# Phase II Environmental Assessment Report for the Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company, Ponderay, ID

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# Acronyms and Abbreviations

ABCA	Analysis of Brownfields Cleanup Alternatives
Alta	Alta Science & Engineering, Inc.
APN	Assessor Parcel Number
As	Arsenic
ASTM	ASTM International
bgs	below ground surface
BNSF	Burlington Northern and Santa Fe
Са	Calcium
Cd	Cadmium
CI-	Chloride
COPC	chemicals of potential concern
DQO	data quality objective
DO	dissolved oxygen
DU	decision unit
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment
Hg	Mercury
IDEQ	Idaho Department of Environmental Quality
ISM	Incremental Sampling Method
ITRC	Interstate Technology and Regulatory Council
K	Potassium
MCL	maximum contaminant level
MEND	mine environmental neutral drainage
Mg	Magnesium
MS	matrix spike
MSD	matrix spike duplicate
Na	Sodium
ORP	oxygen reduction potential
Pace	Pace Analytical National
Pb	Lead
PSRC	Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company
QA	quality assurance
QC	quality control
QAO	quality assurance officer
QAPP	Quality Assurance Project Plan
REC	recognized environmental condition
RL	reporting limit
ROW	right-of-way
RSL	Regional Screening Level
SO <sub>4</sub>	Sulfate
SPLP	synthetic precipitation leachate procedure



SVL	SVL Analytical
TerraGraphics	TerraGraphics Environmental Engineering, Inc.
URS	URS Corporation
USACE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USEPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
WSP	WSP USA Inc.
Zn	Zinc
Units	
L	liter
mg/kg	milligram per kilogram
mg/L	milligram per liter
mm	millimeter
μm	micrometer



### **Executive Summary**

In September 2019, the City of Ponderay entered into a Brownfields Multipurpose Cooperative Agreement with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) to clean up the former Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company (PSRC) (the Site).

The PSRC was developed in 1904 as a lead (Pb)/silver smelter for local mines and operated sporadically until 1909. Not much evidence of previous activities remains at the Site today, except for a few remnants of the smelter operations, ore and waste piles, and a large slag dump that extends from the shoreline into Lake Pend Oreille (Figure 1).

Because of past smelting activities, the Site soils contains high levels of Pb and other metals that present potential impacts to human health (e.g., Site users) and the environment.

In preparation for cleanup of the PSRC, the City contracted with Alta Science & Engineering, Inc. (Alta) to address existing data gaps associated with 1) metals concentrations in beach sediments near the slag pile, 2) the potential for metals to leach and/or mobilize from slag material into Lake Pend Oreille, and 3) the geotechnical characteristics of soil in the footprint of a proposed onsite waste repository.

On March 1, 2023, Alta collected Site-specific information to fill existing data gaps identified from previous assessment review and inform the cleanup approach and design of the Site. This document summarizes field activities and analytical data collected and provides conclusions and recommendations for the Site.

Assessment activities included:

1) **Incremental Sampling Method (ISM)** sampling for beach sediments in the vicinity of the slag pile,

2) **Slag characterization sampling** to evaluate the leaching of metals from non-crushed and crushed slag material (Synthetic Precipitation Leachate Procedure [SPLP] tests and wall wash samples collected from the slag face), and

3) **Soil geotechnical characterization sampling** (particle size testing and Atterberg limits) in the footprint of the proposed onsite waste repository.

ISM samples were collected from the beach area surrounding the slag pile for analysis of Pb, cadmium (Cd), zinc (Zn), arsenic (As), and mercury (Hg) to delineate metals concentrations in this previously unsampled area of the Site.

Slag samples were collected from the surface or slope faces of the slag pile and subjected to SPLP analysis on crushed and non-crushed slag material to evaluate the slag leaching potential. The leachate was then analyzed for Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg.

Wall wash samples were collected from the slag face following procedures developed by the Mine Environmental Neutral Drainage (MEND) program and one (1) surface water sample was collected from lake water that was located outside of the project Site boundaries for use as the wall wash lixiviant. Wall wash samples were analyzed for pH, major ions (calcium [Ca], magnesium [Mg], potassium [K], sodium [Na], sulfate [SO<sub>4</sub>], chloride [Cl-]), total alkalinity, and total and dissolved metals (Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg) to evaluate the geochemical characteristics of the slag material. Surface water samples were analyzed for total and dissolved metals (Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg) to establish baseline metals concentrations in surface water prior to wall washing.

Three test pits were excavated in the proposed onsite waste repository footprint to collect geotechnical samples and evaluate the degree of saturation and general conditions in the



shallow subsurface. An archaeological monitor was onsite during the assessment to identify and document any cultural artifacts unearthed during test pit excavation. Geotechnical samples were collected from the test pits for particle size determination (particle size testing) and Atterberg limits.

ISM sample results for metals were compared to USEPA's Resident Soil Table Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) (USEPA 2022) and U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) background values for Bonner County (USGS 2016). ISM sample results will be used to guide remedial actions at the Site.

During cleanup design, Slag SPLP, wall wash, and surface water sample results will be used to evaluate fate and mobility of metals from the slag material to surface water and geotechnical data will be used to evaluate the suitability of the ground surface for the waste repository foundation.

#### **ISM Soil Sampling Results**

Alta collected three (3) ISM samples (and one duplicate sample) from the beach area surrounding the slag pile. Arsenic was detected at concentrations that exceed the USEPA RSL for Resident Soil but did not exceed mean USGS background values for Bonner County. No other metals were detected at concentrations that exceed the USEPA RSLs or mean background values.

Table 1 summarizes the ISM results (expressed in milligrams per kilogram [mg/kg]). Figure 2 shows ISM sampling locations.

#### Slag SPLP Sampling Results

Alta collected three (3) slag pile samples from the surface or slope faces of the slag pile for SPLP analysis to evaluate the leaching behavior of slag material. Prior to analysis, each sample was split into two equal portions. One portion was crushed to pass through a 9.5-millimeter (mm) screen and the other portion was left uncrushed. SPLP leachate for both crushed and uncrushed samples was then analyzed for Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg.

Arsenic, Pb, and Zn were detected in SPLP leachate from the three uncrushed slag samples while lead only was detected in SPLP leachate from the three crushed slag samples.

Table 2 summarizes SPLP metals results for crushed and uncrushed slag samples (expressed in milligrams per liter [mg/L]). Figure 2 shows slag sample locations.

#### Surface Water and Wall Wash Sampling Results

Alta collected one (1) surface water sample (and one duplicate sample) from lake water that was located outside of the project Site boundaries and was not in contact with the slag pile in order to establish baseline metals concentrations in surface water used as the lixiviant for the wall wash samples. Arsenic and Zn were the only metals detected above the reporting limits in surface water samples.

Alta collected three (3) wall wash samples from the slag face. Wall wash samples were collected following procedures developed by the Mine Environmental Neutral Drainage (MEND) program.

Metals concentrations in wall wash samples were compared to metals concentrations in the surface water sample. Except for Hg, all metals were detected in wall wash samples at concentrations at least an order of magnitude above those in the baseline surface water samples. Total and dissolved As concentrations in wall wash samples were 1 to 2 orders of magnitude greater than concentrations in the surface waters sample and total and dissolved Pb and Zn were several orders of magnitude greater than concentrations in surface water samples.



Table 3 summarizes the wall wash analytical results (expressed in mg/L). Figure 2 shows surface water and wall wash sampling locations.

#### **Geotechnical Sampling Results**

Alta collected five (5) samples from three test pits excavated by backhoe or excavator in the proposed onsite waste repository footprint, which encompasses RL1, RL2, RL3, RO1, RO2 and RO3 (Figure 2).

Geotechnical results will be used to develop design criteria for the waste repository and discussed in more detail in a subsequent technical memorandum.

#### **Conclusions and Recommendations**

Based on the available information and Site-specific data collected, Alta concludes the following:

- No metals were detected in ISM sediment samples at concentrations that exceed the USEPA RSLs and mean background values. Arsenic was not detected in any sediment sample; however, the reporting limit for As (3.00 mg/kg) exceeds the Resident Soil RSLs (0.68 mg/kg). Therefore, As may be present at the Site at concentrations greater than the RSL but below the mean background value of 5.68 mg/kg for Bonner County. Arsenic concentrations in ISM sediment samples are comparable to concentrations in composite soil samples collected near the slag pile in 2012.
- Slag characterization samples including Slag SPLP and wall wash samples suggest that metals have the potential to leach or mobilize from slag material to nearby surface water. Slag SPLP samples had detections of As, Pb, and Zn and wall wash samples had detections of total and dissolved As, Cd, Pb, and Zn in wall wash samples at concentrations orders of magnitude greater than surface water used for wall wash samples.

Alta recommends the following:

- Conduct additional surface water sampling in summer when the lake is in contact with the slag pile to further evaluate the potential for metals to leach/mobilize from slag material to Lake Pend Oreille.
- Use available slag characterization data (SPLP and wall wash sample results) to complete a geochemical evaluation of the slag material with recommendations on the potential need to contain or isolate the slag pile from storm and surface water.
- Include the 2023 ISM sediment results and existing Site characterization data from previous assessments to develop Site-specific cleanup criteria and evaluate and identify cleanup alternatives for the PSRC.



### Section 1 Introduction

In September 2019, the City of Ponderay entered into a Brownfields Multipurpose Cooperative Agreement with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) to clean up the former Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company (PSRC) (the Site). Because of past smelting activities, the Site soils contain high levels of lead (Pb) and other metals that present potential impacts to human health (e.g., Site users) and the environment.

In preparation for cleanup of the PSRC, the City contracted with Alta Science & Engineering, Inc. (Alta) to address existing data gaps associated with 1) metals concentrations in beach sediments near the slag pile, 2) the potential for metals to leach and/or mobilize from slag material into Lake Pend Oreille, and 3) the geotechnical characteristics of soil in the footprint of a proposed onsite waste repository.

### 1.1 Site History

The former PSRC is located in the City of Ponderay and sits along the shoreline of Lake Pend Oreille (Figure 1). The Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) right of way (ROW) borders the Site to the northwest with vacant forested land surrounds to the southwest and northeast and the lake serving as a boundary to the southeast. The Site consists of five (5) parcels totaling 18.13 acres and is generally located in the Southeast Quarter of Section 11, Township 57 North, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, Bonner County, within the City of Ponderay, Idaho. The five individual parcel descriptions are:

- Bonner County, Idaho, Assessor Parcel Number (APN) RPP00000118252A, the area of this parcel is 11.2 acres.
- Bonner County, Idaho APN RPP00000117850A, the area of this parcel is 1.65 acres.
- Bonner County, Idaho APN RPP00000118150A, the area of this parcel is 1.04 acres.
- Bonner County, Idaho APN RPP00000118275A, the area of this parcel is 0.89 acres.
- Bonner County, Idaho APN RPP00000117800A, the area of this parcel is 3.35 acres.

The PSRC was developed in 1904 as a Pb/silver smelter for local mines and the first ingots were poured June 12, 1907. Production continued until legal action stopped the smelter in July 1907. After a retrofit with roasters and other equipment, the smelter started back up on October 20, 1908, and ran sporadically through March 1909. Salvage crews dismantled the plant and scrapped all salvageable materials in December 1922. Not much evidence of previous activities remains at the Site today, except for remnants of the smelter operations, ore and waste piles, and a large slag dump that extends out into the lake.

Because of past smelting activities, the soil in this area contains high levels of Pb and other metals. Mine wastes at the Site present potential human health impacts to Site users and potential environmental impacts to Lake Pend Oreille. Potential human health and potential impacts to the environment are associated with metals contamination of soils, unprocessed ore, and smelter slag (IDEQ 2009).

### Section 2 Previous Site Assessment

Numerous site assessments have been completed for the PSRC. In July and August 2010, URS Corporation (URS) conducted a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) of the PSRC (URS 2011) for Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (IDEQ). The Phase I ESA identified several recognized environmental conditions (RECs) in connection with the Site including: 1) a



portion of a BNSF (ROW), which has been operating for more than 100 years, with potential of having released hazardous substances and petroleum products, residual coal ash, and the railroad tie preservatives; 2) the former PSRC facility, which received and refined Pb and silver ores from local mines, and consists of the remnants of a furnace, three roasters, two smoke stacks, an assay and metal sample room, a few ore piles and a slag dump which is located on the Lake Pend Oreille shoreline; and 3) the Delco Dump, a dump area in the southwestern portion of the Site where a large number of discarded automotive generators and a few Pb-acid battery parts were found by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) in 1996.

IDEQ contracted with TerraGraphics Environmental Engineering, Inc. (TerraGraphics) to complete Phase II ESA soil and slag sampling in November 2011 (TerraGraphics 2012a). The Phase II ESA addressed select RECs and associated chemicals of potential concern (COPCs) identified in the Phase I ESA (URS 2011). Soil sampling conducted during the Phase II ESA was limited to areas where RECs had been identified, areas proposed for trail development, and areas frequently accessed by the public. At the time of the Phase II site assessment, IDEQ did not have an access agreement with the BNSF and Montana Rail Link, and as a result, no sampling was conducted on the BNSF ROW. Figure 2 shows the Phase II ESA sample units and approximate locations of historic Site structures.

The results from the Phase II ESA and the Risk Assessment (TerraGraphics 2012a) identified several COPCs: arsenic (As), cadmium (Cd), Pb, mercury (Hg), and zinc (Zn). The Phase II ESA determined that soil contamination was generally greatest at the PSRC in areas associated with ore stockpiling, processing, or smelting during smelter operations. The highest Pb and As concentrations (Pb: 77,100 milligrams per kilogram [mg/kg], As: 2,610 mg/kg) were observed at a depth of 1 to 6 inches in sample unit RO2, which consisted of three mounds that were the remnants of ore roasters. High Pb and As concentrations were also observed in sample units OR1, RL1, TR5, and LA3, which were all likely previously used as stockpile areas for ore. Lead and As concentrations were also elevated where the smelter blast furnace had been located (FU1, FU2) (TerraGraphics 2012a).

Test pit sample results indicated that Cd, Pb, Hg, and Zn concentrations were generally highest within the 0-to-6 inch and 6-to-12-inch horizons; concentrations below 12 inches were much lower. Arsenic concentrations did not show a consistent pattern with depth. Differences in As concentration profiles may be related to differences in soil or waste characteristics between sample units that affect As mobility within the soil (TerraGraphics 2012a).

Surface water, groundwater, seep water, and beach sediment sampling were not completed during the November 2011 Phase II field sampling event.

In April 2012, IDEQ contracted with Strata to sample five seeps emanating from the PSRC and vicinity. One seep that emerges below the Pend d'Oreille Bay Trail and the PSRC had a Cd concentration slightly above the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL). An original/split sample pair was collected from this seep and Cd concentrations exceeded the MCL in the split sample only. The report noted that this could be explained by entrained sediment that settled at the bottom of the split sample (Strata 2012).

In December 2012, TerraGraphics characterized the waste piles and groundwater at the PSRC and summarized the results in a Site Investigation Report (TerraGraphics 2012b). This report provided: 1) geotechnical and environmental data to characterize slag, mine waste, and contaminated and native soils, 2) groundwater monitoring data, 3) topographic data, and 4) volume estimates of slag, ore, mine waste, and contaminated soils at the PSRC.



Groundwater samples were collected in 2012 from three monitoring wells (MW-1, MW-2, and MW-3) (Figure 2). MW-1 was the only well with a metal detection above the maximum contaminant level with a total Pb concentration of 0.0179 milligrams per liter (mg/L).

Following completion of the Phase II ESA and waste pile and groundwater investigations, IDEQ engaged TerraGraphics to develop an Analysis of Brownfield Cleanup Alternatives (ABCA) and Cleanup Workplan for the PSRC. The Draft ABCA and Cleanup Workplan (completed in 2013) provided a preferred alternative for the PSRC that includes: 1) the construction of an onsite waste repository to dispose of contaminated soils exceeding Site cleanup levels and onsite disposal criteria, 2) the encapsulation of the slag pile, a retaining wall system, and concrete deck and 3) the capping and/or fencing of soils that exceed Site cleanup levels and are not suitable for disposal in an onsite waste repository (TerraGraphics 2013).

In September 2019, the City of Ponderay entered into a Brownfields Multipurpose Cooperative Agreement with the USEPA for \$840,000 total project funds for a five-year project period of October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2024. These funds will be used to conduct Phase I and Phase II ESAs, develop an area-wide plan, and clean up the former PSRC Site.

The purpose of the additional assessment performed in March 2023 was for Alta to conduct environmental assessment activities to address existing data gaps. Assessment activities included 1) Incremental Sampling Method (ISM) sampling for beach sediments in the vicinity of the slag pile, 2) slag characterization sampling to evaluate the leaching of metals from noncrushed and crushed slag material (Synthetic Precipitation Leachate Procedure [SPLP] tests and wall wash samples collected from the slag face), and 3) soil geotechnical characterization sampling (particle size testing and Atterberg limits).

This report describes Site assessment activities and field observations, summarizes analytical sample results, and provides conclusions and recommendations.

## Section 3 Field Activities

The following sections describe the field sampling activities that occurred during Site assessment.

Appendix A includes sampling field sheets.

Appendix B includes photographs taken during the sampling activities.

Appendix C includes the complete laboratory data sheets and chain-of-custody documentation.

Appendix D includes the Site-specific QA/QC Memorandum.

Appendix E includes Geotechnical results (e.g., Particle size determination [particle size testing] and Atterberg limits) and test pit soil logs.

Appendix F includes the Archaeological Monitoring report.

### 3.1 Quality Assurance Project Plan Deviations

In general, sampling procedures followed the *Quality Assurance Project Plan [QAPP]* for the *Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company, Ponderay, Idaho* (Alta 2023) except for the following deviations:

• Alta's field crew did not collect ISM samples from the BNSF ROW because the cleanup footprint will not impact the ROW and BNSF did not grant access to the property.



- Alta submitted ISM and slag samples to SVL Analytical (SVL) for analysis instead of Pace National Laboratory (Pace) because Pace could not sieve the ISM samples nor crush the slag samples to the required fraction.
- Alta's field crew did not collect surface water samples from lake water in contact with the slag pile because the lake water level was too low.
- Surface water samples were not analyzed for pH, major ions (calcium [Ca], magnesium [Mg], potassium [K], sodium [Na], sulfate [SO<sub>4]</sub>, chloride [Cl-]), or total alkalinity.

### 3.2 Sediment Sampling

Alta conducted ISM sampling on sediments from the beach area surrounding the slag pile on March 1, 2023. The area between the lake (winter pool level) and previously sampled beach areas (BE1, BE2, and BE3) was divided into three decision units (DUs) (DU1, DU2, and DU3). Figure 2 shows the previously sampled beach areas and newly sampled DUs.

Alta determined subsample locations using the "random sampling in grid" approach described in Section 4.3.2 of ISM guidance (ITRC 2020). Each DU was divided into a grid pattern and subsamples were obtained from a random location within each grid cell.

Alta's field crew collected three (3) ISM samples (created from 30 subsamples within each DU). Field staff collected the ISM samples from the surface to a maximum depth of 6 inches below ground surface (bgs). Because the soil was frozen at all locations, field staff used a mine bar to break apart frozen soils at each subsample location and then used a stainless-steel trowel to scoop frozen soil chips into the sample container. The mine bar was decontaminated between each DU according to the decontamination procedure outlined in the QAPP Section 9.2 (Alta 2023). Field crews placed the soil from each DU into a 1-gallon Ziploc® bag and then double bagged the sample. At the time of sampling, the collected sediments were frozen, so samples were first thawed indoors and then homogenized by mixing the sediments thoroughly by hand while wearing single use, nitrile gloves.

Alta placed all ISM samples in a cooler kept in chilled conditions immediately after collection and held under chain-of-custody for shipment. ISM soil samples were sent to SVL for preparation following ITRC guidance and analysis for Total Metals (including Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg) by USEPA Method 6020 and by Method 7471A for mercury (USEPA 2007 and 1994a, respectively). Samples were dried and sieved through a -80 (180 micrometer [ $\mu$ m]) mesh sieve at the laboratory prior to analysis.

### 3.3 Slag Characterization Sampling

### 3.3.1 Slag SPLP Sampling

Alta conducted slag sampling on March 1, 2023. The field staff collected slag samples from the slag face using a rock hammer to break small pieces from the consolidated slag surface into a plastic bag. Field personnel collected rock chips from a vertical channel adjacent to the wall wash area, approximately 1 foot to the left of the wall wash area for each location. The sampling tool was decontaminated between sampling locations according to the decontamination procedure outlined in the QAPP Section 9.2 (Alta 2023).

Alta collected three (3) samples from the surface of the slag pile (corresponding with each wall wash location) for SPLP analysis to evaluate the leaching behavior of slag material.

Alta placed all slag samples in a cooler kept in chilled conditions immediately after collection and held under chain-of-custody for shipment. Slag samples were sent to SVL for sample preparation prior to SPLP analysis by USEPA Method 1312 (USEPA 1994b). SVL split each



slag sample into two equal portions and then crushed one portion to pass through a 9.5 millimeter (mm) screen and left the other portion uncrushed. Both crushed and uncrushed samples were analyzed for Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg by SPLP.

### 3.3.2 Wall Wash Sampling

Alta conducted wall wash and surface water sampling on March 1, 2023. Three (3) wall wash samples (plus one equipment blank) were collected from the slag face for analysis of pH, major ions (Ca, Mg, K, Na, SO<sub>4</sub>, Cl-), total alkalinity, and total and dissolved metals (Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg). Wall wash samples were completed using lake water collected outside of the Site boundaries and followed procedures developed by the Mine Environmental Neutral Drainage (MEND) program.

For each sample, field staff located a relatively flat surface of slag measuring no greater than 1 meter by 1 meter and installed flexible plastic sheeting along the bottom limb using silicone caulking to affix plastic sheeting to the rock face. The plastic sheeting was installed so that it could be held up such that all water caught on it was captured for sample collection. At least 1 liter (L) of lake water (collected at least 100 feet from the project Site) was poured over the slag surface and allowed to drain off to collect on the plastic sheeting and then transferred to laboratory-supplied sample bottles. The volume of water applied to the slag and the volume of water recovered was recorded. Samples for dissolved analytes were field filtered by collecting rinse water onto a single-use 0.45  $\mu$ m Nalgene filter, using a hand vacuum-pump to process water through the filter, and then transferring the filtered sample into sample containers. Unfiltered samples for total analytes were transferred directly into a sample container.

The wall wash equipment blank was collected by rinsing a blank sheet of the wall wash plastic and caulk with the lake surface water in the same manner as the wall wash samples.

One (1) surface water sample (plus one duplicate, one field blank, and one rinsate blank) was collected from the lake from the same location that surface water was obtained for wall wash sampling. Surface water sample results are considered baseline and used for comparison to wall wash sample results.

Surface water samples were collected using the dip sampling method from the *Techniques of Water-Resources Investigations (TWRI), Book 9, Chapter A4, Collection of Water Samples* (USGS 2006).

Field staff used a decontaminated non-metallic grab sampler to collect the sample. During sample collection, field staff opened a hole in the ice and collected samples from the hole, taking care to avoid collecting particulates that could be re-suspended from the lake bottom. Samples were mixed in a churn splitter. Similar to wall wash samples, samples for dissolved analytes were field filtered by collecting rinse water in a single-use 0.45  $\mu$ m Nalgene filter, using a hand vacuum-pump to process water through the filter, and then transferring the filtered sample into sample containers. Unfiltered samples for total analytes were transferred directly into a sample container.

Water quality parameters including specific conductance, temperature, pH, dissolved oxygen (DO), oxygen reduction potential (ORP), and turbidity were measured using a multi-parameter water quality probe immediately after the sample was collected. Water quality parameters for surface water samples are included in Appendix A.

Alta placed all surface water and wall wash samples in a cooler kept in chilled conditions immediately after collection and held under chain-of-custody for shipment. Wall wash samples were sent to Pace for analysis of pH by SM 4500-H+B (SMO 2018a), major ions (Ca, Mg, K and Na by USEPA 6020 [USEPA 2007] and SO<sub>4</sub> and Cl- by USEPA 300.0 [USEPA 1993]), total



alkalinity by SM 2320 B (SMO 2018b), and total and dissolved metals (Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg) by USEPA Methods 6020 (USEPA 2007) and 7470 (USEPA 1994c). Surface water samples were submitted for analysis of total and dissolved metals (Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg) by USEPA Methods 6020 (USEPA 2007) and 7470 (USEPA 1994c) and hardness by USEPA 130.1 (USEPA 1971).

### 3.4 Geotechnical Sampling

Alta conducted geotechnical sampling on March 1, 2023. The field technician collected one sample from a representative lithology of excavated soil from each test pit for geotechnical analyses.

At least one 5-gallon bucket was collected per geotechnical sample in order to meet the laboratory's sample volume requirements. Material greater than 4 inches in diameter was removed, to a practical extent, prior to placing the sample in the sample container. Due to soil composition, it was determined that one 5-gallon bucket per sample was sufficient in quantity to submit for analysis.

Alta collected five (5) samples from three test pits excavated by excavator in the footprint of the proposed onsite waste repository. Samples were collected from each vertical change in lithology. Following sample collection, remaining excavated soils were returned to the test pit. Figure 2 shows test pit locations.

Geotechnical samples were held under chain-of-custody for shipment to WSP's geotechnical laboratory for particle size determination (particle size testing) and Atterberg limits.

Sample photographs can be found in Appendix B.

### Section 4 Data Quality Assurance Evaluation

Section 5.0 of the QAPP outlines the data quality objectives (DQOs) and criteria (Alta 2023). Alta's project Quality Assurance Officer (QAO) reviewed field documentation, results of field and laboratory Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) samples, and data reported by the laboratory to ensure that the data had been recorded, transmitted, and processed correctly, and to determine that DQOs were met. Appendix C includes the Analytical Laboratory Results and Chain of Custody Documentation and Appendix D includes the Site-specific QA/QC Memorandum which provides a summary of the data validation and data quality assessment performed by Alta.

### 4.1 Data Accuracy and Precision

Based on this data quality review, Alta determines the laboratory and field data to be of acceptable quality except for the qualifications that are discussed below.

### 4.1.1 Accuracy

Alta's QAO qualified the following data based on accuracy results (laboratory control spike or matrix spike [MS]):

- Total and dissolved As, and total and dissolved Zn are qualified as estimated (J) in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD due to the MS analysis not sourced from the Site.
- Dissolved Zn in sample PSRC-SW-1-RB is qualified as estimated (J) due to the MS analysis not sourced from the Site.



- All results in PSRC-SW-1, PSRC-SW-1-FD, PSRC-SW-1-FB, and PSRC-SW-1-RB that are below the method detection limit are qualified as estimated (UJ) due to the MS analysis not sourced from the Site.
- Total Zn in sample PSRC-SL-1 (sieved) will be qualified as estimated with a low bias (J-) based on a low MS/MS Duplicate (MSD) %R.

### 4.1.2 Precision

Alta's QAO will qualify the following data based on precision results (MSD or field duplicate):

- Total and dissolved As, and total and dissolved Zn are qualified as estimated (J) in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the Site.
- Dissolved Zn in sample PSRC-SW-1-RB is qualified as estimated (J) due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the Site.
- All results in PSRC-SW-1, PSRC-SW-1-FD, PSRC-SW-1-FB, and PSRC-SW-1-RB that are below the method detection limit are qualified as estimated (UJ) due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the Site.

### 4.2 Data Sensitivity

Method blanks, field blanks, rinsate blanks, silica sand blanks, and equipment blanks were collected to assess sample collection and decontamination methods in the field and laboratory. The following data is qualified based on detections in a blank sample:

- Total As in samples PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1 will be reported at the reporting limit (RL) and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.
- Total As in samples PSRC-SL-1 (sieved), PSRC-SL-2 (sieved), and PSRC-SL-3 (sieved) will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a method blank detection.
- Total Zn in samples PSRC-SL-2 (sieved) and PSRC-SL-3 (sieved) will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a method blank detection.
- Total lead in samples PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1 will be reported at the processed silica blank result (26.5 mg/kg) and qualified as estimated with a high bias (J+).
- Total and dissolved Zn in sample PSRC-WW-EB will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.
- Hardness as CaCO3, Cl-, SO<sub>4</sub>, Ca, Mg, K, Na, and dissolved As will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-1 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Hardness as CaCO3, Cl-, SO<sub>4</sub>, Ca, Mg, K, and Na will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-2 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Hardness as CaCO3, Cl-, SO<sub>4</sub>, Ca, Mg, K, Na, and dissolved As will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-3 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Total and dissolved Zn in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.

It should be noted that one or more sample and/or QC results were flagged "B," "E," "T8," and "V" by the laboratory to indicate QC parameters that did not meet the laboratory or method QC criteria. These flags are qualitative and do not necessarily indicate that data validation qualifier



should be assigned. Except for "J" flags, laboratory-assigned qualifiers are for informational purposes only. Data validation qualifiers, if assigned, supersede the laboratory-assigned flags.

#### 4.3 Data Usability

The Alta QAO did not reject any data; therefore, according to the QAPP (Alta 2023), the completeness for this sampling event is calculated at 100%, which meets the DQO of 90%.

### Section 5 Results

This section summarizes the ISM sediment, slag, wall wash and surface water, and geotechnical sample results.

#### 5.1 Sediment Sample Results

ISM sample results were compared to USEPA's Resident Soil Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) (USEPA 2022a) and U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) background values for Bonner County (USGS 2016). No metals were detected at concentrations that exceed the USEPA RSLs and mean background values.

Arsenic was not detected in any ISM samples. However, the reporting limit for As (3.00 mg/kg) exceeds the Resident Soil RSLs (0.68 mg/kg); therefore, As may be present at the Site at concentrations greater than the RSL but below the mean background value of 5.68 mg/kg.

Table 1 summarizes the ISM results (expressed in mg/kg). Figure 2 shows ISM sampling locations.

### 5.2 Slag Characterization Results

Slag characterization samples include Slag SPLP and wall wash samples. The analytical results for these samples will be used to characterize the environmental behavior of the slag to inform the Site cleanup approach during cleanup design. Specifically, the geochemical analysis results (pH, major ions and metals) for wall wash samples and SPLP results will be used to evaluate the leaching potential of slag material. A geochemical evaluation will be completed in a subsequent technical memorandum that further summarizes SPLP and wall wash sample results and provides recommendations on the possible containment or isolation of the slag pile from surface water.

### 5.2.1 Slag SPLP Sample Results

Alta collected three (3) slag pile samples from the surface or slope faces of the slag pile for SPLP analysis to evaluate the leaching behavior of slag material. Prior to analysis, each sample was split into two equal portions. One portion was crushed to pass through a 9.5 mm screen and the other portion was left uncrushed. SPLP leachate for both crushed and uncrushed samples was then analyzed for Pb, Cd, Zn, As, and Hg.

Arsenic, Pb and Zn were detected in SPLP leachate from the three uncrushed slag samples while Pb only was detected in SPLP leachate from the three crushed slag samples.

Table 2 summarizes SPLP metals results for crushed and uncrushed slag samples (expressed in mg/L). Figure 2 shows slag sample locations.



### 5.2.2 Surface Water and Wall Wash Sample Results

Alta collected one (1) surface water sample (and one duplicate sample) from lake water that was not in contact with the slag pile to use as the lixiviant for the wall wash samples.

No constituents of concern were detected above the IDAPA Water Quality Standards (IDAPA 58.01.02) in the groundwater sample collected from the lake.

Alta collected three (3) wall wash samples from the slag face. Wall wash samples were collected following procedures developed by the MEND program.

Metals concentrations in wall wash samples were compared to metals concentrations in the surface water sample. With the exception of Hg, all metals were detected in wall wash samples at concentrations at least an order of magnitude above those in the baseline surface water samples. Total and dissolved As concentrations in wall wash samples were 1 to 2 orders of magnitude greater than concentrations in the surface waters sample and total and dissolved Pb and Zn were several orders of magnitude greater than concentrations in surface water samples.

Table 3 summarizes the wall wash analytical results (expressed in mg/L). Figure 2 shows surface water and wall wash sampling locations.

#### 5.3 Geotechnical Test Pit Sample Results

Geotechnical results will be used to develop design criteria for the onsite waste repository and discussed in more detail in a subsequent technical memorandum. Appendix E includes geotechnical results (e.g., particle size determination [particle size testing] and Atterberg limits) and test pit soil logs. Appendix F includes the archaeological monitoring report. A brief description of observations for each geotechnical test pit is provided below.

Test pit 1 (TP-1) was advanced to a total depth of 6 feet bgs. The top 0-1 feet contained heavy root and organic material with charcoal and red brick from former structures onsite. At 1-2 feet, tan to yellowish brown clay silt with very fine sands were encountered. From 2-4 feet, there was a higher percentage of sand (~80%), underlain by tan buff to light gray silty clays from 4-6 feet. From 1-6 feet are thinly bedded glaciofluvial/lacustrine deposits.

Test pit 2 (TP-2) was advanced to a total depth of 6 feet bgs. The top 0-0.5 feet contained heavy root and organic material with red brick. A concrete footing with steel I-beam support was encountered within the first foot of excavation, so the excavation was moved to the northeast to avoid it. From 0.5-2 feet, light gray silty sands with brownish red mottling were encountered. Soil from 0.5-2 feet appeared to be heavily disturbed by historical building activities. From 2-6 feet, tan-buff light gray silty clays were encountered. From 2-6 feet are thinly bedded glaciofluvial/lacustrine deposits.

Test pit 3 (TP-3) was advanced to a total depth of 6 feet bgs. The top 0-1 feet contained dark brown sandy silt with heavy root and organic material. From 1-6 feet, yellow-brown to light gray clay silts and sands were encountered with a sandy lens from 4-4.5 feet. From 1-6 feet are thinly bedded glaciofluvial/lacustrine deposits.

#### 5.4 Discussion

ISM sample results indicate that sediments within the sampled DUs do not contain Cd, Hg, Pb, or Zn at concentrations above the USEPA Resident Soil RSL. However, As, which was not detected above the reporting limit of 3.00 mg/kg, could be present in sediments at concentrations above the RSL and below mean background values. Sediment sampling conducted in 2012 along the beach nearest the slag pile and shoreline (BE1, BE2, and BE3



shown in Figure 2) indicated As in sediments at concentrations above the USEPA Resident Soil RSL and below mean background (range from 2.81 to 6.43 mg/kg) and Pb in sediments at concentrations below the USEPA Resident Soil RSL (ranging from 37.8 to 350 mg/kg). In both 2012 and 2023, beach sediment samples that were visibly impacted by eroding slag were sieved to less than 180 µm which may have removed larger slag particles prior to laboratory analysis.

Slag SPLP and wall wash sample results suggest that As, Pb, and Zn have the potential to leach from slag material to nearby surface water. In addition, the presence of total and dissolved As, Cd, Pb, and Zn in wall wash samples at concentrations 1 to several orders of magnitude greater than surface water used for wall wash samples indicates that metals may have the potential to mobilize from the slag pile to nearby surface water. These results will be used to inform the Site cleanup approach during cleanup design. A geochemical evaluation will be completed in a subsequent technical memorandum that further summarizes SPLP and wall wash sample results and provides recommendations on the potential need to contain or isolate the slag pile from storm and surface water.

Particle size determination and Atterberg limits results (presented in Appendix E) for soils in the footprint of a proposed onsite waste repository will be used to develop design criteria for the repository and will be discussed in more detail in a subsequent technical memorandum.

### Section 6 Conclusions and Recommendations

### 6.1 Conclusions

Based on the available information and Site-specific data collected, Alta concludes the following:

- No metals were detected in ISM sediment samples at concentrations that exceed the USEPA RSLs and mean background values. Arsenic was not detected in any sediment sample; however, the reporting limit for As (3.00 mg/kg) exceeds the Resident Soil RSLs (0.68 mg/kg). Therefore, As may be present at the Site at concentrations greater than the RSL but below the mean background value of 5.68 mg/kg for Bonner County. Arsenic concentrations in ISM sediment samples are comparable to concentrations in composite soil samples collected near the slag pile in 2012.
- Slag characterization samples including Slag SPLP and wall wash samples suggest that metals have the potential to leach or mobilize from slag material to nearby surface water. Slag SPLP samples had detections of As, Pb, and Zn and wall wash samples had detections of total and dissolved As, Cd, Pb, and Zn in wall wash samples at concentrations orders of magnitude greater than surface water used for wall wash samples.

#### 6.2 Recommendations

Alta recommends the following:

• Conduct additional surface water sampling in summer when the lake is in contact with the slag pile to further evaluate the potential for metals to leach/mobilize from slag material to the Lake Pend Oreille.



- Use available slag characterization data (SPLP and wall wash sample results) to complete a geochemical evaluation of the slag material with recommendations on the potential need to contain or isolate the slag pile from storm and surface water.
- Include the 2023 ISM sediment results and existing Site characterization data from previous assessments to develop Site-specific cleanup criteria and evaluate and identify cleanup alternatives for the PSRC.

### Section 7 Clean and Green Reporting

In accordance with the Green Remediation Objectives outlined in USEPA Region 10 Clean and Green Policy, Alta implemented several sustainable technologies and practices to minimize the overall environmental footprint on this project, including the following:

- Reduced use of paper products, project correspondence, plans, and reports were conveyed via electronic transmittal.
- Coordinated Site visits with additional work in the project/Site vicinity, further reducing fuel consumption and greenhouse gas emissions.



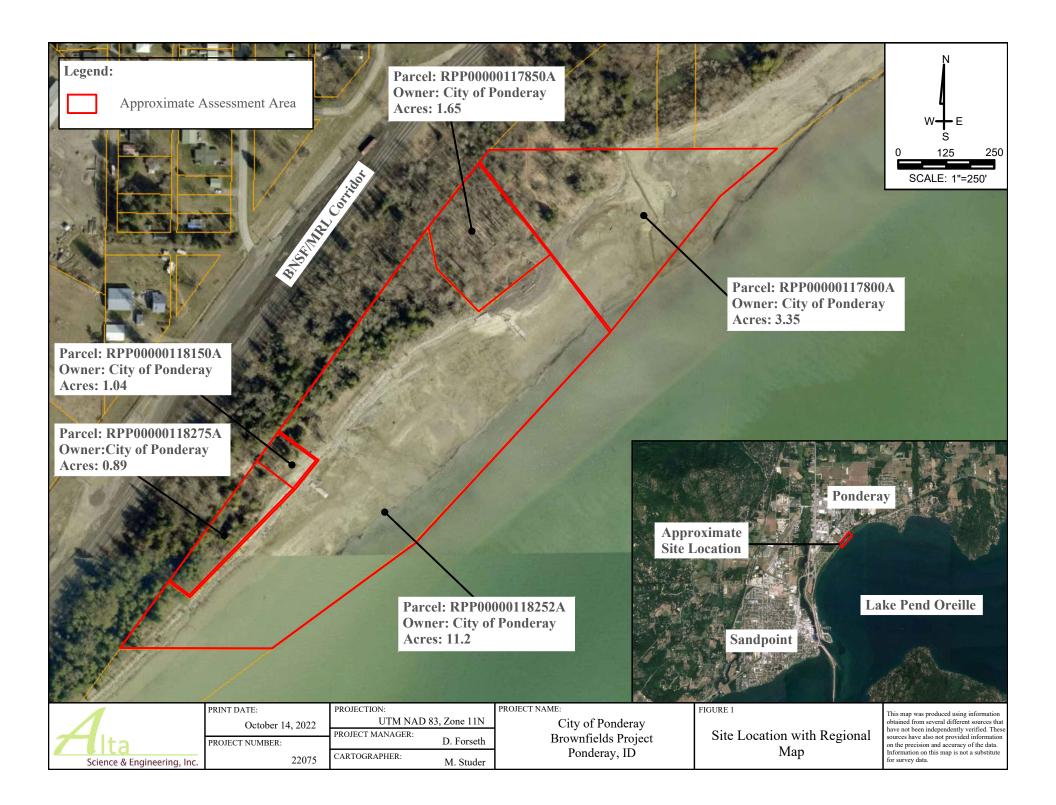
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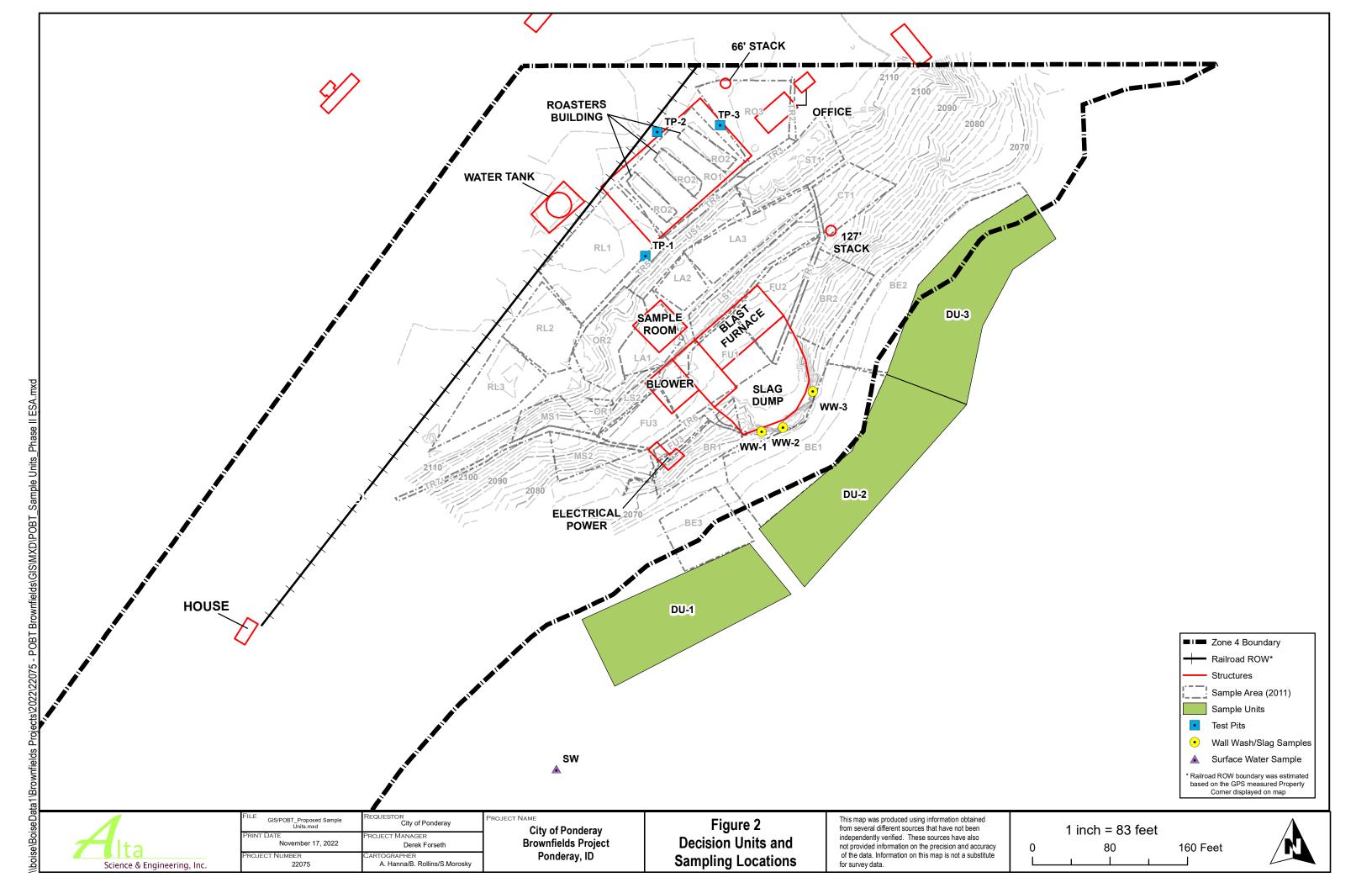
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#### Table 1. ISM Sample Results

Sample ID	Date	Unit	Arsenic		Cadmium	Mercury		Lead
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1								
Result	3/1/2023	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.145	ND		26.5
RL		mg/kg	3.00		0.100	0.0330		0.160
MDL		mg/kg	0.118		0.0720	0.0110		0.104
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2								
Result	3/1/2023	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.139	ND		26.5
RL		mg/kg	3.00		0.100	0.0330		0.160
MDL		mg/kg	0.118		0.0720	0.0110		0.104
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 ††								
Result	3/1/2023	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.157	ND		26.5
RL		mg/kg	3.00		0.100	0.0330		0.160
MDL		mg/kg	0.118		0.0720	0.0110		0.104
PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1								
Result	3/1/2023	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.135	ND		26.5
RL		mg/kg	3.00		0.100	0.0330		0.160
MDL		mg/kg	0.118		0.0720	0.0110		0.104
PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1	0/4/0000	<i>n</i>	0.00		0.400	0.045		00 F
Result	3/1/2023	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.136	0.015	J	26.5
RL		mg/kg	3.00		0.100	0.0330		0.160
MDL		mg/kg	0.118		0.0720	0.0110		0.104
		Mean	5.68		_	0.0780		30.8
Bonner County Background Levels <sup>1</sup>	l	Vinimum	1.11		-	0.0200		24.1
	N	/laximum	27.6		-	0.129		82.8
USEPA RSL Resi	ident Soil		0.68		7.10	11.0		400
Notos:								

Notes:

Analytical tests for arsenic, cadmium, lead and zinc used USEPA Method 6020B. Mercury used USEPA Method 7470A.

Analytical tests for calcium, potassium, magnesium, and sodium used USEPA Method 6010B.

Analytical tests for pH used USEPA Method 9040C.

Analytical tests for sulfate used USEPA Method 9056A.

<sup>1</sup>USGS 2016. https://mrdata.usgs.gov/geochem/county.php?place=f16017&el=As&rf=northwestern

†† The higher of the laboratory replicate sample is shown

USEPA Regional Screening Level (RSL) Resident Soil (November 2022)

mg/kg = milligram per kilogram

A shaded cell indicates a reporting limit (RL) that is higher than the RSL.

ND = not detected above the method detection limit

U = as a result of internal data validation, these results are reported at the RL and qualified as not detected.

J+ = as a result of internal data validation, these results are reported at the blank result and estimated with a high bias.

	Zinc
J+	47.3 8.00 6.40
J+	43.4 8.00 6.40
J+	38.5 8.00 6.40
J+	48.7 8.00 6.40
J+	62.8 8.00 6.40
	72.3
	35.7
	180.4
	23,000

### Table 2. Slag SPLP Sample Results

Sample ID	Date	рН	Unit	Arsenic		Cadmium	Mercury	Lead	Zinc	
PSRC-SL-1 Result RL	3/1/2023	9.31	mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.00495 0.00300		0.000076 J 0.000200	ND 0.000200	0.0640 0.00100	0.0409 0.00500	
MDL PSRC-SL-2 Result RL	3/1/2023	9.51	mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.000210 0.0295 0.00300		0.0000630 ND 0.00020	0.0000930 ND 0.00020	0.000140 0.0217 0.00100	0.00200 0.0260 0.00500	
MDL PSRC-SL-3 Result RL MDL	3/1/2023	9.42	mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.000210 0.00624 0.00300 0.000210		0.0000630 ND 0.00020 0.0000630	0.0000930 ND 0.00020 0.0000930	0.000140 0.0276 0.00100 0.000140	0.00200 0.0222 0.00500 0.00200	
<b>PSRC-SL-1 (Sieved)</b> Result RL MDL	3/1/2023	8.99	mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.00300 0.00300 0.000210	U	ND 0.00020 0.0000630	ND 0.00020 0.0000930	0.00522 0.00100 0.000140	0.0132 0.00500 0.00200	J-
<b>PSRC-SL-2 (Sieved)</b> Result RL MDL	3/1/2023	9.27	mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.00300 0.00300 0.000210	U	ND 0.00020 0.0000630	ND 0.00020 0.0000930	0.00404 0.00100 0.000140	0.00500 0.00500 0.00200	U
PSRC-SL-3 (Sieved) Result RL MDL	3/1/2023	9.23	mg/L extract mg/L extract mg/L extract	0.00300 0.00300 0.000210	U	ND 0.00020 0.0000630	ND 0.00020 0.0000930	0.0186 0.00100 0.000140	0.00500 0.00500 0.00200	U

Notes:

Analytical tests for arsenic, cadmium, lead and zinc used USEPA Method 6020B. Mercury used USEPA Method 7470A.

Analytical test for pH used USEPA Method 1312.

mg/L = milligram per liter

ND = not detected above the method detection limit (MDL)

U = as a result of internal data validation, these results are reported at the RL and qualified as not detected.

J - = result is an estimate with low bias

J = result is an estimate

# Table 3. Surface Water and Wall Wash Sample Results

Sample ID	Date	Unit	Arsenic (Total)	Arsenic (Dissolved)	Cadmium (Total)	Cadmium (Dissolved)	Lead (Total)	Lead (Dissolved)	Zinc (Total)	Zinc (Dissolved)	Mercury (Total)	Mercury (Dissolved)	Calcium	Potassium		Magnesium	Sodium	Sulfate	Chloride	Total Alkalinity	Hardness	Ηq
PSRC-SW-1 ††																						
Result	3/1/2023	mg/L	0.000857 J	0.000676 J	ND UJ	ND UJ	ND	UJ ND UJ	0.0250 U	0.0250	U ND U	J ND UJ	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	250	-
Reporting Limit		mg/L	0.00200	0.00200	0.00100	0.00100	0.00200	0.00200	0.0250	0.0250	0.000200	0.000200	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	60.0	-
Method Detection Limit		mg/L	0.000180	0.000180	0.000150	0.000150	0.000849	0.000849	0.00302	0.00302	0.000100	0.000100	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-
PSRC-WW-1																						
Result	3/1/2023	mg/L	0.0362	0.00136 J	0.00138	ND	5.20	0.0405	3.84	0.110	ND	ND	98.6	J 4.20	J	18.9 J	7.84 J	29.9	J 22.3 J	223	247	J 8.52
Reporting Limit		mg/L	0.00200	0.00200	0.00100	0.00100	0.00200	0.00200	0.0250	0.0250	0.000200	0.000200	1.00	2.00		1.00	3.00	5.00	0.379	20.0	150	-
Method Detection Limit		mg/L	0.000180	0.000180	0.000150	0.000150	0.000849	0.000849	0.00302	0.00302	0.000100	0.000100	0.0793	0.261		0.0853	0.504	0.594	1.00	8.45	75.0	-
PSRC-WW-2																						
Result	3/1/2023	mg/L	0.0257	0.0265	0.000815 J	0.000799 J	3.72	3.54	2.56	2.55	ND	ND	87.6	J 1.96	J	18.2 J	8.03 J	15.5	J 24.5 J	213	254	J 8.41
Reporting Limit		mg/L	0.00200	0.00200	0.00100	0.00100	0.00200	0.00200	0.0250	0.0250	0.000200	0.000200	1.00	2.00		1.00	3.00	5.00	0.379	20.0	150	-
Method Detection Limit		mg/L	0.000180	0.000180	0.000150	0.000150	0.000849	0.000849	0.00302	0.00302	0.000100	0.000100	0.0793	0.261		0.0853	0.504	0.594	1.00	8.45	75.0	-
PSRC-WW-3																						
Result	3/1/2023	mg/L	0.00827	0.00144 J	0.000725 J	ND	2.09	0.105	0.962	0.0774	ND	ND	94.5	J 5.86	J	21.3 J	8.38 J	36.1	J <b>25.1</b> J	238	286	J 8.35
Reporting Limit		mg/L	0.0020	0.0020	0.0010	0.00100	0.00200	0.00200	0.0250	0.0250	0.000200	0.000200	1.00	2.00		1.00	3.00	5.00	0.379	20.0	150	-
Method Detection Limit		mg/L	0.000180	0.000180	0.000150	0.000150	0.000849	0.000849	0.00302	0.00302	0.000100	0.000100	0.0793	0.261		0.0853	0.504	0.594	1.00	8.45	75.0	-

Notes:

Analytical tests for arsenic, cadmium, lead and zinc used USEPA Method 6020B. Mercury used USEPA Method 7470A.

Analytical tests for calcium, potassium, magnesium, and sodium used USEPA Method 6010B.

Analytical tests for pH used USEPA Method 9040C.

Analytical tests for sulfate used USEPA Method 9056A.

Analytical tests for alkalinity used SM 2320B.

†† The higher of the duplicate sample is shown

mg/L = milligram per Liter

- = not available

ND = not detected above the method detection limit

J = concentration is an estimate

UJ = concentration is an estimate

U = as a result of internal data validation, these results are reported at the RL and qualified as not detected.

Appendix A Field Sheets



35 SAH/UB 3/1/23 PSRC Ponderay 3/1/23 PSRC Ponderay SAH/LB 22075-30-30 22075-30-30 Temp. 18.6°C YSI ProDSS calibration temp. end of day meter check pH: 4.00/7.00/10.00 pH: 4.13 17.16/10.11 ORP: 233.1 mV ORP: 50: 1,133 p.5/cm 50: DO: DO: 100.1% PSRC-SW-1-FD duplicate 1028 Safety tailgate at trailhead 0836 Sites Sampled MS/D off-site lake sample 1028 PSRC-SW-1 PSRC-SW-1-FB 1113 field blank PSRC-DUI-15M-0-0.5'-1 30-pt. random in grid 1218 PSRC-DUI-ISM-0-0.5'-2 replicate of DUI PSRC-DUI-ISM-0-0.5'-3 replicate of DUI Note: replicates are systematically offset from original) PSRC-DU2-15M-0-0.5-1 30 pf. randomingrid 1446 SAIF PSRS-DU3-15M-0-0.5'-1 30ph. random in grid 1520 PSRC-WW-1 wall wash (west) 1613 PSRC-SL-1 slag at wall wash 1 1635 1645 PSRC-WW-Z wall wash (center) 1650 PSRC-5L-2 slag at wall wash 2 PSRC-WW-3 wall wash (east) 1700 1705 PSRC-SL-3 slog at wall wash 3 PSRC-WW-EB wall wash equipment blank 1720 Ly on plastic sheeting and caulk PSRC-SW-1-RB on churn splitter 1848 SALA lite in the Rain 5414

#### Sample List:

Wall Wash Samples:

PSRC -WW-1 - wall rinsed with lake water

PSRC -WW-2 - wall rinsed with lake water

PSRC -WW-3 - wall rinsed with lake water

PSRC -WW-EB - Taken by rinsing a blank sheet of the wall wash plastic + caulk with lake water

#### Slag Samples:

PSRC-SL-1 - Slag collected 1ft to the left of PSRC-WW-1

PSRC-SL-2 - Slag collected 1ft to the left of PSRC-WW-2

PSRC-SL-3 - Slag collected 1ft to the left of PSRC-WW-3

#### Surface Water Samples:

PSRC -SW-1 - sample of lake water

PSRC -SW-1-FD - duplicate sampled of lake water

PSRC-SW-1-FB - field blank collected with DI water

PSRC-SW-1-RB - rinsate blank collected with DI water from Churn Splitter after decon

#### Field Notes:

Lots of ice on lake ~4 inches Had to break hole in ice to take lake water

1028 Sample time for lake water (initial) into churn splitter YSI Readings in lake

151 Neddings in lake

Wall wash area- approx. 3.5 ft wide by 2 feet tall Took slag samples approx. 1 ft to the left of wall wash locations

1613 WW-1 (leftmost) Lots of dirt washed into bottles, 6 liters applied, 2 liters recovered,

Water draining into fractures, not getting a lot of recovery

1635 Slag 1 collected

1645 WW-2 (middle) lots of dirt to bottles, 8 liters applied, 2 liters recovered,

Water draining into fractures, and not all being collected- observed drainage from below catchment plastic

1650 Slag 2 collected

1700 WW-3 (rightmost) less dirt into bottles, slag more grey here, 4 liters applied, 2.6 liters recovered

1705 Slag 3 collected

1720 WW-EB – collected by caulking down the middle of a plastic sheet, folding over, and running DI water over the plastic and caulk into the bottles



### SURFACE WATER SAMPLING RECORD

Project: PSRC Ponderay		Station Name: PSRC-SW-1					
Project Number: 22075-30	-30	Sample Number: PSRC-SW-1					
Location: Slag Pile/Lake		Weather: partly cloudy, cold					
Date: 3/1/2023	Time: 10:28	Samplers: SAH, LO					

### WATER QUALITY PARAMETERS

Equipment: YSI Pro DSS											
рН	Temp. (°C)	S.C. (μS/cm)	D.O. (mg/l)	D.O. (% Sat)							
7.46	1.4	385.3	12.98	98.6	290.0	0.00					

#### SAMPLES

Analytes	Total Metals	Dissolved
	(TM)	Metals (DM)
Sample ID	PSRC-SW-1	PSRC-SW-1
Time	10:28	10:28
Preservative	HNO <sub>3</sub>	HNO <sub>3</sub>
Filtered?	No	Yes
Container	250 mL poly	250 mL poly

Analytes	ТМ	DM
Sample ID	PSRC-SW-1-FD	PSRC-SW-1-FD
Time	10:28	10:28
Preservative	HNO <sub>3</sub>	HNO <sub>3</sub>
Filtered?	No	Yes
Container	250 mL poly	250 mL poly

### **QC SAMPLES**

Analytes	TM	DM
Sample ID	PSRC-SW-1-	PSRC-SW-1-
	FB	FB
Time	11:13	11:13
Preservative	HNO <sub>3</sub>	HNO <sub>3</sub>
Filtered?	No	Yes
Container	250 mL poly	250 mL poly

Analytes	TM	DM
Sample ID	PSRC-SW-1-RB	PSRC-SW-1-RB
Time	18:48	18:48
Preservative	HNO <sub>3</sub>	HNO <sub>3</sub>
Filtered?	No	Yes
Container	250 mL poly	250 mL poly

FLOW MEASUREMENTS: None/Not Applicable.

### NOTES/DEVIATIONS/OBSERVATIONS:

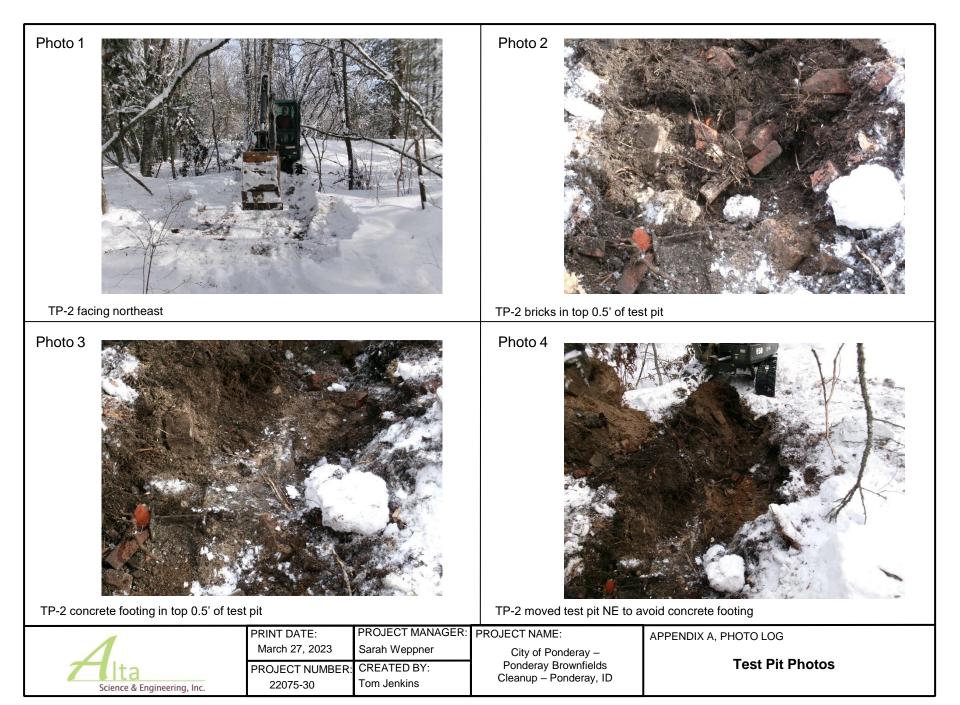
1. Rinsate blank taken on churn splitter.

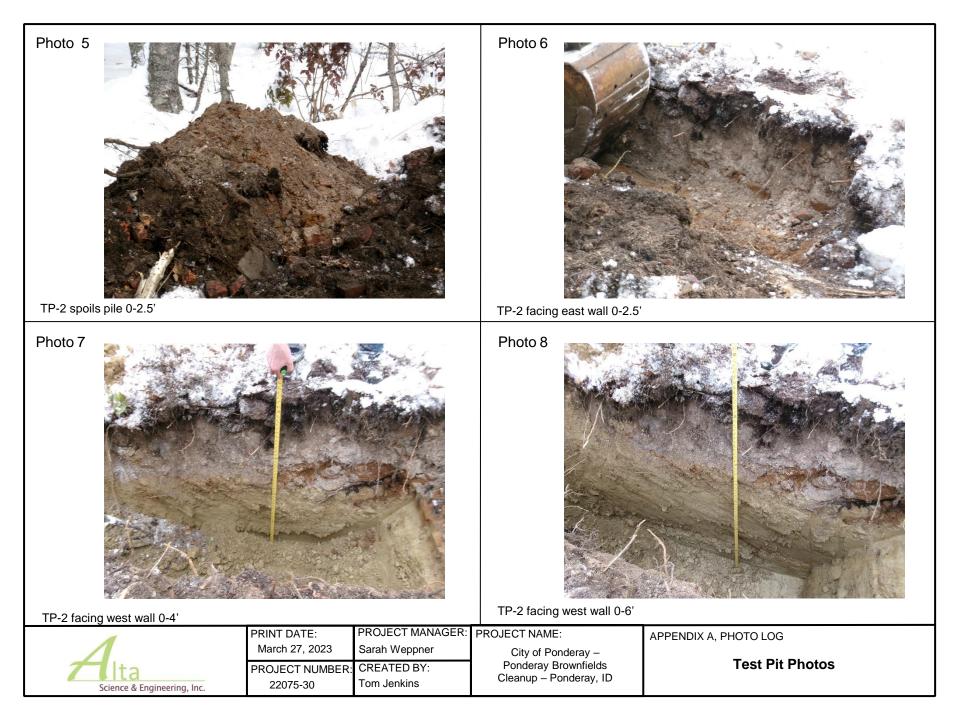
**De-Ionized Water:** Pace Laboratory (no date).

**Expendable Supplies Used:** 3 Nalgene bottles.

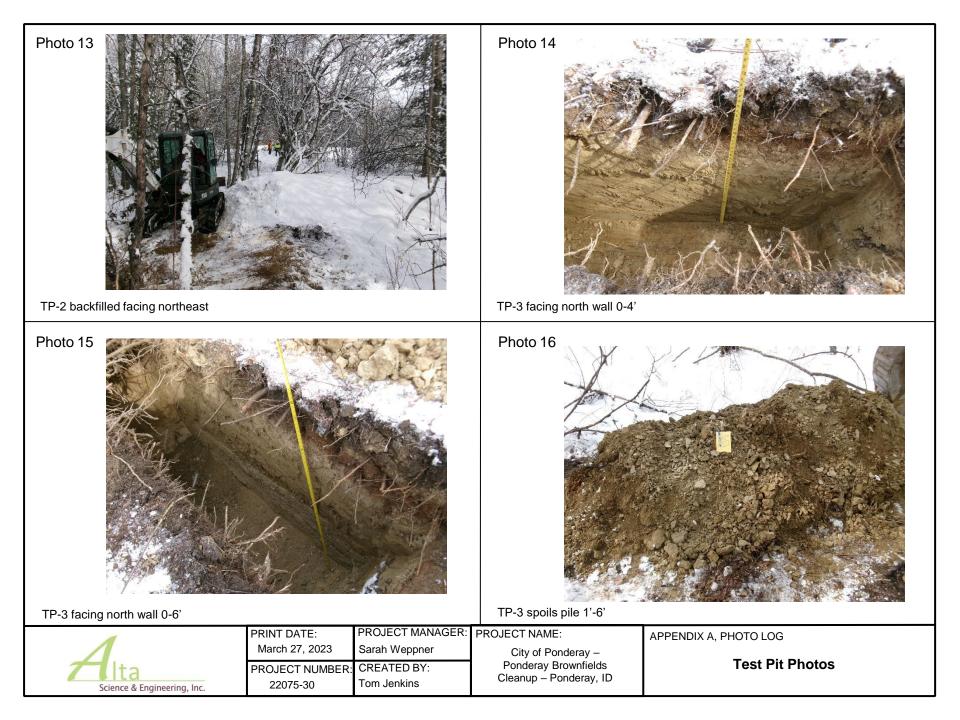
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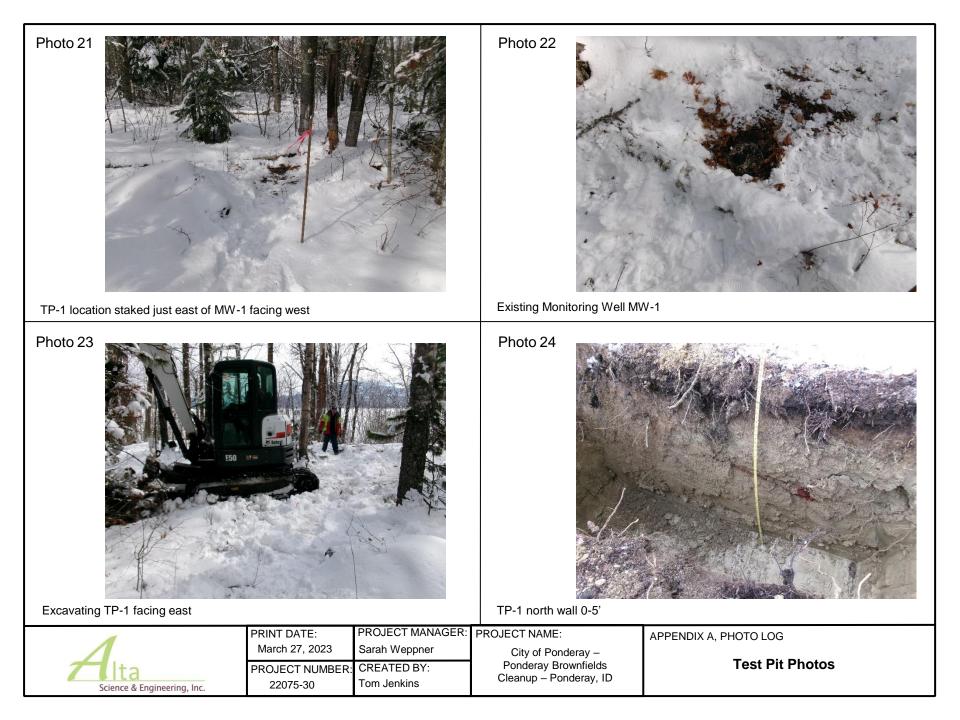


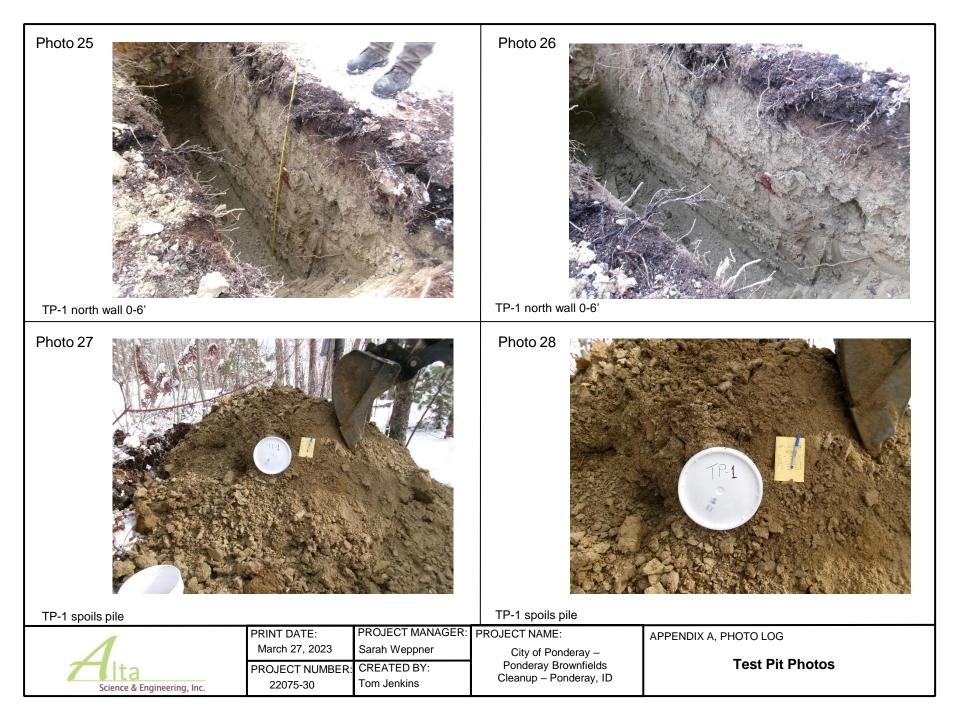












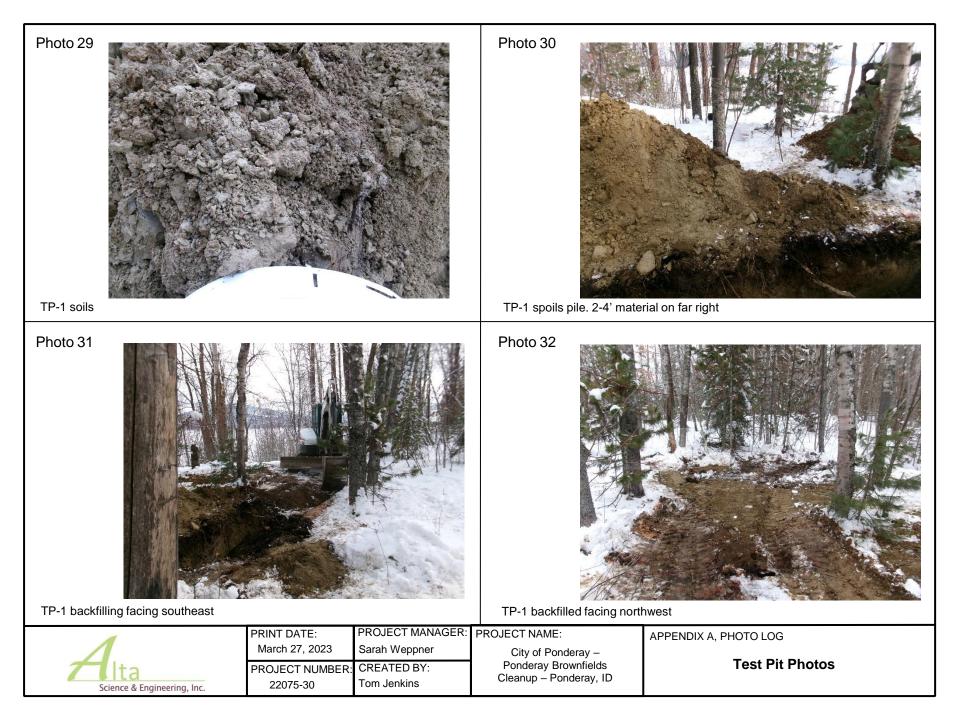


Photo 33			Photo 34	
Surface water sample location			ISM Sampling	
Photo 35			Photo 36	
Wall Wash Sample			Wall Wash Sample	
Alta	March 27, 2023 Sa	ROJECT MANAGER: arah Weppner REATED BY:	PROJECT NAME: City of Ponderay – Ponderay Brownfields Cleanup – Ponderay, ID	APPENDIX A, PHOTO LOG Test Pit Photos
Science & Engineering, Inc.		om Jenkins	Cleanup – Ponderay, ID	

# Appendix C

Analytical Laboratory Results and Chain of Custody Documentation





# Pace Analytical® ANALYTICAL REPORT

March 20, 2023

# Alta Science & Engineering, Inc

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PROJECT: 22075-30-30

SDG: L1592379

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# SAMPLE SUMMARY

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			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	te/time
PSRC-SW-1 L1592379-01 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 10:28	03/07/23 08	
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location
Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	2	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:42	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN
Aercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 18:37	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 17:50	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018851	1	03/08/23 12:33	03/08/23 17:11	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018857	1	03/08/23 17:24	03/08/23 19:43	SJM	Mt. Juliet, TN
			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	to/timo
PSRC-SW-1-FB L1592379-02 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 11:13	03/07/23 08	
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation	Analysis	Analyst	Location
			date/time	date/time	0.17	<del>.</del>
Net Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	1	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:28	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 18:59	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 17:56	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018851	1	03/08/23 12:33	03/08/23 17:24	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018857	1	03/08/23 17:24	03/08/23 20:19	SJM	Mt. Juliet, TN
			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	ite/time
PSRC-SW-1-FD L1592379-03 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 10:28	03/07/23 08	
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation	Analysis	Analyst	Location
			date/time	date/time		
Vet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	2	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:29	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:01	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
lercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:02	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018851	1	03/08/23 12:33	03/08/23 17:28	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018857	1	03/08/23 17:24	03/08/23 20:22	SJM	Mt. Juliet, TN
			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	te/time
PSRC-WW-1 L1592379-04 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 16:13	03/07/23 08:00	
<b>N</b> ethod	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location
Net Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	5	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:30	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011	WG2018889	1	03/08/23 12:27	03/08/23 12:27	ARD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 9040C	WG2019104	1	03/08/23 18:45	03/08/23 18:45	KAD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 9056A	WG2013104 WG2020189	1	03/09/23 16:35	03/09/23 16:35	LBR	Mt. Juliet, TN
Aercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685		03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:03	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
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Aercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:04	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B	WG2018852	1	03/08/23 08:22	03/08/23 12:36	ABL	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020 Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022319 WG2022331	1 1	03/13/23 15:43 03/14/23 07:28	03/14/23 13:26 03/14/23 12:06	JPD JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN Mt. Juliet, TN
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			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	
PSRC-WW-2 L1592379-05 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 16:45	03/07/23 08	
<i>l</i> lethod	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location
Vet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	5	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:31	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011	WG2018889	1	03/08/23 12:32	03/08/23 12:32	ARD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 9040C	WG2019104	1	03/08/23 18:45	03/08/23 18:45	KAD	Mt. Juliet, TN
Vet Chemistry by Method 9056A	WG2020189	1	03/09/23 21:22	03/09/23 21:22	LBR	Mt. Juliet, TN
Aercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:06	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Aercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:08	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN
Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018852 WG2022319	1 1	03/08/23 08:22 03/13/23 15:43	03/08/23 12:38 03/14/23 13:29	ABL JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN Mt. Juliet, TN
ACCOUNT:	PROJECT:		SDG:	DAT	E/TIME:	
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# SAMPLE SUMMARY

PSRC-WW-2 L1592379-05 GW			Collected by Shelley Hicks	Collected date/time 03/01/23 16:45	Received date/time 03/07/23 08:00		
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022331	1	03/14/23 07:28	03/14/23 12:19	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
PSRC-WW-3 L1592379-06 GW			Collected by Shelley Hicks	Collected date/time 03/01/23 17:00	Received da 03/07/23 08		
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location	
Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	5	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:32	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Net Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011	WG2018889	1	03/08/23 12:38	03/08/23 12:38	ARD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Wet Chemistry by Method 9040C	WG2019104	1	03/08/23 18:45	03/08/23 18:45	KAD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Wet Chemistry by Method 9056A	WG2020189	1	03/09/23 21:35	03/09/23 21:35	LBR	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:08	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:10	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B	WG2018852	1	03/08/23 08:22	03/08/23 12:41	ABL	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022319	1	03/13/23 15:43	03/14/23 13:32	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022331	1	03/14/23 07:28	03/14/23 12:22	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
			Collected by	Collected date/time	Received da	te/time	
PSRC-WW-EB L1592379-07 GW			Shelley Hicks	03/01/23 17:20	03/07/23 08	03/07/23 08:00	
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location	
Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	5	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:33	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Wet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011	WG2018889	1	03/08/23 12:43	03/08/23 12:43	ARD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Net Chemistry by Method 9040C	WG2019104	1	03/08/23 18:45	03/08/23 18:45	KAD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Net Chemistry by Method 9056A	WG2020189	1	03/09/23 21:47	03/09/23 21:47	LBR	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:10	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:12	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B	WG2018852	1	03/08/23 08:22	03/08/23 12:44	ABL	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022319	1	03/13/23 15:43	03/14/23 13:36	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2022331	1	03/14/23 07:28	03/14/23 12:26	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	
PSRC-SW-1-RB L1592379-08 GW			Collected by Shelley Hicks	Collected date/time 03/01/23 18:48	Received date/time 03/07/23 08:00		
Method	Batch	Dilution	Preparation date/time	Analysis date/time	Analyst	Location	
Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1	WG2017850	1	03/09/23 12:31	03/09/23 21:36	CAT	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018685	1	03/08/23 13:16	03/08/23 19:12	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Mercury by Method 7470A	WG2018757	1	03/08/23 13:06	03/08/23 18:14	AKB	Mt. Juliet, TN	
Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020	WG2018851	1	03/08/23 12:33	03/08/23 17:51	JPD	Mt. Juliet, TN	

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# CASE NARRATIVE

All sample aliquots were received at the correct temperature, in the proper containers, with the appropriate preservatives, and within method specified holding times, unless qualified or notated within the report. Where applicable, all MDL (LOD) and RDL (LOQ) values reported for environmental samples have been corrected for the dilution factor used in the analysis. All Method and Batch Quality Control are within established criteria except where addressed in this case narrative, a non-conformance form or properly qualified within the sample results. By my digital signature below, I affirm to the best of my knowledge, all problems/anomalies observed by the laboratory as having the potential to affect the quality of the data have been identified by the laboratory, and no information or data have been knowingly withheld that would affect the quality of the data.

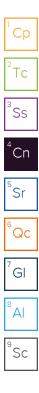
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## Sample Delivery Group (SDG) Narrative

No extra volume received to perform Matrix Spike samples.

Lab Sample ID L1592379-01 Project Sample ID PSRC-SW-1 **Method** 130.1



SDG: L1592379 DATE/TIME: 03/20/23 09:30

# PSRC-SW-1 Collected date/time: 03/01/23 10:28

### SAMPLE RESULTS - 01 L1592379

## Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1									
	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Ср
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		2	2
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	250		30.0	60.0	2	03/09/2023 21:42	WG2017850		Тс

# Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:37	WG2018685	
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 17:50	WG2018757	⁵Sr

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Arsenic	0.000857	J	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 19:43	WG2018857
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.000676	J	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:11	<u>WG2018851</u>
Cadmium	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 19:43	WG2018857
Cadmium,Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 17:11	<u>WG2018851</u>
_ead	U		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 19:43	<u>WG2018857</u>
Lead, Dissolved	U		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:11	<u>WG2018851</u>
Zinc	0.00767	J	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 19:43	WG2018857
Zinc,Dissolved	0.00554	J	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 17:11	<u>WG2018851</u>

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# PSRC-SW-1-FB

# Collected date/time: 03/01/23 11:13

#### SAMPLE RESULTS - 02 L1592379

## Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1										
	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Ср	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time			2	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	U		15.0	30.0	1	03/09/2023 21:28	WG2017850		<sup>-</sup> Tc	

# Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		 Cn
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:59	WG2018685	
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 17:56	WG2018757	⁵Sr

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

analyte			RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	
analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l		date / time		
vrsenic	U	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 20:19	<u>WG2018857</u>	
Arsenic, Dissolved	U	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:24	<u>WG2018851</u>	
Cadmium	U	0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 20:19	<u>WG2018857</u>	
Cadmium, Dissolved	U	0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 17:24	<u>WG2018851</u>	
ead	U	0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 20:19	WG2018857	
ead, Dissolved	U	0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:24	<u>WG2018851</u>	
linc	U	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 20:19	<u>WG2018857</u>	
inc,Dissolved	U	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 17:24	WG2018851	

SDG: L1592379 Ss

# PSRC-SW-1-FD

# Collected date/time: 03/01/23 10:28

#### SAMPLE RESULTS - 03 L1592379

## Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1										
	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Ср	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time			2	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	244		30.0	60.0	2	03/09/2023 21:29	WG2017850		⁻Tc	

# Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:01	WG2018685	
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:02	WG2018757	⁵Sr

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

Arsenic,Dissolved         0.000658         J         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/08/2023 17:28         WG2018851           Cadmium         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 20:22         WG2018857           Cadmium,Dissolved         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 17:28         WG2018857
Arsenic,Dissolved         0.000658         J         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/08/2023 17:28         WG2018851           Cadmium         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 20:22         WG2018857           Cadmium,Dissolved         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 17:28         WG2018857
Cadmium, Dissolved         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 20:22         WG2018857           Cadmium, Dissolved         U         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/08/2023 17:28         WG2018851
Cadmium,Dissolved U 0.000150 0.00100 1 03/08/2023 17:28 WG2018851
Lead U 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/08/2023 20:22 <u>WG2018857</u>
Lead,Dissolved U 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/08/2023 17:28 WG2018851
Zinc 0.00663 <u>J</u> 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/08/2023 20:22 <u>WG2018857</u>
Zinc,Dissolved 0.00520 J 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/08/2023 17:28 WG2018851

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#### SAMPLE RESULTS - 04 L1592379

# Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	Cp	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		2	1
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	247		75.0	150	5	03/09/2023 21:30	WG2017850	Tc	

# Wet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Alkalinity	223		8.45	20.0	1	03/08/2023 12:27	<u>WG2018889</u>	⁵Sr
Sample Narrative:								

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-04 WG2018889: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace

# Wet Chemistry by Method 9040C

	Result	Qualifier	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	<sup>′</sup> Gl
Analyte	su			date / time		
рН	8.52	<u>T8</u>	1	03/08/2023 18:45	WG2019104	<sup>8</sup> Al

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-04 WG2019104: 8.52 at 18.5C

#### Wet Chemistry by Method 9056A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Chloride	22.3		0.379	1.00	1	03/09/2023 16:35	WG2020189
Sulfate	29.9		0.594	5.00	1	03/09/2023 16:35	<u>WG2020189</u>

## Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:03	<u>WG2018685</u>
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:04	<u>WG2018757</u>

## Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Calcium	98.6		0.0793	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:36	WG2018852
Magnesium	18.9		0.0853	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:36	WG2018852
Potassium	4.20		0.261	2.00	1	03/08/2023 12:36	WG2018852
Sodium	7.84		0.504	3.00	1	03/08/2023 12:36	<u>WG2018852</u>

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Arsenic	0.0362		0.000180	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 13:26	WG2022319
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.00136	J	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 12:06	WG2022331
Cadmium	0.00138		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/14/2023 13:26	WG2022319
Cadmium, Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/14/2023 12:06	WG2022331
Lead	5.20		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 13:26	WG2022319
Lead, Dissolved	0.0405		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 12:06	WG2022331
Zinc	3.84		0.00302	0.0250	1	03/14/2023 13:26	WG2022319
Zinc,Dissolved	0.110		0.00302	0.0250	1	03/14/2023 12:06	WG2022331

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#### SAMPLE RESULTS - 05 L1592379

# Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Cp	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time			2	1
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	254		75.0	150	5	03/09/2023 21:31	WG2017850		Tc	

# Wet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	 4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Alkalinity	213		8.45	20.0	1	03/08/2023 12:32	<u>WG2018889</u>	
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Sample Narrative:								

## Sample Narrative:

L1592379-05 WG2018889: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace

# Wet Chemistry by Method 9040C

	Result	Qualifier	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	<sup>′</sup> Gl
Analyte	SU			date / time		
pH	8.41	<u>T8</u>	1	03/08/2023 18:45	WG2019104	<sup>8</sup> Al

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-05 WG2019104: 8.41 at 18.3C

# Wet Chemistry by Method 9056A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Chloride	24.5		0.379	1.00	1	03/09/2023 21:22	WG2020189
Sulfate	15.5		0.594	5.00	1	03/09/2023 21:22	WG2020189

## Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:06	WG2018685
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:08	<u>WG2018757</u>

## Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Calcium	87.6		0.0793	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:38	<u>WG2018852</u>
Magnesium	18.2		0.0853	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:38	<u>WG2018852</u>
Potassium	1.96	J	0.261	2.00	1	03/08/2023 12:38	WG2018852
Sodium	8.03		0.504	3.00	1	03/08/2023 12:38	<u>WG2018852</u>

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

Analyte         mg/l         mg/l         mg/l         date / time           Arsenic         0.0257         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/14/2023 13:29         WG2022319           Arsenic,Dissolved         0.0265         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331           Cadmium         0.000815         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 13:29         WG2022331           Cadmium,Dissolved         0.000799         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331           Lead         3.72         0.000849         0.00200         1         03/14/2023 13:29         WG2022319
Arsenic,Dissolved         0.0265         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331           Cadmium         0.000815         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 13:29         WG2022331           Cadmium,Dissolved         0.000799         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331
Cadmium         0.000815         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 13:29         WG2022319           Cadmium,Dissolved         0.000799         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331
Cadmium, Dissolved         0.000799         J         0.000150         0.00100         1         03/14/2023 12:19         WG2022331
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Lead 3.72 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/14/2023 13:29 WG2022319
Lead,Dissolved 3.54 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/14/2023 12:19 WG2022331
Zinc 2.56 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/14/2023 13:29 WG2022319
Zinc,Dissolved 2.55 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/14/2023 12:19 WG2022331

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#### SAMPLE RESULTS - 06 L1592379

# Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Ср	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time			2	ī
Hardness (colorimetr CaCO3	ic) as 286		75.0	150	5	03/09/2023 21:32	WG2017850		⁻Tc	

# Wet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Alkalinity	238		8.45	20.0	1	03/08/2023 12:38	WG2018889	⁵Sr
Sample Narrative:								

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-06 WG2018889: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace

# Wet Chemistry by Method 9040C

	Result	Qualifier	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	΄GΙ
Analyte	su			date / time		
pH	8.35	<u>T8</u>	1	03/08/2023 18:45	WG2019104	<sup>8</sup> Al

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-06 WG2019104: 8.35 at 18.5C

#### Wet Chemistry by Method 9056A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Chloride	25.1		0.379	1.00	1	03/09/2023 21:35	WG2020189
Sulfate	36.1		0.594	5.00	1	03/09/2023 21:35	WG2020189

## Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:08	<u>WG2018685</u>
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:10	<u>WG2018757</u>

## Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Calcium	94.5		0.0793	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:41	WG2018852
Magnesium	21.3		0.0853	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:41	WG2018852
Potassium	5.86		0.261	2.00	1	03/08/2023 12:41	WG2018852
Sodium	8.38		0.504	3.00	1	03/08/2023 12:41	<u>WG2018852</u>

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

Analyte         mg/l         mg/l         date / time
Arsenic         0.00827         0.000180         0.00200         1         03/14/2023 13:32         WG2023
Arsenic,Dissolved 0.00144 J 0.000180 0.00200 1 03/14/2023 12:22 WG202
Cadmium 0.000725 J 0.000150 0.00100 1 03/14/2023 13:32 WG202
Cadmium,Dissolved U 0.000150 0.00100 1 03/14/2023 12:22 WG2022
Lead 2.09 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/14/2023 13:32 WG202
Lead,Dissolved 0.105 0.000849 0.00200 1 03/14/2023 12:22 WG202
Zinc 0.962 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/14/2023 13:32 WG202
Zinc,Dissolved 0.0774 0.00302 0.0250 1 03/14/2023 12:22 WG2022

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# Wet Chemistry by Method 130.1

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Cp	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time			2	1
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	226		75.0	150	5	03/09/2023 21:33	WG2017850		⁻Tc	

# Wet Chemistry by Method 2320 B-2011

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cr
Alkalinity	222		8.45	20.0	1	03/08/2023 12:43	WG2018889	5
Sample Narrative:								Sr

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-07 WG2018889: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace

# Wet Chemistry by Method 9040C

	Result	Qualifier	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	<sup>′</sup> Gl
Analyte	su			date / time		
рН	8.27	<u>T8</u>	1	03/08/2023 18:45	<u>WG2019104</u>	<sup>8</sup> Al

#### Sample Narrative:

L1592379-07 WG2019104: 8.27 at 18.3C

### Wet Chemistry by Method 9056A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Chloride	25.2		0.379	1.00	1	03/09/2023 21:47	WG2020189
Sulfate	12.0		0.594	5.00	1	03/09/2023 21:47	WG2020189

## Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:10	<u>WG2018685</u>
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:12	<u>WG2018757</u>

# Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Calcium	76.1		0.0793	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:44	<u>WG2018852</u>
Magnesium	18.0		0.0853	1.00	1	03/08/2023 12:44	<u>WG2018852</u>
Potassium	1.27	J	0.261	2.00	1	03/08/2023 12:44	WG2018852
Sodium	8.11		0.504	3.00	1	03/08/2023 12:44	WG2018852

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time	
Arsenic	0.000696	J	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 13:36	WG2022319
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.000626	J	0.000180	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 12:26	WG2022331
Cadmium	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/14/2023 13:36	WG2022319
Cadmium, Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/14/2023 12:26	WG2022331
Lead	0.00332	B	0.000849	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 13:36	WG2022319
Lead, Dissolved	0.00220	B	0.000849	0.00200	1	03/14/2023 12:26	WG2022331
Zinc	0.00854	<u>B J</u>	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/14/2023 13:36	WG2022319
Zinc, Dissolved	0.00646	<u>B J</u>	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/14/2023 12:26	WG2022331

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	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch		Ср
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		2	_
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	U		15.0	30.0	1	03/09/2023 21:36	WG2017850		Тс

# Mercury by Method 7470A

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	4
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		Cn
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 19:12	WG2018685	
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	1	03/08/2023 18:14	WG2018757	⁵Sr

# Metals (ICPMS) by Method 6020

	Result	Qualifier	MDL	RDL	Dilution	Analysis	Batch	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l		date / time		
Arsenic	U		0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 20:39	WG2018857	
Arsenic, Dissolved	U		0.000180	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:51	<u>WG2018851</u>	
Cadmium	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 20:39	WG2018857	
Cadmium,Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	1	03/08/2023 17:51	<u>WG2018851</u>	
Lead	U		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 20:39	WG2018857	
Lead, Dissolved	U		0.000849	0.00200	1	03/08/2023 17:51	<u>WG2018851</u>	
Zinc	U		0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 20:39	WG2018857	
Zinc,Dissolved	0.00373	J	0.00302	0.0250	1	03/08/2023 17:51	<u>WG2018851</u>	

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## QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY L1592379-01,02,03,04,05,06,07,08

# Method Blank (MB)

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(MB) R3899402-1 03/09/	/23 21:13				
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	2
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	U		15.0	30.0	3

# L1592197-01 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

L1592197-01 Origin	al Sample (	OS) • Dup	licate (D	OUP)			<sup>4</sup> Cn
(OS) L1592197-01 03/09/2	23 21:22 • (DUP)	R3899402-3	03/09/23	3 21:25			
	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits	⁵Sr
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l		%		%	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	119	124	1	4.12		20	ဳဝင

# L1592909-01 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

(OS) L1592909-01 03/09/2	23 21:40 • (DUF	P) R3899402-6	5 03/09/2	3 21:41		
	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l		%		%
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	189	189	2	0.211		20

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# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3899402-2 03/0	9/23 21:14				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	100	95.7	95.7	85.0-115	

# L1592197-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592197-01 03/09/2	OS) L1592197-01 03/09/23 21:22 • (MS) R3899402-4 03/09/23 21:26 • (MSD) R3899402-5 03/09/23 21:26											
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	100	119	207	210	88.0	91.0	1	80.0-120	E	E	1.44	20

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## QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY L1592379-01,02,03,04,05,06,07,08

# L1592909-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS)

(OS) L1592909-01 03/09/	23 21:40 • (MS)	R3899402-7 (	03/09/23 21:4:				
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MS Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%		%	
Hardness (colorimetric) as CaCO3	100	189	298	109	2	80.0-120	

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# Method Blank (MB)

(MB) R3898700-1 (	)3/08/23 10:28				
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	
Alkalinity	U		8.45	20.0	
Sample Narrative:					

#### Sample Narrative:

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# L1592140-01 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

(OS) L159214	40-01 03/08/23 11:58 • (DUP)					חפס פו וח
Analyte	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits %
Alkalinity	327	334	1	2.17		20

#### Sample Narrative:

OS: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace

DUP: Endpoint pH 4.5

# L1592379-07 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

(OS) L1592379-07 03/08/	S) L1592379-07 03/08/23 12:43 • (DUP) R3898700-4 03/08/23 12:48									
	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits				
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l		%		%				
Alkalinity	222	219	1	1.21		20				

#### Sample Narrative:

OS: Endpoint pH 4.5 Headspace DUP: Endpoint pH 4.5

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898700-2 03/0	LCS) R3898700-2 03/08/23 10:33										
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier						
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%							
Alkalinity	100	103	103	90.0-110							
Sample Narrative: LCS: Endpoint pH 4.5											
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# L1592352-14 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

#### (OS) L1592352-14 03/08/23 18:45 • (DUP) R3898824-2 03/08/23 18:45

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	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD imits	
Analyte	su	su		%	, 5	
рН	8.74	8.70	1	0.459		
Sample Narrative:						
OS: 8.74 at 19.4C						

DUP: 8.7 at 19C

# L1592441-01 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

#### (OS) L1592441-01 03/08/23 18:45 • (DUP) R3898824-3 03/08/23 18:45 DUP RPD Original Result DUP Result Dilution DUP RPD **DUP** Qualifier Limits % % Analyte su su pН 7.93 7.95 1 0.252 1 Sample Narrative:

OS: 7.93 at 19.3C DUP: 7.95 at 18.8C

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898824-1 03/08	.CS) R3898824-1 03/08/23 18:45							
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier			
Analyte	su	su	%	%				
рН	10.0	10.0	100	99.0-101				

#### Sample Narrative:

LCS: 10.01 at 20.1C

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# Method Blank (MB)

(MB) R3899598-1	03/09/23 12:29				
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	
Chloride	U		0.379	1.00	
Sulfate	U		0.594	5.00	3

## L1592379-04 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

(OS) L1592379-04	03/09/23 16:35 • (DUF	P) R3899598-	3 03/09/2	3 16:48		
	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l		%		%
Chloride	22.3	22.2	1	0.456		15
Sulfate	29.9	29.9	1	0.0698		15

# L1592398-02 Original Sample (OS) • Duplicate (DUP)

(OS) L1592398-02 03/09/	'23 22:24 • (DU	P) R3899598-	6 03/09/2	23 23:02					
	Original Result	DUP Result	Dilution	DUP RPD	DUP Qualifier	DUP RPD Limits			[
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l		%		%			L
Chloride	U	U	1	0.000		15			
Sulfate	U	U	1	0.000		15			

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3899598-2 03/09	5) R3899598-2 03/09/23 12:42											
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier							
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%								
Chloride	40.0	40.1	100	80.0-120								
Sulfate	40.0	40.3	101	80.0-120								

# L1592379-04 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592379-04 03/09/23 16:35 • (MS) R3899598-4 03/09/23 17:00 • (MSD) R3899598-5 03/09/23 17:13													
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits	
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%	
Chloride	50.0	22.3	68.6	68.6	92.5	92.5	1	80.0-120			0.0198	15	
Sulfate	50.0	29.9	75.6	75.6	91.3	91.4	1	80.0-120			0.0968	15	

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# QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY

# L1592398-02 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS)

(OS) L1592398-02 03	3/09/23 22:24 • (MS	6) R3899598-7	03/09/23 23	3:14			
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MS Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%		%	
Chloride	50.0	U	50.6	101	1	80.0-120	
Sulfate	50.0	U	50.4	101	1	80.0-120	

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Mercury by Method 7470A

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# Method Blank (MB)

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(MB) R3898828-1	03/08/23 18:33				Ср
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	2
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	⁻Tc
Mercury	U		0.000100	0.000200	
					<sup>3</sup> Ss

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898828-2 03/	08/23 18:35				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Mercury	0.00300	0.00294	98.0	80.0-120	

# L1592379-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592379-01 03/08/	(OS) L1592379-01 03/08/23 18:37 • (MS) R3898828-3 03/08/23 18:39 • (MSD) R3898828-4 03/08/23 18:41													
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits		
Analista	···· //	···· //			0/	0/		0/			0/	0/		
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	70	70		70			70	70		

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# Method Blank (MB)

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(MB) R3898825-1 03	/08/23 17:46				Ср
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	2
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	⁻Tc
Mercury, Dissolved	U		0.000100	0.000200	
					<sup>3</sup> Ss

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898825-2 03	3/08/23 17:48				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Mercury, Dissolved	0.00300	0.00306	102	80.0-120	

# L1592379-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592379-01 03/0	(OS) L1592379-01 03/08/23 17:50 • (MS) R3898825-3 03/08/23 17:52 • (MSD) R3898825-4 03/08/23 17:54													
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits		
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%		
Mercury, Dissolved	0.00300	U	0.00307	0.00289	102	96.4	1	75.0-125			6.13	20		

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Metals (ICP) by Method 6010B

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# Method Blank (MB)

(MB) R3898720-1 03	3/08/23 11:44				
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	2
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	T
Calcium	U		0.0793	1.00	
Magnesium	U		0.0853	1.00	<sup>3</sup> S
Potassium	U		0.261	2.00	
Sodium	U		0.504	3.00	4

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898720-2 03/0	8/23 11:47				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Calcium	10.0	10.1	101	80.0-120	
Magnesium	10.0	10.1	101	80.0-120	
Potassium	10.0	9.64	96.4	80.0-120	
Sodium	10.0	10.1	101	80.0-120	

# L1592140-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592140-01 03/08/2	23 11:50 • (MS) F	83898720-4 03	3/08/23 11:55	• (MSD) R3898	720-5 03/08/	/23 11:58						
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%
Calcium	10.0	63.6	72.0	73.3	83.8	97.3	1	75.0-125			1.85	20
Magnesium	10.0	39.0	48.0	48.8	89.4	97.7	1	75.0-125			1.71	20
Potassium	10.0	2.07	11.4	11.8	93.4	97.1	1	75.0-125			3.22	20
Sodium	10.0	1.11	10.9	11.2	98.3	101	1	75.0-125			2.64	20

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# QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY L1592379-01,02,03,08

# Method Blank (MB)

(MB) R3898811-1	03/08/23 17:04

	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	
Arsenic,Dissolved	U		0.000180	0.00200	
Cadmium,Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	
Lead, Dissolved	U		0.000849	0.00200	
Zinc,Dissolved	U		0.00302	0.0250	

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898811-2 03/08	8/23 17:08				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0489	97.8	80.0-120	
Cadmium, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0542	108	80.0-120	
Lead, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0530	106	80.0-120	
Zinc, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0501	100	80.0-120	

# L1592379-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

OS) L1592379-01 03/08/23 17:11 • (MS) R3898811-4 03/08/23 17:18 • (MSD) R3898811-5 03/08/23 17:21												
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.0500	0.000676	0.0492	0.0491	97.1	96.9	1	75.0-125			0.202	20
Cadmium, Dissolved	0.0500	U	0.0535	0.0542	107	108	1	75.0-125			1.35	20
Lead, Dissolved	0.0500	U	0.0516	0.0503	103	101	1	75.0-125			2.57	20
Zinc, Dissolved	0.0500	0.00554	0.0530	0.0560	95.0	101	1	75.0-125			5.46	20

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# QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY

# Method Blank (MB)

# (MB) R3898947-1 03/08/23 19:36

	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	
Arsenic	U		0.000180	0.00200	
Cadmium	U		0.000150	0.00100	
Lead	U		0.000849	0.00200	
Zinc	U		0.00302	0.0250	

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3898947-2 03	8/08/23 19:39				
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%	
Arsenic	0.0500	0.0482	96.4	80.0-120	
Cadmium	0.0500	0.0526	105	80.0-120	
Lead	0.0500	0.0564	113	80.0-120	
Zinc	0.0500	0.0489	97.9	80.0-120	

# L1592379-01 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592379-01 03/08/	23 19:43 • (MS)	R3898947-4 0	3/08/23 19:49	9 • (MSD) R389	8947-5 03/08	8/23 19:53						
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%
Arsenic	0.0500	0.000857	0.0499	0.0490	98.0	96.2	1	75.0-125			1.82	20
Cadmium	0.0500	U	0.0537	0.0530	107	106	1	75.0-125			1.38	20
Lead	0.0500	U	0.0505	0.0500	101	100	1	75.0-125			1.01	20
Zinc	0.0500	0.00767	0.0556	0.0543	95.8	93.3	1	75.0-125			2.36	20

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# QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY L1592379-04,05,06,07

# Method Blank (MB)

ИВ) R3900927-6 С	3/14/23 14:25			
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l
Arsenic	U		0.000180	0.00200
Cadmium	U		0.000150	0.00100
Lead	0.00175	J	0.000849	0.00200
Zinc	0.0148	J	0.00302	0.0250

# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3900927-2 03/14	(LCS) R3900927-2 03/14/23 13:10											
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier							
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%								
Arsenic	0.0500	0.0510	102	80.0-120								
Cadmium	0.0500	0.0529	106	80.0-120								
Lead	0.0500	0.0526	105	80.0-120								
Zinc	0.0500	0.0528	106	80.0-120								

# L1592916-02 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592916-02 03/14/23 13:13 • (MS) R3900927-4 03/14/23 13:19 • (MSD) R3900927-5 03/14/23 13:23												
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%
Arsenic	0.0500	0.00251	0.0533	0.0532	102	101	1	75.0-125			0.161	20
Cadmium	0.0500	0.000974	0.0539	0.0546	106	107	1	75.0-125			1.39	20
Lead	0.0500	0.220	0.280	0.284	120	128	1	75.0-125		$\underline{\vee}$	1.48	20
Zinc	0.0500	0.256	0.301	0.302	89.0	90.6	1	75.0-125			0.263	20

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# Method Blank (MB)

(MB)	R3900/93-1	03/14/23 11:59	

(1010) K3900795-1 05/1	7/2011.00				
	MB Result	MB Qualifier	MB MDL	MB RDL	2
Analyte	mg/l		mg/l	mg/l	Тс
Arsenic, Dissolved	U		0.000180	0.00200	
Cadmium, Dissolved	U		0.000150	0.00100	<sup>3</sup> Ss
Lead, Dissolved	0.00191	J	0.000849	0.00200	00
Zinc, Dissolved	0.00310	J	0.00302	0.0250	4
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# Laboratory Control Sample (LCS)

(LCS) R3900793-2 03/14/23 12:03												
	Spike Amount	LCS Result	LCS Rec.	Rec. Limits	LCS Qualifier							
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	%	%								
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0494	98.8	80.0-120								
Cadmium, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0520	104	80.0-120								
Lead, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0543	109	80.0-120								
Zinc, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0537	107	80.0-120								

# L1592379-04 Original Sample (OS) • Matrix Spike (MS) • Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD)

(OS) L1592379-04 03/14/23 12:06 • (MS) R3900793-4 03/14/23 12:13 • (MSD) R3900793-5 03/14/23 12:16													
	Spike Amount	Original Result	MS Result	MSD Result	MS Rec.	MSD Rec.	Dilution	Rec. Limits	MS Qualifier	MSD Qualifier	RPD	RPD Limits	
Analyte	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	%	%		%			%	%	
Arsenic, Dissolved	0.0500	0.00136	0.0499	0.0509	97.1	99.2	1	75.0-125			2.00	20	
Cadmium, Dissolved	0.0500	U	0.0517	0.0520	103	104	1	75.0-125			0.444	20	
Lead, Dissolved	0.0500	0.0405	0.0900	0.0943	99.0	108	1	75.0-125			4.67	20	
Zinc, Dissolved	0.0500	0.110	0.155	0.154	90.8	89.5	1	75.0-125			0.428	20	

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# GLOSSARY OF TERMS

### Guide to Reading and Understanding Your Laboratory Report

The information below is designed to better explain the various terms used in your report of analytical results from the Laboratory. This is not intended as a comprehensive explanation, and if you have additional questions please contact your project representative.

Results Disclaimer - Information that may be provided by the customer, and contained within this report, include Permit Limits, Project Name, Sample ID, Sample Matrix, Sample Preservation, Field Blanks, Field Spikes, Field Duplicates, On-Site Data, Sampling Collection Dates/Times, and Sampling Location. Results relate to the accuracy of this information provided, and as the samples are received.

#### Abbreviations and Definitions

MDL	Method Detection Limit.
RDL	Reported Detection Limit.
Rec.	Recovery.
RPD	Relative Percent Difference.
SDG	Sample Delivery Group.
U	Not detected at the Reporting Limit (or MDL where applicable).
Analyte	The name of the particular compound or analysis performed. Some Analyses and Methods will have multiple analytes reported.
Dilution	If the sample matrix contains an interfering material, the sample preparation volume or weight values differ from the standard, or if concentrations of analytes in the sample are higher than the highest limit of concentration that the laboratory can accurately report, the sample may be diluted for analysis. If a value different than 1 is used in this field, the result reported has already been corrected for this factor.
Limits	These are the target % recovery ranges or % difference value that the laboratory has historically determined as normal for the method and analyte being reported. Successful QC Sample analysis will target all analytes recovered or duplicated within these ranges.
Original Sample	The non-spiked sample in the prep batch used to determine the Relative Percent Difference (RPD) from a quality control sample. The Original Sample may not be included within the reported SDG.
Qualifier	This column provides a letter and/or number designation that corresponds to additional information concerning the result reported. If a Qualifier is present, a definition per Qualifier is provided within the Glossary and Definitions page and potentially a discussion of possible implications of the Qualifier in the Case Narrative if applicable.
Result	The actual analytical final result (corrected for any sample specific characteristics) reported for your sample. If there was no measurable result returned for a specific analyte, the result in this column may state "ND" (Not Detected) or "BDL" (Below Detectable Levels). The information in the results column should always be accompanied by either an MDL (Method Detection Limit) or RDL (Reporting Detection Limit) that defines the lowest value that the laboratory could detect or report for this analyte.
Uncertainty (Radiochemistry)	Confidence level of 2 sigma.
Case Narrative (Cn)	A brief discussion about the included sample results, including a discussion of any non-conformances to protocol observed either at sample receipt by the laboratory from the field or during the analytical process. If present, there will be a section in the Case Narrative to discuss the meaning of any data qualifiers used in the report.
Quality Control Summary (Qc)	This section of the report includes the results of the laboratory quality control analyses required by procedure or analytical methods to assist in evaluating the validity of the results reported for your samples. These analyses are not being performed on your samples typically, but on laboratory generated material.
Sample Chain of Custody (Sc)	This is the document created in the field when your samples were initially collected. This is used to verify the time and date of collection, the person collecting the samples, and the analyses that the laboratory is requested to perform. This chain of custody also documents all persons (excluding commercial shippers) that have had control or possession of the samples from the time of collection until delivery to the laboratory for analysis.
Sample Results (Sr)	This section of your report will provide the results of all testing performed on your samples. These results are provided by sample ID and are separated by the analyses performed on each sample. The header line of each analysis section for each sample will provide the name and method number for the analysis reported.
Sample Summary (Ss)	This section of the Analytical Report defines the specific analyses performed for each sample ID, including the dates and times of preparation and/or analysis.

Qualifier	Description
В	The same analyte is found in the associated blank.
E	The analyte concentration exceeds the upper limit of the calibration range of the instrument established by the initial calibration (ICAL).
J	The identification of the analyte is acceptable; the reported value is an estimate.
Т8	Sample(s) received past/too close to holding time expiration.
V	The sample concentration is too high to evaluate accurate spike recoveries.

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<sup>1</sup> Drinking Water <sup>2</sup> Underground Storage Tanks <sup>3</sup> Aquatic Toxicity <sup>4</sup> Chemical/Microbiological <sup>5</sup> Mold <sup>6</sup> Wastewater n/a Accreditation not applicable

\* Not all certifications held by the laboratory are applicable to the results reported in the attached report.

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Kellogg, ID 83837	Reported:	17-Apr-23 11:41

#### ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Sampled By	Date Received	Notes
PSRC-SL-1 (As Received)	X3C0131-01	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-SL-2 (As Received)	X3C0131-02	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-SL-3 (As Received)	X3C0131-03	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-SL-1 (Sieved)	X3C0131-04	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-SL-2 (Sieved)	X3C0131-05	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-SL-3 (Sieved)	X3C0131-06	Slag	01-Mar-23 00:00	LB	09-Mar-2023	

Solid samples are analyzed on an as-received, wet-weight basis, unless otherwise requested.

#### Case Narrative: X3C0131

The state of origin only accredits for drinking water analyses.

Prior to sieving the sample(s) were prepped using a crush/roll process to <3/8", as requested.

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
SPLP Extraction	n Parameters									
SW-846 1312	Extract pH	9.31	pH Units				X311177	JDS	03/23/23 14:03	
SPLP Leachates	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.00495	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:18	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.000076	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:18	J
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.0640	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:18	
EPA 6020B	Zinc	0.0409	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:18	
EPA 7470A	Mercury	< 0.000093	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000093		X312189	RCA	03/27/23 13:16	U

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SPLP Leachates	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.0295	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:20	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.000063	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:20	U
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.0217	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:20	
EPA 6020B	Zinc	0.0260	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:20	
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SPLP Extraction	n Parameters									
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<b>SPLP Leachates</b>	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.00624	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:22	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.000063	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:22	U
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.0276	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:22	
EPA 6020B	Zinc	0.0222	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:22	
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PLP Leachates	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
PA 6020B	Arsenic	0.00178	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:24	J
PA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.000063	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:24	U
PA 6020B	Lead	0.00522	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:24	
PA 6020B	Zinc	0.0132	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:24	M2
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<b>SPLP Leachates</b>	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
PA 6020B	Arsenic	0.00290	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:32	J
PA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.000063	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:32	U
PA 6020B	Lead	0.00404	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:32	
PA 6020B	Zinc	0.0026	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:32	J
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W-846 1312	Extract pH	9.23	pH Units				X311177	JDS	03/23/23 14:03	
<b>SPLP Leachates</b>	(Metals) Extracted: 0	3/23/23 14:03								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.00185	mg/L Extract	0.00300	0.00021		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:43	J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.000063	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000063		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:43	U
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.0186	mg/L Extract	0.00100	0.00014		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:43	
PA 6020B	Zinc	0.0034	mg/L Extract	0.0050	0.0020		X312178	DWJ	03/30/23 10:43	J
EPA 7470A	Mercury	< 0.000093	mg/L Extract	0.000200	0.000093		X312189	RCA	03/27/23 13:27	U

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EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/L Extract	0.00040	0.00021	0.00300	X312178	30-Mar-23	J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/L Extract	< 0.000063	0.000063	0.000200	X312178	30-Mar-23	U
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/L Extract	0.00014	0.00014	0.00100	X312178	30-Mar-23	J
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/L Extract	0.0035	0.0020	0.0050	X312178	30-Mar-23	J

Quality Cont	rol - LABORATORY	Y CONTROL SAMI	PLE Data						
Method	Analyte	Units	LCS Result	LCS True	% Rec.	Acceptance Limits	Batch ID	Analyzed	Notes
SPLP Leacha	ites (Metals)								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/L Extract	0.0226	0.0250	90.5	80 - 120	X312178	30-Mar-23	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/L Extract	0.0226	0.0250	90.2	80 - 120	X312178	30-Mar-23	
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/L Extract	0.0268	0.0250	107	80 - 120	X312178	30-Mar-23	
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/L Extract	0.0253	0.0250	101	80 - 120	X312178	30-Mar-23	
EPA 7470A	Mercury	mg/L Extract	0.00232	0.00200	116	80 - 120	X312189	27-Mar-23	

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Method	Analyte	Units	Spike Result	Sample Result (R)	Spike Level (S)	% Rec.	Acceptance Limits	Batch and Source ID	Analyzed	Notes			
SPLP Leacha	tes (Metals)												
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/L Extract	0.0251	0.00178	0.0250	93.2	75 - 125	X312178 - X3C0131-04	30-Mar-23				
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/L Extract	0.0238	< 0.000063	0.0250	95.2	75 - 125	X312178 - X3C0131-04	30-Mar-23				
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/L Extract	0.0330	0.00522	0.0250	111	75 - 125	X312178 - X3C0131-04	30-Mar-23				
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/L Extract	0.0245	0.0132	0.0250	45.4	75 - 125	X312178 - X3C0131-04	30-Mar-23	M2			
EPA 7470A	Mercury	mg/L Extract	0.00216	< 0.000093	0.00200	108	70 - 130	X312189 - X3C0131-04	27-Mar-23				

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SPLP Leacha	tes (Metals)									
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X312178 - MS1

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Qualitiy Con Method	trol - SERIAL DILUT Analyte	' <b>ION Data</b> Sample Result	Serial Dilution Result	RPD	Q	QC Limits	Batch and Sour	rce ID	Notes
SPLP Leacha	tes (Metals)								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.0251	0.0266	5.8		20	X312178 - M	S1	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.0238	0.0256	7.2		20	X312178 - M	S1	
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.0330	0.0333	0.9		20	X312178 - M	S1	

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	Notes and Definitions
J	The reported value is less than the Reporting Limit (MRL, CRDL) but greater than or equal to the MDL. Results closer to the MDL have increased relative uncertainty.
M2	Matrix spike recovery was low, but the LCS recovery was acceptable.
U	Less than MDL.
LCS	Laboratory Control Sample (Blank Spike)
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
UDL	A result is less than the detection limit
0.30R>S	% recovery not applicable; spike level is less than 30% of the sample concentration
<rl< td=""><td>A result is less than the reporting limit</td></rl<>	A result is less than the reporting limit
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
MDL	Method Detection Limit
N/A	Not Applicable

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Kellogg, ID 83837	Reported:	25-May-23 12:43

#### ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Sampled By	Date Received	Notes
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1	X3C0135-01	Soil	01-Mar-23 12:18	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2	X3C0135-02	Soil	01-Mar-23 12:18	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3	X3C0135-03	Soil	01-Mar-23 12:18	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1)	X3C0135-04	Soil	01-Mar-23 12:18	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2)	X3C0135-05	Soil	01-Mar-23 12:18	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1	X3C0135-06	Soil	01-Mar-23 14:46	SH	09-Mar-2023	
PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1	X3C0135-07	Soil	01-Mar-23 15:20	SH	09-Mar-2023	
Unprocessed Blank	X3C0135-08	Soil	09-Mar-23 00:00	SH	09-Mar-2023	
Processed Blank	X3C0135-09	Soil	09-Mar-23 00:00	SH	09-Mar-2023	

Solid samples are analyzed on an as-received, wet-weight basis, unless otherwise requested.

#### Case Narrative: X3C0135

The state of origin only accredits for drinking water analyses.

After extensive investigation, including sample inspection and reanalysis, it was determined that there was a mishap with the original digestion/analysis of samples X3C0135-08 and -09. this report has been reissued with the newest results for metals on those samples.

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.73	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:17	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.145	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:29	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	10.8	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:29	D1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	47.3	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:17	D1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:28	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.25	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:27	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.139	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:39	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	10.9	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:39	D1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	43.4	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:27	D1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:30	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.31	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:30	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.140	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:41	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	9.93	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:41	D1
PA 6020B	Zinc	38.5	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:30	D1

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.26	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:32	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.157	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:43	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	9.38	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:43	D1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	36.1	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:32	D1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:34	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.18	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:34	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.132	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:46	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	9.14	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:46	D1
PA 6020B	Zinc	36.3	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:34	D1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:36	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	1.99	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:37	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.135	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:53	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	13.8	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:53	D1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	48.7	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:37	D1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:38	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	2.88	mg/kg	3.00	0.118	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:39	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	0.136	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:56	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	18.0	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 14:56	D1
PA 6020B	Zinc	62.8	mg/kg	8.00	6.40	20	X312062	DWJ	03/24/23 15:39	D1
PA 7471A	Mercury	0.015	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:45	J

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA 6	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.108	mg/kg	0.300	0.0118	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:17	N1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.072	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:17	N1,U
EPA 6020B	Lead	0.396	mg/kg	0.160	0.104	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:17	N1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	1.70	mg/kg	1.00	0.64	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:17	N1
EPA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:47	U

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Method	Analyte	Result	Units	RL	MDL	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EPA (	5000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	0.165	mg/kg	0.300	0.0118	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:19	N1,J
PA 6020B	Cadmium	< 0.072	mg/kg	0.100	0.072	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:19	N1,U
EPA 6020B	Lead	26.5	mg/kg	1.60	1.04	20	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:54	D2,N1
PA 6020B	Zinc	2.33	mg/kg	1.00	0.64	2	X312062	SMU	05/15/23 15:19	N1
PA 7471A	Mercury	< 0.011	mg/kg	0.033	0.011		X312136	RCA	03/23/23 14:49	U

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Quality Contr	rol - BLANK Data							
Method	Analyte	Units	Result	MDL	MRL	Batch ID	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EP	A 6000/7000 Series							

EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/kg	0.0274	0.0118	0.300	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1,J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/kg	< 0.072	0.072	0.100	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1,U
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/kg	< 0.104	0.104	0.160	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1,U
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/kg	<0.64	0.64	1.00	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1,U
EPA 7471A	Mercury	mg/kg	< 0.011	0.011	0.033	X312136	23-Mar-23	U

Quality Control - LABORATORY CONTROL SAMPLE Data										
Method	Analyte	Units	LCS Result	LCS True	% Rec.	Acceptance Limits	Batch ID	Analyzed	Notes	
Metals by EP	A 6000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/kg	2.63	2.50	105	80 - 120	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1	
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/kg	2.45	2.50	98.2	80 - 120	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1	
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/kg	2.47	2.50	98.8	80 - 120	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1	
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/kg	2.45	2.50	97.8	80 - 120	X312062	24-Mar-23	D1	
EPA 7471A	Mercury	mg/kg	0.341	0.333	102	80 - 120	X312136	23-Mar-23		

Quality Cont	rol - DUPLICATE Da	ta							
Method	Analyte	Units	Duplicate Result	Sample Result	RPD	RPD Limit	Batch and Source ID	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EP	A 6000/7000 Series								
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/kg	0.176	0.179	<rl< td=""><td>20</td><td>X312062 - X3C0135-09</td><td>15-May-23</td><td>J</td></rl<>	20	X312062 - X3C0135-09	15-May-23	J
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/kg	< 0.072	< 0.072	UDL	20	X312062 - X3C0135-09	15-May-23	U
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/kg	42.1	<1.04	UDL	20	X312062 - X3C0135-09	15-May-23	D2
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/kg	1.80	< 0.64	UDL	20	X312062 - X3C0135-09	15-May-23	

Quality Contr	rol - MATRIX SPIKE I	Data								
Method	Analyte	Units	Spike Result	Sample Result (R)	Spike Level (S)	% Rec.	Acceptance Limits	Batch and Source ID	Analyzed	Notes
Metals by EP	A 6000/7000 Series									
EPA 6020B	Arsenic	mg/kg	5.45	2.73	2.50	109	75 - 125	X312062 - X3C0135-01	24-Mar-23	D1
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	mg/kg	2.65	0.145	2.50	100	75 - 125	X312062 - X3C0135-01	24-Mar-23	D1
EPA 6020B	Lead	mg/kg	13.4	10.8	2.50	103	75 - 125	X312062 - X3C0135-01	24-Mar-23	D1
EPA 6020B	Zinc	mg/kg	53.6	47.3	2.50	0.30R>S	75 - 125	X312062 - X3C0135-01	24-Mar-23	M4
EPA 7471A	Mercury	mg/kg	0.353	< 0.011	0.333	106	75 - 125	X312136 - X3C0135-02	23-Mar-23	



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Quality Cont	trol - MATRIX SPIK	E DUPLICATE	Data							
Method	Analyte	Units	MSD Result	Spike Result	Spike Level	RPD	RPD Limit	% Recovery	Batch and Source ID	Notes
Metals by EP	PA 6000/7000 Series									
Metals by EP EPA 6020B	A 6000/7000 Series Arsenic	mg/kg	5.14	5.45	2.50	5.8	20	96.6	X312062 - X3C0135-01	D1
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EPA 6020B EPA 6020B EPA 6020B	Arsenic Arsenic	mg/kg	5.20	5.45	2.50	4.6	20	99.1	X312062 - X3C0135-01	
EPA 6020B	Arsenic Arsenic Cadmium	mg/kg mg/kg	5.20 2.64	5.45 2.65	2.50 2.50	4.6 0.5	20 20	99.1 99.8	X312062 - X3C0135-01 X312062 - X3C0135-01	D1

Qualitiy Cont	trol - SERIAL DILUT	FION Data						
Method	Analyte	Sample Result	Serial Dilution Result	RPD	Q	QC Limits	Batch and Source ID	Notes
Metals by EP	A 6000/7000 Series							
EPA 6020B	Cadmium	2.65	2.72	2.7		20	X312062 - MS1	
EPA 6020B	Lead	13.4	14.1	5.6		20	X312062 - MS1	D1,M4
EPA 6020B	Zinc	53.6	52.0	3.0		20	X312062 - MS1	D1,M4

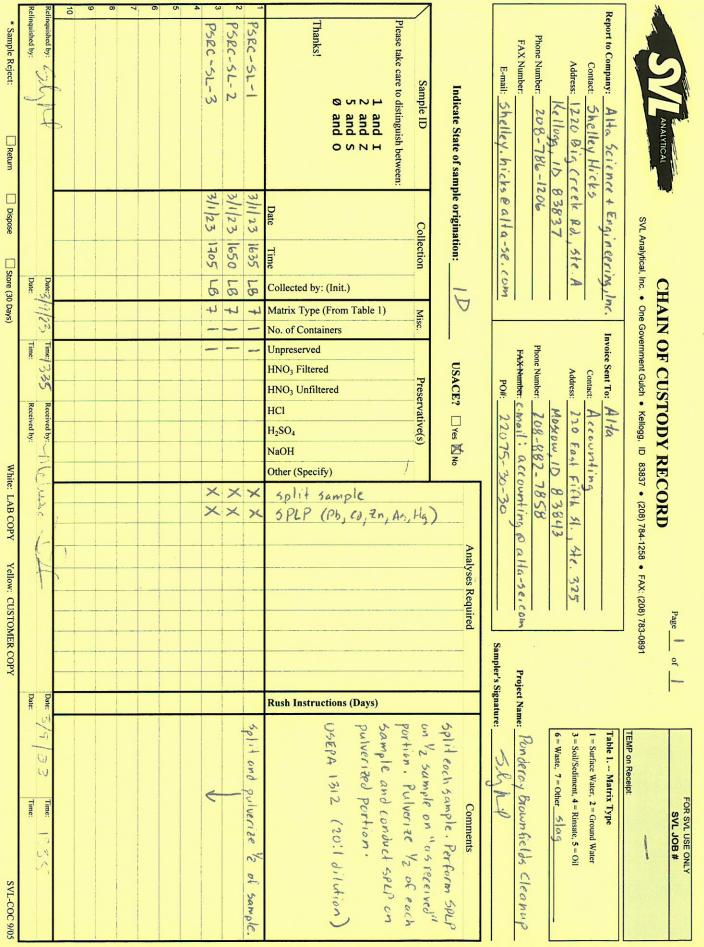


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#### **Notes and Definitions**

D1	Sample required dilution due to matrix.
D2	Sample required dilution due to high concentration of target analyte.
J	The reported value is less than the Reporting Limit (MRL, CRDL) but greater than or equal to the MDL. Results closer to the MDL have increased relative uncertainty.
M4	The analysis of the spiked sample required a dilution such that the spike recovery calculation does not provide useful information. The LCS recovery was acceptable.
N1	See case narrative.
U	Less than MDL.
LCS	Laboratory Control Sample (Blank Spike)
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
UDL	A result is less than the detection limit
0.30R>S	% recovery not applicable; spike level is less than 30% of the sample concentration
<rl< td=""><td>A result is less than the reporting limit</td></rl<>	A result is less than the reporting limit
MRL	Method Reporting Limit
MDL	Method Detection Limit
N/A	Not Applicable



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Appendix D QA/QC Memorandum





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# INTERNAL MEMORANDUM

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Date:	April 20, 2023
Contract No./Title:	PSA Dated 7/8/2022
Alta Project No.:	22075
Subject:	QA/QC Review of the March 2023 Sampling Events at the Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company Site

# 1 Introduction

This memorandum provides a summary of the data validation and data quality assessment performed on the sample results for the water (lake water, wall wash, and slag Synthetic Precipitation Leachate Procedure [SPLP] extraction) sampling effort, and the soil (sediment Incremental Sampling Methodology [ISM]) sampling effort that occurred on March 1, 2023 at the Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company (PSRC) Site located on the northern shoreline of Lake Pend Oreille, Ponderay, Idaho. Alta Science & Engineering, Inc.'s (Alta's) quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) review followed guidelines set forth in the following documents:

- Site Assessment Quality Assurance Project Plan [QAPP] for the Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company, Ponderay, Idaho (Alta 2023)
- National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Superfund Methods Data Review (USEPA 2020)
- Incremental Sampling Methodology (ISM) Update ISM-2 (ITRC 2020)
- Guidance for Labeling Externally Validated Laboratory Analytical Data for Superfund Use (USEPA 2009)
- USEPA Guidance on Environmental Data Verification and Data Validation (USEPA 2002)

This memorandum discusses the data validation and quality assessment performed for the Sample Delivery Group (SDG) or Work Orders listed in Table 1. Data qualifiers used in this review are defined by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA 2020).

Laboratory	SDG / Work Order	Analysis	Matrix	Data Validation Level (USEPA 2009)	Review Conducted by
	X3C0135	total metals <sup>a</sup>	Soil		
SVL	X3C0131	3C0131 SPLP metals <sup>b</sup> , pH <sup>c</sup>	Slag SPLP extract		
Pace	L1592379	total and dissolved metals <sup>a</sup> , pH <sup>c</sup> , alkalinity <sup>d</sup> , cations <sup>e</sup> , anions <sup>f</sup> , hardness <sup>g</sup>	Surface / wall wash water	Stage 2A	Alta data validator

# Table 1. Sample Delivery Group Data Validation

Footnotes:

<sup>a</sup> total and dissolved metal target analytes: arsenic, cadmium, lead, and zinc analyzed using USEPA Method 6020B (USEPA 2014); with mercury in soil using USEPA Method 7471A (USEPA 1994a) and in surface water analyzed using USEPA Method 7470A (USEPA 1994b).

<sup>b</sup> Synthetic Precipitation Leachate Procedure (SPLP) sieved and as-received metals target analytes: arsenic, cadmium, lead, and zinc analyzed using USEPA Method 6020B (USEPA 2014); with mercury analyzed using USEPA Method 7471A (USEPA 1994a).

<sup>c</sup> pH analyzed using USEPA Method 9040C (USEPA 2004).

<sup>d</sup> alkalinity analyzed using Standard Method (SM) 2320 B-2011.

<sup>e</sup> cation target analytes: calcium, potassium, magnesium, and sodium analyzed using USEPA Method 6010B (USEPA 1996).

<sup>f</sup> anion target analytes: chloride and sulfate analyzed using USEPA Method 9056A (USEPA 2007).

<sup>g</sup> hardness analyzed using USEPA Method 130.1 (USEPA 1971).

Pace = Pace National Analytical Laboratory, Inc. in Mt. Juliet, Tennessee.

SVL = SVL Analytical, Inc. in Kellogg, Idaho.

# 2 Data Validation and Quality Assessment Summary of Soil Results

Alta's Stage 2A validation of the analytical data and review of the field data are summarized in Table 2. Procedures/checks that require further discussion are explained below the table, as necessary.

Data Validation Procedure of Check	Acceptable Frequency? <sup>a</sup>	Acceptable Performance? <sup>b</sup>	Data Qualified?	Discussion Item Number
Sample condition upon receipt at laboratory		Y	Ν	
Preservation		Y	Ν	
Laboratory followed specified analytical methods and shows analysis dates		Y	Ν	
Holding times		Y	Ν	

# Table 2. Data Quality Review Summary for Soil



Data Validation Procedure of Check	Acceptable Frequency? <sup>a</sup>	Acceptable Performance? <sup>b</sup>	Data Qualified?	Discussion Item Number
Requested target analyte results are reported with lab qualifiers and units		Y	Ν	
Requested reporting limits are present		Ν	N	1
Method Blanks	Y	N	Y	2
Surrogate Recoveries/Deuterated Monitoring Compounds Recoveries	-	-	-	
Matrix Spikes (MS)	Y	N	N	3
Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	Y	Y	N	
Matrix Spike Duplicates (MSD)	Y	Y	N	
Trip Blank	-	-	-	
Field Duplicates	-	-	-	
Field Replicates (ISM) (Table 3)	Y	Y	N	4
Laboratory Replicate (ISM) (Table 3)	Y	Y	N	5
Processed/Unprocessed Silica Blanks (Table 4)	Y	Ν	Y	6

# Table 2. Data Quality Review Summary for Soil

<sup>a</sup> Frequencies as defined in the QAPP (Alta 2023).

<sup>b</sup> As defined in the QAPP (Alta 2023) or based on professional judgment of the data validator.

-- = not applicable

#### **Discussion Item**

- Requested reporting limits are present: Most reporting limits (RLs) were reported as requested in the QAPP (Alta 2023) except for soil samples: PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1, which were raised by factors of 2 and 20, depending on the sample and analyte due to dilution. As a result, the RL for arsenic (3.00 milligrams per kilogram [mg/kg]) exceeds its screening level (0.68 mg/kg) in these samples. However, all samples have arsenic detections above the method detection limit (MDL; 0.118 mg/kg) and qualified by the laboratory as estimated (J). Further qualifications are necessary based on other data quality indicators (see Discussion Item #2).
- Method Blanks: Most method blanks did not have any concentrations detected above the MDL for the constituents of concern (COCs) as listed in Table 1, except for total arsenic, which had a detected concentration of 0.0274 J mg/kg, which is greater than the MDL and less than the RL. Total arsenic in samples PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1 was



detected between the MDL and the RL and qualified as estimated (J) by the laboratory. However, according to the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), due to detection in the method blank of arsenic below the RL, all detections of arsenic in ISM samples that are less than the RL will be reported at the RL and qualified as U. However, arsenic may be present at the site above the screening level (0.68 mg/kg).

- 3. **Matrix Spikes (MS):** Most percent recoveries for MS soil samples are within laboratory and QAPP (Alta 2023) limits with the following exceptions:
  - a. Lead: the sample concentration is greater than four times the spike amount and accurate spike recoveries cannot be evaluated. The laboratory control sample (LCS) percent recovery (%R) is within acceptable limits. No qualification is necessary.
  - b. Zinc: the sample concentration is greater than four times the spike amount and accurate spike recoveries cannot be evaluated. The LCS %R is within acceptable limits. No qualification is necessary.
- 4. Field Replicates: The percent Relative Standard Deviations (RSDs), or coefficients of variation (CVs), are generally considered reasonable for field conditions for the decision units (DUs) where replicate samples were collected (Table 3). No data were qualified based on field replicate results as all RSDs were below the ITRC ISM (ITRC 2020) recommendation of less than or equal to 30%.
- 5. Laboratory Replicate: Laboratory replicates (also known as subsampling replicates) were recommended in the QAPP (Alta 2023) to assess the precision of ISM subsampling processes and ensure that the subsample selected for analysis is representative of the entire field sample collected for processing. These replicates should then be carried through the rest of the analytical process. The RSDs are all below the ITRC ISM (ITRC 2020) recommendation of less than or equal to 30% (Table 3). No data are qualified.

Sample ID	Unit	Arse	nic	Cadmium	Lead	Zinc	Mercu	ıry
Field Replicate								
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.145	10.8	47.3	0.011	U
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.139	10.9	43.4	0.011	U
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.14	9.93	38.5	0.011	U
Mean	mg/kg	-		0.141	10.54	43.1	-	
Standard Deviation	mg/kg	-		0.003	0.4	3.6	-	
Relative Standard Deviation	mg/kg	-		2%	4%	8%	-	
Laboratory Replicate		-						
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.140	9.93	38.5	0.011	U
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1)	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.157	9.38	36.1	0.011	U
PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2)	mg/kg	3.00	U	0.132	9.14	36.3	0.011	U
Mean	mg/kg	-		0.143	9.48	37.0	-	
Standard Deviation	mg/kg	-		0.010	0.3	1.1	-	
Relative Standard Deviation	mg/kg	-		7%	3%	3%	-	

#### Table 3. ISM Metals Soil Field and Laboratory Replicate Analysis

Relative standard deviation = (Standard Deviation/Mean Concentration)\*100

U = concentration is not detected above the reporting limit (for arsenic) or method detection limit (for mercury) shown

All samples collected on March 1, 2023.



- 6. **Processed/Unprocessed Silica Blank:** For ISM preparation blanks, both a processed and an unprocessed silica sand blank were collected as required in the QAPP (Alta 2023). Most COCs were below MDLs except for the following COCs (Table 4):
  - a. Total arsenic was detected in both the unprocessed and processed silica sand blank (0.108 J mg/kg and 0.165 J mg/kg, respectively). However, as mentioned in Discussion Item #2, arsenic was detected in the method blank, and therefore is reported at the RL and qualified as non-detect (U) in the processed and unprocessed silica sand blanks. No further qualification is required.
  - b. Total lead was detected in both the unprocessed and processed silica sand blanks (0.396 mg/kg and 26.5 mg/kg, respectively). According to the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), when the blank result is greater than the RL, but the field sample result is less than 10 times the blank sample result, then the result is reported at the preparation blank result and qualified as estimated with a high bias (J+). Therefore, the lead results in all samples will be reported at 26.5 mg/kg J+.
  - c. Total zinc was detected in the unprocessed and processed silica sand blank (1.70 mg/kg and 2.33 mg/kg, respectively). According to the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), when the blank result is greater than the RL, and the field sample result is greater than 10 times the blank sample result, then no qualification is needed.

Sample Date	Analyte	Unprocessed Concentration (mg/kg)	Processed Concentration (mg/kg)
	total arsenic	3.00 U	3.00 U
	total cadmium	<0.072	<0.072
3/9/2023	total lead	0.396	26.5
	total zinc	1.70	2.33
	total mercury	<0.011	<0.011

## Table 4. Silica Blank Sample Analysis

< = less than the method detection limit shown

J = concentration is an estimate

U = concentration is not detected above the reporting limit shown based on internal data validation

# 3 Data Validation and Quality Assessment Summary of Water Results

Alta's Stage 2A validation of the analytical data and review of the field data are summarized in Table 5. Procedures/checks that require further discussion are explained below the tables, as necessary.



# Table 5.Data Quality Review Summary for Surface Water, Wall Wash Water, andSPLP Extract

Data Validation Procedure or Check	Acceptable Frequency? <sup>a</sup>	Acceptable Performance? <sup>b</sup>	Data Qualified?	Discussion Item Number
Sample condition upon receipt at laboratory		Y	Ν	
Preservation		Y	Ν	1
Holding times		N	N	2
Laboratories followed specified analytical methods and show analysis dates		Ν	N	3
Requested target analyte results are reported with lab qualifiers and units		Y	Ν	
Requested reporting limits are present		Y	Ν	4
Method blanks	Y	N	Y	5
Surrogate Recoveries/Deuterated Monitoring Compounds Recoveries				
Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	Y	Y	N	
Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates (LCSDs)				
Matrix Spikes (MS)	N	Y	Y	6
Matrix Spike Duplicates (MSD)	N	Y	Y	6
Field Duplicates (Table 6)	Y	Y	N	7
Field Blank	Y	Y	N	8
Rinsate Blank (Table 7)	Y	N	N	9
Equipment Blank (Table 8)	Y	N	Y	10

<sup>a</sup> Frequencies as defined in the QAPP (Alta 2023).

<sup>b</sup> As defined in the QAPP (Alta 2023), or based on professional judgment of the data validator.

-- = not applicable

# **Discussion Items:**

#### 1. Preservation:

a. Alkalinity is determined in the laboratory (Pace) by how much acid is needed to reach a pH of 4.5 from the starting pH of each sample. There are sample narratives for alkalinity for samples PSRC-WW-1, PSRC-WW-2, PSRC-WW-3, and PSRC-WW-EB. Prior to running the alkalinity analysis, headspace comments are added when a sample container has headspace (or when a container is not completely filled) because headspace can affect alkalinity results



with a low bias, especially over a long period of time. According to the Sample Summary report, there was a span of eight days between sample collection and sample preparation at the laboratory (Pace). No qualifications are necessary.

- b. Per the laboratory's (Pace's) Standard Operating Procedure, pH is read at room temp with a pH temperature compensating probe that corrects to a temperature of 25°C. There are sample narratives for pH for samples PSRC-WW-1, PSRC-WW-2, PSRC-WW-3, and PSRC-WW-EB reporting that these pH values were recorded at temperatures 18.3°C or 18.5°C. No qualification is necessary.
- 2. **Holding times:** Most holding times were met for those analyses listed in Table 1 except for the following instance:
  - a. pH: For samples PSRC-WW-1, PSRC-WW-2, PSRC-WW-3, and PSRC-WW-EB, the holding time is 15 minutes after sample collection, which occurred on March 1, 2023. The laboratory prepared these samples on March 8, 2023. Based on professional judgment, no qualification is necessary.
- 3. Laboratories followed specified analytical methods: Most analyses in the QAPP (Alta 2023) were followed by the laboratory except for the following:
  - a. Anions sulfate and chloride were requested to be analyzed using USEPA Method 300.0. The laboratory used USEPA Method 9056A instead.
  - b. Cations calcium, potassium, magnesium, and sodium were requested to be analyzed using USEPA Method 6020. The laboratory used USEPA Method 6010B instead.
  - c. pH was requested to be analyzed using SM 4500-H+B. The laboratory used USEPA Method 9040C instead.
- 4. **Requested reporting limits are present:** Most RLs met QAPP limits (Alta 2023). However, the RL for potassium and sodium were elevated due to dilution. Nevertheless, there are no screening levels for these two COCs; therefore, based on professional judgment, no qualifications are necessary.
- 5. **Method blanks:** A laboratory or method blank is a sample of known matrix where the specific constituents requested for analysis are known to be absent or are present at concentrations less than the laboratory minimum limit of detection. The laboratory blank is analyzed to evaluate the accuracy of the analysis. Most method blank results were less than the MDL (or considered to be not detected) except for the following instances:
  - a. For SDG L1592379 (water): Total and dissolved lead and zinc were detected in the method blank at concentrations that are greater than the MDL and less than the RL. Based on the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), if the associated field sample results from PSRC-WW-1, PSRC-WW-2, PSRC-WW-3, and PSRC-WW-EB are less than the RL, then those detections will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U). However, when a detection is greater than the RL, then those detections do not require qualification.
    - i. Total lead was detected with a concentration of 0.00175 J milligrams per liter (mg/L) in the method blank. Associated sample PSRC-WW-EB had a concentration of 0.00332 mg/L total lead, which is above the RL, and will not require qualification.
    - ii. Dissolved lead was detected with a concentration of 0.00191 J mg/L in the method blank. Associated sample PSRC-WW-EB had a concentration of 0.00220 mg/L, which is above the RL, and will not require qualification.
    - iii. Total zinc was detected with a concentration of 0.0148 J mg/L in the method blank. Associated sample PSRC-WW-EB had a concentration of 0.00584 J mg/L, which is below the RL. Therefore, total zinc in this sample will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U).



- iv. Dissolved zinc was detected with a concentration of 0.00310 J mg/L in the method blank. Associated sample PSRC-WW-EB had a concentration of 0.00646 J mg/L, which is below the RL. Therefore, dissolved zinc in this sample will be reported at the RL and gualified as not detected (U).
- b. For SDG X3C0131 (SPLP extract): Total arsenic, total lead, and total zinc were detected in the method blank at concentrations that are greater than the MDL and less than the RL. Based on the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), due to detections in the method blank of total arsenic, total lead, and total zinc below the RL, detections of total arsenic, total lead, and total zinc below the RL, detections of total arsenic, total lead, and total zinc in SPLP samples that are less than the RL will be reported at the RL and qualified as U. The following actions will be applied in the associated samples PSRC-SL-1 (as received and sieved), PSRC-SL-2 (as received and sieved), and PSRC-SL-3 (as received and sieved):
  - i. For total arsenic:
    - 1. In the sieved samples, total arsenic was detected between the MDL and RL; therefore, arsenic will be reported at the RL and qualified as not-detected (U).
    - 2. In the as received samples, total arsenic was detected above the RL and requires no qualification.
  - ii. For total lead, all sample results were detected above the RL and do not require qualification.
  - iii. For total zinc:
    - 1. In PSRC-SL-2 (sieved) and PSRC-SL-3 (sieved), total zinc was detected between the MDL and RL; therefore, total zinc will be reported at the RL and qualified as not-detected (U).
    - 2. In all other samples, total zinc was detected above the RL and requires no qualification.
- 6. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate (MS/MSD): An MS sample has a known amount of the target analyte added to project matrix before analysis to assess possible matrix interferences on the analysis. According to the QAPP (Alta 2023), a site-specific MS/MSD sample was to be collected (an equal volume of matrix collected from a specific site location) at a frequency of 1:20 samples.
  - a. SDG L1592379 (water): Extra volume for MS/MSD analyses was not collected at any of the sample locations. Therefore, the laboratory analyzed an MS/MSD sample from a different site. According to the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS and mercury (USEPA 2020), for a MS/MSD sample analysis that does not meet the technical criteria, detected results should be qualified as estimated (J) and non-detected results should be qualified as estimated (UJ) for all samples of the same matrix, if the samples are considered sufficiently similar. As a result, the following analytes will be qualified:

Sample ID	Analyte(s)	Applied Qualifier
	total and dissolved arsenic total and dissolved zinc	J
PSRC-SW-1	total and dissolved cadmium total and dissolved lead total and dissolved mercury	UJ



Sample ID	Analyte(s)	Applied Qualifier
PSRC-SW-1-FB	total and dissolved arsenic total and dissolved cadmium total and dissolved lead total and dissolved mercury total and dissolved zinc	UJ
	total and dissolved arsenic total and dissolved zinc	J
PSRC-SW-1-FD	total and dissolved cadmium total and dissolved lead total and dissolved mercury	UJ
	dissolved zinc	J
PSRC-SW-1-RB	total and dissolved arsenic total and dissolved cadmium total and dissolved lead total and dissolved mercury total zinc	UJ

- b. SDG X3C0131 (SPLP extract): An MS/MSD was used from sample PSRC-SL-1 (sieved). The total zinc MS/MSD %Rs (45.4% and 43.0%, respectively) were below the lower limit (75.0%). No post-digestion spike was performed. Therefore, according to the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), detections of total zinc in PSRC-SL-1 (sieved) will be qualified as estimated with a low bias (J-).
- 7. **Field Duplicate:** The Alta field crew collected the following surface water field duplicate sample as guided in the QAPP (Alta 2023), which meets the criteria of 1 duplicate sample for every 20 field samples:
  - PRSC-SW-1 (original) / PRSC-SW-1-FD (duplicate)

Although total and dissolved arsenic and total and dissolved zinc were detected in both the original and duplicate sample as shown in Table 5 below, the detections were less than 5 times the analyte-specific RLs. Additionally, the absolute difference between the original and duplicate concentrations of these detected analytes are less than the analyte-specific RL. No additional qualifications are necessary.



Table 0.		There Duplicate Analysis for Surface Water						
Sample ID	Sample Date	Analyte	Original Concentration (mg/L)		Duplicate Concentration (mg/L)		RPD	
		hardness as CaCO3	250		244		NC	
		total mercury	0.000200	UJ	0.000200	UJ	NA	
		dissolved mercury	0.000200	UJ	0.000200	UJ	NA	
		total arsenic	0.000857	J	0.000795	J	NC	
~ -  		dissolved arsenic	0.000676	J	0.000658	J	NC	
C-SW-1 /	3/1/2023	total cadmium	0.00100	UJ	0.00100	UJ	NA	
PRSC-S		dissolved cadmium	0.00100	UJ	0.00100	UJ	NA	
		total lead	0.00200	UJ	0.00200	UJ	NA	
		dissolved lead	0.00200	UJ	0.00200	UJ	NA	
		total zinc	0.007670	J	0.00663	J	NC	
		dissolved zinc	0.005540	J	0.00520	J	NC	

#### Table 6. Field Duplicate Analysis for Surface Water

Relative Percent Difference (RPD) = |X1-X2|/((X1+X2)/2)\*100

Where: X1 = Original Concentration and X2 = Duplicate Concentration

NA = RPD cannot be calculated because one or more of the results are not detected.

NC = Non-calculable; original or duplicate concentrations were less than 5x analyte-specific reporting limits and the absolute difference between the original and duplicate concentrations are less than the analyte-specific reporting limits (USEPA 2020)

mg/L = milligrams per liter

UJ = result is estimated based on internal data validation and not detected above the method detection limit

J = the result is estimated

- 8. **Field Blank:** The Alta field crew collected the surface water field blank sample labeled PSRC-SW-1-FB as guided in the QAPP (Alta 2023), which meets the criteria of 1 field blank sample for every 20 field samples. None of the analytes were detected above the MDL. No qualifications are necessary.
- 9. Rinsate Blank: The Alta field crew collected the surface water rinsate blank sample labeled PSRC-SW-1-RB from a churn splitter as guided in the QAPP (Alta 2023), which meets the criteria of 1 blank sample for every 20 field samples. As shown in Table 7 below, dissolved zinc was detected with a concentration of 0.00373 J mg/L, which is below the RL. Based on the National Functional Guidelines for Inorganics: ICP-MS (USEPA 2020), field samples from similar sample types (or all surface water samples) had dissolved zinc concentrations less than the RL. Therefore, dissolved zinc in PSRC-SW-1 will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U).



Sample ID	Sample Date	Analyte	Reported Concentration (mg/l	
		hardness as CaCO₃	30.0	U
		total mercury	0.000200	UJ
	8 	dissolved mercury	0.000200	UJ
B		total arsenic	0.00200	UJ
		dissolved arsenic	0.00200	UJ
No.		total cadmium	0.00100	UJ
NC NC		dissolved cadmium	0.00100	UJ
0) C		total lead	0.00200	UJ
		dissolved lead	0.00200	UJ
		total zinc	0.0250	UJ
		dissolved zinc	0.00373	J

## Table 7.Rinsate Blank Analysis

mg/L = milligrams per liter

J = result is an estimate

U = not detected above the method detection limit

UJ = result is estimated based on internal data validation and not detected above the method detection limit

10. Equipment Blank: The Alta field crew collected the wall wash equipment blank sample labeled PSRC-WW-EB from plastic sheeting and caulk as guided in the QAPP (Alta 2023), which meets the criteria of 1 blank sample for every 20 field samples. Table 8 below shows the following analytes with detections: hardness as CaCO<sub>3</sub>, chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, sodium, total and dissolved arsenic, and total and dissolved lead. Although total and dissolved zinc were detected above the MDL but below the RL, these results were raised to the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on method blank detections (see Discussion Item #5a above). Based on professional judgment, field samples from similar sample types (or all wall wash samples) that have concentrations less than 10 times the equipment blank detections will be qualified as estimated (J) while non-detects will not require any qualification (Table 8).



Sample ID	Sample Date	Analyte		Reported Concentration (mg/L)		
		hardness as CaCO₃	226			
		chloride	25.2			
		sulfate	12.0			
		total mercury	0.000200	U		
		dissolved mercury	0.000200	U		
		calcium	76.1			
ω	3/1/2023	magnesium	18.0			
PSRC-WW-EB		potassium	1.27	J		
M-		sodium	8.11			
SRC		total arsenic	0.00070	J		
۵.		dissolved arsenic	0.00063	J		
		total cadmium	0.00100	U		
		dissolved cadmium	0.00100	U		
		total lead	0.00332			
		dissolved lead	0.00220			
		total zinc	0.0250	U		
		dissolved zinc	0.0250	U		

## Table 8.Equipment Blank Analysis

U = not detected above the method detection limit or reporting limit (total and dissolved zinc)

J = result is an estimate

## Table 9. Equipment Blank Analysis Qualifying Actions

Sample ID	Analyte	Action
PSRC-WW-1	hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub> , chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, sodium, and dissolved arsenic	J
	total arsenic, total and dissolved lead, and total and dissolved zinc	no qualifications are necessary
PSRC-WW-2	hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub> , chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, and sodium	J
	total and dissolved arsenic, total and dissolved lead, and total and dissolved zinc	no qualifications are necessary
PSRC-WW-3	hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub> , chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, sodium, and dissolved arsenic	J
	total arsenic, total and dissolved lead, and total and dissolved zinc	no qualifications are necessary



# 4 Overall Assessment

## 4.1 Data Accuracy and Precision

Based on this data quality review, Alta determines the laboratory and field data to be of acceptable quality except for the qualifications that are discussed below.

## 4.1.1 Accuracy

Alta's QAO qualified the following data based on accuracy results (LCS or MS):

- Total and dissolved arsenic, and total and dissolved zinc are qualified as estimated (J) in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD due to the MS analysis not sourced from the site.
- Dissolved zinc in sample PSRC-SW-1-RB is qualified as estimated (J) due to the MS analysis not sourced from the site.
- All results in PSRC-SW-1, PSRC-SW-1-FD, PSRC-SW-1-FB, and PSRC-SW-1-RB that are below the method detection limit are qualified as estimated (UJ) due to the MS analysis not sourced from the site.
- Total zinc in sample PSRC-SL-1 (sieved) will be qualified as estimated with a low bias (J-) based on a low MS/MSD %R.

## 4.1.2 Precision

Alta's QAO will qualify the following data based on precision results (MSD or field duplicate):

- Total and dissolved arsenic, and total and dissolved zinc are qualified as estimated (J) in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the site.
- Dissolved zinc in sample PSRC-SW-1-RB is qualified as estimated (J) due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the site.
- All results in PSRC-SW-1, PSRC-SW-1-FD, PSRC-SW-1-FB, and PSRC-SW-1-RB that are below the method detection limit are qualified as estimated (UJ) due to the MSD analysis not sourced from the site.

## 4.2 Data Sensitivity

Method blanks, field blanks, rinsate blanks, silica sand blanks, and equipment blanks were collected to assess sample collection and decontamination methods in the field and laboratory. The following data is qualified based on detections in a blank sample:

- Total arsenic in samples PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1 will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.
- Total arsenic in samples PSRC-SL-1 (sieved), PSRC-SL-2 (sieved), and PSRC-SL-3 (sieved) will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a method blank detection.
- Total zinc in samples PSRC-SL-2 (sieved) and PSRC-SL-3 (sieved) will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a method blank detection.
- Total lead in samples PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-1, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-2, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3, PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup1), PSRC-DU1-ISM-0-0.5'-3 (Dup2), PSRC-



DU2-ISM-0-0.5'-1, and PSRC-DU3-ISM-0-0.5'-1 will be reported at the processed silica blank result (26.5 mg/kg) and qualified as estimated with a high bias (J+).

- Total and dissolved zinc in sample PSRC-WW-EB will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.
- Hardness as CaCO3, chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, sodium, and dissolved arsenic will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-1 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Hardness as CaCO3, chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, and sodium will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-2 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Hardness as CaCO3, chloride, sulfate, calcium, magnesium, potassium, sodium, and dissolved arsenic will be qualified as estimated (J) in sample PSRC-WW-3 based on the equipment blank analysis.
- Total and dissolved zinc in samples PSRC-SW-1 and PSRC-SW-1-FD will be reported at the RL and qualified as not detected (U) based on a detection in the method blank.

It should be noted that one or more sample and/or QC results were flagged "B," "E," "T8," and "V" by the laboratory to indicate QC parameters that did not meet the laboratory or method QC criteria. These flags are qualitative and do not necessarily indicate that data validation qualifier should be assigned. Except for "J" flags, laboratory-assigned qualifiers are for informational purposes only. Data validation qualifiers, if assigned, supersede the laboratory-assigned flags.

# 4.3 Data Usability

The Alta QAO did not reject any data; therefore, according to the QAPP (Alta 2023), the completeness for this sampling event is calculated at 100%, which meets the DQO of 90%.

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# Appendix E Geotechnical results and test pit soil logs



Project Site: Logged Review Signate	: No.: d By: ved By:		30 ray, ID		TEST	Date Started Date Completed Excavator Excavation Method Ground Elevation Test Pit Depth Other:	: 3/1/23 12:50 : 3/1/23 14:50 : McGilliury : Mini Excavator BobcatE50 : ~2,115 : 6' : Located SE of MW-1 and : SW of furthest south : roaster : 48.30156, -1165315						
Depth (ft)	Sample ID	Column	nscs			MATERIAL	DESC	RIPTION					
0-			SM		AND: 50% subangula ot material some red l ic.								
-			ML	yellowish	LTY CLAY: with very fine sands, 50% clays; 50% silts with fine sand, low plasticity, ellowish brown - tan to light grey, dry, crumbles when dry. <1" ribbon when wettened. ery stiff (dry) very thinly bedded, high dry strength.								
-	TP-1		SM	SILTY SA soft, lithic	AND: 80% sands; 20% s; quartz, loose, decc	6 fines, non plastic, l omposed driftwood a	light brov t 2'	wn, moist to slightly n	noist,				
5-			SM	content a wetted. v	AY: 60% clay; 40% s nd less fine sand, dry ery stiff (dry), very thi ron, tan buff to light g	v to slightly moist, cru nlv bedded, vellow-o	umbles v orange	2' with slightly higher vhen dry. >1" ribbon v	clay when				
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Project No.:       :       22075-30         Site:       :       Proderay, ID         Logged By:       :       Tom Jenkins         Reviewed By:       :       Brett McLees - PGL 1755         Signature:       :       :				GL 1755	TEST	PIT TP-2 (Page 1 of 1)	Date Started Date Completed Excavator Excavation Method Ground Elevation Test Pit Depth Other:	: 3/1/23 10:30 : 3/1/23 11:45 : McGilliury : Mini Excavator BobcatE50 : ~2,117 : 6' : West end of central : roaster : 48.30191, -116.53145
Depth (ft)	Sample ID	Column	NSCS			MATERIAL DES	SCRIPTION	
0-			SM	roots and SILTY SA non plast	AND: 50% sand, 40% fin I red brick, steel I-beam AND: 80% sand, 20% fin tic, highly disturbed iron t; 80% silt, 20% sand, b cks.	and concrete footing, n nes, sand course to fine historical building activi	on plastic, dry to slightl , rounded, well graded, ties, dry to slightly mois	y moist light grey, t, 4" layer
- -	TP-1		CL	SILTY CL cumbles high dry s	_AY: with trace sands, 5 when dry, >1" ribbon wh strength	50% silt, 50% clay, tan-b nen wetted, very stiff (dr	ouff, light grey, dry to sli y) very thinly bedded (•	ghtly moist, :1/2" layers),

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Science & Engineering, Inc.					TEST PIT	TP-3 (Page 1 of 1)	Date Started Date Completed Excavator Excavation Method Ground Elevation	: 3/1/23 12:00 : 3/1/23 13:00 : McGilliury : Mini Excavator BobcatE50 : ~2,117						
Projec Site: Logged Reviev Signat	d By: ved By:	: 22075- : Ponder : Tom Je : Brett M : <i>1</i> 340	ay, ID nkins				Test Pit Depth Other:	: 6', : Located N of furthest N : roaster between roaster : and footpath that leads to : slagpile						
Depth (ft)	Sample ID	Column	NSCS		Μ	IATERIAL DESC	RIPTION							
0-			SM	SANDY S heavy roo	SANDY SILT: 50% subangular course sand (well sorted), 50% fines. Dark Brown, heavy root, some charcoal, dry to slightly moist, no plasticity.									
-	- TP-1		ML	SILTY CI crumbles	_AY: with very fine sands, 509 when dry, <1" ribbon when w	% clays, 50% fines, y /etted, very stiff (dry)	rellow brown to tan, d , medium plasticity (v	ry, vhen wet).						
-			SM		AND: 80% sands (well sorted, moist, soft, non plastic, lithics:		s, non plastic, light br	own, moist to slightly						
5-			CL	SILTY CI wetted, v	_AY: 60% clay; 40% silt, trace ery stiff (dry), high dry strengt	sands, similar to 4-4	4.5',lighter grey, dry, ∃	>1" ribbon when						
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#### TABLE 1 CITY OF PONDERAY SMELTER CLOSE SUMMARY OF SOIL DATA

Sample	Sample	Sample	USCS Soil	Delivered	Atterberg		Grain Size Distribution		Specific	Moisture/Density Relationship		Additional Tests		
Туре	Identification	Depth	Classification	Moisture		Limits		% Finer	% Finer	% Finer	Gravity	Standard Proctor		Comments
		(ft.)		(%)	LL	PL	PI	3/4"	#4	<b>#200</b>		Dry Density (pcf)	Moisture (%)	(See Notes)
Pail	PSRC-TP-1-2'-4'-030123	2-4	CL-ML		22	16	6	100	100	63	-			
Pail	PSRC-TP-1-4'-6'-030123	4-6	CL		33	20	13	100	99	85				
Pail	PSRC-TP-2-0.5'-2'-030123	0.5-2	SM		NP	NP	NP	97	95	29				
Pail	PSRC-TP-2-2'-6'-030123	2-6	CL-ML		26	19	7	100	99	68				
Pail	PSRC-TP-3-1'-6'-030123	1-6	CL		27	17	10	100	100	73				

NOTES:

LL= LIQUID LIMIT PL= PLASTIC LIMIT PI= PLASTIC INDEX SL= SHRINKAGE LIMIT UW= UNIT WEIGHT T = TRIAXIAL TEST

U = UNCONFINED COMPRESSION TEST

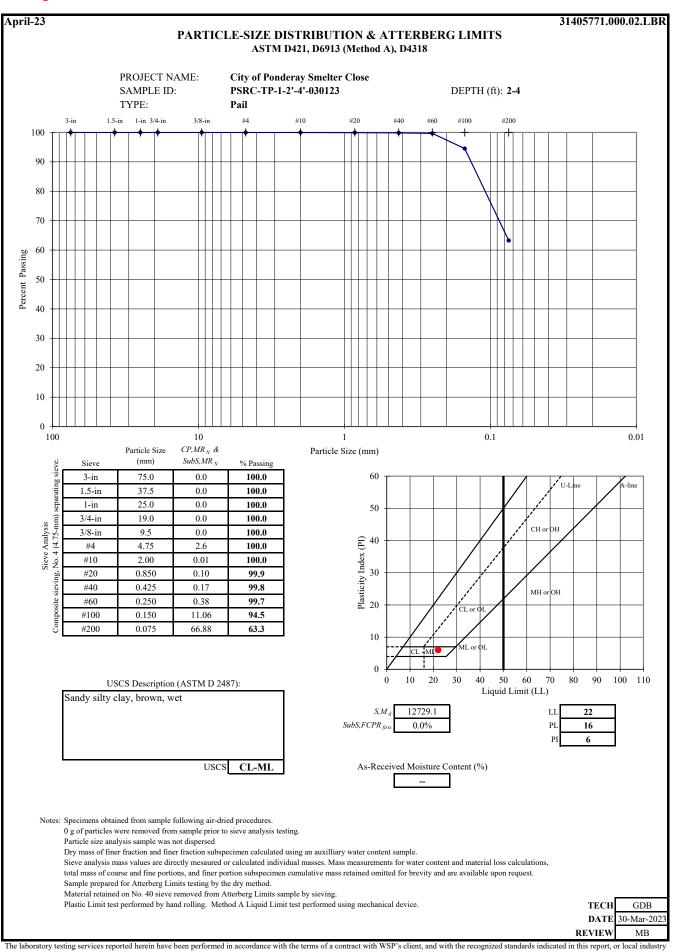
C = CONSOLIDATION TEST

DS = DIRECT SHEAR TEST

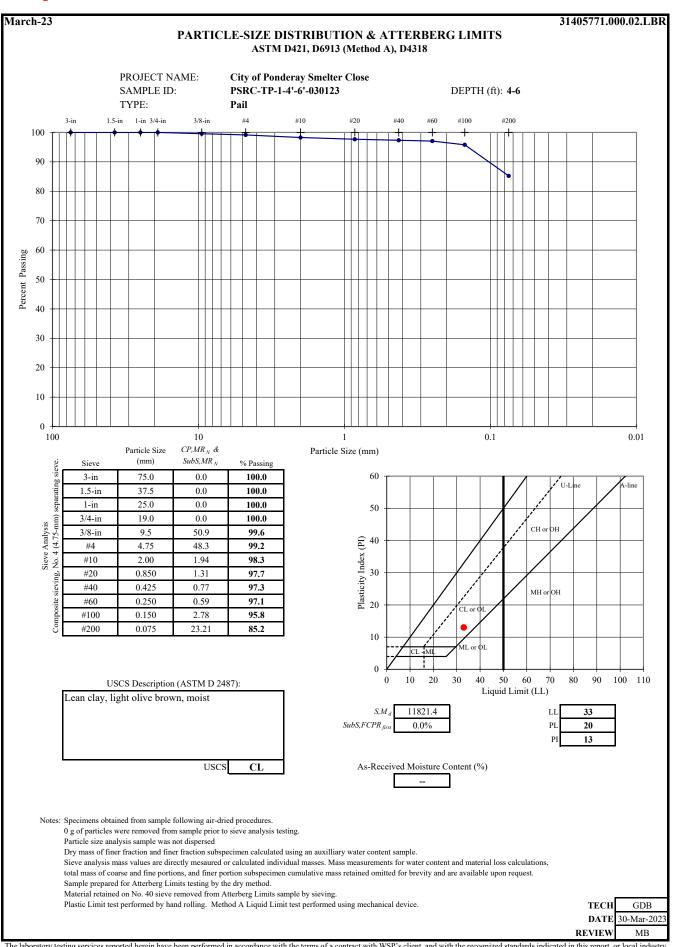
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CP = COMPRESSION PERMEABILITY

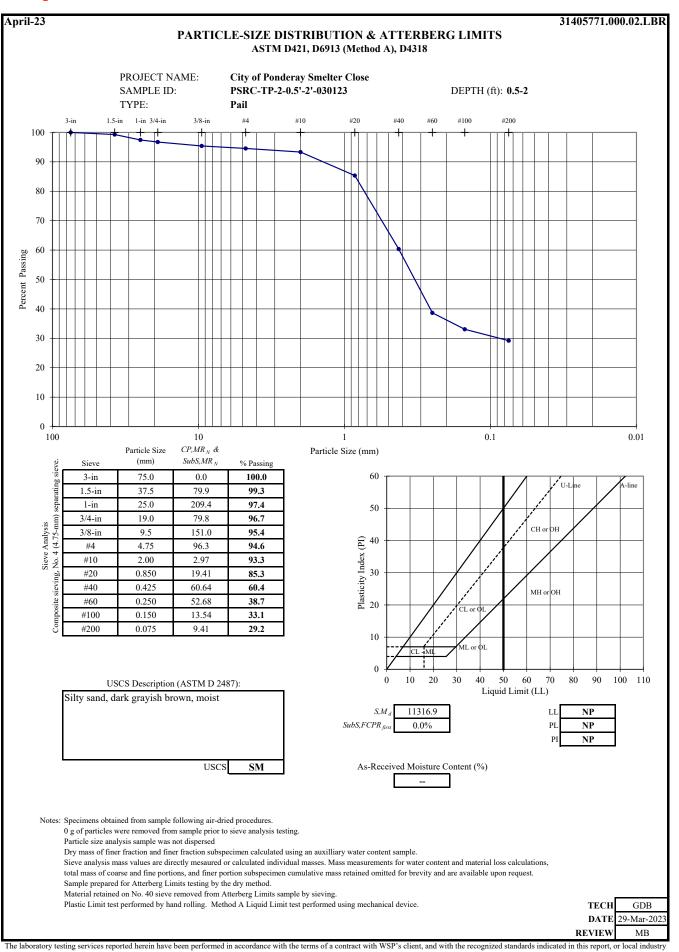
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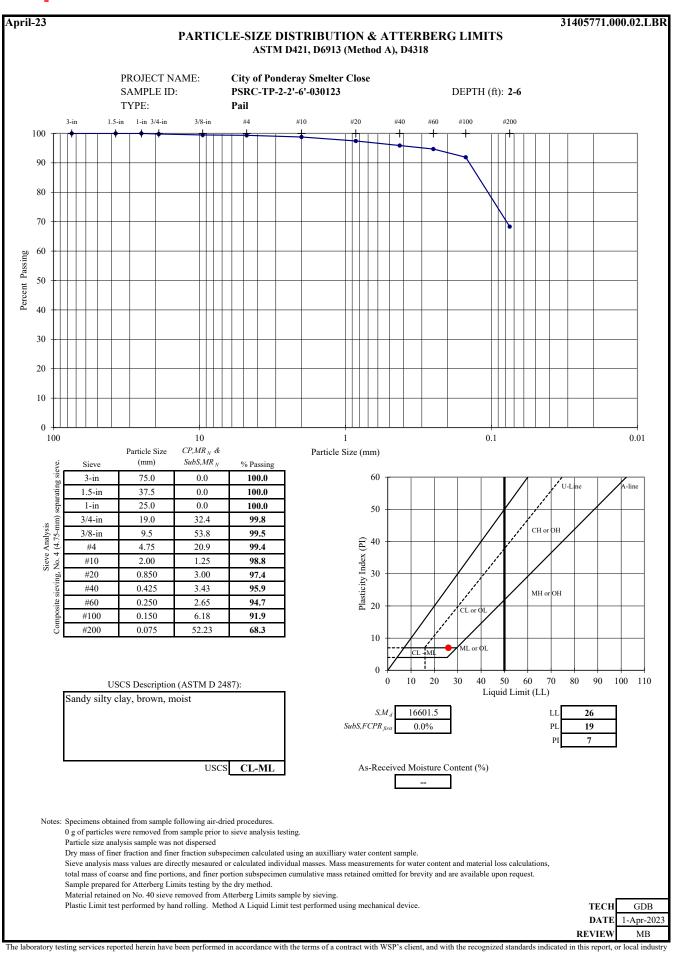
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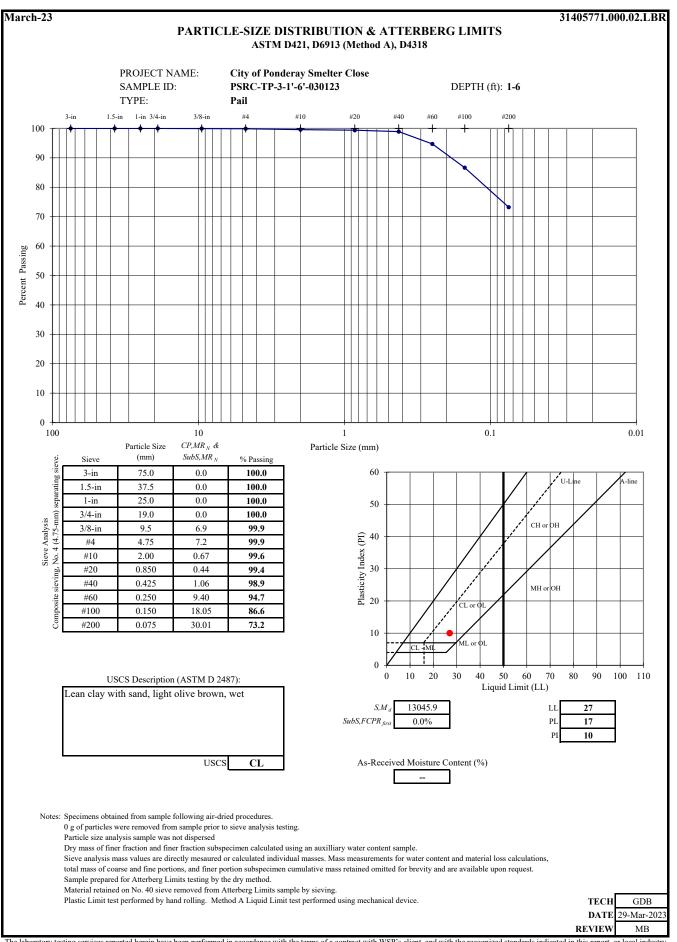
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Appendix F Archaeological Monitoring report



## RESULTS OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL MONITORING AT THE PANHANDLE SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY SITE (10BR539), NEAR PONDERAY, IDAHO, IN MARCH 2023

By Robert Lee Sappington

31 March 2023

### Introduction

Alta Science & Engineering, Inc. (Alta) is working with the City of Ponderay (City) to develop a public park in proximity to Lake Pend Oreille at the location of the former Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company (PSRC) site. Prior to development of the park, Alta and the City are conducting a series of soil tests. After reviewing a description of the planned undertaking, the Idaho State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) recommended that an archaeologist monitor all ground-disturbing excavation associated with soil testing in the vicinity of the PSRC site. Monitoring was previously conducted at the site in November 2011 (Sappington and Longstaff 2012a) and again in May 2012 (Sappington and Longstaff 2012b) prior to the development of the adjacent Pend Oreille Bay Trail. At that time historic cultural resources were encountered in 16 of the 19 test pits and it was evident that historic artifacts and features are frequent in the vicinity of the site.

The PSRC site is an inactive facility located approximately 400 feet south of the community of Ponderay. The PSRC site consists of original smelter ruins, a small pile of unprocessed ore, several building depressions, and a slag dump. The slag dump appears to be weathering onto the beach and it is known locally as Black Rock.

The PSRC site was recorded as archaeological site 10BR539 in 1985 (Miss and Hudson 1986). Prior to a modification of a railroad grade, the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Seattle District (COE), requested an evaluation of the site to determine its eligibility for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places (Renk 2001). That report provides an excellent history of the smelter and the author concluded that 10BR589 was eligible for the National Register under criteria A and D (Renk 2001).

Access to the PSRC site is by the adjacent trail which has increased pedestrian and vehicle traffic and the area has become a popular swimming and recreation destination during the summer. There are elevated levels of lead, zinc, and other metals in the slag dump and nearby soil. The topography is mostly glacial terrace with some localized flood plain and the soils are predominantly sand overlying silt and clay (IDEQ 2006:4).

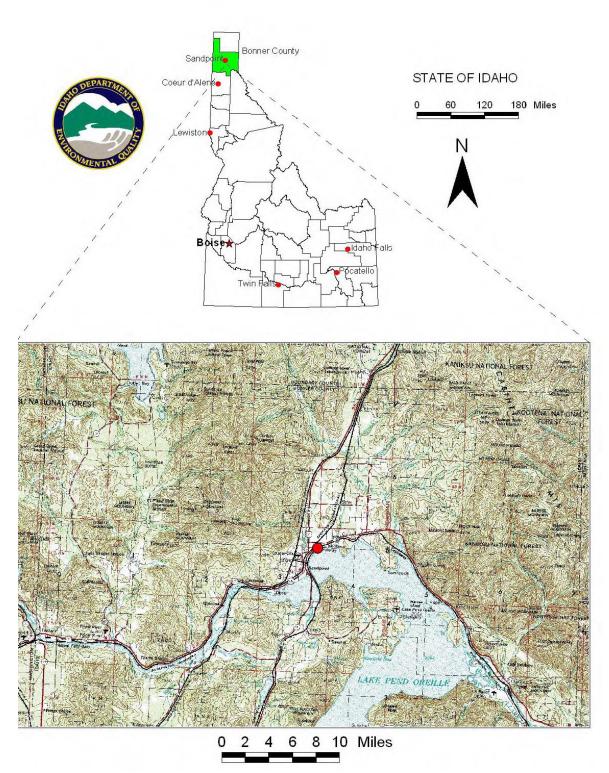


Figure 1. Map of the general project area. The location of the Panhandle Smelting and Refinery Company (PSRC) site (10BR539) is indicated by the red circle (adapted from IDEQ 2006: Figure 2-1).

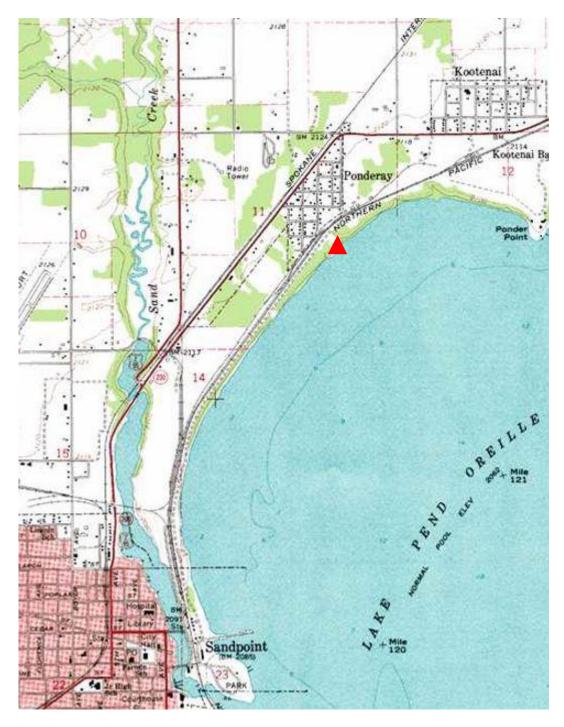


Figure 2. Location of the PSRC project area. The APE is indicated by the red triangle. Adapted from the Sandpoint, ID quadrangle.



Figure 3. Aerial photo map of the project area showing the PSRC site. The locations of the three test pits excavated in March 2023 are indicated by the pushpins (labeled and provided by Tom Jenkins, Alta). Note the BNSF railroad tracks at the upper left and Black Rock and Lake Pend Oreille at the lower right.

The history of the PSRC site is one of contentious management, accusations, and lawsuits rather than a record of actual smelting. Planning for the smelter began in 1902 and the townsite of Panhandle (the name was changed to Ponderay by early 1905) began to grow up adjacent to the smelter at that time. Construction of the smelter began in 1904; the first lead bars were poured in 1907 and the smelter ran sporadically through March 1909. Following foreclosures and various sales, salvage crews dismantled the plant by December 1922 (IDEQ 2006:4). Since that time, there has been little activity in the area with the exception of recent recreational use.

The project area is located well within the territory of the Kalispel Indians (Lahren 1998: Figure 1). Like other Plateau tribes, the Kalispel followed a seasonal round with subsistence based on a combination of wild foods including fish, game, and plant. Settlement centered on winter camps that were situated along the major drainages such as the Pend Oreille River while other seasonal camps were at locations where camas, berries, game, and other resources could be gathered and hunted. There are numerous precontact sites around Lake Pend Oreille but none appear to be in the vicinity of the APE.

#### Discussion

The author met with Alta, IDEQ, and City personnel at the trail access in Sandpoint on 1 March 2023. All personnel traveled along the trail to the PSRC site and the author monitored the mechanical excavation of three soil test pits. The locations of the units had been previously determined and all were within the boundaries of 10BR539. The project area was heavily vegetated and the surface of the APE was covered by snow so that no artifacts or features were visible. Excavation was conducted using a Bobcat E50 excavator and the author recorded GPS points at each test pit using a Garmin Etrex 32 instrument. The target depth of all units was 6 feet (72 inches) below the surface (BS), and the width of each unit was approximately 2 feet; the length of each trench varied with conditions and results. Changes in soil composition, texture, and color were recorded by Alta environmental scientist Tom Jenkins and the following descriptions have been adapted by the author from Mr. Jenkins' field notes. After each unit was excavated and the soil samples were collected that unit was backfilled. Representative sediment samples were collected Alta personnel for later analysis; no artifacts or samples were collected by the archaeological monitor.

### **TP 1**

This was the third unit excavated (Figures 4-5). It was located in proximity to a former smoke stack (534744 mE/5349926 mN). The upper stratum (0-12 inches BS) was dark brown silty sand and several red common bricks were noted. The second stratum (12-24 inches BS) was yellowish brown-tan to light gray clay silt with very fine sands; it was glaciofluvial or glaciolacustrine in origin. The third stratum (24-48 inches BS) was light brown silty sand that was glaciofluvial or glaciolacustrine in origin. The basal stratum (48-72 inches BS and below) was tan buff to light gray silty clay that was similar to Stratum 2 but with slightly higher clay content and less fine sand; it was also glaciofluvial or glaciolacustrine in origin. Cultural material was limited to several scattered bricks at or near the surface; the underlying strata were natural with no evidence of artifacts or historic disturbance.



Figure 4. Photograph of TP 1 taken at the beginning of excavation. The view is to the south (note Lake Pend Oreille in the background).



Figure 5. Photograph of TP 1 taken at the end of excavation. The south wall of the unit is 6 feet below the surface. The view is to the south.

## **TP 2**

This was the first unit excavated (Figures 6-8) It was situated in proximity to a former roaster (534748 mE/55349966 mN). The edge of a concrete slab with an embedded vertical iron I-beam (from the former roaster) was immediately encountered and the excavation shifted slightly to the south. Three strata were delineated. Stratum 1 was dark brown silty sand and was limited to the upper 6 inches. Stratum 2 (6-24 inches BS) was light gray silty sand; it showed evidence of historic disturbance including some charcoal. Stratum 3 (24-72 inches BS) continued into the floor of the unit; it consisted of tan-buff light gray silty clay with traces of sand that represented natural glaciofluvial or glaciolacustrine depositional processes. The upper two strata contained bricks and exhibited historic disturbance to a depth of 24 inches BS while the underlying stratum was undisturbed and natural.



Figure 6. Photograph of TP 2 taken at the beginning of excavation. The view is to the northeast.



Figure 7. Photograph of TP2 taken during the initial stages of excavation. The I-beam is in the lower center foreground to the right of the red brick. The view is to the southeast.



Figure 8. Photograph of TP2 taken at the end of excavation. The wall of the trench is 6 feet below the surface. The view is to the southeast.

## **TP 3**

This was the second unit excavated (534767 mE/5349967 mN). It was located between the footpath and the slagpile in proximity to a roaster pile and several former buildings. Four strata were delineated. The uppermost strata (0-12 inches BS) consisted of dark brown sandy silt and it had several red common bricks. Stratum 2 (12-48 inches BS) consisted of yellow brown to tan clay silt with very fine sands that were deposited by glaciofluvial to glaciolacustrine processes. Stratum 3 (48 to 54 inches BS) consisted of light brown silty sand that was also deposited by glaciofluvial or glaciolacustrine processes. Stratum 4 (54 to 72 inches BS and continuing into the floor) consisted of lighter gray silty clay and was similar to the previous stratum.



Figure 9. Photograph of TP 3 taken at the start of excavation. The view is to the north.



Figure 10. Photograph of TP 3 taken at the end of excavation. The exposed wall is 6 feet below the surface. The view is to the east.

### Summary and Management Recommendations

Archaeological monitoring was conducted at the Panhandle Smelting and Refining Company site during subsurface soil testing on 1 March 2023. Three test pits were excavated to 6 feet below the surface and sediments were similar in all units. The only cultural materials observed were red common bricks which were at or near the surface of all three units and continued to 24 inches BS in TP 2. There was no evidence of lithic material, fire-modified rocks, or any indication of a pre-contact occupation in any of the test units.

The PSRC site was considered eligible for nomination to National Register of Historic Places in 2001 under criteria A and D. Although the structures are gone and surface indications are minimal, there is clear subsurface evidence of the site. The results of monitoring in March 2023 are similar to those from previous projects in 2011 and 2012. It is therefore recommended that future ground-disturbing activities at the site continue to be monitored by a qualified archaeologist.

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