

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June 23, 2020

KATIE JONES

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RE: VACUUM L-26 VENT

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Analytical Results For:

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Received:	06/16/2020	Sampling Date:	06/15/2020
Reported:	06/23/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Kelly Jacobson
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1R (H001597-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	128	4.00	06/18/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	62.2	10.0	06/17/2020	ND	20.3	102	20.0	9.52		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	836	5.00	06/22/2020	ND	480	96.0	500	1.32		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #2 (H001597-02)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	72.0	4.00	06/18/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	53.8	10.0	06/17/2020	ND	20.3	102	20.0	9.52		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	793	5.00	06/22/2020	ND	480	96.0	500	1.32		

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Received:	06/16/2020	Sampling Date:	06/15/2020
Reported:	06/23/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Kelly Jacobson
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #3 (H001597-03)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	216	4.00	06/18/2020	ND	100	100	100	3.92		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	78.4	25.0	06/17/2020	ND	20.3	102	20.0	9.52		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	1010	5.00	06/22/2020	ND	480	96.0	500	1.32		

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Project #:		Project Name: Vacuum L-26 Vent		
Project Location: T17S-R35E-Sec26 L ~ Lea County New Mexico		Sampler Signature: Rozanne Johnson (575) 631-9310		

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Relinquished by: <u>Rozanne Johnson</u> Date: <u>6/16/2020</u> Time: <u>15:45</u>	Received by: <u>[Signature]</u> Date: <u>6-16-20</u> Time: <u>1545</u>
Relinquished by: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____	Received by: (Laboratory Staff) Date: _____ Time: _____

Delivered By: (Circle One)	Sample Condition	CHECKED BY:
	Yes Cool Yes Intact	(Initials) 145
Sampler - UPS - Bus - Other:	No No	

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September 18, 2020

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Received:	09/15/2020	Sampling Date:	09/10/2020
Reported:	09/18/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1R (H002444-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	120	4.00	09/16/2020	ND	96.0	96.0	100	4.08		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	52.8	10.0	09/16/2020	ND	20.9	104	20.0	10.1		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	730	5.00	09/18/2020	5.00	830	83.0	1000	1.14		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #2 (H002444-02)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	24.0	4.00	09/16/2020	ND	96.0	96.0	100	4.08		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	43.4	10.0	09/16/2020	ND	20.9	104	20.0	10.1		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	686	5.00	09/18/2020	5.00	830	83.0	1000	1.14		

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Received:	09/15/2020	Sampling Date:	09/10/2020
Reported:	09/18/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #3 (H002444-03)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	288	4.00	09/16/2020	ND	96.0	96.0	100	4.08		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	57.4	10.0	09/16/2020	ND	20.9	104	20.0	10.1		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	1040	5.00	09/18/2020	5.00	830	83.0	1000	1.14		

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CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY AND ANALYSIS REQUEST

LAB Order ID #

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Project #: _____ Project Name: **Vacuum L-26 Vent**

Project Location: **T17S-R35E-Sec26 L ~ Lea County New Mexico** Sampler Signature: **Rozanne Johnson (575)631-9310**

ANALYSIS REQUEST

(Circle or Specify Method No.)

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Relinquished by: <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: <i>9/15/2020</i>	Time: <i>16:10</i>	Received by: <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: <i>9-15-20</i>	Time: <i>1610</i>
Rozanne Johnson					
Relinquished by:	Date:	Time:	Received By: (Laboratory Staff)	Date:	Time:

Phone Results	Yes	No
Fax Results	Yes	No Additional Fax Number:

REMARKS:

Email Results: kjones@riceswd.com
rozanne@sdacres.com

Delivered By: (Circle One)

Sample Condition

CHECKED BY:

	Cool	Intact
Yes	Yes	Yes
No	No	No

(Initials)

Sampler - UPS - Bus - Other:



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November 16, 2020

KATIE JONES

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RE: VACUUM L-26 VENT

Enclosed are the results of analyses for samples received by the laboratory on 11/10/20 15:10.

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This report meets NELAP requirements and is made up of a cover page, analytical results, and a copy of the original chain-of-custody. If you have any questions concerning this report, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Reported:	11/16/2020	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	VACUUM L-26 VENT	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1R (H002981-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	252	4.00	11/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	0.00		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	69.0	10.0	11/11/2020	ND	22.8	114	20.0	2.97		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	972	5.00	11/13/2020	ND	553	111	500	4.83		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #2 (H002981-02)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	32.0	4.00	11/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	0.00		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	68.1	10.0	11/11/2020	ND	22.8	114	20.0	2.97		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	560	5.00	11/13/2020	ND	553	111	500	4.83		

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Project Number:	NOT GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Tamara Oldaker
Project Location:	T17S-R35E-SEC26 L-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #3 (H002981-03)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: GM						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Chloride*	276	4.00	11/11/2020	ND	100	100	100	0.00		
Sulfate 375.4		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
Sulfate*	61.6	10.0	11/11/2020	ND	22.8	114	20.0	2.97		
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier	
TDS*	995	5.00	11/12/2020	ND	490	98.0	500	2.24		

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COMMENTS

Action 24249

COMMENTS

Operator:			OGRID:	Action Number:	Action Type:
RICE OPERATING COMPANY 122 W Taylor Hobbs, NM88240			19174	24249	GROUND WATER ABATEMENT
Created By	Comment				Comment Date
bbillings	Trends continue in good direction. Initiate closure ideas following next year report.				04/19/2021

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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Operator: RICE OPERATING COMPANY			122 W Taylor	Hobbs, NM88240	OGRID: 19174	Action Number: 24249	Action Type: GROUND WATER ABATEMENT
OCD Reviewer		Condition					
bbillings		Continue as outlined in most recent report, begin considering options leading to closure for discussion next year.					