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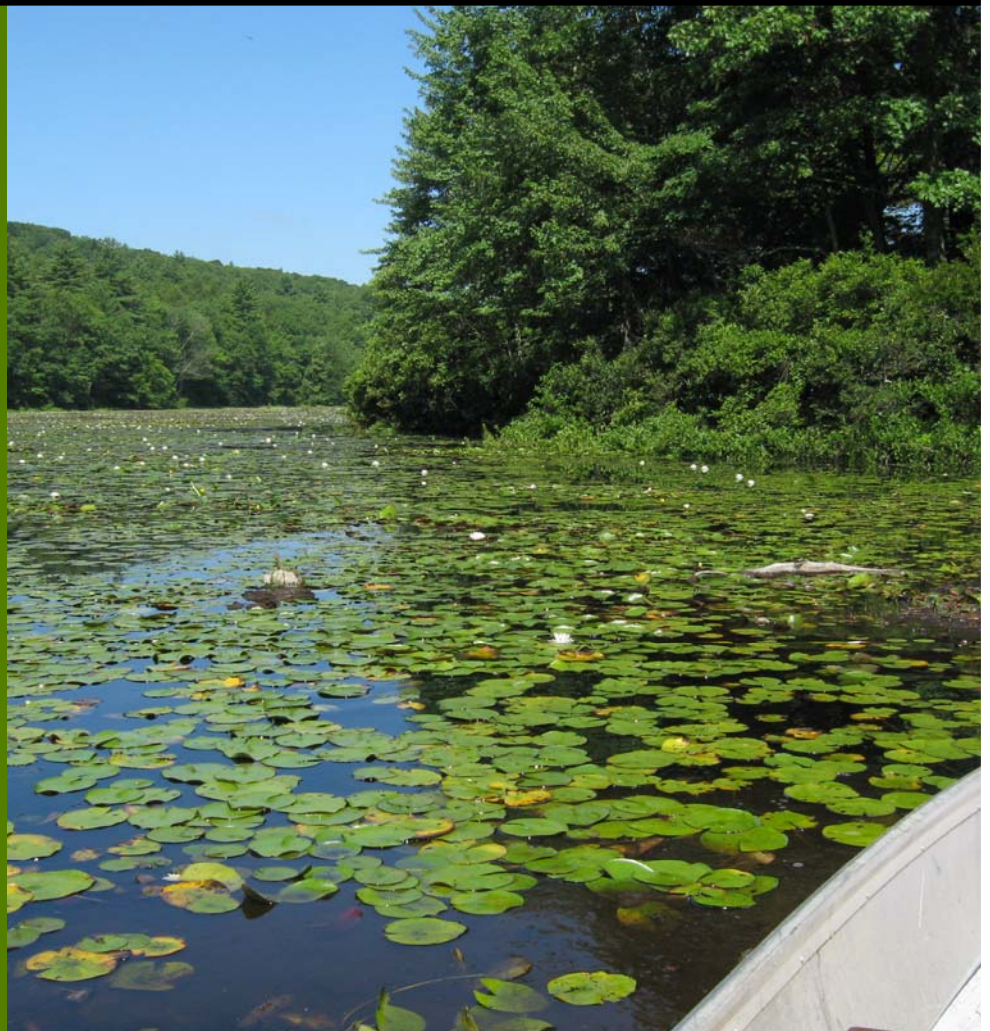
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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

ESS Group, Inc. (ESS) was contracted by the Town of Hopedale ("the Town") to conduct an investigation of Hopedale Pond and its watershed. The field assessment portion of the study was initiated during May 2008 and concluded in January 2009. Work was initiated to address potential sources of water quality impairment to the Town beach at the pond as well as to address the ongoing issue of invasive aquatic plants. The goal of the study was to provide sensible and long-term recommendations for improving conditions at the pond to benefit wildlife habitat and recreational opportunity.

Given that Hopedale Pond had not been thoroughly assessed in many years, an added benefit of this investigation was that high quality data was collected from both the pond and its watershed that can be reliably used to make sound management recommendations for improving conditions at the pond and to establish a set of reliable baseline data by which future improvements can be measured.

The current investigation was prompted by the Town of Hopedale, Massachusetts to provide information necessary to evaluate the hydrologic, nutrient, sediment, and other pollutant loading to Hopedale Pond and to develop short- and long-term management actions for the pond. These field investigations, combined with our review of several previously conducted studies of the pond, serve as the basis for the development of this Diagnostic and Feasibility Study.

The investigation of Hopedale Pond consisted of eighteen major components as originally defined by the town in their scope of services for the project:

1. Summary of all historical studies and previously implemented management actions for the pond and its watershed; including an evaluation of the current watershed management issues and practices;
2. Development of a Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for field sampling and laboratory analysis
3. Assessment of water quality within the pond and its watershed, including selected stormwater outfalls;
4. Creating a hydrologic and nutrient budget for the pond;
5. Mapping and assessment of the aquatic plant community;
6. Assessment of *E. coli* bacteria sources in the watershed;
7. Documenting pond rights and possible ramifications on recommended restoration activities;
8. Updating bathymetry of the pond and conducting a dredging feasibility analysis;
9. Development of a list of aquatic plant and sediment removal options with costs;
10. Review of past aquatic plant treatments and performance of a literature review of potential biological treatments, including bacteria and enzymes;
11. Identification of major storm drains discharging to the pond;
12. Developing and conducting a public education plan for the pond;

13. Recommending Canada goose control options for the pond;
14. Conducting a watershed survey to identify and document nonpoint sources of sediment and nutrients to the pond;
15. Drafting a diagnostic/feasibility study reporting including management recommendations
16. Conducting a seepage survey to test the existing sewer system along the eastern shoreline of the pond;
17. Assisting with public outreach;
18. Developing a pilot program to address Canada goose issues.

The management plan provided at the end of the document has been specifically designed to 1) improve water quality conditions, particularly at the Town beach and 2) control nuisance aquatic vegetation, including the exotic invasive variable-leaf milfoil (*Myriophyllum heterophyllum*) and fanwort (*Cabomba caroliniana*). Although the fieldwork components of this study were concluded in January 2009, public education and outreach based on the results of the diagnostic/feasibility study is planned for summer of 2009.

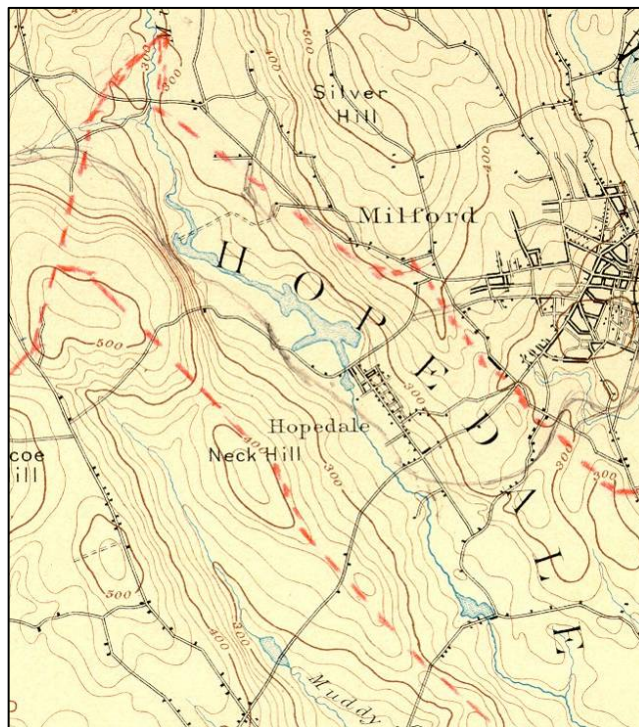
## **2.0 METHODS AND APPROACH**

This section of the report describes the specific protocols and procedures adopted throughout the course of the diagnostic and feasibility study of Hopedale Pond. A copy of the QAPP and the Standard Operating Guidelines (SOGs) that served as guidance for the collection and analysis of data for this project are included as Appendix A. A brief description of the data validation efforts for this project is provided with these documents in Appendix A.

### **2.1 Historical Issues and Previous Management of Hopedale Pond and its Watershed**

ESS consulted The Hopedale Parks Department, Hopedale Board of Health and Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) to gather reports from previously performed studies as well as to obtain readily available data or information pertaining to Hopedale Pond and its watershed. The following sources were also reviewed:

1. Information on land use history and development in the watershed was compiled from a variety of sources, including historical land use and United States Geological Survey (USGS) topographic maps as well as Massachusetts forestry reports.



**Historical map of Hopedale (circa 1895).**

2. A review of previous findings and recommendations pertaining to Hopedale Pond and its watershed was conducted. This included a review of available reports and correspondence dating back to 1899. Major historical studies and previous management actions at Hopedale Pond were summarized. This information was used to help evaluate past management recommendations and determine the relative degree of success any implemented actions had.
3. Information on current watershed and pond features was compiled from existing sources, including the most recent USGS topographic maps, wellhead protection maps and Massachusetts Geographic Information System (MassGIS) land-use data. Storm sewer maps provided by the Town of Hopedale were also reviewed. In addition, long-term climate information was compiled for the Hopedale Pond area from National Climate Data Center records.

The review of historical issues and past management actions allowed construction of a timeline of events in the history of Hopedale Pond and the Town Parklands that abut it. Hopedale Pond has a long history of problems with nuisance aquatic vegetation and a number of management actions

have been taken over the years with varying degrees of success, including dredging, herbicide treatments, hydroraking, and wildlife management. Details on the results of this review are presented in Section 4.1.

## **2.2 Water Quality**

An approach consistent with that outlined in the project specific QAPP (Appendix A), was used to sample surface water from Hopedale Pond and its tributaries. Throughout the study “dry weather” was defined as a period of at least 72 hours (3 days) with less than 0.1 inches of precipitation recorded, “wet weather” was defined as the first rain event that produces runoff (normally >0.25 inches) after a minimum period of 72 hours with less than 0.1 inches recorded. Weather data, forecasts and precipitation totals were tracked for the Hopedale Pond watershed through internet weather services, including the National Weather Service ([www.weather.gov](http://www.weather.gov)) and Weather Underground ([www.wunderground.com](http://www.wunderground.com)). A summary of estimated daily precipitation in the Hopedale Pond watershed is included in Appendix B.

Water samples were collected in order to characterize water quality conditions at two in-pond stations, three tributary stations, and five selected storm water outfalls (Figure 1). The Hopedale Pond watershed was delineated and subdivided into major sub-basins, each of which corresponds to a tributary or in-pond sampling station (Figure 1). The storm water outfalls have very small sub-basins which are not depicted on the watershed map.

Sampling was conducted monthly during the months of May to November 2008 and in January 2009, unless otherwise noted. The following key tasks were completed:

1. **In-pond dissolved oxygen assessment:** The pond was surveyed at the pond’s deepest location (Site 1) in the southern basin to document dissolved oxygen and temperature profiles during dry weather conditions throughout the period of study. These field-measured parameters were recorded at 0.5 meter intervals, from the water surface to the bottom of the pond.
2. **In-pond water quality:** The pond was sampled at two locations (Sites 1 and 2) within its main basin to measure water quality characteristics during dry weather. Photographs of each site are presented in Appendix C. At Site 1, samples were collected from both the surface and bottom of the pond. Water samples were collected from the surface of the pond using grab sampling techniques and from the pond bottom using a Van Dorn style sampler. The samples were analyzed for *E. coli* bacteria (surface sample only), total suspended solids (TSS), chlorophyll *a* (surface sample only), total iron (bottom sample only), total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus, nitrate nitrogen, nitrite nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, and ammonia nitrogen.

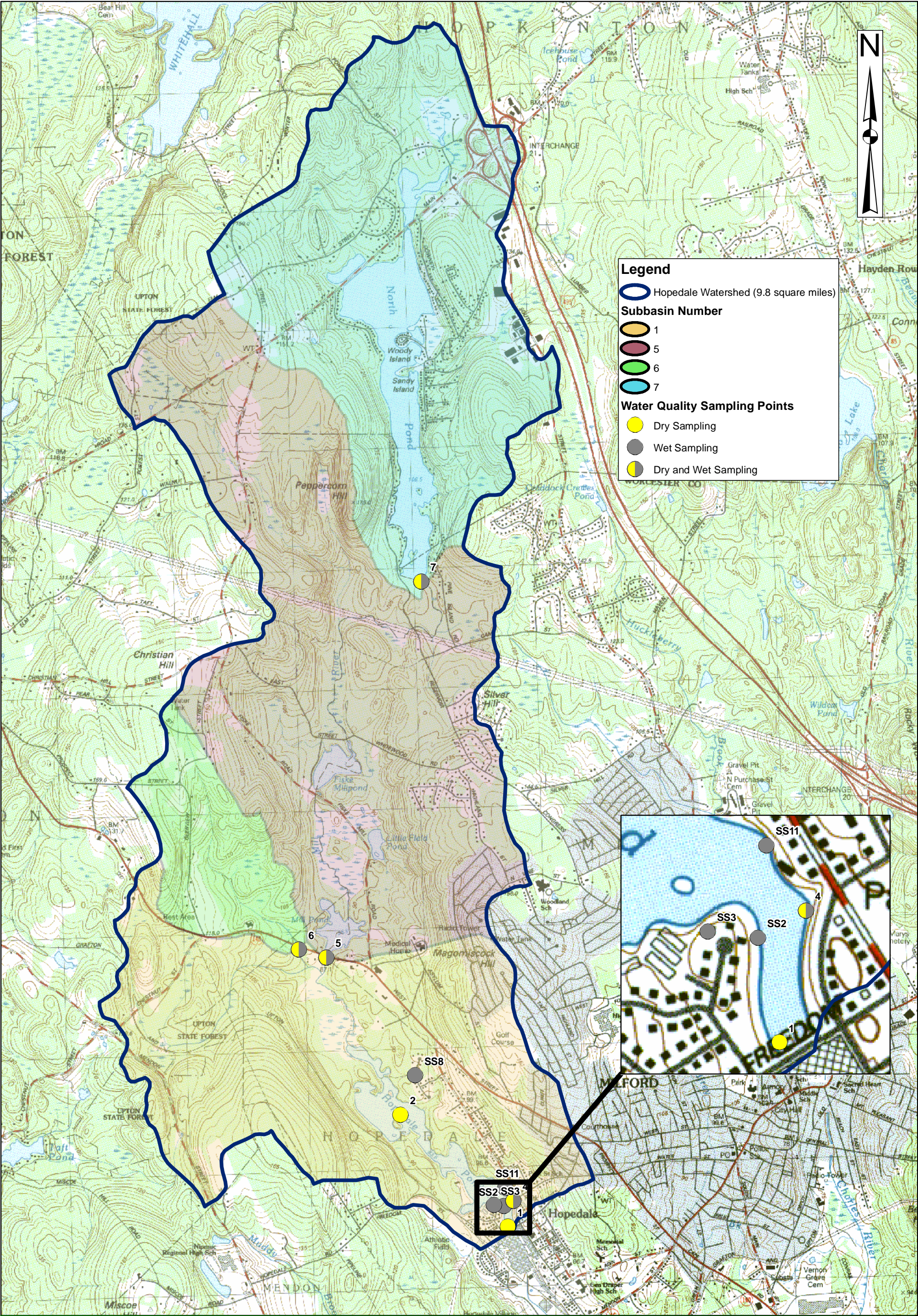
In addition, the following water quality parameters were assessed during each field visit at each sampling location, as applicable: Secchi disk transparency, temperature, dissolved oxygen, specific conductance, pH, color, and turbidity. The measurement technique for each of these parameters adhered to the QAPP guidelines developed specifically for Hopedale Pond (Appendix A).



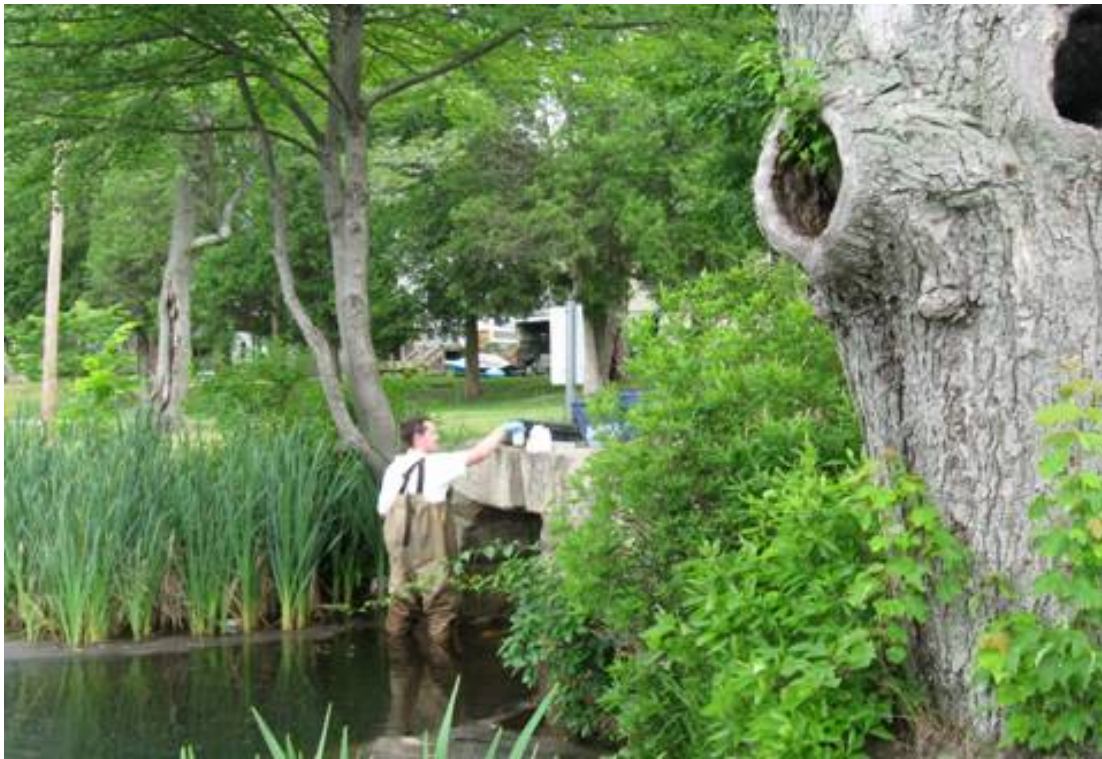
3. **Tributary and outlet water quality:** Three Hopedale Pond tributary sites (Sites 5, 6, and 7) and one stormwater outfall (Site 4) were sampled using grab techniques to evaluate water quality on a monthly basis during dry weather periods. Photographs of these sites are presented in Appendix C. Wet weather water quality was also assessed at these sites during two storm events, on August 6 and November 13, 2008. Four additional stormwater outfall sites were also assessed during wet weather conditions, including sites SS2, SS3, SS8, and SS11. Sites 4, 5, 6 and SS11 were sampled during both storm events but Sites SS2, SS3, SS8 and 7 were only sampled on August 6, due to the limited duration of the targeted storm event on November 13.

Water samples collected from all tributaries and the outlet were tested for *E. coli*, TSS, total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus, nitrate nitrogen, nitrite nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, and ammonia nitrogen. Field assessed parameters included: flow rate, temperature, dissolved oxygen, specific conductance, pH, color, and turbidity, as applicable in accordance with the QAPP (Appendix A).









Collection of water quality samples from Site 4 outfall – “Dutcher Street” storm drain.

4. **Groundwater Quality:** The quantity and quality of groundwater entering Hopedale Pond was evaluated to assess non-point groundwater sources of nutrients that might have been entering the pond from along its immediate shoreline. Groundwater monitoring was conducted on two dates, July 30 and September 18, 2008, in order to characterize seasonal variability and to confirm sampling results.

The hydrologic connection between the pond and groundwater was evaluated using seepage meter surveys at four shoreline segments in the lower basin of the pond (Figure 2). A seepage meter is a device that allows investigators to quantify the flux of groundwater seepage into a pond along the shoreline. The seepage meter segments were selected based on surrounding topography, housing density and bottom substrate characteristics. Two of the four segments (Segments HPS1

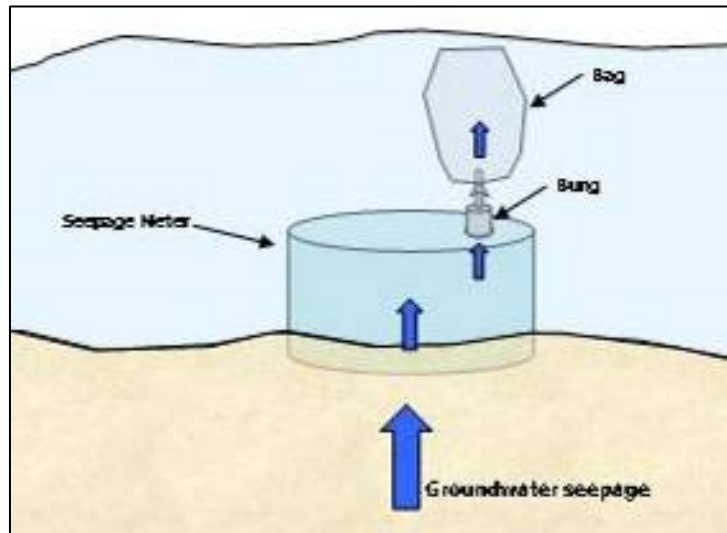


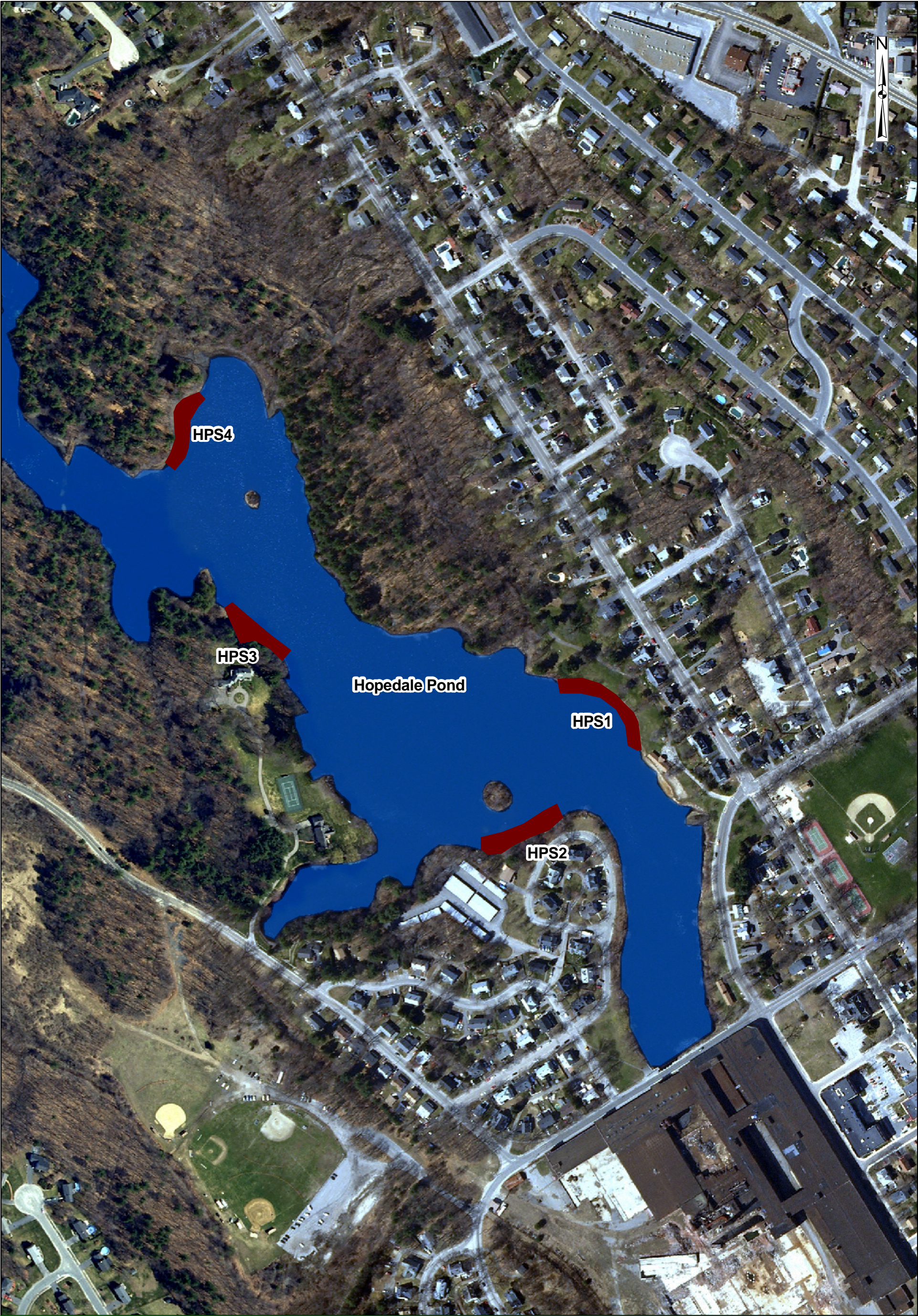
Diagram of an installed seepage meter.

and HPS2) were selected to characterize the high-density residential areas of the lower pond basin. Segment HPS3 was selected to characterize the influence of lower-density residential areas. Lastly, segment HPS4 was sited within an undeveloped portion of the pond as a control site. A total of eight seepage meters were temporarily installed within the pre-defined segments along the Hopedale Pond shoreline. Of the two meters deployed within each study segment, one was placed in relatively shallow water and the other was placed in somewhat deeper water. This was done to get a sense of groundwater seepage at differing depths. The exact placement of the seepage meters was determined by bottom substrate characteristics, since debris-free soft/small grained substrates such as silt or sand are required to ensure a tight seal around the base of the seepage meter.

Each seepage meter was left for in place for at least 2.0 hours, which is usually sufficient to capture the subtle changes in seepage over time. At the end of the deployment period, the amount of water in each attached bag was measured by emptying it out into a graduated cylinder. The change in volume measured within each bag over a given period of time is then multiplied by the area of pond bottom sampled. This calculation represents the in-seepage or out-seepage at the location of the seepage meter.

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Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) samplers, essentially mini-wells, were used to extract (by pumping) the groundwater from below the pond bottom at multiple locations near the deployed seepage meters within each of the pre-defined shoreline segments. The extracted groundwater was then combined for each segment and analyzed for water quality parameters including: *E. coli* bacteria, nitrate nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, dissolved iron, dissolved phosphorus, specific



Collection of groundwater samples with a LIP sampler.

conductance, temperature, and pH. The water extracted by the LIP sampler is representative of water entering the pond in the vicinity of the seepage meters within each shoreline segment.

### **2.3 Assessment of *E. coli* Bacteria Sources**

Water quality samples documenting *E. coli* bacteria levels within the pond and its watershed were made as part of the sampling program described under Section 3.2. In addition to field observations, stormwater and watershed land use maps were consulted to infer potential sources for locations that were found to have elevated levels of *E. coli*.

### **2.4 Pond Rights**

ESS searched public documents and assessor's maps to delineate property boundaries along the pond. Pond property rights were researched in order to identify the potential for interference with recommended physical management techniques, such as drawdown or dredging.

### **2.5 Morphometry, Bathymetry and Isopach Mapping**

Water depth measurements at Hopedale Pond were conducted on July 23 and July 25, 2008. Multiple points were measured along each transect to accurately characterize depth contours across the pond. Individual point depths were also measured where it was determined that additional depth characterization was needed to fully characterize the bathymetry. The location of each point measurement was taken using a GPS unit. Subsequently, these data were used to develop water depth contours for the pond in GIS.



**Collection of bathymetric data in Hopedale Pond.**

Sediment depths were also measured at each point using an extendible carbon steel tile probe, in order to estimate the volume of soft sediments in the pond. Western portions of the northern basin were essentially inaccessible due to heavy weed cover and very shallow water. Ice cover allowed two additional partial transects to be surveyed in this area on January 19, 2009. Sediment depth data were compiled from each of the three survey dates to develop an isopach map of the pond in GIS.

## **2.6 Sediment Quality**

Sediment quality is often used as an indicator of long-term nutrient or contaminant contributions from the watershed to a waterbody. Sediment samples were collected at Hopedale Pond in order to assess the availability of nutrients that may impact internal recycling or be available for rooted plant uptake. In addition, sediment samples were collected to document physical characteristics and identify levels of potential contaminants that could pose challenges for dredging of the pond. The characterization of sediments is part of a screening process designed to reveal the severity of sediment contamination, if present, and to aid in the development of future management strategies.

Sediment was sampled from Hopedale Pond on January 19, 2009. Sample cores were recovered from the pond bottom using an extendible Russian peat corer. Sediment nutrient samples were collected from seven different locations including three within the northern basin, one in the middle portion, and three within the southern basin of the pond (Figure 3). Each set of cores was composited into a single sample (N1 and N3) for laboratory analysis of total phosphorous and total nitrogen. Sediment coring was only completed at one location in the middle portion of the pond (N2).

Bulk physical and chemical analysis was conducted on two composite samples, including one from the southern basin (SC1) and one from the northern basin (SC2 [Figure 3]). Three cores from the southern basin were composited to form the sample for SC1 while three cores from the northern basin of the pond were composited to form the sample for SC2. Compositing was accomplished by homogenizing each set of cores with a stainless steel spoon in a stainless steel bowl. Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) were sampled from individual cores prior to compositing, in order to avoid sample loss through volatilization.

Sediment samples were analyzed for the following parameters: arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, mercury, nickel, zinc, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), VOCs, polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH), percent ash, percent water, total organic carbon, Atterberg limits, and ASTM grain size analysis.

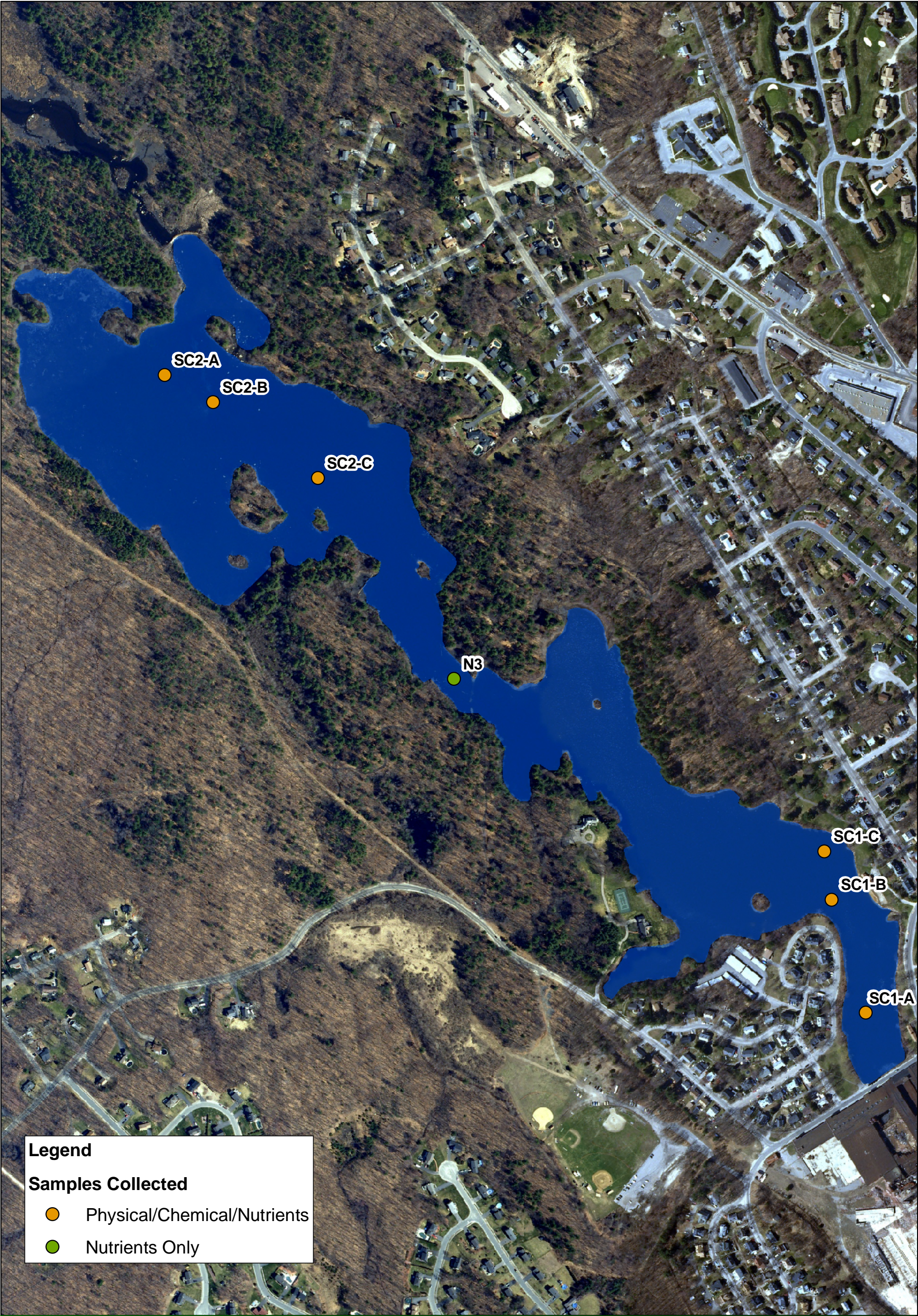
## **2.7 Hydrology and Nutrient Budgets**

It is possible to estimate the amount (load) of phosphorus and nitrogen being contributed to Hopedale Pond by its watershed when an estimate of water flowing into the pond and the concentration of each nutrient in this water is known. Water flowing into Hopedale Pond comes from three primary sources: surface water, groundwater, and direct precipitation.

Surface water flows can be estimated from actual flow data or from known relationships for water yield from similar watersheds. One inflowing tributary to the pond exists (Mill River); however, surface water also enters the pond directly during rain events via stormwater outfalls and as overland runoff. The average annual flow rate to the pond was calculated to include both sources of flow and was based on the area of the watershed and local precipitation data. An estimate of the rate of groundwater movement into the pond was based on averages obtained for New England ponds of similar morphometry as well as from in-pond measurements taken with seepage meters. Inputs from direct precipitation were determined from long-term climatological data for the region and the known surface area of the pond.

The nutrient (phosphorus and nitrogen) budgets for Hopedale Pond were modeled from long-term climatological data, system hydrology, and from field data collected during this study (Appendix D). Nutrient budgets were determined using a variety of limnological modeling techniques based on pond morphometry, watershed features, and field data specific to the pond. Nutrient loading to the lake was further categorized by itemizing various inputs to the pond from the land use data and tributary data collected as part of this study.





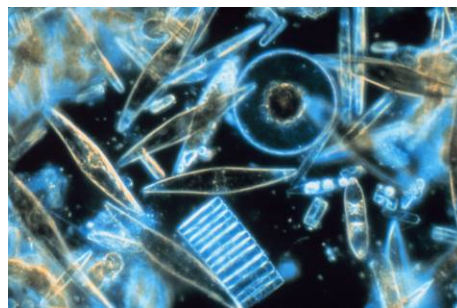


## **2.8 Biological Assessments**

### **2.8.1 In-Pond Biology**

#### **Plankton**

The phytoplankton (microscopic suspended algae) and zooplankton (microscopic suspended animals) communities of Hopedale Pond were assessed five and six times, respectively, throughout the study period. Phytoplankton and zooplankton were collected on a monthly basis between July 2008 and November 2008. One additional sample of each kind was collected in January. Phytoplankton grab samples were collected just below the pond surface at Site 1 and preserved in opaque plastic screw top jars with Lugol's solution. Samples were analyzed by Jim Sweet of Aquatic Analysts, Inc.



**Phytoplankton are the base of the food chain in most pond ecosystems.**

The zooplankton community was sampled using a plankton tow net, which was a 5.0-inch diameter conical net with a mesh size of 80  $\mu\text{m}$  and an attached collecting bottle at the cod end of the net. Net tows totaling 20 meters (equivalent to  $\sim 1,000$  liters of sampled lake water) were performed at the in-pond Site 1 for zooplankton sample collection. Tows were taken obliquely beneath the water surface so that samples were depth integrated from within the euphotic zone. Due to complete ice cover during the January sampling event, zooplankton were collected at an augered hole in the ice using repeated vertical tows through the water column. Due to these constraints, sample volume for this event was reduced to 500 liters. Zooplankton samples were preserved with ethanol in 250 mL plastic screw top jars and returned to ESS's laboratory for processing.

Zooplankton samples were transferred into Imhoff settling cones and allowed to stand for 24 hours. After 24 hours, liquid was carefully siphoned off the top of each cone and returned to the sample bottle in order to concentrate samples to a total volume of 75 mL. At this point, the total wet volume of zooplankton in the bottom of the cone was noted. Each concentrated sample was then emptied into a clean 250 mL container and briskly stirred to suspend zooplankton throughout the liquid column. Using a pipette with a wide (1 mm) tip, an approximately 3 mL sample aliquot was removed from the middle of the agitated liquid column and transferred to a Bogorov counting chamber for identification and enumeration.



**Microscopic zooplankton are typically the most abundant animals in pond ecosystems.**

## **Aquatic Plants (Macrophytes)**

Aquatic plants (including emergent, floating leaved, and submergent species) in Hopedale Pond were mapped on July 23 and July 25, 2008, following an approach comparable to that outlined in the project QAPP for the creation of an aquatic plant map (Appendix A). The goal of the plant mapping effort was to describe species composition and estimate plant biovolume and cover during the period of peak development. A number of transects were established in order to thoroughly characterize plant beds throughout the pond. Each transect was surveyed by direct observation from a boat, in clear shallow areas and by grappling plants from the bottom, in deeper waters. Additionally, unique habitat areas that were not located along these transects, were surveyed so that the less abundant plant species could also be documented. Total macrophyte cover (defined as the portion of the bottom sediments of the examined area covered with plants), and total macrophyte biovolume (defined as the portion of the water column of the same area filled with plant material) were mapped throughout the pond. Macrophyte cover and plant biovolume were expressed as a percentage value within four pre-defined quartile ranges from 1 (1-25 percent cover or biovolume) to 4 (76-100 percent cover or biovolume). The absence of plants was recorded as zero.

## **Canada Goose and Other Biological Observations**

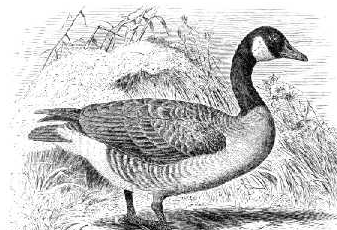
ESS recorded Canada goose observations in and around Hopedale Pond on every outing, noting abundance of adults and goslings, time, location, and behavior (Appendix D). Additionally, the approximate percent cover of goose feces in the vicinity of the pond bath house and beach was noted. Observations of other wildlife and fish occurring in the pond or within its watershed were also documented throughout the course of the study.

### **2.9 Review of Past Aquatic Plant Treatments and Biological Treatment Options**

As described in Section 2.1, ESS investigated the history of past pond treatments in Hopedale Pond. ESS also conducted a literature review of the current body of knowledge regarding biological treatment options for aquatic plant management. Biological treatments involving bacteria, enzymes, fish and other organisms were reviewed and analyzed for feasibility. The results of these reviews were used to supplement the analysis of management options for the pond in Section 4.0.

### **2.10 Identification of Major Storm Drains**

ESS surveyed the developed perimeter of Hopedale Pond during dry weather on May 15, 2008 to locate storm water structures, such as manholes and catch basins. The storm water networks associated with these features were traced to their associated outfalls. The location of each outfall was recorded using a Trimble Global Positioning System (GPS) unit with sub-meter accuracy and the presence of any flow was noted. Outfalls were assigned a unique sequential numeric code beginning with the prefix "SS" (to denote storm sewer). The results of the storm drain identification field survey were



**Resident populations of Canada goose (*Branta canadensis maxima*) have ballooned in many parts of the country.**

used to identify potential wet weather sampling locations for water quality surveys conducted in the watershed, as described in Section 2.2. Additionally, ESS generated a GIS map and associated geodatabase (Appendix E) from this survey.

### **2.11 Lake Watershed Survey to Identify and Document Nonpoint Sediment and Nutrient Sources to the Pond**

Watershed land use and surface hydrology maps were used to identify key sampling locations for the water quality surveys conducted in the watershed, as described in Section 2.2. The results of these surveys were used to identify likely nonpoint pollution sources to Hopedale Pond and incorporated into the nutrient modeling described in Section 2.5.

## **3.0 STUDY RESULTS**

### **3.1 Hopedale Pond Historical Background and Current Conditions**

#### **3.1.1 Summary of Previous Studies, Management Actions and Current Problems**

The Hopedale Parks Department, Hopedale Board of Health and Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) were consulted to gather information and data from any previous studies conducted on Hopedale Pond. A summary of the results of research into previous water quality and baseline environmental assessments at Hopedale Pond are presented in this section.

A history of Hopedale Pond and its use as a recreational area reveals that the pond has a long history of weed control issues (Hopedale Park Commission 2005) (Appendix F). Weeds were first reported as a problem in 1948 and the pond was drained and dredged by the Draper Corporation in 1949 to remove weeds. The pond was again treated for weeds in 1953 using a chemical spray from a helicopter. A more intensive weed control program was implemented by the Allied Biological Control Corporation several years later which was in place from 1959 until 1961. Weeds remained a problem in the pond and in 1972 the Hopedale Park Commission reported that pond attendance was down due to excessive weed growth. According to Charles Espanet, Recreation Director at the time, "By July the entire pond looked like a field with only the channel clear of weeds-snaking its way up from the 'shop' to the Rustic Bridge...the swim area was a real mess after the weeds were treated."

The weed issue in Hopedale Pond continued throughout the 1990s with reports of heavy plant cover in the pond and implementation of various treatment programs to address the problem. The most recent treatments were conducted by Aquatic Control Technology in May 1999 with follow-up spot treatments in the southern basin of the pond in 2001 and 2002. Additional weed control treatment planned for 2003 was not implemented due to Town budget delays. In response to excessive deposition of nutrient-rich sediments from storm water inputs, Aquatic Control Technology conducted a hydroraking operation in the vicinity of the town beach in September 2005.

It was during this time period in the 1990s that Canada goose and their droppings were first reported as a nuisance at Hopedale Pond. The release and feeding of domesticated ducks on the pond was cited as a factor that encouraged wild Canada goose to frequent the area and rapidly increase in number. Goose droppings began to impact water quality in the pond and the Town of Hopedale took steps to address the issue by posting 'No-feeding' signs and passing a bylaw prohibiting the feeding of waterfowl. In 1996, plastic mesh fencing was installed to keep Canada goose off the town beach. It is unclear how successful this management effort was at the time but the goose fencing is not currently present. The Canada goose and weed issues remain a problem in Hopedale Pond to this day.

According to the Hopedale Park Department, there have not been any in-depth water quality studies conducted at the pond for in the past 14 years (Espanet, 2008). The Board of Health was contacted to gather data on any previous water quality studies conducted at Hopedale Pond. The beach area at Hopedale Pond has been tested by the Board of Health for *E. coli* bacteria in the past. In 2008, the pond was tested twice, with results meeting primary contact recreational standards in both cases (Izzo, 2008).

Hopedale Pond is included on the Massachusetts 303(d) list of impaired waterbodies in the Blackstone River Basin for noxious aquatic plants, based on the most recent MassDEP Water Quality Assessment Report (MassDEP 2001). The MassDEP report, which classified Hopedale Pond as eutrophic, assessed whether Hopedale Pond meets its designated uses under the Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Standards (MSWQS). These uses include aquatic life, primary contact recreation, secondary contact recreation and aesthetics. The aquatic life use is supported when suitable habitat and water quality is available for sustaining a native, naturally diverse, community of aquatic flora and fauna. Primary contact recreation is supported when water quality is suitable for prolonged water contact in activities such as swimming, wading and waterskiing, while secondary contact recreation is supported when water quality is suitable for limited water contact such as boating and fishing. Aesthetics are supported when surface waters are pollutant-free and lack objectionable deposits, floating debris, scum or other matter which produce objectionable odor, color, taste or turbidity. The entire pond is non-supporting for aquatic life and only a quarter of the total pond acreage partially supports primary contact recreation, secondary contact recreation and aesthetics (MassDEP 2001). The remaining pond acreage is non-supporting for these designated uses. The presence of extensive beds of aquatic invasive species in the pond, primarily variable-leaf milfoil (*Myriophyllum heterophyllum*), are the principal cause of Hopedale Pond failing to meet its designated uses under the MSWQS.

Based on ESS' review of available information on Hopedale Pond it is clear that a new study and a well-defined management plan are needed to address ongoing issues. In general, management techniques have been gradually adapted over the years to address short term issues in Hopedale Pond. Problems with aquatic weeds, resident waterfowl, and sedimentation have been dealt with as they arise, only to return after a short time. This Diagnostic and Feasibility Study serves as a significant first step in solving systemic issues in Hopedale Pond.

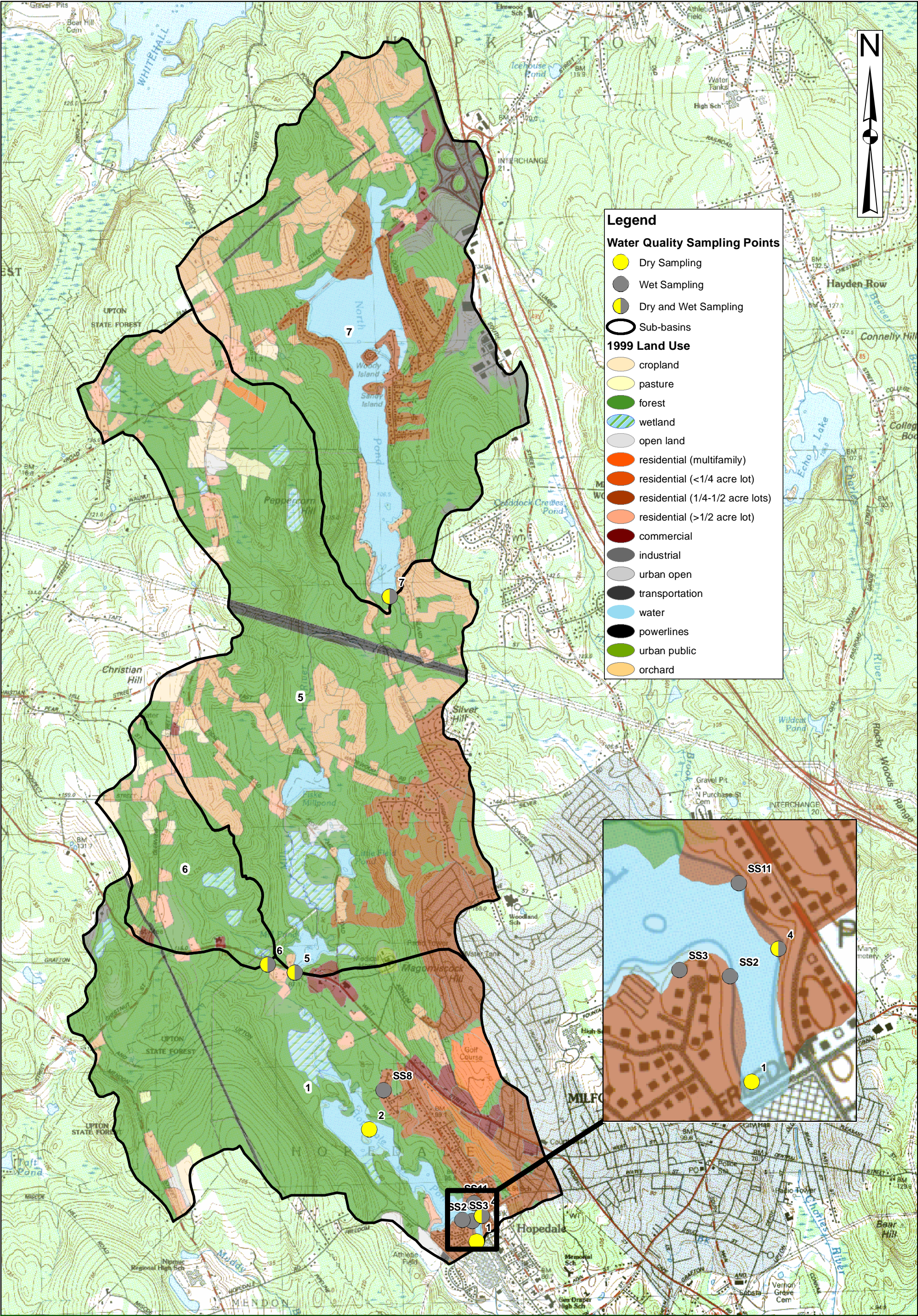
### **3.1.2 Current and Historical Watershed Features**

A USGS topographic map was used to delineate the watershed of Hopedale Pond (Figure 1). The watershed, including Hopedale Pond, was calculated to be approximately 6,284 acres. Spanning the towns of Hopedale, Milford, Upton and Hopkinton, the watershed is currently dominated by forest and residential land use (Table 1, Figure 4). Forested lands make up 57% of the watershed area. Altogether, low impact land uses, including forests, wetlands, open land and water bodies comprise approximately 65% of the watershed area. Most of the remainder (27%) consists of residential land use.

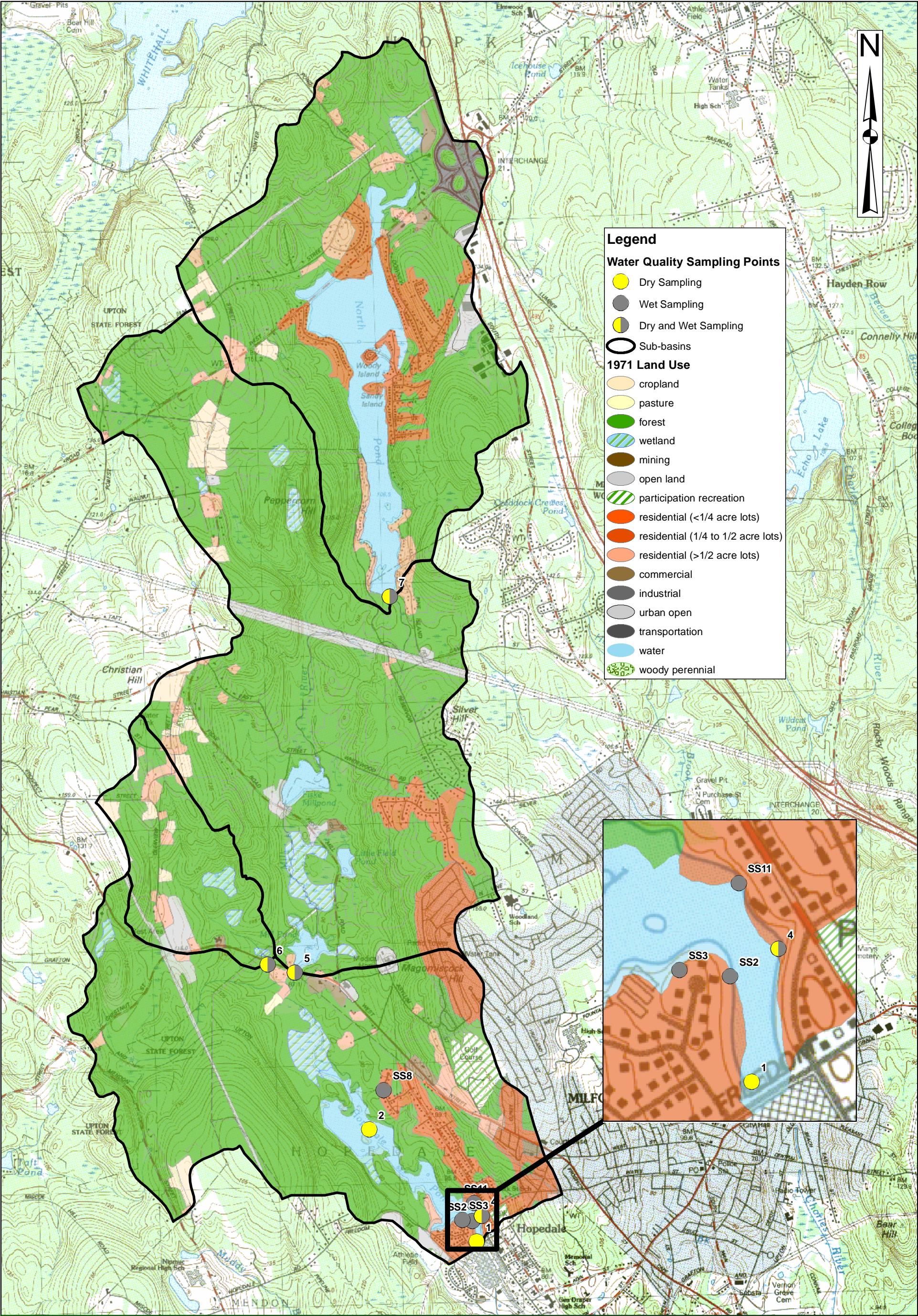
In the late 19<sup>th</sup> and early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, land use within the towns of Hopkinton, Upton, Milford, and Hopedale was split mostly between forest and agriculture, including pasture, hay production, and tilled land. Residential land use typically covered less than 10% of town lands and it appears that most of this development was focused outside of the watershed in the town centers of Hopkinton, Upton, Hopedale, and Milford. By 1946, development within the Hopedale Pond watershed had increased significantly, especially along the periphery of North Pond (Lake Maspenock) and along Dutcher Street near the southeastern portion of Hopedale Pond.

Comparison of recent historical (1971) and contemporary land use maps indicates that land use within the Hopedale Pond watershed has changed a good deal in recent decades (Table 1). The most notable trends include the conversion of forest lands and open space to residential and industrial land uses (Figure 5), especially in the upper half of the watershed. These types of land use changes are typically associated with increased stormwater volume and are likely to increase nutrient and sediment loading to Hopedale Pond from nonpoint sources. Among residential land use, low density residential land has seen the largest increase in acreage since 1971 and now accounts for more than half the total residential acreage in the watershed.











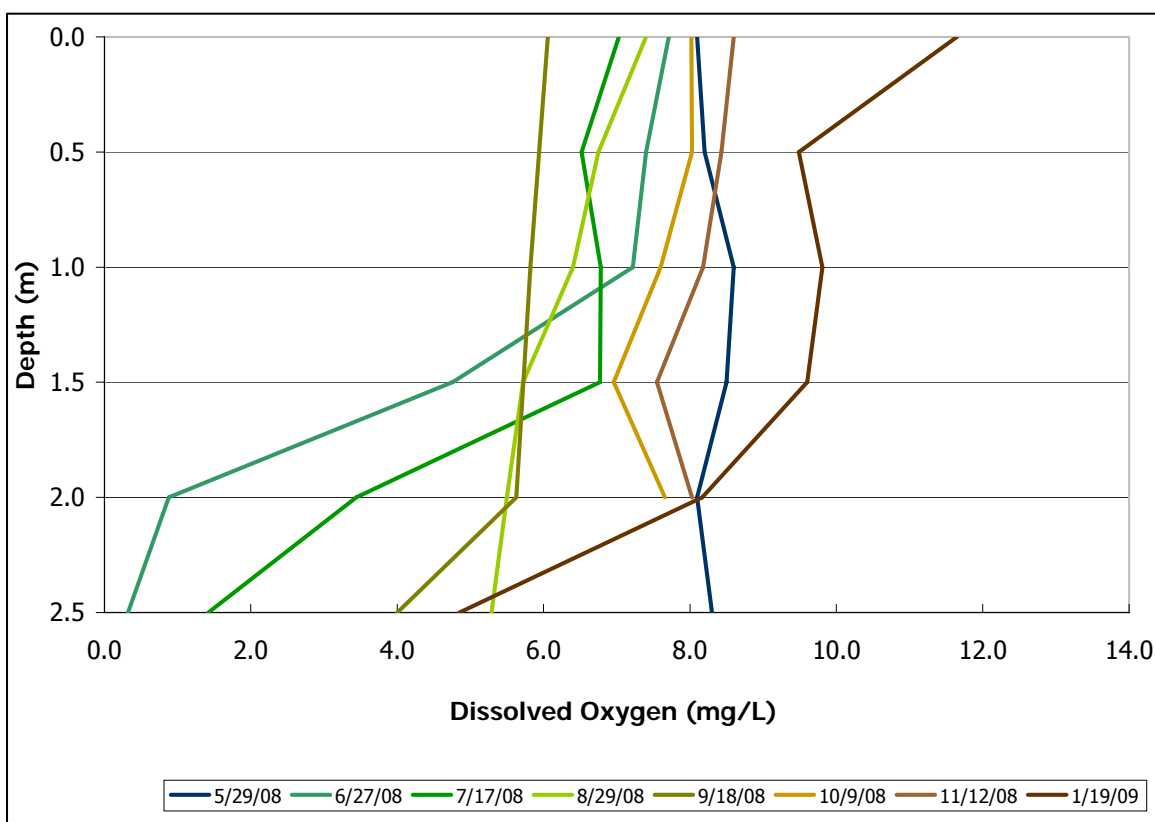
### **3.2 Water Quality**

Results from the water quality monitoring program are summarized in the following sections.

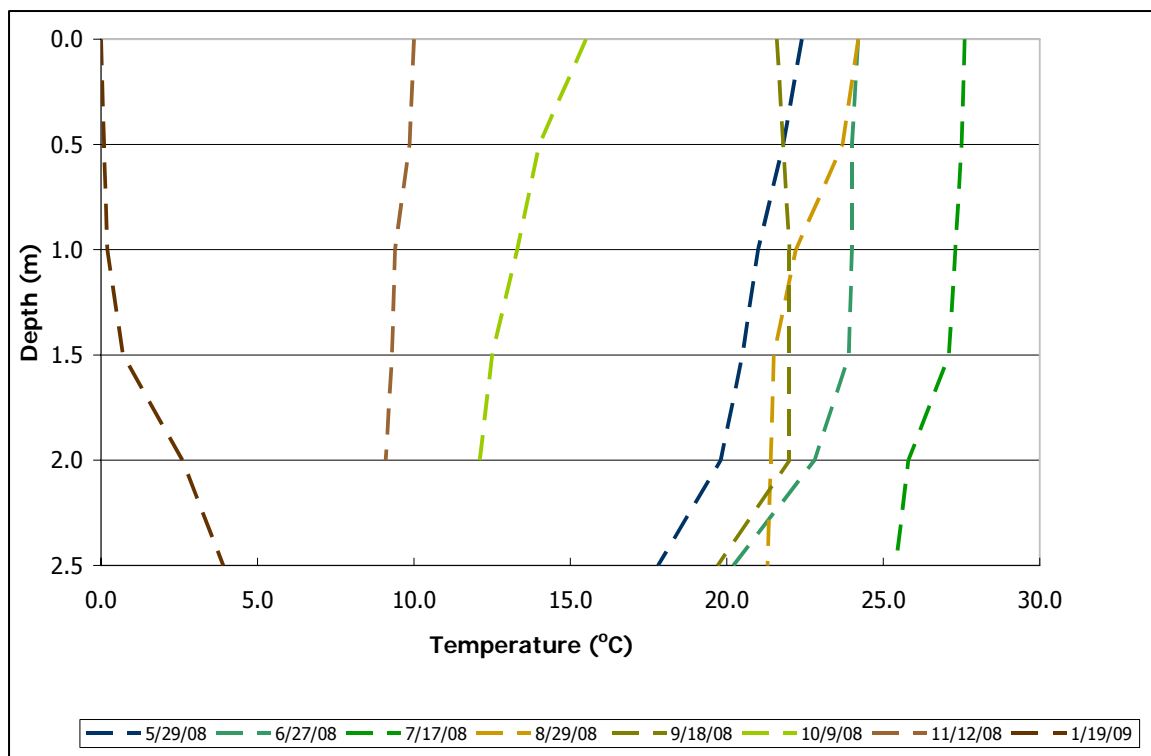
#### **3.2.1 In-Pond Dissolved Oxygen Assessment**

Dissolved oxygen (DO) is the amount of molecular oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>) dissolved in water. Dissolved oxygen concentrations below 5.0 mg/L, as well as temperatures above 28.3°C, are generally considered unsuitable for support of aquatic life in Class B warm water fisheries. Additionally, release of phosphorus (which, in turn, may promote algal and plant growth) from bottom sediments can often be enhanced under anoxic (no oxygen) or hypoxic (very low oxygen) conditions. Temperature and dissolved oxygen are typically measured within the water column to evaluate the extent of pond stratification.

Dissolved oxygen and temperature profiles documented at Site 1 in Hopedale Pond are presented in Table 2 and Figures 6 and 7. Temperature and DO profile data for Hopedale Pond indicate that stratification of the pond was strongest in June and July 2008 and again in January 2009.



**Figure 6. Dissolved Oxygen Profiles for Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**



**Figure 7. Temperature Profiles for Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**

Bottom waters were nearly depleted of oxygen in June (as low as 0.3 mg/L). However, conditions improved in July and DO remained above 4.0 mg/L during each of the subsequent sampling dates. Hopedale Pond appeared to be fairly well mixed in May and from August to November 2008.

Measured water temperature in Hopedale Pond did not exceed the Massachusetts standard for Class B warm water fisheries of 28.3°C during the study period (Table 2). On a thermal basis, Hopedale Pond appears to be suitable habitat for most aquatic life, including warm water fish, according to state standards. With the exception of June, thermal stratification was weak during the summer months, likely due to the shallow nature of the pond. Larger waterbodies of the Northeast typically exhibit a strong thermocline (the point of maximum temperature change within the metalimnion) that is observed to occur deeper within the water column as the warm season progresses and the surface waters warm. Temperature data suggest the lack of this typical thermocline behavior for Hopedale Pond. However, when the pond was stratified, maximum temperature drops typically occurred between 1.5 and 2.5 meters deep.

Dissolved oxygen profiles at Site 1 were also not strongly characteristic DO stratification, although the months of June and July 2008, along with January 2009, did exhibit a maximum decrease in DO between 1.5 and 2.5 meters in depth. The dissolved oxygen levels were typically greater than 5.0 mg/L in the epilimnion (i.e., waters above the thermocline) and therefore reflect a moderately well to well oxygenated environment, suitable for aquatic life such as warm water

fish. DO data obtained during the months of June and July 2008 depict some DO stratification, where the pond bottom becomes poorly oxygenated. Data from September depict a relatively even and somewhat low concentration of DO throughout the water column (maximum DO of 6.1 mg/L). As water temperatures cooled through the autumn months, DO levels rebounded throughout most of the water column. DO levels remained mainly high in January, although the heavy ice cover permitted a strong vertical gradient to develop, with DO concentrations sagging below 5.0 mg/L at the pond bottom.

Specific conductance (conductivity at 25°C) was also evaluated within the water column, as this is used to assess stability of stratification. Measurements of conductivity also provide a general indication of water quality and fertility. Conductivity data did not indicate a strong chemocline (layer of increased salinity) within Hopedale Pond (Table 3 and Figure 8), and conductivity levels in Hopedale Pond remained relatively consistent at the top and bottom of the water column over time. High conductivity values are characteristic of eutrophic lakes (nutrient rich). With the exception of the January 2009 measurements, specific conductance levels were above 250  $\mu$ Siemens/cm, suggesting that the pond is at least moderately nutrient enriched.

### 3.2.2 In-pond Water Quality

Hopedale Pond was sampled from two locations within its two basins to determine water quality characteristics. These two locations were designated as Site 1(south basin) and Site 2 (north

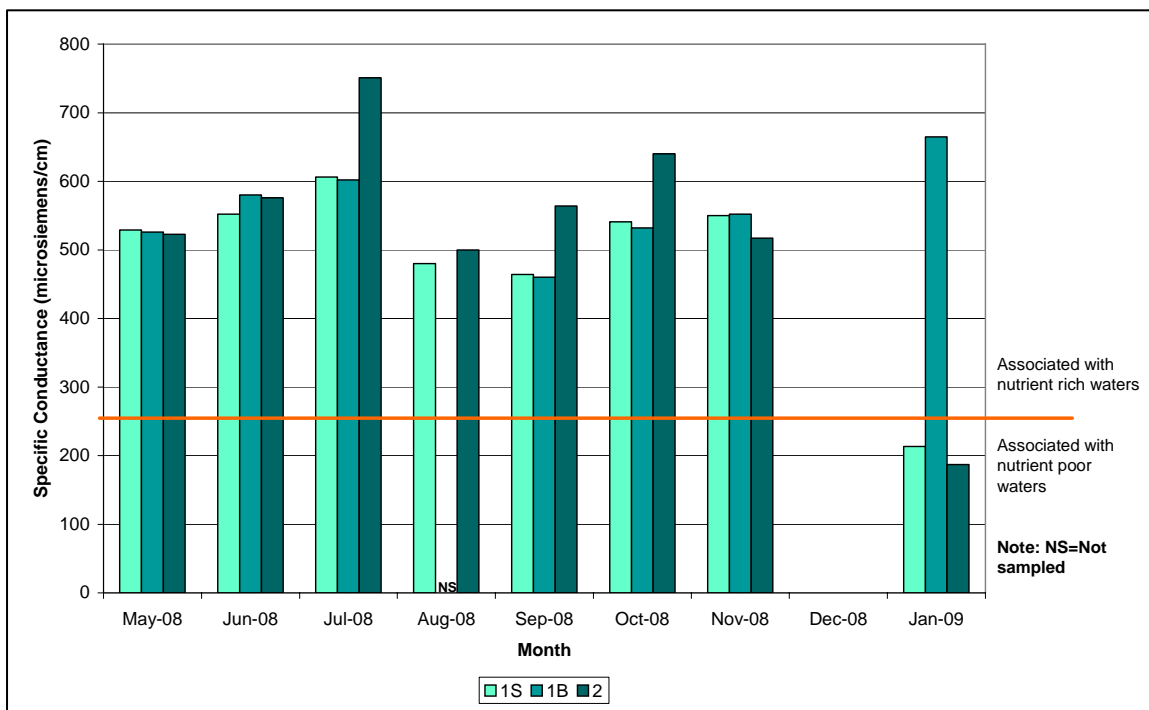


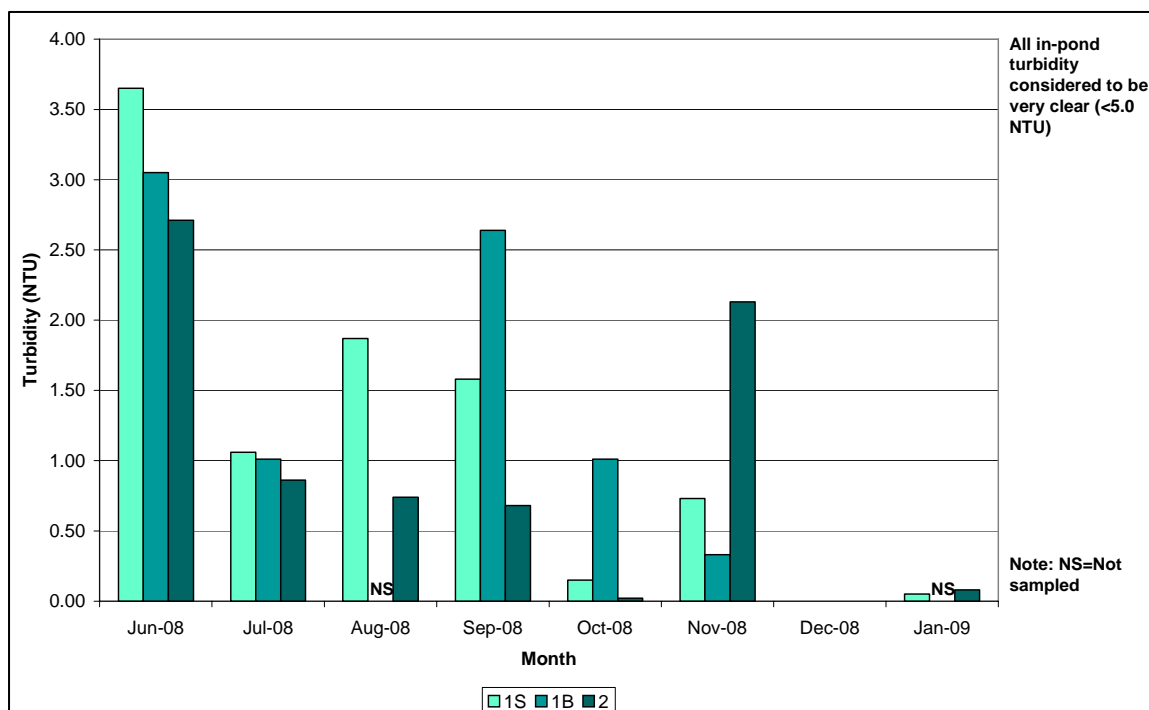
Figure 8. In-pond Specific Conductance at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009

basin) respectively (Figure 1). Tributary, storm water, and outlet water quality characteristics are

discussed in Section 3.2.3. Laboratory reports for each sampling event are compiled in Appendix G. All values that were below the reporting limit are reported as half the value of the detection limit.

### **3.2.2.1 Turbidity**

Turbidity is an indirect measure of the quantity and size of particles (sediment, algae cells, debris, etc.) in a water sample, but water color also can affect turbidity. Turbidity values less than 10 NTU (nephelometric turbidity units) are generally assumed to have minimal impact on habitat and biota. Typical "clean" New England lakes exhibit turbidity values ranging from 1 to 5 NTU. Throughout the monitoring period, turbidity values exhibited at the surface of Sites 1 and 2 ranged from 0.05 to 3.65 NTU. The average turbidity values indicate the presence of a relatively insignificant amount of particulate matter in the water column at the surface of the pond. A summary of the turbidity data collected at the in-pond stations is presented in Table 3 and Figure 9.



**Figure 9. In-pond Turbidity at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**

### 3.2.2.2 pH

The pH value is a measure of how acidic (values below 7.0) or basic (values above 7.0) the water is in a lake, pond, or stream. In general, pH values for most lakes and streams in Massachusetts range from 6.0 to 7.5 SU (standard units), although the State standard for Class B waters ranges from 6.5-8.3 SU. Average pH values exhibited from the surface water at Site 1 ranged from 6.5 to 7.5 SU, while pH values at Site 2 ranged from 6.3 to 7.6. The highest pH measured at both sites during this study was recorded in January 2009. The range of pH values exhibited during this study are typical for a Massachusetts water body and do not appear to indicate significant acidification of Hopedale Pond. A summary of the pH data collected at Sites 1 and 2 is presented in Table 3 and Figure 10.

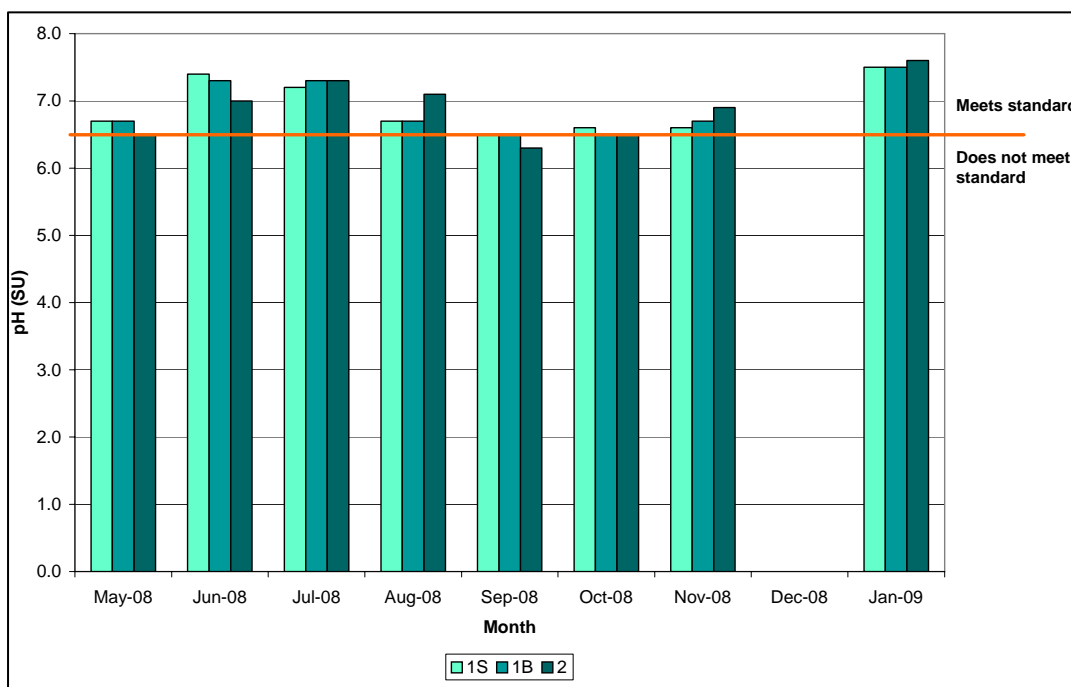
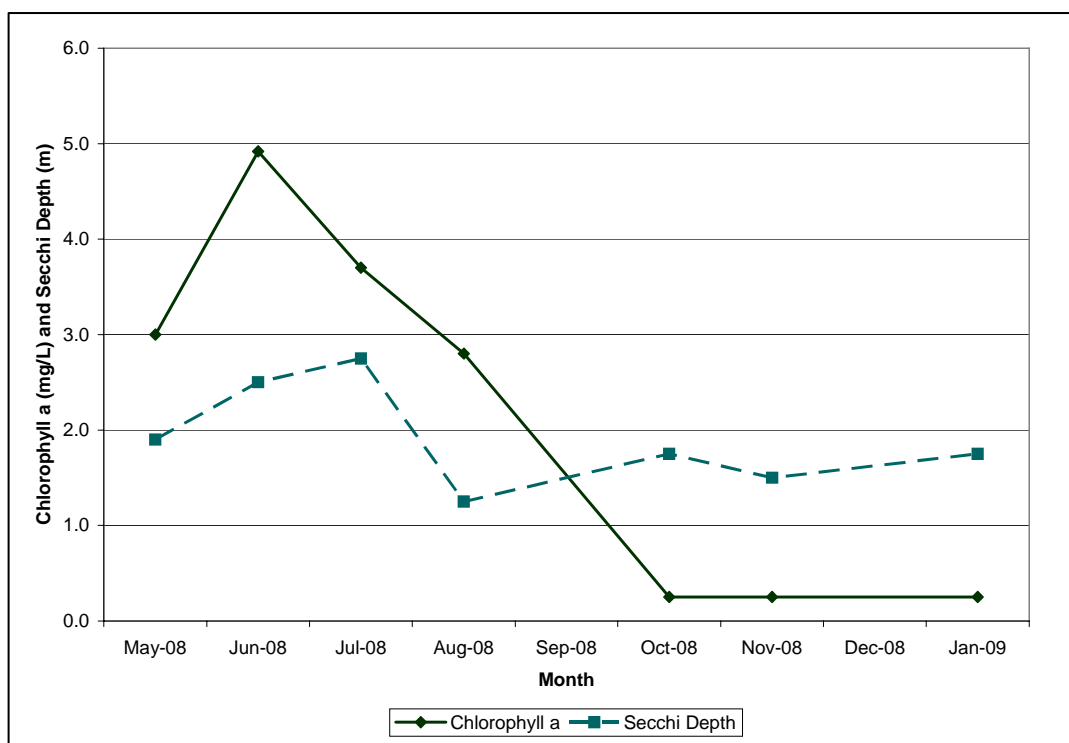


Figure 10. In-pond pH at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009

### 3.2.2.3 Water Transparency

Water transparency (or clarity) in Hopedale Pond was measured in-field with a Secchi disk at the south basin (Site 1). Factors such as plankton concentration, water color, and suspended particles within the water column directly impact Secchi depth measurements. Secchi depth values varied throughout the study, ranging from between 1.25 and 2.75 meters, but always met the Massachusetts standard for contact use of 1.22 meters. Data collected at Site 1 is presented in Table 3 and Figure 11.



**Figure 11. In-pond Secchi Depth and Chlorophyll *a* at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**

Typically, Secchi depths of 2 to 3 meters are indicative of late-mesotrophic (moderate fertility) waterbodies, whereas depths of 1 to 2 meters are indicative of eutrophic (very fertile) waterbodies (Canavan and Siver, 1995). In general, Secchi depths of 2 to 3 meters are considered good for a Massachusetts lake or pond.

#### **3.2.2.4 Chlorophyll *a***

Chlorophyll *a* is associated with the biomass of phytoplankton (planktonic algae) in a water body. Higher levels of chlorophyll *a* usually indicate greater biomass of phytoplankton and are suggestive of more eutrophic conditions. Concentrations of chlorophyll *a* near the surface of Hopedale Pond ranged from 0.3 to 4.9 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, peaking in June and bottoming out from October 2008 through January 2009 (Table 3 and Figure 11). These levels of chlorophyll *a* are typical of oligotrophic to mesotrophic Massachusetts lakes and ponds in the absence of macrophyte growth. However, chlorophyll *a* levels may be depressed in Hopedale Pond due to extensive macrophyte cover, especially in mid- to late summer.

#### **3.2.2.5 Color**

Apparent color is a measure of the reflected wavelengths in water not filtered for particulates. Therefore, it represents the color of both dissolved and colloidal materials in the water. Higher color values generally indicate the increasing presence of materials in the water column and may limit or impact growth rates and composition of primary producers. At Hopedale Pond, color values at the in-pond surface stations ranged from approximately 0

to 10 platinum-cobalt units (PCU), but were generally below 7 PCU, indicating relatively low levels of dissolved and colloidal material in the water column (Table 3).

### 3.2.2.6 *E. coli* Bacteria

*E. coli* bacteria is widely distributed in nature and found as a free-living organism. Populations typically mobilize rapidly during storm events, eventually flowing into rivers, streams, lakes, or groundwater strata. Although these bacteria are usually not harmful themselves, their presence is often associated with many other enteric pathogens (bacteria, viral, and parasitic), which are also associated with feces. The abundance of *E. coli* in the water column reflects the degree of pollution present and thus the sanitary quality of a waterbody (Feachem et al., 1983).

The Massachusetts *E. coli* single sample standard for waters designated as bathing beaches is 235 colonies per 100 mL. Likewise, the respective geometric mean of the most recent five *E. coli* samples should not exceed the state standard of 126 colonies per 100 mL. In-pond *E. coli* concentrations during dry weather conditions ranged from 5 to 100 colonies per 100 mL, with no measured concentration values exceeding the state single sample or geometric mean standards (Figure 12). The maximum value of 100 col/100 mL occurred in September, while all other sampling dates resulted in values of 56 col/100 mL and below.

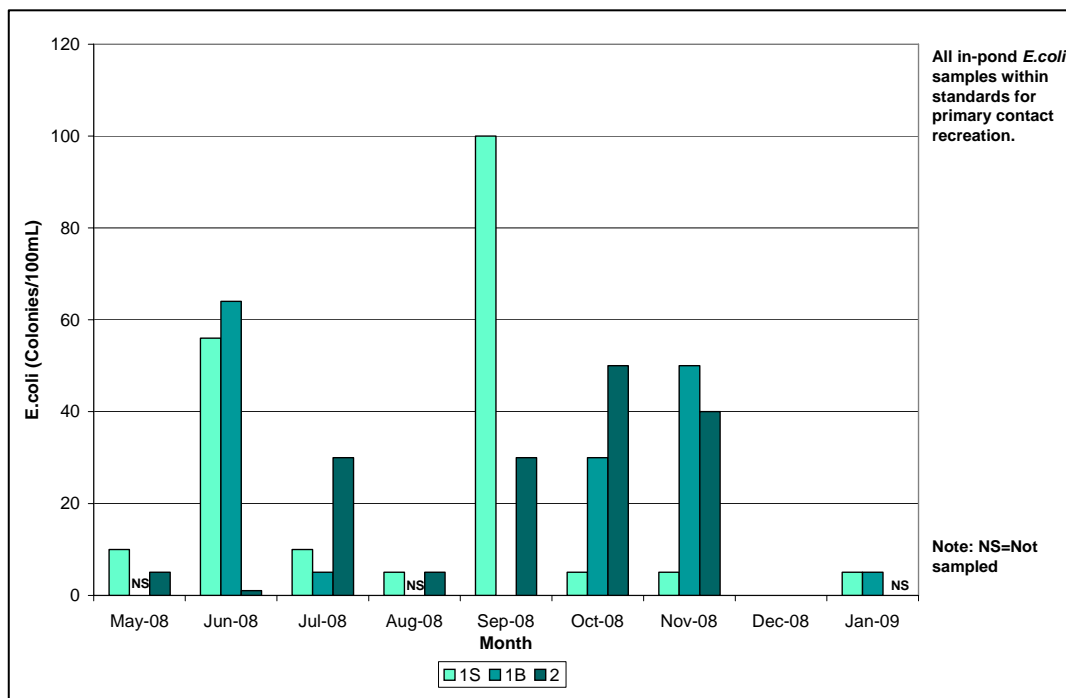


Figure 12. In-pond *E. coli* Concentrations at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009



#### **3.2.2.7 Hypolimnetic Total Iron**

Levels of total iron in the hypolimnetic (bottom) waters are often of interest when developing a lake management plan due to the ability of iron molecules to sequester available phosphorus and render it unavailable for further biotic uptake. Specifically, if elevated levels of iron are present in the water column, they promote the formation of iron phosphates, which are highly insoluble in oxygenated water and precipitate to the sediment. Elevated levels of phosphorus in the water column may be exhibited when iron concentrations are less than five times the phosphorus level.

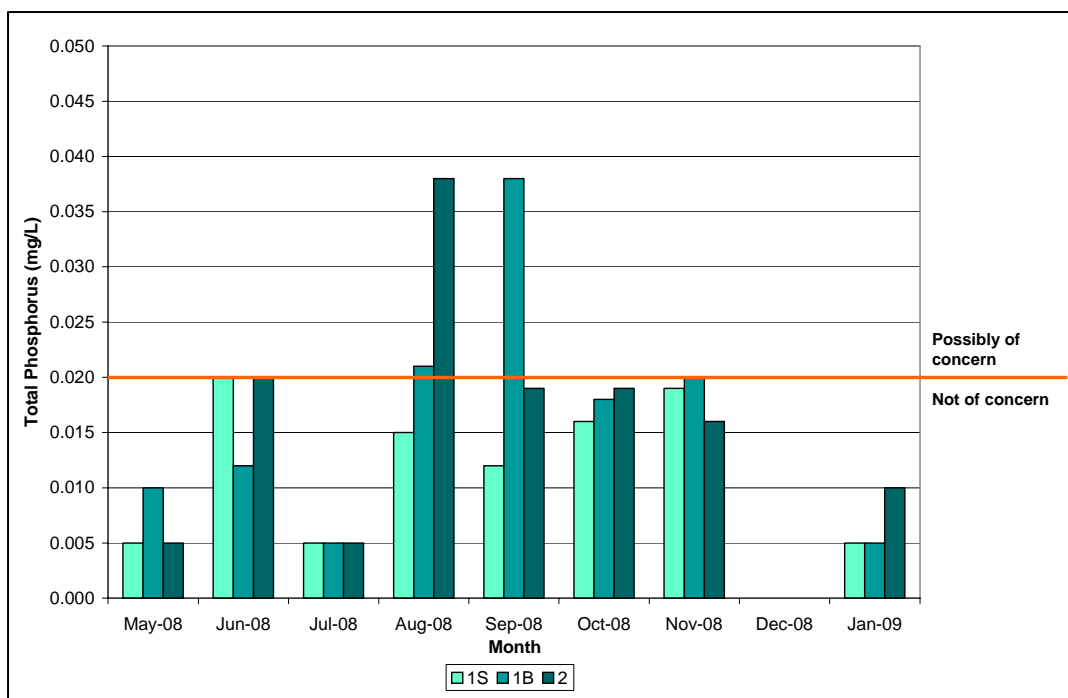
Total iron was measured throughout the course of the study from the bottom waters at Site 1. Values ranged from 0.21 to 1.13 mg/L with an average of 0.57 mg/L (Table 3), yielding an iron:phosphorus ratio of roughly 50:1. This is significantly greater than the 5:1 ratio, indicating that sufficient levels of iron are usually available to sequester elevated levels of phosphorus and render them biologically inert.

#### **3.2.2.8 Phosphorus and Nitrogen**

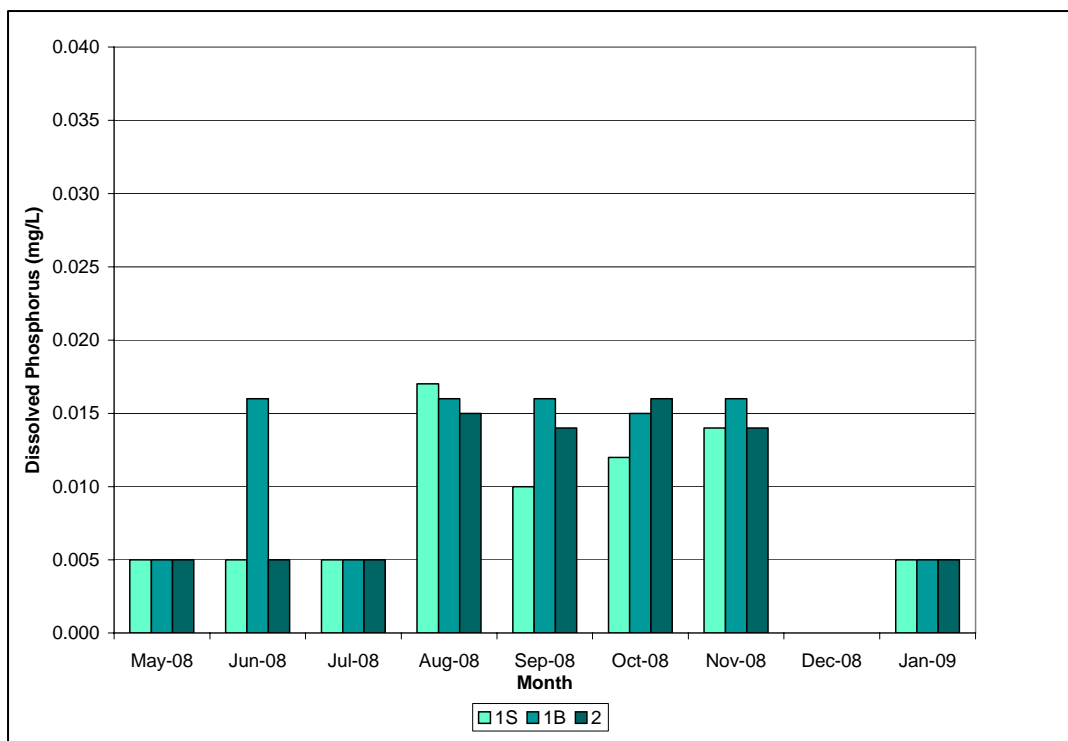
Phosphorus and nitrogen are essential plant nutrients. Excessive concentrations of these nutrients often fuel undesirable growths of algae in the water column (phytoplankton) and accumulations of attached algae (periphyton) on the shallower bottom sediments (within the euphotic zone). In addition, excessive quantities of these nutrients can also promote rooted plant growth. Although debate is still ongoing with regard to establishing state or federal standards for nutrients, total phosphorus values below 0.02 mg/L are usually desirable for maintaining low algal biomass and high water clarity, while concentrations above 0.05 mg/L are considered excessive (Canavan and Siver, 1995). Similar thresholds for nitrogen in freshwater systems have not been established since phosphorus is typically the limiting nutrient in most freshwater systems.

#### **Phosphorus**

Total phosphorous measures the total concentration of all biologically available and unavailable phosphorous in the water column. Average total phosphorus values exhibited at the in-pond stations were somewhat low with 0.012 mg/L at the surface and 0.016 mg/L at the bottom of Site 1 and 0.017 mg/L at Site 2 (Table 3). However, the range of values sometimes exceeded 0.02 mg/L (Figure 13). These data suggest low to moderate availability of phosphorus within the water column. The lack of a well-developed thermocline in Hopedale Pond is not likely to mitigate the effect of the slightly elevated phosphorus values observed at the bottom of the pond during the late summer.



**Figure 13. In-pond Total Phosphorus Concentrations at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**



**Figure 14. In-pond Dissolved Phosphorus Concentrations at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**

Dissolved phosphorus refers to the soluble portion of total phosphorus. It is generally more

readily available for uptake by aquatic organisms than particulate phosphorus. Dissolved phosphorus values exhibited at Sites 1 and 2 were also relatively low at Hopedale Pond, averaging 0.009 mg/L at the surface and 0.012 mg/L at the bottom of Site 1 and 0.010 mg/L at Site 2 (Table 3). However, individual sample concentrations ranged from 0.005 to 0.017 mg/L (Figure 14). These data suggest low to moderate levels of phosphorous available in the water column to fuel algae and macrophyte growth.

### **Nitrogen**

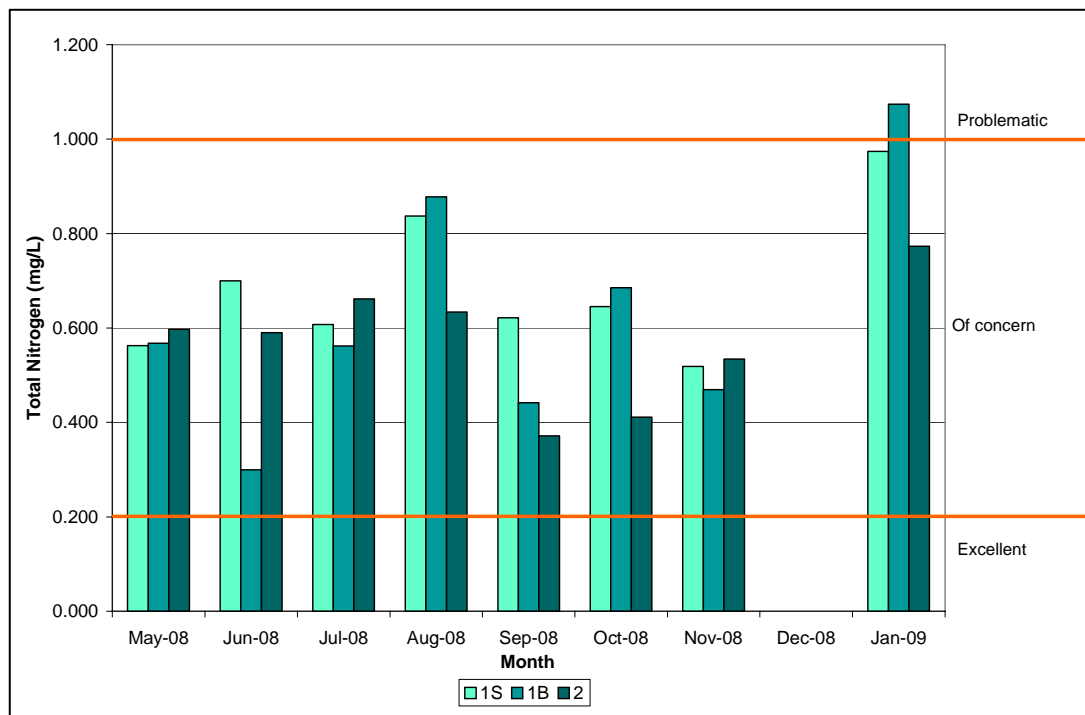
Nitrate-nitrogen, one of the several major forms of nitrogen, within Hopedale Pond was low on average. Nitrate-nitrogen values at Hopedale Pond ranged between approximately 0.015 and 0.582 mg/L (Table 3). A second form of nitrogen, nitrite-nitrogen, is generally present only in trace quantities in water exposed to oxygen, where it is quickly transformed to nitrate. In anoxic waters it is usually converted to ammonia (Goldman and Horne 1983). Concentration levels of nitrite-nitrogen within Hopedale Pond ranged from 0.004 to 0.046 mg/L (Table 3). Nitrate-nitrogen and nitrite-nitrogen were analyzed by a different method (SM 4500-NO<sub>3</sub>- F) for samples collected on June 27, 2008 and results from this date are reported as one sum value.

Ammonia-nitrogen concentrations were also found to be low at Sites 1 and 2 in Hopedale Pond. Detectable values ranged from 0.138 to 0.247 mg/L at the surface (Table 3). All non-detectable ammonia values are reported at half the detection limit. The presence of ammonia-nitrogen in the bottom waters is consistent with the lower dissolved oxygen levels observed there.

The fourth form of nitrogen assessed as part of this study was total Kjeldahl nitrogen or TKN. TKN is a measure of the amount of ammonia and organic nitrogen in a sample. The average TKN value for Hopedale Pond at the surface of Sites 1 and 2 ranged from 0.48 to 0.54 mg/L and 0.39 mg/L at the bottom of the pond at Site 1 (Table 3).



Together, TKN, nitrate-nitrogen and nitrite-nitrogen comprise total nitrogen within the water column. Typically, total nitrogen values no greater than 0.2 mg/L are desirable for maintaining high water quality, while concentrations above 1.0 mg/L are considered excessive and indicative of a hyper-eutrophic system in most southern New England lakes and ponds (Canavan and Siver, 1995). In Hopedale Pond, total nitrogen was found to be more than 1.0 mg/L just once (at Site 1B) during the study period (Figure 15).



**Figure 15. In-pond Total Nitrogen Concentrations at Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009.**

### **3.2.3 Tributary and Outfall Water Quality**

Hopedale Pond is an impoundment on the Mill River, which is the sole perennial tributary to the pond. For the purposes of this study, the Mill River and its tributaries above Hopedale Pond were sampled during dry and wet weather at three locations, corresponding to Sites 5, 6, and 7.

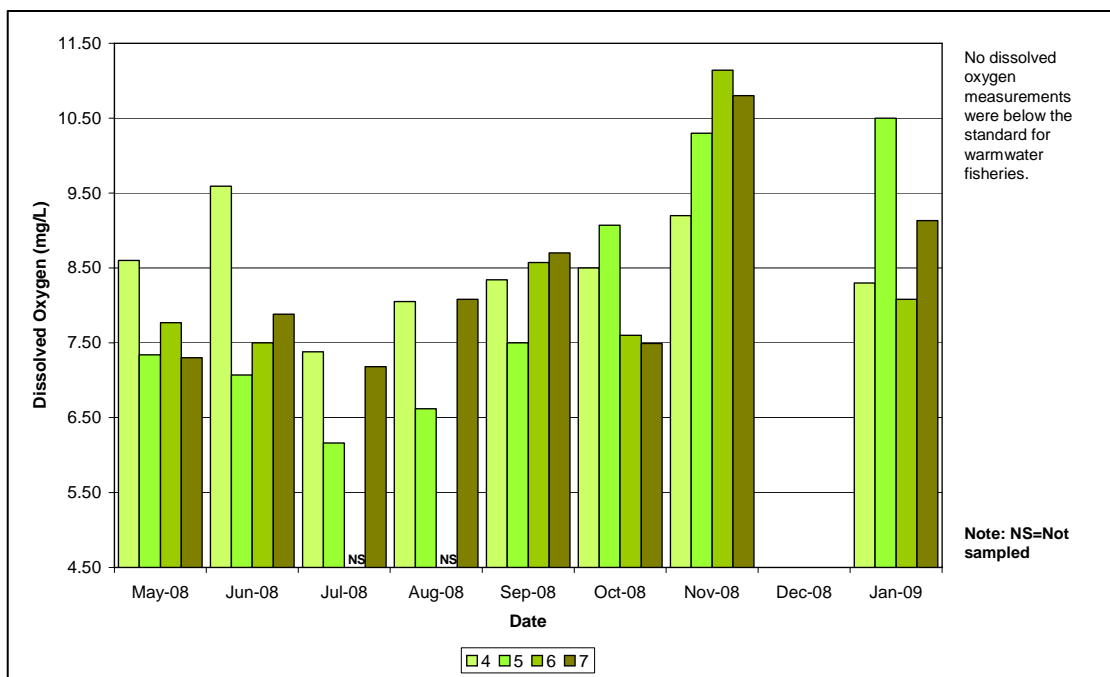
The Site 4 outfall discharges directly into the southern basin of Hopedale Pond. This location was sampled during both wet and dry weather, in order to capture potential contamination from both septic cross connections during dry weather flows and stormwater during wet weather flows.

Four additional outfalls into Hopedale Pond were sampled during wet weather flow only, including SS2, SS3, SS8 and SS11.

Results of the tributary and outfall water quality sampling efforts are presented in the following sections. Laboratory reports for each sampling event are compiled in Appendix G.

### 3.2.3.1 Dissolved Oxygen

Dissolved oxygen levels at Sites 4 to 7 ranged from 6.16 to 11.14 mg/L during dry weather surveys (Table 4, Figure 16), satisfying the 5.0 mg/L standard for Class B warm water fisheries. This indicates that surface water tributaries were sufficiently oxygenated for maintaining fish and other aquatic organisms at the time of sampling. Dissolved oxygen never dipped below 7.00 mg/L at Site 4 despite the high levels of *E.coli* and nutrients collected on several occasions (see sections 3.2.3.6 and 3.2.3.7). This is most likely due to the shallow, turbulent flow in the storm drain during dry weather that allows for ample diffusion of air into the water.



**Figure 16. Dry Weather Dissolved Oxygen at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

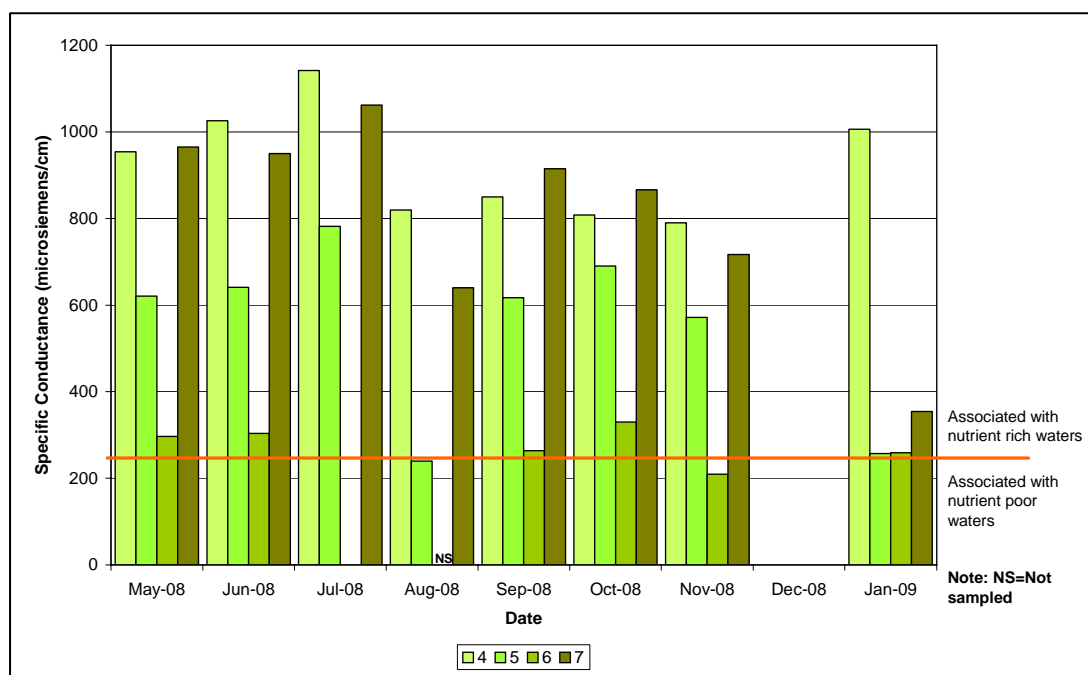
Dissolved oxygen levels in the tributaries and outfalls were not significantly impaired by precipitation events. Dissolved oxygen concentrations remained above 5.0 mg/L during wet weather sampling at Sites 4 to 7 as well as the stormwater Sites SS2, SS3, SS8 and SS11 (Table 5). However, dissolved oxygen levels were marginally low (5.6 mg/L and 62.2% saturation) at Site 6 on August 6, 2008. Despite the wet weather conditions, flow was not noted at Site 6 on this date. This stagnation was at least partly responsible for the marginal



concentration of dissolved oxygen observed at Site 6 during the August wet weather sampling event.

### 3.2.3.2 Conductivity

A wide range in specific conductance levels was observed during dry weather sampling at Sites 4 through 7 over the course of the study (Table 4 and Figure 17). Measured specific conductance ranged from 210  $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$  at Site 6 to 1142  $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$  at Site 4. Site 6 consistently had the lowest readings while Site 4 was typically highest. However, specific conductance at Sites 5 and 7 also frequently exceeded 500  $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ , which is very high for waters in eastern Massachusetts (USGS, 2004). Specific conductance readings that are higher than expected given the natural characteristics of the drainage basin are usually indicative of dissolved pollutants and may be associated with nutrient rich waters.



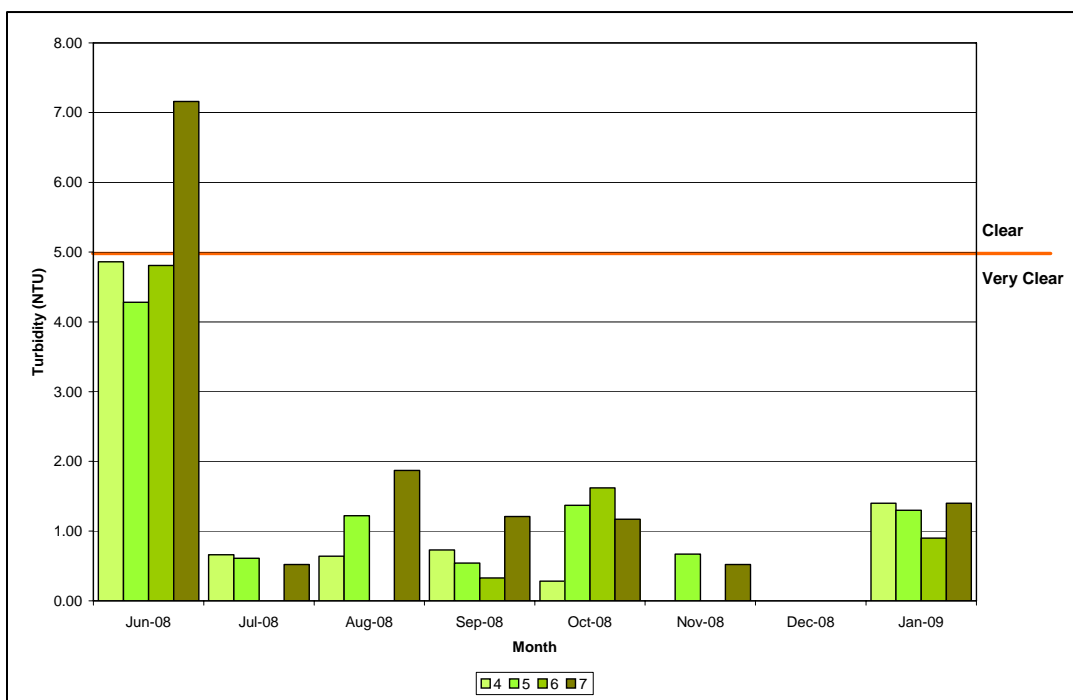
**Figure 17. Dry Weather Specific Conductance at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

Specific conductance sampled during wet weather was generally within the range of dry weather readings (Table 5). The highest readings (in excess of 500  $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ ) were measured at Sites 4 and 5. Specific conductance at the outfall stations was generally low except at Site SS8, where levels reached 500  $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$  during the August wet weather sampling event. However, it is likely that specific conductance was higher than measured at SS2, SS3, and SS11. The low values at these locations were likely influenced by low sample volume, which

can impact the accuracy of the measurement. Relatively high levels of other field measured parameters and analytes at these sites support this assessment, as discussed in subsequent sections.

### 3.2.3.3 Turbidity

Dry weather turbidity ranged from 0.0 to 7.2 NTU at tributary sites (including Site 4) in the Hopedale Pond watershed (Table 4, Figure 18). Turbidity was highest in June, ranging from 4.3 NTU at Site 5 to 7.2 NTU at Site 7, but did not exceed 2.0 NTU at any other time during dry weather sampling.



**Figure 18. Dry Weather Tributary Turbidity in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

Turbidity ranged from 0.0 to 21.1 NTU during wet weather sampling (Table 5). The lowest values were recorded at Sites 5, 6, and 7 and the outfall station SS8. Wet weather turbidity exceeded 10.0 NTU at Site 4 during both sampling events. Turbidity also exceeded 10.0 NTU at outfall stations SS2 and SS3 during the August sampling event and SS11 during the November sampling event.

The high turbidity levels measured at the sampled outfalls (including Site 4) during wet weather sampling suggests that accumulated particulate matter from area residences, roads,

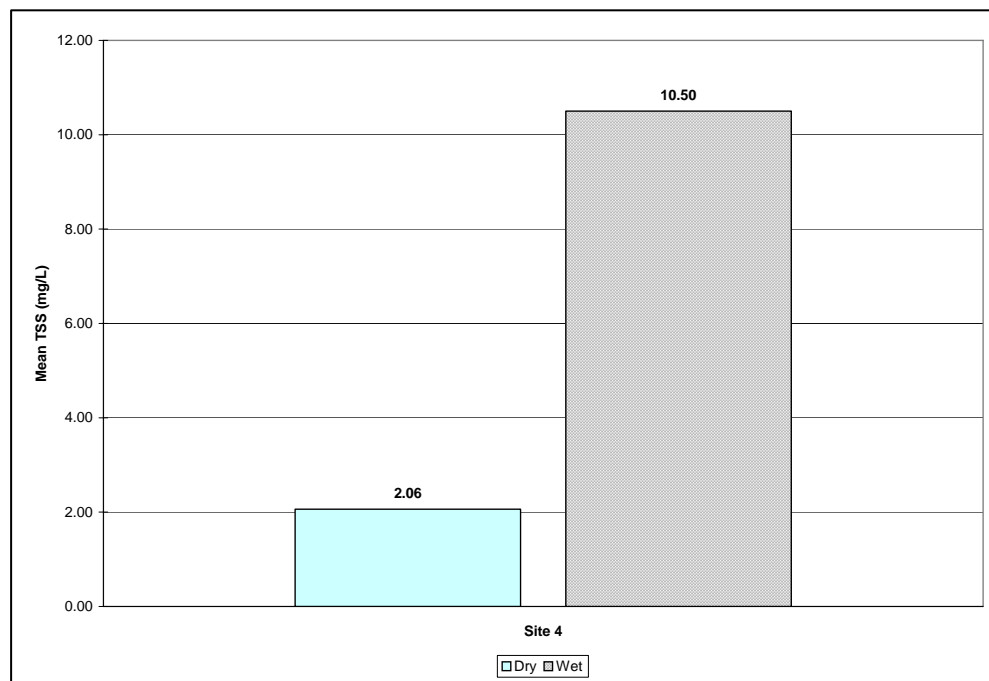
or inadequately maintained catch basins becomes mobilized and is discharged into Hopedale Pond during precipitation events.

#### **3.2.3.4 Total Suspended Solids**

Total suspended solids (TSS) within a water column can greatly affect water clarity. Sources of TSS are typically surface runoff and re-suspended bottom sediments; however, pollen, algal production, and other natural processes can also contribute to high TSS values. TSS values less than 10 mg/L are deemed acceptable for aquatic life according to the State Water Quality Criteria (MADEP 1996).

Dry weather TSS values were within state standards (less than 10 mg/L) at all sites during each sampling event (Table 4). TSS was only detectable by the laboratory for the September sample collected at Site 6.

Wet weather TSS values varied from 2 mg/L to 15 mg/L with values above state standards at Sites 4, 7, SS3, and SS11 on one occasion (Table 5). TSS levels would be expected to rise during storm events, especially at Site 4, which receives a high percentage of runoff from impervious surfaces. Higher average TSS values during wet weather sampling at Site 4 support this (Figure 19).

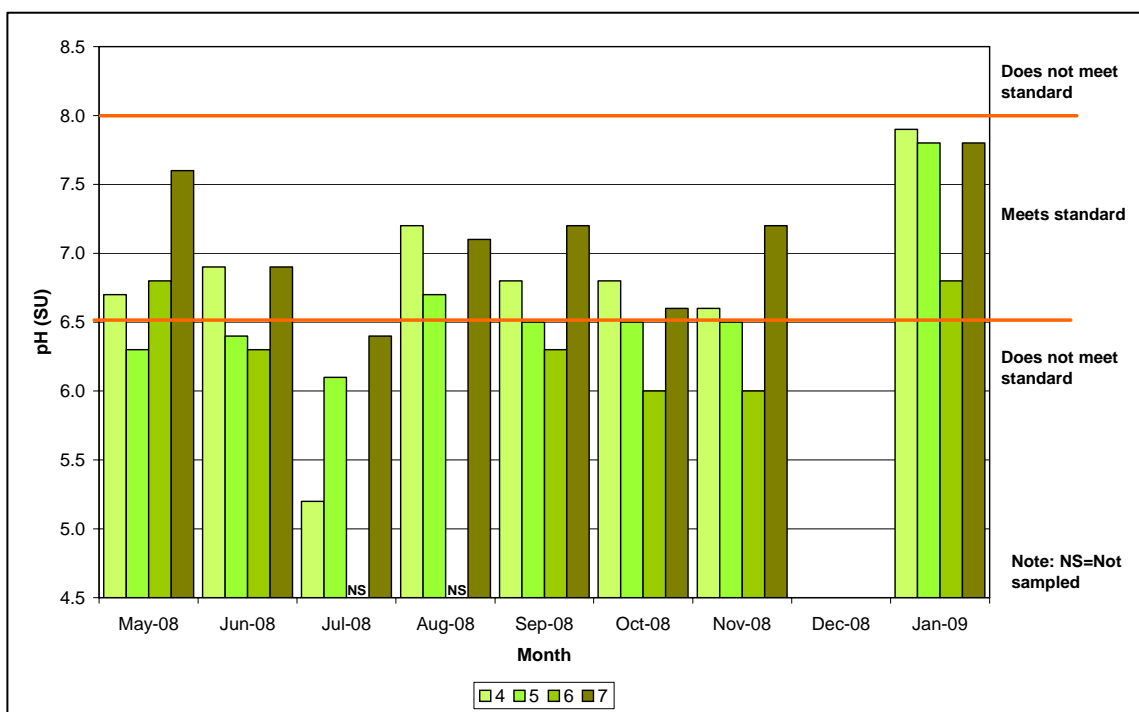


**Figure 19. Mean TSS Levels during Wet and Dry Weather Sampling at the Site 4 Outfall, May 2008 to January 2009**



### 3.2.3.5 pH

Dry weather tributary pH levels were generally within the range typical for Massachusetts waters (6.0 to 7.5 SU) with few exceptions (Table 4, Figure 20). One exceptionally low pH of 5.2 SU (well below the state standard of 6.5 SU) was observed at Site 4 during July dry weather sampling. Otherwise, most pH values were circumneutral to slightly acidic. Several pH values were above 7.5 SU in January but still well within the state standard.

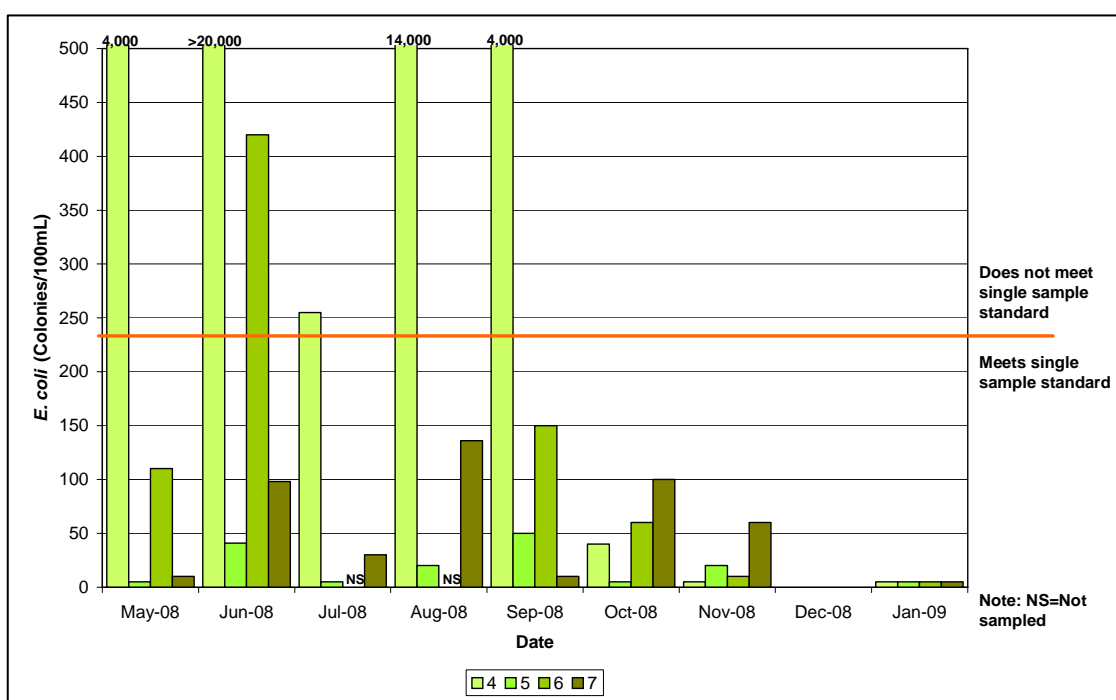


**Figure 20. Dry Weather Tributary pH in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

Wet weather sampling yielded pH values ranging from 5.8 to 7.5 SU among the sampled tributaries and outfalls, with the lowest values at Site 6 and the highest at Site 4 (Table 5). The outfall stations SS2, SS3, SS8, and SS11 were all between 6.0 and 6.9 SU.

### 3.2.3.6 *E. coli*

*E. coli* bacteria sampled during dry weather at the tributaries (including the outfall at Site 4) varied greatly from site to site and often from one sampling date to the next (Table 4, Figure 21). However, Site 4 had the highest *E. coli* numbers by far (as high as >20,000 colonies/100mL) and exceeded the state standards for single sample on four occasions as well as for geometric mean during sampling from September 2008 to January 2009. Site 6 also exceeded the single sample *E. coli* standards during the June dry weather sampling event with a count of 420 colonies/100mL. All other sites were within the primary contact state standards for *E. coli*.



**Figure 21. *E. coli* Concentrations at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

Wet weather sampling revealed similar numbers of *E. coli* at sites also sampled during dry weather conditions (Table 5). However, the geometric mean of *E. coli* levels from the wet weather samples (379 colonies/100mL) at Site 4 was less than the levels found during dry weather (429 colonies/100mL), suggesting that contaminated dry weather flows are the main source of *E. coli* contamination at this outfall. *E. coli* numbers were also high among each of the outfall stations that were only sampled during wet weather, with single samples in August ranging from 820 to 3,000 colonies/100mL. All other sites were within the primary contact state standards for *E. coli*.

A further investigation of potential sources of *E. coli* pollution to the Site 4 storm drain is currently being pursued to trace the origin of the elevated bacteria levels.

### 3.2.3.7 Phosphorus and Nitrogen

#### Phosphorus

Phosphorous is often the limiting nutrient in freshwater ecosystems in the eastern United States, where nitrogen is usually available in ample supply. Although explicit phosphorus standards have not been implemented at the state level, the estimated reference condition for total phosphorous in regional rivers and streams is approximately 0.02 mg/L (USEPA, 2000). Values much above this are likely to be indicative of excessive human inputs.

Total phosphorus in the tributaries to Hopedale Pond (including Site 4) ranged from 0.005 (very low) to 0.277 mg/L (very high) for water samples collected during dry weather (Table 4, Figure 22). As with *E. coli*, values of total phosphorous were consistently high at Site 4 through most of the sampling period. On the contrary, dry weather total phosphorous did not appear to be problematic at the remaining tributary sites (5 through 7), where the maximum concentration measured was 0.026 mg/L at Site 6 in September 2008.

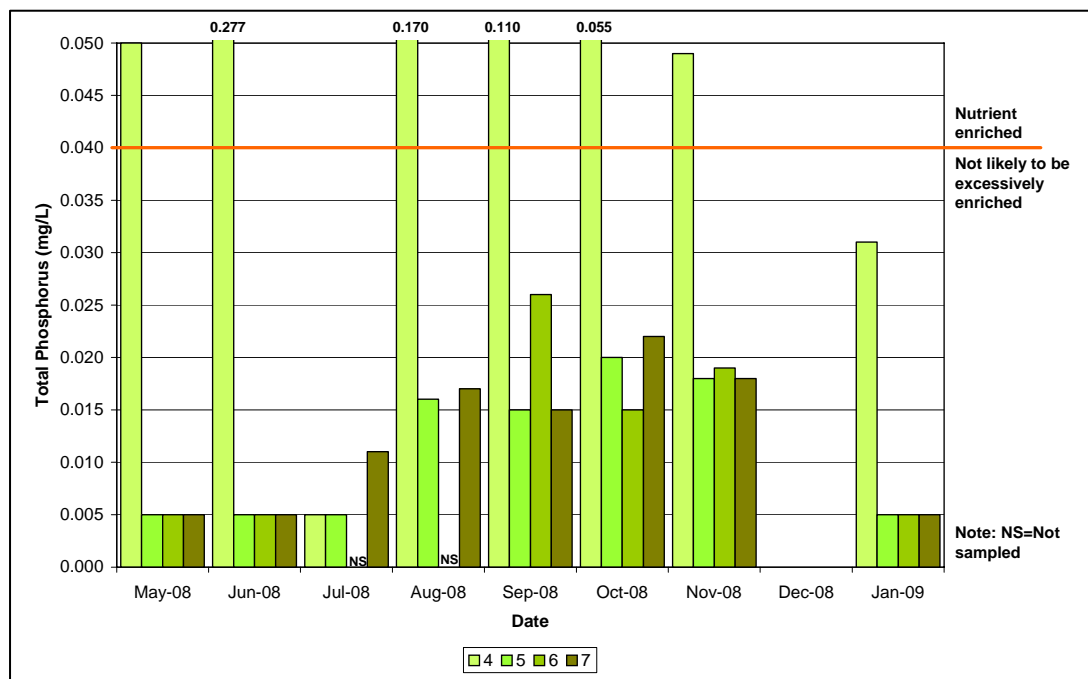
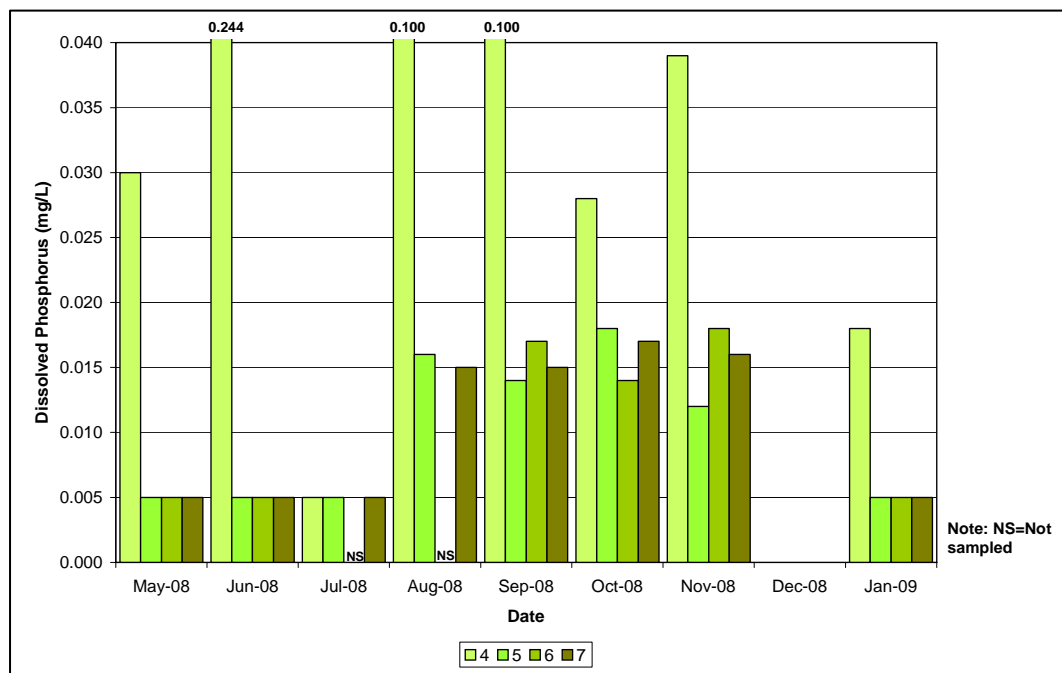


Figure 22. Total Phosphorus Concentrations at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009



Dissolved phosphorus concentrations were also excessive at Site 4, reaching as high as 0.244 mg/L during dry weather (Table 4, Figure 23). As with total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus was typically much lower at the remaining tributary sites. Dissolved phosphorus concentrations in these locations were usually less than 0.015 mg/L, although between August and November 2008 borderline high values up to 0.018 mg/L were sometimes found at each of these sites.

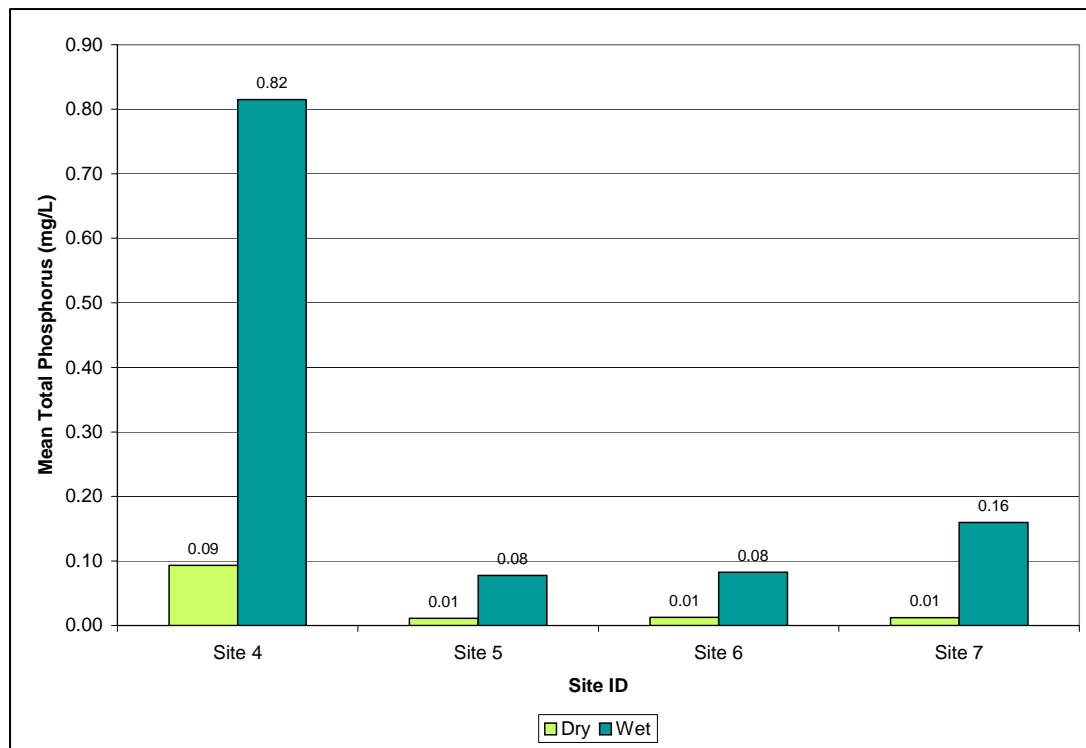


**Figure 23. Dissolved Phosphorus Concentrations at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

On average, wet weather samples contained much higher levels of total phosphorous than dry weather samples at Sites 4 through 7 (Table 5 and Figure 24). Furthermore, storm drains emptying to Hopedale Pond were found to have total phosphorus concentrations as high as 2.30 mg/L. Given the large differences in the magnitude of dry and wet weather phosphorous concentrations within Hopedale Pond tributaries, stormwater is likely to be a major source of phosphorous loading to the pond.

## Nitrogen

A combination of many factors in the watershed controls the flux of nitrogen. The sources and sinks of nitrogen in the watershed are dominated by levels of nitrate and ammonia in rainfall, biological nitrogen fixation and denitrification, as well as freezing and thawing of the soils, natural fires and erosion, and the amount of nitrogen recycled by vegetation or held in

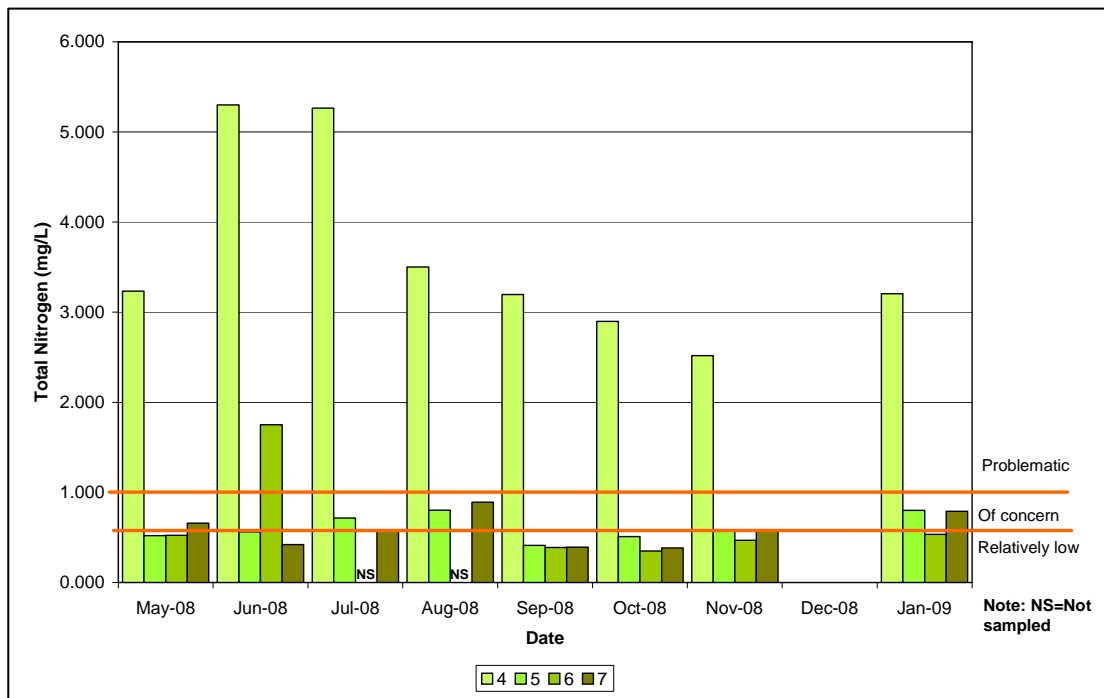


**Figure 24. Mean Total Phosphorus in the Hopedale Pond Watershed during Dry and Wet Weather Sampling , May 2008 to January 2009**

the humus layer (Goldman and Horne 1983). Anthropogenic sources are often attributable to septic system discharges or excessive fertilizer use.

Total nitrogen is the sum of nitrogen found as nitrate, nitrite, or TKN (which includes ammonia). The estimated reference condition for total nitrogen in the region is 0.61 mg/L (USEPA, 2000) and total nitrogen values over 1.0 mg/L are unusual without direct urban or agricultural influence.

In general, total nitrogen sampled during dry weather was less than 1.0 mg/L for tributary sites 5, 6, and 7, although it was as high as 1.75 mg/L at Site 6 during June 2008 (Table 4 and Figure 25). Excluding this outlier value, total nitrogen ranged from 0.35 mg/L to 0.89 mg/L at Sites 5, 6, and 7 during dry weather. However, total nitrogen was much higher at Site 4, ranging from 2.52 mg/L to 5.30 mg/L during dry weather, indicating clear contamination of flows at this site.



**Figure 25. Total Nitrogen Concentrations at Tributary Sites in the Hopedale Pond Watershed, May 2008 to January 2009**

Wet weather total nitrogen values were similar to those found during dry weather sampling at the tributary sites and Site 4 (Table 5). Additionally, total nitrogen was above 1.0 mg/L for each of the outfall sampling stations. These values are indicative of direct human influence on water quality in the Hopedale Pond watershed.

Dry weather nitrate-nitrogen levels in the tributaries (including Site 4) were consistently very high at Site 4, where values averaged 2.58 mg/L and were as high as 2.97 mg/L (Table 4). Nitrate-nitrogen concentrations varied from 0.015 to 0.462 mg/L at the remainder of the tributary sites.

Wet weather nitrate-nitrogen concentrations varied from 0.125 to 2.72 mg/L (Table 5) and at tributary Sites 5, 6, and 7 tended to be high compared to concentrations measured during



dry weather. However, wet weather nitrate-nitrogen values at Site 4 were similar to those collected during dry weather.

Dry weather concentrations of nitrite-nitrogen at the tributary sites were generally at or close to 0.01 mg/L, although levels were as high as 0.07 mg/L at the Site 4 outfall (Table 4). Nitrate-nitrogen and nitrite-nitrogen were analyzed by a different analytical method (SM 4500-NO<sub>3</sub>-F) for samples collected on June 27, 2008 and are reported as one sum value for this date in Table 4.

Dry weather ammonia-nitrogen concentrations ranged from 0.065 mg/L to 1.890 mg/L at the tributary sites, including Site 4 (Table 4). As with other nutrient measures, the highest concentrations, on average, were found at Site 4.

Wet weather sampling results (Table 5) indicate that ammonia-nitrogen concentrations did not appear to be consistently influenced by precipitation events at any of the tributaries.

### **3.2.4 Groundwater Quality**

In general, springtime precipitation will typically raise the pond level faster than the groundwater elevation, resulting in net outflow in portions of the pond with coarse sediments. During dry periods, the pond elevation will decline in response to surface water outflow and evaporation, while the groundwater elevation will decline more slowly. This generally allows groundwater seepage rates into the pond to increase or decrease in response to local weather patterns. Groundwater flow may change direction throughout the summer, as precipitation changes the pond level more rapidly than the groundwater level, and greater evaporation and surface outflow draw the lake down again. Inseepage of groundwater may dominate the pond during the annual winter drawdown period, as pond elevation drops below the local ground water elevation.

Spatial variation in groundwater seepage rates may also develop within the pond. Generally coarser substrates in the southern basin allow groundwater to enter or exit the pond more easily than the thick deposits of fine sediments and clays that dominate the northern basin. However, spatial variation in sediment thickness and grain size is high throughout both basins, implying that large local differences in groundwater seepage rates are possible. Where the pond has developed a peat seal (due to years of accumulation of organic sediments) groundwater exchange may be negligible.

In Hopedale Pond, seepage rates varied by date, with an increase observed between July and September (Table 6). Average seepage rates for the study area were 0.42 liters per square meter per day (L/m<sup>2</sup>/D) of net outflow (outseepage) in July and 1.18 L/m<sup>2</sup>/D of net inflow (inseepage) in September. Measured rates of seepage at Hopedale Pond also varied by location, with some of the study shoreline segments showing inseepage and others showing outseepage (Table 6 and Figure 2). The highest rates of inseepage were measured on the western shoreline of the pond. In July, inseepage was only recorded in Segment HPS3, where rates averaged 1.46 L/m<sup>2</sup>/D. By contrast, in September, inseepage was observed at Segments HPS1, HPS2, and HPS3, with the highest rate of 3.49 L/m<sup>2</sup>/D at HPS2. Outseepage was observed during both July

and September at Segment HPS4 with rates of outflow ranging from 0.65 L/m<sup>2</sup>/D in September to 2.10 L/m<sup>2</sup>/D in July.

Groundwater quality also varied by date and location (Table 7). Porewater pH ranged from 5.9 to 7.2 in July and 5.7 to 6.2 in September. The lowest pH levels during both months were observed at Segment HPS2. Porewater specific conductance ranged from 384 to 1,186 µS/cm in July and from 230 to 1,931 µS/cm in September. The highest levels during both months were observed at Segment HPS2. Higher levels of specific conductance (>400 µS/cm) are often indicative of human influences, typically faulty or poorly maintained septic systems.

Dissolved phosphorus is the concentration of all forms of dissolved phosphorus. "Dissolved" in this case is defined as passing through a 0.45 µm filter. In groundwater, dissolved phosphorus values in excess of 0.05 mg/L are of concern in terms of eutrophication, and values in excess of 0.10 mg/L can cause serious deterioration of conditions if the phosphorus is biologically available. However, high porewater concentrations do not necessarily translate into in-pond water column values of the same magnitude. High iron levels may promote complexing of iron phosphates, which are highly insoluble in oxygenated water. For phosphorus to become available in the water column at a significant level, it must be simultaneously paired with low iron levels (i.e., less than five times the phosphorus level).

Dissolved phosphorus in Hopedale Pond porewater was measured only at segments with observed in seepage. Observed levels were 0.005 mg/L in July and ranged from 0.05 to 0.45 mg/L in September, with highest levels observed near the Town beach at Segment HPS1 (Table 7). Total dissolved iron levels ranged from 8.92 to 12.5 mg/L in July and 0.03 to 15.8 mg/L in September. At segments HPS2 and HPS3, high levels of iron were associated with very low levels of phosphorous in July. Likewise, low levels of iron in these segments were associated with higher levels of phosphorous in September. Samples collected from segment HPS1 in September yielded high level of both phosphorous and iron. These results indicate that there may not be enough naturally occurring iron in the soils to counteract the groundwater phosphorus load throughout the entire season.

Nitrate nitrogen values in Hopedale Pond porewater ranged from 0.02 to 2.54 mg/L (Table 7). The highest nitrate levels were found in shoreline segment HPS2 on both survey dates and were well out of range of what would be considered "pristine" conditions (0.01-0.5 mg/L).

Ammonia nitrogen ranged from 0.050 mg/L to 12.7 mg/L in Hopedale Pond porewater (Table 7). Ammonia was lowest in segment HPS2 on both survey dates. The highest ammonia levels were found at HPS3 (1.01 mg/L) on July 30, 2008 and HPS1 (12.7 mg/L) on September 18, 2008.

The sum of nitrate and ammonium nitrogen, or soluble inorganic nitrogen (SIN), could be expected to reach up to approximately 1.0 mg/L under natural conditions. Values much over this concentration raise suspicions of septic leachate contamination. SIN values exceeded this value in each of the sampled study segments (HPS1, HPS2, and HPS3), indicating that septic leachate contamination may be occurring along both the eastern and western shorelines of the southern basin of Hopedale Pond (Table 7).

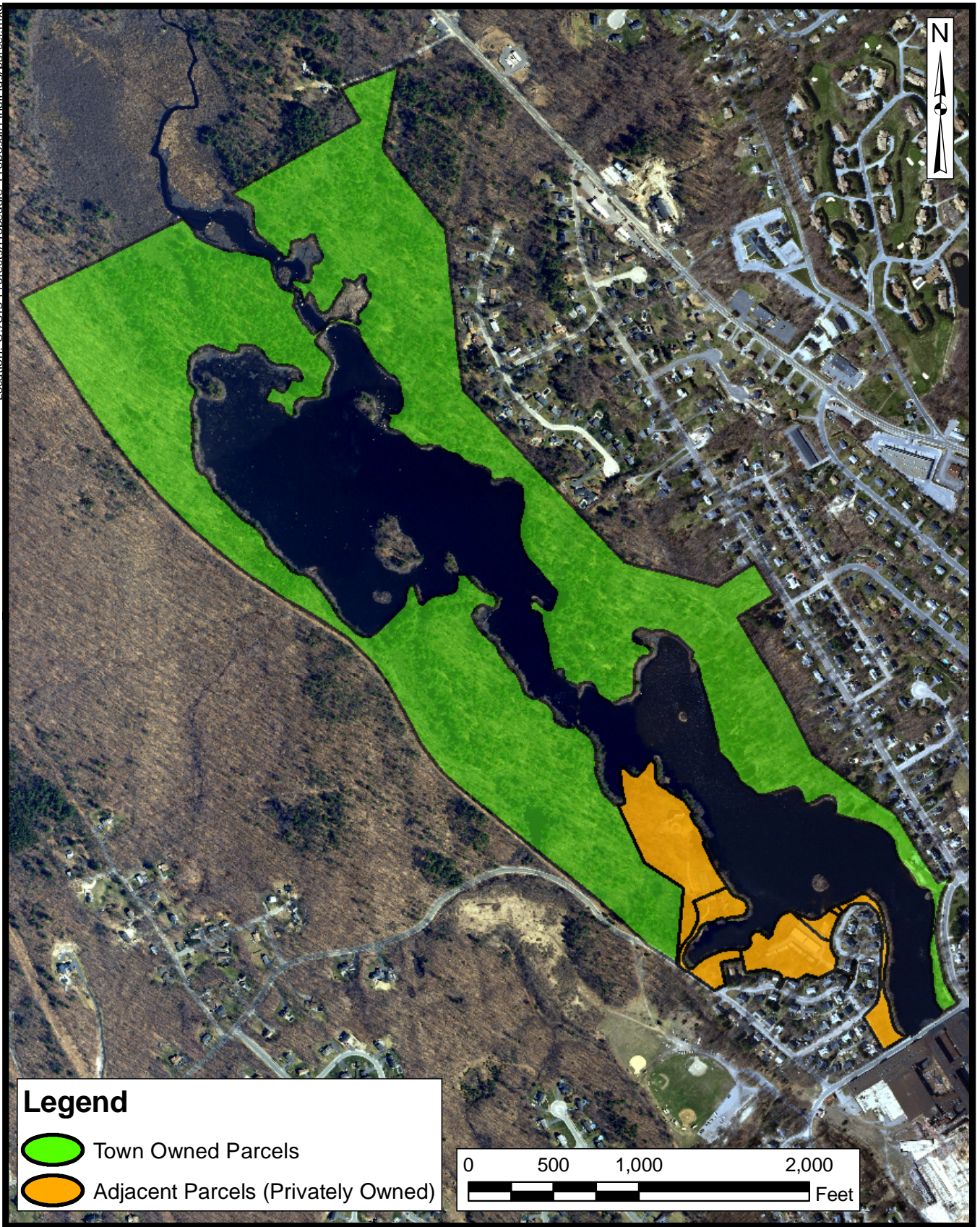
### **3.3 Site 4 (Dutcher Street) Outfall Source Tracking**

#### **STUDY IN PROGRESS**

### **3.4 Pond Rights**

Using town assessor maps and deeds, ESS determined that rights to land under the pond reside with the Town. Additionally, the Town owns much of the land surrounding Hopedale Pond, including the Town Parklands (Figure 26). Therefore, pond rights do not represent significant obstruction to implementation of a dredging project, should the Town select this as a management option for Hopedale Pond. However, Mr. Phil Shwachman maintains ownership of the water rights within the pond and the Mill River, including the dam at Hopedale Pond. Consequently, the Town may need to consult with Mr. Shwachman prior to the implementation of dredging, drawdown, herbicide applications, or other direct weed control as management options.





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Source: 1) MassGIS, Assessors' Parcels, 2007  
2) Town of Hopedale, 2007  
3) MassGIS Orthos, 2005

Hopedale Pond  
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Hopedale Dam impounds the waters of the Mill River to form Hopedale Pond. The dam allowed the Draper Corporation loom factory to harness power for manufacturing. The exact age of the original dam is not clear. However, it is depicted on an 1854 map of the Town and likely dates back to the early years of the Town (1840s) or even earlier. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (1979) describes Hopedale Dam as “an earth embankment 265 ft. long and 19 ft. high with a concrete and stone masonry spillway with flashboards near the right end of the dam.” The dam was considered to be in fair condition at the time but with a high hazard potential.

### **3.4 Bathymetry and Isopach Mapping**

Results of water depth surveys were used to create a bathymetric map for the pond (Figure 27). Hopedale Pond was found to be shallow, only exceeding 10 feet in depth at the southern end of the pond. The total volume of water in the pond is estimated to be just over 11,500,000 cubic feet (or about 86 million gallons) with a mean water depth of 3.4 feet (Table 8).

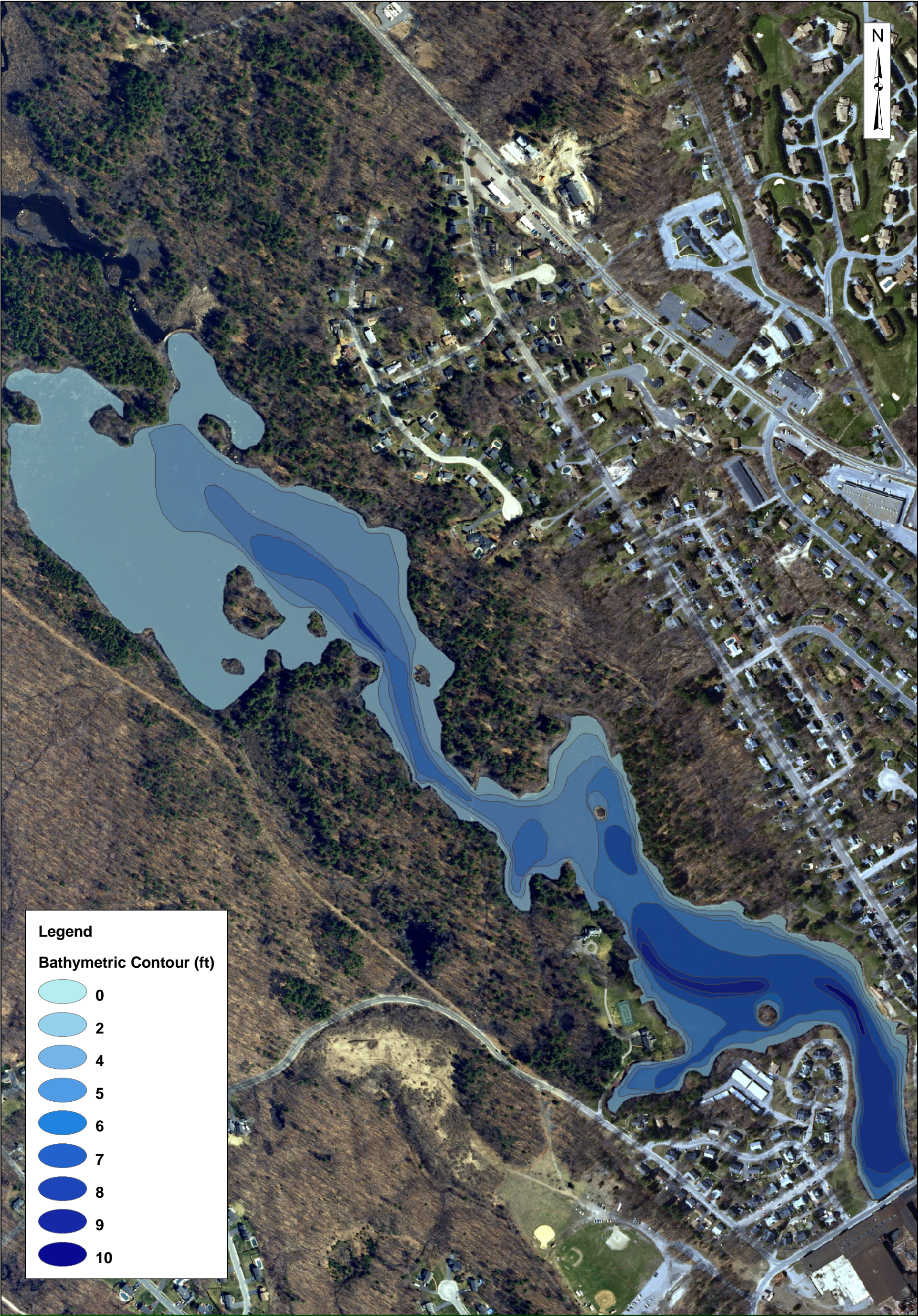
The thickness of soft pond sediments was measured along transects throughout both the northern and southern basins of Hopedale Pond in order to generate a sediment isopach map (Figure 28). The thickest sediments were found in the northwestern corner of the pond where sediment thicknesses in excess of 12 feet were measured. Sediment thickness averaged approximately 3.0 feet over the area of the pond. Although soft sediments in the southern basin of Hopedale Pond were generally thin (less than 1.5 feet), areas of thicker sediments (up to 8 feet thick) were also documented. Sediment thickness was generally thinnest near the dam and in the immediate vicinity of the beach. The total volume of soft sediments in Hopedale Pond was estimated to be just over 376,000 cubic yards (Table 9) which is a volume that is slightly less than that of the overlying water volume.

### **3.5 Sediment Quality**

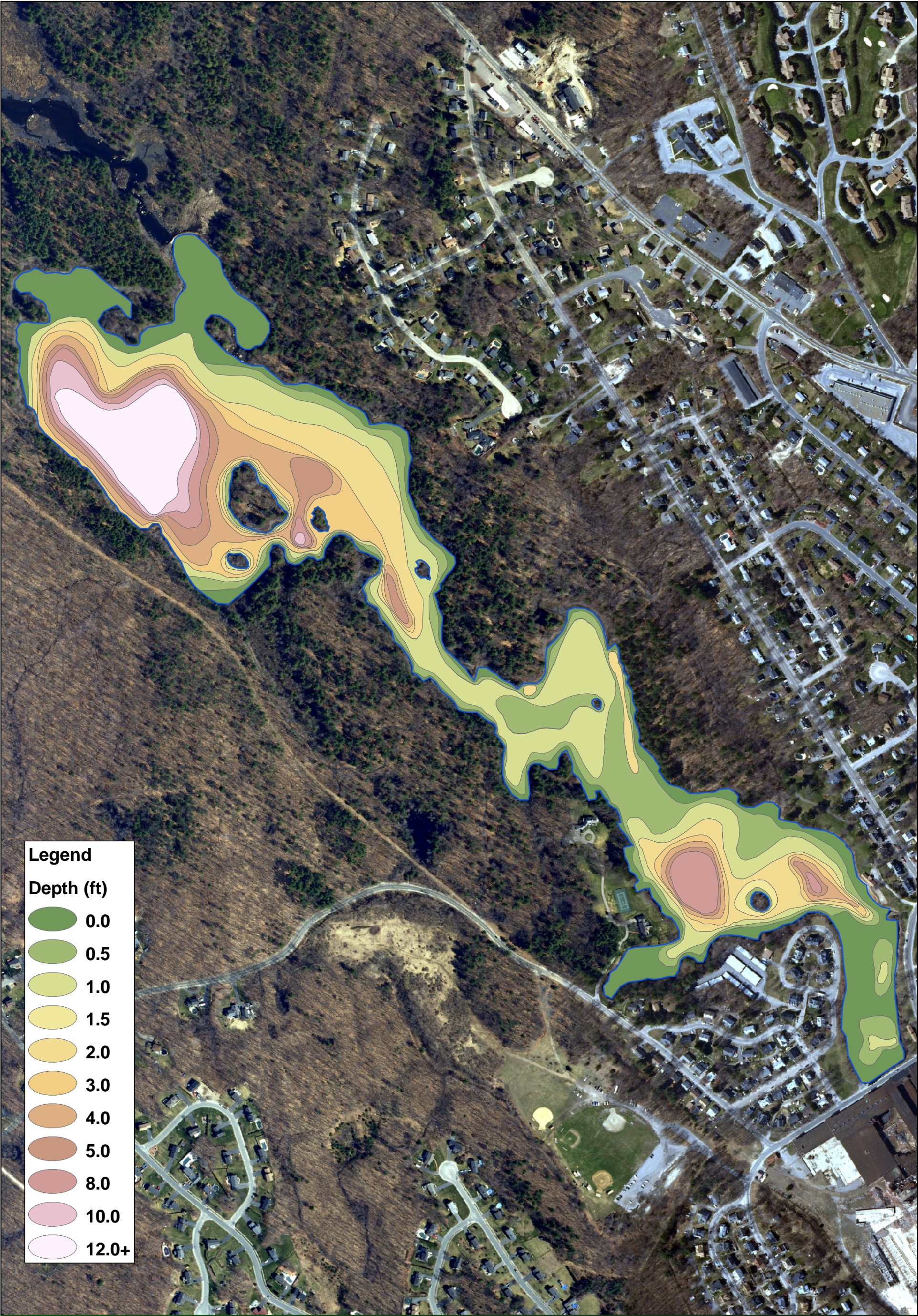
An assessment of overall sediment quality in Hopedale Pond was conducted on January 19, 2009. The purpose of the analysis was to assess the feasibility of incorporating dredging as a management option for the pond. Results of the analysis provide insight into regulatory issues related to dredge spoils, should dredging be pursued as a management action. This study included analysis of bulk physical properties, a quantitative assessment of sediment contaminants, and an assessment of nutrient levels in pond sediments.

A summary table of sediment chemistry results is provided (Table 10). Only constituents with measurable concentrations from at least one composite sample are reported in this table. However, a complete list of analytes is provided in the laboratory results (Appendix G).









Legend

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Sediment chemistry data was compared to the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP) Method 1 Soil Standards (Table 10). These standards consider the potential risk of harm resulting from direct exposure to the hazardous constituent of the soil and the potential impact to groundwater. The MCP defines three different soil types (S-1, S-2, & S-3), generally based on the potential for exposure to that soil. For simplicity, the lowest concentration level was used to evaluate the Hopedale Pond sediment quality data. It should be noted that the MCP Method 1 standards apply to upland soils and thus are not directly applicable to the pond sediments. The MCP Method 1 standards will apply to dredge spoil material.

In the northern basin of Hopedale Pond (composite sample SC-2), each of the tested analytes was below MCP Method 1 Soil Standards. This suggests that sediments in the northern basin tend to be relatively free of contaminants of concern. It should be noted that this result does not necessarily indicate that all sediments in the northern basin are uncontaminated. A more detailed field study would need to be conducted under a MassDEP-approved sediment sampling plan to confirm that dredged sediments would meet the relevant standards for the intended use of spoils.

Sediments from the southern basin of Hopedale Pond (composite sample SC-1) exceeded the MCP Method 1 Soil Standards for arsenic and benzo(a)pyrene. Although additional field studies would need to be completed to identify areas of contamination, it is likely that dredged sediments from the southern basin would be subject to limitations on use and/or disposal.

Physical testing indicated that sediments can be classified as MH (high plasticity silt) or OH (high plasticity organic soil). Although the sediments in both the SC-1 and SC-2 composite samples were described as moist brown or gray silt with organics during the Atterberg Limit testing, the results of the grain size analysis are reflective of a coarser material. Photographic documentation of the collected sediment cores indicates that the descriptions of the material from Atterberg Limit testing better reflect the true nature of the material (i.e., silt with organics). Therefore, it is recommended that these data be used to guide future considerations regarding bulk physical analysis of sediments.

Total phosphorus concentrations in the sediment ranged from 54 mg/kg (dry) in northern basin (N-3) to 229 mg/kg in southern basin (N-1; Table 11. Total phosphorus in sediments of the middle section (N-2) of Hopedale Pond was similar to those of the northern basin (66 mg/kg).

Total nitrogen concentrations showed a different pattern, with the highest concentration (6,300 mg/kg) at N-3 and the lowest (3,500 mg/kg) at N-2 (Table 11).

### **3.6 Hydrology and Nutrient Budget**

Precipitation data utilized for modeling was reported as the average annual precipitation for Milford, Massachusetts (47.7 inches), which is adjacent to Hopedale.

Estimated average water input to Hopedale Pond from surface water, groundwater, and direct precipitation is 21.09, 0.01, and 0.28 cfs, respectively, for a total average annual flow of 21.38 cfs (Table 12). This flow will vary appreciably among seasons and weather conditions. Surface water flow contributes significantly (99%) to the total pond inflow, while groundwater inflow (<1%) and



direct precipitation (1%) make up the remainder. The surface water flow can be further divided into dry weather flows (31%) and wet weather flows (68%).

Based on total pond volume and the calculated flow through the pond, average detention time was calculated to be 8.1 days (0.02 years). Detention time represents the duration of time necessary to exchange the volume of water in the pond one time. Flushing rate is the inverse of detention time, and represents the number of times per year the pond volume is replaced; for Hopedale Pond the flushing rate is about 45 times per year. This is a relatively fast flushing rate, but would be anticipated for a long, shallow pond with a comparatively large sized watershed.

When detention time is known, a calculation can be made to determine response time (time needed for a pond to fully realize nutrient inputs), which for Hopedale Pond ranges between 7.9 days and 8.0 days. Since Hopedale Pond's detention time (8.1 days) is more than its response time, the effect of nutrients entering the pond may be expressed as they pass through the system (i.e., the conditions within the pond may be reflective of the water quality it receives).

The trophic state of Hopedale Pond, determined as Carlson's (1977) trophic state index (TSI) from Secchi depth, surface total phosphorus values, and chlorophyll *a* values was representative of mesotrophic (moderate nutrient levels) to eutrophic conditions (high nutrient levels) during the collection period assessed in this study. This assessment is also supported by the phytoplankton density and biovolume results (Section 4.7) which found the phytoplankton community to be typical for a eutrophic waterbody.

The nutrient water quality data can be placed into further perspective once the values are interpreted as a measurement of the nutrient load to Hopedale Pond. A calculation of minimum nutrient load was made by multiplying the volume of the pond by its flushing rate and the average concentration of the nutrient observed during this study. The minimum phosphorus and nitrogen loads delivered to Hopedale Pond were determined to be 0.93 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (288 kg/yr) and 47.14 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (14,632 kg/yr), respectively, based on the in-pond concentration data collected during this study (see Appendix H for details on phosphorus modeling). The actual load of phosphorus or nitrogen will exceed the estimated minimum load as a consequence of loss processes that reduce the in-pond concentration over time. Since phosphorus is viewed as the nutrient that controls productivity in this freshwater pond, emphasis is placed on a more detailed modeling analysis of its loading to Hopedale Pond.

A more detailed and realistic estimate of nutrient loading can be obtained by using a combination of actual field data and in-pond modeling theory. Nutrient loads are calculated based on nutrient values measured within the pond and hydraulic features of the pond. The predicted phosphorus load necessary to achieve the values found in Hopedale Pond ranges between 0.94 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (291 kg/yr) and 1.29 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (400 kg/yr) (Vollenweider 1975, Reckhow 1977) based on this approach. The average predicted phosphorus load for all models was 1.09 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (338 kg/yr). The nitrogen load necessary to achieve the observed in-pond concentrations was estimated to be 53.11 g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr (16,484 kg/yr) (Bachmann 1980) in this manner.

Vollenweider (1968) established criteria for calculating the phosphorus load below which no productivity problems were expected (permissible load) and above which productivity problems were

almost certain to persist (critical load). These loading limits are also based on the hydraulic properties of the pond and depend upon average depth and detention time. The average of phosphorus loads estimated for the pond through in-pond modeling (338 kg/yr) is greater than the permissible level of 244 kg/yr, but considerably lower than the critical level of 488 kg/yr. This indicates that phosphorus in Hopedale Pond is approaching levels which are likely to result in degraded water quality conditions in the future if not corrected. This knowledge is useful for determining the value of the various management alternatives, and can be particularly helpful when prioritizing their order of implementation under fiscal constraints.

Similar loading limits for nitrogen have not been established, owing to the less predictable relationship between nitrogen, pond hydrology, and primary productivity. Although nitrogen data are very useful in understanding pond conditions and processes, phosphorus is the logical target of management actions aimed at controlling plant growth.

An itemized phosphorus load can be developed when nutrient data from each of the various sources has been determined. Annual phosphorus loading itemized by sources to Hopedale Pond suggests that the actual load of phosphorus could be higher than the load indicated by the in-pond models or concentration. The wet weather surface flow inputs stand out as the dominant influence at just over 292.8 kg/yr, and representing more than 76.2% of the total estimated phosphorus load (Table 13). In contrast, the phosphorus load being contributed via direct precipitation and groundwater were estimated to be approximately 1.4% and 0.3%, respectively.

Site 5 contributed approximately 50% of the total phosphorus load to Hopedale Pond through wet weather flows alone. A lower percentage of the total phosphorus load was contributed by wet weather flows at Site 4 (23%). However, while Site 5 drains over half the area of the watershed, the Site 4 sub-basin represents only a very small fraction of the total watershed area. Therefore, the Site 4 sub-basin contributes a much higher load of phosphorus, given its drainage area, than the sub-basins represented by the other study sites. This implies that reducing the phosphorus load from Site 4 would be the most logical and cost-effective first step in managing nutrients within the Hopedale Pond watershed.

These estimates are based on a limited number of samples collected over one field season and could be greatly influenced by the conditions prior to the commencement of the sampling or by the size of the particular storm events sampled. More detailed calculations for the hydrologic and nutrient budgets are presented in Appendix H.

### **3.7 Biological Community**

Data on the biological community associated with Hopedale Pond was collected as part of this study. Particular emphasis was placed on aquatic plants, phytoplankton, zooplankton, and Canada geese. However, observations of other wildlife were noted as well.

#### **3.7.1 Aquatic Plants (Macrophytes)**

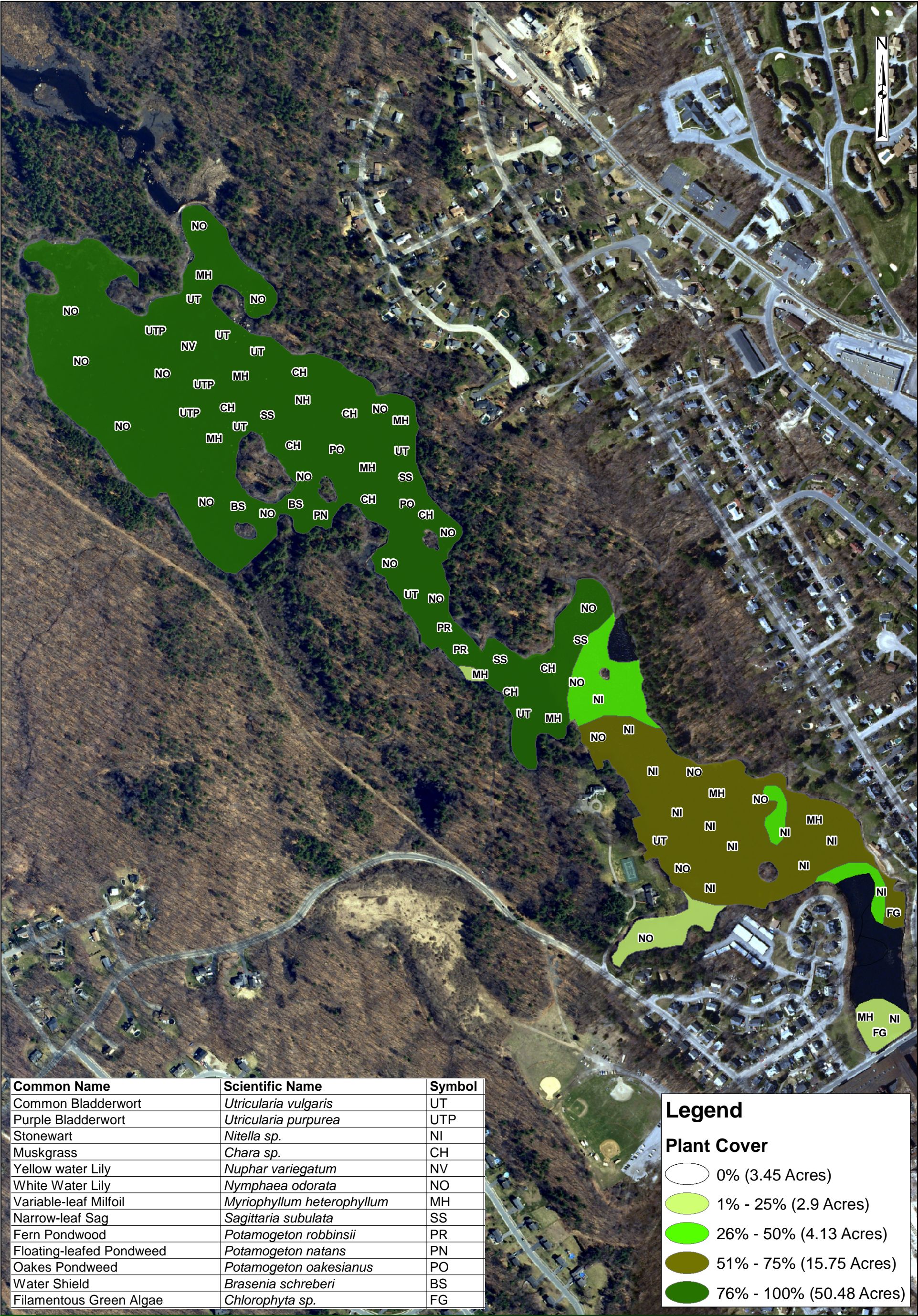
Results of the plant survey conducted in July 2008 found an aquatic plant community consisting of a mix of exotic invasive and native species. Aquatic plant growth was observed around the

perimeter of the pond to a depth of up to 11 feet. The invasive exotic species variable-leaf milfoil (*Myriophyllum heterophyllum*) was common in Hopedale Pond and the exotic and highly invasive species fanwort (*Cabomba caroliniana*) has been reported historically but has been recently managed and was fortunately not documented during this study.

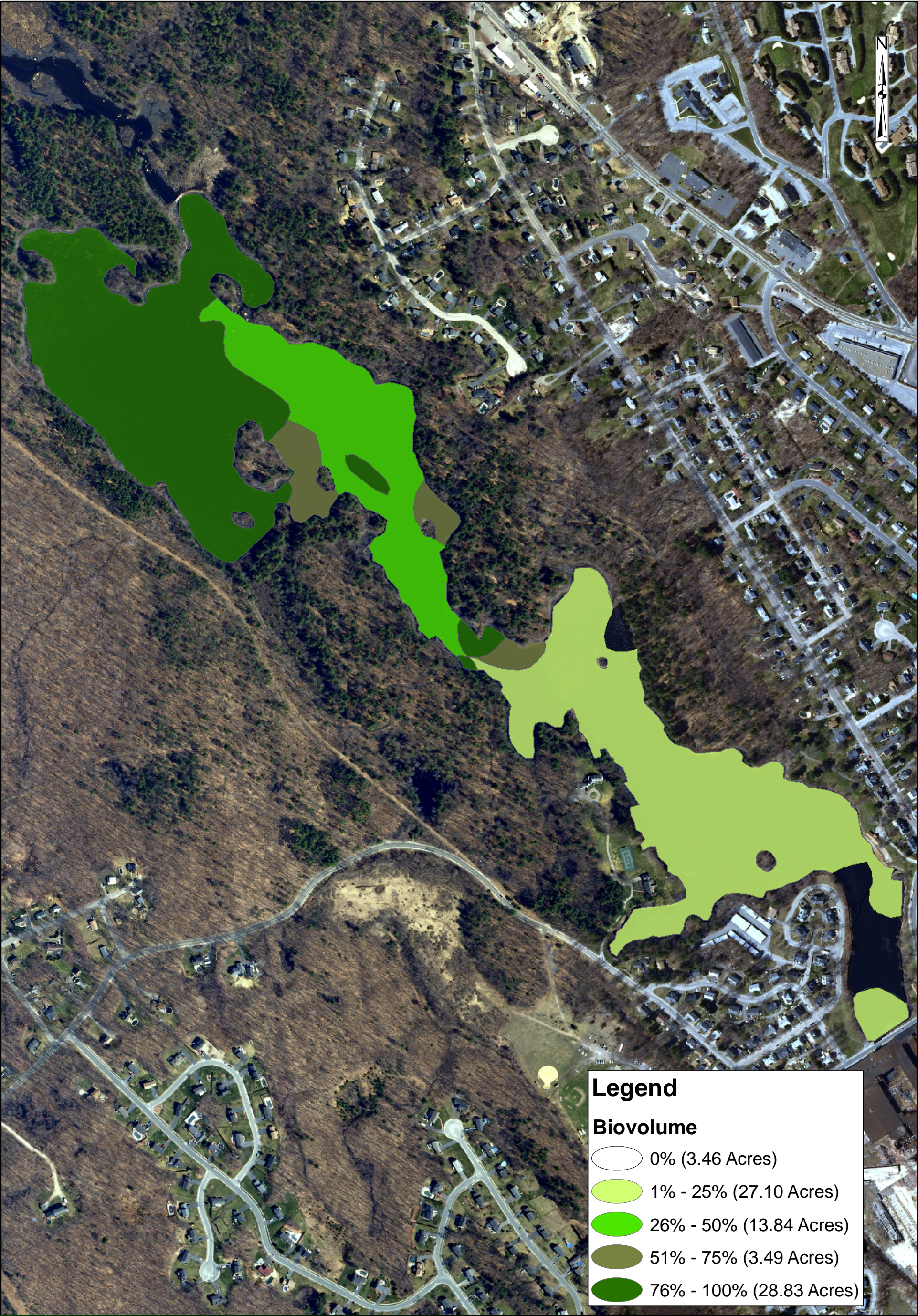
Overall plant cover was highest in the northern basin of the pond and lowest in the southern basin (Figure 29). There was also heavy plant cover in the narrow central portion of the pond. Plant cover was generally absent in the southernmost portion of the pond near the beach on the eastern shoreline. Deeper water depths in the southern basin limit plant growth and past plant management techniques also likely contribute to the reduced plant cover observed in this area of the pond. Moving north from the beach area, plant cover increased in the southern basin to 50%-75% cover. Almost the entire pond within the narrow middle section and throughout the entire northern basin had dense plant cover ranging from 75%-100%.

The biovolume within the pond showed a similar pattern to plant cover, with the highest levels in the northern basin and lower levels in the southern basin (Figure 30). In the southern basin, biovolume was low (1%-25%) because the dominant species in the area was stonewort (*Nitella* sp.) an alga which forms dense mats on lake and pond bottoms. Moderate biovolume levels of 26%-50% with some smaller areas of even greater biovolume (50%-100%) were observed in the middle, narrow portion of the pond. Excessive biovolume levels were observed in the northern basin with almost all plants growing to the water's surface. Biovolume was so high that it was difficult to travel by motorboat due to propeller entanglement with weeds. The shallower depths in the northern basin and deep organic substrate likely allow for greater plant growth. In addition, the invasive species variable-leaf milfoil was dominant in the northern basin and has formed dense beds throughout (Figure 29).











There were a total of thirteen vascular and non-vascular aquatic plant species documented in Hopedale Pond during the survey (Table 14). Native species observed included water lilies, a variety of pondweeds (*Potamogeton* sp.), bladderworts (*Utricularia* sp.) and mat forming algae (*Nitella* sp. and *Chara* sp.) which grow along the pond bottom. The invasive variable-leaf milfoil was the only aquatic exotic species observed but it has colonized large areas of the northern basin and was observed in lower densities in the southern basin. Variable-leaf milfoil has choked out some of the habitat available for native species. However, despite the presence of variable-leaf milfoil, overall plant diversity was greatest in the northern basin. Both common and purple bladderworts were observed in dense beds in the northern basin, while mats of muskgrass (*Chara* sp.) occurred at deeper depths. Fern pondweed (*Potamogeton robbinsii*), floating-leaf pondweed (*Potamogeton natans*), Oakes pondweed (*Potamogeton oakesianus*) and narrow-leaf sag (*Sagittaria subulata*) were observed in lower densities scattered throughout the middle and upper portions of the pond. The dense growth of variable-leaf milfoil and native plants in the northern basin suggest that nutrient inputs are contributing to excessive plant growth. Diversity was lower in the southern basin with white water lily (*Nymphaea odorata*) growing along the shoreline and stonewort found along the pond bottom.



### **3.7.2 Phytoplankton**

Results of the phytoplankton sampling conducted between July 2008 and December 2009 are presented in Table 15 and Appendix I.

**[PENDING RESULTS FROM ALGAE LAB]**

### **3.7.3 Zooplankton**

Zooplankton are microscopic animals that freely float in open water, eat bacteria, algae, detritus and sometimes other zooplankton and are in turn eaten by planktivorous fish.

The zooplankton sampling conducted between July 2008 and January 2009 revealed a fairly diverse community of large and small bodied cladocerans, copepods, and rotifers (Table 16). Zooplankton densities were highest from July through September, peaking in August at nearly 30,000 individuals/m<sup>3</sup>. In October, densities fell significantly to just over 4,000 individuals/m<sup>3</sup> and continued to decline to a low of less than 40 individuals/m<sup>3</sup> in January 2009.

Zooplankton biovolumes were also high from July through September. However, the peak biovolume of 1.7 mL/m<sup>3</sup> was found in September, one month after zooplankton density reached its peak. Maximum taxonomic richness also coincided with this peak in September. Zooplankton

biovolumes rapidly fell to 0.1 mL/m<sup>3</sup> in October and stayed low for the remainder of the year and into January 2009.

Cladocerans (water fleas) were the most abundant taxa in July and August but were outnumbered by copepods in September, when biovolume peaked. Rotifers were only noted in October.

The low to moderate overall presence of zooplankton may be related to availability of food as well as predation by fish and other predators. The phytoplankton community constitutes the principal food source for most zooplankton species and the availability of preferred food is important in determining the composition and size of the zooplankton community. However, zooplankton are also affected by predation, sometimes by other zooplankton but also by fish, macroinvertebrates, and even certain carnivorous plants (*Utricularia* spp.). Bluegill, which were readily observed in Hopedale Pond, are voracious open water zooplankton predators. Additionally, zooplankton densities can vary greatly according to season and even time of day. Seasonal trends in the overall abundance and makeup of the zooplankton community, such as those observed in Hopedale Pond, are typical in temperate lakes and ponds where water temperature and chemistry may vary significantly from one season to another.

#### **3.7.4 Other Wildlife**

Hopedale Pond provides habitat for several warmwater fish species including American eel, golden shiner, chain pickerel, yellow bullhead, brown bullhead, white catfish, yellow perch, bluegill, pumpkinseed, largemouth bass, and black crappie. Although the scope for this study did not include fish surveys, ESS did observe numerous guarded bluegill and pumpkinseed nests along the sandy shoreline just north of the bath house during the summer months.

Few waterfowl species were observed at the pond during sampling events. Canada goose was observed on most visits to Hopedale Pond (observations are described in more detail in Section 4.2.4). However, other than Canada goose, mallard, black duck, wood duck and mute swan were occasionally present in small numbers. Wading birds were not observed at Hopedale Pond on the study dates, although sufficient habitat does appear to exist for foraging. However, a wide variety of songbirds were observed to use the surrounding forested habitat during the breeding season. Observed species of particular note include pileated woodpecker, wood thrush, and ovenbird.

#### **3.8 Quality Assurance/Quality Control**

Quality control specifications in the QAPP were met with the following exceptions:

- The grain size analysis conducted by GeoLabs on January 19, 2009 sediment samples from Hopedale Pond did not appear to correspond with visual observations made by ESS in the field and GeoTesting Express during the Atterberg Limit testing. ESS twice requested and received reanalysis of grain size for both composite samples from GeoLabs. The revised results (issued February 23, 2009) were considered to be more representative of the material than the original results. However, it is recommended that the grain size analysis results be used only in the

context of the qualitative observations made by GeoTesting Express to guide any future bulk physical testing of sediments in Hopedale Pond.

- Total phosphorus results from August 29, 2008 were altered from lab-reported values for display in report tables and for use in phosphorus modeling. This assumption was made due to the consistently high results obtained in waters throughout the watershed on these dates. It is unlikely that all sampled waters in the Hopedale Pond watershed would simultaneously show greater than an order of magnitude change in phosphorus concentration from one month to the next during dry weather flow. Correspondence with GeoLabs indicated that there were no internal quality control problems with either the total or dissolved phosphorus analyses on these dates. It is also unlikely that the sample bottles used on these dates were contaminated because the batches of bottles received from GeoLabs for phosphorus samples were regularly split for use between different sampling dates (due to a surplus supply of bottles). Therefore, it is assumed that an error did occur during the laboratory analysis on these dates because this is the most parsimonious explanation. Due to the relatively limited number of total phosphorus samples collected at each site over the period of the study, it was deemed preferable to apply a correction factor to the existing results rather than exclude them from data analysis and modeling. Therefore, total phosphorus results from August 29 were divided by 100 at each dry weather sampling site to account for this probable error.
- Total and dissolved phosphorus results from October 9, 2008 were taken from samples that exceeded the method holding time. Although these analyses were originally performed within the holding time, they were not conducted in accordance with ESS' specifications. Therefore, ESS requested that GeoLabs reanalyze all phosphorus samples outside of the holding time.
- The total number of samples collected for several analytes differed from the number anticipated in the QAPP. This was due to a number of factors, including intermittency of flow at Site 6, the unexpected cessation of precipitation during the November 13, 2008 wet weather sampling event, the lack of in seepage at certain shoreline segments during seepage surveys, and other similar limitations largely outside the control of the field program.

#### **4.0 MANAGEMENT FEASIBILITY ASSESSMENT AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

##### **4.1 Management Objectives**

Future management of Hopedale Pond will be dependent upon its intended uses as determined by the Town, local residents, the dam owner, and other stakeholders in the watershed. Hopedale Pond is well-suited to serving a variety of human purposes, including swimming, winter skating, fishing (including ice fishing), nature observation, small-craft boating, and passive aesthetic enjoyment. The present-day Hopedale Pond is not ideally suited for swimming due to a variety of human health issues identified during this study, the primary one being the discharge of high levels of *E. coli* bacteria and other pathogens associated with the Dutcher Street storm drain and runoff from areas surrounding the pond that are ideally suited to the establishment of a resident goose population with their associated fecal droppings.



Historically, Hopedale Pond was a popular swimming spot and the Town beach was regularly enjoyed by local residents during the summer months. However, the summer swimming program was discontinued in 2002, reportedly due in part to issues associated with funding of life guards at the beach as well as regular exceedance of the state's bacterial water quality standard.

Although the Town has periodically funded herbicide treatments to aid in managing the rooted aquatic plant problems at the pond, recreational boating is currently limited by the thick growth of nuisance aquatic vegetation extending from the Rustic Bridge to the Jetty and along much of the shoreline south to the Town beach. Herbicide treatment has been successful at controlling fanwort at the pond, however, other invasive species such as milfoil have continued to proliferate.

Although there is significant waterfront development along the southern shoreline of Hopedale Pond, the Town Parklands have successfully preserved the natural state of much of the shoreline. Therefore, additional shoreline development or conversion of vacation homes to year-round residences is not likely to be an issue confronting Hopedale Pond as is the case with many other lakes in central and western Massachusetts.

Hopedale Pond is not used as a potable water source, so recreational enjoyment of the pond is one of the highest use priorities for this pond. However, improving water quality and controlling aquatic invasive weeds in Hopedale Pond will help to remove the pond from the state's list of impaired waters. Additionally, the location of the pond within the Blackstone River watershed means that maintaining or improving the health of Hopedale Pond will also help the Blackstone River reach its fishable/swimmable goal by 2015. These points of consideration should help the Town secure state and federal funding support for future management actions if desired.

The selection of management actions for Hopedale Pond should be guided by the long-term management objectives. Management for recreation is believed to be appropriate for Hopedale Pond at this time, as this water body is a community asset that could be significantly enhanced if given the appropriate level of attention.

Management goals for Hopedale Pond should include the following:

1. Ensuring a safe, clean and aesthetically pleasing beach area for swimming, wading, and passive use;
2. Improving water quality in the pond and addressing the impairment caused by nuisance and exotic plant growth;
3. Expanding the opportunity for recreation in non-motorized watercraft; and
4. Maintaining habitat for *migratory* waterfowl, wading birds, fish, reptiles and amphibians.

More specifically, physical features of the lake are to be managed to maintain appropriate fish habitat, maximize safety and enjoyment for human users, minimize shoreline erosion, and prevent excessive plant growths or other abnormal biological nuisances. Short-term management effort is needed with regard to controlling nutrient inputs and weed growth in the pond while long-term

management should be directed toward planning for future growth and development within the watershed. At the present time, it is recommended that management action be taken to control nuisance aquatic plant growth.

## **4.2 Management Options and Recommendations**

Given the number of issues currently impacting Hopedale Pond, including excessive aquatic weed growth as well as nutrient and bacteria loading (both anthropogenic and Canada goose related), the range of options for managing the pond is large. With each of the specific management objectives outlined above in mind, management methodologies can be examined to determine the applicability and feasibility of options for meeting that objective. A review of these management options for each suggested management objective is presented below.

### **4.2.1 Watershed Level**

#### **4.2.1.1 Agricultural Best Management Practices – Not Recommended**

Agricultural land use makes up approximately 2% of the total watershed area for Hopedale Pond. Therefore, agricultural best management practices (BMPs) are unlikely to result in significant water quality improvements to Hopedale Pond.

#### **4.2.1.2 Bank and Slope Stabilization – Not Recommended**

Bank and slope erosion appear to be contributing little to sedimentation in Hopedale Pond. Most of the sediments mobilized in the upper watershed are intercepted by one of the several impoundments upstream from Hopedale Pond. Bank stabilization efforts in the vicinity of the Route 140 road crossings of the Mill River (at Station 5) and an unnamed tributary (Station 6) would reduce subsequent erosion and deposition of sediments in the northern portion of Hopedale Pond. However, a better option for controlling sedimentation would be implementation of stormwater BMPs at the Route 140 road crossings and at high runoff locations around the southern portion of the pond, such as the Freedom Street and Dutcher Street areas. This option is discussed in more detail in section 5.2.1.4.

#### **4.2.1.3 Behavioral Modifications - Recommended**

Behavioral modifications include alteration of individual or group practices that lead to increased runoff and pollutant loading. Actions relating to lawn and garden care, yard waste disposal, automotive cleaning and maintenance, and pavement deicing or sanding would be likely targets for this approach. Modifications are usually attained by a combination of education and regulation, but there are practical limits in residential settings. Most behavioral controls are best implemented on a voluntary basis, but are unlikely to provide more than a 5% to 10% reduction in pollutant loads. Mandatory controls are better suited to situations of clear non-compliance, as with illegal hook-ups or dumping to the storm drainage system.

Successful management of Canada goose populations at Hopedale Pond will likely include behavioral modifications. These are discussed in more detail in Section 5.2.3.



There are typically no permits or significant costs associated with any of the above-described behavioral modifications, but compliance is difficult to measure and major changes in water quality are rarely observed as a result. It would be beneficial, however, to encourage appropriate residential property management through a brochure aimed at informing watershed residents of their link to water quality and role in protecting it. Such a brochure could be professionally produced and distributed for a cost of around \$5,000.

#### **4.2.1.4 Detention or Infiltration Basin Use and Maintenance - Recommended**

Detention basins aim to delay the time it takes for stormwater runoff to reach streams and ponds but may not significantly reduce the total volume of runoff. Depending on the design, they may also remove stormwater pollutants. There are two main kinds of detention basins – dry and wet. Dry detention basins are designed to dry out between storm events and tend to retain only a minimal portion of the stormwater pollutants. Wet detention basins retain a permanent pool of water, which allows a longer period of time for the removal of pollutants. Both types of detention basin must be maintained in order to function properly. Maintenance may include repair of discharge structures, mowing, and cleaning out accumulated sediments.

Infiltration basins are designed to reduce runoff volumes by infiltrating stormwater into the ground. Under most circumstances, they also provide improved removal of pollutants over detention basins and may contribute to groundwater recharge. Maintenance usually consists of cleaning out accumulated sediments to prevent clogging of the basin.

Although detention and infiltration basins may take up a significant amount of space when used to control runoff from large developments, compact structural designs may be used to treat stormwater in areas that are already densely developed. A catch basin sump and leaching dry well system combines principals of detention (sump) with infiltration (leaching dry well) in a relatively compact area. Outflow or overflow pipes from these systems can be tied into existing storm drains. These types of designs could provide much improved treatment of stormwater at road crossings where runoff is currently diverted down paved or unvegetated embankments and directly into tributaries or Hopedale Pond itself. Notable examples of locations that might benefit from a catch basin sump and leaching dry well system include the Route 140 crossing of the Mill River and Freedom Street at the Hopedale Pond dam. Typical capital costs for BMP systems range from deep sump catch basins and grass swales (\$5,000) to leaching systems (\$15,000) to larger detention systems and created wetlands (\$20,000 to \$40,000). Maintenance costs would also need to be incorporated into the Town's annual storm water infrastructure maintenance program.

It may also be beneficial to consider other decentralized approaches to reducing runoff and infiltrating stormwater at its source, such as encouraging the use of the new advance porous pavements, green roofs and rain gardens among Town residents and new developments. By reducing the volume of runoff from individual properties, these types of stormwater BMPs reduce peak stormwater flows and can also prevent many contaminants from leaving the site and entering the storm drainage system. Rain gardens are often very efficient at removing

suspended solids and heavy metals (90% is not uncommon for copper, zinc, and lead) but removal rates for nutrients, and nitrate in particular, are less consistent. Most structures can be retrofitted with green roofs and although the initial investment cost is high, green roofs easily extend the life of a traditional roof by 20 or more years. Rain gardens typically require much less capital investment and can be constructed in all but the smallest yards. In order to be noticeably effective, porous pavement, green roofs and rain gardens would need to be implemented over a significant portion of the currently developed area. However, updated regulatory by-laws in town could be developed to encourage or require these techniques.

#### **4.2.1.5 Increased Street Sweeping and Catch Basin Cleaning - Recommended**

By increasing the frequency of street sweeping and catch basin cleaning, the Town could remove some potential runoff pollutants, particularly sediments and associated phosphorus. Catch basins should be cleaned at least twice per year to prevent the release of accumulated sediments, nutrients, and other contaminants. Street sweeping should be conducted several times per year to remove accumulated sediments from roads after significant storm events and winter road treatments. The efficiency of street sweeping equipment is also an important consideration, as vacuum technology is far more effective than conventional brushes, which may simply push around (rather than pick up) a significant portion of the total street debris.

A monthly street sweeping program targeting all streets in the Town that occupy the immediate watershed of Hopedale Pond, combined with a semiannual cleaning of all catch basins would carry a capital cost of over \$200,000 and an operational cost of approximately \$35,000/year. While roadway pollutants are believed to be an important source of contamination, a street-sweeping program would not address other potentially important nutrient sources in the watershed, including lawns. This program would address only those pollutants on roadways or trapped by catch basins. Since much of the watershed is not currently equipped with storm drainage structures, the potential benefits are somewhat limited. However, the results of this study demonstrate the high concentrations of nutrients that are flushed from the Town stormwater system and into Hopedale Pond. Therefore, this approach may have merit for Hopedale Pond, especially if new stormwater detention or infiltration systems are installed, as recommended in the previous section.

#### **4.2.1.6 Maintenance and Upgrade of On-site Disposal Systems – Not a Priority**

Individual sewage disposal systems (ISDS) provide on-site treatment of sewage for homes and businesses that are not connected to a sanitary sewer. Since Hopedale has a municipal sewer system and treatment plant, ISDS use is limited to a few isolated households, including two on Hazel Street and possibly those along Route 140 at the northern extreme of the Town. Although not specifically examined, it is likely that ISDS use is more widespread outside the Hopedale town boundaries, especially in areas of low-density residential development in the upper watershed. Septic system repairs and improvements could help reduce the nutrient load (primarily nitrogen) associated with failing systems or improperly designed or sized systems in the upper watershed. However, within the Town of Hopedale a



much greater reduction could be achieved by connecting these residences to the sanitary sewer instead. This is due to the fact that the Hopedale municipal treatment plant discharges effluent outside of the watershed boundary.

Since the area immediately surrounding the pond is sewerage and the pond received over 99% of its water as overland flow, a program focusing on maintenance or upgrades would not be likely to provide measurable improvements to in-pond water quality.

#### **4.2.1.7 Provision of Sanitary Sewers – Not Recommended**

The Town of Hopedale currently provides sanitary sewer service to most of its residences and businesses. However, there are at least two residences within the town that continue to use ISDS for treatment of household wastewater. Extending the sanitary sewer system to these residences could be costly but would eliminate essentially all nutrient discharges associated with sanitary waste in these areas. Costs for extending the sanitary sewer to communities in the upper watershed would likely be even greater and would be the responsibility of other municipalities. Encouraging the upgrade or repair of on-site disposal systems, as described in the previous section, is likely to be a less costly and reasonably effective option. Therefore, extension of the sanitary sewer solely for the purpose of managing Hopedale Pond is not currently recommended.

#### **4.2.1.8 Stormwater or Wastewater Diversion – Not Recommended**

The diversion of stormwater or wastewater involves diverting these sources to discharge outside of the Hopedale Pond watershed, essentially bypassing the pond. This option does not provide significant treatment of stormwater or wastewater. Rather, it would simply shift the problems associated with contaminated stormwater or wastewater to areas outside the Hopedale Pond watershed. Therefore, this option is not recommended.

#### **4.2.1.9 Zoning and Land Use Planning – Not Recommended**

The perimeter of most of Hopedale Pond is protected as Town Parklands. Within the town of Hopedale some additional watershed protection is currently afforded by the Chapter 61 lands (preserved forest lands) that occupy most of the land north of Hopedale Pond. However, much of the watershed outside of these areas is largely unprotected and is either currently developed or could be developed in the future. Within the town of Hopedale, this includes portions of an industrially zoned area that overlaps the Chapter 61 lands. Outside of the town of Hopedale, land use has changed substantially within the watershed over the last four decades and this trend is likely to continue.

It is recommended that efforts be made to preserve natural areas not subject to protection, especially in areas adjacent to stream corridors and wetlands, and encourage best management practices for construction. Costs for such actions are highly variable and unpredictable, but could be minimal with thoughtful use of existing regulations and programs. Although, land use planning would have no immediate effect on the water quality

or nuisance aquatic plant growth in Hopedale Pond, advanced planning for future development can be a critical step toward preventing future problems in the pond.

Conducting a watershed build-out analysis for the Hopedale Pond watershed would be beneficial toward determining how water quality might change if all available sites within the watershed were developed. However, given that much of the watershed is already developed or has been protected through designation as Town Parklands, a build-out analysis for the Hopedale Pond watershed is not being recommended as a high priority.

#### **4.2.1.10 Treatment of Runoff or Stream Flows – Not Recommended**

Runoff may be chemically treated in order to remove or inactivate target pollutants. Chemical treatment of nutrients typically targets dissolved phosphorous (the form most readily available to plants and algae) and involves the proportional injection of alum (aluminum sulfate) or similar compounds into stormwater sources so that phosphorous is inactivated prior to entering the pond. This approach to nutrient management can be costly and does not address the actual sources of nutrients to the pond. Therefore, given the other options available with regard to providing long-term permanent improvements to the storm water infrastructure phosphorus inactivation is not being recommended.

### **4.2.2 In-pond Level**

#### **4.2.2.1 Aeration and/or Destratification – Not Recommended**

Aeration and/or destratification (or circulation) is used to treat problems with algal growth and low oxygen concentrations that may occur in smaller ponds. Air diffusers, aerating fountains, and water pumps are typical types of equipment that may be installed to increase circulation in a pond. The cost of purchasing, installing, and maintaining pond circulation equipment becomes substantial as pond size increases. Likewise, the effectiveness of the equipment tends to decline with pond size as it is difficult to achieve sufficient circulation in large ponds.

This approach is not currently recommended for Hopedale Pond, primarily because nuisance aquatic plant growth (rather than algal growth) is the targeted impairment at the pond.

#### **4.2.2.2 Biocidal Chemical Treatment (Herbicides) - Recommended**

Herbicides remain a controversial aquatic weed control measure in many communities because of their association with pesticides, which is generally perceived to be negative. However, as we learn more about the suite of side effects that comes with alternative physical and biological management options, chemical control measures continue to be used as part of most balanced pond management plans.

Although no herbicide is completely safe or harmless, a premise of federal pesticide regulation is that the potential benefits derived from use outweigh the risks when registered herbicides are applied according to label recommendations and restrictions. Current herbicide registration procedures are far more rigorous than in the past and the ability of applicators to



target applications of herbicides further improves the relative safety of using these chemicals for nuisance aquatic plant control.

Chemical treatment is the most cost effective and appropriate means by which to achieve the goal of reducing aquatic weed biomass in Hopedale Pond over the short term. It should be noted that herbicide treatment alone would not provide for long term, sustainable control of nuisance aquatic plant growth. However, when integrated with other management strategies at the watershed and in-pond level, herbicides can play a valuable role in controlling this growth.

For Hopedale Pond the most appropriate approach would be control with the contact herbicide known as diquat (trade name Reward). Costs for this form of treatment in Hopedale Pond would be approximately \$5,000 to \$8,000 per treatment (including permitting) to clear all major beds of variable-leaf milfoil. Since diquat is a contact herbicide, it does not typically kill rooted portions of aquatic vegetation and follow-up applications may be needed to control growth each year.

Costs in the permitting process could escalate if there is any significant opposition to the treatment. Permits could be denied, appealed, or rigorously conditioned, the last of which could add cost both through constraints on the treatment process and monitoring expenses. However, given the fact that herbicides have been used in the recent past at Hopedale Pond, successful permitting is not anticipated to be a problem.

#### **4.2.2.3 Bottom Sealing - Recommended**

Benthic barriers are negatively buoyant materials, usually in sheet form, which can be applied on top of plants to limit light, physically disrupt growth, and allow unfavorable chemical reactions to interfere with further development of plants. They have such positive side effects as creating more edge habitat within dense plant assemblages and minimizing turbidity generation from fine bottom sediments. Barrier materials have been commercially available for decade and a variety of solid and porous are available. However, deployment and maintenance of benthic barriers continues to be difficult and this limits their utility over the full range of weed bed sizes.

Plants under the barrier will usually die completely after about a month, with solid barriers more effective than porous ones in killing the whole plant. Barriers of sufficient tensile strength can then be moved to a new location, although continued presence of at least solid barriers restricts recolonization. Benthic barriers are best used for providing control of milfoil and other nuisance growth on a localized basis. They are likely to be of most use in heavily used areas near shore and in the vicinity of docks or other shoreline structures.

The ability of vegetative fragments to recolonize porous benthic barriers such as fiberglass screening has made them less useful for combating infestations by milfoil on any but the smallest scale, as sheets must be removed and cleaned at least yearly. Solid barriers have been more useful, although the gas released during decomposition in the sediments below

can cause the barrier to billow, necessitating the use of anchors or vents that can reduce the lifespan of the barrier.

Problems associated with benthic barriers include long-term integrity of the barrier, billowing caused by trapped gases, accumulation of sediment on top of barriers, and growth of plants on porous barriers. Benthic barriers are also non-selective, which means all plants in the treatment area are killed, including desirable native plants. By smothering bottom sediments, barriers can also impact the benthic macroinvertebrate community within the treatment area, which may locally reduce food sources for some fish. Another drawback of benthic barriers is that recolonization from adjacent plant beds can occur quickly, once the barrier has been removed. Additional effort, such as hand harvesting, might be necessary for two growing seasons or more.

One final problem is the tendency of products to come and go without much stability in the market. Few of the barrier materials on the market at any time continue to be available for more than 5-10 years; most need to be made in bulk to keep costs down, yet costs remain high enough to hinder demand and reduce bulk use.

Cost and labor are the main factors limiting the use of benthic barriers in most lakes, and would be prime deterrents in Hopedale Pond. The cost per installed square foot is on the order of \$2.00, leading to an expense of nearly \$90,000 per acre. Bulk purchase and use of volunteer labor can greatly decrease costs, but use over large areas of nuisance vegetation is highly unlikely. Benthic barriers could be useful for addressing nuisance plant growth near the town beach, where deployment and any subsequent maintenance would be relatively simple. The use of benthic barriers by individual property owners could also be a good approach to local weed control, as necessary.

#### **4.2.2.4 Dilution and/or Flushing – Not Recommended**

Dilution and flushing involve increasing the flow rate so as to dilute or remove concentrations of nutrients or other pollutants in the pond. This approach is unlikely to be effective in Hopedale Pond because the volume of the pond is large compared to the magnitude of any relatively “clean” diluting flows that could be diverted into the pond. Additionally, pond sediments appear to hold a large amount of nutrients that would allow aquatic plant growth to continue even if significant dilution or flushing could be achieved. Therefore, dilution and flushing are not recommended.

#### **4.2.2.5 Dredging – Recommended as Long-Term Option for Partial Pond**

Dredging works as a plant control technique when either a light limitation is imposed through increased water depth or when enough soft sediment is removed to reveal a less hospitable substrate for plant growth. Since light limitation through increased depth is unlikely to be achieved in Hopedale Pond, control will depend on excavation to a hard bottom (coarse sand or gravel in this case). This means that any dredging to control rooted plants must remove all soft sediment in the target area. It may not be necessary to dredge the entire lake to



achieve a satisfactory level of plant control, but it would be necessary to do a thorough job in any area where control is to be achieved.

Dredging in Hopedale Pond could be an effective long-term control technique for nuisance aquatic plants, but would be extremely expensive. With an estimated soft sediment volume of approximately 375,000 cubic yards in Hopedale Pond, the dredging cost would likely run between \$4,500,000 and \$8,000,000 for removal of soft sediments to a depth that would prevent re-growth of variable milfoil and other nuisance species. If the area of dredging was reduced to cover only the southern basin (i.e., the area south of the Jetty), dredging costs could be reduced by more than half to between \$2,500,000 and \$4,000,000. Dredging could also be targeted at particular problem areas. However, given the high fixed costs to initiate a dredging project, only a modest additional reduction in price could be expected for smaller dredging projects.

The challenges of a project of this type and magnitude are likely to be significant. Research on the proposed upland containment area would be essential to a complete evaluation. However, to dredge most or all of the pond, a relatively large containment area would be necessary for dewatering of the dredged sediments. Access is another consideration and any conventional dredging proposed in the northern basin would be difficult to accomplish, due to the lack of road access in this area. Water level could also present difficulties for conventional dredging as it is uncertain how much of a drawdown is feasible under existing dam controls. In general, a more significant drawdown would be preferred, in order to prevent the high turbidity levels and other complications that may arise with "wet" dredging.

If conventional dredging is not determined to be feasible for part or all of Hopedale Pond, hydraulic dredging would be necessary. Hydraulic dredging is generally more expensive than conventional dredging but the differences for a project of larger scale is relatively small. Hydraulic dredging would require a larger and more sophisticated containment area or the use of advanced dewatering techniques such as the use of Geotubes (geotextile fabric for dewatering) or a belt-filter press machine that can extract water from the sediments while using a relatively confined work area.

The amount of material to be removed and the type of disposal or reuse will also have a significant impact on the cost of dredging. Environmental permitting for dredging projects is complex and will require at least one year before the project could receive all required approvals. Federal (USACE 404), state (MEPA Certificate and 401 Water Quality Certificate) and local permits (Notice of Intent filed for Order of Conditions from conservation commission) are all required, and would necessitate considerable advance information and review time.

Chemical content of the material to be dredged is an important consideration in determining the feasibility of reuse or disposal. The assessment conducted as part of this study indicates that sediment, primarily in the southern basin, may need to be landfilled or amended prior to stockpiling or beneficial use. This could incur significant additional costs.

If dredging is considered to be a viable option, the next steps would be:

1. Assessment of specific scope and extent of dredge program including possible funding options;
2. Thorough chemical and physical analysis of the sediments in areas targeted for dredging under a state-approved sampling plan;
3. Development of a conceptual engineering design; and
4. Initiation of the permitting process (ENF filing for MEPA review).

These initial activities might be expected to cost \$50,000 to \$60,000 for Hopedale Pond, but are essential if dredging is to be pursued as a management option.

#### **4.2.2.6 Dye Addition – Not Recommended**

Dyes are used to limit light penetration and therefore restrict the depth at which rooted plants can grow. In essence, they mimic the effect of light inhibition that might be expected during periods of high turbidity or prolonged ice and snow cover. Natural periods of low light are an important variable in determining plant composition and abundance, and use of dyes can produce similar effects. They are only selective in the sense that they favor species tolerant of low light or with sufficient food reserves to support an extended growth period (during which time the plant could reach the euphotic zone). Dyes tend to reduce the maximum depth of plant growth, but are relatively ineffective in shallow water (less than 6 ft or 1.8 m deep). Dyes are unlikely to make a significant difference in plant growth within shallow bodies of water like Hopedale Pond. Therefore, their use is not recommended for macrophyte control in Hopedale Pond.

#### **4.2.2.7 Macrophyte Harvesting – Not Recommended**

Macrophyte harvesting covers a wide range of techniques, including mechanical harvesting, hand pulling, and suction harvesting. Mechanical harvesting, which involves cutting and pulling aquatic plants from a specially-equipped watercraft, is most effective in the short term. As mechanical harvesting simply sets plants back for the season and may allow plant fragments to break free and colonize new locations, its use should be reserved for scenarios where there is an immediate but temporary need for widespread reduction of nuisance plant cover.

Certain other harvesting techniques can be effective for long-term control of plants that reproduce by seed. However, since seeds may remain viable for more than one year, several seasons of intensive effort are usually necessary to achieve control of target species. Intense harvesting of plants that reproduce by vegetative means may help inhibit successful overwintering but this effect varies by species and location.

The simplest form of harvesting is hand pulling of selected plants. Depending on the depth of the water at the targeted site, hand pulling may involve wading, snorkeling, or SCUBA



diving. Hand pulling involves collection of pulled plants and fragments in a mesh bag. In deeper water, frequent trips to the surface are necessary to dispose of full bags. Depending on the experience and ability of the diver, fragments of the removed plants may occasionally escape collection and could result in colonization of new areas of the pond. The intensive nature of this work limits its application to small areas, typically less than one acre in size.

Diver assisted suction harvesting (DASH) technology has been around for decades but has been refined in recent years to make it more efficient and accessible. An advantage of DASH over mechanical harvesting methods is that divers can directly confirm removal of entire individual plants. Additionally, because DASH uses suction to bring harvested plants to the surface, it is faster and may result in less fragmentation of nuisance plants than hand harvesting.

Mechanical harvesting is not a recommended management option for Hopedale Pond because it is relatively expensive, typically results in only single season control, and may encourage the spread of invasive variable leaf milfoil to other areas of the pond and even downstream. Additionally, due to the large extent of nuisance plant growth in Hopedale Pond, hand pulling and DASH are not feasible control options at this time.

#### **4.2.2.8 Hydroraking and Rotovation - Not Recommended**

Hydroraking uses a backhoe-like machine mounted on a barge to remove plants directly from pond sediments. Depending on the attachment used, plants are scooped, scraped, or raked from the bottom and deposited on shore for disposal. Hydroraking could be somewhat useful for control of milfoil in small areas of Hopedale Pond, although it has the potential to spread milfoil through fragmentation. Hydroraking may be more useful for local control of water lilies, as it can physically remove their large rhizomes (roots). Costs associated with hydroraking in Hopedale Pond would depend upon the area to be raked. Hydroraking generally costs approximately \$160/hour and may take between 12 to 24 hours of time per acre. Hydroraking all of the 66 acres with greater than 50% plant cover would range between approximately \$130,000 and \$255,000. In addition, trucking costs for removal of this amount of plant material will range from \$40,000 to \$70,000 if a contracted company is hired. Due to the large size of the project, a discount of about 10% off standard rates could probably be negotiated with the selected vendor. However, given other possible alternatives, hydroraking is not a cost-effective option for overall control of aquatic vegetation within Hopedale Pond. If used in combination with herbicides to control nuisance aquatic vegetation in problem spots, hydroraking could be a useful and less complex management technique than dredging.

Rotovation is essentially underwater rototilling of pond sediments. Rotating blades cut through roots, shoots, and tubers, dislodging and expelling them from their growing locations. Some operations are also outfitted to collect some or most of the rotovated plant materials. However, complete collection of these materials is often not possible. Although rotovation typically results in longer control of nuisance plant beds than mechanical harvesting, the risk of dispersing plant fragments remains relatively high. In this way,

rotovation may actually be counterproductive in the long term, resulting in new areas of aquatic weed growth. Rotovation is not a recommended management option for Hopedale Pond because it is relatively expensive and may hasten the spread of invasive variable leaf milfoil.

#### **4.2.2.9 Hypolimnetic Withdrawal – Not Recommended**

Hypolimnetic withdrawal involves the removal of oxygen-depleted waters from the pond bottom, typically by siphoning or pumping these waters through a specially constructed pipe. The selective withdrawal of these waters may help prevent phosphorous in the sediments from becoming available to phytoplankton (suspended algae) in the pond.

Although dissolved oxygen levels sometimes drop to very low levels within Hopedale Pond, the thickness of this oxygen-depleted layer is limited by the shallowness of the pond and at most times it would be impractical to selectively remove this layer. Hypolimnetic withdrawal may also require treatment of the removed water before it is returned to the Mill River, in order to prevent causing water quality problems downstream. Additionally, this management option tends to be less effective on the nuisance growth of aquatic plants, which are the main problem at Hopedale Pond. Therefore, hypolimnetic withdrawal is not recommended.

#### **4.2.2.10 Nutrient Inactivation – Not Recommended**

Nutrient inactivation typically targets dissolved phosphorous (the form most readily available to plants and algae) and involves the addition of alum (aluminum sulfate) or similar compounds to sequester this phosphorous in pond sediments. In its simplest form, nutrient inactivation is conducted by applying alum directly to the pond as a single dose. More sophisticated nutrient inactivation programs involve proportional injection of alum into stormwater sources so that phosphorous is inactivated before it even enters the pond.

Nutrient inactivation is typically used to control algae blooms and improve water clarity. These are not considered to be target issues for the shallow waters of Hopedale Pond, where nuisance growth of aquatic plants is the primary problem. Therefore, nutrient inactivation is not recommended.

#### **4.2.2.11 Water Level Control (Drawdown) – Not Recommended**

Drawdown involves lowering the water level of a pond to expose shallow bottom sediments and associated plants to drying and/or freezing. It is most effective against species that reproduce mainly by vegetative means, including variable-leaf milfoil. Although drawdown can be conducted at any time, the interaction of drying and freezing that occurs with winter drawdown is usually most effective.

In order to effectively drawdown a pond, there must be an adjustable discharge structure that allows the water level to be safely controlled. The water level must be drawn down to a sufficient depth (typically at least 6 feet [1.8 m]) and for a long enough period of time to allow bottom sediments to at least partially de-water. Aside from the practical feasibility of



performing a drawdown, the potential impacts on winter recreation (primarily ice fishing, skating, and hockey) should also be considered.

Any manipulation of the water level in Hopedale Pond would need to be approved by and coordinated with the owner of the water rights at the pond and in the Mill River. According to deed records, Mr. Phil Shwachman of First American Realty, Inc. currently holds these rights.

Recent water level management in Hopedale Pond has resulted in much smaller drawdowns during the late fall to winter (perhaps one to two feet). These drawdowns have not specifically targeted aquatic plant control and do not appear to be contributing to the control of nuisance aquatic species in the pond.

If drawdown is pursued as a management strategy, a drawdown feasibility study would first be needed in order to file a Notice of Intent with the Hopedale Conservation Commission. Given the data already collected under the current study, a supplemental study to examine the feasibility of drawdown could be accomplished for around \$5,000 (focusing on hydraulics, flooding, and impacts to downstream resources) with an additional cost of approximately \$7,000 for project permitting. If drawdown were determined to be feasible and successfully permitted, the Town would likely need to monitor impacts to aquatic resources in the pond annually as a permit condition, which could cost \$5,000/year.

Although it is technically possible to lower the water level in Hopedale pond since it does have a functioning outlet structure that could lower water levels by 6 feet, it is highly unlikely that such action would be allowed by the permitting authorities under the state's wetland protection act due to the significant wetland impacts that could occur, particularly in the upper half of the pond which is relatively shallow and would be mostly dewatered by a drawdown of more than 3 feet. ESS would not recommend a drawdown of anything more than 2 feet, which if implemented, would be only marginally effective for management of plant growth in the pond.

#### **4.2.3 Biological Controls**

Biological control involves the introduction of any parasite, predator, pathogen or other organism by humans to a lake as a method of managing invasive aquatic plants. Several different biological control techniques including food web manipulation, herbivorous fish stocking, insect stocking, pathogen release, barley straw deposition and plant competition enhancement have been used to control target invasive plants with varying degrees of success. Biological control functions as a suppression technology that in most cases reduces population growth and stresses target plants rather than eliminating the species (Grodowitz 1998). Unlike physical and chemical control which have well defined outcomes, the results of biological controls are often less predictable with outcomes that have greater uncertainty (Mattson et al. 2004). Biological controls are more effective as a long-term approach to plant management because their use alone often takes several years before effective results are observed in a lake (Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration

Foundation 2005). Therefore, biological controls are most useful as part of an integrated approach to invasive plant management which includes the use of other techniques as well.

Several broad biological treatment approaches are currently recognized (Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Foundation 2005). These include a classical approach, inundative approach, use of general feeders and native species augmentation.

Using a classical approach, a host-specific organism from the target plant's native home range is introduced into the non-native environment the target plant has invaded. In essence, another exotic species is introduced to control an exotic species which has already invaded a new environment (Washington State Department of Ecology 2008). Extensive research is usually conducted ahead of time to ensure the newly introduced species does not become a nuisance in itself.

A mass release of either a native or exotic species which targets a nuisance invasive species is the basis of an inundative biological control approach. This method is used when the natural reproduction of the controlling species is not high enough to limit the spread of the target species.

A general feeder approach involves the introduction of an agent which is not species-specific and will target both native as well as the exotic target species of interest. The introduction of exotic grass carp (*Ctenopharyngodon idella*) which feed on a wide variety of plant species represents a general feeder approach to biological control (Washington State Department of Ecology 2008).

Last, native species augmentation seeks to improve the natural capacity of a native controlling agent to target an invasive species. The use of native milfoil weevils (*Euhrychiopsis lecontei*) to control Eurasian milfoil provides an example of native species augmentation. Weevils are reared and then stocked in select lakes to supplement the existing in-lake weevil population.

A variety of biocontrol methods which use these different general approaches was researched for potential use in Hopedale Pond. These methods and their applicability for use in Hopedale Pond are discussed in the sections below.

### **Food Web Manipulation – Not recommended**

Food web manipulation is a method of native species augmentation that works to alter the fish community structure by favoring larger, piscivorous fish over smaller planktivorous fish. By introducing or augmenting piscivorous fish such as largemouth bass, the population of planktivorous fish in the lake is reduced, thereby increasing the population of algae-eating zooplankton (Mattson et al. 2004). In theory, the increased zooplankton population will graze on algae and improve water clarity and quality. An alternate method of reducing the planktivorous fish population without having to stock larger fish is to remove planktivorous fish through electroshocking, netting and recreational fishing.

The advantage of food web manipulation is it is relatively inexpensive, does not involve the release of any exotic species and may require only limited follow-up work once fish are



introduced and natural processes are set in motion. The major disadvantages are variability and lack of predictability in results.

Food web manipulation would most likely require an Order of Conditions from the Hopedale Conservation Commission, and possible permits from the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife for fish stocking. Estimates of costs are variable and range from \$500 to \$1,500/acre for piscivorous fish stocking and \$1,000 to \$5,000/acre for planktivorous fish removal (Wagner 2004). Food web manipulation is not recommended for Hopedale Pond as the primary nuisance aquatic species are rooted macrophytes rather than algae blooms. It is unlikely that food web manipulation would have any significant impact on reducing invasive macrophytes.

### **Herbivorous Fish Stocking – Not permitted**

The introduction of herbivorous fish employs a generalist approach to aquatic invasive species management. The most commonly used species are grass carp which have been introduced into lakes in other states and have successfully controlled exotic plant growth as well native growth. Although there other fish species which consume macrophytes, grass carp appear to be the only actively used species which can survive the cold waters of the northeast during the winter. Grass carp are not currently permitted to be introduced into Massachusetts waters so they are not an option for Hopedale Pond. However, the following discussion is included to cover this commonly used technique which has been used in neighboring states.

The grass carp is an exotic species which typically grows up to 15 to 20 pounds in North American and tolerates a wide range of water conditions (Wagner 2004). They display a wide range in dietary preference and feed voraciously, with the ability to consume more than their own body weight in fresh vegetation in a single day (Whetstone and Watson 2004). Because of concern of the spread of this exotic species, biologists artificially created a sterile, triploid grass carp for use as a plant control agent. When introduced, grass carp will selectively feed on preferred species before targeting other less preferred species (Whetstone and Watson 2004). When stocked at the appropriate density, it is possible to get up to five years of plant control with the grass carp (Wagner 2004). One source reviewed noted that most submerged aquatic weeds can be controlled with a stocking rate of 20-25 grass carp per acre (Whetstone and Watson 2004). However, appropriate stocking rates appear to vary, with other sources citing ranges from 80 to 100 fish/acre, 12 fish/acre in Virginia and New York and 9 to 25 fish/acre in Washington (Wagner 2004; Helfrich et al. 2004; Washington State Department of Ecology 2008). Costs of grass carp range from \$4 to \$13 per fish depending on the source. At a stocking rate of 7 to 15 fish per acre, this would lead to a cost of \$28 to \$195 per acre with treatment effectiveness lasting for approximately five years (Wagner 2004).

There are many challenges and concerns regarding the use of grass carp which explain why their use is not permitted in Massachusetts (Wagner 2004). In addition to controlling exotic plants, grass carp can have serious impacts on native aquatic vegetation as well. Their introduction often leads to decreases in water quality and they are known to carry fish diseases which can be transmitted to local fish. Once released, grass carp are extremely difficult to catch. Finally, they

are highly migratory and can easily escape over spillways and dams. Although they can be effective in controlling invasive plants, any use of grass carp in Hopedale Pond would need to be done with a great deal of caution even if their release were to be permitted in Massachusetts in the future.



### **Insect Stocking (Weevils) – Not recommended**

The milfoil weevil (*Euhrychiopsis lecontei*) is a native invertebrate which typically feeds on northern watermilfoil (*Myriophyllum sibiricum*) a native milfoil species which has been replaced by the spread of the invasive Eurasian milfoil (Wagner 2004). The weevil does not feed on non-milfoil species. Adults feed on the milfoil and the larvae burrow into the stems of the plant, consuming the plant tissue within the stem, which ultimately results in the collapse of the plant to the pond bottom. As a control technique, the weevil larvae are introduced to a lake by placing infested water milfoil strands within the targeted water milfoil beds of the lake. The best results are usually achieved in controlling water milfoil in lakes with dense, monotypic stands of water milfoil with several years required to measure a positive effect. As outlined by Grodowitz (1998), it may also be possible to improve results of weevil and other insect introductions by taking an active approach which includes yearly follow-up studies to evaluate populations, supplementing the insect population if necessary and integrating with other plant control techniques.

The weevils were first associated with the decline of Eurasian milfoil in nine lakes in Vermont and there have been signs of success of weevil introductions at two test lakes in Massachusetts. The weevils are now marketed commercially with a recommended stocking of 3,000 weevils per acre (Wagner 2004). Costs of the weevils are generally \$1 per insect though the insects can generally be raised by interested parties on their own at a reduced price (Washington State Department of Ecology 2008). An Order of Conditions under the Wetlands Protection Act would most likely be required in order to introduce the weevils to a body of water.

The primary invasive plant observed in Hopedale Pond is Variable-leaf milfoil (*Myriophyllum heterophyllum*), which is not targeted by the weevil. Since Hopedale Pond is not over-run by Eurasian water milfoil, introduction of the water milfoil weevil would not be expected to be effective. If Eurasian milfoil ever became a problem in Hopedale Pond, use of the weevils might be reconsidered.

### **Pathogen Introduction – Not recommended**

The release of pathogens (disease causing organisms) into a lake to suppress target invasive aquatic species remains largely experimental though considerable research has been done on the subject (Mattson 2004). Pathogens hold promise for invasive species control for several reasons: they have a high abundance and diversity, are often host-specific, are usually harmless to non-target organisms, are easily disseminated, are self-maintaining and have the ability to limit the host population without elimination (Mattson 2004).

The most commonly used plant pathogens have been fungi with results of their use evaluated extensively. Specific pathogen examples include the fungi species *Mycoleptodiscus terrestris* which has been under research for use against Eurasian milfoil and hydrilla (Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Foundation 2005). Existing research has yielded inconsistent results and problems isolating specific pathogens. In addition, many host plants have shown resistance to pathogens.

Viral bacterial and fungal pathogens have also been explored to control algae populations as well (Mattson 2004). Lakes could potentially be inoculated with a pathogen to suppress the growth of a variety of algae populations. Experimental results using pathogens to target algae have shown that this method has not been effective.

The introduction of any pathogen to Hopedale Pond would likely require an Order of Conditions from the Hopedale Conservation Commission. Costs of existing pathogens are not well known; however, bacterial additives are relatively inexpensive for the small scale at which they have been used (Wagner 2004). Because the use of pathogens is still largely experimental with unpredictable results, it is not recommended for use in Hopedale Pond.

### **Barley Straw – Not recommended**

The use of barley straw as a method to control algae blooms in lakes began in England in the early 1990s. As the barley straw rots, a chemical is believed to be released which acts as an algaecide. The chemical which is actually responsible for the algae control has not yet been identified and it is not clear whether it is exuded from the barley straw itself or whether it is a metabolic byproduct produced by decomposers (Lembi 2002).

Existing research suggests that barley straw acts to prevent new algae growth rather than kill existing algae, and is not effective against all types of algae (Lembi 2002). In addition, results of use of barley straw in both the laboratory and in the field have varied widely from success to failure. Overall, the use of barley straw appears to have very unreliable results (Wagner 2004).

When it is used, the suggested application rate is 255 pounds of barley straw per surface acre of lake (Lembi 2002). When applied, the bales of barley straw first need to be broken apart, then packed into some form of loose netting before being placed in the lake using floats. The barley straw needs to remain in the upper three to four feet of the lake in order to remain effective. Costs of barley straw and labor to install are largely unknown (Wagner 2004).

Barley straw would most likely require an Order of Conditions from the Hopedale Conservation Commission before being applied. The use of barley straw also raises an issue in regards to permitting. Because of its algaecidal properties, barley straw is currently regarded as an unregistered herbicide by the United States Department of Environmental Protection. As such, it cannot be covered by a License to Apply Chemicals from DEP, and licensed herbicide applicators cannot apply it to a lake (Wagner 2004).

Because of its unreliability, the large size of Hopedale Pond which would require over 20,000 pounds of barley straw and the associated permitting issues, barley straw is not recommended for use in Hopedale Pond.

### **Plant Competition – Not recommended**

The presence of a healthy, native plant community can often suppress the spread of invasive aquatic species. A plant competition biocontrol technique seeks to supplement native species through seeding and planting disturbed or bare areas before they can be colonized by invasives.



The overall goal of the technique is to maximize spatial resource use by desirable species to keep out undesirable invasive species (Wagner 2004).

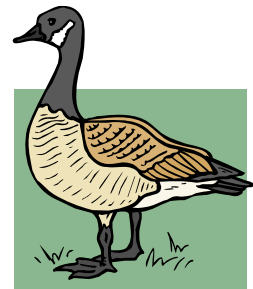
The advantages of this approach are that it uses natural processes to control aquatic invasives, may be self-perpetuating after an initial establishment period of several years and can be easily integrated with other approaches (Wagner 2004). It is likely to be most effective after elimination of an invasive plant community through an initial herbicide treatment or mechanical removal followed by native species plantings.

There are several challenges associated with the plant competition approach which makes its long-term effectiveness uncertain (Wagner 2004). Periodic natural disturbances within a plant community provide continual opportunities for recolonization by invasives, which would require ongoing effort with supplemental native plantings. The use of seeding or planting native vegetation is also still experimental and these native species may not become established quickly enough to prevent invasion by exotics.

An Order of Conditions would most likely be needed from the Hopedale Conservation Commission in order to implement a plant competition approach in Hopedale Pond. Costs of this approach will vary depending on the species and area being planted and are largely unknown. Though it might be useful as a trial approach to exotic plant management on a small scale, plant competition is not recommended for use in Hopedale Pond because it is still largely experimental and would most likely involve years of ongoing labor to supplement native plants.

#### **4.2.4 Canada Goose Management**

Canada goose populations in Massachusetts can be broken into two broad groups: migratory and resident. Migratory Canada goose populations are generally not considered to be a problem in Massachusetts, since they do not nest locally and experience significant hunting pressure across much of their migratory routes. However, resident Canada goose populations in the region have increased greatly over the last 50 years. Limited hunting pressure and available habitat allowed the resident goose flocks to grow to an estimated 38,000 geese statewide in 1997. Resident flocks of Canada goose have grown especially large in eastern Massachusetts, where local hunting-related ordinances and feeding by the public reduce pressures on goose populations.



Reports of the number of resident Canada goose at Hopedale Pond vary from year to year. However, ESS observed flocks as large as 44 birds using the pond and adjacent lawns during the summer and early fall of 2008. High densities of resident Canada goose may contribute to excess nutrient and bacteria loading at Hopedale Pond. Increased nutrient loading may trigger excessive aquatic plant growth or algae blooms while bacterial loading poses a direct public health issue for waders and swimmers. Additionally, geese may become aggressive toward children and even adults that approach too closely. In order to minimize these threats, management of the resident Canada goose population at Hopedale Pond is recommended.

#### **4.2.4.1 Canada Goose Management Options**

Management of the Canada goose population at Hopedale Pond is most likely to be successful if multiple active and passive options are simultaneously employed over the long term. Recommended actions include changing lawn care practices, maintaining fences or vegetated buffers around the pond shoreline, egg addling, limited hunting and expanded public education. Each of these actions is discussed in the following sections. Other actions, including chemical repellents, harassment and decoys are also evaluated.

##### **Modify Lawn Care Practices - Recommended**

By raising the height of the blade on lawnmowers, grazing by Canada goose populations can be reduced. Taller grass is less palatable to the geese and therefore less likely to attract grazing flocks. The adjustment of mowing practices could save homeowners and the Hopedale Parks Department both time and money by reducing the amount of fertilizer and water needed to maintain their lawns. Taller lawns also require less frequent mowing than shorter lawns.



The main obstacles to implementation of this option are the perceived reduction in aesthetic appeal of taller grass by some individuals and the reduced recreational value for sports or lawn games. However, in areas with Canada goose grazing activity and subsequent fecal contamination, these concerns probably represent an acceptable tradeoff.

##### **Install Fencing or Other Barriers - Recommended**

ESS has observed flocks of up to 35 Canada geese walking between grassy areas near the town boat ramp and Hopedale Pond. The installation of fencing or other landscaping barriers along the open shoreline will prevent Canada geese from walking onto lawns directly from the water. This measure is most effective during the summer molting period but should deter most geese from open lawn throughout the growing season. Fencing may be as simple as metal stakes strung with durable wire or nylon mesh. More aesthetically pleasing wooden post and rail fences would also work, as long as they extend the entire perimeter of the lawn/shoreline transition and the rails are low enough to prevent goose passage. These fences may also be strung with mesh on a seasonal basis, as necessary. In all cases, fencing should be at least 30 inches tall. Increasing the height of the fence up to 50 inches may incrementally improve deterrence. Recent projects by the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation also indicate that barrier benches (essentially a row of multiple benches) constitute both an effective goose deterrent and a public asset.

Shrubby vegetation is another very effective goose deterrent along shorelines. Canada geese tend to avoid walking through hedgerows because they are vulnerable to predator ambush when they do not have a clear view of the land around them. Even relatively low-growing (three feet in height) shrubs are likely to be effective. To maximize the effectiveness of this

measure, shrubs should be spaced close enough that, when full grown, foliage overlaps and covers the ends of adjacent fences. The planting of native or non-invasive exotic shrubs along the shoreline will help deter Canada geese from walking onto adjacent lawns.

According to the Town of Hopedale Parks Commission, additional vegetation has been allowed to grow along the shoreline in recent years. However, several segments of shoreline are still easily accessible to Canada geese, including substantial portions of the Town Beach. Fencing and vegetation can be used in tandem to create an effective, non-obtrusive and even aesthetically pleasing barrier to Canada geese along targeted portions of the Hopedale Pond shoreline. Specific areas that correspond to the proposed management actions are depicted in Figure 31.

The potential shortcomings of this option are related to aesthetic and economic concerns. Shrubs and fencing may partially block or otherwise interfere with desirable views of the pond from residences and public land. Additionally, low to moderate costs can be expected for the installation and maintenance of goose barriers.

#### **Expand Egg Addling - Recommended**

Egg addling is an active management measure that involves the shaking of Canada goose eggs to prevent them from hatching successfully. Other egg destruction methods include puncture or coating with 100% corn oil. Effective egg addling reduces Canada goose populations not only through the direct destruction of eggs but also by preventing geese from nesting again during the same season. This is because adults will often continue to incubate eggs after addling. An additional benefit is that adults without young are more easily repelled by other management actions. If pursued as a long-term strategy, egg addling can be very effective in reducing local Canada goose populations.



Canada geese are reproducing at Hopedale Pond. According to the Hopedale Parks Commission, a volunteer group addled eggs in at least six nests during the 2007 nesting season. However, this activity was not continued during the 2008 nesting season. ESS observed up to 30 goslings at one time in May 2008. It is recommended that egg addling continue to be pursued at known nesting sites in future years, as necessary.

Egg addling requires a permit from the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife (MassWildlife). However, the costs associated with a volunteer-run egg addling program are minimal.



### **Continue Controlled and Limited Hunting - Recommended**

Hunting is an active management method that can be directly effective in controlling the growth of resident Canada goose populations. Hunting controls resident Canada goose populations mainly by removing individuals from the flock.

Hunting of resident Canada geese at Hopedale Pond is currently allowed during State-approved special seasons, which vary in length but may be open on certain days between the month of September and late winter. Hunters must obtain all required federal and state permits and licenses, as well as a town permit, to be eligible for hunting at Hopedale Pond. Additionally, goose hunting on town parklands is limited to the area around the northern basin of the pond (north of the jetty).

The Town of Hopedale monitors the hunting take of Canada goose. According to the Hopedale Parks Commission, approximately 20 geese were harvested by registered members of the hunting group at Hopedale Pond in 2006. However, no individuals were harvested in 2007.

The drawbacks of hunting are mainly associated with public safety. However, good signage and carefully controlled hunting in the undeveloped portions of Hopedale Pond (i.e. the northern basin) minimize the risk to public safety. Given these considerations, the continuation of controlled and limited hunting is recommended.

### **Expand Public Education Programs - Recommended**

Education of the public remains a viable option for reducing the impacts of Canada goose populations on Hopedale Pond. In addition to reducing the problems associated with hand feeding Canada goose, public education will increase awareness of resident goose populations as a problem. This is an important step in solidifying public support of Canada goose management actions.

The Town of Hopedale has already placed signage at the Town Beach to inform visitors that feeding waterfowl is discouraged. Further public education programs should involve maintenance, replacement or addition of signage at the Town Beach. In addition, expansion of active community outreach should be undertaken via creation and distribution of informative brochures as well as partnership with local schools and community organizations.

### **Application of Chemical Repellents – Not Recommended**

Chemical repellents have a taste that Canada geese find disagreeable and may be spread on lawns to discourage geese from grazing. A commercially available and safe repellent, known by the trade name RiJeXiT<sup>®</sup>, is made from grapes and has been used with some success.

The main drawbacks of commercially available chemical repellents are that they are expensive (\$125 per acre) and require frequent reapplication in order to remain effective. Additionally, chemical repellents must be spread evenly over the area of concern. Otherwise,

Canada geese may find an under treated patch of grass that is palatable and continue grazing in that area. Except for very small patches of grass, the cost and effort of applying chemical repellents is not considered to be worthwhile. Therefore, this option is not recommended.

### **Harassment of Geese – Not Recommended**



Canada goose harassment is an active control option that involves scaring geese away from an area. In most cases, harassment involves loud noises, explosions or flashing lights. In and around residential shorelines (where the Hopedale Pond Canada goose problem is most apparent) these disturbances are, at best, undesirable and, at worst, dangerous. Furthermore, these options, which may require additional permits or specialized training, are typically either high-cost or labor intensive and must be pursued consistently over a long period of time to be effective.

In contrast to other active control measures, such as hunting or egg addling, goose harassment does not actually remove individual geese from the population. Rather, it simply prevents geese from using available habitat. Passive management options at Hopedale Pond would be able to achieve the same results, usually at a fraction of the cost or effort and without raising personal risk to local residents and users of the pond. Therefore, Canada goose harassment is not recommended as a viable management option at Hopedale Pond.

### **Deploy Animal Decoys – Not Recommended**

Decoys are used to frighten Canada geese and may take the form of Mylar helium balloons or flagging, scarecrows, plastic coyotes, or a number of other objects (generally they are either highly reflective or designed to mimic a predator). These are sometimes installed in grassy areas to deter geese from feeding nearby.

Although certain types of decoys appear to be more effective than others, almost all of them will have to be moved frequently to prevent resident geese from becoming acclimated to them. Additionally, all have a limited range and multiple decoys may be necessary to protect even small parcels of land. Given the moderate to high level of maintenance and the wide range in effectiveness, decoys are not recommended for Canada goose control at Hopedale Pond.

#### **4.2.4.2 Canada Goose Pilot Study**

In recognition of the need to monitor and evaluate nuisance species control programs, ESS has designed the following pilot study for implementation during the first year of the program.

According to ESS' observations during 2008, flocks of up to 44 Canada geese are most likely to graze and loaf at or near the town beach, especially during the breeding and molting seasons (May to July). This is the shoreline area where open lawn is most accessible to

Canada geese from the water. Additionally, this is the area most likely to accumulate goose feces. In 2008, the coverage of droppings approached 30 percent in June and July.

Consequently, it is recommended that target management areas (Figure 31) be surveyed for individuals as well as sign (i.e., fecal matter). If egg addling is chosen as a management strategy, it will be necessary to locate Canada goose nests. This may be accomplished by careful visual observation of geese during the nesting season. Female geese take occasional recesses from incubation of their clutch and may be briefly joined by males prior to returning to the nest. This behavior should permit the location of most nests and access to the eggs for addling. Additional canvassing of the shoreline (including islands) may be necessary to ensure complete coverage of existing nests. Assuming an average clutch size between five and six eggs, there are likely to be at least five nesting sites on the periphery of Hopedale Pond. When encountered, nest locations should be marked on a map and/or located with a GPS and the clutch size should be noted. Canada goose often returns to previously used nest sites and this behavior may prove useful for quickly locating nests in subsequent years.

During the breeding season (April to June), surveys should be conducted at all transects on a monthly or semi-monthly basis. Survey transects may be surveyed quarterly outside of the breeding season. One survey transect is proposed for the target management areas (and adjacent areas) along the southern shoreline of the pond. A second transect could be surveyed in the vicinity of the Rustic Bridge or on the western periphery of the north end of the pond, in order to account for geese using other portions of the pond. Effort for each survey should be similar (1.0 hour for each transect, for example). Data collected should include total number of geese, with adults and goslings recorded separately. Location data is also important to record. Of particular significance is whether the observed geese are inside the management area (e.g., within the goose barriers) or outside (e.g., on the boat ramp, in the water). A map of the pond and adjacent areas may be included in order to facilitate notation of these observations. Goose behavioral observations should also be recorded and the presence of any nests should be noted and addressed through the egg addling program. Additionally, notes should be kept on the presence of other waterfowl, including mute swans, which were observed on the pond in low numbers (two to three at a time) in 2008. Mute swans can be very aggressive toward other waterfowl and even humans and should be monitored to prevent the establishment of nuisance populations.

Canada geese frequently feed in the lawn area behind the bath house and both north and south of the parking lot. These areas are subject to moderate to high levels of fecal contamination and present a potential health risk for people coming into direct contact with fecal matter. However, goose fecal matter accumulations in these areas are unlikely to contribute to significant water quality degradation in the pond. Water quality degradation due to goose defecation is more of an issue at the shoreline and in the unvegetated areas near the boat ramp, where nutrients and pathogens can more directly enter the pond. Therefore, a stratified random sampling approach is recommended for this area.



Five randomly selected 0.25 m<sup>2</sup> quadrats within each of two strata would be monitored for goose feces during each survey. One stratum would consist of the managed areas, which would include the grassy lawns on either side of the boat ramp and, if cooperation can be obtained from the owner, the grassy parcel abutting the western end of the dam. The second stratum would consist of the unmanaged or open access areas, including the immediate shoreline, boat ramp and parking area near the bath house. Data collected would include estimated number of droppings as well as percent cover of droppings per unit area.

Quantitative data from the transect surveys and fecal matter quadrats can be explicitly used to evaluate success of the reduced mowing and goose barrier management options. Egg addling and hunting records can be used to help interpret these data. Additionally, qualitative observations can be used to identify any problems that may arise and address these through changes to the management plan.







## **5.0 SUMMARY OF MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS**

The most critical management action identified through this study is the need to address water quality issues, particularly the extremely high levels of *E. coli* bacteria observed at the Dutcher Street storm drain outfall. To adequately address this there remains a need to perform additional study, but actions can and should be initiated immediately as this does pose a risk to human health due to the proximity of the outfall to the public beach which, despite the town's current policy of keeping the beach closed, still remains a reasonably well visited recreational site for some local residents.

To address the water quality at the Dutcher Street outfall, ESS recommends:

1. Sampling the drain during dry weather flows to determine whether the system is being impacted by human sewage or by wildlife sources of bacteria. Dry weather flows were where the highest bacteria were recorded during the study. By sampling the dry weather flows using techniques such as DNA Ribotyping or performing analyses on the water for caffeine, testosterone or optical brighteners a better understanding of the source/s of contamination can be made which will then lead to methods for further evaluation or determining the correct method for addressing the situation. Additional sampling has been approved by the town and ESS is already working to assess this outfall for caffeine and optical brighteners at a cost of about \$4,000.
2. If either caffeine or optical brighteners are found, then a human source of contamination is likely to be present. If neither of these is found, it is likely that wildlife such as bats or other mammals have contaminated the drain by taking residence in the system's infrastructure. If human sources are suspected, the system should be investigated using a remote camera to detect illicit hook-ups to the storm drain system at an estimated cost of \$10,000. If wildlife are suspected, the solutions could vary from simply closing off the storm drain system by placing a grate on the outlet to more extensive techniques such as wildlife trapping and relocation depending on the type or types of animals present. It is possible that the wildlife may never be completely excluded from the system.
3. Given the possibility that the sources of contamination will take time to locate and may not be easily resolved; ESS is recommending that the town seek to address the issue by mitigating the source of contamination through the creation of a wetland treatment system. Such a system would direct the Dutcher outfall flows to the south through a narrow wetland channel created along the pond shoreline. This approach would reduce the potential for contaminated water to circulate in the vicinity of the town beach and would also expose the flows from the outfall to ultraviolet light, which breaks down bacteria and the associated pathogens, before the discharge can flow into the pond. The town has already asked ESS to produce a conceptual design of this wetland system and may seek to fund the project through a Section 319 Non-Point Source Pollution grant from MassDEP in 2009 or 2010. The cost for designing, permitting, and constructing such a system is likely to be on the order of \$60,000 to \$75,000, however, it may be possible to save substantial cost if work can be performed by the town's DPW.

To address other water quality issues in the watershed ESS recommends:



1. Implement an education program focused on teaching watershed residents, particularly those living close to Hopedale Pond and the other ponds in its watershed, about the benefits of proper yard care (fertilization being a key focus), pet waste management, and other small behavioral changes they can adopt to make improvements in the pond's water quality. A typical program focusing on the development of a watershed specific brochure can be performed for less than \$5,000. Education materials can be used in the public school if presented properly with appropriate age-based messages. Some towns we have worked with have opted to distribute brochures with town water or sewer bills for very little additional cost.
2. More direct improvements in water quality can be achieved through improvements made to the watershed's storm water infrastructure. Improved detention and infiltration facilities would greatly reduce the phosphorus reaching the pond and would also be able to significantly reduce bacterial contamination as well. Many systems in the watershed were designed to remove water from roadways; however, the infrastructure could be upgraded by incorporating infiltrating chambers to the outflows or other features such as grassed swales, rain gardens, detention ponds, etc. The cost for each of these varies (ranging from simple grass swales for less than \$5,000 to larger detention basins and created wetland systems on the order of \$40,000), but a comprehensive watershed wide program can be implemented over time thereby allowing for maximum use of state grant programs such as the 319 NPS Pollution grant program run by MassDEP that is specifically designed for implementing such programs.
3. Goose management will also be essential toward removing bacteria and nutrients from Hopedale Pond. Education will be a primary means for accomplishing the goal of reducing the resident goose population. Educational efforts can be combined with item 1 above to maximize its effect. Goose management may also include implementation of a basin-wide addling program, continued controlled hunting, and construction of physical barriers to geese such as barrier fences or vegetative barriers along key sections of the pond's perimeter. Educational costs can vary widely depending upon the level of implementation, but a budget of \$5,000 to \$10,000 should be anticipated. Addling and hunting program costs can also vary widely, but if performed by local volunteers the costs could be minimal, yet effective. Finally, the cost of designing, permitting, and constructing vegetative or barrier fencing is likely to be on the order of \$3.00 per linear foot (all inclusive), but could be as much as \$10.00 per foot depending upon the type of barrier to be developed. If homeowner education is successful, the direct costs to the town could be zero for private shorelines; however, since much of the pond's shoreline is town owned, the town does have an obligation of their own. Once again, the MassDEP 319 NPS Pollution grant program could be used to fund a portion of the costs for a comprehensive project to create barrier fences and/or vegetative barriers.

In addition to making improvements in the pond's water quality, the pond will also require management action to address the rooted plant problem in order to truly restore Hopedale Pond. Based on our findings in this study and on the previously reported management efforts in this regard, ESS is recommending the following actions be taken:

1. Herbicides are likely to be the most effective option available for managing the nuisance weeds at Hopedale Pond. Presently, the milfoil only occupies about 10 acres of the pond bottom. Treatment

should focus on the larger milfoil beds using the contact herbicide diquat (trade name Reward). An NOI will need to be filed with the conservation commission (estimated cost between \$2,000 and \$3,500) once every three years with this report should serving as the basis for that filing. Treatment with diquat is likely to be on the order of up to \$8,000 per year, although treatment costs could be reduced to nearly half this value if performed annually. If treatments with diquat are neglected or go unfunded for more than 2 years, treatment with other herbicides such as fluidone (trade name Sonar) will be necessary at a cost of about \$25,000 to \$30,000 per treatment. Herbicide treatment is only a method of controlling the weed problem as it does not solve the cause of the issue entirely.

2. Benthic barriers can be used on a localized basis if herbicide use is not welcome or in critical areas that must remain weed free. Barrier material could be placed at the town beach for an estimated cost of between \$10,000 and \$20,000 depending upon the area to be managed. Although permits would be required, very little long-term environmental impact can be expected from such a management approach. This approach also does not address the weed issue on a basin wide basis nor does it address the cause of the weed problem.
3. Dredging does address the primary cause of the rooted weed problem by removing the accumulated sediment, particularly if the dredging can be performed to restore the depth of the pond to a level that would prevent penetration of light from the surface to the bottom, thereby excluding the possibility of future plant growth. Costs for dredging can be unmanageable for some towns, although there are several options available regarding how a project is carried out that can spread costs over a period of years. Total dredging of the lower basin of the pond would be most desirable and could be performed with the least environmental impact. This approach would cost on the order of between \$2,500,000 and \$4,000,000. The next step in this effort is recommended, which is advanced efforts to find a source of funding or a project alternative that can be funded depending upon the funds that can reasonably be made available. Additional sediment analysis would be required to be performed under the guidance of a state-approved sediment sampling plan, and then a project conceptual design could be developed and submitted with an ENF for MEPA review. Total cost to advance a dredging project to the point of MEPA review would be between \$50,000 and \$60,000, at which point the project could be considered "shovel ready" but would still require final engineering design and permitting by the USACE (404 permit), the state (401 Water Quality Certificate), and conservation commission (NOI filing).

In order to restore Hopedale Pond in a manner that is comprehensive and will be long-lasting the cost will be significant. However, with proper planning and by being ready to take advantage of funding opportunities as they arise, it can be done in a reasonable amount of time. Initial actions to rectify high priority issues such as the Dutcher Street outfall can and should be implemented immediately. While funding for a dredging project is being sought, the town should continue to be diligent with regard to water quality and plant management efforts annually while also trying to advance the dredge project concept by moving forward with conceptual design and initial permitting efforts.

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## **7.0 GLOSSARY**

**Abiotic:** A term that refers to the nonliving components of an ecosystem (e.g., sunlight, physical and chemical characteristics).

**Algae:** Typically microscopic plants that may occur as single-celled organisms, colonies or filaments.

**Anoxic:** Greatly deficient in oxygen.

**Aquifer:** A water-bearing layer of rock (including gravel and sand) that will yield water in usable quantity to a well or spring.

**Aquatic plants:** A term used to describe a broad group of plants typically found growing in water bodies. The term may generally refer to both algae and macrophytes, but is commonly used synonymously with the term macrophyte.

**Bacteria:** Typically single celled microorganisms that have no chlorophyll, multiply by simple division, and occur in various forms. Some bacteria may cause disease, but many do not and are necessary for fermentation, nitrogen fixation, and decomposition of organic matter.

**Bathymetric Map:** A map illustrating the bottom contours (topography) and depth of a lake or pond.

**Best Management Practices (BMPs):** Any of a number of practices or treatment devices that reduce pollution in runoff via runoff treatment or source control.

**Biomass:** A term that refers to the weight of biological matter. Standing crop is the amount of biomass (e.g., fish or algae) in a body of water at a given time. Biomass is often measured in grams per square meter of surface.

**Biota:** All living organisms in a given area.

**Cultural Eutrophication:** The acceleration of the natural eutrophication process caused by human activities, occurring over decades as opposed to thousands of years.

***E. coli* Bacteria:** Found naturally in the intestinal tracts of warm blooded animals, high levels of this bacteria in water or sludge is an indicator of pollution and possible contamination by pathogens.

**Ecosystem:** An interactive community of living organisms, together with the physical and chemical environment they inhabit.

**Endangered/Threatened Species:** An animal or plant species that is in danger of extinction that is recognized and protected by state or federal agencies.

**Erosion:** A process of breakdown and movement of land surface that is often intensified by human disturbances.

**Eutrophic:** A trophic state (degree of eutrophication) in which a lake or pond is nutrient rich and sustains high levels of biological productivity. Dense macrophyte growth, fast sediment accumulation,



frequent algae blooms, poor water transparency and periodic oxygen depletion in the hypolimnion are common characteristics of eutrophic lakes and ponds.

**Eutrophication:** The process, or set of processes, driven by nutrient, organic matter, and sediment addition to a pond that leads to increased biological production and decreased volume. The process occurs naturally in all lakes and ponds over thousands of years.

**Exotic Species:** Species of plants or animals that occur outside of their normal, indigenous ranges and environments. Populations of exotic species may expand rapidly and displace native populations if natural predators are absent or if conditions are more favorable for the exotics growth than for native species.

**Filamentous:** A term used to refer to a type of algae that forms long filaments composed of individual cells.

**Groundwater:** Water found beneath the soil surface and saturating the layer at which it is located.

**Habitat:** The natural dwelling place of an animal or plant; the type of environment where a particular species is likely to be found.

**Herbicide:** Any of a class of compounds that produce mortality in plants when applied in sufficient concentrations.

**Infiltration Structures:** Any of a number of structures used to treat runoff quality or control runoff quantity by infiltrating runoff into the ground. Includes infiltration trenches, dry wells, infiltration basins, and leaching catch basins.

**Invasive:** Spreading aggressively from the original site of planting.

**Isopach Map:** A map illustrating the depth of sediments within a lake or pond.

**Limnology:** The study of lakes.

**Littoral Zone:** The shallow, highly productive area along the shoreline of a lake or pond where rooted aquatic plants grow.

**Macroinvertebrates:** Aquatic insects, worms, clams, snails and other animals visible without aid of a microscope that may be associated with or live on substrates such as sediments and macrophytes. They supply a major portion of fish diets and consume detritus and algae.

**Macrophytes:** Macroscopic vascular plants present in the littoral zone of lakes and ponds.

**Morphometry:** A term that refers to the depth contours and dimensions (topographic features) of a lake or pond.

**Nonpoint Source:** A source of pollutants to the environment that does not come from a confined, definable source such as a pipe. Common examples of non-point source pollution include urban runoff, septic system leachate, and runoff from agricultural fields.

**Nutrient Limitation:** The limitation of growth imposed by the depletion of an essential nutrient.

**Nutrients:** Elements or chemicals required to sustain life, including carbon, oxygen, nitrogen and phosphorus.

**pH:** An index derived from the inverse log of the hydrogen ion concentration that ranges from zero to 14 indicating the relative acidity or alkalinity of a liquid.

**Photosynthesis:** The process by which plants use chlorophyll to convert carbon dioxide, water and sunlight to oxygen and cellular products (carbohydrates).

**Phytoplankton:** Algae that float or are freely suspended in the water.

**Pollutants:** Elements and compounds occurring naturally or man-made introduced into the environment at levels in excess of the concentration of chemicals naturally occurring.

**Secchi disk:** A black and white or all white 20 cm disk attached to a cord used to measure water transparency. The disk is lowered into the water until it is no longer visible (Secchi depth). Secchi depth is generally proportional to the depth of light penetration sufficient to sustain algae growth.

**Seepage meter:** A device used to measure the groundwater volume entering a lake, pond or stream over time.

**Sediment:** Topsoil, sand, and minerals washed from the land into water, usually after rain or snowmelt.

**Septic system:** An individual wastewater treatment system that includes a septic tank for removing solids, and a leachfield for discharging the clarified wastewater to the ground.

**Septic System Leachate:** The clarified wastewater discharged into the ground from a septic system.

**Siltation:** The process in which inorganic silt settles and accumulates at the bottom of a lake or pond.

**Stormwater Runoff:** Runoff generated as a result of precipitation or snowmelt.

**Temperature Profile:** A series of temperature measurements collected at incremental water depths from surface to bottom at a given location.

**Thermal Stratification:** The process by which a lake or pond forms several distinct thermal layers. The layers include a warmer well-mixed upper layer (epilimnion), a cooler, poorly mixed layer at the bottom (hypolimnion), and a middle layer (metalimnion) that separates the two.

**Thermocline:** A term that refers to the plane of greatest temperature change within the metalimnion. Often used interchangeably with metalimnion.

**TKN:** Total Kjeldahl nitrogen, essentially the sum of ammonia nitrogen and organic forms of nitrogen.

**TSS:** Total suspended solids, a direct measure of all suspended solid materials in the water.

**Turbidity:** A measure of the light scattering properties of water; often used more generally to describe water clarity or the relative presence or absence of suspended materials in the water.

**Vegetated Buffer:** An undisturbed vegetated land area that separates an area of human activity from the adjacent water body; can be effective in reducing runoff velocities and volumes and the removal of sediment and pollutant from runoff.

**Water Column:** Water in a lake or pond between the interface with the atmosphere at the surface and the interface with the sediment at the bottom.

**Water Quality:** A term used to reference the general chemical and physical properties of water relative to the requirements of living organisms that depend upon that water.

**Watershed:** The surrounding land area that drains into a water body via surface runoff or groundwater recharge and discharge.

**Zooplankton:** Microscopic animals that float or are freely suspended in the water.



## Tables

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**Table 1. Current and Recent Historical Land Use in the Hopedale Pond Watershed**

| <b>Land Use</b>                      | <b>Area in 1971<br/>(Acres)</b> | <b>Area in 1999<br/>(Acres)</b> | <b>Net Change 1971 to 1999<br/>(Acres)</b> | <b>Area in 1971<br/>(%of Total<br/>Watershed Area)</b> | <b>Area in 1999<br/>(%of Total<br/>Watershed Area)</b> | <b>Net Change 1971 to 1999<br/>(As % of 1971 Area)</b> |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Cropland                             | 121.3                           | 107.6                           | -13.7                                      | 1.9  | 1.7  | -11.3  |
| Pasture                              | 4.1                             | 10.8                            | 6.8  | 0.1  | 0.2  | 165.8  |
| Forest                               | 4568.3                          | 3584.0                          | -984.3                                     | 72.7   | 57.0   | -21.5  |
| Wetland                              | 133.2                           | 133.2                           | 0.0  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 0.0  |
| Mining                               | 3.7                             |                                 | -3.7                                       | 0.1  | 0.0  | -100.0   |
| Open Land                            | 129.5                           | 28.5                            | -101.0                                     | 2.1  | 0.5  | -78.0  |
| Participation<br>Recreation          | 46.8                            | 5.3                             | -41.5                                      | 0.7  | 0.1  | -88.6  |
| Residential<br>(Multi-family)        | 0.0                             | 52.3                            | 52.3                                       | 0.0  | 0.8  | NA   |
| Residential<br>(High Density)        | 2.9                             | 41.4                            | 38.4                                       | 0.0  | 0.7  | 1303.5   |
| Residential<br>(Medium Density)      | 537.9                           | 723.0                           | 185.1                                      | 8.6  | 11.5   | 34.4   |
| Residential<br>(Low Density)         | 238.2                           | 901.3                           | 663.1                                      | 3.8  | 14.3   | 278.4  |
| Commercial                           | 36.7                            | 86.2                            | 49.5                                       | 0.6  | 1.4  | 134.7  |
| Industrial                           | 0.4                             | 98.1                            | 97.7                                       | 0.0  | 1.6  | 25624.5  |
| Urban Open                           | 37.5                            | 4.5                             | -33.0                                      | 0.6  | 0.1  | -88.1  |
| Transportation                       | 45.5                            | 45.5                            | 0.0  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.0  |
| Water                                | 374.8                           | 374.8                           | 0.0  | 6.0  | 6.0  | 0.0  |
| Woody Perennial                      | 3.5                             | 72.0                            | 68.5                                       | 0.1  | 1.1  | 1980.2   |
| Urban public (part<br>of Urban Open) |                                 | 8.4                             | 8.4  | NA   | 0.1  | NA   |
| Orchard (part of<br>Woody Perennial) |                                 | 7.4                             | 7.4  | NA   | 0.1  | NA   |
| <b>Total Area (Acres)</b>            | <b>6284.1</b>                   |                                 |  |  |  |  |

**Table 2. Dissolved Oxygen Profile at Site 1, Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009**

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Depth<br/>(meters)</b> | <b>Dissolved Oxygen<br/>(mg/L)</b> | <b>Dissolved Oxygen<br/>(% saturation)</b> | <b>Temperature<br/>(°C)</b> |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| 5/29/08     | 0.0                       | 8.1                                | 92.1                                       | 22.4                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 8.2                                | 93.6                                       | 21.8                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 8.6                                | 96.0                                       | 21.0                        |
|             | 1.5                       | 8.5                                | 94.5                                       | 20.5                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 8.1                                | 89.3                                       | 19.8                        |
|             | 2.5                       | 8.3                                | 88.0                                       | 17.8                        |
| 6/27/08     | 0.0                       | 7.7                                | 92.0                                       | 24.2                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 7.4                                | 88.2                                       | 24.0                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 7.2                                | 85.8                                       | 24.0                        |
|             | 1.5                       | 4.8                                | 55.7                                       | 23.9                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 0.9                                | 8.8  | 22.8                        |
|             | 2.5                       | 0.3                                | 3.6  | 20.2                        |
| 7/17/08     | 0.0                       | 7.0                                | 88.7                                       | 27.6                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 6.5                                | 84.4                                       | 27.5                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 6.8                                | 85.2                                       | 27.3                        |
|             | 1.5                       | 6.8                                | 85.3                                       | 27.1                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 3.4                                | 41.7                                       | 25.8                        |
|             | 2.5                       | 1.4                                | 14.1                                       | 25.4                        |
| 8/29/08     | 0.0                       | 7.4                                | 84   | 24.2                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 6.8                                | 79.6                                       | 23.7                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 6.4                                | 74.0                                       | 22.2                        |
|             | 1.5                       | 5.7                                | 64.8                                       | 21.5                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 5.5                                | 61.0                                       | 21.4                        |
|             | 2.5                       | 5.3                                | 59.8                                       | 21.3                        |
| 9/18/08     | 0.0                       | 6.06                               | 67.2                                       | 21.6                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 5.8                                | 64.6                                       | 22.0                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 5.6                                | 62.7                                       | 22.0                        |
|             | 2.5                       | 4.0                                | 42.6                                       | 19.7                        |
| 10/9/08     | 0.0                       | 8.02                               | 80   | 15.5                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 8.0                                | 78.7                                       | 14.0                        |
|             | 1.0                       | 7.6                                | 73.0                                       | 13.3                        |
|             | 1.5                       | 7.0                                | 64.9                                       | 12.5                        |
|             | 2.0                       | 7.7                                | 69.8                                       | 12.1                        |
| 11/12/08    | 0.0                       | 8.6                                | 76.0                                       | 10.0                        |
|             | 0.5                       | 8.4                                | 74.0                                       | 9.9                         |
|             | 1.0                       | 8.2                                | 71.6                                       | 9.4                         |
|             | 1.5                       | 7.6                                | 65.5                                       | 9.3                         |
|             | 2.0                       | 8.0                                | 69.8                                       | 9.1                         |
| 1/19/09     | 0.0                       | 11.65                              | 79.0                                       | 0.0                         |
|             | 0.5                       | 9.49                               | 65.5                                       | 0.1                         |
|             | 1.0                       | 9.81                               | 69.7                                       | 0.2                         |
|             | 1.5                       | 9.60                               | 68.0                                       | 0.7                         |
|             | 2.0                       | 8.17                               | 62.1                                       | 2.6                         |
|             | 2.5                       | 4.85                               | 38.0                                       | 3.9                         |



Table 3. In-pond Dry Weather Water Quality Data for Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009

| Sample Location          | Station ID | Date       | Time  | Color (PCU) | Turbidity (NTU) | pH SU | Conductivity (µS/cm) | Temperature (°C) | Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L) | Dissolved Oxygen (% Saturation) | Total Suspended Solids (mg/L) | Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Nitrite-N (mg/L) | Nitrite+Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (mg/L) |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|-------|-------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Southern Basin - Surface | Site 1S    | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 2           | NC              | 6.7   | 529                  | 22.4             | 8.10                    | 82.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.0536           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.498                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 6/27/2008  | 8:38  | 6           | 3.7             | 7.4   | 552                  | 24.2             | 7.71                    | 92.0                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.05                     | 0.650                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 7/17/2008  | 10:30 | 10          | 1.1             | 7.2   | 606                  | 27.6             | 7.03                    | 88.7                            | 2.00                          | 0.0374           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.559                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | 1.9             | 6.7   | 480                  | 24.2             | 7.40                    | 84.0                            | NC                            | 0.3370           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.489                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 9/18/2008  | 12:03 | 0           | 1.6             | 6.5   | 464                  | 21.6             | 6.06                    | 67.2                            | 2.00                          | 0.2200           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.398                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 10/9/2008  | 11:12 | 0           | 0.2             | 6.6   | 541                  | 15.5             | 8.02                    | 80.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.1000           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.534                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 11/12/2008 | 11:45 | 2           | 0.7             | 6.6   | 550                  | 10.0             | 8.60                    | 76.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.0400           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.475                          |
|                          | Site 1S    | 1/19/2009  | 8:30  | NC          | 0.1             | 7.5   | 213                  | 0.0              | 11.65                   | 79.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.3080           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.655                          |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 3           | 1.3             | 6.9   | 492                  | 18.2             | 8.07                    | 81.1                            | 2.07                          | 0.1566           | 0.009            | 0.05                     | 0.532                          |
| Southern Basin - Bottom  | Site 1B    | 5/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | NC              | 6.7   | 526                  | 17.8             | 8.30                    | 88.0                            | NS                            | 0.0520           | 0.029            | NS                       | 0.487                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 6/27/2008  | 9:01  | NC          | 3.1             | 7.3   | 580                  | 20.2             | 0.32                    | 3.6                             | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.05                     | 0.250                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 7/17/2008  | 10:45 | 5           | 1.0             | 7.3   | 602                  | 25.4             | 1.42                    | 14.1                            | 2.00                          | 0.0323           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.519                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | NC              | 6.7   | NC                   | 21.3             | 5.29                    | 59.8                            | NC                            | 0.2800           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.587                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 9/18/2008  | 12:30 | NC          | 2.6             | 6.5   | 460                  | 22.1             | 4.00                    | 42.6                            | 2.00                          | 0.0400           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.398                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 10/9/2008  | 11:43 | 1           | 1.0             | 6.5   | 532                  | 12.1             | 7.66                    | 69.8                            | 2.00                          | 0.1510           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.523                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 11/12/2008 | 12:10 | 0           | 0.3             | 6.7   | 552                  | 9.8              | 7.92                    | 75.1                            | 2.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.451                          |
|                          | Site 1B    | 1/19/2009  | 9:00  | NC          | NC              | 7.5   | 665                  | 1.3              | 4.85                    | 38.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.5820           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.481                          |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 2           | 1.6             | 6.9   | 560                  | 16.3             | 4.97                    | 48.9                            | 2.08                          | 0.1646           | 0.011            | 0.05                     | 0.462                          |
| Northern Basin - Surface | Site 2     | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 0           | NC              | 6.5   | 523                  | 20.8             | 8.30                    | 93.0                            | 7.00                          | 0.0552           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.531                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 6/27/2008  | 9:53  | 5           | 2.7             | 7.0   | 576                  | 23.6             | 6.34                    | 73.1                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.05                     | 0.540                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 7/17/2008  | 11:20 | 7           | 0.9             | 7.3   | 751                  | 28.9             | 8.75                    | 114.3                           | 2.00                          | 0.0447           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.606                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | 0.7             | 7.1   | 500                  | 21.3             | 5.39                    | 59.9                            | NC                            | 0.1590           | 0.046            | NS                       | 0.429                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 9/18/2008  | 11:18 | 10          | 0.7             | 6.3   | 564                  | 19.3             | 5.68                    | 62.1                            | 2.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.353                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 10/9/2008  | 12:17 | 1           | 0.0             | 6.5   | 640                  | 15.6             | 3.68                    | 86.7                            | 2.00                          | 0.0383           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.362                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 11/12/2008 | 11:13 | 0           | 2.1             | 6.9   | 517                  | 7.0              | 9.86                    | 81.6                            | 2.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.516                          |
|                          | Site 2     | 1/19/2009  | 3:00  | NC          | 0.1             | 7.6   | 187                  | 0.2              | 10.86                   | 74.8                            | 2.00                          | 0.3030           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.459                          |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 4           | 1.0             | 6.9   | 532                  | 17.1             | 7.36                    | 80.7                            | 2.79                          | 0.0900           | 0.014            | 0.05                     | 0.475                          |

Analyte was not detectable: value represents half of the reported detection limit

NS=Analyte was not sampled

NC=Data not collected

\* Arithmetic mean calculated for each parameter with the exception of *E. coli*, where the geometric mean was calculated.

Table 3. In-pond Dry Weather Water Quality Da

| Sample Location          | Station ID | Date       | Time  | Ammonia-N (mg/L) | Total Nitrogen (mg/L) | Total Phosphorus (mg/L) | Dissolved Phosphorus (mg/L) | <i>E. coli</i> (col/100ml) | Chlorophyll a (mg/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Secchi Disk (m) | Total Iron (mg/L) |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|-------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Southern Basin - Surface | Site 1S    | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.563                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 10                         | 3.0                                | 1.9             | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 6/27/2008  | 8:38  | 0.200            | 0.700                 | 0.020                   | 0.005                       | 56                         | 4.9                                | 2.5             | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 7/17/2008  | 10:30 | 0.065            | 0.607                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 10                         | 3.7                                | 2.75            | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 8/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.837                 | 0.015                   | 0.017                       | 5                          | 2.8                                | 1.25            | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 9/18/2008  | 12:03 | 0.065            | 0.622                 | 0.012                   | 0.010                       | 100                        | NC                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 10/9/2008  | 11:12 | 0.065            | 0.645                 | 0.016                   | 0.012                       | 5                          | 0.3                                | 1.75            | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 11/12/2008 | 11:45 | 0.065            | 0.519                 | 0.019                   | 0.014                       | 5                          | 0.3                                | 1.50            | NS                |
|                          | Site 1S    | 1/19/2009  | 8:30  | 0.208            | 0.974                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 0.3                                | 1.75            | NS                |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 0.100            | 0.683                 | 0.012                   | 0.009                       | 12                         | 2.2                                | 1.91            | NA                |
| Southern Basin - Bottom  | Site 1B    | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.568                 | 0.010                   | 0.005                       | NS                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.21              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 6/27/2008  | 9:01  | 0.200            | 0.300                 | 0.012                   | 0.016                       | 64                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.64              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 7/17/2008  | 10:45 | 0.156            | 0.562                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | NS                                 | NC              | 1.13              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 8/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.878                 | 0.021                   | 0.016                       | NS                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.51              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 9/18/2008  | 12:30 | 0.065            | 0.442                 | 0.038                   | 0.016                       | NS                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.63              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 10/9/2008  | 11:43 | 0.065            | 0.685                 | 0.018                   | 0.015                       | 30                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.39              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 11/12/2008 | 12:10 | 0.065            | 0.470                 | 0.020                   | 0.016                       | 50                         | NS                                 | NC              | 0.40              |
|                          | Site 1B    | 1/19/2009  | 9:00  | 0.225            | 1.074                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | NS                                 | NC              | 0.78              |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 0.113            | 0.622                 | 0.016                   | 0.012                       | 19                         | NA                                 | NA              | 0.58              |
| Northern Basin - Surface | Site 2     | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.597                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 2.9                                | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 6/27/2008  | 9:53  | 0.200            | 0.590                 | 0.020                   | 0.005                       | 1                          | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 7/17/2008  | 11:20 | 0.065            | 0.662                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 30                         | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | 0.065            | 0.634                 | 0.038                   | 0.015                       | 5                          | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 9/18/2008  | 11:18 | 0.143            | 0.372                 | 0.019                   | 0.014                       | 30                         | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 10/9/2008  | 12:17 | 0.065            | 0.411                 | 0.019                   | 0.016                       | 50                         | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 11/12/2008 | 11:13 | 0.065            | 0.535                 | 0.016                   | 0.014                       | 40                         | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Site 2     | 1/19/2009  | 3:00  | 0.247            | 0.773                 | 0.010                   | 0.005                       | NS                         | NS                                 | NC              | NS                |
|                          | Mean*      |            |       | 0.114            | 0.572                 | 0.017                   | 0.010                       | 12                         | 2.9                                | NA              | NA                |

Analyte was not detectable: valu

NS=Analyte was not sampled

NC=Data not collected

\* Arithmetic mean calculated for each parameter with 1

Table 4. Tributary Dry Weather Water Quality Data for Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009

| Sample Location                 | Station ID | Date       | Time  | Color (PCU) | Turbidity (NTU) | pH (SU) | Conductivity (µS/cm) | Temperature (°C) | Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L) | Dissolved Oxygen (% Saturation) | Total Suspended Solids (mg/L) | Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Nitrite-N (mg/L) | Nitrite+Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (mg/L) | Ammonia-N (mg/L) | Total Nitrogen (mg/L) | Total Phosphorus (mg/L) | Dissolved Phosphorus (mg/L) | <i>E. coli</i> (col/100mL) | Total Discharge (cfs) |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|-------|-------------|-----------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Outfall South of Town Beach     | Site 4     | 5/29/2008  | NC    | 2           | NC              | 6.7     | 954                  | 14.5             | 8.60                    | 84.1                            | 2.00                          | 2.7400           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.482                          | 0.065            | 3.233                 | 0.050                   | 0.030                       | 4000                       | 0.04                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 6/27/2008  | 10:50 | NC          | 4.9             | 6.9     | 1026                 | 15.8             | 9.59                    | 97.9                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 3.3                      | 2.000                          | 0.925            | 5.300                 | 0.277                   | 0.244                       | >20000                     | 0.15                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 7/17/2008  | 12:30 | 3           | 0.7             | 5.2     | 1142                 | 19.9             | 7.38                    | 97.5                            | 2.00                          | 2.4600           | 0.073            | NS                       | 2.730                          | 1.890            | 5.263                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 255                        | 0.08                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | 0.6             | 7.2     | 820                  | 17.7             | 8.05                    | 84.5                            | 2.00                          | 2.9700           | 0.042            | NS                       | 0.489                          | 0.296            | 3.501                 | 0.170                   | 0.100                       | 14000                      | 1.00                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 9/18/2008  | 9:54  | 4           | 0.7             | 6.8     | 850                  | 18.0             | 8.34                    | 93.5                            | 2.00                          | 2.5000           | 0.026            | NS                       | 0.670                          | 0.317            | 3.196                 | 0.110                   | 0.100                       | 4000                       | 1.02                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 10/9/2008  | 10:38 | 0           | 0.3             | 6.8     | 808                  | 16.6             | 8.50                    | 88.5                            | 2.00                          | 2.5300           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.356                          | 0.065            | 2.897                 | 0.055                   | 0.028                       | 40                         | 0.95                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 11/12/2008 | 10:13 | 2           | NC              | 6.6     | 790                  | 12.9             | 9.20                    | 87.7                            | 2.00                          | 2.1000           | 0.021            | NS                       | 0.398                          | 0.168            | 2.519                 | 0.049                   | 0.039                       | 5                          | 0.50                  |
|                                 | Site 4     | 1/19/2009  | 9:15  | 5           | 1.4             | 7.9     | 1006                 | 7.3              | 8.30                    | 65.0                            | 2.00                          | 2.7300           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.465                          | 0.230            | 3.206                 | 0.031                   | 0.018                       | 5                          | 1.00                  |
|                                 | Mean*      |            |       | 3           | 1.4             | 6.8     | 925                  | 15.3             | 8.50                    | 87.3                            | 2.06                          | 2.5757           | 0.028            | 3.3                      | 0.949                          | 0.495            | 3.639                 | 0.093                   | 0.071                       | 429                        | 0.59                  |
| Mill River at Route 140         | Site 5     | 5/29/2008  | 12:00 | 3           | NC              | 6.3     | 621                  | 19.1             | 7.34                    | 80.4                            | 2.00                          | 0.0421           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.466                          | 0.065            | 0.519                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 3.43                  |
|                                 | Site 5     | 6/27/2008  | 11:58 | 5           | 4.3             | 6.4     | 641                  | 22.8             | 7.07                    | 81.8                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.05                     | 0.510                          | 0.200            | 0.560                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 41                         | 9.60                  |
|                                 | Site 5     | 7/17/2008  | 13:15 | 7           | 0.6             | 6.1     | 782                  | 26.5             | 6.16                    | 75.1                            | 2.00                          | 0.0337           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.669                          | 0.065            | 0.714                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 6.66                  |
|                                 | Site 5     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | 1.2             | 6.7     | 240                  | 19.0             | 6.62                    | 71.5                            | 2.00                          | 0.2880           | 0.036            | NS                       | 0.478                          | 0.065            | 0.802                 | 0.016                   | 0.016                       | 20                         | NC                    |
|                                 | Site 5     | 9/18/2008  | 8:23  | 7           | 0.5             | 6.5     | 617                  | 17.5             | 7.50                    | 78.5                            | 2.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.392                          | 0.065            | 0.411                 | 0.015                   | 0.014                       | 50                         | 56.67                 |
|                                 | Site 5     | 10/9/2008  | 9:59  | 0           | 1.4             | 6.5     | 690                  | 13.8             | 9.07                    | 89.6                            | 2.00                          | 0.0416           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.456                          | 0.065            | 0.509                 | 0.020                   | 0.018                       | 5                          | 42.50                 |
|                                 | Site 5     | 11/12/2008 | 9:20  | 0           | 0.7             | 6.5     | 572                  | 7.1              | 10.30                   | 85.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.0500           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.522                          | 0.065            | 0.576                 | 0.018                   | 0.012                       | 20                         | 4.58                  |
|                                 | Site 5     | 1/19/2009  | 11:15 | 3           | 1.3             | 7.8     | 258                  | 0.5              | 10.50                   | 69.5                            | 2.00                          | 0.3350           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.454                          | 0.192            | 0.800                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 22.22                 |
|                                 | Mean*      |            |       | 4           | 1.4             | 6.6     | 553                  | 15.8             | 8.07                    | 78.9                            | 2.06                          | 0.1151           | 0.012            | 0.05                     | 0.493                          | 0.098            | 0.611                 | 0.011                   | 0.010                       | 12                         | 20.81                 |
| Unnamed Tributary at Route 140  | Site 6     | 5/29/2008  | 11:46 | 3           | NC              | 6.8     | 297                  | 13.1             | 7.77                    | 73.8                            | 2.00                          | 0.0566           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.455                          | 0.065            | 0.523                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 110                        | 0.23                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 6/27/2008  | 11:35 | 4           | 4.8             | 6.3     | 304                  | 17.0             | 7.50                    | 76.3                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.05                     | 1.700                          | 0.200            | 1.750                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 420                        | 0.04                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 7/17/2008  | 13:45 | NF          | NF              | NF      | NF                   | NF               | NF                      | NF                              | NF                            | NF               | NF               | NS                       | NF                             | NF               | 0.000                 | NF                      | NF                          | NF                         | 0.00                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NF          | NF              | NF      | NF                   | NF               | NF                      | NF                              | NF                            | NF               | NF               | NS                       | NF                             | NF               | 0.000                 | NF                      | NF                          | NF                         | 0.00                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 9/18/2008  | 9:05  | 1           | 0.3             | 6.3     | 264                  | 14.5             | 8.57                    | 83.3                            | 7.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.370                          | 0.065            | 0.389                 | 0.026                   | 0.017                       | 150                        | 0.70                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 10/9/2008  | 10:15 | 0           | 1.6             | 6.0     | 330                  | 12.5             | 7.60                    | 70.4                            | 2.00                          | 0.0374           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.301                          | 0.065            | 0.349                 | 0.015                   | 0.014                       | 60                         | 1.77                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 11/12/2008 | 9:40  | 0           | ND              | 6.0     | 210                  | 5.2              | 11.14                   | 87.5                            | 2.00                          | 0.0150           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.451                          | 0.065            | 0.470                 | 0.019                   | 0.018                       | 10                         | 0.70                  |
|                                 | Site 6     | 1/19/2009  | 11:45 | 5           | 0.9             | 6.8     | 259                  | 0.4              | 8.08                    | 54.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.1050           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.416                          | 0.208            | 0.532                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 2.50                  |
|                                 | Mean*      |            |       | 2           | 1.9             | 6.4     | 277                  | 10.5             | 8.44                    | 74.2                            | 2.92                          | 0.0458           | 0.008            | 0.05                     | 0.616                          | 0.111            | 0.502                 | 0.013                   | 0.011                       | 52                         | 0.74                  |
| Mill River at North Pond Outlet | Site 7     | 5/29/2008  | 11:00 | 4           | NC              | 7.6     | 965                  | 18.3             | 7.30                    | 82.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.2310           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.416                          | 0.065            | 0.658                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 10                         | 2.75                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 6/27/2008  | 12:33 | 3           | 7.2             | 6.9     | 950                  | 23.7             | 7.88                    | 93.1                            | 2.50                          | NS               | NS               | 0.17                     | 0.250                          | 0.200            | 0.420                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 98                         | 2.64                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 7/17/2008  | 14:15 | 8           | 0.5             | 6.4     | 1062                 | 28.0             | 7.18                    | 91.2                            | 2.00                          | 0.0729           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.496                          | 0.065            | 0.580                 | 0.011                   | 0.005                       | 30                         | 2.00                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 8/29/2008  | NC    | NC          | 1.9             | 7.1     | 640                  | 16.5             | 8.08                    | 82.8                            | 2.00                          | 0.4620           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.419                          | 0.065            | 0.892                 | 0.017                   | 0.015                       | 136                        | 1.30                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 9/18/2008  | 7:47  | 10          | 1.2             | 7.2     | 915                  | 21.0             | 8.70                    | 99.0                            | 2.00                          | 0.0400           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.347                          | 0.065            | 0.391                 | 0.015                   | 0.015                       | 10                         | 10.00                 |
|                                 | Site 7     | 10/9/2008  | 9:26  | 2           | 1.2             | 6.6     | 866                  | 16.3             | 7.49                    | 79.2                            | 2.00                          | 0.0709           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.301                          | 0.065            | 0.383                 | 0.022                   | 0.017                       | 100                        | 3.13                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 11/12/2008 | 8:50  | 0           | 0.5             | 7.2     | 717                  | 8.3              | 10.80                   | 91.3                            | 2.00                          | 0.0900           | 0.004            | NS                       | 0.481                          | 0.065            | 0.575                 | 0.018                   | 0.016                       | 60                         | 9.17                  |
|                                 | Site 7     | 1/19/2009  | 10:15 | 10          | 1.4             | 7.8     | 354                  | 1.8              | 9.13                    | 65.5                            | 2.00                          | 0.3800           | 0.011            | NS                       | 0.399                          | 0.181            | 0.790                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 5                          | 4.69                  |
|                                 | Mean*      |            |       | 5           | 2.0             | 7.1     | 809                  | 16.7             | 8.32                    | 85.5                            | 2.06                          | 0.1924           | 0.009            | 0.17                     | 0.389                          | 0.096            | 0.586                 | 0.012                   | 0.010                       | 32                         | 4.46                  |

Analyte was not detectable: value represents half of the reported detection limit

NS=Analyte was not sampled

NC=Data not collected

NF=No flow at time of sampling

\* Arithmetic mean calculated for each parameter with the exception of *E. coli*, where the geometric mean was calculated.



Table 5. Storm Water Quality Data for Hopedale Pond, May 2008 to January 2009

| Sample Location                         | Station ID | Date       | Time  | Color | Turbidity (NTU) | pH (SU) | Conductivity (µS) | Temperature (°C) | Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L) | Dissolved Oxygen (% Saturation) | Total Suspended Solids (mg/L) | Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Nitrite-N (mg/L) | Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (mg/L) | Ammonia-N (mg/L) | Total Nitrogen (mg/L) | Total Phosphorus (mg/L) | Dissolved Phosphorus (mg/L) | E-coli (col/100ml) | Total Discharge (cfs) |
|---|------------|------------|-------|-------|-----------------|---------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Outfall South of Town Beach             | Site 4     | 8/6/2008   | 8:37  | 12    | 17.2            | 7.5     | 822               | 11.8             | 8.80                    | 95.8                            | 6.00                          | 2.720            | 0.048            | 0.985                          | 0.424            | 3.753                 | 0.970                   | 0.130                       | 2400               | 1.42                  |
|   | Site 4     | 11/13/2008 | 3:10  | 35    | 12.8            | 6.7     | 560               | 10.3             | 11.25                   | 101.4                           | 15.00                         | 2.350            | 0.026            | 1.730                          | 0.345            | 4.106                 | 0.660                   | 0.370                       | 60                 | 0.15                  |
| Outfall North of Town Beach             | Site SS11  | 8/6/2008   | 9:09  | 8     | 4.9             | 6.6     | 50.4*             | 12.6             | 9.50                    | 98.5                            | 15.00                         | 0.569            | 0.011            | 0.896                          | 0.219            | 1.476                 | 1.100                   | 0.140                       | 1980               | 0.08                  |
|   | Site SS11  | 11/13/2008 | 3:40  | 5     | 10.8            | 6.4     | 250               | 10.2             | 10.84                   | 95.9                            | 2.00                          | 2.110            | 0.011            | 1.05                           | 0.065            | 3.171                 | 0.240                   | 0.082                       | 20                 | 0.02                  |
| Outfall - East Side of Lake Street Loop | Site SS2   | 8/6/2008   | 9:51  | 4     | 21.1            | 6.9     | 12.5*             | 17.6             | 8.00                    | 87.6                            | 2.00                          | 0.453            | 0.011            | 0.709                          | 0.197            | 1.173                 | 1.200                   | 0.200                       | 1750               | 0.01                  |
|   | Site SS2   | 11/13/2008 | NC    | NC    | NC              | NC      | NC                | NC               | NC                      | NC                              | NS                            | NS               | NS               | NS                             | NS               | NS                    | NS                      | NS                          | NS                 | NS                    |
| Outfall - West Side of Lake Street Loop | Site SS3   | 8/6/2008   | 12:49 | 4     | 19.1            | 6.6     | 16.7*             | 18.4             | 8.00                    | 89.4                            | 15.00                         | 0.314            | 0.011            | 0.786                          | 0.325            | 1.111                 | 2.300                   | 0.190                       | 3000               | 0.01                  |
|   | Site SS3   | 11/13/2008 | NC    | NC    | NC              | NC      | NC                | NC               | NC                      | NC                              | NS                            | NS               | NS               | NS                             | NS               | NS                    | NS                      | NS                          | NS                 | NS                    |
| Culvert at The Driftway                 | Site SS8   | 8/6/2008   | 10:25 | 8     | 1.7             | 6.0     | 500               | 12.0             | 7.00                    | 73.5                            | 2.00                          | 1.040            | 0.011            | 0.256                          | 0.065            | 1.307                 | 0.160                   | 0.051                       | 820                | 0.01                  |
|   | Site SS8   | 11/13/2008 | NC    | NC    | NC              | NC      | NC                | NC               | NC                      | NC                              | NS                            | NS               | NS               | NS                             | NS               | NS                    | NS                      | NS                          | NS                 | NS                    |
| Mill River at Route 140                 | Site 5     | 8/6/2008   | 10:59 | 2     | 0.6             | 6.3     | 729               | 19.0             | 6.50                    | 74.7                            | 2.00                          | 0.125            | 0.011            | 0.461                          | 0.065            | 0.597                 | 0.150                   | 0.032                       | 170                | 1.26                  |
|   | Site 5     | 11/13/2008 | 4:56  | 30    | NC              | 6.4     | 586               | 7.0              | 10.48                   | 86.7                            | 2.00                          | 0.136            | 0.011            | 0.469                          | 0.065            | 0.616                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 10                 | 33.30                 |
| Unnamed Tributary at Route 140          | Site 6     | 8/6/2008   | 11:29 | 7     | 3.6             | 5.8     | 160               | 13.7             | 5.60                    | 62.2                            | 2.00                          | 0.143            | 0.011            | 0.825                          | 0.065            | 0.979                 | 0.160                   | 0.034                       | 140                | 0.01                  |
|   | Site 6     | 11/13/2008 | 4:30  | 5     | NC              | 6.7     | 217               | 6.4              | 9.90                    | 80.6                            | 2.00                          | 0.161            | 0.011            | 0.416                          | 0.065            | 0.588                 | 0.005                   | 0.005                       | 70                 | 2.22                  |
| Mill River at North Pond Outlet         | Site 7     | 8/6/2008   | 12:01 | 1     | 0.0             | 6.5     | 120               | 24.6             | 7.57                    | 92.6                            | 13.00                         | 0.156            | 0.011            | 0.378                          | 0.065            | 0.545                 | 0.160                   | 0.017                       | 60                 | 1.45                  |
|   | Site 7     | 11/13/2008 | NC    | NC    | NC              | NC      | NC                | NC               | NC                      | NC                              | NS                            | NS               | NS               | NS                             | NS               | NS                    | NS                      | NS                          | NS                 | NS                    |

NS=Analyte was not detectable: value represents half of the reported detection limit

NC=Data not collected

NF=No flow at time of sampling

\*Due to insufficient sample volume, measured value may be low

**Table 6. Seepage Survey Results for Hopedale Pond, July 30 and September 18, 2008**

| Station          | Depth   | Date      | Seepage Time<br>(hr) | Seepage<br>(L/m2/D) | Seepage<br>Meter<br>Sample Area<br>(m2) | Station<br>Averaged<br>Seepage<br>(L/m2/D) |
|------------------|---------|-----------|----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| 1a               | Shallow | 7/30/2008 | 4:57:00              | -0.57               | 0.26                                    | -0.59                                      |
| 1b               | Deep    | 7/30/2008 | 4:42:00              | -0.60               | 0.26                                    |  |
| 2a               | Shallow | 7/30/2008 | 5:19:00              | -0.14               | 0.26                                    | -0.45                                      |
| 2b               | Deep    | 7/30/2008 | 5:18:00              | -0.76               | 0.26                                    |  |
| 3a               | Shallow | 7/30/2008 | 5:16:00              | 1.39                | 0.26                                    | 1.46                                       |
| 3b               | Deep    | 7/30/2008 | 5:06:00              | 1.52                | 0.17                                    |  |
| 4a               | Shallow | 7/30/2008 | 4:58:00              | -1.22               | 0.26                                    | -2.10                                      |
| 4b               | Deep    | 7/30/2008 | 4:55:00              | -2.98               | 0.17                                    |  |
| Average Shallow  |         |           | 5:07:30              | -0.13               |   |  |
| Average Deep     |         |           | 5:00:15              | -0.71               |   |  |
| Combined Average |         |           | 5:03:53              | -0.42               |   |  |
|                  |         |           |                      |                     |   |  |
| Station          | Depth   | Date      | Seepage Time<br>(hr) | Seepage<br>(L/m2/D) | Seepage<br>Meter<br>Sample Area<br>(m2) | Station<br>Averaged<br>Seepage<br>(L/m2/D) |
| 1a               | Shallow | 9/18/2008 | 2:55:00              | -0.63               | 0.26                                    | 0.98                                       |
| 1b               | Deep    | 9/18/2008 | 2:40:00              | 2.59                | 0.17                                    |  |
| 2a               | Shallow | 9/18/2008 | 2:15:00              | 4.19                | 0.26                                    | 3.49                                       |
| 2b               | Deep    | 9/18/2008 | 2:10:00              | 2.79                | 0.26                                    |  |
| 3a               | Shallow | 9/18/2008 | 4:38:00              | 2.49                | 0.26                                    | 0.87                                       |
| 3b               | Deep    | 9/18/2008 | 4:55:00              | -0.75               | 0.26                                    |  |
| 4a               | Shallow | 9/18/2008 | 5:50:00              | -0.47               | 0.17                                    | -0.65                                      |
| 4b               | Deep    | 9/18/2008 | 5:30:00              | -0.82               | 0.26                                    |  |
| Average Shallow  |         |           | 3:54:30              | 1.40                |   |  |
| Average Deep     |         |           | 3:48:45              | 0.96                |   |  |
| Combined Average |         |           | 3:51:38              | 1.18                |   |  |

**Table 7. Porewater Quality for Hopedale Pond, July 30 and September 18, 2008**

| Sample Location | Date      | Time  | pH (SU) | Conductivity (μS) | Temperature (°C) | Nitrate-N (mg/L) | Ammonia-N (mg/L) | Dissolved Phosphorus (mg/L) | <i>E. coli</i> (MPN/100 mL) | Iron (mg/L) |
|-----------------|-----------|-------|---------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| HPS1            | 7/30/2008 | 11:00 | NS      | NS                | NS               | NS               | NS               | NS                          | NS                          | NS          |
|                 | 9/18/2008 | 10:50 | 6.2     | 1256              | 19.7             | <0.03            | 12.7             | 0.45                        | <10                         | 15.8        |
| HPS2            | 7/30/2008 | 11:40 | 5.9     | 1156              | 20.7             | 2.54             | <0.130           | <0.010                      | <10                         | 8.92        |
|                 | 9/18/2008 | 12:00 | 5.7     | 1931              | 19.5             | 2.10             | <0.100           | 0.050                       | <10                         | <0.06       |
| HPS3            | 7/30/2008 | 12:20 | 6.6     | 646               | 21.6             | <0.03            | 1.01             | <0.010                      | 20                          | 12.5        |
|                 | 9/18/2008 | 9:40  | 6.2     | 230               | 20.1             | <0.03            | 2.1              | 0.260                       | <10                         | <0.06       |
| HPS4            | 7/30/2008 | 13:20 | NS      | NS                | NS               | NS               | NS               | NS                          | NS                          | NS          |
|                 | 9/18/2008 | 7:50  | 6.2     | 383               | 19.5             | NS               | NS               | NS                          | NS                          | NS          |

NS = No sample collected (due to outseepage at location)



**Table 8. Area and Volume Calculations from Bathymetric Contours for Hopedale Pond, July 2008**

| <b>Depth Contour</b><br>(feet below water level) | <b>Incremental Area</b><br>(sq. ft.) | <b>Total Area</b><br>(sq. ft.) | <b>Avg. Area</b><br>(sq. ft.) | <b>Incremental Volume</b><br>(cu. ft.) | <b>Cumulative Volume</b><br>(cu. ft.) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| 11.5   | 0                                    | 0                              | 0                             | 0                                      | 0                                     |
| 10   | 7,520                                | 7,520                          | 3,760                         | 5,640                                  | 5,640                                 |
| 9  | 27,356                               | 34,875                         | 21,198                        | 21,198                                 | 26,837                                |
| 8  | 153,775                              | 188,651                        | 111,763                       | 111,763                                | 138,600                               |
| 7  | 317,259                              | 505,910                        | 347,280                       | 347,280                                | 485,881                               |
| 6  | 11,793                               | 517,703                        | 511,807                       | 511,807                                | 997,687                               |
| 5  | 442,088                              | 959,791                        | 738,747                       | 738,747                                | 1,736,434                             |
| 4  | 399,278                              | 1,359,069                      | 1,159,430                     | 1,159,430                              | 2,895,864                             |
| 2  | 598,838                              | 1,957,907                      | 1,658,488                     | 3,316,975                              | 6,212,840                             |
| 0  | 1,389,490                            | 3,347,397                      | 2,652,652                     | 5,305,303                              | 11,518,143                            |

**Total water volume in ponded area =**

**11,518,143 cu. ft.**

**Mean water depth in ponded area =**

**3.44 ft.**

**Table 9. Area and Volume Calculations from Isopach Map for Hopedale Pond, July 2008**

| <b>Sediment Depth</b> | <b>Area<br/>(sq. ft.)</b> | <b>Total Area<br/>(sq. ft.)</b> | <b>Avg. Area<br/>(sq. ft.)</b> | <b>Incremental Volume<br/>(cu. ft.)</b> | <b>Cumulative Volume<br/>(cu. ft.)</b> |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|
| 13                    | 0                         | 0                               | 0                              | 0                                       | 0                                      |
| 12                    | 241,075                   | 241,075                         | 120,537                        | 120,537                                 | 120,537                                |
| 10                    | 82,222                    | 323,297                         | 282,186                        | 564,371                                 | 684,908                                |
| 8                     | 143,263                   | 466,560                         | 394,928                        | 789,857                                 | 1,474,765                              |
| 5                     | 141,901                   | 608,461                         | 537,510                        | 1,612,531                               | 3,087,296                              |
| 4                     | 234,021                   | 842,482                         | 725,471                        | 725,471                                 | 3,812,767                              |
| 3                     | 250,691                   | 1,093,172                       | 967,827                        | 967,827                                 | 4,780,594                              |
| 2                     | 394,744                   | 1,487,917                       | 1,290,545                      | 1,290,545                               | 6,071,139                              |
| 1.5                   | 16,659                    | 1,504,575                       | 1,496,246                      | 748,123                                 | 6,819,262                              |
| 1                     | 656,060                   | 2,160,636                       | 1,832,606                      | 916,303                                 | 7,735,565                              |
| 0.5                   | 521,841                   | 2,682,477                       | 2,421,556                      | 1,210,778                               | 8,946,343                              |
| 0                     | 664,920                   | 3,347,397                       | 2,425,986                      | 1,212,993                               | 10,159,336                             |

**Total sediment volume in ponded area =**

**10,159,336 cu. ft.**

**Mean sediment depth in ponded area =**

**3.03 ft.**

**Table 10. Sediment Bulk Chemical and Physical Testing Results\* for Hopedale Pond Samples, January 19, 2009**

| Analyte                         | CAS #     | Composite Sample ID |        | MCP <sup>1</sup> | Lined Landfill <sup>2</sup> |
|---------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|--------|------------------|-----------------------------|
|                                 |           | SC-1                | SC-2   |                  |                             |
| Metals - mg/kg-dry              |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Arsenic                         | 7440-38-2 | 27.4                | ND     | 20               | 40                          |
| Chromium (total)                | 7440-47-3 | 9.7                 | ND     | 30               | 1000                        |
| Copper (analyzed wet)           | 7440-50-8 | 40.9                | 18.8   | 1000             | NR                          |
| Lead                            | 7439-92-1 | 66.2                | 6.99   | 300              | 2000                        |
| Mercury                         | 7439-97-6 | 0.128               | ND     | 20               | 10                          |
| Nickel                          | 7440-02-0 | 6.26                | ND     | 20               | NR                          |
| Zinc                            | 7440-66-6 | 11                  | ND     | 2500             | NR                          |
| EPH Ranges - mg/kg-dry          |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics      |           | 104                 | 85.8   | 1000             | NR                          |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics              |           | 136                 | 122    | 3000             | NR                          |
| EPH Target Analytes - mg/kg-dry |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Acenaphthylene                  | 208-96-8  | 0.147               | ND     | 1                | NR                          |
| Anthracene                      | 120-12-7  | ND                  | 0.123  | 1000             | NR                          |
| Benzo(a)anthracene              | 56-55-3   | 2.75                | 0.604  | 7                | NR                          |
| Benzo(a)pyrene                  | 50-32-8   | 2.83                | 0.65   | 2                | NR                          |
| Benzo(b)fluoranthene            | 205-99-2  | 2.14                | 0.736  | NR               | NR                          |
| Benzo(g,h,i)perylene            | 191-24-2  | 0.483               | 0.37   | 1000             | NR                          |
| Benzo(k)fluoranthene            | 207-08-9  | 2.79                | 0.443  | 70               | NR                          |
| Chrysene                        | 218-01-9  | 3.55                | 0.918  | 70               | NR                          |
| Fluoranthene                    | 206-44-0  | 7.9                 | 1.7    | 1000             | NR                          |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene          | 193-39-5  | 0.478               | 0.111  | 7                | NR                          |
| Phenanthrene                    | 85-01-8   | 3.19                | 0.724  | 10               | NR                          |
| Pyrene                          | 129-00-0  | 6.41                | 1.69   | 1000             | NR                          |
| Total PAH Target Concentration  |           | 32.7                | 8.06   | NR               | 100                         |
| TOC - mg/kg-dry                 |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Total Organic Carbon            | 7440-44-0 | 60300               | 100000 | NR               | NR                          |
| VOC - µg/kg                     |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Methyl ethyl ketone             | 78-93-3   | ND                  | 836    | 4000             | NR                          |
| PAH - µg/kg                     |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Acenaphthylene                  | 208-96-8  | 733                 | ND     | 1000             | NR                          |
| Anthracene                      | 120-12-7  | 1400                | ND     | 1000000          | NR                          |
| Benz(a)anthracene               | 56-55-3   | 2170                | ND     | 7000             | NR                          |
| Benzo(a)pyrene                  | 50-32-8   | 3050                | ND     | 2000             | NR                          |
| Benzo(b)fluoranthene            | 205-99-2  | 4220                | ND     | NR               | NR                          |
| Benzo(g,h,i)perylene            | 191-24-2  | 2410                | ND     | 1000000          | NR                          |
| Benzo(k)fluoranthene            | 207-08-9  | 2330                | ND     | 70000            | NR                          |
| Chrysene                        | 218-01-9  | 4110                | ND     | 70000            | NR                          |
| Fluoranthene                    | 206-44-0  | 9410                | ND     | 1000000          | NR                          |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene          | 193-39-5  | 2300                | ND     | 7000             | NR                          |
| Phenanthrene                    | 85-01-8   | 4410                | ND     | 10000            | NR                          |
| Pyrene                          | 129-00-0  | 6060                | 17     | 1000000          | NR                          |
| Total PAH Target Concentration  |           | 42603               | 17     | NR               | 100000                      |
| Bulk Physical Results           |           |                     |        |                  |                             |
| Moisture Content                |           | 9                   | 15     |                  |                             |
| Liquid Limit                    |           | 115                 | 268    |                  |                             |
| Plastic Limit                   |           | 69                  | 139    |                  |                             |
| Plasticity Index                |           | 46                  | 129    |                  |                             |
| Liquidity Index                 |           | -1                  | -1     |                  |                             |

\*Samples in exceedence of MCP Method 1 are shown in bold. Results are only depicted for concentrations of constituents occurring above the detection limit in at least one composite sample.

1: MADEP, 2006. Massachusetts Contingency Plan

2: MADEP, 1997. Reuse and Disposal of Contaminated Soil at Massachusetts Landfills Department of Environmental Protection Policy # COMM-97-001

ND: Not Detected

NR: Not Reported



**Table 11. Sediment Nutrient Concentrations in Hopedale Pond,  
January 19, 2009.**

| <b>Sample ID</b> | <b>Location</b>             | <b>Total<br/>Nitrogen<br/>(mg/kg)</b> | <b>Total<br/>Phosphorus<br/>(mg/kg)</b> |
|------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| N-1              | Southern Basin              | 4600                                  | 229                                     |
| N-2              | Middle Section (Jetty area) | 3500                                  | 66                                      |
| N-3              | Northern Basin              | 6300                                  | 54                                      |

**Table 12. Estimated Annual Hydrologic Loading for Hopedale Pond**

| Source                                     | Load         |                      |              |
|--|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
|  | (cfs)        | (m <sup>3</sup> /yr) | (%)          |
| Direct Precipitation w/ Evapotranspiration | 0.28         | 251,676              | 1.3          |
| Ground Water Inseepage                     | 0.01         | 6,247                | 0.03         |
| Surface Water                              | 21.09        | 18,822,167           | 98.6         |
| <i>Dry Weather*</i>                        | 6.62         | 5,908,143            | 31.0         |
| <i>Wet Weather*</i>                        | 14.47        | 12,914,023           | 67.60        |
| <b>Total Annual</b>                        | <b>21.38</b> | <b>19,080,090</b>    | <b>100.0</b> |

\*Subset of surface water total

**Table 13. Estimated Annual Phosphorus Loads for Hopedale Pond as Derived from In-field Measurements and Hydrologic Modeling.**

| Source                                 | Phosphorus Loads |               |
|--|------------------|---------------|
|  | (kg/yr)          | (%)           |
| Direct Precipitation                   | 5.3              | 1.4%          |
| Ground Water Inseepage                 | 1.3              | 0.3%          |
| Surface Water                          |                  |               |
| Dry Weather                            | 84.8             | 22.1%         |
| Wet Weather                            | 292.8            | 76.2%         |
| <i>Site 4 (Dutcher Outfall) *</i>      | <i>87.5</i>      | <i>22.8%</i>  |
| <i>Site 5 *</i>                        | <i>193.1</i>     | <i>50.3%</i>  |
| <i>Site 6 *</i>                        | <i>12.2</i>      | <i>3.2%</i>   |
| Internal Release (from pond sediments) | 0.0              | 0.0%          |
| <b>Total Annual</b>                    | <b>384.1</b>     | <b>100.0%</b> |

\*Subset of wet weather total



**Table 14. Aquatic Plant Species Observed in Hopedale Pond during Survey Conducted July 23 and 25, 2008.**

| <b>Common Name</b>       | <b>Scientific Name</b>            | <b>Symbol</b> |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Common Bladderwort       | <i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>       | UT            |
| Purple Bladderwort       | <i>Utricularia purpurea</i>       | UTP           |
| Stonewort                | <i>Nitella sp.</i>                | NI            |
| Muskgrass                | <i>Chara sp.</i>                  | CH            |
| Yellow water Lily        | <i>Nuphar variegatum</i>          | NV            |
| White Water Lily         | <i>Nymphaea odorata</i>           | NO            |
| Variable-leaf Milfoil    | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> | MH            |
| Narrow-leaf Sag          | <i>Sagittaria subulata</i>        | SS            |
| Fern Pondweed            | <i>Potamogeton robbinsii</i>      | PR            |
| Floating-leafed Pondweed | <i>Potamogeton natans</i>         | PN            |
| Oakes Pondweed           | <i>Potamogeton oakesianus</i>     | PO            |
| Water Shield             | <i>Brasenia schreberi</i>         | BS            |
| Filamentous Green Algae  | Chlorophyta                       | FG            |

Table 16. Zooplankton Density and Community Composition in Hopedale Pond, July 2008 to January 2009

| Date                           | 17-Jul-08                                | 29-Aug-08                                | 18-Sep-08                                | 9-Oct-08                                 | 25-Nov-08                                | 19-Jan-09                                |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Species                        | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Density<br>(Individuals/m <sup>3</sup> ) |
| <i>Alonella</i> sp.            | 0  | 0  | 175                                      | 50                                       | 100                                      | 0  |
| <i>Bosmina longirostris</i>    | 15000                                    | 18000                                    | 8400                                     | 2600                                     | 150                                      | 12.5                                     |
| <i>Daphnia galeata</i>         | 3200                                     | 875                                      | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Daphnia parvula</i>         | 2125                                     | 500                                      | 50                                       | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Daphnia</i> sp.             | 0  | 1375                                     | 0  | 25                                       | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Diaphanosoma brachyurum</i> | 100                                      | 0  | 100                                      | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Eubosmina tubicen</i>       | 5000                                     | 8500                                     | 3600                                     | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Sida crystallina</i>        | 0  | 0  | 100                                      | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <b>Total cladocerans</b>       | <b>25425</b>                             | <b>29250</b>                             | <b>12425</b>                             | <b>2675</b>                              | <b>250</b>                               | <b>12.5</b>                              |
| Calanoid copepodite            | 250                                      | 175                                      | 8750                                     | 275                                      | 0  | 25                                       |
| Cyclopoid copepodite           | 0  | 0  | 3650                                     | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Epischura nordenskiöldi</i> | 100                                      | 0  | 2175                                     | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Epischurid copepodites         | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <i>Leptodiaptomus nudus</i>    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 25                                       | 0  | 0  |
| Copepod nauplii                | 100                                      | 250                                      | 25                                       | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| <b>Total copepods</b>          | <b>450</b>                               | <b>425</b>                               | <b>14600</b>                             | <b>300</b>                               | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>25</b>                                |
| <i>Conochilus hippocrepis</i>  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1125                                     | 0  | 0  |
| Other Rotifera                 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 200                                      | 0  | 0  |
| <b>Total rotifers</b>          | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>1325</b>                              | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>0</b>                                 |
| <b>Total Density (#/m3)</b>    | <b>25875</b>                             | <b>29675</b>                             | <b>27025</b>                             | <b>4300</b>                              | <b>250</b>                               | <b>37.5</b>                              |
| <b>Total Count</b>             | <b>1035</b>                              | <b>1187</b>                              | <b>1081</b>                              | <b>172</b>                               | <b>10</b>                                | <b>3</b>                                 |
| <b>Total Biovolume (mL/m3)</b> | <b>0.8</b>                               | <b>1.0</b>                               | <b>1.7</b>                               | <b>0.1</b>                               | <b>0.1</b>                               | <b>0.1</b>                               |

\*Significant ice cover at time of sampling.

Appendix A

## Quality Assurance Project Plan

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# Quality Assurance Project Plan

FOR DIAGNOSTIC/FEASIBILITY STUDY  
OF HOPEDALE POND  
HOPEDALE, MASSACHUSETTS

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## QUALITY ASSURANCE PROJECT PLAN (QAPP)

### For the

Hopedale Pond Diagnostic/Feasibility Study  
H153-000  
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## **1.0 PROJECT ORGANIZATION**

Work for the Hopedale Pond Diagnostic Feasibility Study will be conducted by ESS Group Inc. (ESS) for the Town of Hopedale, Massachusetts ("the Town") under the supervision of Eugene Phillips, the Hopedale Town Coordinator. Carl Nielsen will be the ESS Project Manager and also serve as the project internal Quality Assurance (QA) Officer. The Project Manager will be responsible for coordinating all field and laboratory efforts as well as serving as a direct contact for all parties involved with the project. Responsibilities of the QA Officer will be primarily associated with ensuring that personnel serving the project are properly trained in all appropriate procedures relating to sample collection and data generation. The QA Officer will regularly verify that the items described in this Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) are being followed. Additionally, the QA Officer will verify conformance with project reporting deadlines and data quality objectives, and ensure that project deliverables satisfy contract provisions.

This QAPP will direct field and laboratory activities for the Hopedale Pond Diagnostic Feasibility Study. ESS will conduct all field sample collection activities and provide aquatic macrophyte, phytoplankton and zooplankton analyses including taxonomic identification and enumeration, as appropriate. GeoLabs, Inc. (GeoLabs), a Massachusetts certified laboratory, will provide analytical services for all sediment and water quality parameters (except those analyzed in the field by ESS personnel).

## **2.0 PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Hopedale Pond is a shallow waterbody formed by damming the Mill River. Based on the history of the Parklands, 1949 was the first mention of a weed problem in Hopedale Pond. The Draper Corporation dredged the pond in 1949 and in 1953 the weeds were chemically treated through aerial spraying. By 1959, weeds were a problem once again and management of the pond has included chemical treatment ever since. Aquatic Control Technologies has most recently been chemically treating Hopedale Pond. Hopedale Pond is currently on the Massachusetts list of impaired waters for having exotic species (Massachusetts Year 2006 Integrated List of Waters, August 2007). The northern portion of the pond is infested with fanwort (*Cabomba caroliniana*), which makes passage to the Rustic Bridge almost impossible by mid-summer.

Nuisance and exotic weed growth currently threaten Hopedale Pond. The nuisance vegetation partly results from the shallowness of the pond, which allows light penetration to the pond bottom so that aquatic vegetation grows well. The northern section of the pond is extremely shallow and stumps are prevalent where forest used to stand. The perimeter of Hopedale Pond is not heavily developed; however, the southern shorelines have managed lawns and limited vegetative buffers. This can result in additional nutrient input to the pond from fertilization practices and by attracting resident goose populations. Nuisance and exotic vegetation is also a problem upstream at Lake Maspenock (North Pond). Exotic and nuisance plants can travel downstream and foul Hopedale Pond. The resident Canada goose population likely has a significant impact to water quality and fouls the shoreline and grassy areas of the Parklands so that they are unusable. Hopedale Pond is not an isolated waterbody—there are many environmental and human-induced sources causing excessive vegetation growth in the pond.

ESS will gather substantial data covering every key physical, chemical, and biological aspect of Hopedale Pond and its watershed. The data will be used to document the pond's present condition and establish a baseline dataset for monitoring and evaluation. The data will form the basis of the Diagnostic/Feasibility

study that focuses on methods to reduce nuisance aquatic macrophyte growth and meet state Class B Surface Water Quality Standards.

Work will be conducted under the guidance of this QAPP, which is compatible with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) guidelines and developed specifically for this Hopedale Pond project. All laboratory water quality analysis will be performed by a Massachusetts certified laboratory.

This project is designed to establish a set of baseline data, covering key physical, chemical and biological aspects of Hopedale Pond and its watershed. This data will be used to develop a pond and watershed management plan to ensure the future protection of Hopedale Pond. To this end, ESS will conduct the following:

1. **Water Quality Sampling** – In-pond sampling as well as sampling of all major sources of water to the pond including groundwater, tributaries and pond outlet, and storm water runoff. Sampling will be conducted during the period from May to December 2008, with an emphasis on identifying potential sources of pollution within the pond's watershed.
2. **Sediment Analysis** – Determine the quantity and quality of the pond sediments that can affect ecological health as well as nutrient cycling within the system.
3. **Pond Morphometry and Bathymetry** – Determine the pond's maximum depth and water depth contours, measure soft sediment distribution, and then evaluate the feasibility of dredging as one option for restoring the pond.
4. **Aquatic Macrophyte Mapping** – Inventory and map the aquatic plant community associated with the pond and its shoreline during peak growing season to provide a well-documented baseline or reference condition of plant cover and water column density.
5. **Phytoplankton and Zooplankton Analysis** – Establish baseline conditions for these critical biological components that directly influence water clarity and quality.
6. **Final Report** - ESS will prepare a Diagnostic/Feasibility report presenting data gathered, existing pond conditions, and management options for reducing pollutant and nutrient loading, controlling aquatic vegetation, and improving water quality. The report will focus on goals described by the Town and the local community, and identify techniques that apply to the pond itself as well as the entire watershed.

### **3.0 TECHNICAL DESIGN FOR FIELD SAMPLING**

#### **3.1 Water Quality**

- (a) **In-Pond Water Quality:** ESS will sample the pond at one location in the southern end and at one location in the northern end to determine water quality characteristics. The two in-pond stations will be sampled monthly between May and December, inclusive. This proposed sampling program results in a total of 7 collection dates with 14 water quality samples. This is more than



adequate to characterize water quality and will provide an excellent data set for calculating the nutrient budget and assessing the health of the pond.

The following parameters will be measured in the field: dissolved oxygen, water temperature, pH, turbidity, true color, and Secchi transparency. ESS personnel will follow the Standard Operating Guidelines (SOGs) outlined in Appendix A to analyze these parameters in the field. Water samples will be field collected and analyzed in the lab for nutrients (total phosphorus and dissolved (ortho) phosphorus, nitrate and nitrite nitrogen, ammonia, and total Kjeldahl nitrogen (TKN)), and total suspended sediments (TSS). Chlorophyll *a* and *E. coli* bacteria will be collected from all pond surface samples while total iron will be collected from pond bottom samples. Sampling will include quality control field blanks, duplicates, and lab spike samples. As a quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) measure of field sampling activities, duplicate samples will be incorporated into the sampling program at random to represent at least 5% of the total number of samples.

(b) **Tributary and Outlet Water Quality:** Water quality sampling will also occur following the above-described schedule (monthly sampling May through December) at the pond's outlet at Freedom Street and at three upstream tributary locations. The three upstream tributary locations will be selected based on watershed land use (Figure 1) and ease of access; these are likely to occur along the Mill River near Route 140 and at major tributaries and/or pond outlets in the watershed upstream of the pond (Figure 2). This sampling effort yields an additional 28 samples (four locations multiplied by 7 dates). In addition to the surface water parameters listed above for the pond sampling, flow rate will be calculated at the outlet and tributary sampling locations. However, Secchi disk transparency, chlorophyll *a* and total iron will not be measured at the outlet and tributary sampling locations. This information will be used to locate potential non-point sources of pollution within the watershed. For the sampling of surface water from the tributaries and outlet of Hopedale Pond, ESS personnel will follow a streamlined approach comparable to that outlined in the SOGs for the acquisition of surface water samples (Appendix A). As a QA/QC measure of field sampling activities, duplicate samples will be incorporated into the sampling program at random to represent at least 5% of the total number of samples.

(c) **Storm Water Quality:** In addition to the monthly sampling, ESS will collect samples during three storm events at the three upstream tributary locations (Mill River) and at the Dutcher Street storm water outfall (a total of 12 samples). The Dutcher Street storm water outfall will also be sampled during dry weather (if flowing) to establish baseline conditions.

ESS will investigate the pond shore to determine location of any other storm drain outlets, piped discharges, or other point sources that may be contributing significant pollutant load and record their locations using a Global Positioning System (GPS) unit with sub-meter accuracy. These sources will be investigated during dry weather for the purpose of locating potential sources, and then sampled during dry weather (if flowing) and twice during storm flow conditions to quantify flow rates and the quality of these discharges.

ESS will measure the following parameters at storm water quality locations: flow rate, dissolved oxygen, pH, temperature, turbidity, true color, conductivity and salinity. Water samples will be

field collected and analyzed in the lab for nutrients (ortho and total phosphorus, nitrate+nitrite, ammonia and TKN), TSS, and *E. coli*. Wet weather sampling will be conducted such that the more heavily polluted "first-flush" samples are collected. Storm flow and base flow data from these collections will be incorporated into hydrologic and nutrient budget models. As a QA/QC measure of field sampling activities, duplicate samples will be incorporated into the sampling program at random to represent at least 5% of the total number of samples.

- (d) **Groundwater Station Monitoring:** In order to determine the hydrologic connections between the pond and the surrounding groundwater and assess whether the existing sewer along the eastern shoreline is faulty, ESS will conduct two seepage meter surveys of Hopedale Pond. Surveys will be conducted in July and September. A total of four pairs of seepage meters will be temporarily installed in pre-defined segments along the pond's shoreline. The exact placement of the seepage meters will be determined based on surrounding topography, housing density and bottom substrate characteristics. A seepage meter is a device that allows investigators to collect and quantify groundwater seeping into the pond from sources along a pond's shoreline. ESS will measure the change in water volume associated with a bag attached to each seepage meter over a given amount of time. The change in volume measured within this bag multiplied by the area of pond bottom sampled will be used to calculate the average in-seepage or out-seepage within the defined shoreline segment.

Once the seepage meters have been installed along the shore, ESS staff will extract groundwater for water quality testing by pumping it up from below the lake bottom. A littoral interstitial porewater sampler will be used to extract shallow groundwater samples from each segment. This water's quality is representative of water entering the pond near the paired seepage meters within each shoreline segment. This data will give an accurate assessment of the nutrient load entering the lake from each shoreline segment via groundwater. The extracted samples from each segment will be composited and tested in the laboratory for the following parameters: nitrate nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, *E. coli* bacteria, dissolved iron, and dissolved phosphorus. Temperature, specific conductance, turbidity, and pH will be measured in the field. These parameters are of significant concern in groundwater and can have a major effect on overall water quality. The groundwater quality information will be incorporated into calculations of the hydrologic and nutrient budgets for the pond and will be discussed with respect to the overall management of Hopedale Pond.

Samples will be delivered on-ice to the appropriate water quality laboratory along with a completed chain of custody. GeoLabs will conduct analysis for nitrate and nitrite nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus, total suspended solids, total iron, dissolved iron, *E. coli*, and chlorophyll *a*. GeoLabs is a Massachusetts certified lab and will follow an internal quality assurance plan for all analyses (Appendix B). ESS personnel will follow the SOGs (Appendix A) for the measurement of: specific conductance, dissolved oxygen, pH, Secchi disc depth, temperature, turbidity with a nephelometric turbidity meter and the measurement of groundwater seepage quality and quantity, to analyze the remaining parameters in the field.

All dry weather sampling will be conducted following a period of at least 72 hours with less than 0.10 inches of precipitation. Wet weather storm water quality sampling efforts will target a rainfall event forecasted to produce at least 0.25 inches, and following at least 72 hours of weather with less than 0.10 inches of precipitation. Weather data, forecasts and precipitation totals will be tracked for the Hopedale Pond watershed through an Internet weather service ([www.intellicast.com](http://www.intellicast.com) or equivalent service) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration database (National Climatic Data Center).

### **3.2 Morphometry And Bathymetry**

Hopedale Pond will be surveyed via sonar, marked rod, or weighted line at points along appropriately spaced transects to determine the lake's maximum depth and define the water depth contours (bathymetry). This information will be incorporated into the assessment of Hopedale Pond's hydrologic and nutrient budgets. Information generated will also be used to produce figures depicting the water depth contours in 2 to 5 foot increments. Additionally, ESS will verify and/or update any previously made calculations on the pond's surface area, mean depth, water volume, maximum length, maximum width, shoreline length and relative development of shoreline. Calculations will be based on Normal Pool Elevation. ESS personnel will follow the SOGs for the creation of a Geographic Information System (GIS) format map bathymetry map (Appendix A), to conduct an assessment of the morphometry and bathymetry of Hopedale Pond.

During the bathymetry survey, ESS staff will also measure soft sediment depth in the pond for the purposes of creating a detailed map of the existing unconsolidated sediment thickness (isopac). As with bathymetry, measurements will be made at points along appropriately spaced transects (data will be recorded using a GPS with sub-meter accuracy). Field notes will provide a description of the underlying sediments (i.e. silt, sand, gravel, hardpan, etc.). These data will be used to calculate the volume, average depth, and maximum depth of organic matter. A GIS format map will be prepared depicting sediment depths throughout the pond.

### **3.3 Sediment Sampling**

ESS will collect two composite sediment samples representative of the organic bottom material. Each of the two composite samples will be comprised of three distinct sediment cores that will be homogenized for analysis. However, volatile organic compound (VOC) samples will be extracted prior to homogenization, in order to avoid volatilization of the samples. The sediment samples collected will reflect bottom characteristics in the pond and be analyzed as described below.

Cores obtained by ESS will be logged, photographed, and sampled by ESS in the field in order to obtain and track representative samples for delivery to the appropriate laboratory. ESS will deliver the sediment samples to GeoLabs, where it will be analyzed for bulk physical and chemical characteristics, as required for 401 Water Quality Certification.

- ***Bulk Physical Analysis:*** Bulk physical analysis will be performed by GeoLabs on recovered sediment. The analyses will include: ASTM classification, Gradation Analysis, Moisture Content, Ash Content, Organic Content and Atterberg Limits (Liquid Limit, Plastic Limit, and Plasticity Index).



- **Bulk Chemical Analysis:** Bulk chemical analysis will be performed by GeoLabs on recovered sediment. Two composite samples will be analyzed from the six cores collected at the pond. Samples will be obtained for VOCs before homogenizing. Then each remaining sample will be mixed thoroughly to create a composite sample representative of the three cores. These will be analyzed for metals (arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, mercury, nickel and zinc), polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) with congeners, and extractable petroleum hydrocarbons (EPHs) with target polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs). This list of analytes is preliminary and will be finalized through communication with MassDEP prior to sampling. The list may be modified based on the history of land use within the watershed and the potential for additional contaminants.

Detection limits for this testing will be set at a level appropriate for material removal, storage, and disposal as specified under "Regulations for Water Quality Certification for Dredging, Dredged Materials Disposal, and Filling in the Waters of the Commonwealth" and sufficient to complete an application for an Army Corps of Engineer 404 Permit.

The purpose of this assessment is to assess: (a) the availability of certain nutrients within the sediment of Hopedale Pond, which can contribute to excessive plant growth and (b) the overall ecological health of the pond. VOC samples will be preserved in methanol. Other samples will be delivered on-ice to the appropriate sediment quality laboratory along with a completed chain of custody. GeoLabs will conduct analysis for all sediment quality parameters. For the sampling of sediment from Hopedale Pond, ESS personnel will follow the SOGs for the sampling of sediment (Appendix A).

### **3.4 BIOLOGICAL ASSESSMENTS**

- (a) **Phytoplankton and Zooplankton:** Phytoplankton and zooplankton will be sampled and analyzed five times (May, June, July, August and September) at one site, in association with the in-pond water quality sampling events. Phytoplankton will be collected in the form of a grab sample just below the water surface. A fine mesh (153 micron [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]) plankton tow net will be used to collect depth-integrated zooplankton samples. Samples will be concentrated (if needed), labeled and preserved in the field. This information will be used to describe Hopedale Pond's phytoplankton and zooplankton communities and their significance with respect to the pond's overall trophic condition and future management implications. ESS will conduct phytoplankton and zooplankton taxa identification and enumeration using a high-powered (40x) stereo dissecting microscope or a phase contrast compound microscope with magnification up to 1600x, as needed.
- (b) **Macrophytes:** An inventory of the aquatic plant community will be conducted for the purpose of describing species composition and abundance throughout the growing season and particularly during the period of peak development (usually August). The survey will be conducted over two consecutive days between late June and September. All plant species encountered will be identified by an ESS botanist using the most current taxonomic keys. Taxonomic keys used to identify plants include: *A Guide to Aquatic Plants in Massachusetts* (New England Aquarium, 1999), *Aquatic and Wetland Plants of Northeastern North America* (Crow and Hellquist, 2000)

and a series produced by the New Hampshire Agricultural Experiment Station (Crow and Hellquist, 1982).

Transects will be established such that plant cover and bio-volume (water column density) can be mapped throughout the pond. Additionally, unique habitat areas that are not located along these transects will be surveyed so that less abundant plant species may also be documented. If conditions warrant, it is likely that ESS will also employ the use of an underwater camera to aid in underwater plant mapping. This approach achieves results similar to the results that may be obtained by a diver. The data collected from this study will be of the quality necessary to establish baseline conditions and evaluate the potential costs of various plant management techniques for Hopedale Pond. In the completion of this macrophyte survey, ESS personnel will follow a streamlined approach comparable to that outlined in the SOGs for the creation of an aquatic plant map (Appendix A).

Maps depicting the distribution of the major plant beds (by species), plant cover (by percentage), and plant bio-volume (by percentage) will be created in GIS format as data layers. Using GIS, the acreage of Hopedale Pond covered by aquatic plants will be determined. The maps created by ESS will be compared with any previous mapping done on Hopedale Pond.

#### **4.0 PROJECT SCHEDULE**

The following table outlines the proposed project schedule for data collection and completion of the project. Since some of the water quality sampling will depend upon the size, duration, and timing of the storm events, this schedule may be altered during the study.

The following is a summary of the proposed schedule:

- Work associated with the water quality sampling effort will begin by May 2008.
- A Draft Project Report will be submitted to the Town detailing the methodology of the study and findings of all the analyses and assessments outlined in Section 2.0. Following receipt of comments, a Final Report will be prepared and submitted to the Town.

#### **5.0 ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES**

Water quality samples (in-pond, tributary/outlet, storm water and groundwater), sediment quality samples and phyto/zooplankton samples will be collected in the field by ESS personnel using the appropriate containers and preserved on ice. All field sampling will follow a streamlined approach comparable to that outlined in the SOGs for the acquisition of surface water samples, pond bathymetry, the sampling of sediment and the measurement of groundwater seepage quality and quantity (Appendix A). In addition, ESS personnel will deliver samples for bacteriological testing to GeoLabs in sufficient time to meet the critical holding times for these samples.

Water quality parameters to be tested by ESS personnel in the field will include: flow rate, pH, specific conductance, turbidity, dissolved oxygen, temperature. Water quality will be assessed in the field using instrumentation in accordance with the SOGs provided in Appendix A. All field meters will be calibrated in

accordance with their respective operator's manual prior to fieldwork and as needed while in the field. In order to avoid cross contamination, field equipment will be rinsed prior to each measurement using de-ionized water or surface water from the next station. A flow probe will be the preferred flow rate-measuring device for this study; however, time of travel flow measurements may be conducted if equipment malfunctions in the field or if flow is too slow or the stream is too shallow to be accurately characterized by the flow probe. Both of these methods are described in detail in Appendix A.

Water quality parameters to be tested (by GeoLabs) will include: nitrate and nitrite nitrogen, ammonium nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus, total suspended solids, total iron, dissolved iron, *E. coli*, and chlorophyll *a*.

Sediment quality parameters to be tested (by GeoLabs) will include: arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, mercury, nickel, zinc, PCBs, PAHs, EPH, VOCs, percent water, ASTM classification, gradation analysis, ash content, organic content and Atterberg Limits (liquid limit, plastic limit, and plasticity index).

The laboratory testing programs for sediment quality and water quality are summarized in Table 1 below.

**Table 1: Water and Sediment Quality Sampling/Laboratory Parameters (for all samples)**

| PARAMETER            | Sample Matrix | Number of Samples* | Minimum Volume Needed | Sample Container | Sample Preservation    | Maximum Hold Time (Hours) | EPA #      |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| <i>E. coli</i>       | Water         | 62                 | 100ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 6                         | 9213D      |
| TSS                  | Water         | 54                 | 300ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 7 days                    | 160.2      |
| Total Phosphorus     | Water         | 54                 | 500ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 48                        | 365.2      |
| Dissolved phosphorus | Water         | 62                 | 500ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 48                        | 365.2      |
| TKN                  | Water         | 54                 | 100ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 48                        | 351.3      |
| Nitrate nitrogen     | Water         | 62                 | 50ml                  | Plastic          | Ice                    | 48                        | 353.3      |
| Nitrite nitrogen     | Water         | 62                 | 50ml                  | Plastic          | Ice                    | 48                        | 354.1      |
| Ammonium nitrogen    | Water         | 62                 | 100ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 28 days                   | 350.1      |
| Dissolved iron       | Water         | 8                  | 100ml                 | Plastic          | Ice                    | 6                         | 200.7      |
| Total iron           | Water         | 14                 | 100ml                 | Plastic          | Ice (then nitric acid) | 180 days                  | 200.7      |
| Chlorophyll <i>a</i> | Water         | 14                 | 3L                    | Plastic          | Ice                    | Immediate                 | SM 10200-H |
| Phytoplankton        | Water         | 5                  | 500ml                 | Plastic          | 0.5% Glutaraldehyde.   | Indefinite                | None       |
| Zooplankton          | Water         | 5                  | N/A                   | Plastic          | 75% Ethanol            | Indefinite                | None       |
| Arsenic              | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Cadmium              | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Chromium             | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Copper               | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Lead                 | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Mercury              | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 245.1      |
| Nickel               | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| Zinc                 | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 6 months                  | 200.7      |
| PCBs                 | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 7 days                    | 8082       |
| PAHs                 | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 7 days                    | 8270       |
| EPH                  | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | Amber Glass      | Ice                    | 28 days                   | 418.1      |
| VOCs                 | Sediment      | 2                  | 100g                  | VOA Vial         | Methanol               | 14 days                   | 8260       |



|                    |          |   |        |             |               |            |               |
|--------------------|----------|---|--------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| Gradation Analysis | Sediment | 2 | 1,000g | Plastic Bag | None required | Indefinite | ASTM D 422-63 |
| % water            | Sediment | 2 | 100g   | Amber Glass | Ice           | 14 days    | 160.3         |
| % organic content  | Sediment | 2 | 100g   | Amber Glass | Ice           | 7 days     | 160.4         |
| % ash content      | Sediment | 2 | 100g   | Amber Glass | Ice           | 7 days     | 160.4         |
| Atterberg limits   | Sediment | 2 | 100g   | Amber Glass | None required | Indefinite | ASTM D4318-05 |

\*Does not include field duplicates. Duplicates will be collected at a 5% rate for water quality samples only.

The laboratories, as part of their internal QA/QC program, routinely analyze duplicate samples for each analytical batch, and water quality field duplicates will be collected at a 5% rate for this project. Given the large number of samples being collected on any given date, internal checks on the validity of field data will be possible as well and ESS will evaluate data as it is received from the lab. If any data is questionable, ESS will contact the lab immediately to determine whether the problem is due to a transcription error or, if necessary, have the lab re-run the sample test.

Table 2 summarizes the parameters to be measured in the field with respective EPA methods. Conductivity, DO, temperature, pH and flow rate will be measured directly in the water column, where possible. Turbidity and color will be collected in glass or plastic containers and measured immediately in the field. All field parameters will be duplicate tested at a 5% rate for quality control (QC) purposes.

**Table 2: Water Quality Sampling / Field Parameters.**

| PARAMETER                            | Flow Rate                   | Specific Conductance | Dissolved Oxygen                 | Turbidity              | pH           | Color           | Temperature  |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Sample Matrix                        | Water                       | Water                | Water                            | Water                  | Water        | Water           | Water        |
| Number of Samples*                   | 40                          | 20                   | 54                               | 62                     | 62           | 54              | 62           |
| Sample Container                     | Instrument                  | Instrument           | Instrument                       | Instrument             | Instrument   | Instrument      | Instrument   |
| Hold Time                            | In Field                    | In Field             | In Field                         | In Field               | In Field     | In Field        | In Field     |
| EPA Number                           | -                           | 120.1                | 360.1                            | 180.1                  | 150.1        | -               | 170.1        |
| Expected Range of Field Measurements | 0.3 – 25 cfs                | 0 to 1,000 $\mu$ S   | 0 to 20 mg/L<br>0 to 200 % Sat.  | 0 to 1100 NTU          | 4 - 10 SU    | 0 – 100 units   | -2 to 30 °C  |
| Precision                            | 0.1 cfs<br>(Expected)       | 1% full scale        | 0.01 mg/L<br>0.1 % Sat.          | 0.01 NTU<br>(Expected) | 0.1 SU       | 0.5 units       | 0.1 °C       |
| Accuracy                             | $\pm$ 0.1 cfs<br>(Expected) | $\pm$ 1 % full scale | $\pm$ 0.3 mg/L<br>$\pm$ 2 % Sat. | $\pm$ 2 %              | $\pm$ 0.1 SU | $\pm$ 0.5 units | $\pm$ 0.2 °C |

\*Does not include field duplicates.

Phytoplankton and zooplankton samples will be logged on a project log-in sheet and examined for signs of damage upon receipt. Large samples may be randomly subsampled using a Folsom or comparable sample splitter. ESS will conduct all phytoplankton and zooplankton taxa identification and enumeration using a high-powered (40x) stereo dissecting microscope or phase contrast compound microscope with magnification up to 1600x, as needed. Identification will typically be to family level, using freshwater plankton keys such as *How to Know the Freshwater Algae* (Prescott, 1978), *Freshwater Algae of North*

*America: Ecology and Classification* (Wehr and Sheath, 2002) and *Pennak's Freshwater Invertebrates of the United States: Porifera to Crustacea* (Smith, 2001), as applicable. A taxonomic reference collection for the project will be maintained by ESS. Phytoplankton biovolume will be calculated using shape formulas developed by Hildebrand et al. (1999).

## **6.0 QUALITY CONTROL REQUIREMENTS**

### **6.1 Water Quality Sampling**

By ensuring that the field sampling plan is followed, proper sampling techniques are used, proper analytical procedures are followed, and that sample holding times are not exceeded, ESS will be certain to collect and report water quality data that are representative.

The in-pond water sampling program has been designed to provide data representative of *E. coli*, TSS, TKN, nitrate and nitrite nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, total and dissolved phosphorus, total iron and chlorophyll *a*. In addition, water quality parameters including temperature, Secchi disk depth, turbidity, pH, true color and dissolved oxygen will be measured in the field.

The storm water sampling program has been designed to provide data representative of *E. coli*, TSS, TKN, nitrate and nitrite nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, total and dissolved phosphorus, in dry and wet weather stream and storm drain flow. It is expected that bacteria, TSS, TKN, total phosphorus and field parameters measured will fluctuate in response to changes in stream discharge. Consequently, ESS will attempt to collect a minimum of three wet weather samples from each stream sampling location and two wet weather samples from each outfall sampling location to provide data on the mean value and the range of values that are occurring at each site. If dry weather flow is observed at selected outfalls, a dry weather sample will also be collected at these locations.

The groundwater sampling program has been designed to measure nitrate nitrogen, ammonia nitrogen, *E. coli*, dissolved iron, and dissolved phosphorus. Additionally, temperature, conductivity, pH, and turbidity will be measured in the field.

### **6.2 Sediment Sampling**

By ensuring that the field sampling plan is followed, proper sampling techniques are used, proper analytical procedures are followed, and that sample holding times are not exceeded, ESS will be certain to collect and report water quality data that are representative of actual sediment conditions. All sediment cores will be logged and photographed at the time of collection.

### **6.3 Macrophyte Mapping**

Plants that cannot be easily identified within the field due to either condition or development stage will be sampled and transported back to the lab in plastic bags for identification and/or verification using appropriate taxonomic keys, dissecting microscopes, and consultation with other ESS plant experts. This will ensure that identifications made are as accurate as possible.

#### **6.4 Plankton Sampling and Analysis**

Phytoplankton and zooplankton samples will be subject to random QC checks by a second ESS taxonomic expert, in order to ensure correct and complete taxonomic identification and check for transcription errors.

#### **6.5 Laboratory Analyses**

The accuracy, precision, and sensitivity of laboratory analytical data are critical to achieving the QC acceptance criteria of the analytical protocols. With respect to parameters tested in the laboratory, QC requirements for precision, accuracy, and measurement range will be implemented according to GeoLabs' Quality Assurance Plan.

### **7.0 DATA VALIDATION AND MANAGEMENT**

#### **7.1 Field Data**

A permanently bound notebook with waterproof pages will be maintained for field sampling. All entries into the notebook will be made with indelible ink or pencil. Corrections will be made using a single line through the mistake with the initials of the individual who made them. Entries will include sampling location, time, date, weather conditions, personnel, parameters to be measured and associated data, as well as any problems encountered during sampling. Copies of data sheets will be checked regularly by the Project QA Officer and will be made available for review upon request.

#### **7.2 Laboratory Data**

Analytical results will be recorded in a permanently bound laboratory notebook, specific for each instrument and method. The automated analytical equipment will have computer generated analytical runs and any problems associated with the analytical runs will be flagged and noted. If any corrective action is taken, it will be noted in narrative in the instrument notebook.

The laboratory will provide ESS with the following deliverables:

- Sample data results for all field samples
- Internal and field duplicate sample results, as applicable
- A case narrative of any deviations from QA/QC criteria and observations about the samples that potentially affect sample or data quality (i.e., missed holding times, broken or leaking bottles, and reference standards or check standards outside criteria, etc.).

The following deliverables will not be required, but will be maintained by the laboratory as applicable and could be made available upon request:

- All raw data
- Duplicate laboratory recoveries and acceptance limits

- Matrix spike/matrix spike duplicate results and acceptance limits
- Method/reagent blank results
- Calibration standards/reference standards/LFB reports
- Copies of instrument logbooks
- Copies of internal chains of custody

All reports will be generated in digital and hard copy form.

## **8.0 REPORTING**

A draft report will be prepared and submitted to the Town for review and comment. In the draft report, ESS will provide a brief narrative of methodologies used and analytical results obtained. Tables and figures will also be provided to summarize the findings of the water quality sampling program. Results will be presented in a comprehensive final report, which will incorporate the comments of the Town. ESS will assess the water quality data, using Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection standards where applicable, to identify those locations that would require either additional monitoring or implementation of specific Best Management Practices BMPs. The Final Report will be accompanied by a Pond and Watershed Management Plan with recommendations of corrective actions and their respective estimated costs for restoring or protecting water resources found to be associated with major sources of water quality impairment. ESS will prepare and deliver a final presentation of the data and significant findings of this study at the direction of the Town. One electronic copy of the presentation will also be provided in CD-ROM format for future use.



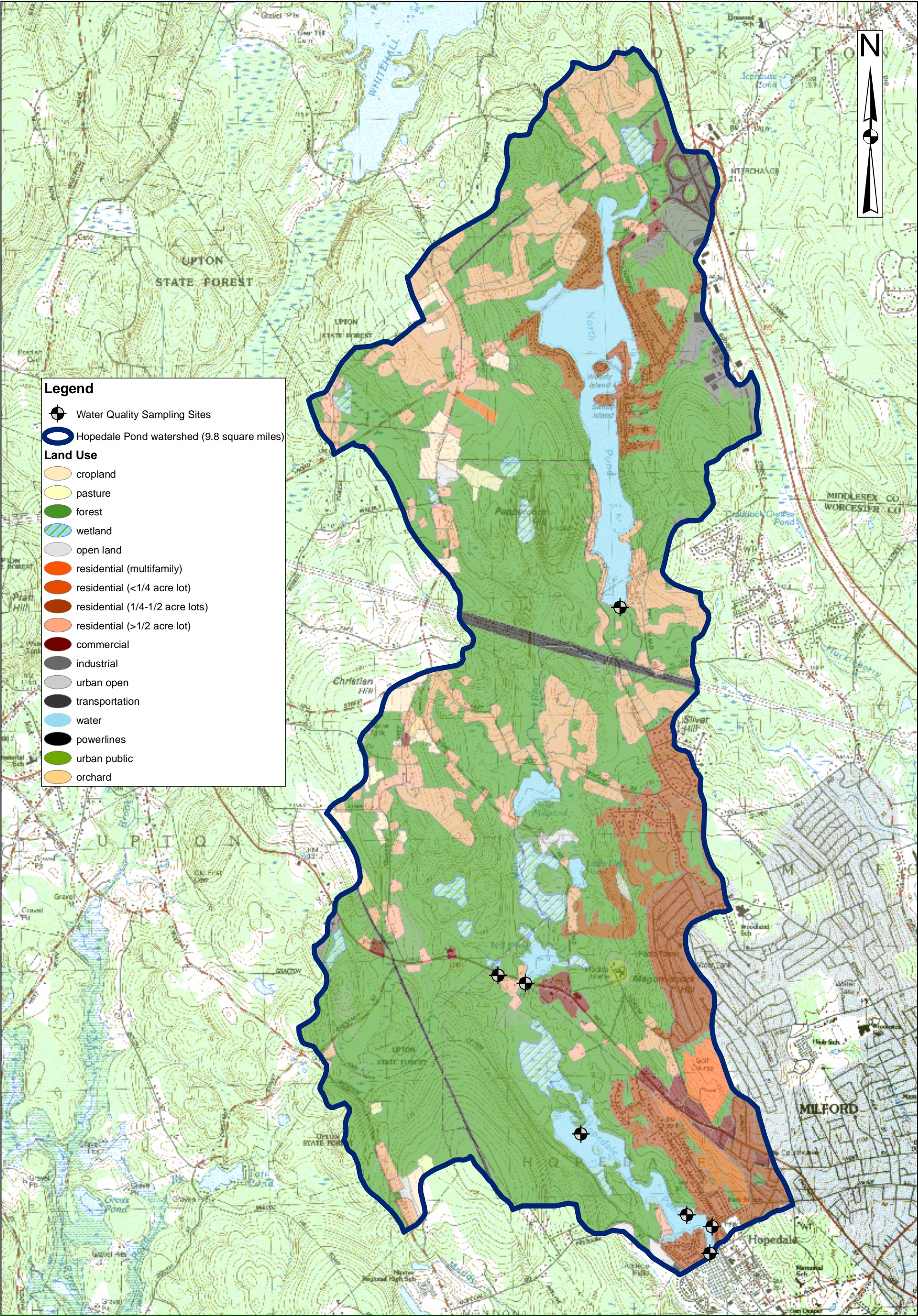
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## Appendix A

### Standard Operating Guidelines for Field Measurements

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# **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC. STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR THE CREATION OF A BATHYMETRY MAP**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

This Standard Operating Guideline (SOG) provides basic instructions for the mapping of depth contours within standing waterbodies. The methods outlined below are intended (1) to standardize depth measurement techniques used by Environmental Science Services field personnel; (2) to standardize the recording of depth measurements to ensure the creation of an accurate bathymetry map.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1 Project Manager**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2 Field Personnel**

The field personnel are responsible for taking accurate depth measurements at documented locations throughout the waterbody. The field personnel are also responsible for recording the number of depth measurements that will best characterize the bathymetric contours of the waterbody, i.e. steep contour areas with coves will be more thoroughly characterized than shallow contour areas with no coves.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for the creation of a bathymetry map:

- Boat
- Depth Probe
- Measuring Pole 10ft in length. Marked off in 1ft increments
- Enlarged outline of the waterbody on write-in-the-rain paper
- Global Positioning System (GPS) unit (optional)

- Field note book
- Historical bathymetric maps for the waterbody (optional)

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 Depth Measurement Procedure**

- A number of transects will be drawn on the map of the waterbody to act as a guide in the collection of depth measurements. The number and location of transects selected will depend on the size and shape of the waterbody, with the aim of thoroughly characterizing the bathymetric contours within it. Historical bathymetric maps can be used (if available) to guide in the selection of transect locations so that areas requiring more thorough characterization can be identified.
- The boat will be driven along each transect, at appropriately spaced points along the transect the boat will be stopped and a measure of the depth of the water at that point will be recorded.
- The number of depth measurement points will depend on the rate of change in depth as the boat is moved along each transect, i.e. the steeper the slope of the waterbody bottom, the more depth measurements will be taken in order to illustrate incremental changes in depth (i.e. 1ft, 2ft or 5ft increments).
- Each depth measurement point along the transect will be numbered and marked onto the map in order to later link depth data with location information. Locations may be estimated based on landmarks and shoreline morphometry or more precisely mapped using a Global Positioning Systems (GPS). The depth at each point will also be noted with its associated transect and point number in the field note book.
- At each measurement point when the depth is 10ft or less, a measuring pole will be used to measure the exact depth of the water in feet. At depths greater than 10ft a sonar depth probe will be used. This approach minimizes the possibility of plant growth interfering with sonar measurements.

### **4.2 Creation of Bathymetry Maps**

- In the office, depth measurements recorded from throughout the waterbody will be linked with the transects and measurement point locations drawn onto the outline map.



- The known depths at known locations throughout the water body will then be used as a guide (or base) for the drawing of contour lines onto the outline map, thus illustrating incremental changes in water depth either in 1ft, 2ft or 5ft increments depending on the overall depth of the water body.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

At each depth measurement point, no matter which depth equipment is being used, a couple of measurements will be taken in very close proximity to each other to make sure the readings are the same, in case of rocks, plants, or other obstacles on the bottom are affecting the measurement at one specific point. In instances where the the measurements are slightly different, the average depth will be recorded.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Depth measurements will be recorded in field note books associated with location information in the form of transect numbers and depth measurements points, by ESS personnel. The locations of transect lines and depth measurement points will be recorded on a write-in-the-rain map outline of the waterbody. Any unanticipated site specific information, which requires ESS field personnel to deviate from the above SOG will be reported in an ESS field notebook. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date of survey
- Weather conditions
- Signature or initials of person performing the survey
- Depth measurement point locations
- Comments/Observations

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly complete an assessment of depth contours within a waterbody, the analyst must be familiar with the measurement and data collection protocols as stated within this SOG and must have confidence in the use of depth measurement equipment.

**ESS GROUP, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine calibration and operation of a variety of specific conductance meters. Although this meter measures additional parameters (e.g., temperature, TDS), this SOG addresses specific conductance measurement only (other capabilities are outlined in the appropriate SOG and manufacturer's individual instrument manuals). This SOG is designed specifically for the measurement of specific conductance in accordance with EPA Method 120.1 and Standard Method 2510 B which address specific conductance measurements of drinking, surface, and saline waters, domestic and industrial wastes, and acid rain.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (OAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory analyses.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1**

The analyst is responsible for verifying that the specific conductance meter is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for this procedure:

- Specific conductance meter
- Specific conductance meter manufacturer's instruction manual
- Deionized water

- KCl standard at concentration that approximates sample concentrations
- Lint-free tissues
- National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)-traceable thermometer
- Calibration sheets or logbook
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

#### **4.0 METHOD**

##### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

###### **4.1.1**

Specific conductance measurements should be taken soon after sample collection since temperature changes, precipitation reactions, and absorption of carbon from the air can affect the specific conductance. If specific conductance measurements cannot be taken immediately (within 24 hours), samples should be filtered through a 0.45  $\mu\text{m}$  filter, stored at 4°C and analyzed within 28 days.

###### **4.1.2**

Report results as specific conductance,  $\mu\text{mhos/cm}$  at 25°C.

###### **4.1.3**

As temperature can affect the specific conductance measurements obtained, record both the specific conductance and the temperature of the sample. The Cole-Parmer Portable Conductivity Meter has the ability to compensate for temperature.

###### **4.1.4**

Secondary standards may be purchased as a solution from commercial vendors. These standards should not be used after their expiration dates as provided by the manufacturer. An expiration date of one year should be used if the manufacturer does not supply an expiration date or if the standards are prepared from various salts (e.g., KCl).

##### **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures**

###### **4.2.1**

The specific conductance meter must be calibrated daily (or the calibration checked) before any analyses are performed.



#### **4.2.2**

Set up the instrument according to the manufacturer's instructions.

#### **4.2.3**

Rinse the probe with deionized water and dry with a lint-free tissue.

#### **4.2.4**

Dip the probe into the calibration standard. Immerse the probe tip beyond the upper steel band. Stir the probe gently to create a homogenous sample.

#### **4.2.5**

Record the stabilized specific conductance reading of the standard and the temperature. Enter the calibration mode (according to manufacturer's instructions) and change the value on the primary display to match the value of the calibration standard. The meter can be adjusted to  $\pm 20\%$  from the default setting. If the measurement differs by more than  $\pm 20\%$ , the probe should be cleaned or replaced as needed. If the meter does not have automatic temperature compensation (ATC), correct all measurements to 25°C by adding 2% of the reading per degree if the temperature is below 25°C or by subtracting 2% of the reading per degree if the temperature is above 25°C.

#### **4.2.6**

An additional check may be performed, if required by the project plan, by placing the probe into an additional KCI standard. This standard should be from a different source than the standard used for the initial calibration. This standard should read within 5% of the true value.

#### **4.2.7**

Verify the calibration every 15 samples and at the end of the day. Recalibrate or replace the instrument if the check value is not within 15% of the true value.

#### **4.2.8**

The probe will be rinsed with deionized water and wiped gently with a lint-free tissue between sample analyses.

#### **4.2.9**

The meter must be recalibrated following any maintenance activities and prior to the next use.

#### **4.2.10**

Conductivity data may be post calibrated using any of a variety of calibration data including, but not limited to field calibration points, manufacturer calibration data, and analytical results from samples collected during field deployment of the sensors. The decision criteria for post

calibration, and the technique used will be specified in the project plan, and will be consistent with the manufacturer's recommendations.

### **4.3 Troubleshooting Information**

If there are any performance problems with any of the specific conductance meters which result in inability to achieve the acceptance criteria presented in Section 5.0, consult the appropriate section of the meter instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department immediately for further instructions.

### **4.4 Maintenance**

#### **4.4.1**

Instrument maintenance should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.

#### **4.4.2**

The probe must be stored and maintained according to the manufacturer's instructions.

#### **4.4.3**

If an instrument with ATC is being used, the meter should be checked annually for accuracy with an NIST thermometer.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

### **5.1**

The meter must be calibrated daily before sampling and recalibrated every 12 hours, and will not be used for sample determinations of specific conductance unless the initial check standard value is within 5% of the true value.

### **5.2**

Duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency specified in the project plan. In the absence of project-specific criteria, duplicate measurements should agree within 10%.

### **5.3**

The temperature readout of the meter will be checked against an NIST traceable thermometer at least quarterly. If the difference is greater than 0.2°C, the instrument manufacturer will be consulted for instructions. Temperature measurements will be compensated for any difference with the reference thermometer.

#### **5.4**

Some agencies may require the analysis of USEPA Water Pollution (WP) performance evaluation samples. These performance evaluation samples will be analyzed as required.

### **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

#### **6.1**

All specific conductance meter calibration, temperature check, and maintenance information will be recorded on the daily calibration sheet (an example is presented as Figure 1). Specific conductivity data may be recorded on the appropriate laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks.

#### **6.2**

Calibration documentation must be maintained in a thorough and consistent manner. At a minimum, the following information must be recorded:

- Date and time of calibration
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Expiration dates and batch numbers for all standards
- Reading for standard before and after meter adjustment
- Readings for all continuing calibration checks
- Temperature of standards (corrected for any difference with reference thermometer)
- Comments

#### **6.3**

Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Temperature (corrected for any difference with reference thermometer) and conductance of sample (including units and duplicate measurements) Note: show all calculations for converting instrument reading to  $\mu\text{mhos/cm}$  if the instrument provides readings in any other units. Useful conversions are:  $1 \text{ mS/m} = 10 \mu\text{mho/cm}$  or  $1 \mu\text{mho/cm} = 0.1 \text{ mS/m}$ .



- Comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform specific conductance measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that specific conductance measurements be taken in the field by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 17th Edition, 1989.

Methods for the Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, EPA 600/4-79-020, Revised 1983.

**ESS GROUP, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF DISSOLVED OXYGEN**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine measurement of dissolved oxygen using a polarographic sensor equipped dissolved oxygen meter with a digital read-out such as the YSI Model 55 Handheld Dissolved Oxygen System. Measurements are made in accordance with EPA Standard Methods that addresses dissolved oxygen measurement of drinking, surface, and saline waters, and domestic and industrial wastes.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory measurements.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1**

The analyst is responsible for verifying that the dissolved oxygen measuring device is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for this procedure:

- Dissolved oxygen meter with digital read-out device
- Manufacturer's instruction manual for the instrument
- YSI Model 5775 Standard Membrane Kit with KCl solution and O-rings
- NIST-traceable thermometer

Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

To achieve accurate dissolved oxygen measurements, samples should be analyzed *in situ*. Measurements in flowing waters should be made in relatively turbulent free areas. Measurements in standing waters will require probe agitation to create water movement around the probe.

### **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures**

To accurately calibrate the YSI Model 55, you will need to know the approximate altitude of the region in which you are located and the approximate salinity of the water you will be analyzing. Fresh water has a salinity of approximately zero. Seawater has an approximate salinity of 35 parts per thousand (ppt). If uncertain, measure salinity with an appropriate device.

#### **4.2.1**

Ensure that the sponge inside the instrument's calibration chamber is wet then insert the probe into the chamber. Turn the instrument on and wait for readings to stabilize (approximately 15 minutes).

#### **4.2.2**

To calibrate, enter the calibration menu by pressing and releasing both the up and down arrow keys at the same time. Enter the altitude (in hundreds of feet) at the prompt by using the arrow keys to increase or decrease the altitude (example: 12 = 1,200 feet). Press enter when correct altitude is shown.

#### **4.2.3**

The meter should display CAL in the lower left of the display with the calibration value in the lower right of the display and the current D.O. reading (before calibration) should be on the main display. Once the D.O. reading is stable, press ENTER. Enter the salinity at the prompt by using the arrow keys. Press ENTER when finished and the instrument will return to normal operation.

#### **4.2.4**

Calibration should be performed at a temperature within  $\pm 10^{\circ}\text{C}$  of the sample temperature. Verify the calibration every 15 samples and at the end of the day.

#### **4.2.5**

If erratic readings occur, replace membrane as per the manufacturer's manual. The average replacement interval is two to four weeks.

#### **4.2.6**

Replace the membrane as per the manufacturer's manual if bubbles appear ( $>1/8$  inch diameter), or if the membrane becomes damaged, wrinkled, or fouled.

#### **4.2.7**

Avoid contact with any environment which contains substances that may attack the probe materials (e.g. acids, caustics, and strong solvents).

#### **4.2.8**

The meter must be re-calibrated following any maintenance activities and prior to the next use.

### **4.3 Troubleshooting Information**

If there are any performance problems with the dissolved oxygen-measuring device, consult the appropriate section of the instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department immediately for further instructions.

### **4.4 Maintenance**

Instrument maintenance for meter-type dissolved oxygen measuring devices should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

### **5.1**

Duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency specified in the project plan. In the absence of project-specific criteria, duplicate measurements should agree within  $\pm 0.2$  mg/L.

### **5.2**

The temperature readout of the meter will be checked regularly (at least weekly) against a NIST-traceable thermometer. If the difference is greater than 0.5°C, the instrument manufacturer will be consulted for instructions. Temperature measurements will be compensated for any difference with the reference thermometer.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

All dissolved oxygen meter calibration, checks, and maintenance information will be recorded on the daily calibration sheet or logbook. Dissolved oxygen data may be recorded on the appropriate laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks.

### **6.1**

Calibration documentation must be maintained in a thorough and consistent manner. At a minimum, the following information must be recorded:

- Date and time of calibration
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement



- Instrument identification number/model
- Expiration dates and batch numbers for all standard solutions
- Readings for all continuing calibration checks
- Comments

## **6.2**

Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Dissolved oxygen, both in mg/L and percent saturation (corrected for any difference with reference thermometer) and temperature of sample (including units and duplicate measurements)
- Comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform dissolved oxygen measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that dissolved oxygen measurements in the field be taken by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 17th Edition, 1989.

Methods for the Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, EPA 600/4-79-020, Revised 1983

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF FLOW RATE**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine measurement of flow rate in bodies of running water. The two techniques under consideration are the Time of Travel Method and the Global Flow Probe Procedure.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory measurements.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2.1 The analyst is responsible for verifying that the instrumentation is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.
- 2.2 The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

- 3.1 The following materials are necessary for the Global Flow Probe Procedure:
  - Global Flow Probe FP101, Global Water, Gold River, CA
  - LCD computer display

- Radio Shack 675 HP or equivalent batteries
- Manufacturer's instruction manual for the instrument
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

3.2 The following materials are necessary for the Time of Travel Method:

- A neutral buoyancy floating object, such as a cracked ping-pong ball
- Twine or other heavy-duty string material
- Water proof yard-stick to measure stream depth
- Stop-watch
- Permanent marker (e.g., sharpie)
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 General Measurement Procedures For Global Flow Probe Procedure**

To achieve accurate flow measurements samples must be analyzed in the field. Flow measurements may be taken in small and large streams, rivers and within pipes.

- 4.1.1 The average velocity of stream flow multiplied by the cross-sectional area is equal to the flow rate ( $Q=V \times A$ ). The cross sectional area is determined manually by measuring the depth of the water at several points across the channel. The cross section in square feet times the average velocity in feet per second gives the cubic feet per second (c.f.s.).
- 4.1.2 When sampling within round pipes, one needs only to measure the water depth and then refer to the tables in the Global Flow Probe Instruction Manual to determine the cross-sectional area.

## **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures for Global Flow Probe Procedure**

The Flow Probe is set up and calibrated at the factory. The calibration sequence is entered automatically when the batteries are changed or by holding down both Right and Left buttons simultaneously for 8 seconds. Calibration should be checked annually.

- 4.2.1 To change between English and Metric units and to enter the calibration sequence, hold down both Left and Right buttons simultaneously for 8 seconds. The Left button scrolls between English “mi” and Metric “km”.
- 4.2.2 To check the calibration push the Right button to “CAL”. For “mi” calibration set Probe calibration to 33.31. For “km” calibration set Probe calibration to 1603. The Left button increases the number when the arrow points up and decreases the number when the arrow points down.
- 4.2.3 The Flow Probe computer has a simple 2 – button operation. The Right button changes between Function and the Left button picks the Option. Pushing both buttons simultaneously for 1 second zeros the displayed value.
- 4.2.4 By pushing the Right button you may scroll through the following functions. Velocity Function: “V” is instantaneous velocity to the nearest 0.1 feet per second. Push the Left button to scroll between “AV” (average velocity) and “MX” (maximum velocity) which reads out to the nearest 0.01 feet per second. Stop Watch / Clock Function: Push the Left button to start and stop watch.
- 4.2.5 Make sure the prop turns freely and point the prop directly into the flow with the arrow on the bottom of the probe pointing down-stream.
- 4.2.6 Press the Right button until the “V” for velocity appears and select the desired velocity parameters to be measured by pushing the Left button. Average velocity readings “AV” must be collected for flow rate measurements (c.f.s.).
- 4.2.7 Put the probe at your measuring point and press both Right and Left buttons simultaneously and release to re-zero and begin recording. Hold in the flow for several seconds until you have steady average velocity.



- 4.2.8 When sampling in small streams and within pipes, the probe should be moved slowly and smoothly along a vertical plane throughout the flow to ensure that the probe evenly samples the cross-sectional area of the flow.
- 4.2.9 When sampling larger streams and rivers divide the stream into subsections (e.g. 2-3 feet in width). At the center of each subsection, insert the probe and sample vertically from the surface to the bottom smoothly to obtain a vertical average velocity profile. The Average Velocity times the Area of the subsection is the Flow for the subsection. Add all the subsection flows to obtain the Total Stream Flow.
- 4.2.10 Repeat procedure three times in at least three different locations, recording data in field notebook. The flow rate should be calculated as an average of the three measurements taken at different locations within the channel or pipe.
- 4.2.11 Calculate discharge (Q) from the measured data, as follows:
- Measure and calculate the cross-sectional area of your flow stream in square feet and multiply this by the average velocity in feet / second to obtain discharge in cubic feet per second (c.f.s.).
  - Cross-sectional area (ft<sup>2</sup>) x AV (ft/sec) = Q (ft<sup>3</sup>/sec)

### **4.3 Calibration and Measurement Procedures for the Time of Travel Method**

- 4.3.1 To measure travel time, the length of time taken for the floating object to travel 3 feet will be measured as follows:
1. Select an appropriate stream cross section with relatively uniform and uninterrupted flow
  2. Securely attach 3 feet of string to floating object (i.e., cracked ping-pong ball)
  3. Release floating object in the water and activate timer
  4. Record time (T) from when the floating object is released to the time when the string goes taut, indicating that the object has traversed 3 feet
  5. Repeat procedure three times at three different locations, recording data in a field notebook. The flow rate should be calculated as an average of the three measurements taken at different locations within the stream channel. Flow rate = 3 feet/T (seconds) = X feet / second
  6. Measure stream average width and average depth at sampling location

4.3.2 Calculate discharge (Q) from the measured data, as follows:

1. Calculate cross-sectional area (A) of the stream, by multiplying average width and average depth
2. Select a coefficient or correction factor (C): 0.8 for rocky bottom streams, 0.9 for muddy bottom streams. The coefficient allows correction for the fact that water travels faster at the surface than at the stream bottom, due to resistance from bottom materials
3.  $Q = \frac{A * C * L}{T}$                       Where L= 3 feet and T= time of travel (seconds)  
Units of Q are typically cubic feet per second

#### **4.4 Troubleshooting Information for Global Flow Probe Procedure**

If there are any performance problems with the Global Flow Probe, consult the appropriate section of the instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department at (916) 638-3429 immediately for further instructions.

#### **4.5 Maintenance for Global Flow Probe Procedure**

Instrument maintenance for the Global Flow Probe should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.

### **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

#### **5.1 Quality Control for Global Flow Probe Procedure**

- 5.1.1 The Global Flow Probe calibration should be checked annually to ensure that the Flow Probe is operating up to factory specifications.

#### **5.2 Quality Control for the Time of Travel Method**

- 5.2.1 To ensure a quality measurement, a minimum of three times of travel measurements will be obtained and recorded at each sampling point. An average value will be used to measure of flow rate / discharge.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

### **6.1 Documentation for Global Flow Probe Procedure**

All Global Flow Probe calibration, checks, and maintenance information will be recorded on the daily calibration sheet or logbook. Flow data may be recorded on the appropriate laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks.

6.1.1 Calibration documentation must be maintained in a thorough and consistent manner. At a minimum, the following information must be recorded:

- Date and time of calibration
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Readings for all continuing calibration checks
- Comments

6.1.2 Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Flow Rate in cubic feet per second (c.f.s.), average water velocity and maximum water velocity
- Comments

### **6.2 Documentation for the Time of Travel Method**

6.2.1 All data will be recorded in a field logbook. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date, time and location of measurement
- Time of travel and distance traveled
- Comments, if any

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

- 7.1 To properly perform Global Flow Probe measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that flow measurements in the field be taken by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

- 7.2 No special training is required to implement the Time of Travel Method; however, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

Volunteer Stream Monitoring: A Methods Manual. EPA 841-B-97-003, November 1997.

Global Flow Probe Instruction Manual.



**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.**  
**STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR MEASUREMENT OF**  
**GROUNDWATER SEEPAGE QUANTITY AND QUALITY**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for the routine measurement of groundwater seepage quality and quantity as outlined in Mitchell et al. (1988 and 1989). These standard methods describe the proper installation of seepage meters and the operation of Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) samplers.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory analyses.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1 Project Manager**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2 Field Personnel**

The analyst is responsible for verifying that the seepage meters, seepage bags, hand pump and Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler is in proper operating condition prior to use and shall adhere to the measurement procedures as detailed in this SOG.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for the seepage meter installation procedure:

- Seepage meters (plastic drums cut in half with a single hole in the end for attachment of seepage bag)
- Plastic tubing with one hole stopper
- Seepage bags with one hole stoppers and plastic clamps

- 250 mL graduated cylinder
- Calibration sheets or logbook
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

The following materials are necessary for the collection of groundwater samples for analysis:

- Hydrochloric acid
- Distilled water
- Hand pump
- 1 L filter flask with stoppers and tubing
- Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler
- Sample bottles with labels

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

#### **4.1.1 Seepage Meter Installation**

- Initially, representative segments of the shoreline, where seepage meters will be positioned, are selected based on topography and housing density. Such segments may also be assigned to shoreline locations based on specific project objectives.
- Seepage surveys shall be conducted according to the field methods outlined in Mitchell et al. 1988 and 1989. ESS personnel shall estimate seepage quantity by installing two seepage meters per defined shoreline segment and measuring the change in volume in the attached seepage bag. Change in volume multiplied by a conversion factor relating the allotted seepage time (i.e., fraction of the day for which the seepage meter was running) and another conversion factor relating the seepage meter area to a square meter, yields the liters of in-seepage (positive value) or out-seepage (negative value) per square meter per day.
- Seepage meters shall be firmly embedded in the substrate to depth of greater than 4 inches. Inserting seepage meters to this preferred depth will ensure that volumetric changes observed in the attached seepage bags are truly representative of groundwater flows and will increase the likelihood that seepage meters will not be disrupted by strong currents or wave action.

- At each designated shoreline location (segments pre-determined by project plan), one seepage meter should be placed at a relatively shallow depth and one at a deeper depth in order to capture ground water flows that may be occurring in different strata.
- Seepage meters must be allowed to equilibrate for a minimum of 5 minutes before the system is “closed” by the attachment of the seepage bags.
- The seepage bag should be filled with an appropriate pre-measured volume of water. In most instances 250 mL will be appropriate. The pre determined volume of water is necessary since this volume is compared to the volume obtained after sufficient time has elapsed to quantify the change in volume (either positive or negative).
- Seepage bags are to be secured in place with as little disturbance of the seepage meter as possible. The best approach is to slowly twist the seepage bag’s rubber stopper into the hole of the seepage meter.
- Prior to use, seepage bags must be air dried in order to ensure that all residual water is removed from bags and therefore will not confound the change in volume measurements. Additionally, each bag and associated stopper must be visually inspected and air pressure tested prior to each use to ensure that no leakage can occur.

#### **4.1.2 Groundwater Sampling Using Littoral Interstitial Porewater Sampler**

- Groundwater seepage quality can be collected through sampling with a Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler. A hand pump, attached to a 250 ml plastic flask, creates a vacuum causing water to flow from the Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler into the attached plastic flask. Porewater extracted from a minimum of three locations in each segment.
- Samples collected may be tested in the field for parameters such as, temperature, conductivity and pH, and/or transferred into labeled bottles and sent to a laboratory for the other analyses.
- To reduce the likelihood of contamination, all sampling equipment must be cleansed thoroughly with 0.1N HCL and rinsed with distilled water immediately prior to the collection of each sample.

#### **4.2 Troubleshooting Information**

In the instance that the Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler fails to collect a sample, visually inspect the fine mesh tip of the sampler and remove any accumulated debris that may be present by rubbing the screen with a gloved hand or rinsing with distilled water.

#### **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

- Field duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency specified in the project plan.
- The quality of the LIP samples can be verified by field personnel if the field measured parameters (conductivity, temperature and pH) observed in the sample are compared to those of the receiving waterbody. Typically, during warm weather sampling seasons, the surface waters will exhibit warmer temperatures than the groundwater collected through LIP sampling. Additionally, groundwater samples may also exhibit different conductivity or pH than the receiving surface waters, although the direction of change is not predictable.

#### **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Seepage data will be recorded on the standard form attached. All seepage meters and Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler repair in the field and maintenance information will be recorded in the field notebook. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Sample identification/station location
- Comments

#### **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform seepage measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the seepage meters and Littoral Interstitial Porewater (LIP) sampler.

#### **8.0 REFERENCES**

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 17th Edition, 1989.

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Methods for the Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, EPA 600/4-79-020, Revised 1983.

**Lake Name:**

**Date:**

**In-Lake Water Temperature:**

**Weather:**

**Researchers:**

| <b>Seepage Meter ID</b> | <b>Size</b><br><i>S or L</i> | <b>Depth to base</b><br><i>inches</i> | <b>Time In</b><br><i>hr/min</i> | <b>Time Out</b><br><i>hr/min</i> | <b>Volume In</b><br><i>ml</i> | <b>Volume Out</b><br><i>ml</i> |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| S1a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S1b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S2a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S2b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S3a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S3b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S4a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S4b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S5a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S5b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S6a                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |
| S6b                     |                              |                                       |                                 |                                  |                               |                                |

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF pH**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine calibration and operation of a variety of pH meters, including the Hydac Multimeter Probe and the pHep pH Testers. Although these meters may measure additional parameters (e.g., temperature, specific conductivity, etc.), this SOG addresses pH measurement only (other capabilities are outlined in the appropriate SOG and manufacturer's individual instrument manuals). This SOG is designed specifically for the measurement of pH in accordance with EPA Method 150.1 and Standard Method 4500-H B which address electrometric pH measurements of drinking, surface, and saline waters, domestic and industrial wastes, and acid rain.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory analyses.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2.1 The analyst is responsible for verifying that the pH meter is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.
- 2.2 The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials may be necessary for this procedure:

- pH meter
- pH meter manufacturer's instruction manual
- Deionized water
- 4.0, 7.0, and 10.0 buffer solutions
- Lint-free tissues
- Mild detergent
- 10% hydrochloric acid
- National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)-traceable thermometer
- Calibration sheets or logbook
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

### **4.0 METHOD**

#### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

- 4.1.1 To achieve accurate pH measurements, samples should be analyzed in the field (preferably within 15 minutes), or as soon as possible after collection. Sample should be collected in plastic or glass containers.
- 4.1.2 After measuring a sample containing oily material or particulate matter, the electrode must be cleaned by carefully wiping with a lint-free cloth, or washing gently in a mild detergent, followed by a deionized water rinse. If this does not suffice, an additional rinse with 10% hydrochloric acid (followed by deionized water) may be needed.
- 4.1.3 As temperature can affect the pH measurements obtained, both the pH and the temperature of the sample must be recorded. Both the Hydac Multimeter and the pHep Tester that will be used in this study have the ability to compensate for temperature.
- 4.1.4 Calibration must include a minimum of two points that bracket the expected pH of the samples to be measured. Calibration measurements must be recorded in logbook.



4.1.5 Primary standard buffer salts available from NIST can be purchased and are necessary for situations where extreme accuracy is required. Secondary standard buffers may be purchased as a solution from commercial vendors and are recommended for routine use. Buffers should not be used after their expiration dates as provided by the manufacturer. An expiration date of one year should be used if the manufacturer does not supply an expiration date or if the buffers are prepared from pH powder pillows, etc.

4.1.6 When using the meter in the laboratory, always place the buffer/sample beaker on the magnetic stirrer, and make sure the stirring bar is rotating during measurements. Rinse the stirring bar as well as the beaker between buffers/samples.

EXCEPTION: Do not use the magnetic stirrer for acid rain samples. It is crucial not to induce dissolved gases into the sample to be absorbed or desorbed, as this will alter the pH. Stir the sample gently for a few seconds after introducing the electrode, then allow the electrode to equilibrate prior to recording temperature and pH readings.

4.1.7 When the meter is being used in the field, move the probe in a way that creates sufficient sample movement across the sensor; this insures homogeneity of the sample and suspension of solids. If sufficient movement has occurred, the readings will not drift (<0.1 pH units). Rinse the electrode with deionized water between samples and wipe gently with a lint-free tissue.

4.1.8 When measuring the pH of hot liquids, wait for the liquid to cool to 160°F or below.

4.1.9 Fluctuating readings may indicate more frequent instrument calibrations are necessary.

## **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures**

4.2.1 The pH meter must be calibrated daily before any analyses are performed. The meter should be re-calibrated every 12 hours or at the frequency specified in the project plan.

4.2.2 Connect the electrode to the meter. Choose either 7.0 and 10.0 (high range) or 4.0 and 7.0 (low range) buffers, whichever will bracket the expected sample range.

Place the buffer in a clean glass beaker. If the pH is being measured in a laboratory, place the beaker on the magnetic stirrer and place the stirring bar in the beaker. Measure and record the temperatures of the buffers using a calibrated thermometer or automatic temperature compensation (ATC).

- 4.2.3 Place the electrode into the 10.0 buffer or into the 7.0 buffer.
- 4.2.4 Adjust the instrument calibration according to the manufacturer's instructions. Discard the buffer and rinse the beaker and stirring bar thoroughly with deionized water.
- 4.2.5 Refill the beaker with the 7.0 buffer or the 4.0 buffer. Rinse the electrode, gently wipe with a lint-free tissue, and place it in the selected buffer solution. If the pH is being measured in a laboratory, place the beaker on the magnetic stirrer and place the stirring bar in the beaker. Continue adjusting the instrument calibration according to the manufacturer's instructions. Record the electrode slope (if provided by the instrument) on the calibration sheet (an acceptable slope is between 92 and 102 percent). Measure and record the temperature of the buffer using a calibrated thermometer or ATC. Discard the buffer and rinse the beaker and stirring bar thoroughly with deionized water.
- 4.2.6 An additional check may be performed, if required by the project plan, by placing the electrode into an additional buffer solution. This buffer should be from a different source than the buffers used for the initial calibration. This buffer should read within +0.2 pH units of the buffer's true pH value.
- 4.2.7 Verify the calibration every 15 samples and at the end of the day. Recalibrate the instrument if the check value varies more than 0.2 pH units from the true value.
- 4.2.8 The electrode will be rinsed with deionized water and wiped gently with a lint-free tissue between sample analysis.
- 4.2.9 Recalibrate the instrument if the buffers do not bracket the pH of the samples.
- 4.2.10 The meter must be re-calibrated following any maintenance activities and prior to the next use.

### **4.3 Troubleshooting Information**

If there are any performance problems with any of the pH meters which result in the inability to achieve the acceptance criteria presented in Section 5.0, consult the appropriate section of the meter instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department immediately for further instructions.

#### **4.4 Maintenance**

- 4.4.1 Instrument maintenance should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.
- 4.4.2 The electrode must be stored and maintained according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- 4.4.3 If an instrument with ATC is being used, the device should be checked on a quarterly basis for accuracy with an NIST thermometer.

### **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

- 5.1 Duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency specified in the project plan. In the absence of project-specific criteria, duplicate measurements should agree within  $\pm 0.1$  pH units.
- 5.2 The temperature readout of the meter will be checked annually against an NIST-traceable thermometer. If the difference is greater than  $0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$ , the instrument manufacturer will be consulted for instructions. Temperature measurements will be compensated for any difference with the reference thermometer.
- 5.3 Some regulatory agencies may require the analysis of USEPA Water Supply (WS) or Water Pollution (WP) performance evaluation samples. These performance evaluation samples will be analyzed as required.

### **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

- 6.1 All pH meter calibration, temperature check, and maintenance information will be recorded on the daily calibration sheet (Figure 1). pH data may be recorded on the appropriate laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks.
- 6.2 Calibration documentation must be maintained in a thorough and consistent manner. At a minimum, the following information must be recorded:

- Date and time of calibration
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Expiration dates and batch numbers for all buffer solutions
- Reading for pH 7.0 buffer before and after meter adjustment
- Reading for pH 4.0 or 10.0 buffer before and after meter adjustment
- Readings for all continuing calibration checks
- Temperature of buffers (corrected for any difference with reference thermometer), including units
- Comments

6.3 Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Temperature (corrected for any difference with reference thermometer) and pH of sample (including units and duplicate measurements)
- Comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform pH measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that pH measurements in the field be taken by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 17th Edition, 1989.

Methods for the Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, EPA 600/4-79-020, Revised 1983.



# **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC. STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR THE CREATION OF A AQUATIC PLANT MAP**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

This Standard Operating Guideline (SOG) provides basic instructions for the mapping of aquatic plants present within standing waterbodies. The methods outlined below are intended (1) to standardize plant mapping techniques used by Environmental Science Services field personnel; (2) to standardize recording of field data to assure the creation of an accurate plant map .

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1 Project Manager**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the survey in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2 Field Personnel**

The surveyor is responsible for identifying dominant aquatic plant beds within the waterbody, establishing the locations of the beds, noting the percentage of plant cover and biomass throughout the water body, keeping a species list of all plants identified within the waterbody and collecting clearly marked samples of all those plants unidentifiable in the field.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for the creation of a plant map:

- Boat
- Grappling rake (Xft in length)
- Aquascope
- Plant keys
- Enlarged outline of the waterbody on write-in-the-rain paper

- Field note book
- Small see through plastic bags
- Indelible marker
- Cooler
- Ice

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 Aquatic Plant Survey and Sample Collection**

- A number of transects will be drawn on the map of the waterbody to act as a guide for the survey. The number and location of transects selected will depend on the size and shape of the waterbody, with the aim of thoroughly characterizing the plants within it.
- The boat will be driven along each transect, at select points along the transect the boat will be anchored and a detailed survey of the aquatic plants carried out in the immediate area.
- The number of points surveyed along each transect will depend on the bathymetry and plant diversity in the survey area, with the aim of characterizing changes in the composition, cover and biomass of plant beds.
- Each point sampled along the transect will be numbered and marked onto the map in order to later link plant survey data with location information.
- At each survey point a grappling rake will be used to bring up aquatic plants from within the water column and from the bottom for closer identification within the boat.
- Each plant present within each survey area will be identified (using keys if necessary) and added to the species list for the waterbody. The dominant plant at each transect point will be noted with its associated transect and point number in the field note book
- If identification of certain plants is not possible in the field, a generous sample of these plants will be stored with a little water in a plastic bag clearly labeled with its transect and point number in indelible ink. All such sample bags will be stored in a cooler filled with ice to preserve the quality of the samples, and transported back to the lab for further study.

- While in the field, unknown plants will be assigned a code number e.g. Unk A, so if the same plant is found on any other transects this code can be used in the field note book.

#### **4.2 Assessment of Percentage Plant Cover and Percentage Plant Biomass**

- At each survey point ESS field personnel will use both an aquascope and general observation to rate the percentage plant cover i.e. the percentage of the bottom covered by plants, which is a factor of plant density. A simple code system will be used whereby percentage “ranges” are assigned a code number, i.e. 0 = 0%, 1 = 1%-25%, 2 = 26%-50%, 3 = 51%-75%, 4 = 76%-100%. At each survey point the plant cover “code” will be noted with its transect and point number in the field note book.
- Also at each survey point ESS field personnel will use both an aquascope and general observation to rate the percentage plant biomass i.e. the percentage of the water column filled with plants, which is a factor of water depth, plant height and plant density. The same code system as noted above will be used to assign code numbers to percentage ranges. At each survey point the plant biomass “code” will be noted with its transect and point number in the field note book.
- Assessment of both plant cover and biomass will continue along each transect with an aquascope and general observation until the water becomes too deep or too turbid to make such assessments. The grappling rake will then be used to scrape the bottom in order to make an estimate of the cover and biomass. Once the water becomes too deep for the bottom to be scraped with the grappling rake i.e. >16ft, the plant cover and biomass will be assumed to be 0%.

#### **4.3 Creation of Plant Maps**

- In the office, dominant plant beds identified within the waterbody will be linked with the transects and survey point locations drawn onto the outline map to create a dominant aquatic plant distribution map.
- Percentage plant cover and percentage plant biomass “code numbers” will be linked with the transects and survey point locations drawn onto the outline map to create maps that illustrate the percentage cover and percentage biomass of aquatic plants in every part of the waterbody.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

Dominant plants will be sampled and transported back to the lab in plastic bags for identification checks with other plant keys and from other ESS plant experts.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Dominant plants identified within the water body plus all other plants observed will be reported in field note books in the form of a species list, by ESS personnel. Dominant plants will also be recorded associated with location information in the form of transect numbers and survey points. Transect lines and survey points will be recorded on a write-in-the-rain map outline of the waterbody. Any unanticipated site-specific information, which requires ESS field personnel to deviate from the above SOG will be reported in an ESS field notebook. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date of survey
- Weather conditions
- Signature or initials of person performing the survey
- Plant survey point locations
- Comments/observations

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly complete an assessment of plants within a waterbody, the analyst must be familiar with the sampling protocols as stated in this SOG, must have confidence in the use of plant keys and must have familiarity with the aquatic plants of the area in question.



**ESS GROUP, INC.**  
**STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR MEASUREMENT OF**  
**TURBIDITY WITH A SECCHI DISC**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

This Standard Operating Guideline (SOG) provides basic instructions for the routine measurement of water clarity in lakes and ponds with a Secchi disc. Water clarity is a function of the number of particles in the water (algae, sediment, etc) and the color of the water, which both have an impact on the depth of light penetration. The transparency of the water column can be used as an indicator of water body productivity, with certain exceptions (e.g., naturally sediment laden waterbodies). Generally, the more productive a system is the more algae in the water column, and the lower the transparency. Water transparency can also be affected by erosionally suspended particles which are related to water depth and wave action. Thus on any given day the turbidity of a water body may be affected by its productivity, the season, wind speed and level of sunlight. The methods outlined below are intended (1) to standardize the use of a Secchi disc in the measurement of turbidity; (2) to standardize recording of field data to assure proper documentation of weekly, monthly and seasonal patterns in turbidity.

## **2.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for the measurement of turbidity with a Secchi disc:

- Weighted Secchi disc with attached length of rope marked off in one tenth of a meter increments with indelible ink.
- Field data sheets

## **3.0 METHODS**

- A location will be selected from which to measure turbidity, this location will stay constant throughout the study.
- The date, weather conditions, and personnel conducting the measurement will be recorded on the field sheet.
- The Secchi disc will be lowered slowly into the water by the rope so that the weight enters the water first and the disc follows, flat side parallel to the water surface.

- The disc will continue to be lowered through the water column until it is no longer visible.
- A note will be made of the depth of the disc at this point in tenths of a meter by reading where the surface of the water touches the rope.
- The disc will then be slowly raised until it is just visible again.
- Once again a note will be made of the depth of the disc at this point.
- An average of these two depths will be calculated to give the “Secchi depth”, i.e. a measure of the turbidity of the water.

#### **4.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Secchi depth data will be reported on field data sheets for every day that a measurement is taken. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- The date
- The time
- Weather conditions
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Depth measurements and average Secchi depth
- Field comments/observations on anything that may influence the Secchi depth measurement that day.

# **ESS GROUP, INC. STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR COLLECTION OF SEDIMENTS FROM FRESHWATER ENVIRONMENTS**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOGs) provide basic instructions for the collection of bottom sediments from freshwater environments. Collections are to be performed in accordance with methodologies generally accepted by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MADEP). Laboratory analysis of sediment samples should be performed by a state certified laboratory with the detection limits for analysis specified on the project's Chain of Custody as per MADEP's Interim Policy # COMM-94-007 and their subsequent Technical Update for freshwater sediment screening (May 2002).

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements may be defined in a site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory measurements.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

Field personnel are responsible for verifying that all sampling equipment is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the sampling procedures in accordance with this SOG and any specific project plan.

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials may be necessary for this procedure:

- Sediment coring or grab sampling device
- Stainless steel mixing bowl
- Stainless steel mixing spoon or tool
- Nitrile gloves
- Alconox
- Pre-cleaned sample jars provided by laboratory
- Pencil and labeling marker or pen
- Field data sheets or logbooks
- GPS receiver and/or map of target waterbody to record sample locations

#### **4.0 METHOD**

Field personnel are to collect sediment cores or grabs in accordance with the instructions provided with each specific sampling device deployed. Nitrile gloves should be worn at all times during these procedures. At each sampling location, a pre-cleaned grab sample dredge or corer is to be deployed, typically from a boat. All equipment is to be decontaminated using alconox and fresh water before the collection of each discrete sample. If specified by the project plan, samples may be composited in a pre-cleaned stainless steel mixing bowl and mixed thoroughly with a pre-cleaned stainless steel spoon before being transferred to the glass sampling jars provided by the laboratory. However, volatile organic compound (VOC) samples should be collected from cores prior to compositing.

The sample jar should be labeled with the sample identification, date, and any other project specific requirements. This information should be recorded in a field book at the time of sampling along with other essential information such as water depth, sample coordinates (or the location should be mapped on a figure at the time of sampling), and any other general notes on the nature of the sediment collected.

#### **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

Duplicate field samples or split samples may be collected if specified by the project plan. Once samples have been retrieved and placed into jars, the samples should be kept on ice or refrigerated until the laboratory can analyze them. Specific sample volumes, holding times, and detection limits for each parameter to be analyzed (Table 1) should be adhered to unless the project plan has outlined project-specific requirements.

**TABLE 1. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS**

| <b>PARAMETER</b>                           | <b>Volume Needed (ml)</b> | <b>Sample Container</b> | <b>Sample Preservation</b> | <b>Maximum Hold Time (hours)</b> | <b>Detection Limits (mg/Kg)</b> | <b>EPA #</b> |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Arsenic                                    | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 0.5                             | 200.7        |
| Cadmium                                    | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 0.1                             | 200.7        |
| Chromium                                   | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 1.0                             | 200.7        |
| Copper                                     | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 1.0                             | 200.7        |
| Lead                                       | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 1.0                             | 200.7        |
| Mercury                                    | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 0.02                            | 245.1        |
| Nickel                                     | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 1.0                             | 200.7        |
| Zinc                                       | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 6 months                         | 1.0                             | 200.7        |
| PCBs                                       | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 7 days                           | 0.01                            | 8082         |
| PAHs                                       | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 7 days                           | 0.02                            | 8270         |
| EPH  | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 28 days                          | 25                              | 418.1        |
| VOCs                                       | 100 g                     | Amber Glass             | Methanol                   | 7 days                           | 0.1                             | EPA/ACE 8260 |
| %TOC                                       | 50 g                      | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 28 days                          | 1.0%                            | 415.1        |
| Grain Size Analysis (Sieve and Hydrometer) | 1,000g                    | Plastic Bag/Glass       | None Required              | Indefinite                       | 0.1%                            | ASTMD 2216   |
| % Water                                    | 100g                      | Amber Glass             | Ice                        | 14 days                          | 1.0%                            | 160.3        |

#### **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of collection and analysis



- Signature or initials of person performing the collection or measurement
- Sample identification/station location
- Pertinent comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform sediment collections, the field personnel must be familiar with the techniques stated in this SOG and experienced in the operation of the sampling equipment.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

MADEP Interim Policy # COMM-94-007

MADEP 2002. Technical Update: Freshwater Sediment Screening Benchmarks for Use under the Massachusetts Contingency Plan. May 2002.

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES FOR THE ACQUISITION OF  
SURFACE WATER**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

This Standard Operating Guideline (SOG) provides basic instructions for the routine acquisition of surface water. The methods outlined below are intended (1) to standardize water sample collection methods used by Environmental Science Services field personnel; (2) to ensure that samples delivered to the laboratory represent field conditions as accurately as possible; (3) to standardize recording of field data to assure proper documentation of sample collection; (4) to minimize cross contamination between sampling sites.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory analyses.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **2.1 Project Manager**

The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **2.2 Field Personnel**

The analyst is responsible for verifying that the sampling bottles are appropriately sanitized and contain the appropriate preservative for the desired laboratory analyses. Sample bottle caps should be securely in place to ensure that no contamination has occurred and that preservative has not been released.

### **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for the acquisition of surface water:

- Rubber gloves
- Labeled sampling container provided from contracted laboratory, which is appropriately sanitized and contain the appropriate preservative for the desired analyses
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks
- List of sites or locations of each site to be sampled

### **4.0 METHOD**

#### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

- Unless noted otherwise, surface water samples will be collected via direct grab methods.
- Upon entering a sampling location, ESS field personnel shall minimize disturbance to upstream waters and shall always sample water from the undisturbed upstream region. In addition, when wading in waterbodies, field personnel will try and disturb as little bottom sediment as possible.
- Sample collection shall precede the measurement of physical field parameters (such as turbidity, conductivity, dissolved oxygen, etc.) in order to minimize the risk of sediment disturbance and/or contamination.
- Clean rubber gloves shall be worn at each sampling location. Gloves shall be rinsed with distilled water prior to subsequent sample collection. When sampling multiple sites on the same date, gloves may be rinsed in the immediate downstream reaches of the waterbody to be sampled, before sample collection, in order to minimize the risk of cross-contamination. When warranted by the sensitivity of the laboratory analyses under investigation or at the Clients request, new, sterile rubber gloves shall be worn at each different sampling location.
- In absence of a project specific sampling protocol, grab samples are to be collected from beneath the water surface (at approximately 8 to 12 inches beneath the surface or mid-way between the surface and the bottom if the waterbody is shallow, (EPA 1997)). Samples will be collected at an appropriate distance from the stream bank or lake shoreline and away from submerged obstacles. For small streams (i.e., 10-20 feet wide with a maximum depth of less than 2 feet) the appropriate distance to collect a sample would be the center, while within larger streams the sample would be taken at a location where water depth is 2-3 feet.

- When collecting samples, ESS field personnel shall stand downstream of the desired sampling location, hold the bottle near its base and plunge it below the water surface with the opening (mouth) downward. The opening of sample bottles shall always be directed away from field personnel in an upstream direction.
- Sample containers with preservatives should not be used to collect surface water samples. If using containers with preservatives, a pre-cleaned container of similar type should be used to collect the sample with subsequent transfer to the preserved container.
- ESS personnel shall leave an approximate 1-inch air space (except for dissolved oxygen and BOD samples) in sample bottles, so that bottles may be shaken (if needed) before analyses (EPA, 1997).
- ESS personnel shall place sample bottles and temperature blanks (if required by QAPP or QAM) in a cooler filled with ice (if required by QAPP or QAM).
- The testing or analytical method and sample containers, preservation technique, and sample volumes should be selected in consultation with the laboratory to ensure that the samples obtained will provide the desired results.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

### **5.1 Field Duplicates**

Field duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency specified in the project plan. Collection of duplicates will adhere to the surface water acquisition methods described above. Field duplicates will be collected immediately following initial sample collection.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

Surface water quality field data will be reported in field notebooks by ESS personnel. Surface water quality laboratory data will be reported by contracted laboratories on official laboratory letterhead. Any unanticipated site-specific information, which requires ESS field personnel to deviate from the above SOG will be reported in an ESS field notebook. Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement



- Sample identification/station location
- Comments/observations

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform the acquisition of surface water, the analyst must be familiar with the sampling protocols as stated in this SOG.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

EPA, 1997. Volunteer Stream Monitoring: A Methods Manual. United States Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Water. EPA 841-B-97-003.

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF TEMPERATURE**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine measurement of temperature using any high quality mercury-filled thermometer or thermistor with analog or digital read-out device such as the Hydac Multimeter Probe and YSI Model 55. Multimeter instruments used for temperature measurement may measure additional parameters (e.g., dissolved oxygen, conductivity, pH, etc.). This SOG addresses temperature measurement only (other capabilities are outlined in the appropriate SOG). This SOG is designed specifically for the measurement of temperature in accordance with EPA Method 170.1 and Standard Method 2550 B which address thermometric temperature measurement of drinking, surface, and saline waters, and domestic and industrial wastes.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory measurements.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2.1 The analyst is responsible for verifying that the temperature measuring device is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.
- 2.2 The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

### **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for this procedure:

- Thermometer or thermistor with analog or digital read-out device
- Manufacturer's instruction manual for the instrument
- National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)-traceable thermometer
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

### **4.0 METHOD**

#### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

To achieve accurate temperature measurements, samples should be analyzed immediately upon collection (preferably within 15 minutes). Samples should be collected in glass or plastic containers.

#### **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures**

- 4.2.1 ESS-owned temperature measuring devices will, at a minimum, be checked annually as described in Section 5.0. The device will be checked against an NIST-traceable thermometer and the necessary compensation made for the difference in temperature between the two. Rental equipment will be checked by the manufacturer and documentation provided to ESS.
- 4.2.2 Immerse the thermometer or temperature measuring device into the sample.
- 4.2.3 Swirl and take a reading when the value stabilizes.
- 4.2.4 Record the temperature reading to the nearest 0.50 for a thermometer or 0.10 for digital meter-type instruments. Compensate for any difference with the NIST-traceable thermometer.
- 4.2.5 Temperature data may be post-calibrated using any of a variety of calibration data including, but not limited to, field calibration points, manufacturer calibration data, and analytical results from samples collected during field deployment of the sensors. The decision criteria for post calibration, and the technique used, will be

specified in the project plan, and will be consistent with the manufacturer's recommendations.

### **4.3 Troubleshooting Information**

If there are any performance problems with any of the meter-type temperature measuring devices, consult the appropriate section of the meter instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department immediately for further instructions. If a performance problem exists with the thermometer, discard the thermometer and replace it.

### **4.4 Maintenance**

Instrument maintenance for meter-type temperature measuring devices should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

5.1 The temperature measuring devices will, at a minimum, be checked against an NIST-traceable thermometer at the frequency stated in Section 4.2.1. This verification procedure will be performed as follows:

- Immerse the thermometer or temperature sensor and the NIST-traceable thermometer into a sample.
- Allow the readings to stabilize.
- Record the readings and document the difference.
- Label the thermometer or temperature sensor with the correction value/adjustment and the date the accuracy check was performed.
- Compensate for the difference when sample measurements are taken.

5.2 Duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency stated in the project plan. In the absence of project-specific criteria, duplicate measurements should agree within  $\pm 0.50^{\circ}\text{C}$  or approximately  $\pm 1.00^{\circ}\text{F}$ .

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

6.1 Records for checking the accuracy of the thermometer or temperature measuring device (where applicable) will include:



- Date
- Thermometer or meter-type temperature measuring device checked
- Reference thermometer number
- Readings for reference thermometer and thermometer being checked
- Adjustment made for difference in readings
- Initials of analyst

6.2 Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Thermometer ID # or instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Temperature of sample (including units and duplicate measurements) compensated for any difference with the reference thermometer if applicable
- Comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform temperature measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that temperature measurements in the field be taken by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

## **8.0 REFERENCES**

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 17th Edition, 1989.

Methods for the Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, EPA 600/4-79-020, Revised 1983.

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES, INC.  
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES  
FOR MEASUREMENT OF TURBIDITY**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Purpose and Applicability**

These Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG) provide basic instructions for routine measurement of turbidity using a nephelometric turbidity meter with a digital read-out device such as the LaMotte 2020 Turbidimeter. Measurements are made in accordance with EPA Method 180.1 that addresses nephelometric turbidity measurement of drinking, surface, and saline waters, and domestic and industrial wastes.

### **1.2 Quality Assurance Planning Considerations**

The end use of the data will determine the quality assurance requirements that are necessary to produce data of acceptable quality. These quality assurance requirements will be defined in the site-specific workplan or Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (hereafter referred to as the project plan) or laboratory Quality Assurance Manual (QAM) and may include duplicate or replicate measurements or confirmatory measurements.

## **2.0 RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2.1 The analyst is responsible for verifying that the turbidity measuring device is in proper operating condition prior to use and for implementing the calibration and measurement procedures in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.
- 2.2 The project manager is responsible for ensuring that project-specific requirements are communicated to the project team and for providing the materials, resources, and guidance necessary to perform the measurements in accordance with this SOG and the project plan.

## **3.0 REQUIRED MATERIALS**

The following materials are necessary for this procedure:

- Turbidity meter with digital read-out device

- Manufacturer's instruction manual for the instrument
- Turbidity tubes
- Mild detergent
- Lint-free cloth
- Distilled water
- Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) calibration standards (1.00 NTU and 10.0 NTU)
- Laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks

## **4.0 METHOD**

### **4.1 Sample Handling, Preservation, and General Measurement Procedures**

To achieve accurate turbidity measurements, samples should be analyzed immediately upon collection (preferably within 15 minutes). Samples should be collected in glass or plastic containers.

### **4.2 Calibration and Measurement Procedures**

- 4.2.1 Select a turbidity standard in the range of the samples to be tested (1.00 NTU or 10.0 NTU). Fill a turbidity tube with the standard, cap, and wipe the tube with the clean lint-free cloth.
- 4.2.2 Place the sample into the turbidity meter such that the indexing arrow on the turbidity tube is aligned with the indexing arrow on the meter face. Close the lid and press the "READ" button. If the displayed value is not the same as the value of the standard (within 2%), continue with the calibration procedure.
- 4.2.3 Follow the calibration procedures outlined by the manufacturer's manual.
- 4.2.4 Verify the calibration every 15 samples and at the end of the day. Recalibrate the instrument if the check value varies more than 2% from the true value.
- 4.2.5 The turbidity tubes will be rinsed with deionized water and wiped gently with a lint-free tissue between sample analysis.
- 4.2.6 Recalibrate the instrument with the appropriate NTU standard if the standard is not of the same order of magnitude as the samples being tested.

4.2.7 The meter must be re-calibrated following any maintenance activities and prior to the next use.

4.2.8 Record the turbidity reading to the nearest 0.01 NTU for measurements less than 11 NTU and to the nearest 0.1 for measurements greater than 11 NTU but less than 110 NTU. For values greater than 110 NTU record to the nearest 1 NTU.

### **4.3 Troubleshooting Information**

If there are any performance problems with any of the meter-type turbidity measuring devices, consult the appropriate section of the meter instruction manual for the checkout and self-test procedures. If the problem persists, consult the manufacturer's customer service department immediately for further instructions.

### **4.4 Maintenance**

Instrument maintenance for meter-type turbidity measuring devices should be performed according to the procedures and frequencies required by the manufacturer.

## **5.0 QUALITY CONTROL**

5.1 The turbidity measuring tubes will, at a minimum, be checked against NTU calibration standards at the frequency stated in Section 4.2.1. This verification procedure will be performed as follows:

- Insert the turbidity tube with distilled water into the turbidity meter.
- Press "READ".
- Record the readings and document the difference.
- Label each turbidity tube with its corresponding turbidity correction value.
- Record the adjustment and the date the accuracy check was performed in a logbook.
- Compensate for the difference when sample measurements are taken.

5.2 Duplicate measurements of a single sample will be performed at the frequency stated in the project plan. In the absence of project-specific criteria, duplicate measurements



should agree within  $\pm 2\%$  for readings below 100 NTU and  $\pm 3\%$  for readings above 100 NTU.

## **6.0 DOCUMENTATION**

All turbidity meter calibration, checks, and maintenance information will be recorded on the daily calibration sheet or logbook. Turbidity data may be recorded on the appropriate laboratory or field data sheets or logbooks.

6.1 Calibration documentation must be maintained in a thorough and consistent manner. At a minimum, the following information must be recorded:

- Date and time of calibration
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Expiration dates and batch numbers for all standard solutions
- Reading for 1.00 NTU standard before and after meter adjustment
- Reading for 10.0 NTU standard before and after meter adjustment
- Readings for all continuing calibration checks
- Comments

6.2 Documentation for recorded data must include a minimum of the following:

- Date and time of analysis
- Signature or initials of person performing the measurement
- Instrument identification number/model
- Sample identification/station location
- Turbidity of sample (including units and duplicate measurements)
- Comments

## **7.0 TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS**

To properly perform turbidity measurements, the analyst must be familiar with the calibration and measurement techniques stated in this SOG. The analyst must also be experienced in the operation of the meter.

Certain state certification programs require that turbidity measurements in the field be taken by, or in the presence of, personnel that are qualified under the certification program.

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Appendix B

GeoLabs, Inc.  
Quality Assurance Plan

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## 5. QUALITY ASSURANCE

GeoLabs recognizes that our achievement of excellence in analytical services depends on the accuracy and precision of the data we provide to our clients. As a result, we have developed a Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) program, which ensures that standardized, proper protocols are followed and documented for each sample analyzed. As a NELAP certified laboratory we are committed to compliance with the NELAC standards.

The complex task of producing high-quality data can be grouped into several QA/QC considerations:

- Samples must remain undisturbed and representative of sampled conditions until they are analyzed.
- Care must be taken that samples are properly preserved.
- Proper analytical procedures must be followed.
- Analytical equipment must be in proper working order.
- Procedures to determine acceptability of QC data must be formalized.
- Raw data must be "reduced" to usable, comparable formats.
- Procedures for dealing with unusual results/circumstances must be in place.
- All of the above items must be documented appropriately.

With these considerations in mind, GeoLabs has developed specific, uniform procedures for every step of sample handling, analysis, data management and review. While adapted to our own internal needs, these procedures are consistent with the QA/QC requirements of government agencies.

SOP information is available upon request.



By our definition, those procedures concerned with the accuracy and precision of each sample analyzed fall into the QC category. These are usually single procedures, which are performed in conjunction with analysis that are used to quantify the success of analysis. In the GeoLabs plan these include:

- Instrument calibration criteria
- Reagent and standard preparation
- Replicate/spike/blank protocols
- Determination of detection limits

QC activities associated with the procedures above are individually tailored to each instrument and analytical method and are described in the Standard Operating Procedure for each method.

QA, on the other hand, is the composite of all activities involved with the production of valid information. Documentation, review and procedural updating are key elements of GeoLabs' plan, which includes the following:

- Method selection and updating
- Chain of Custody
- Sample log-in and identification
- Sample storage and integrity
- Analysis scheduling (to minimize sample holding time)
- Documentation of sample preparation and analysis activities
- Documentation of standard and reagent receipt and preparation
- Calculation of results
- Data review
- Preparation of final reports
- QA performance audits and system audits
- Personnel training
- Safety

Periodic reviews of the entire QA plan are performed at least once a year prior to the annual internal audit to ensure that appropriate QA procedures are established and initiated in a timely manner. Each employee has clearly defined QA/QC responsibilities while responsibility for QA plan updating and auditing of the QA system rests with GeoLabs' Quality Assurance Officer.

Analytical instrumentation has become increasingly sensitive and sophisticated in recent years and, with the increasing reliance on microprocessors, promises to become even more so in the coming years. While this development allows greater accuracy and precision, lower detection limits, and greater productivity, it also increases the modes of failure, which can occur, as well as the difficulty of repairs. Thus, a program of instrument maintenance is necessary to avoid lengthy repair downtime and to ensure optimum functioning.

Preventive maintenance such as lubrication, cleaning, etc. is performed according to the procedures delineated in each instrument manual. Analytical balances are serviced once a year by an NIST certified balance technician. Precision and accuracy data are examined for trends and excursions beyond control limits to determine evidence of instrument malfunction. Upon discovery of a malfunction, the analyst implements test and corrective procedures recommended by the manufacturer's manual. If repair cannot be affected at this stage, the laboratory director is notified and determines the appropriate action. This may involve in-house repair or a service call by a repair technician.

All malfunctions detected, as well as corrective action taken, are noted in a logbook maintained with each instrument. This includes regularly scheduled preventive maintenance. All maintenance logbooks shall contain an equipment information section that shall include, laboratory identification, manufacturer's name, type identification, serial number (or other identification), date received (if available), date placed in service (if available), current location, condition when received (if available) (e.g. new, used, reconditioned), and the location of manufacturer's instructions if available.

If analysis holding times will be exceeded before repairs can be affected, then samples are sent to a subcontract laboratory with specific instructions on holding times.

## **9. CERTIFICATIONS AND APPROVALS**

GeoLabs, Inc. is certified by NELAC and by the State of Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (Massachusetts ID# MA-015) and also holds certifications in the states of New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island. GeoLabs also holds a USDA certificate for importing samples.

# *The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*



## *Department of Environmental Protection*

*Division of Environmental Analysis  
Senator William X. Wall Experiment Station*

*certifies*

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*Laboratory Director:* **JIAN Chen**

*for the analysis of* **NON POTABLE WATER (CHEMISTRY)  
POTABLE WATER (CHEMISTRY)**

*pursuant to 310 CMR 42.00*

*This certificate supersedes all previous Massachusetts certificates issued to this laboratory. The laboratory is regulated by and shall be responsible for being in compliance with Massachusetts regulations at 310 CMR 42.00.*

*This certificate is valid only when accompanied by the latest dated Certified Parameter List as issued by the Massachusetts D.E.P. Contact the Division of Environmental Analysis to verify the current certification status of the laboratory.*

*Certification is no guarantee of the validity of the data. This certification is subject to unannounced laboratory inspections.*

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Oscar C. Jacobo".

*Director, Division of Environmental Analysis*

*Issued:* **01 JUL 2006**

*Expires:* **30 JUN 2007**

**Certified Parameter List as of: 18 FEB 2007**

**GEOLABS INC**  
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Expiration 30 JUN 2007  
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|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| ALUMINIUM                | EPA 200.7            | ALDRIN                            | EPA 608          |
| ANTIMONY                 | EPA 200.7            | DIELDRIN                          | EPA 608          |
| ARSENIC                  | EPA 200.7            | DDD                               | EPA 608          |
| BERYLLIUM                | EPA 200.7            | DDE                               | EPA 608          |
| CADMIUM                  | EPA 200.7            | DDT                               | EPA 608          |
| CHROMIUM                 | EPA 200.7            | HEPTACHLOR                        | EPA 608          |
| COBALT                   | EPA 200.7            | HEPTACHLOR EPOXIDE                | EPA 608          |
| COPPER                   | EPA 200.7            | POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS (WATER) | EPA 608          |
| IRON                     | EPA 200.7            | POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS (OIL)   | EPA 600/4-81-045 |
| LEAD                     | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| MANGANESE                | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| MERCURY                  | EPA 245.1            |                                   |                  |
| MOLYBDENUM               | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| NICKEL                   | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| SELENIUM                 | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| SILVER                   | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| THALLIUM                 | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| TITANIUM                 | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| VANADIUM                 | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| ZINC                     | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| PH                       | EPA 150.1            |                                   |                  |
| SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY    | EPA 120.1            |                                   |                  |
| TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS   | EPA 160.1            |                                   |                  |
| HARDNESS (CaCO3), TOTAL  | SM 2340B             |                                   |                  |
| CALCIUM                  | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| MAGNESIUM                | EPA 200.7            |                                   |                  |
| ALKALINITY, TOTAL        | EPA 310.1            |                                   |                  |
| CHLORIDE                 | LACHAT 10-117-07-1-B |                                   |                  |
| SULFATE                  | EPA 375.4            |                                   |                  |
| AMMONIA-N                | EPA 350.2            |                                   |                  |
| NITRATE-N                | LACHAT 10-107-04-1-C |                                   |                  |
| KJELDAHL-N               | EPA 351.3            |                                   |                  |
| ORTHOPHOSPHATE           | EPA 365.2            |                                   |                  |
| PHOSPHORUS, TOTAL        | LACHAT 10-115-01-1-E |                                   |                  |
| CHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND   | EPA 410.4            |                                   |                  |
| CYANIDE, TOTAL           | EPA 335.2            |                                   |                  |
| NON-FILTERABLE RESIDUE   | EPA 160.2            |                                   |                  |
| CHLORINE, TOTAL RESIDUAL | HACH 8167            |                                   |                  |
| OIL AND GREASE           | EPA 1664             |                                   |                  |
| VOLATILE HALOCARBONS     | EPA 624              |                                   |                  |
| VOLATILE AROMATICS       | EPA 624              |                                   |                  |
| CHLORDANE                | EPA 608              |                                   |                  |



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**Analytes and Methods**

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|------------------------|----------------------|
| ANTIMONY               | EPA 200.8            |
| ANTIMONY               | EPA 200.9            |
| ARSENIC                | EPA 200.8            |
| ARSENIC                | EPA 200.9            |
| BARIUM                 | EPA 200.7            |
| BARIUM                 | EPA 200.8            |
| BERYLLIUM              | EPA 200.7            |
| BERYLLIUM              | EPA 200.8            |
| CADMIUM                | EPA 200.7            |
| CADMIUM                | EPA 200.8            |
| CHROMIUM               | EPA 200.7            |
| CHROMIUM               | EPA 200.8            |
| COPPER                 | EPA 200.7            |
| COPPER                 | EPA 200.8            |
| LEAD                   | EPA 200.8            |
| LEAD                   | EPA 200.9            |
| MERCURY                | EPA 245.1            |
| NICKEL                 | EPA 200.7            |
| NICKEL                 | EPA 200.8            |
| SELENIUM               | EPA 200.8            |
| SELENIUM               | EPA 200.9            |
| THALLIUM               | EPA 200.8            |
| THALLIUM               | EPA 200.9            |
| NITRATE-N              | LACHAT 10-107-04-1-C |
| NITRITE-N              | LACHAT 10-107-05-1-A |
| CALCIUM                | EPA 200.7            |
| ALKALINITY, TOTAL      | SM 2320B             |
| TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS | SM 2540C             |
| PH                     | EPA 150.1            |

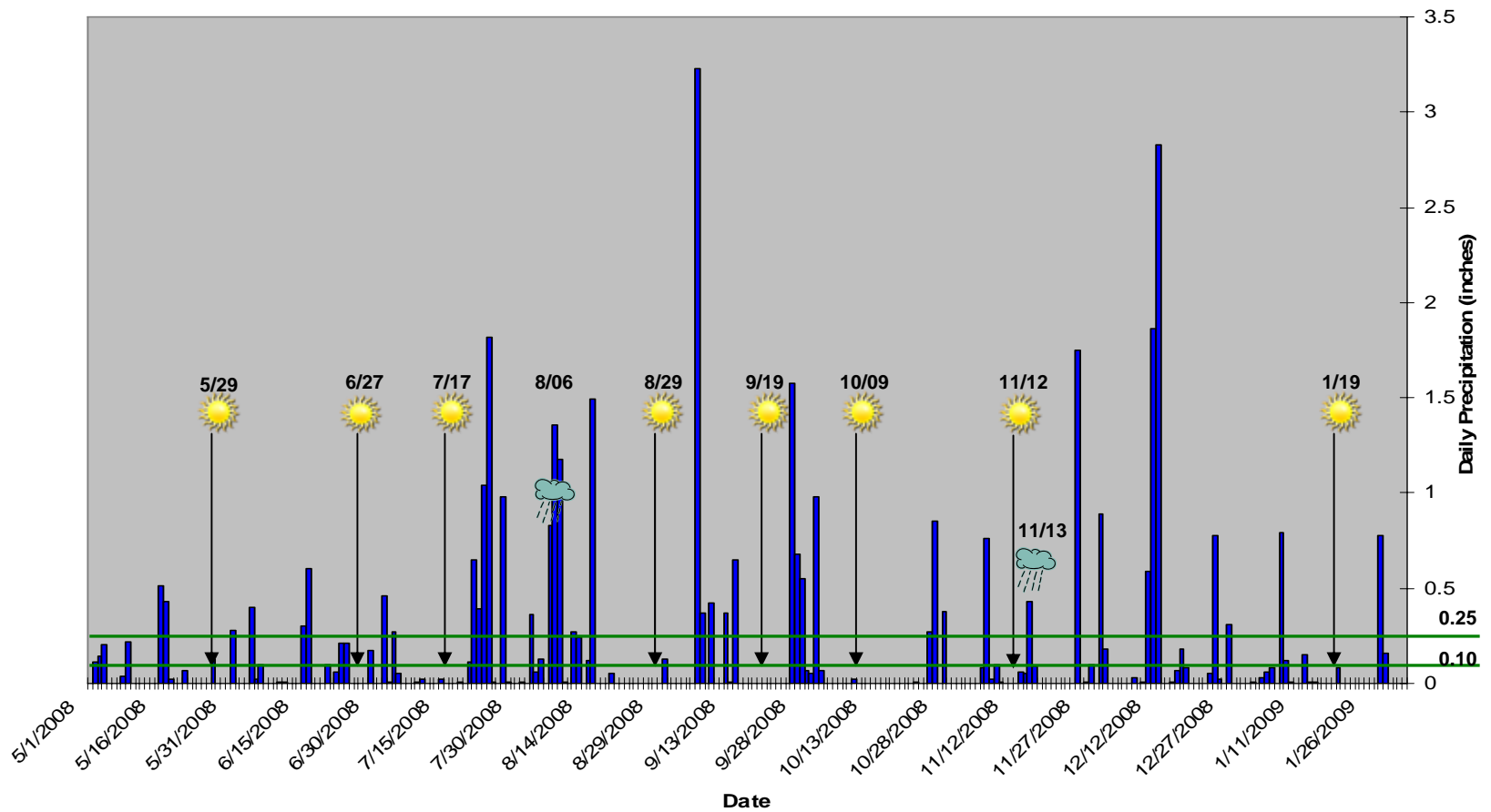
## Appendix B

### Daily Precipitation for the Hopedale Pond Watershed during the Study Period

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# Daily Precipitation



Dry weather water quality  
sampling event



Wet weather water quality  
sampling event

## Appendix C

### Photographic Log





**Photograph No. 1:**

Site 1 - Looking north from lower basin



**Photograph No. 2:**

Site 1 - Looking south towards dam and outlet from lower basin



## Photographic Log

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**Photograph No. 3:**

Site 2 – Looking north from the upper basin



**Photograph No. 4:**

Site 2 – Looking northwest from the upper basin



**Photograph No. 5:**

Site 4 – Dutcher Street stormwater outfall





**Photograph No. 6:**

Site 5 – Mill pond outlet, looking downstream



**Photograph No. 7:**

Site 5 – Mill Pond outlet, looking upstream





**Photograph No. 8:**

Site 6 – Tributary at Route 140, looking west



**Photograph No. 9:**

Site 7



**Photograph No. 10:**  
Sediment core from SC1-A



**Photograph No. 11:**  
Sediment core from SC1-B





**Photograph No. 12:**

Upper portion of sediment core from SC1-C



**Photograph No. 13:**

Lower portion of sediment core from SC1-C



**Photograph No. 14:**

Upper portion of sediment core SC2-A



**Photograph No. 15:**

Lower portion of sediment core SC2-A



**Photograph No. 16:**

Upper portion of sediment core SC2-B



**Photograph No. 17:**

Lower portion of sediment core SC2-B





**Photograph No. 18:**

Upper portion of sediment core SC2-C



**Photograph No. 19:**

Middle portion of sediment core SC2-C



**Photograph No. 20:**

Lower portion of sediment core SC2-C



## Appendix D

### Field Notes



# Hopedale Pond Goose Log

| Date       | Time     | Location  | Number of Adults | Number of Goslings | Behavior (feeding, resting, preening, on water or land)             | Status of boat launch/beach/grassy areas  |
|------------|----------|---|------------------|--------------------|---|---|
| 6/12/2008  | 11:38 AM | Southern basin, west shore, west of beach; location available in GIS        | 11               | 0                  | traveling on water  | Beach and grassy area have some scattered goose feces, but it is not completely covered   |
| 6/12/2008  | 3:00 PM  | Southern basin, west shore, west of beach; location available in GIS        | 15               | 7                  | traveling on water  | Beach and grassy area have some scattered goose feces, but it is not completely covered   |
| 6/27/2008  | 8:30 AM  | Grass next to town beach lot  | 31               | 4                  | Grazing/loafing on land   | Beach and grassy area have some scattered goose feces, but it is not completely covered   |
| 7/17/2008  | 11:00 AM | Just north of the town beach  | 35               | 0                  | traveling on water  | Beach and grassy area have some scattered goose feces, but it is not completely covered   |
| 7/23/2008  | 8:30 AM  | Town beach  | 16               | 0                  | loafing on beach  | Beach and grassy area have fresh goose feces; 30% scattered feces cover   |
| 7/25/2008  | 8:30 AM  | Town beach  | 4                | 0                  | preening at beach at edge of water                                  | Beach and grassy area have fresh goose feces; 30% scattered feces cover   |
| 7/30/2008  | 9:45 AM  | Southern basin, eastern shoreline; north of beach near seepage station HPS4 | 6                | 0                  | feeding/traveling on water  | Beach has widely scattered goose droppings (<30% cover)   |
| 8/6/2008   | 8:30 AM  | Town beach  | 0                | 0                  | NA  | It was raining, no geese spotted. <10% scattered feces cover in grassy areas  |
| 8/29/2008  | NA       | Town beach/ramp   | 28               | 0                  | NA  | NA  |
| 9/18/2008  | 10:40 AM | Town beach  | 3                | 0                  | leaving the beach area to travel on water                           | Beach and grassy area have very few goose droppings (<<30% cover) with almost no fresh feces. Dog feces present in a couple of locations. |
| 9/18/2008  | 10:50 AM | Southern basin  | 44               | 0                  | Descending onto the pond from the south. 3 mute swans also present. | As above  |
| 10/16/2008 | AM       | NA  | 0                | 0                  | No geese observed   | None noted  |
| 11/12/2008 | 11:15 AM | Far northern basin  | 25               | 0                  | traveling on water  | None noted  |
| 1/19/2009  | 8:30 AM  | Southern basin  | 3                | 0                  | Flyover from S to N   | > 1' snow cover - no feces noted  |

Complete ice cover on pond (except at flowing outfalls), typically 7". 5 to 15" of snow cover over the ice.

Hopedale 5/29/08  
Sunny - 75°

Site 7.

|        | DO. %                    | DO. mg/l | temp | cond   | PH  | color |
|--------|--------------------------|----------|------|--------|-----|-------|
| Site 7 | 82                       | 7.3      | 18.3 | 965 AS | 7.6 | 4     |
| Flow   | = 6' X 5.5' X 3' / 3 sec |          |      |        |     |       |
|        | 11 AM                    |          |      |        |     |       |

|        |                        |     |      |       |     |   |
|--------|------------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|---|
| Site 6 | 73.8                   | 7.7 | 13.1 | 29743 | 6.8 | 3 |
| Flow   | 2.3' X 2" X 3' / 5 sec |     |      |       |     |   |

|        |                           |      |      |       |     |   |
|--------|---------------------------|------|------|-------|-----|---|
| Site 5 | 80.4                      | 7.34 | 19.1 | 62145 | 6.3 | 3 |
| Flow   | 0.1' X 8' X 12' / 2.8 sec |      |      |       |     |   |

|        |                           |      |      |     |     |   |
|--------|---------------------------|------|------|-----|-----|---|
| Site 4 | 87.5                      | 8.04 | 14.5 | 954 | 6.7 | 2 |
| Flow   | 2.5' X 0.05' X 1' / 3 sec |      |      |     |     |   |

|        |           |   |     |   |
|--------|-----------|---|-----|---|
| Site 1 | 41.79349N | 5 | 6.7 | 2 |
|        | 71.34971W | 3 | 6.7 |   |

| Site       | DO. % | DO. mg/l | temp | cond |
|------------|-------|----------|------|------|
| Site 15    | 0     | 92.1     | 8.1  | 22.9 |
| 41.79349N  | 0.5   | 93.6     | 8.2  | 21.8 |
| 71.34971W  | 1     | 96.0     | 8.6  | 21.0 |
| 10 ft deep | 1.5   | 94.5     | 8.5  | 20.5 |
|            | 2     | 84.3     | 8.1  | 19.8 |
|            | 2.5   | 88.0     | 8.3  | 17.8 |
|            | 3     |          |      | 526  |

|        |      |     |      |     |
|--------|------|-----|------|-----|
| Site 2 | 89.3 | 8.3 | 20.8 | 523 |
|--------|------|-----|------|-----|

40.13802 N  
71.55154 W  
PH = 6.5  
depth 4 ft  
color = 0

Site 2 Secchi  
1.9  
Site 2 > 1.5

Location Hopedale Pond Date 27 June 08Project / Client H153-000Personnel: C. Lord / M. LadewigWx: Sunny, no wind, 75°F, humid  
Secchi disk: 2.5m

| Sample Location                         | Time    | Temp (°C) | pH  | Cond (µS) | Turb (NTU) | Diss O <sub>2</sub> (mg/L) | % O <sub>2</sub> | Color | Depth (ft) |
|---|---------|-----------|-----|-----------|------------|----------------------------|------------------|-------|------------|
| 1 Surface                               | 8:38am  | 24.2      | 7.4 | 552       | 3.65       | 92%                        |                  | 6     | 8ft        |
| N 42.1333°                              |         | 24.0      |     | 553       |            | 7.71 mg/L                  |                  |       | 5m         |
| W 71.5444°                              |         | 23.9      |     | 553       |            | 7.40 88.2                  |                  |       | 1m         |
|   |         | 23.9      |     | 553       |            | 7.22 85.8                  |                  |       | 1.5m       |
|   |         | 22.8      |     | 554       |            | 4.76 55.7                  |                  |       | 2m         |
| 1 Bottom                                | 9:01am  | 20.2      | 7.3 | 580       | 3.05       | 0.88 8.8                   |                  |       | 2.5m       |
| 3 Surface (duplicate)                   | 9:18am  | 24.3      | 7.1 | 553       | 3.54       | 783 94%                    |                  |       |            |
| 2 West of Pointed Rock                  | 9:53am  | 23.6      | 7.0 | 576       | 2.71       | 6.31 73.1%                 |                  | 5     | 5ft        |
| N 42.1417°                              |         |           |     |           |            |                            |                  |       |            |
| W 71.5557°                              |         |           |     |           |            |                            |                  |       |            |
| 4 Slight Smells like sewage             | 10:50am | 15.8      | 6.9 | 1026      | 4.86       | 9.59 97.9%                 |                  | —     | —          |
| 6 lots of PTV                           | 11:35   | 17.0      | 6.3 | 304       | 4.81       | 7.50 76.3%                 |                  | 4     | —          |
| 5                                       | 11:58   | 22.8      | 6.9 | 641       | 4.28       | 7.07 81.8%                 |                  | 5     | —          |
| 7 alt under powerlines off Reservoir Rd | 1233    | 23.7      | 6.9 | 950       | 7.16       | 7.88 93.1%                 |                  | 3     | —          |

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goose observations

| Location                     | # Adults   | # Goslings | Behavior                  |
|------------------------------|--|------------|---------------------------|
| Grass next to town beach lot |  |            | Grazing/Resting (on land) |
| Flow                         |  |            |                           |
| Site 4                       | 0.5 ft/sec x 0.1 ft deep x 3 ft wide                             |            |                           |
| Site 6                       | 1.0 ft / 4.5 sec x 0.1 ft deep x 1.8 ft wide                     |            |                           |
| Site 5                       | 4 in above spillway<br>~14 ft wide x 0.8 ft deep x 10 ft / 2 sec |            |                           |
| Site 7                       | 1.0 ft / 3 sec x 0.8 ft deep x 10 ft wide                        |            |                           |





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Date

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| TRANSECT |   | WATER DEPTH | TOTAL DEPTH | SPECIES                | % COV | BIO |
|----------|---|-------------|-------------|------------------------|-------|-----|
| P        | 1 | 7.5         | 8.5 SAND    | UT<br>NI               | 2     | 1   |
|          | 2 | 7.0         | 16'         | NI                     | 3     | 1   |
|          | 3 | 11.0        | 16'         | UT<br>NI               | 3     | 1   |
|          | 4 | 6.0         | 7.2 SAND    | NI                     | 3     | 1   |
| E        | 1 | 8.0         | 9           | NI                     | 3     | 1   |
|          | 2 | 6           | 11.5        | NI                     | 3     | 1   |
|          | 3 | 9.75        | 10.5        | NI                     | 1     | 1   |
|          | 4 | 6.0         | 6.5         | NI                     | 1     | 1   |
| F        | 1 | 8.5         | 9.0         | UT, NI, RR             | 1     | 1   |
|          | 2 | 6           | 6           | UT, NI, RR             | 1     | 1   |
|          | 3 | 3           | 3           | NI<br>MH<br>CH<br>UNKA | 4     | 4   |
| G        | 1 |             |             | UT<br>MH               | 4     | 2   |
|          | 2 |             |             | UT<br>MH               | 4     | 2   |

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Date

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TF, DH

(CONT) DAY 2 SUNNY, MD - 80'S

| TRANSECT  |   | WATER DEPTH | TOTAL DEPTH        | SPECIES          | % COV | BIO |
|---|---|-------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|-----|
| G   | 4 |             |                    | UT, MH, CH<br>NO | 4     | 3   |
| 7/25/09<br>8:30 AM 4 <sup>th</sup> ADULT, CG (B) BEACH PREENING<br>AT WATERS EDGE |   |             |                    |                  |       |     |
| TRANSECT  |   | WATER DEPTH | TOTAL DEPTH        | SPECIES          | % COV | BIO |
| H   | 1 | 6.2         | 7.0                | NI<br>NO         | 2     | 1   |
|   | 2 | 6           | 6.5                | NI               | 3     | 1   |
|   | 3 | 6           | 6.75<br>6.5<br>6.6 | UT<br>NO         |       |     |
|   | 4 | 7.2         | 9.4                | NI               | 3     | 1   |
| 9:15 23 GESE ACROSS WATER FROM<br>TRANSECT H ALL ADULTS                           |   |             |                    |                  |       |     |
| I   | 1 | 7.75        | 16+                | UT, NI           | 3     | 1   |
|   | 2 | 8.5         | 16+                | NO<br>NI         | 3     | 1   |
|   | 3 | 8.0         | 16+                | NI               | 3     | 1   |
|   | 4 | 10.1        | 12.9 SAND          | NI               | 3     | 1   |
|   | 5 | 8           | 10                 | NI               | 3     | 1   |
| J   | 1 | 5           | 7.5                | MH<br>UT<br>NO   | 4     | 2   |
|   | 2 | 4           | 8.5                |                  | 1     | 3   |

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PN = POTAMOGASTRON NATANS

PO = <sup>GAKES PONDWEED</sup>  
POTAMOGASTRON

| TRANSECT | WAT<br>DEP | TOT<br>DEP | SPECIES          | % COV | BIO |
|----------|------------|------------|------------------|-------|-----|
| J 3      | 4          | 8.0        | MH, UT, NO       | 4     | 3   |
| K 1      | 3.5        | 12.5       | MH, NO, UT<br>PN | 4     | 3   |
| 2        | 3.5        | 13.2       | UT, NO<br>NV, BS | 4     | 3   |
| 3        | 3.0        | 11.0       | NV, UT, NO       | 4     | 4   |

BACK = COVS. WEARILY IMPENETRABLE

NV, NO, BS, UT, PN, MH ALL PRESENT  
MOVING FROM DELAYED TREES

|     |      |     |                    |   |   |
|-----|------|-----|--------------------|---|---|
| L 1 | 5    |     | MH, UT<br>NO       | 4 | 2 |
| 2   | 7    |     | UT, MH             | 4 | 2 |
| 3   | 4    |     | UT, MH, CH         | 4 | 3 |
| 4   | 3.5  |     | CH, UT             | 4 | 2 |
| 5   | 3.5  |     | CH, UT             | 4 | 2 |
| M 1 | 5.75 |     | UT, MH             | 4 | 1 |
| 2   | 4    |     | CH, MH             | 4 | 2 |
| 4   | 4    |     | CH, NO             | 4 | 2 |
| 5   | 4    |     | CH, UT<br>MH<br>PO | 4 | 2 |
| N 1 | 4.5  | 5.5 | CH, MH, UT         | 4 | 2 |
| 2   | 4.5  | 5.9 | UT, MH, NO<br>UNKA | 4 | 3 |

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|   |   | WATER | TOTAL | SPECIES      | % COV | BIO |
|---|---|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-----|
| N | 3 | 4     | 5     | NO, UT       | 4     | 3   |
|   | 4 | 3.3   | 4     | UNKA, NO     | 4     | 3   |
| O | 1 | 4.0   | 5.0   | UT, PO       | 4     | 2   |
|   | 2 | 5.9   | 7.5   | MH, UT<br>PO | 4     | 2   |
|   | 2 | 6.0   | 7.1   | UT, NO<br>CH | 4     | 2   |
|   | 4 | 6.25  | 12.0  | UT, MH<br>NO | 4     | 2   |
| P | 1 | 4     |       | CH, NO       | 4     | 2   |
|   | 2 | 5     |       | UNKA<br>CH   | 2     | 1   |
|   | 3 | 6     |       |              | 0     | 0   |
|   | 4 | 5     |       |              | 0     | 0   |
| Q | 1 | 7.25  |       | NI           | 2     | 1   |
|   | 2 |       |       | NI           | 3     | 1   |
|   | 3 |       |       | NI           | 3     | 1   |
|   | 4 |       |       | NI           | 3     | 1   |
| R | 1 |       |       | NI           | 1     | 1   |
|   | 2 |       |       | NI           | 3     | 1   |
|   | 3 | 7.0   |       | NI           | 3     | 1   |

Date 7/25/08

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| TRANSECT |   | WATER DEPTH | TOTAL DEPTH | SPECIES    | % COV | BIODIVERSITY |
|----------|---|-------------|-------------|------------|-------|--------------|
| S        | 1 | 7.5         |             | NI         | 3     | 1            |
|          | 2 | 8.5         |             | NI         | 1     | 1            |
|          | 3 | 7.75        |             | NI         | 2     | 1            |
|          | 4 | 7.0         |             | NI<br>MH   | 3     | 1            |
| T        | 1 | 3.75        | 4.00        | NI         | 2     | 1            |
|          | 2 | 8.00        | 12.00       | NI         | 2     | 1            |
|          | 3 | 10.00       | 11.75       |            | 0     | 0            |
|          | 4 | 8.00        | 8.2         |            | 0     | 0            |
| U        | 1 | 8.5         | —           | 0          | 0     | 0            |
|          | 2 | 8.0         | —           | UNKA<br>FG | 1     | 0            |
|          | 3 | 8.0         | —           | FG         | 2     | 1            |
|          | 4 | 6.0         | —           | FG         | 3     | 1            |
| V        | 1 | 11.5        | 12.5        | NO PLANTS  | 0     | 0            |
|          | 2 | 9.5         | 10.8        | FG         | 1     | 0            |
|          | 3 | 9.5         | 9.8         | FG         | 1     | 0            |
|          | 4 | 9.0         | 9.2         | FG         | 1     | 0            |
| W        | 1 | 8.2         |             | FG         | 0     | 0            |
|          | 2 | 8.6         |             | UNKA       | 0     | 0            |
|          | 3 |             |             | —          | 0     | 0            |
|          | 4 |             |             | —          | 0     | 0            |
| X        | 1 | 8.6         |             | NI, MH     | 1     | 1            |
|          | 2 |             |             | NH, NI, FG | 1     | 1            |

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Be Circled, Dated And Initialed When Recorded

**Classifications**

Initial spontaneous combustion, or emission of flammable gases when in contact with water)  
Infectious substances

Dangerous goods

**Abbreviations (for sampling guidelines)**

B - Boston Round  
AB - Amber Boston Round  
J - Amber Jug  
C - Clear Wide Mouth  
AW - Amber Wide Mouth  
PE - Polyethylene Bottles  
BOD Bottle

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## Classifications

- flammable gases or liquids
- highly flammable solids
- oxidizing substances
- extremely flammable
- explosive mixtures
- self-heating
- spontaneous combustion, or emission of flammable gases when in contact with water)
- Corrosive
- Organic Peroxides
- Infectious substances

erous goods

Abbreviations (for sampling guidelines):

## Boston Round

Amber Boston Round

nber Jug

7. Clear Wide Mouth

- Amber Wide Mouth

### Polyethylene Bottles

Bottle

Lake Name: HOPEDALE POND

Date: 7/30/08

In-Lake Water Temperature:

Weather: Sunny, warm (70s to mid 80s over course of the day), calm

Researchers: MDL, MS

| Seepage Meter ID | Size<br>S or L | Depth to base<br>inches      | Time In<br>hr/min | Time Out<br>hr/min | Volume In<br>ml | Volume Out<br>ml |
|------------------|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| S1a              | L              | 1.40 ft<br>0.3 ft below sed  | 10:19             | 15:16              | 250             | 219              |
| S1b              | L              | 1.6 ft                       | 10:28             | 15:10              | 250             | 219              |
| S2a              | L              | 1.85 ft<br>0.4 ft below sed  | 8:50              | 14:09              | 250             | 242              |
| S2b              | L              | 2.60 ft<br>0.5 ft below sed  | 8:55              | 14:13              | 250             | 206              |
| S3a              | L              | 2.70 ft<br>0.5 ft below sed  | 9:11              | 14:27              | 250             | 330              |
| S3b              | S              | 2.30 ft<br>0.35 ft below sed | 9:20              | 14:26              | 250             | 306              |
| S4a              | L              | 2.50 ft<br>0.4 ft below sed  | 9:42              | 14:40              | 250             | 184              |
| S4b              | S              | 1.35 ft<br>0.3 ft below sed  | 9:50              | 14:45              | 250             | 144              |
| S5a              |                |                              |                   |                    |                 |                  |
| S5b              |                |                              |                   |                    |                 |                  |
| S6a              |                |                              |                   |                    |                 |                  |
| S6b              |                |                              |                   |                    |                 |                  |

Location

Gibbs, CT

Date

Project / Client

Location

Hopedale Pond

Date

7/30/08

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Town of Hopedale

Start 8:30 am

Distance to water from outlet bridge (bottom) 2.9 ft 760 mm

Wx: Sunny, 70s °F calm

Personnel: M. LADGUE / M. SCHROEDER

| SPRON | WASH (ft) | DEPTH (ft) | VEL (ft/s) |
|-------|-----------|------------|------------|
| GC2   | 7.80W     | 0          | 1.0        |
|       | 0.5       | 5          | 1.6.3      |
|       |           |            | 1.4.7      |
|       | 14        | 6          | 0          |
|       |           |            | 5.27       |
|       | 15.5      | 7          | 1.6.5      |
|       |           |            | 1.8.8      |
|       | 17        | 11.5       | 1.6.3      |
|       |           |            | 1.6.1      |
|       | 18.5      | 10         | 0          |
|       |           |            | 0          |
|       | 20.5      | 8.5        | 0          |
|       |           |            | 0          |

| SITE    | TIME  | COND (µm) | pH  | TEMP °C | NOTES                                 |
|---------|-------|-----------|-----|---------|---------------------------------------|
| HPS1    | 10:43 | 647       | 7.2 | 21.5    | Full pen. of                          |
| Surface | 10:43 | 535       | 6.7 | 26.6    | 1. P sampler                          |
| HPS2    | 11:40 | 1156      | 5.9 | 20.7    | 1.6.7.4                               |
| Surface | 11:40 | 542       | 6.6 | 28.0    | NTU<br>2/3 punch<br>on 1.6.7.4 sample |
| HPS3    | 12:20 | 640       | 6.6 | 21.6    | Full pen. of                          |
| HPS4    | 13:15 | 303.7     | 6.9 | 25.6    | 1. P sampler<br>semi probes           |

\* 6 Canada geese  
@ HPS4  
about 8:30 am



# Hopedale Storm Water Sampling

Personnel:

Date:

| Site                      | Time  | Temp-C | pH             | Conductivity   | DO             |                 | Color | Depth | Flow  |       |        |      |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------|
|                           |       |        |                |                | mg/L           | % Saturation    |       |       | Width | Depth | Length | 4sec |
| 4 (Dutcher St Outfall)    | 8:37  | 11.8   | 7.5            | 822            | 5.8            | 95.8            | 12    | 7"    | 75    | 7"    | 3'     | 1.5  |
| SS 11                     | 9:09  | 12.6   | 6.6            | 50.4           | 9.5            | 98.5            | 3     |       | 24    | 5.5   | 3      | 5.5  |
| SS 2 <i>Forcible</i>      | 9:51  | 17.6   | 6              | 12.5           | 8.0            | 97.4            | 1     | ~     | 17m   | ~     |        | 19m  |
| SS 3                      | 12:49 |        | <del>6.0</del> | <del>500</del> |                |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
| SS 8 (Stream at Driftway) | 10:25 | 12.0   | 6.0            | 500            | 7              | 73.5            | 8     |       | 19    | 2"    | 3'     | 9.0  |
| 5 <i>road run</i>         | 10:59 | 19     | 6.3            | 729            | 5.5            | 74.7            | 2     |       | 156   | 7"    | 3'     | 3.5  |
| 6 <i>Spill</i>            | 11:29 | 13.7   | 5.8            | 150            | 5.6            | 62.2            | 7     |       | 75    | 10"   | 2      | 4.5  |
| 7                         | 1:10  | 2      | 6.5            | 757            | 7.5            | 72.6            | 1     |       | 75    | 5"    | 3      | 2    |
|                           |       |        |                |                | <del>8.0</del> | <del>87.6</del> |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                           |       |        |                |                |                |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                           |       |        |                |                |                |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                           |       |        |                |                |                |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |

18.7 16.7

Hyd date - Cloudy - 64  
0-5 mph winds

|                    | D.O.        | mg/L | pH  | cond | temp |
|--------------------|-------------|------|-----|------|------|
| Site 7             | 82.8        | 8.08 | 7.1 |      | 16.5 |
| Site 6             | Not sampled |      |     |      |      |
| Site 5             | 71.5        | 6.62 | 6.7 |      | 19.0 |
| Site 4             | 84.5        | 8.05 | 7.2 |      | 17.7 |
| <del>Site 3</del>  |             |      |     |      |      |
| Site 2             | 59.9        | 5.39 | 7.1 |      | 21.3 |
| Site 1s            | 84.0        | 7.4  | 6.7 |      | 24.2 |
| <del>Site 1b</del> |             |      |     |      |      |
| 0.5                | 79.6        | 6.75 |     |      | 23.7 |
| 1.0                | 74.1        | 6.4  |     |      | 22.2 |
| 1.5                | 64.8        | 5.72 |     |      | 21.5 |
| 2.0                | 61          | 5.5  |     |      | 21.4 |
| 2.5                | 59.8        | 5.29 |     |      | 21.3 |
| <del>Site 1b</del> |             |      |     |      |      |
| Site 1b            | - @ 2.5m    |      | 6.7 |      |      |

8/29/08

Flow  
~~2" x 1/2" x 3/2 sec x 1"~~ +0.30  
 No Flow 10:45  
 11:AM  
 1/2 sec x 12" x 3.5" deep 11:15

Secchi - to bottom.

Geese = 28 @ Bantrap

Secchi Disk = 1.25 m  
 @ site 1

Phyto collected ✓  
 Zoo collected ✓

# Hopedale Water Sampling

Personnel:

Date:

~~10/9/08~~  
9/18/08

| Site            | Time               | Temp-C | pH  | Conductivity | Turbidity | DO              |                 | Color | Depth | Flow  |       |        |      |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------|-----|--------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------|
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           | mg/L            | % Saturation    |       |       | Width | Depth | Length | /sec |
| Site 1- surface | 12:03              | 21.6   | 6.5 | 464          | —         | 6.06            | 67.2            | 0     |       |       |       |        |      |
| Site 1- bottom  | 12:30              | 22.2   | 6.5 | 460.3        | —         | 5.63            |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
| Site 2          | 11:18              | 19.3   | 6.3 | 564          | —         | 5.68            | 62.1            | 10    | NC    |       |       |        |      |
| Site 4          | 9:54               | 18.0   | 6.8 | 250          | —         | 8.34            | 93.5            | 4     | 5"    | 49"   | 5"    | 3'     | 5    |
| Site 5          | 8:23               | 17.5   | 6.5 | 617          | —         | 7.5             | 78.5            | 7     | 20"   | 85"   | 20"   | 3'     | 1.5  |
| Site 6          | 9:05               | 14.5   | 6.3 | 263.7        | —         | <del>8.51</del> | <del>85.3</del> | 1     | 15"   | 85"   | 15"   | 3'     | 38   |
| Site 7          | 7:47 <sub>am</sub> | 24     | 7.2 | 915          | 0.84      | 8.7             | 99              | 10    | 6"    | 140"  | 6"    | 3'     | 1.75 |
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           |                 |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           |                 |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           |                 |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           |                 |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |
|                 |                    |        |     |              |           |                 |                 |       |       |       |       |        |      |

DO @ depth DO Cond.  
 1m = 64.6% 5.82 mg/L / 462.4  
 2m = 62.7% 5.63 mg/L / 463.4  
~~3m =~~  
 2.5m = 42.6% 4.0 mg/L

Water Body Name: Hopedale Pond

Date: 9/18/08

Surface Water Temperature: 19.2

Weather: Sunny, cool, calm

Researchers: GB/ML

| Seepage Meter ID        | Size<br>S or L | Depth to base<br>inches                   | Time In | Time Out | Volume In<br>ml | Volume Out<br>ml  |
|-------------------------|----------------|---|---------|----------|-----------------|-------------------|
| S1a                     | L              | 1.7 ft<br>(1.0-2.5 in below sed surface)  | 1130    | 1425     | 250             | 233               |
| S1b                     | S              | 1.3 ft<br>(1.0-2.0 in below sed surface)  | 1140    | 1420     | 250             | 238<br>+ 60 (300) |
| S2a                     | L              | 1.6 ft<br>(2.0 in below sed)              | 1250    | 1505     | 250             | 353               |
| S2b                     | L              | 2.2 ft<br>(2.5 in below sed)              | 1300    | 1510     | 250             | 316               |
| S3a                     | L              | 1.6 ft<br>(1.0-3.0 in below sed surface)  | 0732    | 1410     | 250             | 376               |
| S3b<br>HPS 3a<br>on GPS | L              | 2.0 ft<br>(1.0-3.0 in below sed surface)  | 0920    | 1415     | 250             | 210               |
| S4a                     | S              | 1.35 ft<br>(1.0-4 in below sed surface)   | 0800    | 1350     | 250 mL          | 230 mL            |
| S4b                     | L              | 1.65 ft<br>(1.0-4.5 in below sed surface) | 0825    | 1355     | 250 mL          | 201 mL            |
| S5a                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S5b                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S6a                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S6b                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S7a                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S7b                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S8a                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |
| S8b                     |                |   |         |          |                 |                   |

- Stopper  
was not tight  
when released

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| Sta | Time  | Temp | pH  | Cond               | Turb | DO mg/L | %    | Clear | Depth | Width | Log | Sec |
|-----|-------|------|-----|--------------------|------|---------|------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|
| 1s  | 9/12  | 15.3 | 6.6 | <del>430</del> 541 | 0.15 | 8.02    | 80.0 | 0     | 8'    |       |     |     |
| 1b  | 11/93 | -    | 6.5 | -                  | 1.01 | -       | -    | 1     | 8'    |       |     |     |
| 2   | 12/17 | 15.6 | 6.5 | 640                | 0.02 | 8.68    | 86.7 | 1     | 5'    |       |     |     |
| 4   | 10/3  | 16.6 | 6.8 | 808                | 0.28 | 8.5     | 88.5 | 0     | 2.5"  | 55"   | 3'  | 3   |
| 5   | 9/59  | 13.8 | 6.5 | 690                | 1.37 | 9.07    | 89.6 | 0     | 20"   | 55"   | 3'  | 2   |
| 6   | 10/15 | 12.5 | 6.0 | 249.0              | 1.62 | 7.60    | 70.4 | 0     | 17"   | 95"   | 3'  | 19  |
| 7   | 9/26  | 16.3 | 6.6 | 866                | 1.17 | 7.49    | 79.2 | 2     | 2"    | 50"   | 3'  | 22  |

Use with Tran Sept

CLSL

Hopetown Pond

Partly cloudy 60°

| Depth  | Temp | Cond | mg/L | DO % |
|--------|------|------|------|------|
| 1b 12m | 14.0 | 540  | 8.03 | 78.7 |
| 1m     | 13.3 | 540  | 7.60 | 73.0 |
| 1.5m   | 12.5 | 541  | 6.46 | 64.9 |
| 2m     | 12.1 | 532  | 7.66 | 69.8 |
| 2.5m   |      |      |      |      |

Secchi disc 1.75m

781-420-1184 Ken

10/16/08



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|    | Time  | Temp | pH   | Turb | mg/L                 | DO % | Color | Depth | Width | Length | Sec | Cond               |                       |
|----|-------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1s | 11:45 | 10   | 6.6  | 0.73 | 8.6                  | 76   | 2     | 7     |       |        |     | 550                | Hopedale Pond<br>CLJF |
| 1b | 12:10 | 9.8  | 6.7  | 0.33 | 7.92                 | 75.1 | 0     | 7     |       |        |     | 552                |                       |
| 3  |       |      |      |      |                      |      |       |       |       |        |     | <del>550</del> 577 |                       |
| 2  | 11:13 | 7.0  | 6.9  | 2.13 | 9.86                 | 81.6 | 0     | 4'    |       |        |     | <del>550</del> 577 | Hopedale Pond<br>CLJF |
| 4  | 10:13 | 12.9 | 6.6  | 0    | 9.2                  | 87.7 | 2     | 4"    | 55    | 3'     | 9   | 790                |                       |
| 5  | 9:20  | 7.1  | 6.5  | 0.67 | 10.3                 | 85   | 0     | 12"   | 22"   | 3'     | 12  | 572                |                       |
| 6  | 9:40  | 5.2  | 6.0  | 0    | 11.14                | 87.5 | 0     | 18"   | 84"   | 3'     | 45  | 209.8              |                       |
| 7  | 8:54  | 8.3  | 7.2  | 0.52 | 10.8                 | 91.3 | 0     | 11"   | 100"  | 3'     | 25  | <del>455</del> 717 |                       |
| DO |       |      |      |      |                      |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
| 1b | Depth | Temp | Cond | mg/L | %                    |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
|    | 1/2m  | 9.86 | 553  | 8.43 | 74                   |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
|    | 1m    | 9.4  | 554  | 8.18 | <del>67.8</del> 71.6 |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
|    | 1.5m  | 9.3  | 554  | 7.55 | 65.5                 |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
|    | 2m    | 9.1  | 554  | 8.03 | 69.8                 |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |
|    | 2.5m  |      |      |      |                      |      |       |       |       |        |     |                    |                       |

Secchi disc = 1.05m

206  
220

gase: O<sub>2</sub> and  
as in pond  
11/12

Personnel:

Date: 11/13/08

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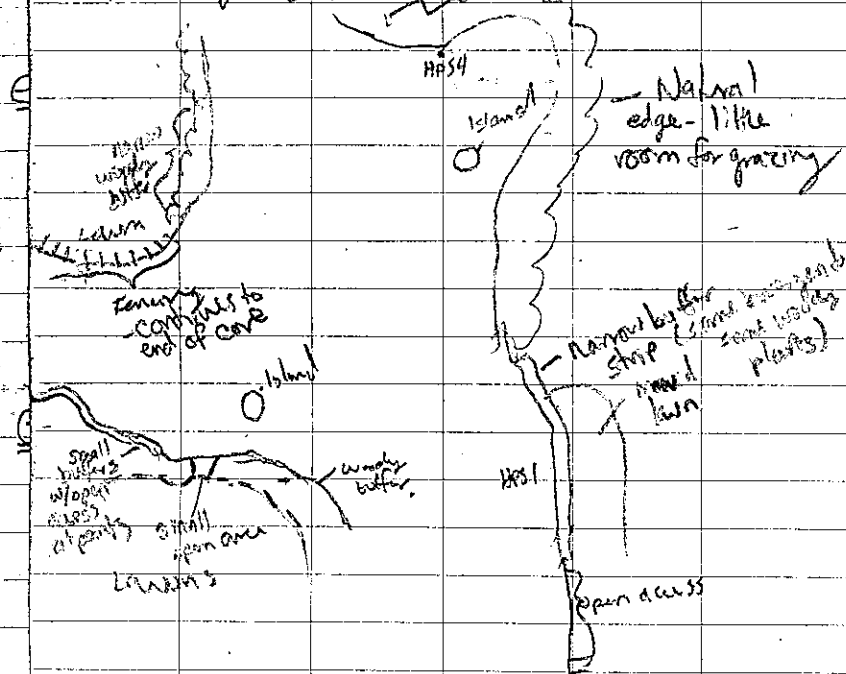
2 mallards - swimming then flying

2 great blue herons - 1 young

1 green heron - flying / foraging

Small: operation w/ concrete mags

- More goose notes (1 have access)



Personnel: M. LADWIG / S. LUNDIN / J. FARRELL  
wx: Cloudy ~ 32°F

~12" snow cover over ice (5-8" thickness)

| Site | Time  | Temp (°C)      | pH  | Cond (µS)      | Turb (ntu) | Diss O <sub>2</sub> mg/L | %    | Color | Depth   |
|------|-------|----------------|-----|----------------|------------|--------------------------|------|-------|---------|
| 15   | 8:30  | <del>8.0</del> | 7.5 | <del>100</del> | 0.05       | 11.65                    | 79.0 |       | Surface |
| 1B   | 9:00  | 1.3            | 7.5 | 125.0          | 0.05       | 4.85                     | 35.0 |       | bottom  |
|      |       | 0.1            |     | 217.3          |            | 9.49                     | 65.5 |       | 0.5     |
|      |       | 0.2            |     | 215.6          |            | 9.81                     | 69.7 |       | 1.0     |
|      |       | 0.7            |     | 219.3          |            | 9.60                     | 68.0 |       | 1.5     |
|      |       | 2.6            |     | 353.9          |            | 8.17                     | 62.1 |       | 2.0     |
|      |       | 3.9            |     | 166.5          |            | 4.85                     | 38.0 |       | 2.5     |
| 2    | 15:00 | 0.2            | 7.6 | 187.4          | 0.08       | 10.86                    | 74.8 |       | Surface |

- Flyover 3 Canada geese @ 8:30

- Secchi: 1.75 m (ice-influenced)

Location HORDEDALE PONDDate 4/19/09Project / Client TOWN OF HORDEDALEPersonnel: M. LADSWIG / S. LUNDIN

## SEDIMENT CORES

| STATION       | DEPTH TO SED (m) | SAMPLE DEPTH (m) | SED TYPE                       | REFUSAL AT        | PHOTO |
|---------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| (SC1-A        | 2.4              | 2.8              | dk brown silt-clay             | Gravel or bedrock | 1     |
| B             | 2.0              | 2.4              | dk brown silt-clay organic mud | "                 | 1     |
| Two cores @ C | 1.9              | 2.6              |                                |                   | 2     |

Also collected nutrient composites here

SC2-A 0.6

1.8

Br Peat

2

↳ SC2-A same location as HP97A

↳ Nutrients also collected

SC2-B 0.9

1.9

Br Peat

1

SC2-C 1.0

2.6

Br Peat

1

C-2

2.1

Location HORDEDALE PONDDate 4/19/09Project / Client TOWN OF HORDEDALEPersonnel: M. LADSWIG / S. LUNDIN

## SEDIMENT DEPTH

| LOCATION | WATER DEPTH | TOTAL DEPTH | SED DEPTH               |
|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| HP97A    | 2'          | 15'         | 13'                     |
| 97B      | 2'          | 5'          | 3' → lots of resistance |
| 97C      | 2'          | >15'        | >13'                    |
| HP98A    | 1'          | >15'        | >14'                    |
| 98B      | 2.5'        | >15'        | >12.5'                  |
| 98A      | 2'          | >15'        | >13'                    |

# Hopedale Pond

1/19/09

## Water Quality

| Site | Time  | Temp (°C) | Dissolved O <sub>2</sub> (mg/L) | pH   | Cond. (µS/cm) | Flow (l/min) | Color            |
|------|-------|-----------|---------------------------------|------|---------------|--------------|------------------|
| 4    | 9:15  | 7.3       | 8.30                            | 65.0 | 7.9           | 1006         | 6 32 45/8 5      |
|      |       |           |                                 |      |               |              | Turb. 1.4 NTU    |
| 5    | 11:15 | 0.5       | 10.5                            | 69.5 | 7.8           | 257.5        | 16" 104 35/8 0-5 |
|      |       |           |                                 |      |               |              | Turb. 1.3        |
| 7    | 10:15 | 1.8       | 9.13                            | 65.5 | 7.8           | 354.2        | 8" 79 45/8 10    |
|      |       |           |                                 |      |               |              | Turb. 1.4        |
| 6    | 11:45 | 0.4       | 8.08                            | 54   | 6.8           | 259          | 6" 5 1/1 5       |
|      |       |           |                                 |      |               |              | Turb. 0.90       |

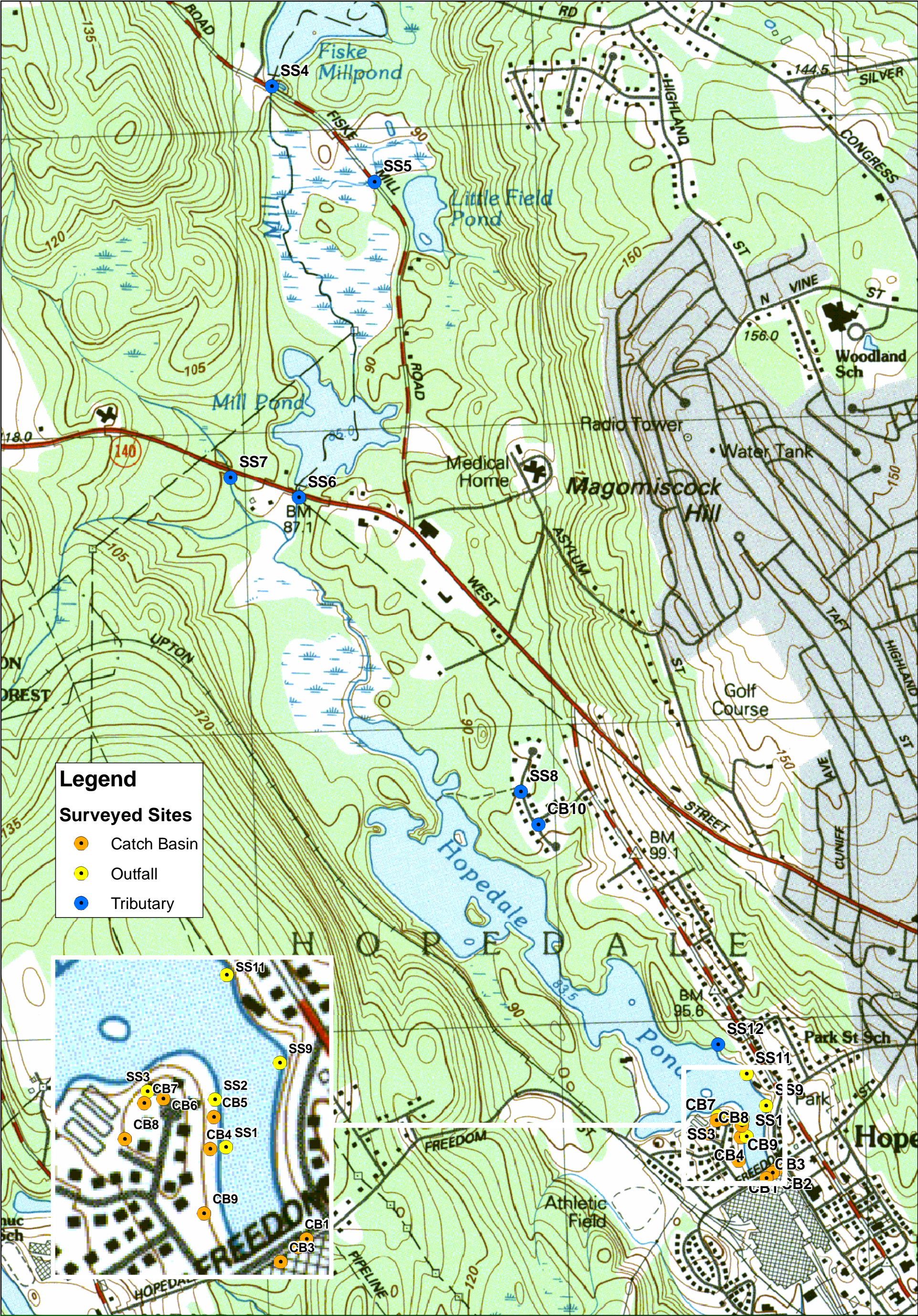


## Appendix E

### Storm Drain Identification Survey Map









| Site ID | Location                                      |
|---------|---|
| CB1     | at dam on Freedom St.                         |
| CB2     | at dam on Freedom St.                         |
| CB3     | at dam on Freedom St.                         |
| CB4     | To outfall #1                                 |
| SS1     | Outfall #1                                    |
| CB5     | To outfall #2                                 |
| SS2     | Outfall #2                                    |
| CB6     | To outfall #3                                 |
| SS3     | Outfall #3                                    |
| CB7     | Outside self storage, conencted to CB8?       |
| CB8     | Inside self storage facility                  |
| CB9     | start of Lake St. loop                        |
| SS4     | Downstream of Fiske Mill Pond, DS of ftbrdg   |
| SS5     | Little Field Pond outlet @ Fiske Mill Rd      |
| SS6     | Outlet from Mill Pond, downstream of stairway |
| SS7     | Unnamed trib, downtown of Rt 140              |
| CB10    | Driftway at Cutler                            |
| SS8     | Stream on Driftway                            |
| SS9     | Main Dutcher outfall at Twn Beach             |
| SS10    | stormwater outfall                            |
| SS11    | outfall N. of Bathhouse, dry flow             |
| SS12    | Trailhead N. of beach area, tributary         |
| SS13    | Outlet from North Pond                        |

CB = catch basin

SS = storm sewer

## Appendix F

### Hopedale Park Commission Timeline



| YEAR | MILESTONE                                   | NOTES OF INTEREST   |
|------|---|---|
| 1899 | Park Commission Formed (3/6)                | <p>Startup budget: \$12,000 / annual budget: \$2,500 - approved by town meeting.</p> <p><i>The first necessity: "A public play ground of suitable contour for such as baseball, football etc. requiring a large acreage of fairly level land."</i></p>                              |
|      | * Town Park land acquired (7/21)            | \$900 paid to Henry L. Patrick for 11.43 swampy, rocky acres  |
|      | * First Parkland parcels acquired           | \$3,917 paid to various landowners for 176.11 acres. On pond's West shore: land between the water and railroad tracks; and land between the railroad tracks and the top of Darling Hill. East side of pond: land from the intersection of Hopedale and Freedom streets to Hazel St. |
|      | * Stone wall built around Park              | All stone taken from excavation/clearing of property.   |
| 1900 | Budget: \$2,500                             |   |
|      | * Swamp at Town Park drained                | Land graded, drainage system installed  |
|      | * Rawson's Bridge constructed               | Wooden bridge at North end of pond connects both shorelines   |
|      | * Town Park land dispute                    | H.L. Patrick returns \$900 for land, demands more money. Town to let court decide issue.  |
|      | * Adin Ballou homestead lot acquired (5/29) | Deed for 1/2 acre lot donated to Park Comm. along with \$800 to start a maintenance trust fund. Lot designed by Warren H. Manning   |
|      | * Ballou Statue dedicated October 27th      | 8' high statue of Roman bronze, weight:1600 lbs. Modeled by William Ordway Partridge of New York City and Milton, MA. Casting done in New York City. 8' high pedestal of Cape Ann granite designed by Daniel Woodbury of Boston, MA.  |
| 1901 | Budget: \$2,500                             |   |
|      | * Original Town Park plans completed        | Patrick land suit over Park grounds remains in litigation   |
|      | Trees planted at Town & Ballou Parks        |   |
|      | * First tennis court built                  | Dirt surface  |
|      | * Temporary bandstand erected               |   |
|      | Park garage built                           |   |
|      | * Large & small ballfields constructed      |   |
|      | Rawson's Bridge raised                      | Mistakenly built too low - boats couldn't pass under.   |
|      | * Hazel St. entrance built                  | Road cut to west side of bridge connecting to railway line.   |
|      | Maroney's Grove picnic area built           | Picnic area in a majestic pine grove off of Hazel St. entrance  |
|      | First Park Field Day Celebration - July 4th | Became a Town tradition for decades   |
| 1902 | Budget: \$2,500                             |   |
|      | * First Park Superintendent hired           | Fred A. Smith - naturalist & forester. Tree nursery set up.   |
|      | * Second tennis court built                 | Dirt surface  |



Drinking faucet added at Park

- \* Additional Parkland acreage acquired 4.75 acres bought from Geo. A. Draper - abutting today's Cutler St.
- Shooting & trapping problems in Parklands Signs posted with \$10 fine for violations
- Stone-crushing operation set up By Road Commission on lot across from Park - near 68 Dutcher St. Operation halted & lot cleared in 1903.
- \* Open brook from Park to Pond enclosed

### 1903 Budget: \$2,500

- \* Additional Parkland acreage acquired Land across from tracks on both sides of Old Salt Box Rd. donated, small parcel at north end of Parkland grounds donated by heirs of Chester Walker.
- \* First income from sale of Parkland timber \$568.20 added to Park coffers
- \* Hopedale St. extension built Road cut along pond connecting Freedom & Northrup Streets
- \* Town Park suit with H.L. Patrick settled Town paid landowner \$2,500 plus interest. Suit cost the Town many thousands of dollars to litigate over the past three years
- 2nd and 3rd Park Superintendents hired John Gallagher, Walter F. Durgin
- Hunters elude "No Hunting" in Parklands... ..by hunting from boats. Fines then posted for this activity too!
- Adin Ballou Park addition Front doorstep from Ballou's "old house" placed at the site
- Electric cars make Parklands stop Passengers dropped off & picked up at north end of Parklands near Rawson's Bridge.
- The more things change, the more they... First arrests made by police in Parklands for "drunken carousals."

### 1904 Budget: \$2,500

- \* Bath House constructed Cost: \$1,048.09 Built at site of old ice house which burned down during demolition. This prevented the intended re-use of much of the frame and sheathing in the new structure. Locker rentals were \$1.50/yr. - .50 deposit given back with key return
- \* Town Beach Opens (males only) Season attendance: 1971 baths taken. Daily high: 79
- Organized sports flourish at Town Park Baseball, rugby and association football are popular
- Adin Ballou Park addition Commemorative bronze tablet added to Ballou doorstep.

### 1905 Budget: \$2,500

- \* Town Beach & Bath House expansion 6,322 baths taken. Daily high: 143 Sand placed on ice melted in to create beach area / Dressing rooms built / float and springboard added. Bath house matron position created. Young ladies and women granted permission to swim.
- Many skating accidents on the ice *"The Park Commissioners wish it distinctly understood that they take no responsibility whatsoever for the safety of the ice as any time."*
- Dutcher St. houses built near Bath House
- \* Parkland footpaths built off of Dutcher St.

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>1906 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 3,633 / Daily high: 154</b>  |
| * Permanent bandstand constructed               | Cost: \$828.40 Also used as a tool shed and dressing room for visiting teams utilizing the Town Park - if "properly behaved."  |
| * Third tennis court built                      | Cost: \$345.72, Dirt surface   |
| * Additional Parkland acreage acquired          | One acre parcel at intersection of Adin St. and West Main St. (today's Rt. 16) donated to the Park Commission by Mssrs. Wm F., Geo A. and Eben S. Draper. A \$1,500 trust fund of \$1,500 was established to insure the parcel is "properly kept." |
| <b>1907 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 4,768 / Daily high: 167</b>  |
| Bandstand Electrified                           |  |
| Potable water line brought to Bath House        | Provided by the Milford Water Co.  |
| * Parklands road expansion                      | Road constructed connecting Rawson's Bridge to Freedom St.   |
| * Foot path completed to Darling Hill           | Opened up access to vantage point with fine views off of Old Salt Box Rd. Over three miles of paths now exist in the Parklands.  |
| Tennis court backstop constructed               |  |
| Many bird feeders set out in Parklands          | This practice continued for decades. The Commission supplied feed.   |
| <b>1908 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 6,370 / Daily high: 181</b>  |
| * "Lookout" shelter built on Darling Hill ridge | Cost: \$311.448  |
| Four dressing rooms added at Bath House         |  |
| August 15th Field day attracts 3000             |  |
| <b>1909 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 5,704 / Daily high: 188</b>  |
| Parklands pounded by Mother Nature              | Gypsy moth devastation and a major ice storm destroy many trees  |
| * New layout given to Town Park ballfield       |  |
| <b>1910 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 7,135 / Daily high: 233</b>  |
| 4000 attend the 10th annual field day           |  |
| "Unfailing" springs discovered in Parklands     | On east side by the Maroney's Grove; on the west near a large white oak, and at the base of an enormous red maple.   |
| <b>1911 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 6,888 / Daily high: 247</b>  |
| The Park system is heavily utilized...          |  |
| <b>1912 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 7,190 / Daily high: 114</b>  |
| * Access expanded to Darling Hill               | New roads and footpaths constructed. 6 miles of roads and pathways now exist in the Parklands.   |
| <b>1913 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 6,868 / Daily high: 135</b>  |
| * Comfort Station at Town Park built            | Cost: \$1471.20 Prep & construction spanned 1911-1913  |
| <b>1914 Budget: \$2,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 6,474 / Daily high: 171</b>  |
| Grandstand erected at Town Park ballfield       | Work done by the "Base Ball association"   |
| * New pathways added to Parklands               | Connecting Rawson's Bridge - Maroney's Grove - the "big Texas rock"  |

district (located at the jetty) - and the "White Oak Spring"

\* 1st attempts made to clear ice for skating

A large area was cleared & flooded with some success

**1915 Budget: \$2,500**

Pond attendance: 7,103 / Daily high: 372

\* Chestnut Bark Blight hits

Many trees destroyed and cut down

Seats added on east shore of Pond

*"If the good derived from a public utility can be judged by the number of persons availing themselves of it's opportunities then the play-grounds, Bath House and Park System as a whole are surely doing what is intended. The increase in the town's population during the last few years has had a like effect on the number using our System and consequently the cost of maintaining the various utilities has increased."*

Population boom: Park St. School built

**1916 Budget: \$2,500**

Pond attendance: 6,842 / Daily high: 225

Park St. entrance cut through Park wall.

Tennis Courts redone

Cost: \$700

Darling Hill roadway construction begins

For easy access to the "Lookout"

\* Additional Parkland acreage acquired

The Commission purchases a tract west of the "Lookout" - the highest point in Hopedale at 525' above sea level. The State Fire Warden suggests it as a prime spot for a fire observation tower

\* Tree replanting begins in earnest

12,000 red & white pines planted to replace blighted Chestnut trees

**1917 Budget: \$2,500**

Pond attendance: 6,641 / Daily high: 410

\* Darling Hill Roadway cut in off Freedom St.

1,800' of roadway completed - known today as Overdale Parkway

**1918 Budget: \$2,500**

Pond attendance: 4,687 / Daily high: 241

Draper "Twilight League" formed at Park

Players utilized lockers at Bath House

**1919 Budget: \$2,500**

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a

\* Bath House use limited to residents

Swimmers and athletes using the Bath House as a changing facility caused over-crowded conditions at the Bath House. Commission decides to give usage priority to Hopedale residents when crowded.

**1920 Budget: \$7,000**

Pond attendance: 9,876 / Daily high: 344 (5X increase from 1904!)

Park ball field & tennis courts re-graded

**1921 Budget: \$4,500**

Pond attendance: 10,580 / Daily high: 555

Draper "Twilight" baseball league expands

Season stats & standings kept. Huge attendance

Flagpole erected at Town Park

Cost: \$370.31

**1922 Budget: \$4,500**

Pond attendance: 10,407 / Daily high: 457

\* Crowds at Town Beach drain resources

Swimming & facility use restricted to Hopedale residents only

**1923 Budget: \$4,500**

Pond attendance: 3,186 / Daily high: 202

\* Fisherman's Island stone shelter built

Cost: \$400

\* Maroney's Grove stone shelter built

Cost: \$432

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|---|---|
| * Lookout shelter on Darling Hill repaired  | Cost: \$60  |
| Park ball diamond infield converted to dirt | Cost: \$253.20  |
| Parklands woodlot management continues      | Program in place for 20 years. Income from sale of timber: \$687.50. 1,500 scotch pine trees planted  |
| <b>1924 Budget: \$4,500</b>                 | Pond attendance: 4,536 / Daily high: 235  |
| Sports at Town Park going strong...         | Draper Twilight baseball, soccer, tennis and school games popular   |
| <b>1925 Budget: \$6,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: 4,078 / Daily high: 205  |
| Tennis courts & fencing rebuilt             | Cost: \$1757.43 - paid for with special \$1,500 appropriation   |
| * 10,000 red pines planted in Parklands     |   |
| Tree cutting vandalism becomes a problem    | <i>"Cutting, injuring or removing any trees, shrubs or plants is strictly forbidden by law. A severe penalty is imposed upon violators of the law." Sections 11 and 12 of Chapter 87 of the Town's General Laws called for punishment of "imprisonment for not more than six months or by a fine of not more than \$500."</i> |
| <b>1926 Budget: \$6,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a  |
| Tennis courts resurfaced                    | Cost: 291.75  |
| Stone wall boundary built in Parklands      | Separating Dutcher St. lots from Parkland.  |
| <b>1927 Budget: \$5,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a  |
| Park Bleacher & Bandstand repair            |   |
| <b>1928 Budget: \$5,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: 6,685 / Daily high: 283  |
| * Rawson's Bridge replaced                  | Cost: \$1,300. Stone structure became known as the Rustic Bridge  |
| <b>1929 Budget: \$5,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: 8,441 / Daily high: 332  |
| * New Lookout Shelter constructed           | Cost: \$304   |
| Work begins on new Bath House               |   |
| <b>1930 Budget: \$5,000</b>                 | Pond attendance: 9,362 / Daily high: 373  |
| * Commissioner F.J. Dutcher passes away     | Original Board member served 32 years: 1899 - 1930.   |
| * Bath House completely remodeled           | Cost: \$5,000 - special appropriation. Re-opened to swimmers on 6/12. "Hours: 10 AM to 9 PM   |
| Parkland stone bridge replaced              | Cost: \$275. Bridge located just below the Dutcher St. entrance<br><i>"Help us to make all parts of the Town Park System a source of pleasure to those using it. We will be glad to receive suggestions and promise careful consideration."</i>   |
| <b>1931 Budget: \$3,500</b>                 | Pond attendance: 8,645 / Daily high: 302  |
| * Bath House & Swimming Director named      | Mr. R.A. Lafountain<br>1st Swimming exhibition held to demonstrate progress from lessons  |
| <b>1932 Budget: \$3,500</b>                 | Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a  |
| Fisherman's Island shelter repaired         | Cost: \$120   |

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| <b>1933 Budget: \$2,000</b>   | Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a   |
| <b>1934 Budget: \$2,500</b>   | Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a   |
| <b>1935 Budget: \$4,250</b><br>* Red Cross certified swim lessons offered<br>New Float added at Town Beach<br>Tennis courts repaired                | Pond attendance: 8645 / Swim lessons: 146 passed<br>Cost: \$315<br>Cost: \$834.61  |
| <b>1936 Budget: \$4,250</b>   | Pond attendance: 11,303 / Swim lessons: 106 passed   |
| <b>1937 Budget: \$4,750 + \$2,000 appropriation</b><br>First N.E.A.A.U. swim meet competition<br>Parkland roads re-graded                           | Pond attendance: 11,000 / Swim lessons: 71 passed<br>48 children participated<br>Cost: \$1,389.45  |
| <b>1938 Budget: \$5,750 + \$2,200 appropriation</b><br>* First tennis tournament held<br><br>* Sept. 21st Hurricane devastates Parklands            | Pond attendance: 10,350 / Swim lessons: 164 passed<br><i>"The tennis courts were in almost constant use and a baseball game took place nearly every day."</i><br>Maroney's Grove leveled. Fallen timber creates a severe fire hazard                                       |
| <b>1939 Budget: \$4,000 + \$7,500 clean-up funding</b><br>Parkland clean-up goes all winter and spring<br><br>* First organized "play" at Town Park | Pond attendance: 11,077 / Swim lessons: 145 passed<br>Dry weather and fire danger prohibits fireplace use all summer<br>Community House conducts organized youth sporting events.  |
| <b>1940 Budget: \$4,000</b><br>Town Park drainage system rebuilt  | Pond attendance: 9,462 / Swim lessons: 69 passed   |
| <b>1941 Budget: \$4,500</b><br>Tennis courts reconditioned & resurfaced<br><br>Pond swim meet attracts 100 participants                             | Pond attendance: 7,521 / Swim lessons: 67 passed<br>Cost: \$1,014  |
| <b>1942 Budget: \$4,500</b><br>* 80' Wooden flagpole erected at Town Park   | Pond attendance: 12,814 / Swim lessons: 112 passed<br>Cost: \$455.40<br><i>"In accordance with wartime regulations, a Flag is flown at all times."</i>   |
| <b>1943 Budget: \$6,000</b><br>Park trees & shrubs inspected<br><br>Season ending town swim meet popular  | Pond attendance: 11,275 / Swim lessons: 53 passed<br><i>"...certain of the trees were noted as being unusual varieties or specimens, types which are rarely found in such excellent condition in this part of the country."</i>  |
| <b>1944 Budget: \$5,000</b><br>All facilities used heavily as war limits travel   | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: not offered<br>Limitations on wartime travel keep residents close to home. Facilities getting heavy use. No swim lessons due to labor shortages. Bath House hours expanded to Sundays and holidays. Men's & women's softball introduced |
| <b>1945 Budget: \$5,500</b><br>* Additional Parkland acreage acquired   | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: 49 passed<br>Town purchases land for Park Department: 31.5 acres with frontage on Overdale Parkway and Old Salt Box Rd., 12.367 acres from Hope-Dale Coal & Ice Co. where old ice houses once stood.                                    |



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| * Parkland land acquisitions complete           | Connecting existing roads and pathways will provide complete access around the entire pond and Parkland reservation.   |
| <b>1946 Budget: \$8,500</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 8282 / Swim lessons: 137 passed</b>  |
| * F. Carlton Miner hired as Waterfront Director |  |
| Tennis courts individually enclosed             | Wire mesh installed to prevent injury from stray balls from ballfield.   |
| Discussions on "farming" the Parklands          | Beautification and fire equipment access cited as goal.  |
| <b>1947 Budget: \$10,100</b>                    | <b>Pond attendance: 8282 / Swim lessons: 137 passed</b>  |
| * Tennis courts refurbished with clay           |  |
| Sandy bottom of swim area extended out          |  |
| * First adult swim lessons offered              |  |
| New maintenance equipment purchased             | Commission buys a Jeep and large gang mower. Jeep useful as 24-hour fire patrols needed in the Parklands during a very dry Fall.   |
| Forester hired to survey the Parklands          |  |
| <b>1948 Budget: \$10,000</b>                    | <b>Pond attendance: down / Swim lessons: 250 enrolled, 171 passed</b>  |
| * Supervised Park play now under Park Dept.     | Community House supervised program for nine years. 100 children attend morning activities  |
| * Weeds in Pond become nuisance                 | "Uninviting" water responsible for low daily swim attendance.  |
| Parklands roads graded and leveled              |  |
| Proposal to add new playground equipment        |  |
| Raft at Town Beach rebuilt                      | Cost: \$333  |
| <b>1949 Budget: \$11,000</b>                    | <b>Pond attendance: 8,740 / Swim lessons: 130 enrolled, 125 passed</b>   |
| * New Park playground equipment installed       | Cost: \$1,078.40 Swings, jungle jim, horizontal bars added.  |
| * Draper Corporation drains Hopedale Pond       | Solution to curb weed problem. Pond lowered & cleaned. View at: <a href="http://www.hopedale-high-alumni.com/hopepond/dredge/album.htm">http://www.hopedale-high-alumni.com/hopepond/dredge/album.htm</a>              |
| Shade trees planted at Bath House               |  |
| * Draper Field ballpark completed               | Constructed by Draper Corporation. View photos of construction at: <a href="http://www.hopedale-high-blue-raiders.com/BallFieldAlbum/album.htm">http://www.hopedale-high-blue-raiders.com/BallFieldAlbum/album.htm</a> |
| <b>1950 Budget: \$11,300</b>                    | <b>Pond attendance: 10,982 / Swim lessons: 100 passed</b>  |
| * Basketball Court installed at Town Park       | Cost: \$1135.19  |
| Park staff added to supervise heavy use         | Baseball and basketball "schools" and tennis tournaments offered   |
| Diving class added at Pond                      |  |
| In-town swim meets continue at Pond             | An end-of summer tradition started in 1937.  |
| * Park programs continue to expand              | Archery, handicrafts, horseshoes, tennis, baseball and basketball sessions are all well attended   |
| <b>1951 Budget: \$11,300</b>                    | <b>Pond attendance: 10,158 / Swim lessons: 162 passed</b>  |
| * First multi-town swim meet held at Pond       | Swim team formed. Competed with teams from Holliston, Franklin   |

Park morning attendance: 125+ children

and the Whitins Community Center.  
Badminton and volleyball programs added.

**1952 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: 11,825 / Swim lessons: 197 passed

Slide and parallel bars added at Town Park

Cost: \$286.80 Park open 3 nights a week for games. Croquet added

Backboard added to 3rd tennis court

Cost \$832.09 which includes resurfacing costs

\* Swampy area north of Bath House filled-in

Filled area runs from bath house behind 84-106 Dutcher St.

Arborvitaes planted

At Ballou Park and at Northeast corner of Park off Northrup St.

New Parkland tables and benches installed

At first, second, and third fireplaces

**1953 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: 13,718 / Swim lessons: 128 passed

Park program expands again

Organized AM classes and games, afternoon play, twilight sports  
Jewel-craft, dominoes and checkers popular pastimes.

New swim ramps and diving boards at Pond

Weeds at Pond a problem once again

Chemical treatment done by helicopter

\* 500 small pine and spruce trees planted

Hopedale Boy Scout Troop 1 places trees in Parklands

**1954 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: 12,177 / Swim lessons: 400 enrolled, 192 passed

\* Shuffleboard court & play equipment added

Bandstand roof replaced

Storage shed & split rail fence added

North of Bath House behind 84-92 Dutcher St.

\* 1000 small spruce trees planted

Hopedale Boy Scout Troop 1 places additional trees in Parklands

Busy hurricane season, damage minimal

Area affected by Hurricanes Carol, Edna and Hazel

**1955 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: 10,310 / Swim lessons: 122 passed

\* Large slide installed at Pond

\* More playground equipment added at Park

Kiddie and horse swings plus overhead ladder bar installed

\* Park evening hours extended to 5 nights

Supervision needed to ease "rowdyism and noise"

Entrance to Park and Bath House paved

More minor hurricane damage

Rains from Hurricane Diane washes out some of Parkland roadway

\* Pond closes for year on August 13th

Flooding and polio epidemic force shutdown of swim season

\* 1200 additional small trees planted

Hopedale Boy Scout Troop 1 places additional trees in Parklands

Water ballet program at Pond

**1956 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: 13,537 / Swim lessons: 154 passed

\* Lighting added to first tennis court

\* Summer morning bus pick-up instituted

58 youngsters pr/day average brought to & from Park. Additional  
swim lessons added at Pond, 30 classes offered.

New raft section added

Bath House painted

Maintenance jeep replaced

Jeep pickup purchased for joint use with Highway Department

\* Town Park softball diamond rebuilt

Playground drainage improved

\* Park ballfield sprinkler system enlarged

Coverage increased to cover ballfield and tennis courts

Playground drainage improved

**1957 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: 300 enrolled, 195 passed

Town Park spruced-up

Sand added at playground, basketball court resurfaced, hot-top floor laid into bandstand. Due to extremely dry summer, lawn consultant hired to help save and maintain grass - fertilization program started  
Intended to keep youngsters in and dogs out

Cedar picket fence added at Town Beach

\* Additional fireplace built in Parklands

Site added between current first and second fireplaces. Two picnic tables added.

Parklands road re-graded

**1958 Budget: \$15,000**

Pond attendance: 15,000 / Swim lessons: 149 passed

Park baseball diamond rehabilitated

Uneven spots leveled and filled.

Summer recreation program adds golf

Lessons given in conjunction with the Hopedale Country Club

Hand mowers replaced by gas-powered ones

Bath House upgrades made

Bike racks added, large lockers replaced by smaller ones

\* Entire Pond treated chemically for weeds

**1959 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: 171 passed

\* Weed control program instituted

Allied Biological Control Corp. contracted for 3 years service

**1960 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: 191 passed

\* F. Carlton Miner passes away

Served as Park Recreation Supervisor for 15 years, 1946-1960  
*"Countless hundreds of Hopedale children will remember him as the man who taught them to swim, organized their games or coached them in school athletics. The enviable position that our Summer Park Program enjoys is due in large measure to the direction it received over the years from "Carl" Miner. He will long be missed and fondly remembered."*

Charles Espanet appointed Supervisor and William Ohlsen Swim Director for remainder of season.

Metal bleachers added at Park ballfield

**1961 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a

Roger Hebert named Park Supervisor

\* Town Beach area expanded

Kiddie swim area added

\* Draper Corporation leases Ski Hill to Town

Ski area built under the supervision of Mr. Willard Taft. Park Commission to operate as part of winter sports program

Skating at Pond very popular

Ice scraper fabricated to help improve ice conditions

- \* Pond put on weed control program

*"It has become apparent however, that large infusions of seeds from the upstream areas beyond the Pond will continue to require treatment until these areas are also freed of undesirable weeds."*

**1962 Budget: \$14,000**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a

Parks Maintenance Supervisor passes away

Longtime employee Earl Simmons meticulously maintained grounds

Diving Tower on little raft added at Pond

Tow rope and fencing added at the Ski Tow

**1963 Budget: \$14,800**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a

Summer and winter programs in full swing

- \* Park Dept. supports retarded youth program

Sponsors four youngsters to attend special program in Bellingham

**1964 Budget: \$17,900**

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a

- \* Charles Espanet named Recreation Director

Park employee since 1950 replaces Roger Hebert.

- \* Lights installed at Park basketball court

Funds raised by the Women's Club and the Hopedale Foundation.

- \* Small cove next to Bath House filled-in

Material excavated from Adin St. used to extend usable beach area.

- \* Swim area re-arranged to Red Cross specs

- \* Boy Scouts construct Adirondack campsite

Shelters built at the Lookout by Troop 1 boys and their dads.  
Materials donated by Draper Corp.

- \* Concrete picnic tables built in Parklands

Two tables placed at first, second, and third fireplaces

- \* Conservation Commission Formed

Park Commissioners Phillips, West and Marso also sit on this five-member board, as Park and Conservation initiatives closely related.

- \* Discussions begin on South End facility

**1965 Budget: \$20,300**

Pond attendance: 13,700 / Swim lessons passed: 222

Organized night basketball games started

- \* Bath House renovated

New floor and partitions installed, walls painted. Ramp replaces stairs.

- \* Three boat landings added within Parklands

Jeep pickup breaks down - replaced

Several park benches installed

**1966 Budget: n/a**

Pond attendance: 15,024 / Swim lessons passed: 151

Park Tennis Clinic attracts 150 youngsters

Park programs heavily utilized

*""...that because of this fine recreational program the destructive acts of personal property by juveniles in the Town is very small."*

New bubbler installed at Bath House

- \* All-time record Pond attendance

*"The money appropriated to run the recreational program is one of the best investments for the future the town can make."*

Large, dangerous rock removed at Ski Tow

- \* S.Hopedale land purchased for development

Town appropriates \$15,000 to Conservation Commission for purchase of Deluca and Draper property abutting Rt. 140 and Mellen Street Buildings razed and burned on-site. Land survey now needed.

**1967 Budget: n/a**

Pond attendance: >15,000 / Swim lessons passed: 195

Day trips added to Summer program

Trips taken to Southwick Animal Farm, Longwood Cricket Club for tennis championships, and in the "Impossible Dream" season, a Red Sox game at Fenway Park.

- \* Two week Summer tennis program added

Mr. Aram Karoghlanian and Mr. Roger Corey teach over 100 children

- \* South End Park has new additions

Six pieces of playground equipment installed, fence & lights installed

Ski Club buys new rope for Ski Tow

**1968 Budget: 21,970 (approx \$1 on the tax rate)**

Pond attendance: 18,387 / Swim lessons passed: 196

- \* Pond attendance jumps 6000 in three years

Approximately \$1 on the tax rate allows the Park Commission to *"...not only run one of the best recreational programs in the area but provide all maintenance as well."*

Merry-go-round installed at Town Park

Many decayed trees removed at Town Park

Shrubbery added to Dutcher St. entrance.

Four-wheel dump truck purchased

South End field area bulldozed and leveled

**1969 Budget: 21,970 (approx \$1 on the tax rate)**

Pond attendance: 16,120 / Swim lessons passed: 177

Summer Program interest remains high

Basketball league play, shuffleboard, paddleball, tetherball, arts & crafts, tennis, archery and baseball offerings all well attended as are various contests such as bike races and decorating, doll contests. Trip to the new New England Aquarium added. Swim team is popular.

Water Safety Demonstration at Pond

Director Charles Espanet's waterfront staff and Firemen led by Chief Charles Watson perform simulated lifesaving procedures to a large turnout at the Bath House.

Town park ball diamond reconstruction

Field re-sodded to major league dimensions. This will eliminate un-level spots which may cause injury; plus add a classic appearance.

No Parking signs added around Town Park

to provide clearer view for motorists and pedestrians alike

Motor boat permits required at Pond

Must be requested through Police Chief W. Chester Sanborn

- \* Park Commission to maintain Draper Field

One year lease for 1970 season arranged with Draper Division of North American Rockwell Corp.

Bird feeders added by Rustic Bridge area

Built by members of Boy Scout Troop 1.

Littering around Park becoming a problem

*"It was voted to request the Selectmen to insert an article in the Town Warrant to adopt a by-law prohibiting the discarding of trash on our public ways and Parklands."*

**1970 Budget: n/a**

Pond attendance: 17,620 / Swim lessons passed: n/a

Summer Recreation program employs 11



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| Summer tennis sessions expand               | Aram Karoghlianian and Sandra Folwell add adult lessons to the mix.  |
| * Bi-weekly bacteria checks made at Pond    | Water quality remained excellent all summer for swimming.  |
| Bleachers added to Park and Draper Field    | Concrete for slabs donated and poured by Rosenfeld Concrete Co.  |
| <b>1971 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 11,996 / Swim lessons passed: 106</b>  |
| Morning arts & crafts program expanded      | Daily weekday sessions added at South End Park.  |
| Balloon launch highlights summer activities | <i>"The Park Commissioners feel that the people of Hopedale should all be proud of their summer program, it could not be made possible if it were not for their tax money."</i>  |
| <b>1972 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 7,395 / Swim lessons passed: 99</b>  |
| * Pond attendance way down                  | Main factor is excessive weed growth that has choked the pond. Community House generously donates funds for weed treatments.<br><i>"By July the entire pond looked like a field with only the channel clear of weeds - snaking its way up the from the "shop" to the Rustic Bridge. That summer was also cool, plus the Casey Pool had just opened up in the Heights over in Milford, so our attendance was off quite a bit." That was a tough year for our staff - the swim area was a real mess after the weeds were treated."</i><br>(Former Recreation Director Charles Espanet -2004) |
| South End baseball field graded             |  |
| Fire Dept. helps flood Pond for skating fun |  |
| <b>1973 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 12,300 / Swim lessons passed: 176</b>  |
| * Charles Espanet retires as Director       | Served 23 seasons, (1950-1972) in the Park Department - thirteen as an assistant to Carl Miner and Roger Hebert, ten as Director<br><i>"...from the present Commissioners and the many past Commissioners who worked with Charlie, from the people of Hopedale and particularly the youth of Hopedale, a most sincere Thank You and best wishes in your new endeavor."</i>   |
| Paul Lombardi named new Park Director       | Clayton Wright serves as Maintenance Foreman   |
| South End Park morning attendance down      | Arts & crafts program at site cut back to three days a week.   |
| Tennis and Summer golf clinic offered       | Instructed by Mr. Joseph Burke and Mr. Jean Stare  |
| Attendance on summer bus remains high       | Children still brought to Parkland Pond for morning fun and lessons.   |
| <b>1974 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: 12,000+ / Swim lessons passed: 176</b>   |
| Evening adult Water Safety program added    |  |
| Phase three of weed project completed       |  |
| Paul Lombardi resigns as Director           |  |
| <b>1975 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a</b>   |
| * Clay Tennis courts replaced               | Surfaces paved due to high maintenance upkeep costs. Tennis instruction offered mornings, afternoon's and evenings.  |
| Miss Bette Robjent serves as Director       | Games, crafts, swimming program and field trips remain popular   |
| <b>1976 Budget: n/a</b>                     | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a</b>   |

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| * Susan Griggs named Park Director            |   |
| Tennis and baseball clinics held at Park      | Instructed by Mr. Larry Heron   |
| Park maintenance staff gets State help        | State-sponsored CETA workers assist with various jobs   |
| <b>1977 Budget: n/a</b>                       | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a   |
| * South End Field improvements made           | The Conservation Commission oversaw the addition of two small ball diamonds and the grading and seeding of the multi-purpose field.<br><i>"It is becoming apparent that this area will one day, along with the Town Park, serve as a major site for athletic and recreational activities."</i>                                |
| <b>1978 Budget: n/a</b>                       | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a   |
| Tennis courts resurfaced                      |   |
| Roadwork & brush clearing in Parklands        |   |
| * Bath House and Park buildings get facelifts | Painting and many repairs completed   |
| <b>1979 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a   |
| Mr. Brad Smith named Park Director            | Susan Griggs steps down after three outstanding years of service.   |
| <b>1980 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      | During these "missing years" when Commission reports were not submitted, the Summer Recreation program at both the Pond and Town Park remained intact. No longer were crafts programs offered at South End Field, nor was the daily bus run through town to bring youngsters to and from the Park and Pond on summer mornings |
| <b>1981 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      |   |
| <b>1982 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      |   |
| <b>1983 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      |   |
| <b>1984 Budget: n/a</b>                       | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a   |
| David Guglielmi serving as Park Director      |   |
| Swim lesson program enjoys a comeback         |   |
| Arts & crafts, tennis popular at Town Park    | Tennis tournament and the 2nd annual "island picnic" were held  |
| <b>1985 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>      | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons passed: n/a   |
| Park-related items from Conservation report   | Concerns raised over storm drain runoff from Jones Road and Inman street development which empties directly into Hopedale Pond.   |
| * Sprinkler system added at South End Field   | Parking lot and access road work also done at the site - now becoming commonly known as Mellen St. Field. Perimeter barriers, backstops, and a flagpole all added.  |
| <b>1986 Budget: n/a</b>                       | Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: 100 enrolled   |
| Year-end Rocky Point trip very popular        | 85 youngsters attend this tradition that began in the mid-70's.   |
| <b>1987 Budget: n/a</b>                       | Combined daily attendance at Pond & Park approx. 200 children   |
| * Ms. Jody Whyte named Park Director          | Replaces Former Commissioner David Guglielmi who served 3 years.  |
| Renovations done at Bath House/Pond           | New decking added to Pond raft, Girls locker room refurbished and reopened after several years, new picnic tables added.  |
| New slide installed at Town Park              |   |
| Band concerts continue to be popular          |   |

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| * Parkland foresting controversy creates stir  | A major deadwood and brush clearing operation in the Parklands was halted when the forestry agent representing the Town resigned, leaving behind a mess of slash and debris of considerable size  |
| * Gate installed in Parklands at Hazel St.     | Due to vandalism and illegal dumping, old chain gate replaced.  |
| <b>1988 Budget: n/a</b>                        | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a</b>   |
| Summer bus transportation reinstated           | Scheduled morning bus runs bring town children to Park and Pond   |
| Tennis instruction program returns at Park     |   |
| Town Park basketball court upgrades            | Court resurfaced, relined, and new backboards added.  |
| * Bandstand completely refurbished             | Painted, new rails added, new door installed.   |
| Parkland forestry concerns continue            | Firm hired to chip and remove brush and slash, roadways graded and drainage culverts installed at perennial washout areas.<br><i>"The process of returning the Parklands to their "original" state with limited resources has proven to be an arduous task. There's still an enormous amount of work to be done restoring Parklands for the use and enjoyment of everyone."</i>   |
| * More gates installed at Parkland entrances   | Due to vandalism and illegal dumping, old chain gates replaced at the Dutcher, Freedom St. and Overdale Parkway entrances. Gates fabricated by Blackstone Valley Vocational High School   |
| <b>1989 Budget: n/a</b>                        | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a</b>   |
| Summer bus pick-up discontinued                | Prohibitive operating costs cited as factor   |
| * Water fountains installed at Mellen St. Park | Joint effort by Parks, Highway Dept. and Water & Sewer Dept.  |
| <b>1990 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>       | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a</b>   |
| <b>1991 No Report Issued Budget: n/a</b>       | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a</b>   |
| * Condition of fields and grounds a concern    | <i>Concerns raised by Board as field conditions have deteriorated since the Park maintenance position was eliminated years back. The Board will reach out to the Highway Dept. seeking additional co-operation and assistance, and to the Finance Committee seeking reinstatement of the position."</i>   |
| * Board votes 2-1 on Mellen Field acquisition  | Board feels land which is under Conservation Commission jurisdiction should be considered for movement to the Park Dept.  |
| <b>1992 Budget: n/a</b>                        | <b>Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a</b>   |
| Summer Recreation program activities:          | Swimming and swim instruction, tennis lessons and tournament; Field trips: movies, Mendon Golf Range and Rocky Point<br>Activities: fishing derby, cookout, Town Beach winter carnival, bike decorating, pet shows, arts & crafts, and canoeing.  |
| Ice skating & hockey activities popular        |   |
| * Concern over condition of Draper Field       | Field used heavily for school sports and little league with little upkeep<br><i>"Since the land is not owned or leased by the Town, public funds for maintenance and repair have not been allocated to the property. As such, the overall condition of this "park" continues to deteriorate year after year in spite of the physical efforts volunteered by residents to keep the area at least usable. It is our hope that steps can be taken by the town to ultimately resolve the long-standing issues surrounding</i> |

*the use of this land as soon as possible."*

Weed control project approved by Board

\* Field maintenance issues with High School

Board approaches School Athletic Department seeking to have them assume more responsibility for field maintenance - since they utilize all areas heavily three seasons of the year. School cites lack of available funds to assist in this capacity.

**1993 No Report Issued Budget: n/a**

Conservation Commission acquires land

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a

Multi-acre lot at intersection of Lapworth and Tillotson Roads in the Pinecrest development is potential site for active recreation fields.

\* Huey & Duey issue ruffles feathers

Domesticated ducks placed illegally on Hopedale Pond attract children but also create problems as heavy feeding is contributing to a rapid rise in the Canada Geese population. Some residents want them removed, others insist that they remain. Issue receives coverage in Boston media.

**1994 No Report Issued Budget: n/a**

Field maintenance issues continue

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: not offered

School Dept. again asked to help subsidize field maintenance and equipment upkeep. Again, lack of available funds cited for lack of assistance.

Town Park abutters complain about noise

Complaints about disorderly youths and cars speeding down Dutcher St. are brought to the attention of the Police Dept.

Residents approach Board on playground

Seek new equipment. Request taken under advisement.

**1995 No Report Issued Budget: n/a**

(1995 activity documented in 1996 report)

\* Foundation grant allows for Park facelift

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: 146 Swim lessons: 54

Hopedale Foundation provides a generous grant for the following: New multi-level structure (Phase I of a two-part plan) installed, by Park members and volunteers. This replaced outdated see-saw's, swings, monkey bars and a chin bar. New kiddie swings added. Parklands roadway cleared of brush and widened. East and West sides resurfaced with crushed asphalt obtained free of charge by the Highway Dept. from the Rt. 16 reconstruction project. Comfort station roofed and painted.

Pond weed infestation worsens

Board seeks matching state grant money to defray costs

Loitering and rowdiness problems at Park

Police Chief Costanza obtains a Community Policing grant which will help enforce the 10PM curfew at Town Park, as well as the "no swimming after-hours" bylaw at the Town Beach.

Summer program a success

Attendance for both the Park and re-energized Pond programs has been excellent. Arts & Crafts program extremely well received.

Swim lesson program returns

Summer fees are \$25 for one child, \$35 for families with more than one child. Water Safety Instructor Jaime Dalton supervises lessons.

Parklands road clearing completed

Brush removed on the west shore roadway and at the Lookout

\* Resident volunteerism helps preserve Park

*"The Commission thanks Mr. Bob Colcord of Northrup St. for volunteering his time and energy to restore the Town Park ballfield to its current meticulous condition. This is the kind of community spirit*

*and volunteerism that everyone in Hopedale should be proud of."*

Parkland gates opened on trial basis

Summer trial fails as reports of speeding vehicles, property vandalism, and trash dumping are received.

## 1996 Budget: n/a

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: 183 Swim lessons: 104

\* More work done via 1995 Foundation grant

Phasell of new Town Park playground equipment upgrade completed by Gametime, Inc.  
Bandstand shingle siding replaced with clapboard, new roof added, building painted.  
All fencing around tennis courts replaced. Light poles structurally repaired and painted. Storage garage door replaced.

\* Park baseball field is the talk of the area

On-going maintenance program led by Commissioner Bob Colcord over the past several years has the field in excellent shape.  
Safety fence added around most of playground to keep stray baseballs from injuring toddlers.

\* Parklands road renamed for Willard W. Taft

A fall ceremony was held at a granite monument placed on the knoll just north of the Bath House where a group of approximately 30 Town officials and residents gather to honor local naturalist and former Park Commissioner Willard Taft. An inlaid bronze plaque sincerely *"...thanks Mr. Taft for his many years of preserving this special scope for the enjoyment of all."*  
The stone monument was generously donated by Kimball Sand & Gravel of Blackstone.

\* Summer Town Park bus program revived

Unfortunately, this effort failed as many new parents in Town seemed uncomfortable sending their children off alone to the Park for the day un-supervised. When Park staff noted that parents were following the busses in cars, it was decided to once and for all scrap the idea.

Loitering and unruliness at Park declines

Community policing effort by HPD continues to be successful.

\* Mellen Field improvements

Old playground swings replaced, implementation of a fee structure for organized leagues with restrictions on non-Hopedale-based teams. Wooden perimeter fence added to keep vehicles from vandalizing the field, new signage posted, new backstop added to first softball field. Predictions made by the Commission on this space in 1977 realized: *"The Mellen Fields have undergone a slow but steady transformation from a lightly-used open space to a well-defined, popular facility. Thanks in great part to the dedication and community spirit of Commissioner Mark Sesona and a score of volunteers from groups like the Hopedale Girls Softball League and the Milford-Hopedale Youth Soccer Assoc., the area now features a concession stand, porta-toilets, scoreboards and regularly groomed infields."*

\* Summer Recreation Director position revived

Ms. Jaime Dalton named to the position.

Bath House roofed and painted

Painting done under a supervised work-release program offered by the Northeast Corrections Center in Concord, MA., with substantial savings to the taxpayer.

Brush cleared by Corrections workers

On shore area from the Red Shop to the cove past the Bath House

Sand added at Park and Town Beach

Varney Bros. Sand & Gravel generously donates several truckloads

Northern half of Pond choked by weeds

Grant money being actively sought for remediation.



\* Canada Geese problem worsens

Do not feed" signage posted around lower end of the Pond. Plastic mesh fence added at each end of the raft helps keep geese off beach.

## 1997 Budget: n/a

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: 203 Swim lessons: 114

\* Wooden Dugouts constructed at Town Park

Hopedale High School industrial arts students design and construct two full-sized dugouts with materials purchased by the Park Dept. The group builds two picnic tables with leftover materials.

New batting cage added

Base line safety fence also added around Park ballfield.

Three tennis courts resurfaced.

Years of abuse from un-checked rollerblading and skateboarding take toll on surface. Parks and Police Dept. post & enforce "tennis only."

Park comfort station painted

No dogs" signage added around Town Park

Board attempts to revert Park once again to a "dog free" zone so residents complain about stepping in "surprises."

Safety fencing added to Mellen Field

Area around open dugouts enclosed.

\* Commission confronts "Duck" issue

Town meeting approves three Park-sponsored "waterfowl bylaws" *"One bylaw prohibits feeding waterfowl on or within the confines of Hopedale Pond, the other forbids the placing of domesticated/private owned animals on Town land under the jurisdiction of the Park Commission without written approval, and the third levies fines against those who fail to remove illegally placed animals from Park land."*

\* Huey & Duey fly the coop

Park Commission successfully negotiates removal of these fine feathered fowl from Hopedale Pond. Damage has been done however as Canada Geese population has increased ten-fold since the ducks were introduced. Goose droppings foul the shoreline necessitate extra precautions at Town Beach to keep it clean. New signage erected around the Pond citing fines for feeding waterfowl.

Swim program closed nine days in July

Combination of severe drought and trickle of inflow from upstream headwaters at North Pond (despite that area being near capacity), causes stagnancy. Elevated bacteria count forces interruption of swim program - which never recovers upon re-opening.

\* Board votes to keep Parkland gates closed

Gates to stay shut permanently. Vehicular vandalism and trash dumping primary reasons. Hopedale Police back the decision.

Parklands open for firewood-cutting day

Residents pay nominal fee to gather and cut dead/downed timber

Autumn "Day in the Park" a huge success

Sponsored by the Hopedale Arts Council who also sponsors summer band concert series.

## 1998 Budget: \$43,005

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a Swim lessons: n/a

Jody Whyte returns as Park Director

Jaime Dalton becomes to first female elected to Park Commission.

\* Park Dept. receives \$10,000 weed grant

State Representative Marie Parente instrumental in securing funds. Town appropriates matching funds which will allow for full treatment. Unfortunately record-breaking June rainfall postponed this project until Spring 1999.

\* Usage contract entered with Soccer league

Five-year agreement entered with Milford/Hopedale Youth Soccer Association allowing use of Mellen soccer field & facilities in return

turn for financial investments by MHYSA to improve and assist in the maintenance of the Mellen Field complex. \$10,000 in upgrades completed including refurbishment and extension of the old sprinkler system, field leveling and re-seeding, and parking lot improvements - all without cost to the Hopedale taxpayer.

\* Pond open to non-residents for swimming

Reverses Commission policy enacted in 1922. Pond attendance increases marginally. Water quality excellent all summer.

Bath House improvements made

The Boys changing area was completely refurbished thanks to a generous grant from the Hopedale Foundation. The Bath House bubbler was brought up to code, and repair were made to burst pipes.

Parklands outdoor maps constructed

Eagle Scout project by Troop 1 candidate Adam Brown,

Problems arise with Parkland abutters

Parkland behind Cutler St. residence willfully and maliciously cut and thinned. Hopedale Police asked to investigate. Illegal dumping of yard waste at Parkland entrances discussed with some Dutcher St. abutters.

Security lighting added at Town Park

Lights installed on Dutcher St. perimeter facing into Park. Timed lights illuminate inside of dugouts to curtail evening loitering.

Basketball light poles repaired and painted

Dangerous exposed wiring condition discovered and corrected

## 1999 Budget: n/a

Delayed weed control project completed

Pond attendance: closed Swim lessons: closed

Treatment by Aquatic Control Technologies of Sutton, MA completed in May. Next treatments should be needed in 2-3 years.

\* Summer swim program cancelled

A region-wide lifeguard shortage and spiraling wages affects lifeguard staffing. Funding limitations prohibit attracting certified candidates.

\* Mellen Field improvements continue

Volunteerism by the Hopedale Girls Softball Association continues to help keep the ballfield area at Mellen Field in excellent condition. Over the past few years, a snack shack, storage shed, scoreboard, and flagpole were build on-site by league members and volunteers. With assistance from the Water Dept., a water line was run into the storage shed and a backflow check valve was installed HYBA continues an aggressive field restoration project.

Park comfort station renovated

New toilets and refurbished sinks installed

Summer tennis lessons return to Town Park

Three-week program expanded to five due to popular demand.

## 2000 Budget: n/a

\* 100th anniversary of Adin Ballou statue

Pond attendance: n/a Swim lessons: n/a

Statue and granite base completely refurbished. Bronze work done by Healy Bros, Inc. of Rhode Island. New plaque with wording etched in the statue's base added due to weathering and wear on the statue.

Swim program returns with new Director

Correne Proctor replaces Jody Whyte as Director  
Lifeguard budget increase and season-end bonuses help the Dept. attract and retain staff.  
Chilly summer impacts attendance. Bath House interior painted.

Summer recreation program interest high

New arts & crafts and games added at Town Park, day trips included stops at the Douglas Waterslides, Pawtucket Red Sox, Crystal Falls Mini Golf, Franklin Park Zoo, Battleship Cove, the popular Boston Duck Boats, and Six Flags. Tennis lessons and a year-end Family

Fun Day rounded out a very full summer.

\* Park playground equipment upgraded

A generous grant from the Hopedale Foundation allows for the replacement of the 51 yr old jungle jim and horizontal bars with a rock climber tower, a tire swing, and three kiddie spring rides. Also, based on resident feedback, sturdy composite benches and picnic tables were added inside the playground area.

High school soccer moves to Mellen Field

Games and practices switch venue from Draper Field.

Parkland dispute at Overdale Parkway

Park Commission asked to rule in land dispute between Blackbrook Realty Corp. and residents of Overdale Parkway. Land in question involves several hundred feet of roadway extending from the current Parklands gate into what has always been considered an entrance to the Parklands. The Old Salt Box road parcel also came into question. When the Commission received a legal ruling from Town Council stating that the disputed land was not Parkland property, it disengaged from further involvement, but not without a word of caution *"...that it would not tolerate the privatization or commercialization of a single square inch of Parkland property - land obtained by our Town forefathers for both active and passive recreation purposes - without exhausting every legal avenue at the our disposal if need be."*

\* Ad-hoc committee formed to find field space

The Hopedale Athletic Recreational and Fields Committee (HARF), a cross-section of residents and Town officials organized in 1999 by the School Committee to seek new land for facilities and fields, becomes an ad-hoc group under the Park Commission. Exploratory funding of \$3000 granted at Town Meeting.

Vehicle Fair held at Town Park

Fundraiser for the school department's Bright Beginnings pre-school. Service trucks, town rescue and highway vehicles, and a fly-in by the Massachusetts Air National Guard helicopter highlight the day.

**2001 Budget: n/a**

Brett Boyd named Park Director

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a Swim lessons: n/a

Assisted by Cassie Parrott

\* Soccer agreement terminated and re-written

The Commission voided the existing agreement with Milford/Hopedale Youth Soccer after it was discovered that individuals on their Board had given unauthorized, non-league affiliated, out-of-town teams permission to use at Mellen Field. A new MHYSA board was elected and a formalized, legal document specifically outlining exact usage guidelines was established and agreed to by all. The new contract runs three years, expiring in 2004.

\* Irrigation well installed at Mellen Field

With dry summer conditions and skyrocketing water bills the Park Dept., with funding provided by MHYSA, installs a well at Mellen. *"The sprinkler installation was completed without a dime of taxpayer's money, and it should pay for itself in two years.."*

\* Shed roof dugouts installed at Mellen Field

Built by volunteers from the Hopedale Girls Softball Association

Weed Control maintenance program returns

9,000 allocated for spot treatment of lower Pond.

\* Bandstand repairs made

Vandalized 2X4 wooden railings on the bandstand, are replaced with sturdy, custom-made, wrought iron rails and a lockable gate. New wrought iron stairs also installed. Cost: \$5,700. Signs are posted requesting people to keep off this unique, 96 year old structure.

Vandalism forces comfort station closure

High repair costs due to repeated vandalism forces closure.  
Porta-pots placed on grounds.

\* Park Commission direction causes concern

*"Since budget cuts removed the Park maintenance position back in the mid 1980's, the Park Commission has served as both an elected policy-making Board while providing upkeep and maintenance services. We are the only elected Board in Hopedale which operates under these conditions, and the burden is not conducive to retaining interested, dedicated Board members - or attracting new candidates. With the Board currently looking long-term to add additional recreational fields and facilities to meet the needs of a rapidly expanding population, financial support from the Town to provide for a dedicated Park maintenance staff and a part or full -time Director to handle the day-to-day needs of the Board and the community is crucial, else our fields and facilities will fall into disrepair. Those most negatively impacted by this will be the children of Hopedale."*

*Park Commission Chairman Rick Espanet to the Board of Selectmen - June 2001*

## 2002 Budget: \$64, 317

\* Summer Swim Program Discontinued

Pond attendance: n/a Daily high: n/a Swim lessons: n/a

98 year program affected by increased operating costs and lack of use and support from the community. Proliferation of backyard swimming pools and foul waterfront conditions created by the large Canada Geese population (see 1993, 1996) contribute to the demise. This decision will remain in place unless feedback dictates otherwise. of what once one of the premier waterfront programs in the region.

\* Park Dept now "stewards" for Draper Field

Since this property became privatized when the last holdings of Draper Corporation left Town in the mid 1970's, all upkeep has been done by independent youth sports groups. In 2002 the property deedholder - along with the Board of Selectmen - asked the Park Commission to oversee all activities at the field to insure provisions set forth by the deedholder as part of a usage agreement signed with the Selectmen in 2001 are adhered to by all groups utilizing the area.

Chain link fence added at Mellen Field

Safety fence added along the parking lot area.

Weed Control maintenance continues

9,000 allocated for spot treatment of lower Pond.

Renovations made to Town Park ballfield

Volunteers spread loam, lay down sod and re-seed area. A new heavy-duty sprinkler head and timer was installed within the infield and the existing sprinkler system was repaired. Cost: \$1,100.

Ballou Park landscaping improvements

50 yr old arborvitaes which were growing wild and damaged by heavy winter snows were removed. Stumps were pulled. New plantings due.

Complaints lead to fee-based tennis program

Residents complained that individuals were conducting private, for-pay tennis lessons on our public courts. With tennis lesson interest high among adults and youngsters, but with limited budget resources available to start a program, the Board instituted fee-supported tennis instructions with a portion coming back to the Dept.

## 2003 Budget: n/a

\* Commission receives \$10,000 EPA grant

Pond attendance: closed Park Summer Program well attended

Chaired by Commissioner Jim Binney, the Park Department's ad-hoc committee's efforts finally start to get off the ground...

*"The Town was awarded \$10,000 grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to conduct the first thorough and comprehensive site assessment of the back section of the old Draper landfill property under the coveted Targeted Brownfields Assessment Program. This*

*is a major step towards not only cleaning/capping the old Draper land-fill site, but procuring and revitalizing otherwise useless land to accommodate the recreational facilities needs of the Town safely for generations to come."*

Tennis program: ace, set, and match

The Summer Recreation tennis program was run by Barry Gorman. The fee-based tennis program started in 2002 had to be shut down as the Board when was unable to receive an accurate accounting of lesson rosters and subsequent fees collected. Unfortunately due to continued usage abuses on the Town courts, the Board considers levying fines on individuals conducting private enterprise on Park property.

Adin Ballou Park beautification completed

Collaborative effort by former Park Commissioner Mark Sesona and Historical Commission member Elaine Malloy acquire a grant from the Blackstone Valley Historical Commission to add granite benches, new walkways, and a granite marker with plaque.

*"Combined with recent statue refurbishments completed by the Park Commission, Ballou Park is a landmark that exemplifies how co-operative commitment can help "preserve the trust" of Hopedale's rich heritage."*

Town Park hosts many activities

Hopedale J's Senior Ruth baseball team re-formed nearly 30 years after it's original season. Babe Ruth baseball, men's summer basketball, the annual fall Day in the Park festival, a July fourth baseball outing and picnic, and the 4th annual Bright Beginnings Center Vehicle Fair were all held at the Park this year.

Crushed stone added to Mellen parking lot

Budget delay postpones weed treatment

Town budget is not formally released to Town boards until late June Without a guarantee of available funds for weed control the Board had no choice but to defer the project until 2004.

Parkland gates sanded and painted

Pond garage doors replaced

Double wooden doors replaced with single steel/fiberglass door.

\* New maintenance equipment obtained

The Park and Highway Departments jointly purchase a state-of-the-art John Deere mowing/bagging tractor which will save many man hours of labor with it's high-volume capacity and mobile capabilities. The Department also took ownership of a 1989 Ford pickup truck which was taken out of commission by the Water Department.

Residents asked to report vandalism

The Commission asks residents to help preserve Park property by reporting any instances of vandalism or flagrant rules violations to the Board and/or the Police Dept. Loose dogs and the failure of some owners to pick up after their pets continues to be a problem. Major damage to plumbing at the Park comfort station was done, porta-pots are tipped and damaged regularly, the Town Park dugouts have been defaced by graffiti and had their lights broken, and the tubular playground slide was destroyed - as were barriers set up to keep youngsters off of it. Budgeting for these repairs is taking money away from worthwhile programs and additions to the program.



## Appendix G

### Analytical Laboratory Reports

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Tuesday, June 17, 2008

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Project: H153-000.3

Location: Hopedale

Order No.: 0805502

Dear Carl Nielsen:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 5/29/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.**Project:** H153-000.3**Lab Order:** 0805502**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0805502  
**Project:** H153-000.3  
**Lab ID:** 0805502-001

**Client Sample ID:** Site 7  
**Collection Date:** 5/29/2008 11:00:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 5/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 10.0   | 0          |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.231  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.416  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

**Qualifiers:**  
 B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0805502  
**Project:** H153-000.3  
**Lab ID:** 0805502-002

**Client Sample ID:** Site 6  
**Collection Date:** 5/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 5/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 110    | 0          |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0566 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.455  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

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 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

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**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0805502  
**Project:** H153-000.3  
**Lab ID:** 0805502-003

**Client Sample ID:** Site 5  
**Collection Date:** 5/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 5/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 0          |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0421 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.466  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

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 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

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 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

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|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS Group, Inc. | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | Site 4        |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0805502         | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 5/29/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000.3      | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 5/29/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0805502-004     | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.030  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 4000   | 0          |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.050  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.74   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L      | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.482  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0805502  
**Project:** H153-000.3  
**Lab ID:** 0805502-005

**Client Sample ID:** Site 1S  
**Collection Date:** 5/29/2008 1:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 5/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                           |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Chlorophyll a                                    | 3.00   | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/2/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-MA003. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 10.0   | 0          |      | CFU/100ml         | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0536 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.498  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

**Qualifiers:**  
 B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0805502  
**Project:** H153-000.3  
**Lab ID:** 0805502-006

**Client Sample ID:** Site 1B  
**Collection Date:** 5/29/2008 1:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 5/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - E200.7</b>              |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Iron   | 0.214  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>6/3/2008   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.010  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008  |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | 0.0285 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0520 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008  |
| <b>TOTAL* KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>       |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.487  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008 |

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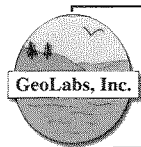
**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 17-Jun-08

|                   |                 |                          |                      |
|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS Group, Inc. | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | Site 2               |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0805502         | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 5/29/2008 2:00:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000.3      | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 5/29/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0805502-007     | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | 7.00   | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>5/30/2008 |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                       |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Chlorophyll a                                | 2.90   | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/2/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| E. Coli                                      | <10    | 0          |      | CFU/100ml         | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>5/29/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Sample was analyzed at M-24353.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>6/4/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/3/2008    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.0552 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>5/30/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.531  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>6/12/2008   |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



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Sample Handling: circle choice  
Filtration Done  
Not Needed  
Lab to do  
Preservation Lab to do Y/N

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## Special Instructions

Dissolved & Total Phos. to 0.01 mg/l or better.  
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|                        |            |                                  |       |  |             |
|------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|-------|--|-------------|
| Turnaround: circle one |            | Data Delivery: circle choice (s) |       | Requirements: circle choice (s)          |             |
| 1-day                  | 3-day      | Fax                              | email | GW-1                                     | MCP Methods |
| 2-day                  | 5 / 7-days | Format:                          |       | S-1                                      | DEP         |
|                        |            | Excel                            | PDF   | QC                                       | Other _____ |
|                        |            |                                  |       | CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols) |             |
|                        |            |                                  |       | State / Fed Program - Criteria _____     |             |

|                              |                            |                               |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Client: <u>ESS Group</u>     | Phone: <u>401-330-1274</u> | Project: <u>Hopedale</u>      |
| Address: _____               | Fax: _____                 | Project PO: <u>H153-000.3</u> |
| Contact: <u>Carl Nielsen</u> | email: _____               | Invoice to *: _____           |

Preservative:

| COLLECTION |       |         | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |           |       |       |       |       |            |        |  |  | TEMPERATURE | LAB pH |
|------------|-------|---------|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|--------|--|--|-------------|--------|
| DATE       | TIME  | SAMPLED |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | TRDP 2             | TKN NH4 2 | NO3 7 | NO2 7 | chl a | TSS 7 | Total Fe 2 | E Coli |  |  |             |        |
| 5/29       | 11AM  | CDN     | Site 7               |           |          | SW     |      | X    | 5502-001              | X                  | X         | X     |       |       | X     |            | X      |  |  | 60          |        |
|            | 11:46 |         | Site 6               |           |          | SW     |      | X    | 002                   | X                  | X         | X     |       |       | X     |            | X      |  |  |             |        |
|            | 12:00 |         | Site 5               |           |          |        |      | X    | 003                   | X                  | X         | X     |       |       | X     |            | X      |  |  |             |        |
|            | 12:30 |         | Site 4               |           |          |        |      | X    | 004                   | X                  | X         | X     |       |       | X     |            | X      |  |  |             |        |
|            | 1:00  |         | Site 1S              |           |          |        |      | X    | 005                   | X                  | X         | X     | X     |       | X     |            | X      |  |  |             |        |
|            | 1:15  |         | Site 1B              |           |          |        |      | X    | 006                   | X                  | X         | X     |       |       |       | X          |        |  |  |             |        |
|            | 2:00  |         | Site 2               |           |          |        |      | X    | 007                   | X                  | X         | X     | X     |       | X     |            | X      |  |  |             |        |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water DW = Drinking Water S = Soil A = Air  
WW = Waste Water SL = Sludge O = Oil OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl 3 = H2SO4 5 = NaOH 7 = Other  
2 = HNO3 4 = Na2S2O3 6 = MEQH

## Containers:

A = Amber B = Bag O = Other  
G = Glass P = Plastic  
S = Summa V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

2:30 5/29

Received by:

M. C. 5/29/08 2:30

Date / Time

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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

**Client:** ESS Group Incorporated **Laboratory Job Number:** L0809541  
**Address:** 401 Wampanoag Trail **Date Received:** 27-JUN-2008  
Suite 400  
East Providence, RI 02915 **Date Reported:** 07-JUL-2008  
**Attn:** Mr. Matt Ladewig **Delivery Method:** Client  
**Project Number:** H153 **Site:** HOPEDALE POND

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| ALPHA SAMPLE NUMBER | CLIENT IDENTIFICATION | SAMPLE LOCATION |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| L0809541-01         | 1                     |                 |
| L0809541-02         | 2                     |                 |
| L0809541-03         | 3                     |                 |
| L0809541-04         | 4                     |                 |
| L0809541-05         | 5                     |                 |
| L0809541-06         | 6                     |                 |
| L0809541-07         | 7                     |                 |
| L0809541-08         | 1B                    |                 |

I, the undersigned, attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my personal inquiry of those responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete. This certificate of analysis is not complete unless this page accompanies any and all pages of this report.

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Authorized by: Michelle M. Morris  
Technical Representative

**ALPHA ANALYTICAL  
NARRATIVE REPORT**

**Laboratory Job Number: L0809541**

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The samples were received in accordance with the chain of custody and no significant deviations were encountered during preparation or analysis unless otherwise noted below.

**Sample Receipt**

The samples were received at the laboratory above the required temperature range. The samples were transported to the laboratory in coolers with ice and delivered directly from the sampling site.

**E. Coli**

L0809541-01, -02, -03, -05, -07, and -08 have elevated detection limits due to the 2x dilutions required by the method.

Due to the large dilution (100x) required, the results for sample L0809541-04 should be considered estimated. Note also that according to the method, E. Coli results have a high false positive rate.

L0809541-06 has an elevated detection limit due to the 10x dilution required by the elevated concentration present in the sample.

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-01  
1

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 08:38

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,4-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE       |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP       | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |            | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |            | 0702 12:39 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |            | 0627 20:18 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 0.65   | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |            | 0703 06:22 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | 0.020  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |            | 0630 19:13 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |            | 0701 23:31 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 56     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |            | 0627 16:35 | DW |
| Chlorophyll A             | 4.92   | mg/m3     | 2.00  | 30 10200H     | 0627 16:30 | 0627 17:40 | DW |

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-02  
2

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 09:53

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 12:47 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:21 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 0.54   | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 06:31 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | 0.020  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:13 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:31 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | ND     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-03  
3

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 09:18

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 12:57 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | 0.14   | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:22 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 0.80   | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 06:40 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:15 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:33 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 46     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-04  
4

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 10:50

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | 0.925  | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 13:06 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | 3.3    | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:22 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 2.0    | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 06:49 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | 0.277  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:15 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | 0.244  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:35 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | >20000 | col/100ml | 100   | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-05  
5

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 11:58

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 13:15 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:23 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 0.51   | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 06:58 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:16 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:36 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 41     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

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Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-06  
6

Sample Matrix: WATER

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 11:35

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 13:24 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:24 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 1.7    | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 07:07 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:16 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:36 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 420    | col/100ml | 10    | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

Comments: Complete list of References and Glossary of Terms found in Addendum I

ALPHA ANALYTICAL  
CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

MA:M-MA086 NH:2003 CT:PH-0574 ME:MA0086 RI:LAO00065 NY:11148 NJ:MA935 Army:USACE

Laboratory Sample Number: L0809541-07  
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Date Collected: 27-JUN-2008 12:33

Date Received : 27-JUN-2008

Sample Matrix: WATER

Date Reported : 07-JUL-2008

Condition of Sample: Satisfactory

Field Prep: None

Number & Type of Containers: 2-Bacteria,3-Plastic

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |      | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0702 13:32 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | 0.17   | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |      | 0627 20:25 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | ND     | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |      | 0703 07:17 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0630 19:16 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |      | 0701 23:37 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 98     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |      | 0627 16:35 | DW |

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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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|                              |                      |                 |                   |
|------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Laboratory Sample Number:    | L0809541-08          | Date Collected: | 27-JUN-2008 09:01 |
|                              | 1B                   | Date Received : | 27-JUN-2008       |
| Sample Matrix:               | WATER                | Date Reported : | 07-JUL-2008       |
| Condition of Sample:         | Satisfactory         | Field Prep:     | None              |
| Number & Type of Containers: | 2-Bacteria,4-Plastic |                 |                   |

| PARAMETER                 | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE       |            | ID |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|------------|------------|----|
|                           |        |           |       |               | PREP       | ANAL       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      |            | 0702 00:05 | DW |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia         | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE |            | 0702 13:41 | JL |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  |            | 0627 20:25 | DD |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | ND     | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE |            | 0703 07:26 | JL |
| Phosphorus, Total         | 0.012  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |            | 0630 19:17 | NM |
| Phosphorus, Soluble       | 0.016  | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    |            | 0701 23:38 | NM |
| E. Coli (MF)              | 64     | col/100ml | 2.0   | 30 9213D      |            | 0627 16:35 | DW |
| Total Metals              |        |           |       |               |            |            |    |
| Iron, Total               | 0.64   | mg/l      | 0.05  | 1 6010B       | 0630 12:00 | 0701 19:04 | TD |

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**ALPHA ANALYTICAL**  
**QUALITY ASSURANCE BATCH DUPLICATE ANALYSIS**

**Laboratory Job Number: L0809541**

| Parameter   | Value 1 | Value 2 | Units | RPD | RPD Limits |
|---|---------|---------|-------|-----|------------|
| Solids, Total Suspended for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809641-01, WG327654-2)   |         |         |       |     |            |
| Solids, Total Suspended   | 1300    | 1200    | mg/l  | 8   | 32         |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809544-02, WG327747-3)         |         |         |       |     |            |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia   | 21.0    | 20.8    | mg/l  | 1   | 20         |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809665-03, WG327311-4) |         |         |       |     |            |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite   | ND      | ND      | mg/l  | NC  | 20         |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809544-02, WG327748-3)  |         |         |       |     |            |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 25      | 25      | mg/l  | 0   | 20         |
| Phosphorus, Total for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809473-05, WG327468-3)         |         |         |       |     |            |
| Phosphorus, Total   | 0.069   | 0.070   | mg/l  | 1   | 20         |
| Phosphorus, Soluble for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809541-01, WG327661-3)       |         |         |       |     |            |
| Phosphorus, Soluble   | ND      | 0.010   | mg/l  | NC  |            |
| Total Metals for sample(s) 08 (L0809541-08, WG327486-1)                 |         |         |       |     |            |
| Iron, Total   | 0.64    | 0.64    | mg/l  | 0   | 20         |

**ALPHA ANALYTICAL  
QUALITY ASSURANCE BATCH SPIKE ANALYSES**

**Laboratory Job Number: L0809541**

| Parameter   | % Recovery | QC Criteria |
|---|------------|-------------|
| Nitrogen, Ammonia LCS for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327747-2)                        |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia   | 99         | 80-120      |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite LCS for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327311-1)                |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite   | 102        | 90-110      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl LCS for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327748-2)                 |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 100        | 75-125      |
| Phosphorus, Total LCS for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327468-2)                        |            |             |
| Phosphorus, Total   | 92         | 85-115      |
| Phosphorus, Soluble LCS for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327661-2)                      |            |             |
| Phosphorus, Soluble   | 98         |             |
| Total Metals LCS for sample(s) 08 (WG327486-4)                                |            |             |
| Iron, Total   | 96         | 80-120      |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia SPIKE for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809544-02, WG327747-4)         |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia   | 92         | 75-125      |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite SPIKE for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809387-02, WG327311-3) |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite   | 100        | 80-120      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl SPIKE for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809544-02, WG327748-4)  |            |             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl  | 90         | 60-140      |
| Phosphorus, Total SPIKE for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809473-06, WG327468-4)         |            |             |
| Phosphorus, Total   | 97         | 80-120      |
| Phosphorus, Soluble SPIKE for sample(s) 01-08 (L0809541-02, WG327661-4)       |            |             |
| Phosphorus, Soluble   | 101        |             |
| Total Metals SPIKE for sample(s) 08 (L0809541-08, WG327486-2)                 |            |             |
| Iron, Total   | 96         | 75-125      |

**ALPHA ANALYTICAL**  
**QUALITY ASSURANCE BATCH BLANK ANALYSIS**

**Laboratory Job Number: L0809541**

| PARAMETER                                       | RESULT | UNITS     | RDL   | REF METHOD    | DATE<br>PREP ANAL     | ID |
|---|--------|-----------|-------|---------------|-----------------------|----|
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327654-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Solids, Total Suspended                         | ND     | mg/l      | 5.0   | 30 2540D      | 0702 00:05            | DW |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327747-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Nitrogen, Ammonia                               | ND     | mg/l      | 0.400 | 30 4500NH3-BE | 0702 12:09            | JL |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327311-2) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Nitrogen, Nitrate/Nitrite                       | ND     | mg/l      | 0.10  | 30 4500NO3-F  | 0627 19:48            | DD |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327748-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                        | ND     | mg/l      | 0.50  | 30 4500NH3-BE | 0703 05:57            | JL |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327468-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Phosphorus, Total                               | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    | 0630 19:03            | NM |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327661-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Phosphorus, Soluble                             | ND     | mg/l      | 0.010 | 30 4500P-E    | 0701 23:24            | NM |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01-08 (WG327330-1) |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| E. Coli (MF)                                    | ND     | col/100ml | 1.0   | 30 9213D      | 0627 16:35            | DW |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 01 (WG327332-1)    |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Chlorophyll A                                   | ND     | mg/m3     | 2.00  | 30 10200H     | 0627 16:30 0627 17:40 | DW |
| Blank Analysis for sample(s) 08 (WG327486-3)    |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Total Metals                                    |        |           |       |               |                       |    |
| Iron, Total                                     | ND     | mg/l      | 0.05  | 1 6010B       | 0630 12:00 0701 18:57 | TD |

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ADDENDUM I**

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**GLOSSARY OF TERMS AND SYMBOLS**

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| REF     | Reference number in which test method may be found.  |
| METHOD  | Method number by which analysis was performed.   |
| ID      | Initials of the analyst.   |
| ND      | Not detected in comparison to the reported detection limit.  |
| NI      | Not Ignitable.   |
| ug/cart | Micrograms per Cartridge.  |
| H       | The analysis of pH was performed beyond the regulatory-required holding time of 15 minutes from the time of sample collection. |

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We strongly urge our clients to comply with EPA protocol regarding sample volume, preservation, cooling, containers, sampling procedures, holding times and splitting of samples in the field.







Tuesday, July 29, 2008

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Project: Hopedale Pond  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0807275

Dear Dan Herzlinger:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 7/17/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab Order:** 0807275

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 29-Jul-08

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0807275  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab ID:** 0807275-001

**Client Sample ID:** HP-1  
**Collection Date:** 7/17/2008 10:30:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 7/17/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                           |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Chlorophyll a                                    | 3.70   | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/18/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-MA003. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 10     | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml    | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0374 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.559  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                   |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 1.06   | 0.0283     |      | NTU               | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

**Qualifiers:**  
 B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 29-Jul-08

|                   |               |                          |                       |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-1B                 |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 10:50:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-002   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - E200.7</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Iron   | 1.13   | 0.0600     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.156  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0323 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.519  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 1.01   | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 29-Jul-08

|                   |               |                          |                       |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-2                  |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 11:30:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-003   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|-----------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 30     | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0447 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.606  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 0.860  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

**Qualifiers:**

|   |   |
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| B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank |
| E | Value above quantitation range                  |
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| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-3                 |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 1:45:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-004   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.536  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 0.610  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-4                  |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 12:30:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-005   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 255    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 1.89   | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | 0.0733 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.46   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 2.73   | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 0.660  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

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|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-5                 |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 1:15:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-006   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0337 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.669  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 0.610  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

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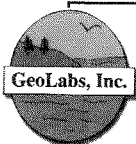
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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-7                 |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0807275       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 7/17/2008 2:10:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 7/17/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0807275-007   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed               |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>7/18/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| E. Coli  | 30     | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/17/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.11   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/22/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/25/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0729 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/18/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.496  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/23/2008   |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |                |    |                             |
| Turbidity  | 0.520  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>7/18/2008   |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
Filtration Done  
Not Needed  
Lab to do  
Preservation Lab to do Y / N

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LAB TO FILTER P SAMPLES  
Special Instructions  
NOTE LOW DETECTION LIMITS FOR TOTAL P & DISS P (0.01)

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| Turnaround: circle one<br>1-day<br>2-day | Data Delivery: circle choice (s)<br>Fax<br>Format:<br>Excel | email<br>PDF | GW-1<br>S-1<br>QC | MCP Methods<br>DEP<br>Other _____ | Requirements: circle choice (s) <b>0807275</b><br>CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)<br>State / Fed Program - Criteria _____ |
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| Client: <b>ESS GROUP</b><br>Address: <b>401 WAMPANAG TRAIL, SUITE 400</b><br><b>EAST PROVIDENCE, RI</b><br>Contact: <b>DAN HERZLINGER</b> | Phone: <b>(401) 330-1210</b><br>Fax: _____<br>email: <b>dherzlinger@essgroup.com</b> | Project: <b>HOPEDALE POND</b><br>Project PO: <b>1453-000</b><br>Invoice to *: _____ |
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| COLLECTION |       |         | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        | COM P | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |                  |   |     |        |          |               |           |             |       |     |
|------------|-------|---------|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|-------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------|---|-----|--------|----------|---------------|-----------|-------------|-------|-----|
| DATE       | TIME  | SAMPLED |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX |       |      |                       | TOTAL P (OT 0.01)  | DISS P (PT 0.01) | TICN, NO <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>3</sub> , NH <sub>4</sub> | TSS | E.Coli | Total Fe | Chlorophyll A | TURBIDITY | TEMPERATURE | L A B | P H |
| 7/17/08    | DL/MS | 10:30   | HP-1                 | A/P       | 6        | SW     |       | X    | 7275-001              | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          | X             | X         | 50          |       |     |
|            |       | 10:50   | HP-1B                | A/P       | 6        | SW     |       | X    | 002                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      | X        |               | X         |             |       |     |
|            |       | 11:30   | HP-2                 | A/P       | 5        | SW     |       | X    | 003                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          |               | X         |             |       |     |
|            |       | 1:45    | HP-3                 | A/P       | 5        | SW     |       | X    | 004                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          |               | X         |             |       |     |
|            |       | 12:30   | HP-4                 | A/P       | 5        | SW     |       | X    | 005                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          |               | X         |             |       |     |
|            |       | 1:15    | HP-5                 | A/P       | 5        | SW     |       | X    | 006                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          |               | X         |             |       |     |
|            |       | 2:10    | HP-7                 | A/P       | 5        | SW     |       | X    | 007                   | X                  | X                | X   | X   | X      |          |               | X         |             |       |     |

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| <b>Matrix Codes:</b><br>GW = Ground Water<br>WW = Waste Water<br>DW = Drinking Water<br>SL = Sludge<br>S = Soil<br>O = Oil<br>A = Air<br>OT = Other | <b>Received on Ice</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <b>Preservatives</b><br>1 = Hcl<br>2 = HNO3<br>3 = H2SO4<br>4 = Na2S2O3<br>5 = NaOH<br>6 = MEOH<br>7 = Other | <b>Containers:</b><br>A = Amber<br>G = Glass<br>S = Summa<br>B = Bag<br>P = Plastic<br>V = Voa<br>O = Other |
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| Relinquished by: | Date / Time: <b>7/17/08</b> | Received by: | Date / Time: <b>7/17/08 3:00</b> |
|                  |                             |              | <b>7/17/08 4:40</b>              |



Wednesday, August 20, 2008

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Project: H153-0W  
Location: Hopedale

Order No.: 0808064

Dear Carissa Lord:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 8 sample(s) on 8/7/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** H153-0W  
**Lab Order:** 0808064

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 20-Aug-08

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 4                   |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0808064     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 8/6/2008 8:37:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-001 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER       |

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | 6.00   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/7/2008      |
| Analyst: Admin                               |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.13   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| E. Coli                                      | 2400   | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 8/6/2008      |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 0.97   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | 0.424  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: WFR                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | 0.0483 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 2.72   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.985  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/15/2008     |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |

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| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | SS11                |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0808064     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 8/6/2008 9:09:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-002 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER       |

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed  |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | 15.0   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/7/2008       |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: Admin |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.14   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008      |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| E. Coli                                      | 1980   | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 8/6/2008       |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 1.1    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008      |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | 0.219  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008       |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: WFR   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008       |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.569  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008       |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |                |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.896  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/15/2008      |
|  |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP    |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | SS2                 |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0808064     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 8/6/2008 9:51:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-003 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER       |

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/7/2008      |
| Analyst: Admin                               |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.20   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| E. Coli                                      | 1750   | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 8/6/2008      |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 1.2    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | 0.197  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: WFR                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.453  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.709  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/15/2008     |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |

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| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0808064  
**Project:** H153-0W  
**Lab ID:** 0808064-004

**Client Sample ID:** SS3  
**Collection Date:** 8/6/2008 12:49:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 8/7/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | 15.0   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/7/2008      |
| Analyst: Admin                               |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.19   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| E. Coli                                      | 3000   | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 8/6/2008      |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 2.3    | 0.020      |      | mg/L           | 2  | 8/11/2008     |
| Analyst: SUB                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | 0.325  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: WFR                                 |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.314  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/8/2008      |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.786  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 8/15/2008     |
| Analyst: RP                                  |        |            |      |                |    |               |

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0808064  
**Project:** H153-0W  
**Lab ID:** 0808064-005

**Client Sample ID:** SS8  
**Collection Date:** 8/6/2008 10:25:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 8/7/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                     |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>Admir</b><br>8/7/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.051  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| E. Coli  | 820    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>8/6/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.6    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>WFR</b><br>8/8/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 1.04   | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                   |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.256  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>8/15/2008   |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 5                    |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0808064     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 8/6/2008 10:59:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-006 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed              |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>8/7/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.032  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| E. Coli  | 170    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/6/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.5    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>8/8/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.125  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.461  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/15/2008   |

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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 6                    |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0808064     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 8/6/2008 11:29:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-007 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed              |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>8/7/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.034  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| E. Coli  | 140    | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/6/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.6    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>8/8/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.143  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.825  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/15/2008   |

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|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



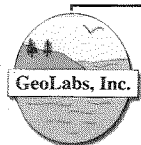
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| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-0W     | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 8/7/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0808064-008 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER        |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed              |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | 13.0   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: Admin<br>8/7/2008 |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.017  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| E. Coli  | 60.0   | 0          |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/6/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.6    | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/11/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>8/8/2008   |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.156  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/8/2008    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                            |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.378  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/15/2008   |

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| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice

Filtration

Done

Not Needed

Lab to do

Preservation

Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions

Lab to Filter P samples

Note low detection limits for total P &amp; diss. P (col)

Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

PDF

Excel

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

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Project: Hopedale  
 Project PO: H153-00  
 Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

| COLLECTION |       |         | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |          |                       |                   |       |     |         | TEMPERATURE | LAB<br>PH |          |    |  |
|------------|-------|---------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------|-----|---------|-------------|-----------|----------|----|--|
| DATE       | TIME  | SAMPLED |                         | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX |                       | COMP               | GRAB     | Total P<br>(GT 0.001) | Diss P<br>(0.700) | THSTK | TSS | E. coli |             |           | Nor2Nor7 |    |  |
| 8/6/08     | 8:37  | CTL     | 4                       | AP        | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 8064-001 | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          | 50 |  |
|            | 9:09  |         | SS11                    |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 002      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 9:51  |         | SS2                     |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 003      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 12:49 |         | SS3                     |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 004      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 10:25 |         | SS8                     |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 005      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 10:59 |         | 5                       |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 006      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 11:29 |         | 6                       |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 007      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |
|            | 12:01 |         | 7                       |           | 6        | SW     |                       | X                  | 008      | X                     | X                 | X     | X   | X       | X           |           |          |    |  |

**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO3

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = MEOH

**Containers:**

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time 8/6/08

Received by:

Date / Time

Monday, October 27, 2008

Matt Ladewig  
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Project: H153-000  
Location: Hopedale Pond

Order No.: 0810148


Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 10/9/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group**Project:** H153-000**Lab Order:** 0810148**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

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**Reported Date:** 27-Oct-08

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-1S       |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-001 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed                               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|---|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>FC</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                       |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Chlorophyll a                                | ND     | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| E. Coli                                      | <10    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml    | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>WFR</b><br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.100  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |   |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.534  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/24/2008            |

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|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-1B       |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-002 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                               |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>FC</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>             |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Iron   | 0.387  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>QS</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| E. Coli  | 30     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>WFR</b><br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.151  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |   |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.523  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>10/24/2008            |

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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-2        |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-003 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 50     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0383 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.362  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-4        |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-004 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 40     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.020  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.53   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.356  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0810148  
**Project:** H153-000  
**Lab ID:** 0810148-005

**Client Sample ID:** HP-5  
**Collection Date:** 10/9/2008  
**Date Received:** 10/9/2008  
**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0416 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.456  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-6        |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-006 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 60     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0374 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.301  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

**Qualifiers:**

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| B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank |
| E | Value above quantitation range                  |
| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 27-Oct-08

|                   |             |                          |             |
|-------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | HP-7        |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0810148     | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Project:</b>   | H153-000    | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 10/9/2008   |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0810148-007 | <b>Matrix:</b>           | GROUNDWATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 100    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/16/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0709 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.301  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done  
 Not Needed  
 Lab to do  
 Lab to do Y / N  
 Preservation

## Special Instructions

Lab to Filter P samples

Note low detection limits for total P &amp; Diss P (0.01)

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Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5 / 7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

Format:

Excel

email

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

0810148

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Project: Hopedale Pond

Project PO: H153-000

Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

## COLLECTION

## CONTAINER

## Analysis Requested

| DATE | TIME | SAMPLED | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | TYPE | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Total P (DT 0.01) | Diss P (DT 0.01) | TKN, NO <sub>2</sub> -, NO <sub>3</sub> -, NH <sub>4</sub> | TSS | E Coli | Total Fe | Chlorophyll A | TEMPERATURE | LAB PH |
|------|------|---------|----------------------|------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--|-----|--------|----------|---------------|-------------|--------|
| 10/9 |      | SL      | HP-1S                |      |          |        |      |      | 0148-001              | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          | X             |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-1B                |      |          |        |      |      | 009                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      | X        |               |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-2                 |      |          |        |      |      | 003                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          |               |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-4                 |      |          |        |      |      | 004                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          |               |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-5                 |      |          |        |      |      | 005                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          |               |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-6                 |      |          |        |      |      | 004                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          |               |             |        |
|      |      | SL      | HP-7                 |      |          |        |      |      | 007                   | X                 | X                | X  | X   | X      |          |               |             |        |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = HCl

3 = H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO<sub>3</sub>4 = Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

6 = MEOH

## Containers:

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by: Carissa Lord

Date / Time 10/9 2:08pm

Received by: R. B. Gorman

Date / Time 10/9/08 2:08pm

R.B. 10-9-08 3:10pm

Friday, November 14, 2008

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Project: H153-000  
Location: Hopedale Pond

Order No.: 0810148

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 10/9/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

**This report is being re-issued with rerun results for Total and Dissolved Phosphorus.**  
There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group**Project:** H153-000**Lab Order:** 0810148**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure, with the following exceptions:

Total Phosphorus and Dissolved Phosphorus were sent to a different subcontracted laboratory for re-analysis out of holding time per client request.

No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
Original Reported Date: 27-Oct-08

CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-001 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-1S Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                       | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                       |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Chlorophyll a                                | ND     | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.012  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| E. Coli                                      | <10    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml    | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 0.016  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/7/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.100  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.534  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
Original Reported Date: 27-Oct-08

CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-002 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-1B Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b> |    |      |  |      |   | Analyst: FC |
| Total Suspended Solids                   | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|                                      |       |        |  |      |   |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b> |       |        |  |      |   | Analyst: QS |
| Iron                                 | 0.387 | 0.0600 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|  |       |       |   |      |   |              |
|--|-------|-------|---|------|---|--------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |       |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.015 | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/14/2008   |

**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.

|                         |    |      |  |                |   |                      |
|-------------------------|----|------|--|----------------|---|----------------------|
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b> |    |      |  |                |   | Analyst: SUB         |
| E. Coli                 | 30 | 10.0 |  | Colonies/100ml | 1 | 10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |

**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.

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| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b> |       |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                 | 0.018 | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/7/2008    |

**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.

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| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |    |       |  |      |   | Analyst: WFR |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008   |

|                                 |    |        |  |      |   |             |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b> |    |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrite (as N)                  | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|                                 |       |        |  |      |   |             |
|---------------------------------|-------|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b> |       |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrate (as N)                  | 0.151 | 0.0270 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|   |       |       |  |      |   |             |
|---|-------|-------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |       |       |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 0.523 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/24/2008  |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reissue Date:** 14-Nov-08  
**Original Reported Date:** 27-Oct-08**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** H153-000**Lab Order:** 0810148**Lab ID:** 0810148-003**Collection Date:** 10/9/2008**Client Sample ID:** HP-2**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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**TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D**

Analyst: FC

|                        |    |      |  |      |   |            |
|------------------------|----|------|--|------|---|------------|
| Total Suspended Solids | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008 |
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**DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E**

Analyst: SUB

|                       |       |       |   |      |   |            |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|---|------|---|------------|
| Phosphorus, Dissolved | 0.016 | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/14/2008 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|---|------|---|------------|

**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.

**E-COLI - SM9221F**

Analyst: SUB

|         |    |      |  |                |   |                      |
|---------|----|------|--|----------------|---|----------------------|
| E. Coli | 50 | 10.0 |  | Colonies/100ml | 1 | 10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
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**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E**

Analyst: SUB

|                          |       |       |   |      |   |           |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|---|------|---|-----------|
| Phosphorus, Total (As P) | 0.019 | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/7/2008 |
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**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.

**AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C**

Analyst: WFR

|                |    |       |  |      |   |            |
|----------------|----|-------|--|------|---|------------|
| Ammonia (as N) | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008 |
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**NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A**

Analyst: RP

|                |    |        |  |      |   |            |
|----------------|----|--------|--|------|---|------------|
| Nitrite (as N) | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008 |
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**NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C**

Analyst: RP

|                |        |        |  |      |   |            |
|----------------|--------|--------|--|------|---|------------|
| Nitrate (as N) | 0.0383 | 0.0270 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008 |
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**TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C**

Analyst: RP

|                          |       |       |  |      |   |            |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--|------|---|------------|
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl | 0.362 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/24/2008 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--|------|---|------------|

**Qualifiers:**

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| B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank |
| E | Value above quantitation range                  |
| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

**BRL** Below Reporting Limit  
**H** Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
**ND** Not Detected at the Reporting Limit



# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
Original Reported Date: 27-Oct-08

CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-004 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-4 Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b> |    |      |  |      |   | Analyst: FC |
| Total Suspended Solids                   | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|  |                                 |       |   |      |   |              |
|--|---------------------------------|-------|---|------|---|--------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |                                 |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.028                           | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/14/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                | Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |       |   |      |   |              |

|                         |                                 |      |  |                |   |                      |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|------|--|----------------|---|----------------------|
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b> |                                 |      |  |                |   | Analyst: SUB         |
| E. Coli                 | 40                              | 10.0 |  | Colonies/100ml | 1 | 10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>           | Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |      |  |                |   |                      |

|  |                                 |       |   |      |   |              |
|--|---------------------------------|-------|---|------|---|--------------|
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b> |                                 |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                 | 0.055                           | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/7/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                            | Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |       |   |      |   |              |

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| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |    |       |  |      |   | Analyst: WFR |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008   |

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| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b> |    |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrite (as N)                  | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

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| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b> |      |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrate (as N)                  | 2.53 | 0.0540 |  | mg/L | 2 | 10/10/2008  |

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| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |       |       |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 0.356 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/24/2008  |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
Original Reported Date: 27-Oct-08

CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-005 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-5 Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b> |    |      |  |      |   | Analyst: FC |
| Total Suspended Solids                   | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

|  |                                 |       |   |      |   |              |
|--|---------------------------------|-------|---|------|---|--------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |                                 |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.018                           | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/14/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                | Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |       |   |      |   |              |

|                         |                                 |      |  |                |   |                      |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|------|--|----------------|---|----------------------|
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b> |                                 |      |  |                |   | Analyst: SUB         |
| E. Coli                 | <10                             | 10.0 |  | Colonies/100ml | 1 | 10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>           | Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |      |  |                |   |                      |

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| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b> |                                 |       |   |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                 | 0.020                           | 0.010 | H | mg/L | 1 | 11/7/2008    |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                            | Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |       |   |      |   |              |

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|---|----|-------|--|------|---|--------------|
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |    |       |  |      |   | Analyst: WFR |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008   |

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|---------------------------------|----|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b> |    |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrite (as N)                  | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

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|---------------------------------|--------|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b> |        |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrate (as N)                  | 0.0416 | 0.0270 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/10/2008  |

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| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |       |       |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 0.456 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | 10/24/2008  |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
Original Reported Date: 27-Oct-08

CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-006 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-6 Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.014  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 60     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.015  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/7/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0374 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.301  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank BRL Below Reporting Limit  
E Value above quantitation range H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 14-Nov-08  
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CLIENT: ESS - Group Lab Order: 0810148  
Project: H153-000

Lab ID: 0810148-007 Collection Date: 10/9/2008  
Client Sample ID: HP-7 Matrix: GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.017  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 100    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>10/9/2008 4:50:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.022  | 0.010      | H    | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/7/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/10/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.0709 | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/10/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.301  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>10/24/2008            |

**Qualifiers:**  
B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done Not Needed  
 Lab to do Lab to do Y / N  
 Preservation

## Special Instructions

Lab to Filter P samples

Note low detection limits for total P &amp; Diss P (0.01)

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Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5 / 7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

Excel

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

0810148

Client: ESS Group

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Project: Hopedale Pond

Project PO: H153-000

Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

## COLLECTION

## CONTAINER

## Analysis Requested

SAMPLE  
LOCATION / ID

GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER

| DATE | TIME | SAMPLED |       | TYPE | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |          | Total P<br>(DT 0.01) | Diss P<br>(DT 0.01) | TKN, NO <sub>2</sub> ,<br>NO <sub>3</sub> , NH <sub>4</sub> | TSS | E. Coli | Total Fe | Chlorophyll<br>A | TEMPERATURE | LAB<br>PH |
|------|------|---------|-------|------|----------|--------|------|------|----------|----------------------|---------------------|---|-----|---------|----------|------------------|-------------|-----------|
| 10/9 |      | SL      | HP-1S |      |          |        |      |      | 0148-001 | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          | X                |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-1B |      |          |        |      |      | 009      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       | X        |                  |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-2  |      |          |        |      |      | 003      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          |                  |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-4  |      |          |        |      |      | 004      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          |                  |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-5  |      |          |        |      |      | 005      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          |                  |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-6  |      |          |        |      |      | 004      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          |                  |             |           |
|      |      | SL      | HP-7  |      |          |        |      |      | 007      | X                    | X                   | X   | X   | X       |          |                  |             |           |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO3

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = MEQH

## Containers:

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by: Carissa Lord

Date / Time 10/9 2:08pm

Received by: R.B. Quinn

Date / Time 10/9/08 2:08pm

R.B. 10-9-08 3:10pm

Monday, December 01, 2008

Carissa Lord  
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Project: Hopedale Pond  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0811167

Dear Carissa Lord:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 8 sample(s) on 11/12/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab Order:** 0811167

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 01-Dec-08

|                   |               |                          |                        |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 1S                     |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 11:45:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-001   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER          |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed                          |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|--|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Chlorophyll a  | ND     | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008             |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.014  | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml    | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrate  | 0.0400 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.019  | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.475  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 01-Dec-08

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 1B                     |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 12:10:00 PM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-002   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER          |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed                          |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|--|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - E200.7</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Iron   | 0.395  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>11/13/2008              |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Chlorophyll a  | 0.810  | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008             |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 50     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml    | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.020  | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.451  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

**Qualifiers:**

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 11:13:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-003   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER          |

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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.014  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 40     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.516  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 3                      |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 11:45:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-004   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER          |

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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 20     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | 0.0300 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.017  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.434  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 10:13:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008             |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-005   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER          |

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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.039  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | 0.0210 | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | 2.10   | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.049  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | 0.168  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.398  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 9:20:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-006   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER         |

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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.012  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 20     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | 0.0500 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 10:30:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.018  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.522  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 9:40:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008            |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.018  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 10     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 11:00:00 AM |
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| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 11:00:00 AM |
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| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.019  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.451  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 7                     |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811167       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 11/12/2008 8:50:00 AM |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 11/12/2008            |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0811167-008   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER         |

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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Total Suspended Solids   | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/12/2008              |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>                               |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved  | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| E. Coli  | 60     | 10.0       |      | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/12/2008 6:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 11:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                                      |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrate  | 0.0900 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/13/2008 11:00:00 AM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing Laboratory RI-010 |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                                  |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)   | 0.018  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 1:00:00 PM  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.                   |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Ammonia (as N)   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008              |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>                          |        |            |      |                |    |  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl   | 0.481  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008              |

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done  
 Not Needed  
 Lab to do  
 Lab to do Y / N  
 Preservation

Special Instructions  
 Lab to Filter-P samples  
 Note low detection limits for Total P & Diss P (Oxid)

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Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5 / 7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

PDF

Excel

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

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Client: ESS Group  
 Address: 401 Wampscott Trail, Suite 400  
 East Providence, RI  
 Contact: Carlos Lord

Phone: 401-330-1244  
 Fax:  
 email: clord@essgroup.com

Project: Hopevale Pond  
 Project PO: 14153-000  
 Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

## COLLECTION

## CONTAINER

## Analysis Requested

| DATE  | TIME | SAMPLED | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | TYPE | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Total P (OTO-ol) | Diss P (OTO-ol) | NO <sub>2</sub> /NO <sub>3</sub> (OTO-ol) | TPH pH <sub>3</sub> | E Coli | Salmonella | TEMPERATURE | LAB PH |
|-------|------|---------|----------------------|------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---|---------------------|--------|------------|-------------|--------|
| 11/12 | 1145 | C/S/F   | 1s                   | 4/p  |          | SW     |      | X    | 11167-001             | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          | 4°C         |        |
|       | 1210 |         | 1b                   |      |          |        |      | X    | 002                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 1113 |         | 2                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 003                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 1145 |         | 3                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 004                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 1013 |         | 4                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 005                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 920  |         | 5                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 006                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 940  |         | 6                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 007                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |
|       | 850  |         | 7                    |      |          |        |      | X    | 008                   | X                | X               | X   | X                   | X      | X          |             |        |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water  
 WW = Waste Water

DW = Drinking Water  
 SL = Sludge

S = Soil  
 O = Oil

A = Air  
 OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl  
 2 = HNO<sub>3</sub>

3 = H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
 4 = Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

5 = NaOH  
 6 = MECH

7 = Other

## Containers:

A = Amber  
 G = Glass  
 S = Summa

B = Bag  
 P = Plastic  
 V = Voa

O = Other

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

11/12/08

Received by:

Date / Time

11/12/08 12:45  
 11/12/08 2:10

Monday, December 01, 2008

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Project: Hopedale Pond  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0811238

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Sincerely,

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab Order:** 0811238

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

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All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure, with the following exception:

E. coli was received and analyzed out of holding time per client request.

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Reported Date: 01-Dec-08

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>  | ESS - Group   | <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811238 |
| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

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| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-001         | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 3:10:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 4 (Dutcher Outfall) | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                         |
|---|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|---------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>          |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Total Suspended Solids                            | 15.0   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/17/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                              | 0.37   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| E. Coli   | 60     | 10.0       | H    | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.  |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                          | 0.66   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Ammonia (as N)                                    | 0.345  | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                   |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrite (as N)                                    | 0.0260 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/15/2008             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                   |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrate (as N)                                    | 2.35   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>11/15/2008             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                          | 1.73   | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008             |

**Qualifiers:**

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| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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Reported Date: 01-Dec-08

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond

**Lab Order:** 0811238

**Lab ID:** 0811238-002

**Collection Date:** 11/13/2008 3:40:00 PM

**Client Sample ID:** 11

**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed                         |
|---|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|---------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>          |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Total Suspended Solids                            | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>11/17/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>              |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                              | 0.082  | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                           |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| E. Coli   | 20     | 10.0       | H    | Colonies/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.  |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                          | 0.24   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008 |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Ammonia (as N)                                    | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/21/2008             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                   |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrite (as N)                                    | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/15/2008             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                   |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrate (as N)                                    | 2.11   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>11/15/2008             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                                       |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                          | 1.05   | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>11/20/2008             |

**Qualifiers:**  
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 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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| <b>CLIENT:</b>  | ESS - Group   | <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811238 |
| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

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| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-003 | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 4:56:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 5           | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed         |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Total Suspended Solids                    | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/17/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: FC           |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>      |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                      | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB          |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008          |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                   |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| E. Coli                                   | 10     | 10.0       | H    | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB          |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                  | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB          |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008          |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/21/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrite (as N)                            | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrate (as N)                            | 0.136  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 0.469  | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                 |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Turbidity                                 | 0.710  | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |

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| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

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| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-004 | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 4:30:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 6           | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses                                  | Result       | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed         |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>  |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Total Suspended Solids                    | ND           | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/17/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>FC</b>    |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>      |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                      | ND           | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b>   |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008          |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                   |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| E. Coli                                   | <b>70</b>    | 10.0       | H    | Colonies/100ml | 1  | 11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b>   |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.           |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>         |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                  | ND           | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b>   |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008          |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND           | 0.130      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/21/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>           |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrite (as N)                            | ND           | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>           |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrate (as N)                            | <b>0.161</b> | 0.0270     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | <b>0.416</b> | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                 |              |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Turbidity                                 | <b>0.880</b> | 0.0283     |      | NTU            | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |              |            |      |                |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |

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Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0811238

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab Order:** 0811238

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

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|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-001         | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 3:10:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 4 (Dutcher Outfall) | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units          | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|----------------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>  |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Total Suspended Solids                    | 15.0   | 4.00       |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/17/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: FC           |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>      |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                      | 0.37   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
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| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB          |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>         |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                  | 0.66   | 0.010      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                             |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: SUB          |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008          |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
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|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrite (as N)                            | 0.0260 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>           |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrate (as N)                            | 2.35   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L           | 2  | 11/15/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |        |            |      |                |    |                       |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 1.73   | 0.105      |      | mg/L           | 1  | 11/20/2008            |
|   |        |            |      |                |    | Analyst: RP           |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>  | ESS - Group   | <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811238 |
| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

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| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-002 | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 3:40:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 11          | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b> |    |      |  |      |   | Analyst: FC |
| Total Suspended Solids                   | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/17/2008  |

|                                      |       |       |  |      |   |              |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|--|------|---|--------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b> |       |       |  |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                 | 0.082 | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/20/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                        |       |       |  |      |   |              |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008     |       |       |  |      |   |              |

|                                 |    |      |   |                |   |                       |
|---------------------------------|----|------|---|----------------|---|-----------------------|
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>         |    |      |   |                |   | Analyst: SUB          |
| E. Coli                         | 20 | 10.0 | H | Colonies/100ml | 1 | 11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                   |    |      |   |                |   |                       |
| Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |    |      |   |                |   |                       |

|                                   |      |       |  |      |   |              |
|-----------------------------------|------|-------|--|------|---|--------------|
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b> |      |       |  |      |   | Analyst: SUB |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)          | 0.24 | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/20/2008   |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                     |      |       |  |      |   |              |
| Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008  |      |       |  |      |   |              |

|   |    |       |  |      |   |             |
|---|----|-------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |    |       |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/21/2008  |

|                                 |    |        |  |      |   |             |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b> |    |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrite (as N)                  | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/15/2008  |

|                                 |      |        |  |      |   |             |
|---------------------------------|------|--------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b> |      |        |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrate (as N)                  | 2.11 | 0.0540 |  | mg/L | 2 | 11/15/2008  |

|   |      |       |  |      |   |             |
|---|------|-------|--|------|---|-------------|
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |      |       |  |      |   | Analyst: RP |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 1.05 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | 11/20/2008  |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 01-Dec-08

|                 |               |                   |         |
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| <b>CLIENT:</b>  | ESS - Group   | <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811238 |
| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

|                          |             |                         |                       |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-003 | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 4:56:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 5           | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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**TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D**

|                        |    |      |  |      |   |                                  |
|------------------------|----|------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| Total Suspended Solids | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>FC</b><br>11/17/2008 |
|------------------------|----|------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|

**DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1**

|                      |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
|----------------------|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Dissolved Phosphorus | ND | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/20/2008 |
|----------------------|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|

**NOTES:**

Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008

**E-COLI - SM9221F**

|         |    |      |   |                |   |  |
|---------|----|------|---|----------------|---|--|
| E. Coli | 10 | 10.0 | H | Colonies/100ml | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
|---------|----|------|---|----------------|---|--|

**NOTES:**

Sample was analyzed at M-RI010.

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1**

|                          |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
|--------------------------|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Phosphorus, Total (As P) | ND | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/20/2008 |
|--------------------------|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|

**NOTES:**

Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008

**AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C**

|                |    |       |  |      |   |                                  |
|----------------|----|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| Ammonia (as N) | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/21/2008 |
|----------------|----|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|

**NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A**

|                |    |        |  |      |   |                                  |
|----------------|----|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| Nitrite (as N) | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |
|----------------|----|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|

**NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C**

|                |       |        |  |      |   |                                  |
|----------------|-------|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| Nitrate (as N) | 0.136 | 0.0270 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |
|----------------|-------|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|

**TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C**

|                          |       |       |  |      |   |                                  |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl | 0.469 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/20/2008 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|

**TURBIDITY - E180.1**

|           |       |        |  |     |   |                                  |
|-----------|-------|--------|--|-----|---|----------------------------------|
| Turbidity | 0.710 | 0.0283 |  | NTU | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |
|-----------|-------|--------|--|-----|---|----------------------------------|

**Qualifiers:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank |
| E | Value above quantitation range                  |
| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

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|-----|--|
| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 01-Dec-08

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|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>  | ESS - Group   | <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0811238 |
| <b>Project:</b> | Hopedale Pond |                   |         |

|                          |             |                         |                       |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Lab ID:</b>           | 0811238-004 | <b>Collection Date:</b> | 11/13/2008 4:30:00 PM |
| <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 6           | <b>Matrix:</b>          | SURFACE WATER         |

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

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|--|----|------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b> |    |      |  |      |   |                                  |
| Total Suspended Solids                   | ND | 4.00 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>FC</b><br>11/17/2008 |

|   |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
|---|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>              |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
| Dissolved Phosphorus                              | ND | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/20/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by Premier Labs M-CT008 |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |

|  |    |      |   |                |   |  |
|--|----|------|---|----------------|---|--|
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |    |      |   |                |   |  |
| E. Coli  | 70 | 10.0 | H | Colonies/100ml | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/14/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |    |      |   |                |   |  |

|   |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
|---|----|-------|--|------|---|-----------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                       |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                                | ND | 0.010 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>11/20/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Analyzed by New England Testing RI-010 |    |       |  |      |   |                                   |

|   |    |       |  |      |   |                                  |
|---|----|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b> |    |       |  |      |   |                                  |
| Ammonia (as N)                            | ND | 0.130 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/21/2008 |

|                                 |    |        |  |      |   |                                  |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b> |    |        |  |      |   |                                  |
| Nitrite (as N)                  | ND | 0.0220 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |

|                                 |       |        |  |      |   |                                  |
|---------------------------------|-------|--------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b> |       |        |  |      |   |                                  |
| Nitrate (as N)                  | 0.161 | 0.0270 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |

|   |       |       |  |      |   |                                  |
|---|-------|-------|--|------|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b> |       |       |  |      |   |                                  |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                  | 0.416 | 0.105 |  | mg/L | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/20/2008 |

|                           |       |        |  |     |   |                                  |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|--|-----|---|----------------------------------|
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b> |       |        |  |     |   |                                  |
| Turbidity                 | 0.880 | 0.0283 |  | NTU | 1 | Analyst: <b>RP</b><br>11/15/2008 |

|                    |   |  |
|--------------------|---|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | <b>B</b> Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank<br><b>E</b> Value above quantitation range<br><b>J</b> Analyte detected below quantitation limits<br><b>S</b> Spike Recovery outside recovery limits | <b>BRL</b> Below Reporting Limit<br><b>H</b> Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded<br><b>ND</b> Not Detected at the Reporting Limit |
|--------------------|---|--|

**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done Not Needed *Total & Diss*  
 Preservation Lab to do Y / N

**LAB TO FILTER P SAMPLES Special Instructions**

NOTE LOW DETECTION LIMITS FOR TOTAL & DISS P (0.01)

\*SUB P SAMPLES TO LAB M-CT008\*

*\*\* Please proceed w/ E.coli despite time*

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Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5 / 7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

Format:

Excel

email

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

0871238

exceeded hold time

Client: ESS GROUP

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Project: HOPE DALE POND

Project PO: H153-000

Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

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3/AM

**Analysis Requested**

| DATE     | TIME  | SAMPLED | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        | COMP | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |                  |                                       |   |   |  | TEMPERATURE | LAB PH |
|----------|-------|---------|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|--|-------------|--------|
|          |       |         |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX |      |      |                       | TOTAL P (DT 0.01)  | DISS P (DT 0.01) | TKN, NH3, NO3, NO2, E.COLI, TURBIDITY |   |   |  |             |        |
| 11/13/08 | 15:10 | DW/SL   | 4 (DUTCHER OUTFALL)  | A/P       | 5        | SW     |      | X    | 11238-001             | X                  | X                | X                                     | X | X |  | 5°C         |        |
| 11/13/08 | 15:40 |         | 11                   | A/P       | 5        | SW     |      | X    | 002                   | X                  | X                | X                                     | X | X |  |             |        |
| 11/13/08 | 16:56 |         | 5                    | A/P       | 5        | SW     |      | X    | 003                   | X                  | X                | X                                     | X | X |  |             |        |
| 11/13/08 | 16:30 |         | 6                    | A/P       | 5        | SW     |      | X    | 004                   | X                  | X                | X                                     | X | X |  |             |        |

**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water

WW = Waste Water

SW = SURFACE WATER

DW = Drinking Water

SL = Sludge

S = Soil

O = Oil

A = Air

OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = Hcl

2 = HNO3

3 = H2SO4

4 = Na2S2O3

5 = NaOH

6 = MEQH

7 = Other

**Containers:**

A = Amber

G = Glass

S = Summa

B = Bag

P = Plastic

V = Voa

O = Other

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

11/14/08 10:00  
11/14/08 12:48

Received by:

Date / Time

11/14/08 10:00  
11/14/08 2:05

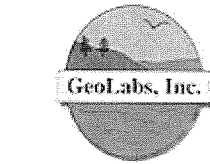


Monday, September 15, 2008

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Project: H153-000.4  
Location: Hopedale Pond



GeoLabs, Inc.  
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Order No.: 0808467

Dear Carl Nielsen:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 6 sample(s) on 8/29/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

For current certifications, please visit our website at [www.geolabs.com](http://www.geolabs.com)

**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.**Project:** H153-000.4**Lab Order:** 0808467**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-001

**Client Sample ID:** Site 7  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/5/2008      |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.015  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| E. Coli  | 136    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.7    | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/9/2008      |
| <b>SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE - E120.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Specific Conductance                             | 640    | 0.100      |      | µmhos/cm  | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.462  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.419  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/4/2008      |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Turbidity  | 1.87   | 0.0283     |      | NTU       | 1  | 8/29/2008     |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-002

**Client Sample ID:** Site 5  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/5/2008   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/8/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| E. Coli  | 20     | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/29/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.6    | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/8/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/9/2008   |
| <b>SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE - E120.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Specific Conductance                             | 240    | 0.100      |      | µmhos/cm  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | 0.0360 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.288  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.478  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/4/2008  |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Turbidity  | 1.22   | 0.0283     |      | NTU       | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-003

**Client Sample ID:** Site 4  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/5/2008   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.10   | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/8/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| E. Coli  | 14000  | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/29/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 1.7    | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/8/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.296  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/9/2008   |
| <b>SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE - E120.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Specific Conductance                             | 820    | 0.100      |      | µmhos/cm  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | 0.0415 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.97   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L      | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.489  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/4/2008  |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Turbidity  | 0.640  | 0.0283     |      | NTU       | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>8/29/2008  |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 E Value above quantitation range H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-004

**Client Sample ID:** Site 2  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.015  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-24353. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 3.8    | 0.030      |      | mg/L      | 3  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/9/2008      |
| <b>SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE - E120.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Specific Conductance                             | 500    | 0.100      |      | µmhos/cm  | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | 0.0456 | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.159  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.429  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | 9/4/2008      |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Turbidity  | 0.740  | 0.0283     |      | NTU       | 1  | 8/29/2008     |

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 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit



**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-005

**Client Sample ID:** Site 1S  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses                                     | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed       |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|---------------------|
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                       |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b> |
| Chlorophyll a                                | 2.80   | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | 9/8/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| Sample was analyzed at M-MA003.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b> |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b> |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                        | 0.017  | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | 9/8/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                      |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b> |
| E. Coli                                      | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml         | 1  | 8/29/2008           |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| Sample was analyzed at M-24353.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>     |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>SUB</b> |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                     | 1.5    | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | 9/8/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b>                                |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| Sample was analyzed at M-CT008.              |        |            |      |                   |    |                     |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>  |
| Ammonia (as N)                               | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | 9/9/2008            |
| <b>SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE - E120.1</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>  |
| Specific Conductance                         | 480    | 0.100      |      | µmhos/cm          | 1  | 8/29/2008           |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>  |
| Nitrite (as N)                               | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | 8/29/2008           |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>              |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>  |
| Nitrate (as N)                               | 0.337  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | 8/29/2008           |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>    |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>WFR</b> |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                     | 0.489  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | 9/4/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                    |        |            |      |                   |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>  |
| Turbidity                                    | 1.87   | 0.0283     |      | NTU               | 1  | 8/29/2008           |

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 E Value above quantitation range  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
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**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 15-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0808467  
**Project:** H153-000.4  
**Lab ID:** 0808467-006

**Client Sample ID:** Site 1b  
**Collection Date:** 8/29/2008  
**Date Received:** 8/29/2008  
**Matrix:** SURFACE WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>             |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Iron   | 0.511  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/5/2008      |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 2.1    | 0.020      |      | mg/L  | 2  | 9/8/2008      |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/9/2008      |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L  | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.280  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L  | 1  | 8/29/2008     |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |               |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.587  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/4/2008      |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
Filtration Done  
Not Needed  
Lab to do  
Preservation Lab to do Y / N

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## Special Instructions

Low Level phos. det. 0.01 mg/l

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|--|--|---|--|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Turnaround: circle one<br>1-day<br>2-day |  | Data Delivery: circle choice (s)<br>Fax<br>Format:<br>Excel |  | email<br>PDF                |  | Requirements: circle choice (s) <b>0808467</b><br>CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)<br>State / Fed Program - Criteria _____ |  |
| Client: <u>Hopedale Pond ESS Corp</u>    |  | Phone: <u>401-330-1224</u>                                  |  | Project: <u>H 153-000.4</u> |  | Project PO: <u>Hopedale Pond</u>   |  |
| Address: _____                           |  | Fax: _____  |  | Invoice to *: _____         |  |  |  |
| Contact: <u>Carl Nielsen</u>             |  | email: _____  |  |                             |  |  |  |

| COLLECTION       |                  |                                 | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER        |                                      | M<br>A<br>T<br>R<br>I<br>X | C<br>O<br>M<br>P | G<br>R<br>A<br>B | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |         |     |       |            |     |             |           |             |   | LAB<br>pH |
|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------|-----|-------|------------|-----|-------------|-----------|-------------|---|-----------|
| D<br>A<br>T<br>E | T<br>I<br>M<br>E | S<br>A<br>M<br>P<br>L<br>E<br>D |                         | T<br>Y<br>P<br>E | Q<br>U<br>A<br>N<br>T<br>I<br>T<br>Y |                            |                  |                  |                       | 2                  | 2       | 2   | 2     | 2          | 2   | 2           | 2         | 2           | 2 |           |
|                  |                  |                                 |                         |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  |                       | TKN                | NO3/NO2 | NH4 | TP/DP | chlorgylla | TSS | total metal | Cond/turb | TEMPERATURE |   |           |
| 8/29             |                  |                                 | Site 7                  |                  |                                      | SW                         |                  | X                | 8467-001              | X                  | X       | X   | X     |            | X   |             | X         | X           |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | <del>Site 6</del>       |                  |                                      |                            |                  | X                |                       |                    |         |     |       |            |     |             |           |             |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | Site 5                  |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  | 002 <del>001</del>    | X                  | X       | X   | X     |            | X   |             | X         | X           |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | Site 4                  |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  | 003 <del>002</del>    | X                  | X       | X   | X     |            | X   |             | X         | X           |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | Site 2                  |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  | 004 <del>003</del>    | X                  | X       | X   | X     |            |     |             | X         | X           |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | Site 1s                 |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  | 005 <del>004</del>    | X                  | X       | X   | X     | X          |     |             | X         | X           |   |           |
|                  |                  |                                 | Site 1b                 |                  |                                      |                            |                  |                  | 006 <del>005</del>    | X                  | X       | X   | X     |            |     | X           |           |             |   |           |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water    DW = Drinking Water    S = Soil    A = Air  
WW = Waste Water    SL = Sludge    O = Oil    OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl    3 = H2SO4    5 = NaOH    7 = Other  
2 = HNO3    4 = Na2S2O3    6 = MEQH

## Containers:

A = Amber    B = Bag    O = Other  
G = Glass    P = Plastic  
S = Summa    V = Voa

|                                     |                                     |                                 |                                  |
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| Relinquished by: <u>[Signature]</u> | Date / Time: <u>8/29/08 2:15 pm</u> | Received by: <u>[Signature]</u> | Date / Time: <u>8/29/08 2:20</u> |
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Wednesday, January 28, 2009

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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H-153-000

Order No.: 0901205


Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 1/19/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

  
Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901205

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 28-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-001

**Client Sample ID:** 1S  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 8:30:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units             | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>CHLOROPHYLL - A</b>                           |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Chlorophyll a                                    | ND     | 0.500      |      | mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/21/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-MA003. |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml         | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.208  | 0.130      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.308  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |                   |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.655  | 0.105      |      | mg/L              | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit



# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 28-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-002

**Client Sample ID:** 1B  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 9:00:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Iron   | 0.776  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: ZYZ<br>1/20/2009            |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.225  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.582  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.481  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 28-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-003

**Client Sample ID:** 3  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 10:30:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | 105    | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.061  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.138  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.303  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.443  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

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E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 28-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-004

**Client Sample ID:** 4  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 9:15:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.018  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.031  | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.230  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.73   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L      | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.465  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

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E Value above quantitation range  
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S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-005

**Client Sample ID:** 5  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 11:10:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.192  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.335  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.454  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

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**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-006

**Client Sample ID:** 6  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 11:40:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.208  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.105  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.416  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

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# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 28-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0901205  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901205-007

**Client Sample ID:** 7  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 10:20:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 1/19/2009  
**Matrix:** OTHER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/19/2009             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/19/2009 5:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/22/2009            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.181  | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.380  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009             |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.399  | 0.105      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009             |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done  
 Not Needed  
 Lab to do  
 Preservation Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions  
 - 12b filter Diss P  
 - Low Detect on P (0.01 mg/L)  
 - Phos to CTOOS (Premiere), please

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|---|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Turnaround: circle one<br>1-day<br>3-day<br>2-day | Data Delivery: circle choice (s)<br>Fax<br>Format:<br>Excel | email<br>PDF | GW-1<br>S-1<br>QC | MCP Methods<br>DEP<br>Other | Requirements: circle choice (s) <b>0901205</b><br>CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)<br>State / Fed Program - Criteria |
|---|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--|

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Project: Hopedale  
 Project PO: H153-000  
 Invoice to \*: Carl Nielsen

Preservative:

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| COLLECTION       |                  |                                 | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER        |                                      | M<br>A<br>T<br>R<br>I<br>X | C<br>O<br>M<br>P | G<br>R<br>A<br>B | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |                     |                                     |                                  |                     |                               |         |             |                       |  |
|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|---------|-------------|-----------------------|--|
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| 11/19/09         | 8:30             |                                 | 15                      | APD              | 6                                    | OT                         |                  | X                | 1205- 001             | X                  | X                   | X                                   | X                                |                     | X                             | X       |             | 40                    |  |
|                  | 9:00             |                                 | 1B                      |                  | 7                                    |                            |                  |                  | 002                   |                    |                     |                                     |                                  | X                   |                               |         |             |                       |  |
|                  | 10:30            |                                 | 3                       |                  | 5                                    |                            |                  |                  | 003                   |                    |                     |                                     |                                  |                     |                               |         |             |                       |  |
|                  | 9:15             |                                 | 4                       |                  | 5                                    |                            |                  |                  | 004                   |                    |                     |                                     |                                  |                     |                               |         |             |                       |  |
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|                  | 11:40            |                                 | 6                       |                  | 5                                    |                            |                  |                  | 006                   |                    |                     |                                     |                                  |                     |                               |         |             |                       |  |
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**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water  
 WW = Waste Water

DW = Drinking Water  
 SL = Sludge

S = Soil  
 O = Oil

A = Air  
 OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = HCl 3 = H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> 5 = NaOH 7 = Other  
 2 = HNO<sub>3</sub> 4 = Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> 6 = MeOH

**Containers:**

A = Amber B = Bag O = Other  
 G = Glass P = Plastic  
 S = Summa V = Voa

Relinquished by: [Signature] Date / Time 11/19/09 1:15Received by: M. C. Date / Time 11/19/09 1:15

[Signature] 11/19/09 3PM

1/C 11/19/09 3:10



Thursday, January 29, 2009

Matt Ladewig  
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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H153.000

Order No.: 0901215

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 1 sample(s) on 1/20/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

  
Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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Certifications:

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901215**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 29-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901215  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901215-001

**Client Sample ID:** 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** WATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>1/21/2009  |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - E365.1</b>             |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/23/2009 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - E365.1</b>                |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | ND     | 0.020      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>1/23/2009 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.247  | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009  |
| <b>NITRITE - L10-107-05-1-A</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrite (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0220     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 0.303  | 0.0270     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/21/2009  |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.459  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009  |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
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Friday, October 03, 2008

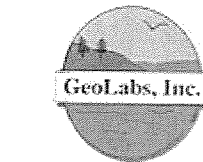
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FAX:

Project: Hopedale Pond

Location:



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Order No.: 0809323

Dear Carissa Lord:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 8 sample(s) on 9/18/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale Pond  
**Lab Order:** 0809323

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 1S            |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-001   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.01   | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 100    | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | 0.220  | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.012  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.398  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 1.58   | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 1B            |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-002   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed             |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008  |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - E200.7</b>              |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Iron   | 0.626  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>9/25/2008  |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.016  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrate  | 0.0400 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.038  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008 |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.398  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008 |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Turbidity  | 2.64   | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008  |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 2             |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-003   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.014  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 30     | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.019  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.143  | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.353  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 0.680  | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 3             |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-004   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed             |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008  |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - E200.7</b>              |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Iron   | 0.689  | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>9/25/2008  |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.018  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrite  | 0.007  | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrate  | 0.0400 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.042  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.192  | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008 |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.409  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008 |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                           |
| Turbidity  | 3.46   | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008  |

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| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 4             |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-005   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.10   | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 4000   | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | 0.0260 | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | 2.50   | 0.300      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.11   | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 0.317  | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.670  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 0.730  | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-006   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.014  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 50     | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.015  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.392  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 0.540  | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

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| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-007   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
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| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | 7.00   | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.017  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 150    | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.026  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.370  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 0.330  | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

**GeoLabs, Inc.**
**Reported Date:** 03-Oct-08

|                   |               |                          |               |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| <b>CLIENT:</b>    | ESS - Group   | <b>Client Sample ID:</b> | 7             |
| <b>Lab Order:</b> | 0809323       | <b>Collection Date:</b>  | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Project:</b>   | Hopedale Pond | <b>Date Received:</b>    | 9/18/2008     |
| <b>Lab ID:</b>    | 0809323-008   | <b>Matrix:</b>           | SURFACE WATER |

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|--------------------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS - SM2540-D</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Total Suspended Solids                           | ND     | 4.00       |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: FC<br>9/19/2008             |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.015  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| E. Coli  | 10     | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/18/2008 6:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRITE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrite  | ND     | 0.00700    |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrate  | 0.0400 | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - SM 4500-P-B,E</b>         |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Phosphorus, Total (As P)                         | 0.015  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>9/23/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>9/25/2008            |
| <b>TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN - SM18 B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl                         | 0.347  | 0.105      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>10/1/2008            |
| <b>TURBIDITY - E180.1</b>                        |        |            |      |       |    |                                      |
| Turbidity  | 1.21   | 0.0283     |      | NTU   | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>9/19/2008             |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
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|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
Filtration Done  
Not Needed  
Lab to do  
Preservation Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions

- Lab Filter P & loss Fe  
- Please send dis. P to C7008 + note  
low detected

Page of

Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

Format:

Excel

email

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

0809323

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Project: Hopedale  
Project PO:  
Invoice to \*:

Preservative:

## COLLECTION

## CONTAINER

## Analysis Requested

| DATE | TIME | SAMPLED | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | TYPE | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Diss Ph. | T. phs | TKW | TSS | Wtly | NO3 nitrate | Fecl | metals | TEMPERATURE | LAB |
|------|------|---------|----------------------|------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|----------|--------|-----|-----|------|-------------|------|--------|-------------|-----|
| 9/18 |      | cy      | IS                   |      |          |        |      |      | 9323-001              |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | IB                   |      |          |        |      |      | 002                   |          |        |     |     |      |             |      | X      |             |     |
|      |      |         | 2                    |      |          |        |      |      | 003                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | 3                    |      |          |        |      |      | 004                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | 4                    |      |          |        |      |      | 005                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | 5                    |      |          |        |      |      | 006                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | 6                    |      |          |        |      |      | 007                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |
|      |      |         | 7                    |      |          |        |      |      | 008                   |          |        |     |     |      |             | X    |        |             |     |

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OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl  
2 = HNO3

3 = H2SO4  
4 = Na2S2O3

5 = NaOH  
6 = MEQH

7 = Other

## Containers:

A = Amber  
G = Glass  
S = Summa

B = Bag  
P = Plastic  
V = Voa

O = Other

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

Carissa Lee

9/18 1:23

Received by:

Date / Time

M.C.

9/18/08

1:25

R.B.

9-18-08

2:50 pm



Monday, August 11, 2008

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Project:  
Location:

Order No.: 0807479

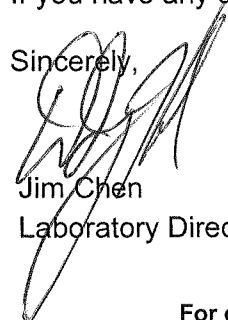
Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 2 sample(s) on 7/30/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.

**Project:**

**Lab Order:** 0807479

**CASE NARRATIVE**

**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.



**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 11-Aug-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0807479  
**Project:**  
**Lab ID:** 0807479-002

**Client Sample ID:** HPS2  
**Collection Date:** 7/30/2008 11:40:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 7/30/2008  
**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Iron   | 8.92   | 0.0600     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: QS<br>8/5/2008   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/4/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/30/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>8/8/2008  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | 2.54   | 0.0540     |      | mg/L      | 2  | Analyst: RP<br>7/30/2008  |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 11-Aug-08**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.**Client Sample ID:** HPS3**Lab Order:** 0807479**Collection Date:** 7/30/2008 12:20:00 PM**Project:****Date Received:** 7/30/2008**Lab ID:** 0807479-003**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed             |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Iron   | 12.5   | 0.600      |      | mg/L      | 10 | Analyst: QS<br>8/5/2008   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | ND     | 0.010      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>8/4/2008  |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| E. Coli  | 20     | 10.0       |      | CFU/100ml | 1  | Analyst: SUB<br>7/30/2008 |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Ammonia (as N)                                   | 1.01   | 0.130      |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: WFR<br>8/8/2008  |
| <b>NITRATE - L10-107-04-1-C</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |                           |
| Nitrate (as N)                                   | ND     | 0.0270     |      | mg/L      | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>7/30/2008  |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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Sample Handling: circle choice  
Filtration Done  
Not Needed  
Lab to do  
Preservative Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions  
LAB FILTER DISS-P + DET LIMIT OF  
0.01 mg/L  
0807479

Requirements: circle choice (s)  
CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)  
State / Fed Program - Criteria

Turnaround: circle one

1-day  
3-day  
2-day  
5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax  
Format:  
Excel  
email  
PDF

GW-1  
S-1  
QC

MCP Methods  
DEP  
Other

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Contact: MATT LADEWIG

Phone: 401 330-1204  
Fax:  
email: mladewig@essgroup.com

Project:  
Project PO:  
Invoice to \*:

| COLLECTION |      |         | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |         |        |           |        | TEMPERATURE | LAB PH |
|------------|------|---------|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------|--------|-----------|--------|-------------|--------|
| DATE       | TIME | SAMPLED |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX |                       | NO3                | Ammonia | Diss-P | Total Ion | E.Coli |             |        |
| 7/30       | 1043 | ML/MS   | HPS1                 | A         | 1        | fw     | X                     | 7479-001           | X       | X      | X         | X      | 50          |        |
|            |      |         |                      | P         | 3        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           |        |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | O         | 1        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           |        |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | A         | 1        |        |                       | 7479-002           | X       | X      | X         | X      |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | P         | 3        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           |        |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | G         | 1        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           | X      |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | A         | 1        |        |                       | 003                | X       | X      | X         | X      |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | P         | 3        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           |        |             |        |
|            |      |         |                      | O         | 1        |        |                       |                    |         |        |           |        |             |        |

Received on Ice



Preservatives

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OT = Other

Date / Time

7/30/08 1400  
7/30/08 2:30

Received by:

M. [Signature] 7/30/08 17:60  
KC 7/30/08 4:15

CT (PH-0148)  
NY(11796)

MA (MA - 015)  
PA (68-03417)

NH (2508) NJ (MA-009)  
RI (LA000252)

within 30 days unless other arrangements are made. Past due balances subject to interest and collection cost.  
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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done Not Needed Lab to do  
 Preservation Lab to do Y / N

**Special Instructions**

LAB FILTER DISS-P + DL of 0.01 mg/L

|  |  |                   |                             |   |
|--|--|-------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Turnaround: circle one<br>1-day<br>3-day<br>5 / 7-days | Data Delivery: circle choice (s)<br>Fax<br>Format: email<br>Excel<br>PDF | GW-1<br>S-1<br>QC | MCP Methods<br>DEP<br>Other | Requirements: circle choice (s)<br>CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)<br>State / Fed Program - Criteria |
|--|--|-------------------|-----------------------------|---|

|                       |                     |               |
|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Client: ESS GROUP INC | Phone: 401 350-1204 | Project:      |
| Address:              | Fax:                | Project PO:   |
| Contact: MATT LODEWIG | email:              | Invoice to *: |

| COLLECTION  |      |         | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |         |        |            |       |  | TEMPERATURE | LAB pH |
|---|------|---------|----------------------|-----------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------|--------|------------|-------|--|-------------|--------|
| DATE  | TIME | SAMPLED |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | NO <sub>3</sub>    | Ammonia | DISS-P | Total Iron | Asoli |  |             |        |
| 7/30  | 1    | ML/MS   | HPS4                 | A         | 1        | ENV    | X    |      | 7479-004              |                    |         |        |            |       |  |             |        |
|   |      |         |                      | P         | 3        |        |      |      |                       |                    |         |        |            |       |  |             |        |
|   |      |         |                      | O         | 1        |        |      |      |                       |                    |         |        |            |       |  |             |        |
| Cancel all testing for HPS1 and HPS-4, per Matt Lodewig 7/31/08 |      |         |                      |           |          |        |      |      |                       |                    |         |        |            |       |  |             |        |

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**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

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Date / Time

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 7/30/08 2:30

Received by:

Date / Time

M. C. 7/30/08 1900

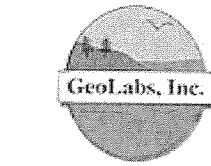
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Monday, September 29, 2008

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Project: H153 - Hopedale  
Location:



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Order No.: 0809328

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 3 sample(s) on 9/18/2008 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications, except when noted in the Case Narrative.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Project:** H153 - Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0809328

**CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

**Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

**Analysis of Sample(s)**

All extractable samples were extracted and analyzed and any Volatile samples were analyzed within method specified holding times and according to GeoLabs documented Standard Operating Procedure. No analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples.

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 29-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0809328  
**Project:** H153 - Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0809328-002

**Client Sample ID:** HPS03  
**Collection Date:** 9/18/2008 9:40:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 9/18/2008  
**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---|
| <b>DISSOLVED ICP METALS - SW6010B</b>            |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Iron   | ND     | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>QS</b><br>9/23/2008             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Ammonia  | 2.10   | 0.100      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/26/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.26   | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/24/2008 1:25:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/18/2008 4:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |

|                    |   |   |     |  |
|--------------------|---|---|-----|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|                    | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      | ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |
|                    | S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |     |  |



**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 29-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0809328  
**Project:** H153 - Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0809328-003

**Client Sample ID:** HPS01  
**Collection Date:** 9/18/2008 10:50:00 AM  
**Date Received:** 9/18/2008  
**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>DISSOLVED ICP METALS - SW6010B</b>            |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| Iron   | 15.8   | 0.600      |      | mg/L  | 10 | 9/23/2008            |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| Ammonia  | 12.7   | 0.100      |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/26/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.45   | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/24/2008 1:29:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | 9/18/2008 4:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |                      |
| Nitrate  | ND     | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | 9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |                      |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 29-Sep-08

**CLIENT:** ESS Group, Inc.  
**Lab Order:** 0809328  
**Project:** H153 - Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0809328-004

**Client Sample ID:** HPS02  
**Collection Date:** 9/18/2008 12:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 9/18/2008  
**Matrix:** GROUNDWATER

| Analyses   | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed                               |
|--|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---|
| <b>DISSOLVED ICP METALS - SW6010B</b>            |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Iron   | ND     | 0.0600     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>QS</b><br>9/23/2008             |
| <b>AMMONIA (AS N) - SM18 4500-NH3-B,C</b>        |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Ammonia  | ND     | 0.100      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/26/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>DISSOLVED PHOSPHORUS - SM 4500-P-B, E</b>     |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Phosphorus, Dissolved                            | 0.050  | 0.010      |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/24/2008 1:30:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-CT008. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>E-COLI - SM9221F</b>                          |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| E. Coli  | <10    | 10.0       |      | MPN   | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/18/2008 4:00:00 PM |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| <b>NITRATE - SM4500-NO3-F</b>                    |        |            |      |       |    |   |
| Nitrate  | 2.10   | 0.0300     |      | mg/L  | 1  | Analyst: <b>SUB</b><br>9/19/2008            |
| <b>NOTES:</b><br>Sample was analyzed at M-RI010. |        |            |      |       |    |   |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice  
 Filtration Done Not Needed  
 Lab to do Lab to do  
 Preservation Lab to do Y/N

Page 1 of 1  
 Special Instructions Client cancelled

- Lab filter diss P + diss Fe H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> - 9/18 KC  
 - Please send diss P to CT008 + note low detect (0.01 mg/L)

Turnaround: circle one

1-day  
 2-day  
5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax  
 Format:  
 Excel  
email  
 PDF

GW-1  
 S-1  
 QC

MCP Methods  
 DEP  
 Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)  
 State / Fed Program - Criteria

0809328

Client: ESS GROUP, INC  
 Address: 401 WAMPANOAG TRAIL, SUITE 400  
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Project: H153 - HOPEDALE  
 Project PO:  
 Invoice to \*: CARL NIELSEN

Preservative:

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None

## COLLECTION

## CONTAINER

## Analysis Requested

| DATE    | TIME | SAMPLED | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | TYPE | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | NO <sub>3</sub> | NH <sub>3</sub> | Diss P | Diss Iron | E.Coli | TEMPERATURE | LAB pH |
|---------|------|---------|----------------------|------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------------|--------|
| 9/18/08 | 0750 | ML/GB   | HPS04                | A    | 1        | GW     | X    |      | <del>9328</del> 001   |                 |                 |        |           |        |             |        |
|         | ↓    |         |                      | P    | 4        |        |      |      | <del>001</del>        | X               | X               |        | X         | X      |             |        |
|         | 0940 |         | HPS03                | A    | 1        |        |      |      | 9328 002              |                 |                 | X      |           |        |             |        |
|         | ↓    |         |                      | P    | 4        |        |      |      | ↓                     | X               | X               |        | X         | X      |             |        |
|         | 1050 |         | HPS01                | A    | 1        |        |      |      | 003                   |                 |                 | X      |           |        |             |        |
|         | ↓    |         |                      | P    | 4        |        |      |      | ↓                     | X               | X               |        | X         | X      |             |        |
|         | 1200 |         | HPS02                | A    | 1        |        |      |      | 004                   |                 |                 | X      |           |        |             |        |
|         | ↓    |         |                      | P    | 4        |        |      |      | ↓                     | X               | X               |        | X         | X      |             |        |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water DW = Drinking Water S = Soil A = Air  
 WW = Waste Water SL = Sludge O = Oil OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = HCl 3 = H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> 5 = NaOH 7 = Other  
 2 = HNO<sub>3</sub> 4 = Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> 6 = MEOH

## Containers:

A = Amber B = Bag O = Other  
 G = Glass P = Plastic  
 S = Summa V = Voa

Relinquished by: Carl T. V. Date / Time: 9/18 1:23Received by: M. C. Date / Time: 9/18/08 1:25

M. C. 9/18/08 2:35

R.B. 9-18-08 250pm

Friday, January 30, 2009

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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0901214

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 1/20/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications except where noted in the Case Narrative.

Analytical methods and results meet requirements of 310CMR 40.1056(J) as per MADEP Compendium of Analytical Methods (CAM).

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

**CASE NARRATIVE**

**MADEP MCP Response Action Analytical Report Certification Form**

Laboratory Name: GeoLabs, Inc.                      Project # H153-000  
Project Location: Hopedale                      MADEP RTN #:

This form provides certification for the following data set: 0901214 (001-007)

Sample Matrix: Soil

MCP Methods Used: 6010B, 7471A, 8260B, 8270C, EPH, 8082

An affirmative answer to questions A, B, C and D are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

A. Were all samples received by the laboratory in a condition consistent with that described on the Chain of custody documentation for the data set?      YES

B. Were all QA/QC procedures required for the specified method(s) included in this report followed, including the requirement to note and discuss in a narrative QC data that did not meet appropriate standards or guidelines?      YES

C. Does the analytical data included in this report meet all the requirements for "Presumptive Certainty" as described in Section 2.0 of the MADEP documents CAM VII A "Quality Assurance and Quality Control Guidelines for the Acquisition and Reporting of Analytical Data"?      YES

D. VPH and EPH Methods only: Was the VPH or EPH Method conducted without significant modifications (see Section 11.3 of respective Methods)      YES

A response to questions E and F are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

E. Were all QC performance standards and recommendations for the specified methods achieved? NO  
F. Were results for all analyte-list compounds/elements for the specified method(s) reported?      NO

All NO answers need to be addressed in an attached Environmental Laboratory case narrative.

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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## **CASE NARRATIVE**

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#### **Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

#### **Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

#### **Analysis of Sample(s)**

PAH compounds only analyzed by 8270C per client request.

Selected metals analyzed by 6010B per client request.

The following analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples:

8270 RPD for Chrysene is outside the limit.

I, the undersigned, attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my personal inquiry of those responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this analytical report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

Signature:

Position: Lab Director

Printed Name: Jim Chen

Date: January 30, 2009

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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**CASE NARRATIVE**

EPH Methods

Method for Ranges: MADEP EPH 04-1.1

Method for Target Analytes: 8270 GC/MS

Carbon Range data exclude concentrations of any surrogate(s) and/or internal standards eluting in that range

C11-C22 Aromatic Hydrocarbons exclude concentrations of Target PAH Analytes

**CERTIFICATION:**

Were all QA/QC procedures REQUIRED by the EPH Method followed? YES

Were all performance/acceptance standards achieved? YES

Were any significant modifications made to the EPH method? NO

I attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

SIGNATURE:



LAB DIRECTOR

PRINTED NAME: Jim Chen

DATE: January 30, 2009



# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-001

Client Sample ID: SC 1  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>ASH - ASTM D-482-87</b> Analyst: FC                |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ash   | 81.4   | 1.00       |      | %         | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A</b> Analyst: FC            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Percent Moisture                                      | 10     | 1.0        |      | wt%       | 1  | 1/21/2009     |
| <b>EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH</b> Analyst: RuP            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                            | 104    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics                                    | ND     | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics                                    | 136    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                          | 137    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane                              | 86.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl                                     | 78.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082</b> Analyst: GP |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                                     | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1221  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1232  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1248  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1254  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1260  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1262  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1268  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1                        | 78.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2                        | 44.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1                      | 76.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2                      | 66.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b> Analyst: ZYZ     |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Arsenic   | 27.4   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Cadmium   | ND     | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Chromium  | 9.70   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Copper  | 40.9   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Lead  | 66.2   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Nickel  | 6.26   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Zinc  | 11.0   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>MERCURY - SW7471A</b> Analyst: EC                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Mercury   | 0.128  | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |

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# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-001

Client Sample ID: SC 1  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

## MERCURY - SW7471A

Analyst: EC

## PAH - SW8270C

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |  |           |    |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|----|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 1400 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 2170 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 3050 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 4220 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 2410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2330 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 4110 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 9410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2300 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 4410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6060 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 52.1 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 32.5 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 65.6 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |

## EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH

Analyst: MR

|                        |       |       |  |           |   |                       |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| Naphthalene            | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 3.19  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | 0.147 | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 7.90  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6.41  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 2.75  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 3.55  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 2.14  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2.79  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 2.83  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 0.478 | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

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**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-001

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**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                               | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH</b> |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>MR</b>    |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene                  | ND     | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene                   | 0.483  | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration         | 32.7   | 0          |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl            | 101    | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl                 | 80.6   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| <b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060</b>   |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| Total Organic Carbon                   | 60300  | 444        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009             |

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Reported 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-002

**Client Sample** SC 2  
**Collection** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| Analyst: FC                               |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>ASH - ASTM D-482-87</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ash                                       | 50.8   | 1.00       |      | %         | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: FC                               |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A</b>            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Percent Moisture                          | 0      | 0          |      | wt%       | 1  | 1/21/2009     |
| Analyst: RuP                              |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                | 85.8   | 10.0       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics                        | ND     | 10.0       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics                        | 122    | 10.0       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics              | 93.9   | 10.0       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane                  | 63.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl                         | 70.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: GP                               |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1221                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1232                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1248                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1254                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1260                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1262                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1268                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1            | 98.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2            | 70.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1          | 88.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2          | 82.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: ZYZ                              |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>      |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Arsenic                                   | ND     | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Cadmium                                   | ND     | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Chromium                                  | ND     | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Copper                                    | 18.8   | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Lead                                      | 6.99   | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Nickel                                    | ND     | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Zinc                                      | ND     | 4.90       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: EC                               |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| <b>MERCURY - SW7471A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Mercury                                   | ND     | 0.100      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |

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 Project: Hopedale  
 Lab ID: 0901214-002

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**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |  |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 31.7 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 30.1 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 31.5 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                        |       |       |  |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--|-----------|---|----------------------|
| Naphthalene            | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 0.724 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 0.123 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 1.70  | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 1.69  | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 0.604 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 0.918 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 0.736 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 0.443 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 0.650 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 0.111 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

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**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-002

**Client Sample ID:** SC 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                               | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|----------------------|
| <b>EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH</b> |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>MR</b>   |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene                  | ND     | 0.100      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene                   | 0.370  | 0.100      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration         | 8.06   | 0          |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl            | 97.9   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl                 | 74.4   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| <b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060</b>   |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>   |
| Total Organic Carbon                   | 100000 | 400        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009            |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-003

Client Sample ID: SC 1B  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ         |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloroethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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Lab ID: 0901214-003

Client Sample ID: SC 1B  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ         |
| Chloroform                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloromethane                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                               | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Styrene                                   | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Toluene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene                  | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total                            | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4               | 102    | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene                | 91.1   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane                | 95.4   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8                          | 97.5   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-004

Client Sample ID: SC 2C  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | 836    | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloroethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-004

Client Sample ID: SC 2C  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| Chloroform                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloromethane                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                               | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Styrene                                   | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Toluene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene                  | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total                            | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4               | 101    | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene                | 97.0   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane                | 92.7   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8                          | 99.9   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-005

**Client Sample ID:** N 1  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 4600   | 4.2        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 229    | 2.93       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 2  | 1/29/2009     |

Analyst: RP

Analyst: RP

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S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-006

**Client Sample ID:** N 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:45:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed            |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                          |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 3500   | 3.8        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009 |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |                          |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 66.0   | 1.32       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/29/2009 |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-007

**Client Sample ID:** N 3  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 6300   | 4.5        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 53.9   | 1.58       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/29/2009     |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.**  
**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: SOIL  
COLLECTION DATE: 01/19/09  
REC'D BY LAB: 01/20/09  
COLLECTED BY: CLIENT

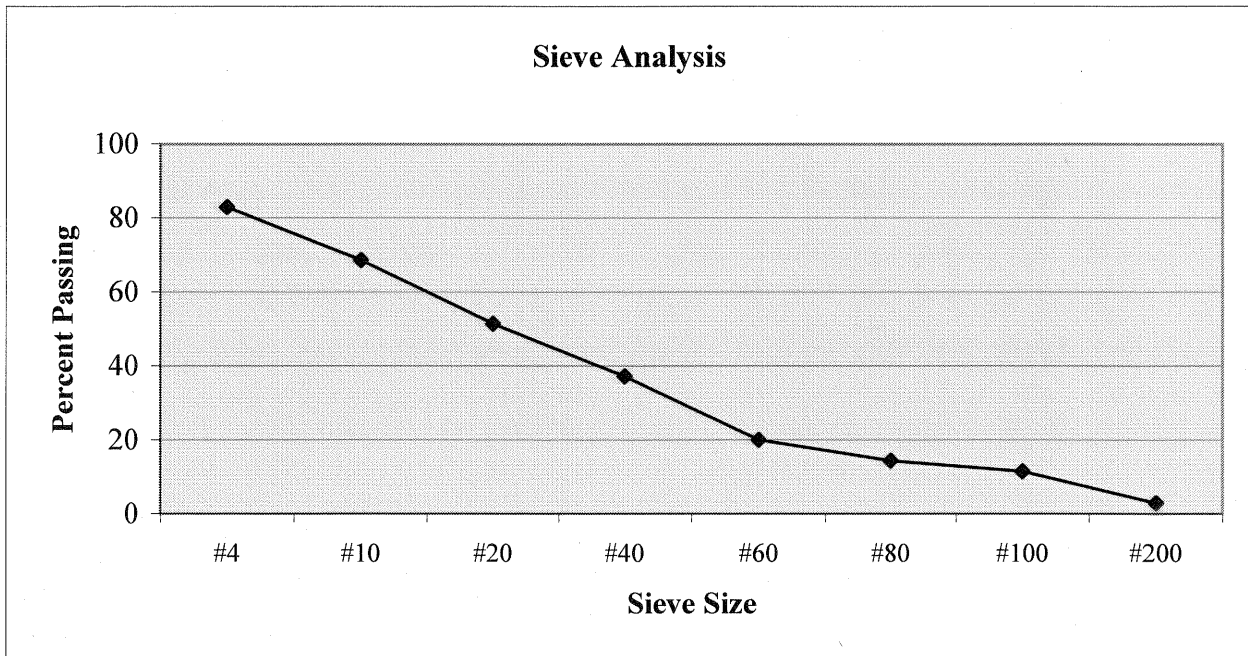
PROJECT ID: HOPEDALE  
REPORT DATE: 01/22/09  
ANALYZED BY: BP  
ANALYSIS DATE: 01/21/09  
DIGESTION DATE: N/A

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-001  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC1

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 82.9 | 68.6 | 51.4 | 37.1 | 20.0 | 14.3 | 11.4 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 2.86 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |





**GeoLabs, Inc.**  
**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: **SOIL**  
COLLECTION DATE: **01/19/09**  
REC'D BY LAB: **01/20/09**  
COLLECTED BY: **CLIENT**

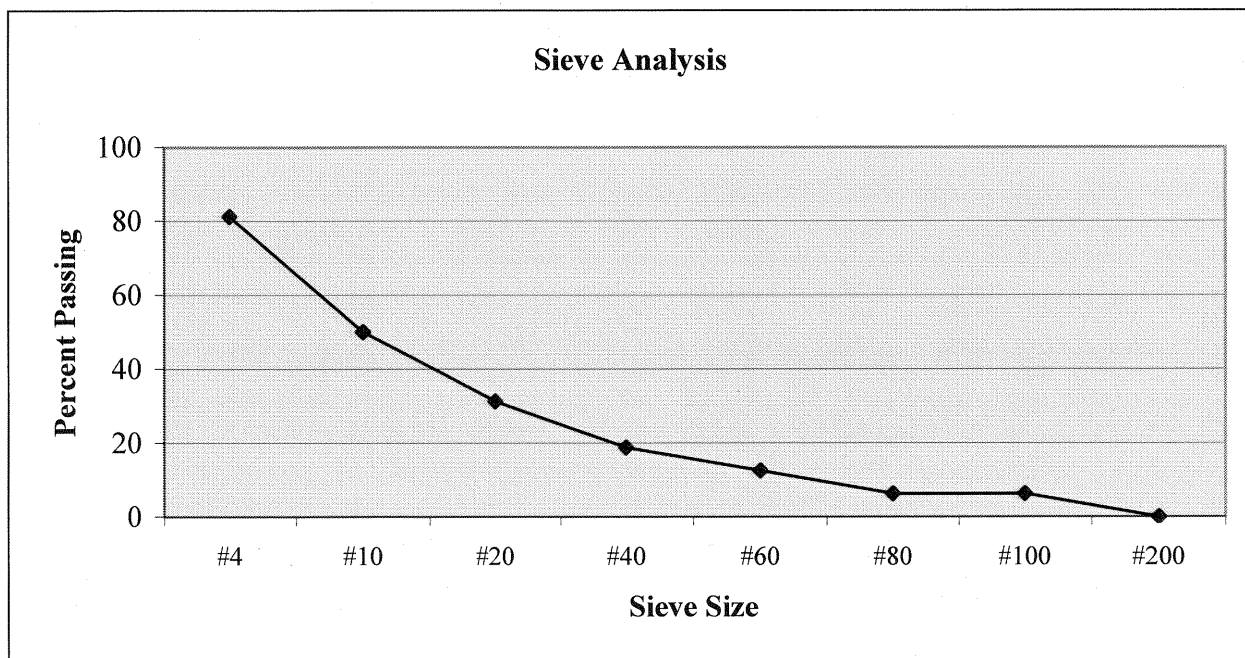
PROJECT ID: **HOPEDALE**  
REPORT DATE: **01/22/09**  
ANALYZED BY: **BP**  
ANALYSIS DATE: **01/21/09**  
DIGESTION DATE: **N/A**

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-002  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC2

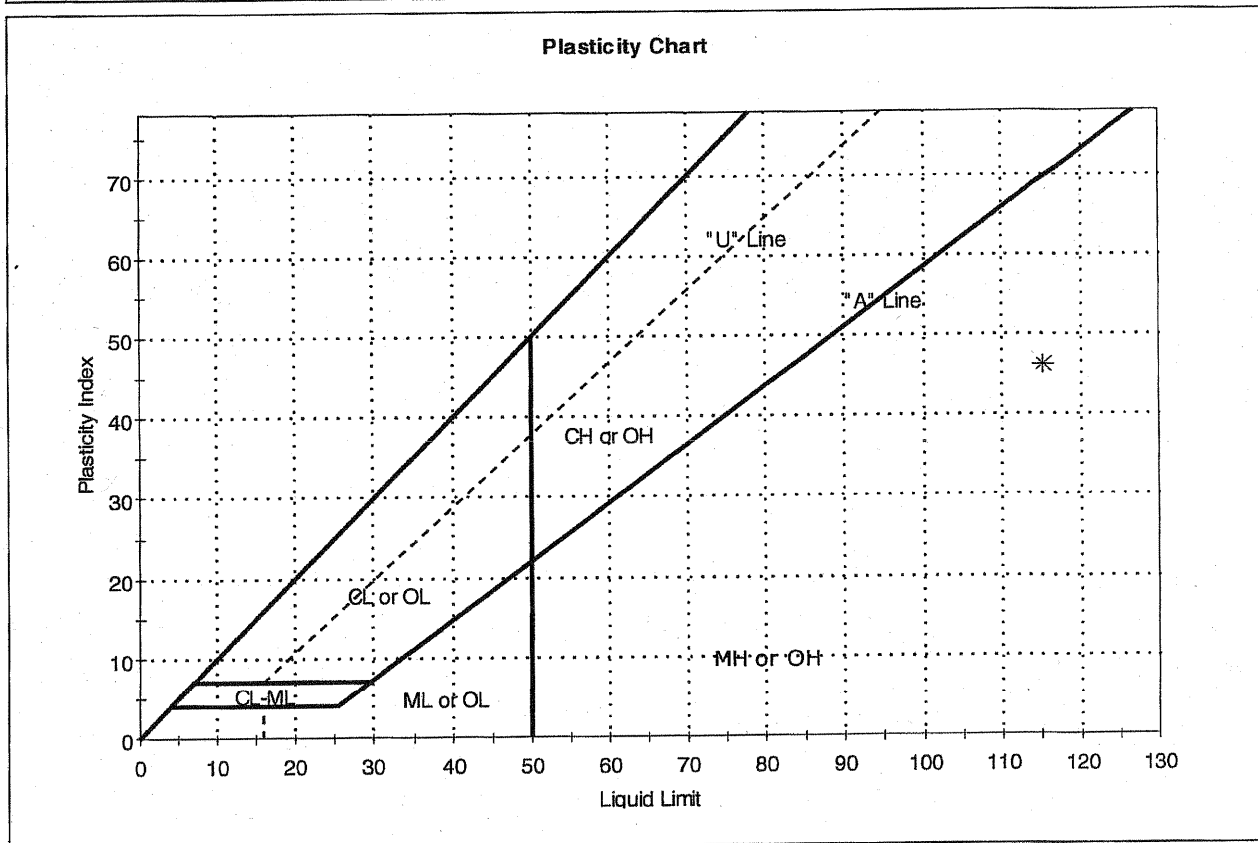
| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | <u>#4</u> | <u>#10</u> | <u>#20</u> | <u>#40</u> | <u>#60</u> | <u>#80</u> | <u>#100</u> |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 81.3      | 50.0       | 31.3       | 18.8       | 12.5       | 6.25       | 6.25        |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |           |            |            |            |            |            |             |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | <u>#200</u> |
|--------------------|-------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 0.00        |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |             |



|  |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| Client: GeoLabs, Inc.                              | Project No: GTX-8819 |
| Project: 0901214                                   | Tested By: ap        |
| Location: ---                                      | Checked By: jdt      |
| Boring ID: ---                                     | Sample Type: jar     |
| Sample ID: 0901214-001A                            | Test Date: 01/27/09  |
| Depth: ---   | Test Id: 145690      |
| Test Comment: ---                                  |                      |
| Sample Description: Moist, gray silt with organics |                      |
| Sample Comment: ---                                |                      |

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-001A | ---    | ---   | 9                           | 115          | 69            | 46               | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

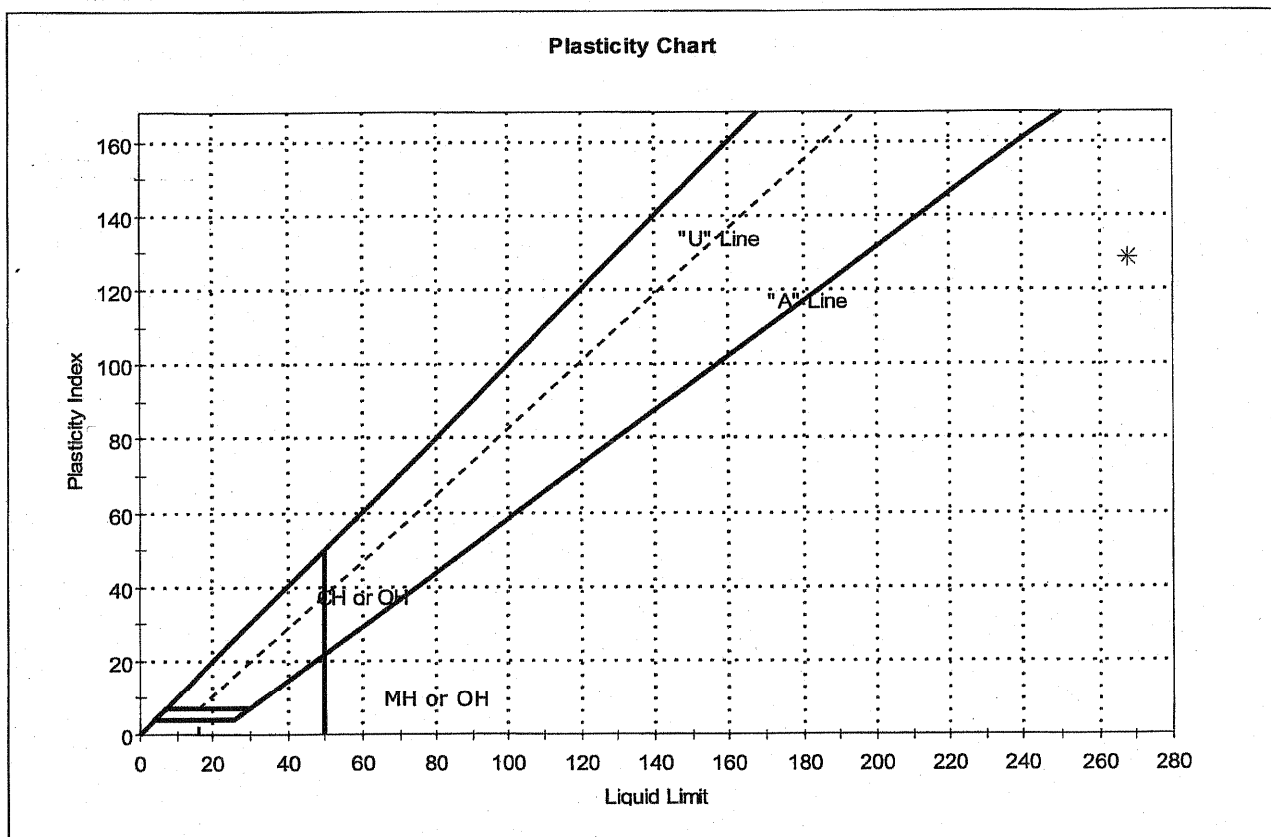
Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW

|                     |                                 |              |          |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| Client:             | GeoLabs, Inc.                   | Project No:  | GTX-8819 |
| Project:            | 0901214                         | Tested By:   | ap       |
| Location:           | ---                             | Checked By:  | jdt      |
| Boring ID:          | ---                             | Sample Type: | jar      |
| Sample ID:          | 0901214-002A                    | Test Date:   | 01/29/09 |
| Depth :             | ---                             | Test Id:     | 145691   |
| Test Comment:       | ---                             |              |          |
| Sample Description: | Moist, brown silt with organics |              |          |
| Sample Comment:     | ---                             |              |          |

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-002A | ---    | ---   | 15                          | 268          | 139           | 129              | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 6010b\_S

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12422</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297946</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic                      | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Cadmium                      | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chromium                     | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Copper                       | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Lead                         | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Nickel                       | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Zinc                         | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                      |                 |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS-12422 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 6010b_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ     | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297947 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte              | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic              | 126.4           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.06667                  | 94.8          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Cadmium              | 125.0           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 1                        | 93.0          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Chromium             | 133.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.1333                   | 99.8          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Copper               | 152.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 115           | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Lead                 | 127.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.06667                  | 95.7          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Nickel               | 127.3           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.5          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Zinc                 | 134.6           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 101           | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |

|                       |                 |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12422 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 6010B_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 298064 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic               | 126.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.2          | 80       | 120       | 126.4       | 0.421 | 30       |      |
| Cadmium               | 124.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 93.1          | 80       | 120       | 125         | 0.749 | 30       |      |
| Chromium              | 131.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 98.8          | 80       | 120       | 133.1       | 1.11  | 30       |      |
| Copper                | 153.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 115           | 80       | 120       | 152.9       | 0.652 | 30       |      |
| Lead                  | 126.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.0          | 80       | 120       | 127.7       | 0.786 | 30       |      |

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 6010b\_S

|                       |                 |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12422 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 6010B_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 298064 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Nickel                | 126.6           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.0          | 80       | 120       | 127.3       | 0.578 | 30       |      |
| Zinc                  | 134.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 101           | 80       | 120       | 134.6       | 0.397 | 30       |      |

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# ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8082\_s\_ase

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|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297971</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 80.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 80.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 58.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 66.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 66.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: LCS-12417             | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8082_s_ase | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28313  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ                 | Batch ID: 12417 | TestNo: SW8082       | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297965 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 72.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 72.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 75.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 75.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 82.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 82.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 58.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 70.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 70.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 74.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 74.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297970</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 61.00                  | 50.0                        | 100                 | 0                               | 61.0                 | 30       | 150       | 72          | 16.5 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 67.00                  | 50.0                        | 100                 | 0                               | 67.0                 | 30       | 150       | 75          | 11.3 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 74.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 74.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 62.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 62.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 72.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 72.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acetone                     | ND                      | 500                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzene                     | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>      | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromobenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromoform                 | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromomethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroform                | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloromethane             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromomethane            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene               | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                   | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Trichloroethene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 746.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.5                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 750.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 100                  | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 708.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 94.4                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 736.8                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 98.2                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1276             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | 1190             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.2          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1248             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.8          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1287             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1144             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 91.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1227             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 98.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1179             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 94.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1430             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 114           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1189             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1236             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1279             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1343             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: <b>LCS</b>     |        | SampType: <b>LCS</b>    |           | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> |      | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b>             |           | Prep Date:           |      | RunNo: <b>28314</b> |      |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------|---------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   |        | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |      | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |           | SeqNo: <b>297972</b> |      |                     |      |
| Analyte                   | Result | PQL                     | SPK value | SPK Ref Val              | %REC | LowLimit                        | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val          | %RPD | RPDLimit            | Qual |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene       | 1270   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane       | 1262   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene       | 1285   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane       | 1095   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 87.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Butanone                | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether | 1208   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 96.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene           | 1339   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Hexanone                | 1337   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene           | 1319   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene        | 1324   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone      | 1256   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 100  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acetone                   | 1316   | 500                     | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acrylonitrile             | 2604   | 50.0                    | 2500      | 0                        | 104  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Benzene                   | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromobenzene              | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | 1274   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromoform                 | 1308   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1222   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 97.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1012   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 81.0 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1269   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1464   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 117  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroform                | 1284   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1377   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1287   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1249   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.9 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1259   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1272   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1172   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 93.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

|                             |                  |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene            | 1340             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride          | 1298             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                 | 1131             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 90.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene              | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene             | 1252             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 100           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | 1348             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                     | 1313             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | 1325             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene           | 1262             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                     | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1191             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichloroethene             | 1264             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | 1333             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4304             | 125               | 3750         | 0                        | 115           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 739.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 741.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 783.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>    | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1280                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 102                  | 70       | 130       | 1276        | 0.352 | 25       |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane     | 1262                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1190        | 5.91  | 25       |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1248        | 1.33  | 25       |      |

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| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>      | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 2.36  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1194                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 95.6                 | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 7.47  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1223                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 97.9                 | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 1.20  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1242                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.4                 | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 2.27  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1144        | 11.7  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1241                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 99.3                 | 70       | 130       | 1227        | 1.13  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1179        | 7.08  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1474                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 118                  | 70       | 130       | 1430        | 2.96  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1234                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 98.7                 | 70       | 130       | 1189        | 3.73  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1288                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1236        | 4.16  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 3.88  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1249                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.9                 | 70       | 130       | 1279        | 2.37  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 0     | 25       |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1389                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 111                  | 70       | 130       | 1343        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | 1310                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 105                  | 70       | 130       | 1270        | 3.12  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | 1290                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 2.17  | 25       |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | 1327                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 106                  | 70       | 130       | 1285        | 3.25  | 25       |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | 1351                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 108                  | 70       | 130       | 1095        | 20.9  | 25       |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | 1293                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 0.407 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | 1216                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 97.3                 | 70       | 130       | 1208        | 0.722 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | 1368                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 109                  | 70       | 130       | 1339        | 2.14  | 25       |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | 1346                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 108                  | 70       | 130       | 1337        | 0.671 | 25       |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | 1371                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 110                  | 70       | 130       | 1319        | 3.89  | 25       |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | 1369                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 110                  | 70       | 130       | 1324        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | 1246                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.7                 | 70       | 130       | 1256        | 0.779 | 25       |      |
| Acetone                     | 1228                    | 500                      | 1250                | 0                               | 98.2                 | 70       | 130       | 1316        | 6.88  | 25       |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | 2410                    | 50.0                     | 2500                | 0                               | 96.4                 | 70       | 130       | 2604        | 7.74  | 25       |      |
| Benzene                     | 1285                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.27  | 25       |      |
| Bromobenzene                | 1326                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 106                  | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 2.91  | 25       |      |
| Bromochloromethane          | 1262                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1274        | 0.966 | 25       |      |
| Bromodichloromethane        | 1282                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.06  | 25       |      |

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| Sample ID: LCSD           | SampType: LCSD   | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ          | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297973 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromoform                 | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1308        | 2.10  | 25       |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1464             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 117           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 6.74  | 25       |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1228             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.2          | 70       | 130       | 1222        | 0.469 | 25       |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1111             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 88.9          | 70       | 130       | 1012        | 9.30  | 25       |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       | 1269        | 3.58  | 25       |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1409             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 113           | 70       | 130       | 1464        | 3.86  | 25       |      |
| Chloroform                | 1278             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1284        | 0.527 | 25       |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1377        | 3.02  | 25       |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1275             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 0.956 | 25       |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1277             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1249        | 2.22  | 25       |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1268             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1259        | 0.732 | 25       |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1282             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1272        | 0.705 | 25       |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1162             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 92.9          | 70       | 130       | 1172        | 0.878 | 25       |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1406             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 112           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 2.63  | 25       |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | 1332             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 4.67  | 25       |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | 1385             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1340        | 3.32  | 25       |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | 1235             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1283        | 3.81  | 25       |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | 1242             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.4          | 70       | 130       | 1298        | 4.43  | 25       |      |
| Naphthalene               | 1262             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1131        | 10.9  | 25       |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | 1364             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 109           | 70       | 130       | 1315        | 3.70  | 25       |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | 1290             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1252        | 2.95  | 25       |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | 1391             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1348        | 3.14  | 25       |      |
| Styrene                   | 1342             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1313        | 2.20  | 25       |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | 1371             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       | 1325        | 3.45  | 25       |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | 1323             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 4.68  | 25       |      |
| Toluene                   | 1356             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 3.66  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | 1234             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 5.71  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       | 1191        | 9.15  | 25       |      |
| Trichloroethene           | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1264        | 1.43  | 25       |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane    | 1383             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1333        | 3.65  | 25       |      |
| Vinyl Chloride            | 1285             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1306        | 1.68  | 25       |      |

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|                             |                  |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD             | SampType: LCSD   | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297973 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4364             | 125               | 3750         | 0                        | 116           | 70       | 130       | 4304        | 1.40 | 25       |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 724.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 96.6          | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 745.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 99.3          | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 732.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 97.6          | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: <b>MB-12414</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>    | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299285</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                    | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene        | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene             | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                 | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene          | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene             | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                   | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene      | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                   | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene     | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                     | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl     | 3696                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 73.9                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5      | 2883                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 57.7                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14        | 3740                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 74.8                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12414</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299286</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene         | 2202                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                | 2000                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 80.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene              | 2212                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.5                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                  | 2407                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene           | 1258                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 50.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: LCS-12414   | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299286 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 2148            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 85.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 2207            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 1918            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 76.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2272            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 90.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene               | 1277            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 51.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 1981            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 79.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2339            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 93.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene               | 2166            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 86.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2026            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 81.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2211            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1840            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 73.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1592            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 63.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3632            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 72.6          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3072            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 61.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3422            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 68.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12414</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299287</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 2329                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 93.2                 | 40       | 140       | 2202        | 5.61 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2182                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.3                 | 40       | 140       | 2000        | 8.66 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2413                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2212        | 8.69 | 30       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 2567                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 103                  | 40       | 140       | 2407        | 6.43 | 30       |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene            | 1350                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 54.0                 | 40       | 140       | 1258        | 7.06 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene               | 2178                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 87.1                 | 40       | 140       | 2148        | 1.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene         | 2176                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.0                 | 40       | 140       | 2207        | 1.44 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene         | 1984                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 79.3                 | 40       | 140       | 1918        | 3.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene         | 2312                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 92.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2272        | 1.77 | 30       |      |
| Chrysene                     | 2198                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.9                 | 40       | 140       | 1277        | 53.0 | 30       | R    |

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TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

|                        |                 |                      |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12414  | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299287 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 2009            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 80.4          | 40       | 140       | 1981        | 1.40 | 30       |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2424            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 97.0          | 40       | 140       | 2339        | 3.59 | 30       |      |
| Fluorene               | 2292            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 91.7          | 40       | 140       | 2166        | 5.65 | 30       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2082            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 83.3          | 40       | 140       | 2026        | 2.78 | 30       |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2386            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 95.5          | 40       | 140       | 2211        | 7.63 | 30       |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1814            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 72.5          | 40       | 140       | 1840        | 1.42 | 30       |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1749            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 70.0          | 40       | 140       | 1592        | 9.37 | 30       |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3975            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 79.5          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3413            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 68.3          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3694            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 73.9          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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TestCode: EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28297</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297821</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                    | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | ND                     | 0                                   |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.003                  | 0                                   | 2.5                 | 0                               | 80.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.867                  | 0                                   | 2.5                 | 0                               | 74.7                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: LCS1-12412 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28297  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene           | 3.209           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 64.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene   | 3.331           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 66.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene          | 2.360           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene          | 3.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 68.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene        | 2.364           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ               | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Fluorene                       | 2.637           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 52.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | 3.560           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 71.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | 3.485           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 69.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | 4.005           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 80.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 4.082           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 81.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | 4.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 88.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 4.379           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 87.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.748           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 55.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.270           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 65.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.931           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 58.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.715           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 54.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.064           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 61.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 56.01           | 0                            |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.380           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 95.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.651           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 66.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                  | 2.952                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 59.0                 | 40       | 140       | 3.209       | 8.34  | 50       |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 3.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 73.5                 | 40       | 140       | 3.331       | 9.85  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2.375                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 47.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2.36        | 0.634 | 50       |      |
| Phenanthrene                 | 3.239                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 64.8                 | 40       | 140       | 3.437       | 5.93  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2.372                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 47.4                 | 40       | 140       | 2.364       | 0.338 | 50       |      |
| Fluorene                     | 2.371                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 47.4                 | 40       | 140       | 2.637       | 10.6  | 50       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 3.120                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 62.4                 | 40       | 140       | 3.56        | 13.2  | 50       |      |
| Fluoranthene                 | 3.505                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 70.1                 | 40       | 140       | 3.485       | 0.572 | 50       |      |
| Pyrene                       | 3.743                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 74.9                 | 40       | 140       | 4.005       | 6.76  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene           | 3.509                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 70.2                 | 40       | 140       | 4.082       | 15.1  | 50       |      |

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|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b>        |                     |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Chrysene                       | 3.858                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 77.2                | 40       | 140       | 4.437       | 14.0  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 3.777                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 75.5                | 40       | 140       | 4.379       | 14.8  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 3.295                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 65.9                | 40       | 140       | 2.748       | 18.1  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.015                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 60.3                | 40       | 140       | 3.27        | 8.11  | 50       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.691                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.8                | 40       | 140       | 2.931       | 8.54  | 50       |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.5                | 40       | 140       | 2.715       | 1.45  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.069                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 61.4                | 40       | 140       | 3.064       | 0.163 | 50       |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 53.24                  | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           | 56.01       | 5.07  | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.584                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 103                 | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.603                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 64.1                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: epht\_s

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298039</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.400                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 54.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.700                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 77.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12412</b>  | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298023</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 57.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 81.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 57.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 6.900                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 69.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.500                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 75.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298038</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 62.0                | 40       | 140       | 5.7         | 0    | 50       |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 82.0                | 40       | 140       | 8.1         | 0    | 50       |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 74.0                | 40       | 140       | 5.7         | 0    | 50       |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.700                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 57.0                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0    |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 8.600                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 86.0                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** hg\_7471a\_s

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12426</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298000</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | ND                     | 0.100                       |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                             |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297984</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                     | 2.645                  | 0.100                       | 2.5                 | 0                               | 106                  | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297999</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | 2.650                  | 0.100                       | 2.5                 | 0                               | 106                  | 80       | 120       | 2.645       | 0.189 | 30       |      |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice

Filtration

Done

Not Needed

Lab to do

Preservation

Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions

\*As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Pb, Ni, Zn

Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

Excel

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

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Project: HORDEALE  
 Project PO: H153-000  
 Invoice to \*: CARL NIELSEN

Preservative:

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Analysis Requested

| COLLECTION |      |         | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   | LAB<br>PH |
|------------|------|---------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------|------|-----|------|-----|---------|-------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| DATE       | TIME | SAMPLED |                         | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | METALS*            | VOCs | PAHs | EPH | PCBs | TOC | % WATER | % ASH | ASTM GRAIN SIZE | ATTIC/BERG LIMITS | TOTAL TEMPERATURE |           |
| 1/19/09    | 1200 | SL/MZ   | SC1                     | A         | 2        | S      | X    |      | 1214-001              | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X                 |                   |           |
|            | 1515 |         | SC2                     | A         | 3        |        | X    |      | 002                   | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X                 |                   |           |
|            | 1130 |         | SC1 <del>AB</del> MDL   | V         | 1        |        |      | X    | 003                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   |           |
|            | 1510 |         | SC2 <del>AC</del> MDL   | AV        | 1        |        |      | X    | 004                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   |           |
|            | 1200 |         | N1                      | G         | 2        |        | X    |      | 005                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |
|            | 1545 |         | N2                      | G         | 2        |        | X    |      | 006                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |
|            | 1515 |         | N3                      | G         | 2        |        | X    |      | 007                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |

**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO3

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = MEOH

**Containers:**

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

Received by:

Date / Time

Friday, January 30, 2009

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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0901214

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 1/20/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications except where noted in the Case Narrative.

Analytical methods and results meet requirements of 310CMR 40.1056(J) as per MADEP Compendium of Analytical Methods (CAM).

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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**Certifications:**

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

**CASE NARRATIVE**

**MADEP MCP Response Action Analytical Report Certification Form**

Laboratory Name: GeoLabs, Inc.                      Project # H153-000  
Project Location: Hopedale                      MADEP RTN #:

This form provides certification for the following data set: 0901214 (001-007)

Sample Matrix: Soil

MCP Methods Used: 6010B, 7471A, 8260B, 8270C, EPH, 8082

An affirmative answer to questions A, B, C and D are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

A. Were all samples received by the laboratory in a condition consistent with that described on the Chain of custody documentation for the data set?      YES

B. Were all QA/QC procedures required for the specified method(s) included in this report followed, including the requirement to note and discuss in a narrative QC data that did not meet appropriate standards or guidelines?      YES

C. Does the analytical data included in this report meet all the requirements for "Presumptive Certainty" as described in Section 2.0 of the MADEP documents CAM VII A "Quality Assurance and Quality Control Guidelines for the Acquisition and Reporting of Analytical Data"?      YES

D. VPH and EPH Methods only: Was the VPH or EPH Method conducted without significant modifications (see Section 11.3 of respective Methods)      YES

A response to questions E and F are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

E. Were all QC performance standards and recommendations for the specified methods achieved? NO  
F. Were results for all analyte-list compounds/elements for the specified method(s) reported?      NO

All NO answers need to be addressed in an attached Environmental Laboratory case narrative.

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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## **CASE NARRATIVE**

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#### **Physical Condition of Samples**

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

#### **Project Documentation**

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

#### **Analysis of Sample(s)**

PAH compounds only analyzed by 8270C per client request.

Selected metals analyzed by 6010B per client request.

The following analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples:

8270 RPD for Chrysene is outside the limit.

I, the undersigned, attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my personal inquiry of those responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this analytical report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

Signature:

Position: Lab Director

Printed Name: Jim Chen

Date: January 30, 2009

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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**CASE NARRATIVE**

EPH Methods

Method for Ranges: MADEP EPH 04-1.1

Method for Target Analytes: 8270 GC/MS

Carbon Range data exclude concentrations of any surrogate(s) and/or internal standards eluting in that range

C11-C22 Aromatic Hydrocarbons exclude concentrations of Target PAH Analytes

**CERTIFICATION:**

Were all QA/QC procedures REQUIRED by the EPH Method followed? YES

Were all performance/acceptance standards achieved? YES

Were any significant modifications made to the EPH method? NO

I attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

SIGNATURE:



LAB DIRECTOR

PRINTED NAME: Jim Chen

DATE: January 30, 2009



# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-001

Client Sample ID: SC 1  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>ASH - ASTM D-482-87</b> Analyst: FC                |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ash   | 81.4   | 1.00       |      | %         | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A</b> Analyst: FC            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Percent Moisture                                      | 10     | 1.0        |      | wt%       | 1  | 1/21/2009     |
| <b>EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH</b> Analyst: RuP            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                            | 104    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics                                    | ND     | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics                                    | 136    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                          | 137    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane                              | 86.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl                                     | 78.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082</b> Analyst: GP |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                                     | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1221  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1232  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1248  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1254  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1260  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1262  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1268  | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1                        | 78.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2                        | 44.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1                      | 76.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2                      | 66.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b> Analyst: ZYZ     |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Arsenic   | 27.4   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Cadmium   | ND     | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Chromium  | 9.70   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Copper  | 40.9   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Lead  | 66.2   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Nickel  | 6.26   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Zinc  | 11.0   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>MERCURY - SW7471A</b> Analyst: EC                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Mercury   | 0.128  | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |

Qualifiers: B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
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S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-001

Client Sample ID: SC 1  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

## MERCURY - SW7471A

Analyst: EC

## PAH - SW8270C

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |  |           |    |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|----|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 1400 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 2170 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 3050 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 4220 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 2410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2330 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 4110 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 9410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2300 | 111    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 4410 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6060 | 1110   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 52.1 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 32.5 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 65.6 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |

## EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH

Analyst: MR

|                        |       |       |  |           |   |                       |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| Naphthalene            | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 3.19  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | 0.147 | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND    | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 7.90  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6.41  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 2.75  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 3.55  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 2.14  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2.79  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 2.83  | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 0.478 | 0.111 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-001

**Client Sample ID:** SC 1  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                               | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH</b> |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>MR</b>    |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene                  | ND     | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene                   | 0.483  | 0.111      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration         | 32.7   | 0          |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl            | 101    | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl                 | 80.6   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| <b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060</b>   |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: <b>RP</b>    |
| Total Organic Carbon                   | 60300  | 444        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009             |

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Reported 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-002

**Client Sample** SC 2  
**Collection** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual      | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|-----------|-------|----|---------------|
| Analyst: FC                               |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>ASH - ASTM D-482-87</b>                |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Ash                                       | 50.8   | 1.00       | %         |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: FC                               |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A</b>            |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Percent Moisture                          | 15.0   | 1.00       | wt%       |       | 1  | 1/21/2009     |
| Analyst: RuP                              |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH</b>             |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                | 85.8   | 10.0       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics                        | ND     | 10.0       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics                        | 122    | 10.0       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics              | 93.9   | 10.0       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane                  | 63.0   | 40-140     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl                         | 70.0   | 40-140     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: GP                               |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082</b> |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                         | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1221                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1232                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1248                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1254                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1260                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1262                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1268                              | ND     | 50.0       | µg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1            | 98.0   | 30-150     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2            | 70.0   | 30-150     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1          | 88.0   | 30-150     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2          | 82.0   | 30-150     | %REC      |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: ZYZ                              |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>      |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Arsenic                                   | ND     | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Cadmium                                   | ND     | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Chromium                                  | ND     | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Copper                                    | 18.8   | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Lead                                      | 6.99   | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Nickel                                    | ND     | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Zinc                                      | ND     | 4.90       | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Analyst: EC                               |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| <b>MERCURY - SW7471A</b>                  |        |            |           |       |    |               |
| Mercury                                   | ND     | 0.100      | mg/Kg-dry |       | 1  | 1/22/2009     |

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**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-002

**Client Sample ID:** SC 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |  |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND   | 10.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | ND   | 100    |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 31.7 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 30.1 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 31.5 | 30-130 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                        |       |       |  |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--|-----------|---|----------------------|
| Naphthalene            | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 0.724 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND    | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 0.123 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 1.70  | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 1.69  | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | 0.604 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 0.918 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 0.736 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 0.443 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 0.650 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 0.111 | 0.100 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-002

**Client Sample ID:** SC 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                               | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|--|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|----------------------|
| <b>EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH</b> |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: MR          |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene                  | ND     | 0.100      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene                   | 0.370  | 0.100      |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration         | 8.06   | 0          |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl            | 97.9   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl                 | 74.4   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| <b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060</b>   |        |            |      |           |    | Analyst: RP          |
| Total Organic Carbon                   | 100000 | 400        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009            |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-003

Client Sample ID: SC 1B  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ         |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloroethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-003

Client Sample ID: SC 1B  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ         |
| Chloroform                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloromethane                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                               | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Styrene                                   | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Toluene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene                  | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total                            | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4               | 102    | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene                | 91.1   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane                | 95.4   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8                          | 97.5   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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# GeoLabs, Inc.

Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-004

Client Sample ID: SC 2C  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | 836    | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloroethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Lab Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab ID: 0901214-004

Client Sample ID: SC 2C  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM  
Date Received: 1/20/2009  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| Chloroform                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloromethane                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                               | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Styrene                                   | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Toluene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene                  | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene                           | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride                            | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total                            | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4               | 101    | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene                | 97.0   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane                | 92.7   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8                          | 99.9   | 70-130     |      | %REC  | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-005

**Client Sample ID:** N 1  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 4600   | 4.2        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 229    | 2.93       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 2  | 1/29/2009     |

Analyst: RP

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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-006

**Client Sample ID:** N 2  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:45:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed            |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|--------------------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |                          |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 3500   | 3.8        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/27/2009 |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |                          |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 66.0   | 1.32       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | Analyst: RP<br>1/29/2009 |

**Qualifiers:** B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank  
E Value above quantitation range  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

BRL Below Reporting Limit  
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Lab Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab ID:** 0901214-007

**Client Sample ID:** N 3  
**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
**Date Received:** 1/20/2009  
**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Nitrogen                            | 6300   | 4.5        |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/27/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Total Phosphorous                         | 53.9   | 1.58       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/29/2009     |

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**GeoLabs, Inc.**  
**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: SOIL  
COLLECTION DATE: 01/19/09  
REC'D BY LAB: 01/20/09  
COLLECTED BY: CLIENT

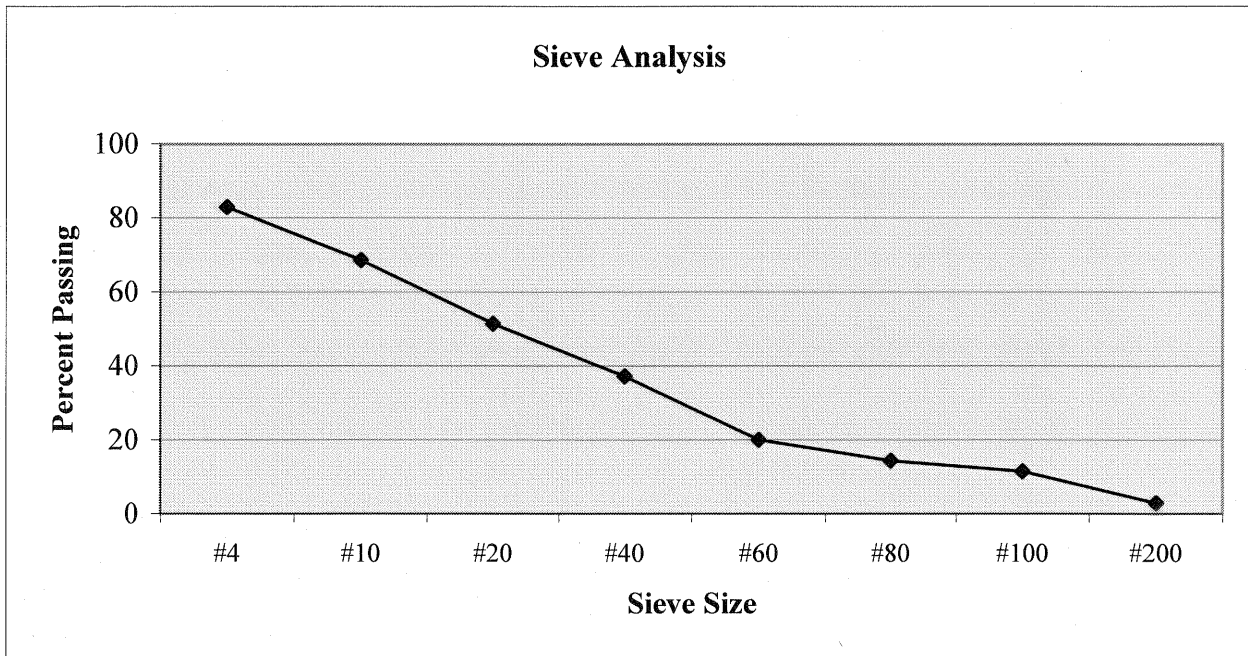
PROJECT ID: HOPEDALE  
REPORT DATE: 01/22/09  
ANALYZED BY: BP  
ANALYSIS DATE: 01/21/09  
DIGESTION DATE: N/A

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-001  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC1

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 82.9 | 68.6 | 51.4 | 37.1 | 20.0 | 14.3 | 11.4 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 2.86 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |





**GeoLabs, Inc.**  
**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: **SOIL**  
COLLECTION DATE: **01/19/09**  
REC'D BY LAB: **01/20/09**  
COLLECTED BY: **CLIENT**

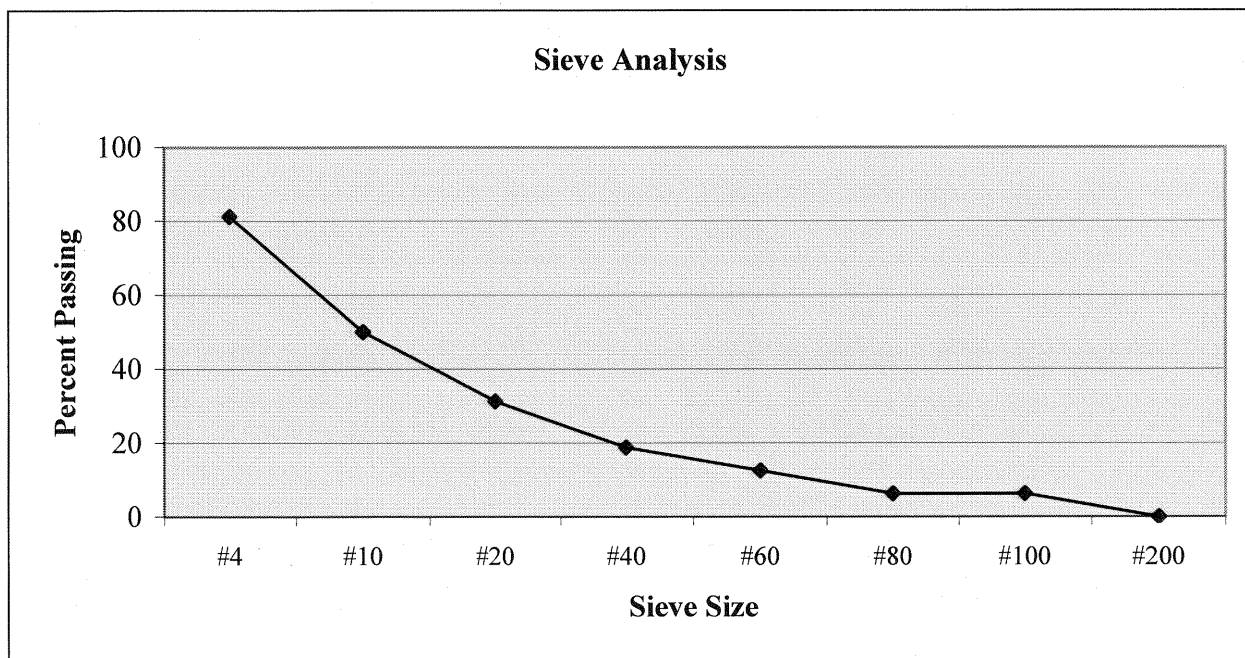
PROJECT ID: **HOPEDALE**  
REPORT DATE: **01/22/09**  
ANALYZED BY: **BP**  
ANALYSIS DATE: **01/21/09**  
DIGESTION DATE: **N/A**

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-002  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC2

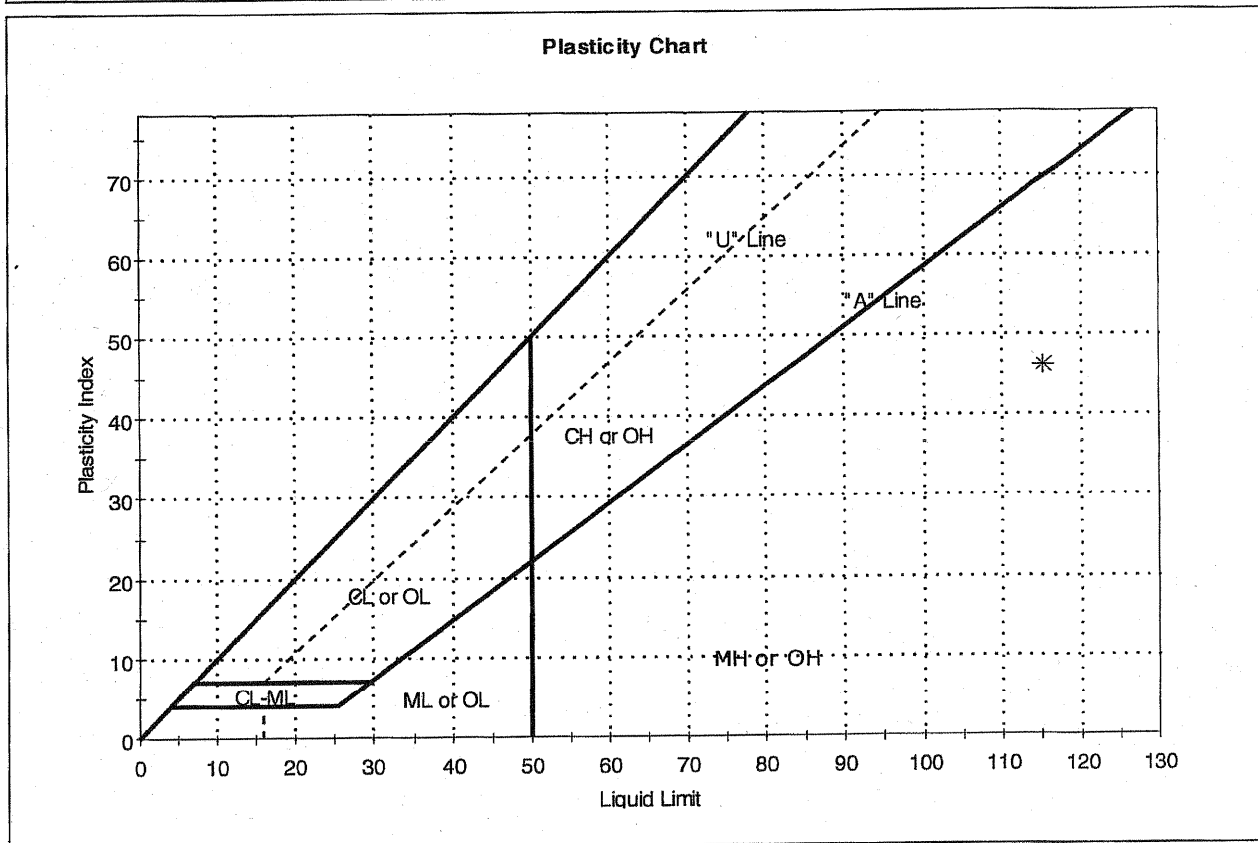
| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | <u>#4</u> | <u>#10</u> | <u>#20</u> | <u>#40</u> | <u>#60</u> | <u>#80</u> | <u>#100</u> |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 81.3      | 50.0       | 31.3       | 18.8       | 12.5       | 6.25       | 6.25        |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |           |            |            |            |            |            |             |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | <u>#200</u> |
|--------------------|-------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 0.00        |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |             |



|  |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| Client: GeoLabs, Inc.                              | Project No: GTX-8819 |
| Project: 0901214                                   | Tested By: ap        |
| Location: ---                                      | Checked By: jdt      |
| Boring ID: ---                                     | Sample Type: jar     |
| Sample ID: 0901214-001A                            | Test Date: 01/27/09  |
| Depth: ---   | Test Id: 145690      |
| Test Comment: ---                                  |                      |
| Sample Description: Moist, gray silt with organics |                      |
| Sample Comment: ---                                |                      |

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-001A | ---    | ---   | 9                           | 115          | 69            | 46               | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

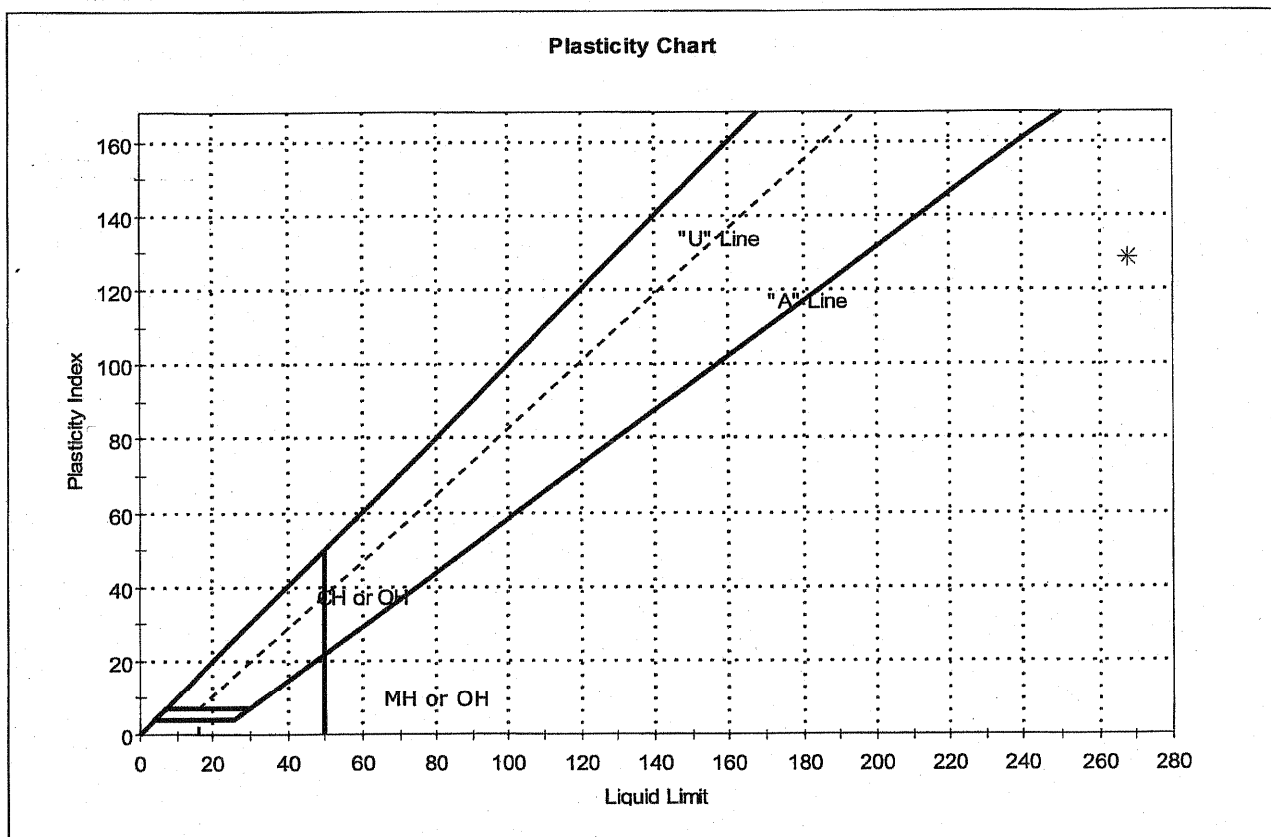
Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW

|                     |                                 |              |          |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| Client:             | GeoLabs, Inc.                   | Project No:  | GTX-8819 |
| Project:            | 0901214                         | Tested By:   | ap       |
| Location:           | ---                             | Checked By:  | jdt      |
| Boring ID:          | ---                             | Sample Type: | jar      |
| Sample ID:          | 0901214-002A                    | Test Date:   | 01/29/09 |
| Depth :             | ---                             | Test Id:     | 145691   |
| Test Comment:       | ---                             |              |          |
| Sample Description: | Moist, brown silt with organics |              |          |
| Sample Comment:     | ---                             |              |          |

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-002A | ---    | ---   | 15                          | 268          | 139           | 129              | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 6010b\_S

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12422</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297946</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic                      | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Cadmium                      | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chromium                     | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Copper                       | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Lead                         | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Nickel                       | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Zinc                         | ND                     | 5.00                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                      |                 |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS-12422 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 6010b_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ     | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297947 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte              | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic              | 126.4           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.06667                  | 94.8          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Cadmium              | 125.0           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 1                        | 93.0          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Chromium             | 133.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.1333                   | 99.8          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Copper               | 152.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 115           | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Lead                 | 127.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0.06667                  | 95.7          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Nickel               | 127.3           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.5          | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |
| Zinc                 | 134.6           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 101           | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |

|                       |                 |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |       |          |      |
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| Sample ID: LCSD-12422 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 6010B_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 298064 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Arsenic               | 126.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.2          | 80       | 120       | 126.4       | 0.421 | 30       |      |
| Cadmium               | 124.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 93.1          | 80       | 120       | 125         | 0.749 | 30       |      |
| Chromium              | 131.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 98.8          | 80       | 120       | 133.1       | 1.11  | 30       |      |
| Copper                | 153.9           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 115           | 80       | 120       | 152.9       | 0.652 | 30       |      |
| Lead                  | 126.7           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.0          | 80       | 120       | 127.7       | 0.786 | 30       |      |

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| Sample ID: LCSD-12422 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 6010B_S | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28312  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12422 | TestNo: SW6010B   | (SW3050B)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 298064 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Nickel                | 126.6           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 95.0          | 80       | 120       | 127.3       | 0.578 | 30       |      |
| Zinc                  | 134.1           | 5.00              | 133.3        | 0                        | 101           | 80       | 120       | 134.6       | 0.397 | 30       |      |

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TestCode: 8082\_s\_ase

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| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297971</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 80.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 80.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 58.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 66.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 66.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: LCS-12417             | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8082_s_ase | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28313  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ                 | Batch ID: 12417 | TestNo: SW8082       | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297965 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 72.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 72.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 75.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 75.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 82.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 82.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 58.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 70.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 70.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 74.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 74.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12417            | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 8082_s_ase | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28313  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ                 | Batch ID: 12417 | TestNo: SW8082       | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297970 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 61.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 61.0          | 30       | 150       | 72          | 16.5 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 67.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 67.0          | 30       | 150       | 75          | 11.3 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 74.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 74.0          | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 64.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 64.0          | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 62.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 62.0          | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 72.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 72.0          | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acetone                     | ND                      | 500                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzene                     | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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**TestCode: 8260B\_S**

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>      | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromobenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromoform                 | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromomethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroform                | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloromethane             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromomethane            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene               | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                   | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Trichloroethene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 746.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.5                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 750.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 100                  | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 708.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 94.4                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 736.8                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 98.2                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

|                             |                  |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
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| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1276             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | 1190             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.2          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1248             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.8          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1287             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1144             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 91.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1227             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 98.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1179             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 94.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1430             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 114           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1189             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1236             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1279             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1343             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCS</b>     |        | SampType: <b>LCS</b>    |           | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> |      | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b>             |           | Prep Date:           |      | RunNo: <b>28314</b> |      |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------|---------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   |        | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |      | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |           | SeqNo: <b>297972</b> |      |                     |      |
| Analyte                   | Result | PQL                     | SPK value | SPK Ref Val              | %REC | LowLimit                        | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val          | %RPD | RPDLimit            | Qual |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene       | 1270   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane       | 1262   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene       | 1285   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane       | 1095   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 87.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Butanone                | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether | 1208   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 96.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene           | 1339   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Hexanone                | 1337   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene           | 1319   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene        | 1324   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone      | 1256   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 100  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acetone                   | 1316   | 500                     | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acrylonitrile             | 2604   | 50.0                    | 2500      | 0                        | 104  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Benzene                   | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromobenzene              | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | 1274   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromoform                 | 1308   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1222   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 97.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1012   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 81.0 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1269   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1464   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 117  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroform                | 1284   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1377   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1287   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1249   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.9 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1259   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1272   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1172   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 93.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |

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|                             |                  |                   |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene            | 1340             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride          | 1298             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                 | 1131             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 90.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene              | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene             | 1252             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 100           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | 1348             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                     | 1313             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | 1325             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene           | 1262             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                     | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1191             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichloroethene             | 1264             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | 1333             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4304             | 125               | 3750         | 0                        | 115           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 739.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 741.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 783.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1280                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 102                  | 70       | 130       | 1276        | 0.352 | 25       |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane     | 1262                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1190        | 5.91  | 25       |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1248        | 1.33  | 25       |      |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 2.36  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1194                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 95.6                 | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 7.47  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1223                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 97.9                 | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 1.20  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1242                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.4                 | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 2.27  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1144        | 11.7  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1241                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 99.3                 | 70       | 130       | 1227        | 1.13  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1179        | 7.08  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1474                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 118                  | 70       | 130       | 1430        | 2.96  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1234                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 98.7                 | 70       | 130       | 1189        | 3.73  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1288                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1236        | 4.16  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1286                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 3.88  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1249                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.9                 | 70       | 130       | 1279        | 2.37  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 0     | 25       |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1389                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 111                  | 70       | 130       | 1343        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | 1310                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 105                  | 70       | 130       | 1270        | 3.12  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | 1290                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 2.17  | 25       |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | 1327                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 106                  | 70       | 130       | 1285        | 3.25  | 25       |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | 1351                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 108                  | 70       | 130       | 1095        | 20.9  | 25       |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | 1293                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 0.407 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | 1216                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 97.3                 | 70       | 130       | 1208        | 0.722 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | 1368                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 109                  | 70       | 130       | 1339        | 2.14  | 25       |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | 1346                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 108                  | 70       | 130       | 1337        | 0.671 | 25       |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | 1371                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 110                  | 70       | 130       | 1319        | 3.89  | 25       |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | 1369                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 110                  | 70       | 130       | 1324        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | 1246                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 99.7                 | 70       | 130       | 1256        | 0.779 | 25       |      |
| Acetone                     | 1228                    | 500                      | 1250                | 0                               | 98.2                 | 70       | 130       | 1316        | 6.88  | 25       |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | 2410                    | 50.0                     | 2500                | 0                               | 96.4                 | 70       | 130       | 2604        | 7.74  | 25       |      |
| Benzene                     | 1285                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.27  | 25       |      |
| Bromobenzene                | 1326                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 106                  | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 2.91  | 25       |      |
| Bromochloromethane          | 1262                    | 125                      | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1274        | 0.966 | 25       |      |
| Bromodichloromethane        | 1282                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 103                  | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.06  | 25       |      |

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| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>    |        | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   |           | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> |      | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b>             |           | Prep Date:           |       | RunNo: <b>28314</b> |      |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|---------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   |        | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |      | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |           | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |       |                     |      |
| Analyte                   | Result | PQL                     | SPK value | SPK Ref Val              | %REC | LowLimit                        | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val          | %RPD  | RPDLimit            | Qual |
| Bromoform                 | 1336   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       | 1308                 | 2.10  | 25                  |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1464   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 117  | 70                              | 130       | 1369                 | 6.74  | 25                  |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1228   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 98.2 | 70                              | 130       | 1222                 | 0.469 | 25                  |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1111   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 88.9 | 70                              | 130       | 1012                 | 9.30  | 25                  |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1315   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       | 1269                 | 3.58  | 25                  |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1409   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 113  | 70                              | 130       | 1464                 | 3.86  | 25                  |      |
| Chloroform                | 1278   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       | 1284                 | 0.527 | 25                  |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1336   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       | 1377                 | 3.02  | 25                  |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1275   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       | 1287                 | 0.956 | 25                  |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1277   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       | 1249                 | 2.22  | 25                  |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       | 1259                 | 0.732 | 25                  |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1282   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1272                 | 0.705 | 25                  |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1162   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 92.9 | 70                              | 130       | 1172                 | 0.878 | 25                  |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1406   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 112  | 70                              | 130       | 1369                 | 2.63  | 25                  |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | 1332   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       | 1271                 | 4.67  | 25                  |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | 1385   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 111  | 70                              | 130       | 1340                 | 3.32  | 25                  |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | 1235   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 98.8 | 70                              | 130       | 1283                 | 3.81  | 25                  |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | 1242   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.4 | 70                              | 130       | 1298                 | 4.43  | 25                  |      |
| Naphthalene               | 1262   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       | 1131                 | 10.9  | 25                  |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | 1364   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 109  | 70                              | 130       | 1315                 | 3.70  | 25                  |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | 1290   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1252                 | 2.95  | 25                  |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | 1391   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 111  | 70                              | 130       | 1348                 | 3.14  | 25                  |      |
| Styrene                   | 1342   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       | 1313                 | 2.20  | 25                  |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | 1371   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       | 1325                 | 3.45  | 25                  |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | 1323   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       | 1262                 | 4.68  | 25                  |      |
| Toluene                   | 1356   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 108  | 70                              | 130       | 1307                 | 3.66  | 25                  |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | 1234   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 98.8 | 70                              | 130       | 1307                 | 5.71  | 25                  |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | 1306   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 104  | 70                              | 130       | 1191                 | 9.15  | 25                  |      |
| Trichloroethene           | 1283   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1264                 | 1.43  | 25                  |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane    | 1383   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 111  | 70                              | 130       | 1333                 | 3.65  | 25                  |      |
| Vinyl Chloride            | 1285   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1306                 | 1.68  | 25                  |      |

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**ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT**

**TestCode: 8260B\_S**

|                             |                         |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>      | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4364                    | 125                      | 3750                | 0                               | 116                  | 70       | 130       | 4304        | 1.40 | 25       |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 724.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 96.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 745.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.3                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 732.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 97.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: <b>MB-12414</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>    | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299285</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                    | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene        | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene             | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                 | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene          | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene             | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene       | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                   | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene      | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                   | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene     | ND                     | 10.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene               | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                     | ND                     | 100                         |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl     | 3696                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 73.9                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5      | 2883                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 57.7                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14        | 3740                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 74.8                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12414</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299286</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene         | 2202                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                | 2000                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 80.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene              | 2212                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.5                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                  | 2407                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene           | 1258                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 50.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299286 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 2148            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 85.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 2207            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 1918            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 76.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2272            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 90.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene               | 1277            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 51.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 1981            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 79.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2339            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 93.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene               | 2166            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 86.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2026            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 81.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2211            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1840            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 73.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1592            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 63.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3632            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 72.6          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3072            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 61.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3422            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 68.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12414</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299287</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 2329                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 93.2                 | 40       | 140       | 2202        | 5.61 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2182                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.3                 | 40       | 140       | 2000        | 8.66 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2413                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2212        | 8.69 | 30       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 2567                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 103                  | 40       | 140       | 2407        | 6.43 | 30       |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene            | 1350                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 54.0                 | 40       | 140       | 1258        | 7.06 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene               | 2178                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 87.1                 | 40       | 140       | 2148        | 1.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene         | 2176                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.0                 | 40       | 140       | 2207        | 1.44 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene         | 1984                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 79.3                 | 40       | 140       | 1918        | 3.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene         | 2312                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 92.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2272        | 1.77 | 30       |      |
| Chrysene                     | 2198                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.9                 | 40       | 140       | 1277        | 53.0 | 30       | R    |

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TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: LCSD-12414  | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299287 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 2009            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 80.4          | 40       | 140       | 1981        | 1.40 | 30       |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2424            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 97.0          | 40       | 140       | 2339        | 3.59 | 30       |      |
| Fluorene               | 2292            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 91.7          | 40       | 140       | 2166        | 5.65 | 30       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2082            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 83.3          | 40       | 140       | 2026        | 2.78 | 30       |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2386            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 95.5          | 40       | 140       | 2211        | 7.63 | 30       |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1814            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 72.5          | 40       | 140       | 1840        | 1.42 | 30       |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1749            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 70.0          | 40       | 140       | 1592        | 9.37 | 30       |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3975            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 79.5          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3413            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 68.3          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3694            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 73.9          | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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TestCode: EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28297</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297821</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                    | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | ND                     | 0                                   |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.003                  | 0                                   | 2.5                 | 0                               | 80.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.867                  | 0                                   | 2.5                 | 0                               | 74.7                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: LCS1-12412 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28297  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene           | 3.209           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 64.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene   | 3.331           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 66.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene          | 2.360           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene          | 3.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 68.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene        | 2.364           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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| Sample ID: LCS1-12412          | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28297  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ               | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Fluorene                       | 2.637           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 52.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | 3.560           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 71.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | 3.485           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 69.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | 4.005           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 80.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 4.082           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 81.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | 4.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 88.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 4.379           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 87.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.748           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 55.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.270           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 65.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.931           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 58.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.715           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 54.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.064           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 61.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 56.01           | 0                            |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.380           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 95.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.651           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 66.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b>        |                     |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                  | 2.952                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 59.0                | 40       | 140       | 3.209       | 8.34  | 50       |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 3.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 73.5                | 40       | 140       | 3.331       | 9.85  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2.375                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 47.5                | 40       | 140       | 2.36        | 0.634 | 50       |      |
| Phenanthrene                 | 3.239                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 64.8                | 40       | 140       | 3.437       | 5.93  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2.372                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 47.4                | 40       | 140       | 2.364       | 0.338 | 50       |      |
| Fluorene                     | 2.371                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 47.4                | 40       | 140       | 2.637       | 10.6  | 50       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 3.120                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 62.4                | 40       | 140       | 3.56        | 13.2  | 50       |      |
| Fluoranthene                 | 3.505                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 70.1                | 40       | 140       | 3.485       | 0.572 | 50       |      |
| Pyrene                       | 3.743                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 74.9                | 40       | 140       | 4.005       | 6.76  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene           | 3.509                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 70.2                | 40       | 140       | 4.082       | 15.1  | 50       |      |

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b>        |                     |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Chrysene                       | 3.858                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 77.2                | 40       | 140       | 4.437       | 14.0  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 3.777                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 75.5                | 40       | 140       | 4.379       | 14.8  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 3.295                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 65.9                | 40       | 140       | 2.748       | 18.1  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.015                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 60.3                | 40       | 140       | 3.27        | 8.11  | 50       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.691                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.8                | 40       | 140       | 2.931       | 8.54  | 50       |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.5                | 40       | 140       | 2.715       | 1.45  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.069                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 61.4                | 40       | 140       | 3.064       | 0.163 | 50       |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 53.24                  | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           | 56.01       | 5.07  | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.584                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 103                 | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.603                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 64.1                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |

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Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: epht\_s

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298039</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.400                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 54.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.700                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 77.0                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                                    |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12412</b>  | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28319</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298023</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                  | 0                               | 57.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                  | 0                               | 81.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                  | 0                               | 57.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 6.900                  | 0                                  | 10                  | 0                               | 69.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.500                  | 0                                  | 10                  | 0                               | 75.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298038</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 62.0                | 40       | 140       | 5.7         | 0    | 50       |      |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 82.0                | 40       | 140       | 8.1         | 0    | 50       |      |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND                     | 10.0                               | 10                              | 0                           | 74.0                | 40       | 140       | 5.7         | 0    | 50       |      |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.700                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 57.0                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0    |          |      |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 8.600                  | 0                                  | 10                              | 0                           | 86.0                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** hg\_7471a\_s

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12426</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298000</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | ND                     | 0.100                       |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                      |                 |                            |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS-12426 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: hg_7471a_s       | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/23/2009     | RunNo: 28315  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ     | Batch ID: 12426 | TestNo: SW 7471A (SW7471A) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297984 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte              | Result          | PQL                        | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury              | 2.645           | 0.100                      | 2.5          | 0                        | 106           | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297999</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | 2.650                  | 0.100                       | 2.5                 | 0                               | 106                  | 80       | 120       | 2.645       | 0.189 | 30       |      |

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice

Filtration

Done

Not Needed

Lab to do

Preservation

Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions

\*As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Pb, Ni, Zn

Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

Excel

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

Client: ESS GROUP, INC

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Project: HOREDALE

Project PO: H153-000

Invoice to \*: CARL NIELSEN

Preservative:

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Analysis Requested

| COLLECTION |      |         | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |                  |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   | LAB<br>PH |
|------------|------|---------|-------------------------|-----------|------------------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------|------|-----|------|-----|---------|-------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| DATE       | TIME | SAMPLED |                         | TYPE      | QUANTITY         | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | METALS*            | VOCs | PAHs | EPH | PCBs | TOC | % WATER | % ASH | ASTM GRAIN SIZE | ATTIC/BERG LIMITS | TOTAL TEMPERATURE |           |
| 1/19/09    | 1200 | SL/MZ   | SC1                     | A         | 2                | S      | X    |      | 1214-001              | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X                 |                   |           |
|            | 1515 |         | SC2                     | A         | 3                |        | X    |      | 002                   | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X                 |                   |           |
|            | 1130 |         | SC1A <sup>MDL</sup>     | V         | 1                |        |      | X    | 003                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   |           |
|            | 1510 |         | SC2A <sup>MDL</sup>     | V         | 1                |        |      | X    | 004                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   |                   |           |
|            | 1200 |         | N1                      | G         | 2                |        | X    |      | 005                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |
|            | 1545 |         | N2                      | G         | 2 <sup>MDL</sup> |        | X    |      | 006                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |
|            | 1515 |         | N3                      | G         | 2                |        | X    |      | 007                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                   | X                 | X         |

**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO3

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = MEOH

**Containers:**

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

Received by:

Date / Time

*[Signature]* 1/20/09 11:00

*[Signature]* 1/20/09 1:50

*[Signature]* 1/20/09 11:00

*[Signature]* 1/20/09 3:00

Wednesday, February 11, 2009

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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0901214

Dear Matt Ladewig:

GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 1/20/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

**This report is being re-issued with rerun results for Sieve Analysis.** There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications except where noted in the Case Narrative.

Analytical methods and results meet requirements of 310CMR 40.1056(J) as per MADEP Compendium of Analytical Methods (CAM).

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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Certifications:

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

**CASE NARRATIVE**

## MADEP MCP Response Action Analytical Report Certification Form

Laboratory Name: GeoLabs, Inc.                      Project # H153-000  
Project Location: Hopedale                      MADEP RTN #:

This form provides certification for the following data set: 0901214 (001-007)

Sample Matrix: Soil

MCP Methods Used: 6010B, 7471A, 8260B, 8270C, EPH, 8082

An affirmative answer to questions A, B, C and D are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

A. Were all samples received by the laboratory in a condition consistent with that described on the Chain of custody documentation for the data set?      YES

B. Were all QA/QC procedures required for the specified method(s) included in this report followed, including the requirement to note and discuss in a narrative QC data that did not meet appropriate standards or guidelines?      YES

C. Does the analytical data included in this report meet all the requirements for "Presumptive Certainty" as described in Section 2.0 of the MADEP documents CAM VII A "Quality Assurance and Quality Control Guidelines for the Acquisition and Reporting of Analytical Data"?      YES

D. VPH and EPH Methods only: Was the VPH or EPH Method conducted without significant modifications (see Section 11.3 of respective Methods)      YES

A response to questions E and F are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

E. Were all QC performance standards and recommendations for the specified methods achieved?      NO

F. Were results for all analyte-list compounds/elements for the specified method(s) reported?      NO

All NO answers need to be addressed in an attached Environmental Laboratory case narrative.

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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## CASE NARRATIVE

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#### Physical Condition of Samples

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

#### Project Documentation

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

#### Analysis of Sample(s)

PAH compounds only analyzed by 8270C per client request.

Selected metals analyzed by 6010B per client request.

The following analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples:

8270 RPD for Chrysene is outside the limit.

I, the undersigned, attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my personal inquiry of those responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this analytical report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

Signature:

Position: Lab Director

Printed Name: Jim Chen

Date: February 11, 2009

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
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**CASE NARRATIVE**

EPH Methods

Method for Ranges: MADEP EPH 04-1.1  
Method for Target Analytes: 8270 GC/MS

Carbon Range data exclude concentrations of any surrogate(s) and/or internal standards eluting in that range

C11-C22 Aromatic Hydrocarbons exclude concentrations of Target PAH Analytes

**CERTIFICATION:**

Were all QA/QC procedures REQUIRED by the EPH Method followed? YES

Were all performance/acceptance standards achieved? YES

Were any significant modifications made to the EPH method? NO

I attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

SIGNATURE:



LAB DIRECTOR

PRINTED NAME: Jim Chen

DATE: February 11, 2009



**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 11-Feb-09  
Original Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale  
Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-001  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Client Sample ID: SC 1  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**ASH - ASTM D-482-87** Analyst: FC  
Ash 81.4 1.00 % 1 1/22/2009

**PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A** Analyst: FC  
Percent Moisture 10 1.0 wt% 1 1/21/2009

**EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH** Analyst: RuP  
Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics 104 11.1 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
C09-C18 Aliphatics ND 11.1 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
C19-C36 Aliphatics 136 11.1 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics 137 11.1 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane 86.0 40-140 %REC 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: o-Terphenyl 78.0 40-140 %REC 1 1/22/2009

**POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082** Analyst: GP  
Aroclor 1016/1242 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1221 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1232 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1248 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1254 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1260 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1262 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Aroclor 1268 ND 55.6 µg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1 78.0 30-150 %REC 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2 44.0 30-150 %REC 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 76.0 30-150 %REC 1 1/22/2009  
Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 66.0 30-150 %REC 1 1/22/2009

**TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B** Analyst: ZYZ  
Arsenic 27.4 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Cadmium ND 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Chromium 9.70 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Copper 40.9 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Lead 66.2 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Nickel 6.26 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009  
Zinc 11.0 5.27 mg/Kg-dry 1 1/22/2009

**MERCURY - SW7471A** Analyst: EC

|             |   |   |     |  |
|-------------|---|---|-----|--|
| Qualifiers: | B | Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
|             | E | Value above quantitation range                  | H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
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Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

| Mercury | 0.128 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------|
|---------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------|

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |           |    |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|-----------|----|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 1400 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benz(a)Anthracene      | 2170 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 3050 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 4220 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 2410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2330 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 4110 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 9410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2300 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 4410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6060 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 52.1 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 32.5 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 65.6 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                                |       |       |           |   |                       |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| Naphthalene                    | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene                   | 3.19  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene                 | 0.147 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluorene                       | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Anthracene                     | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene                   | 7.90  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Pyrene                         | 6.41  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 2.75  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Chrysene                       | 3.55  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 2.14  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.79  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 2.83  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 0.478 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 0.483 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 32.7  | 0     | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

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**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901214**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH****Analyst:** MR

|                             |      |        |      |   |                       |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|------|---|-----------------------|
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl | 101  | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl      | 80.6 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

**TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060****Analyst:** RP

|                      |       |     |           |   |           |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Organic Carbon | 60300 | 444 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
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Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-002  
Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM  
Client Sample ID: SC 2  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

|                     |      |      |  |   |   |             |
|---------------------|------|------|--|---|---|-------------|
| ASH - ASTM D-482-87 |      |      |  |   |   | Analyst: FC |
| Ash                 | 50.8 | 1.00 |  | % | 1 | 1/22/2009   |

|                         |      |   |  |     |   |             |
|-------------------------|------|---|--|-----|---|-------------|
| PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A |      |   |  |     |   | Analyst: FC |
| Percent Moisture        | 15.0 | 0 |  | wt% | 1 | 1/21/2009   |

|                              |      |        |  |           |   |              |
|------------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|--------------|
| EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH       |      |        |  |           |   | Analyst: RuP |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | 85.8 | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND   | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | 122  | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | 93.9 | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 63.0 | 40-140 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 70.0 | 40-140 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009    |

|                                    |      |        |  |           |   |             |
|------------------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|-------------|
| POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082 |      |        |  |           |   | Analyst: GP |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                  | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1221                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1232                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1248                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1254                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1260                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1262                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Aroclor 1268                       | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1     | 98.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2     | 70.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1   | 88.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009   |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2   | 82.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009   |

|                               |      |      |  |           |   |              |
|-------------------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|--------------|
| TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B |      |      |  |           |   | Analyst: ZYZ |
| Arsenic                       | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Cadmium                       | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Chromium                      | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Copper                        | 18.8 | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Lead                          | 6.99 | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Nickel                        | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |
| Zinc                          | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009    |

|                   |  |  |  |  |  |             |
|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|-------------|
| MERCURY - SW7471A |  |  |  |  |  | Analyst: EC |
|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|-------------|

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Lab Order: 0901214

**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

| Mercury | ND | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
|---------|----|-------|-----------|---|-----------|
|---------|----|-------|-----------|---|-----------|

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|-----------|---|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benz(a)Anthracene      | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 31.7 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 30.1 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 31.5 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                                |       |       |           |   |                      |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---|----------------------|
| Naphthalene                    | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene                   | 0.724 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluorene                       | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Anthracene                     | 0.123 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene                   | 1.70  | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Pyrene                         | 1.69  | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 0.604 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Chrysene                       | 0.918 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 0.736 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 0.443 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 0.650 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 0.111 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 0.370 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 8.06  | 0     | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

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|                             |      |        |      |   |                      |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|------|---|----------------------|
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl | 97.9 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl      | 74.4 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

**TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060****Analyst:** RP

|                      |        |     |           |   |           |
|----------------------|--------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Organic Carbon | 100000 | 400 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------------|--------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-003

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM

Client Sample ID: SC 1B

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

## VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B

Analyst: ZYZ

|                             |    |      |  |       |   |                      |
|-----------------------------|----|------|--|-------|---|----------------------|
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                  | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                  | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acetone                     | ND | 500  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile               | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Benzene                     | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane          | ND | 125  |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane        | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromoform                   | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide            | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride        | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene               | ND | 50.0 |  | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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## VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B

Analyst: ZYZ

|                             |      |        |       |   |                      |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-------|---|----------------------|
| Chloroethane                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloroform                  | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloromethane               | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene      | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane        | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride          | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                 | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Styrene                     | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Toluene                     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 102  | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 91.1 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 95.4 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 97.5 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-004

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM

Client Sample ID: SC 2C

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | 836    | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

## VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B

Analyst: ZYZ

|                             |      |        |       |   |                       |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-------|---|-----------------------|
| Chloroethane                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloroform                  | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloromethane               | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene      | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane        | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride          | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                 | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Styrene                     | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Toluene                     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 101  | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 97.0 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 92.7 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 99.9 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

Lab ID: 0901214-005

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM

Client Sample ID: N 1

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

## TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 4600 | 4.2 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

## TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E

Analyst: RP

|                   |     |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|-----|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 229 | 2.93 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 2 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|-----|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

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**GeoLabs, Inc.****Reissue Date:** 11-Feb-09  
**Original Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901214**Lab ID:** 0901214-006**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:45:00 PM**Client Sample ID:** N 2**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL**

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 3500 | 3.8 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E**

Analyst: RP

|                   |      |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 66.0 | 1.32 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**Lab ID:** 0901214-007**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM**Client Sample ID:** N 3**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL**

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 6300 | 4.5 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E**

Analyst: RP

|                   |      |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 53.9 | 1.58 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

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**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: **SOIL**  
COLLECTION DATE: **01/19/09**  
REC'D BY LAB: **01/20/09**  
COLLECTED BY: **CLIENT**

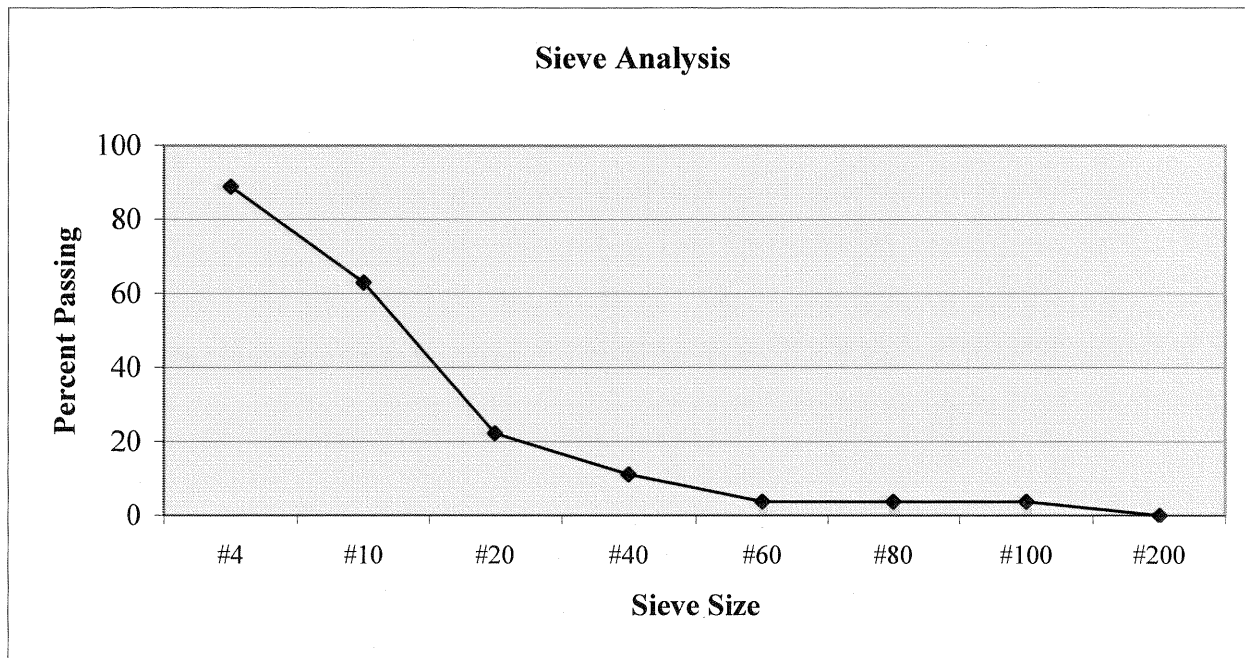
PROJECT ID: **HOPEDALE**  
REPORT DATE: **02/10/09**  
ANALYZED BY: **BP**  
ANALYSIS DATE: **02/09/09**  
DIGESTION DATE: **N/A**

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-001  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC-1

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <u>RESULTS</u>     | 88.9 | 63.0 | 22.2 | 11.1 | 3.70 | 3.70 | 3.70 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| <u>RESULTS</u>     | 0.00 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |



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**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: **SOIL**  
COLLECTION DATE: **01/19/09**  
REC'D BY LAB: **01/20/09**  
COLLECTED BY: **CLIENT**

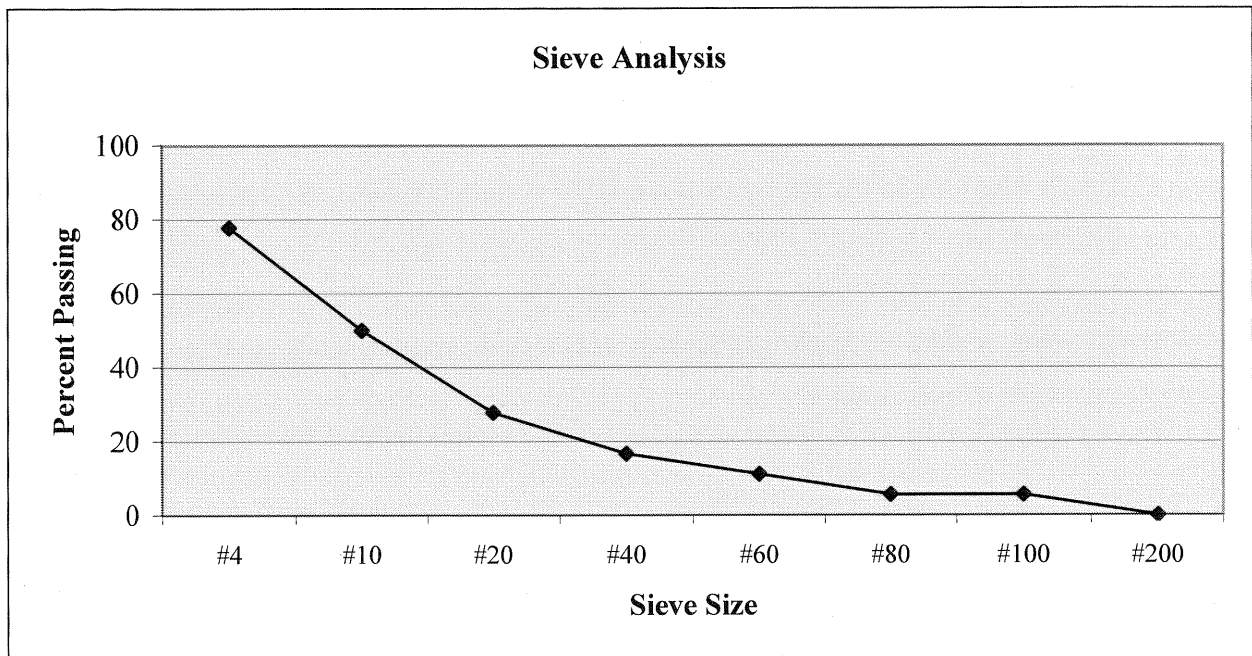
PROJECT ID: **HOPEDALE**  
REPORT DATE: **02/10/09**  
ANALYZED BY: **BP**  
ANALYSIS DATE: **02/09/09**  
DIGESTION DATE: **N/A**

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-002  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC-2

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 77.8 | 50.0 | 27.8 | 16.7 | 11.1 | 5.56 | 5.56 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| <b>RESULTS</b>     | 0.00 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |



Client: GeoLabs, Inc.

Project: 0901214

Location: ---

Project No: GTX-8819

Boring ID: ---

Sample Type: jar

Tested By: ap

Sample ID: 0901214-001A

Test Date: 01/27/09

Checked By: jdt

Depth: ---

Test Id: 145690

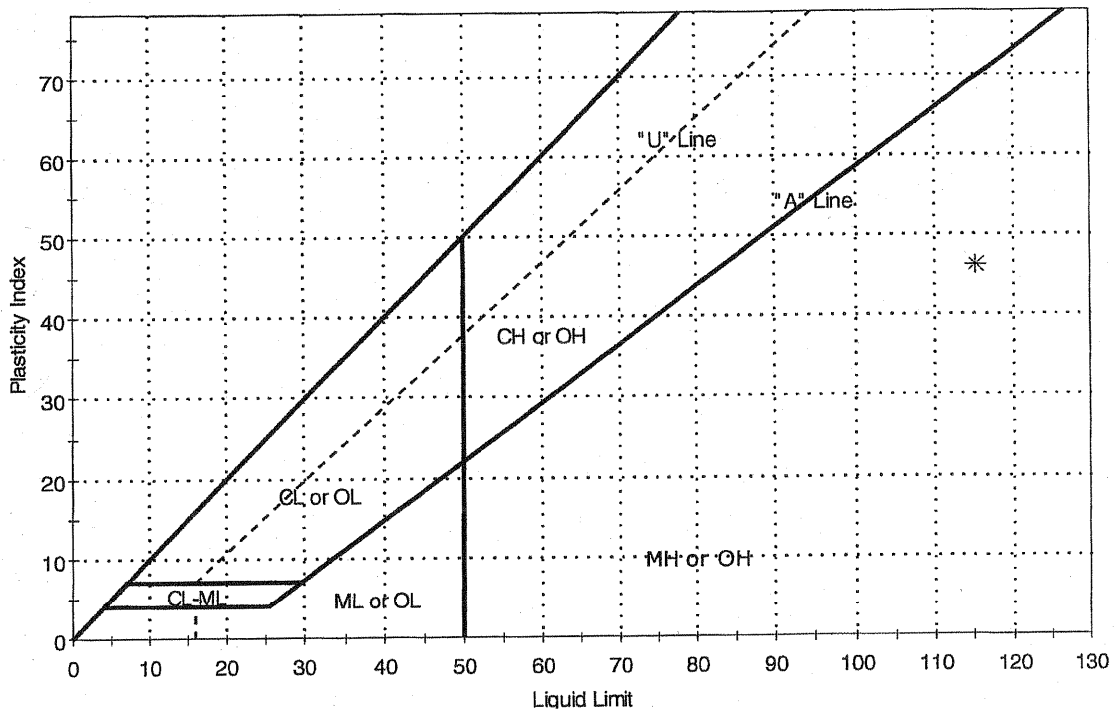
Test Comment: ---

Sample Description: Moist, gray silt with organics

Sample Comment: ---

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05

Plasticity Chart



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-001A | ---    | ---   | 9                           | 115          | 69            | 46               | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

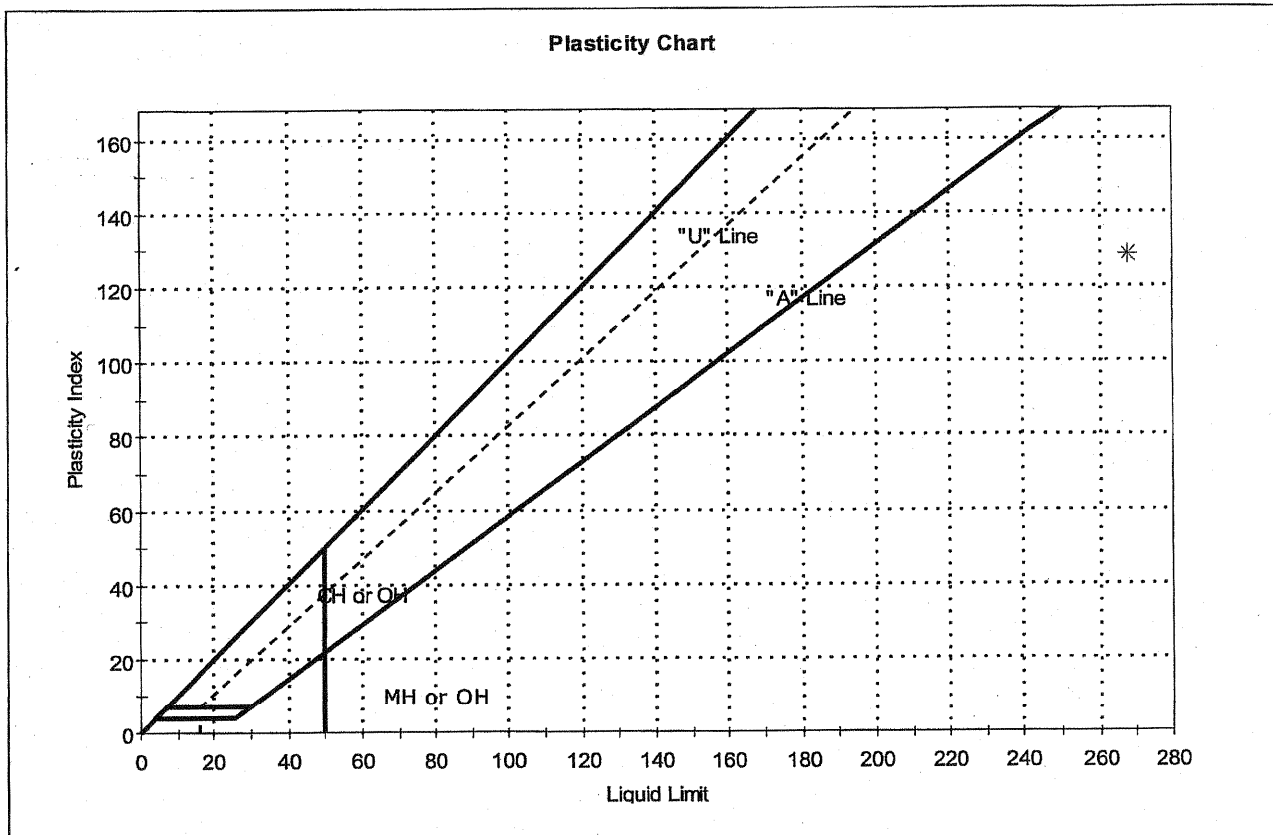
Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW

|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Client: GeoLabs, Inc.                               | Project No: GTX-8819 |
| Project: 0901214                                    | Tested By: ap        |
| Location: ---                                       | Checked By: jdt      |
| Boring ID: ---                                      | Sample Type: jar     |
| Sample ID: 0901214-002A                             | Test Date: 01/29/09  |
| Depth: ---  | Test Id: 145691      |
| Test Comment: ---                                   |                      |
| Sample Description: Moist, brown silt with organics |                      |
| Sample Comment: ---                                 |                      |

## Atterberg Limits - ASTM D 4318-05



| Symbol | Sample ID    | Boring | Depth | Natural Moisture Content, % | Liquid Limit | Plastic Limit | Plasticity Index | Liquidity Index | Soil Classification |
|--------|--------------|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| *      | 0901214-002A | ---    | ---   | 15                          | 268          | 139           | 129              | -1              |                     |

Sample Prepared using the WET method

Dry Strength: HIGH

Dilatancy: SLOW

Toughness: LOW



CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 6010b\_S

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12422</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297946</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |    |      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|----|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Arsenic  | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cadmium  | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chromium | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Copper   | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lead     | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nickel   | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zinc     | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

|                             |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297947</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |       |      |       |         |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|----------|-------|------|-------|---------|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| Arsenic  | 126.4 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.06667 | 94.8 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Cadmium  | 125.0 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 1       | 93.0 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Chromium | 133.1 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.1333  | 99.8 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Copper   | 152.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 115  | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Lead     | 127.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.06667 | 95.7 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Nickel   | 127.3 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 95.5 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Zinc     | 134.6 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 101  | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010B_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298064</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |       |      |       |   |      |    |     |       |       |    |  |
|----------|-------|------|-------|---|------|----|-----|-------|-------|----|--|
| Arsenic  | 126.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 95.2 | 80 | 120 | 126.4 | 0.421 | 30 |  |
| Cadmium  | 124.1 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 93.1 | 80 | 120 | 125   | 0.749 | 30 |  |
| Chromium | 131.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 98.8 | 80 | 120 | 133.1 | 1.11  | 30 |  |
| Copper   | 153.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 115  | 80 | 120 | 152.9 | 0.652 | 30 |  |
| Lead     | 126.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 95.0 | 80 | 120 | 127.7 | 0.786 | 30 |  |

**Qualifiers:** BRL Below Reporting Limit E Value above quantitation range H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit R RPD outside recovery limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 6010b\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010B_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298064</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Nickel                       | 126.6                  | 5.00                     | 133.3               | 0                               | 95.0                 | 80       | 120       | 127.3       | 0.578 | 30       |      |
| Zinc                         | 134.1                  | 5.00                     | 133.3               | 0                               | 101                  | 80       | 120       | 134.6       | 0.397 | 30       |      |

**Qualifiers:** BRL Below Reporting Limit  
J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

E Value above quantitation range  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
R RPD outside recovery limits

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8082\_s\_ase

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297971</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 80.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 80.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 58.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 66.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 66.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: LCS-12417             | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8082_s_ase | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28313  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ                 | Batch ID: 12417 | TestNo: SW8082       | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297965 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 72.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 72.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 75.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 75.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 82.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 82.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 58.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 70.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 70.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 74.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 74.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

E Value above quantitation range  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 R RPD outside recovery limits

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8082\_s\_ase

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12417</b>     |        | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  |           | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> |      | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> |           | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     |      | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |      |
|----------------------------------|--------|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|------|----------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          |        | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       |      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    |           | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |      | SeqNo: <b>297970</b> |      |
| Analyte                          | Result | PQL                    | SPK value | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC | LowLimit            | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val                     | %RPD | RPDLimit             | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 61.00  | 50.0                   | 100       | 0                           | 61.0 | 30                  | 150       | 72                              | 16.5 | 30                   |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 67.00  | 50.0                   | 100       | 0                           | 67.0 | 30                  | 150       | 75                              | 11.3 | 30                   |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND     | 50.0                   |           |                             |      |                     |           | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 74.00  | 0                      | 100       | 0                           | 74.0 | 30                  | 150       | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 64.00  | 0                      | 100       | 0                           | 64.0 | 30                  | 150       | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 62.00  | 0                      | 100       | 0                           | 62.0 | 30                  | 150       | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 72.00  | 0                      | 100       | 0                           | 72.0 | 30                  | 150       | 0                               | 0    | 0                    |      |

**Qualifiers:** BRL Below Reporting Limit  
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits  
 S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

E Value above quantitation range  
 ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
 R RPD outside recovery limits

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acetone                     | ND                      | 500                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzene                     | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                    |     |  |    |                                     |   |  |
|--------------------|-----|--|----|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| <b>Qualifiers:</b> | BRL | Below Reporting Limit                      | E  | Value above quantitation range      | H | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
|                    | J   | Analyte detected below quantitation limits | ND | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit | R | RPD outside recovery limits                        |
|                    | S   | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits     |    |                                     |   |  |

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>      | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromobenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromoform                 | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromomethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroform                | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloromethane             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromomethane            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene               | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                   | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

Qualifiers: BRL Below Reporting Limit  
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S Spike Recovery outside recovery limits

E Value above quantitation range  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded  
R RPD outside recovery limits

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Trichloroethene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 746.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.5                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 750.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 100                  | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 708.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 94.4                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 736.8                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 98.2                 | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1276             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | 1190             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.2          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1248             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.8          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1287             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1144             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 91.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1227             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 98.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1179             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 94.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1430             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 114           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1189             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.1          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1236             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1238             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1279             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1343             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCS</b>     |        | SampType: <b>LCS</b>    |           | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> |      | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b>             |           | Prep Date:           |      | RunNo: <b>28314</b> |      |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------|---------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   |        | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |      | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |           | SeqNo: <b>297972</b> |      |                     |      |
| Analyte                   | Result | PQL                     | SPK value | SPK Ref Val              | %REC | LowLimit                        | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val          | %RPD | RPDLimit            | Qual |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene       | 1270   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane       | 1262   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene       | 1285   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane       | 1095   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 87.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Butanone                | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether | 1208   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 96.6 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene           | 1339   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 2-Hexanone                | 1337   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 107  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene           | 1319   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene        | 1324   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone      | 1256   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 100  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acetone                   | 1316   | 500                     | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Acrylonitrile             | 2604   | 50.0                    | 2500      | 0                        | 104  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Benzene                   | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromobenzene              | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | 1274   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | 1268   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromoform                 | 1308   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1222   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 97.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1012   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 81.0 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1269   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1464   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 117  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloroform                | 1284   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1377   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1287   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1249   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.9 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1259   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1272   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 102  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1172   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 93.8 | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       |                      |      |                     |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene            | 1340             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride          | 1298             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                 | 1131             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 90.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene              | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene             | 1252             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 100           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | 1348             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                     | 1313             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | 1325             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene           | 1262             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                     | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1191             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichloroethene             | 1264             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | 1333             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4304             | 125               | 3750         | 0                        | 115           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 739.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 741.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 783.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>    | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1280                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 102                  | 70       | 130       | 1276        | 0.352 | 25       |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane     | 1262                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1190        | 5.91  | 25       |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1248        | 1.33  | 25       |      |

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|-----------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|---------------------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     |        | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> |           | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |      | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> |           | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |       |                     |      |
| Analyte                     | Result | PQL                     | SPK value | SPK Ref Val              | %REC | LowLimit                        | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val          | %RPD  | RPDLimit            | Qual |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1286   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1257                 | 2.36  | 25                  |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1194   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 95.6 | 70                              | 130       | 1287                 | 7.47  | 25                  |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1223   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 97.9 | 70                              | 130       | 1238                 | 1.20  | 25                  |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1242   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.4 | 70                              | 130       | 1271                 | 2.27  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1286   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1144                 | 11.7  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1241   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 99.3 | 70                              | 130       | 1227                 | 1.13  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1265   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       | 1179                 | 7.08  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1474   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 118  | 70                              | 130       | 1430                 | 2.96  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1234   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 98.7 | 70                              | 130       | 1189                 | 3.73  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1288   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1236                 | 4.16  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1286   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1238                 | 3.88  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1249   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.9 | 70                              | 130       | 1279                 | 2.37  | 25                  |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       | 1257                 | 0     | 25                  |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1389   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 111  | 70                              | 130       | 1343                 | 3.40  | 25                  |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | 1310   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 105  | 70                              | 130       | 1270                 | 3.12  | 25                  |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | 1290   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1262                 | 2.17  | 25                  |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | 1327   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       | 1285                 | 3.25  | 25                  |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | 1351   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 108  | 70                              | 130       | 1095                 | 20.9  | 25                  |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | 1293   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1288                 | 0.407 | 25                  |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | 1216   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 97.3 | 70                              | 130       | 1208                 | 0.722 | 25                  |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | 1368   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 109  | 70                              | 130       | 1339                 | 2.14  | 25                  |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | 1346   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 108  | 70                              | 130       | 1337                 | 0.671 | 25                  |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | 1371   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       | 1319                 | 3.89  | 25                  |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | 1369   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 110  | 70                              | 130       | 1324                 | 3.40  | 25                  |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | 1246   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 99.7 | 70                              | 130       | 1256                 | 0.779 | 25                  |      |
| Acetone                     | 1228   | 500                     | 1250      | 0                        | 98.2 | 70                              | 130       | 1316                 | 6.88  | 25                  |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | 2410   | 50.0                    | 2500      | 0                        | 96.4 | 70                              | 130       | 2604                 | 7.74  | 25                  |      |
| Benzene                     | 1285   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1268                 | 1.27  | 25                  |      |
| Bromobenzene                | 1326   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 106  | 70                              | 130       | 1288                 | 2.91  | 25                  |      |
| Bromochloromethane          | 1262   | 125                     | 1250      | 0                        | 101  | 70                              | 130       | 1274                 | 0.966 | 25                  |      |
| Bromodichloromethane        | 1282   | 50.0                    | 1250      | 0                        | 103  | 70                              | 130       | 1268                 | 1.06  | 25                  |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCSD           | SampType: LCSD   | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ          | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297973 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromoform                 | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1308        | 2.10  | 25       |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1464             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 117           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 6.74  | 25       |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1228             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.2          | 70       | 130       | 1222        | 0.469 | 25       |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1111             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 88.9          | 70       | 130       | 1012        | 9.30  | 25       |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       | 1269        | 3.58  | 25       |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1409             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 113           | 70       | 130       | 1464        | 3.86  | 25       |      |
| Chloroform                | 1278             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1284        | 0.527 | 25       |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1377        | 3.02  | 25       |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1275             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 0.956 | 25       |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1277             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1249        | 2.22  | 25       |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1268             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1259        | 0.732 | 25       |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1282             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1272        | 0.705 | 25       |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1162             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 92.9          | 70       | 130       | 1172        | 0.878 | 25       |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1406             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 112           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 2.63  | 25       |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | 1332             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 4.67  | 25       |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | 1385             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1340        | 3.32  | 25       |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | 1235             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1283        | 3.81  | 25       |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | 1242             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.4          | 70       | 130       | 1298        | 4.43  | 25       |      |
| Naphthalene               | 1262             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1131        | 10.9  | 25       |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | 1364             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 109           | 70       | 130       | 1315        | 3.70  | 25       |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | 1290             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1252        | 2.95  | 25       |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | 1391             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1348        | 3.14  | 25       |      |
| Styrene                   | 1342             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1313        | 2.20  | 25       |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | 1371             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       | 1325        | 3.45  | 25       |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | 1323             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 4.68  | 25       |      |
| Toluene                   | 1356             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 3.66  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | 1234             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 5.71  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       | 1191        | 9.15  | 25       |      |
| Trichloroethene           | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1264        | 1.43  | 25       |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane    | 1383             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1333        | 3.65  | 25       |      |
| Vinyl Chloride            | 1285             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1306        | 1.68  | 25       |      |

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**TestCode:** 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>      | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4364                    | 125                      | 3750                | 0                               | 116                  | 70       | 130       | 4304        | 1.40 | 25       |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 724.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 96.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 745.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.3                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 732.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 97.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: MB-12414    | SampType: MBLK  | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299285 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene             | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene      | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene               | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene               | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene            | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                 | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3696            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 73.9          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 2883            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 57.7          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3740            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 74.8          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

|                      |                 |                      |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS-12414 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ     | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299286 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte              | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene  | 2202            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene         | 2000            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 80.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene       | 2212            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.5          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene           | 2407            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 96.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene    | 1258            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 50.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299286 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 2148            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 85.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 2207            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 1918            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 76.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2272            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 90.9          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene               | 1277            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 51.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 1981            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 79.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2339            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 93.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene               | 2166            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 86.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2026            | 10.0                 | 2500         | 0                        | 81.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2211            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 88.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1840            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 73.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1592            | 100                  | 2500         | 0                        | 63.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3632            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 72.6          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3072            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 61.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3422            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 68.4          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299287</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 2329                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 93.2                 | 40       | 140       | 2202        | 5.61 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2182                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.3                 | 40       | 140       | 2000        | 8.66 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2413                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2212        | 8.69 | 30       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 2567                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 103                  | 40       | 140       | 2407        | 6.43 | 30       |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene            | 1350                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 54.0                 | 40       | 140       | 1258        | 7.06 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene               | 2178                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 87.1                 | 40       | 140       | 2148        | 1.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene         | 2176                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.0                 | 40       | 140       | 2207        | 1.44 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene         | 1984                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 79.3                 | 40       | 140       | 1918        | 3.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene         | 2312                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 92.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2272        | 1.77 | 30       |      |
| Chrysene                     | 2198                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.9                 | 40       | 140       | 1277        | 53.0 | 30       | R    |

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|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299287</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene        | 2009                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 80.4                 | 40       | 140       | 1981        | 1.40 | 30       |      |
| Fluoranthene                 | 2424                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 97.0                 | 40       | 140       | 2339        | 3.59 | 30       |      |
| Fluorene                     | 2292                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 91.7                 | 40       | 140       | 2166        | 5.65 | 30       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene       | 2082                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 83.3                 | 40       | 140       | 2026        | 2.78 | 30       |      |
| Naphthalene                  | 2386                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 95.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2211        | 7.63 | 30       |      |
| Phenanthrene                 | 1814                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 72.5                 | 40       | 140       | 1840        | 1.42 | 30       |      |
| Pyrene                       | 1749                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 70.0                 | 40       | 140       | 1592        | 9.37 | 30       |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl       | 3975                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 79.5                 | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5        | 3413                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 68.3                 | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14          | 3694                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 73.9                 | 30       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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TestCode: EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297821</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                    | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | ND                     | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.003                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 80.1                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.867                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 74.7                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCS1-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28297</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297822</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                  | 3.209                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 64.2                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 3.331                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 66.6                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2.360                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 47.2                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                 | 3.437                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 68.7                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2.364                  | 0.100                               | 5                   | 0                               | 47.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ               | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Fluorene                       | 2.637           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 52.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | 3.560           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 71.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | 3.485           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 69.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | 4.005           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 80.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 4.082           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 81.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | 4.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 88.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 4.379           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 87.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.748           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 55.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.270           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 65.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.931           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 58.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.715           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 54.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.064           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 61.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 56.01           | 0                            |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.380           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 95.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.651           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 66.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

|                       |                 |                              |              |                          |               |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12412 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28297  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297823 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene           | 2.952           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 59.0          | 40       | 140       | 3.209       | 8.34  | 50       |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene   | 3.676           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 73.5          | 40       | 140       | 3.331       | 9.85  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthene          | 2.375           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.5          | 40       | 140       | 2.36        | 0.634 | 50       |      |
| Phenanthrene          | 3.239           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 64.8          | 40       | 140       | 3.437       | 5.93  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthylene        | 2.372           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.4          | 40       | 140       | 2.364       | 0.338 | 50       |      |
| Fluorene              | 2.371           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 47.4          | 40       | 140       | 2.637       | 10.6  | 50       |      |
| Anthracene            | 3.120           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 62.4          | 40       | 140       | 3.56        | 13.2  | 50       |      |
| Fluoranthene          | 3.505           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 70.1          | 40       | 140       | 3.485       | 0.572 | 50       |      |
| Pyrene                | 3.743           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 74.9          | 40       | 140       | 4.005       | 6.76  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene    | 3.509           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 70.2          | 40       | 140       | 4.082       | 15.1  | 50       |      |

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b>        |                     |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Chrysene                       | 3.858                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 77.2                | 40       | 140       | 4.437       | 14.0  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 3.777                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 75.5                | 40       | 140       | 4.379       | 14.8  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 3.295                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 65.9                | 40       | 140       | 2.748       | 18.1  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.015                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 60.3                | 40       | 140       | 3.27        | 8.11  | 50       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.691                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.8                | 40       | 140       | 2.931       | 8.54  | 50       |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.5                | 40       | 140       | 2.715       | 1.45  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.069                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 61.4                | 40       | 140       | 3.064       | 0.163 | 50       |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 53.24                  | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           | 56.01       | 5.07  | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.584                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 103                 | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.603                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 64.1                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |

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 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: epht\_s

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298039</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.400 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 54.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.700 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 77.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |

|                      |                 |                             |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS-12412 | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: epht_s            | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28319  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ     | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 298023 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte              | Result          | PQL                         | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 81.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 6.900 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 69.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.500 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 75.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298038</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |     |   |    |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|-----|---|----|--|
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 62.0 | 40 | 140 | 5.7 | 0 | 50 |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 82.0 | 40 | 140 | 8.1 | 0 | 50 |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 74.0 | 40 | 140 | 5.7 | 0 | 50 |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.700 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 | 0   | 0 |    |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 8.600 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 86.0 | 40 | 140 | 0   | 0 | 0  |  |

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Work Order: 0901214  
Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: hg\_7471a\_s

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12426</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298000</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

Mercury ND 0.100

|                             |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297984</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

Mercury 2.645 0.100 2.5 0 106 80 120

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297999</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

Mercury 2.650 0.100 2.5 0 106 80 120 2.645 0.189 30

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD**

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Sample Handling: circle choice

Filtration

Done

Not Needed

Lab to do

Preservation

Lab to do Y/N

Special Instructions

\*As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Pb, Ni, Zn

Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

Excel

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

State / Fed Program - Criteria

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Project: HORDEALE  
Project PO: H153-000  
Invoice to \*: CARL NIELSEN

Preservative:

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Analysis Requested

| COLLECTION |      |         | SAMPLE<br>LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |          |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         | LAB<br>PH |
|------------|------|---------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------|------|-----|------|-----|---------|-------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|-----------|
| DATE       | TIME | SAMPLED |                         | TYPE      | QUANTITY | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | METALS*            | VOCS | PAHS | EPH | PCBS | TOC | % WATER | % ASH | ASTM GRAIN SIZE | ATTEBERG LIMIT | TOTAL TEMPERATURE | TOTAL P |           |
| 1/19/09    | 1200 | SL/MZ   | SC1                     | A         | 2        | S      | X    |      | 1214-001              | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X              |                   |         |           |
|            | 1515 |         | SC2                     | A         | 3        |        | X    |      | 002                   | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X              |                   |         |           |
|            | 1130 |         | SC1 <del>AB</del> MDL   | V         | 1        |        |      | X    | 003                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         |           |
|            | 1510 |         | SC2 <del>AC</del> MDL   | AV        | 1        |        |      | X    | 004                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         |           |
|            | 1200 |         | N1                      | G         | 2        |        | X    |      | 005                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |           |
|            | 1545 |         | N2                      | G         | 2        | MDL    | X    |      | 006                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |           |
|            | 1515 |         | N3                      | G         | 2        |        | X    |      | 007                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |           |

## Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

## Received on Ice



## Preservatives

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HN03

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = ME0H

## Containers:

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

Received by:

Date / Time

Monday, February 23, 2009

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Project: Hopedale  
Location: H153-000

Order No.: 0901214

Dear Matt Ladewig:


GeoLabs, Inc. received 7 sample(s) on 1/20/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

**This report is being re-issued with rerun results for Sieve Analysis on sample 002.** There were no problems with the analyses and all data for associated QC met EPA or laboratory specifications.

Analytical methods and results meet requirements of 310CMR 40.1056(J) as per MADEP Compendium of Analytical Methods (CAM).

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,



Jim Chen  
Laboratory Director

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Certifications:

CT (PH-0148) - MA (M-MA015) - NH (2508) - NJ (MA009) - NY (11796) - RI (LA000252)

**CLIENT:** ESS - Group**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901214**CASE NARRATIVE**

## MADEP MCP Response Action Analytical Report Certification Form

Laboratory Name: GeoLabs, Inc.

Project # H153-000

Project Location: Hopedale

MADEP RTN #:

This form provides certification for the following data set: 0901214 (001-007)

Sample Matrix: Soil

MCP Methods Used: 6010B, 7471A, 8260B, 8270C, EPH, 8082

An affirmative answer to questions A, B, C and D are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

A. Were all samples received by the laboratory in a condition consistent with that described on the Chain of custody documentation for the data set? YES

B. Were all QA/QC procedures required for the specified method(s) included in this report followed, including the requirement to note and discuss in a narrative QC data that did not meet appropriate standards or guidelines? YES

C. Does the analytical data included in this report meet all the requirements for "Presumptive Certainty" as described in Section 2.0 of the MADEP documents CAM VII A "Quality Assurance and Quality Control Guidelines for the Acquisition and Reporting of Analytical Data"? YES

D. VPH and EPH Methods only: Was the VPH or EPH Method conducted without significant modifications (see Section 11.3 of respective Methods) YES

A response to questions E and F are required for "Presumptive Certainty" status

E. Were all QC performance standards and recommendations for the specified methods achieved? NO

F. Were results for all analyte-list compounds/elements for the specified method(s) reported? NO

All NO answers need to be addressed in an attached Environmental Laboratory case narrative.

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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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## CASE NARRATIVE

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#### Physical Condition of Samples

The project was received by the laboratory in satisfactory condition. The sample(s) were received undamaged, in appropriate containers with the correct preservation.

#### Project Documentation

The project was accompanied by satisfactory Chain of Custody documentation.

#### Analysis of Sample(s)

PAH compounds only analyzed by 8270C per client request.

Selected metals analyzed by 6010B per client request.

The following analytical anomalies or non-conformances were noted by the laboratory during the processing of these samples:

8270 RPD for Chrysene is outside the limit.

I, the undersigned, attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my personal inquiry of those responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this analytical report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

Signature:



Position: Lab Director

Printed Name: Jim Chen

Date: February 23, 2009



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**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale  
**Lab Order:** 0901214

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**CASE NARRATIVE**

EPH Methods

Method for Ranges: MADEP EPH 04-1.1

Method for Target Analytes: 8270 GC/MS

Carbon Range data exclude concentrations of any surrogate(s) and/or internal standards eluting in that range

C11-C22 Aromatic Hydrocarbons exclude concentrations of Target PAH Analytes

**CERTIFICATION:**

Were all QA/QC procedures REQUIRED by the EPH Method followed? YES

Were all performance/acceptance standards achieved? YES

Were any significant modifications made to the EPH method? NO

I attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that, based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

SIGNATURE:

LAB DIRECTOR

PRINTED NAME: Jim Chen

DATE: February 23, 2009

**GeoLabs, Inc.**  
**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: SOIL  
COLLECTION DATE: 01/19/09  
REC'D BY LAB: 01/20/09  
COLLECTED BY: CLIENT

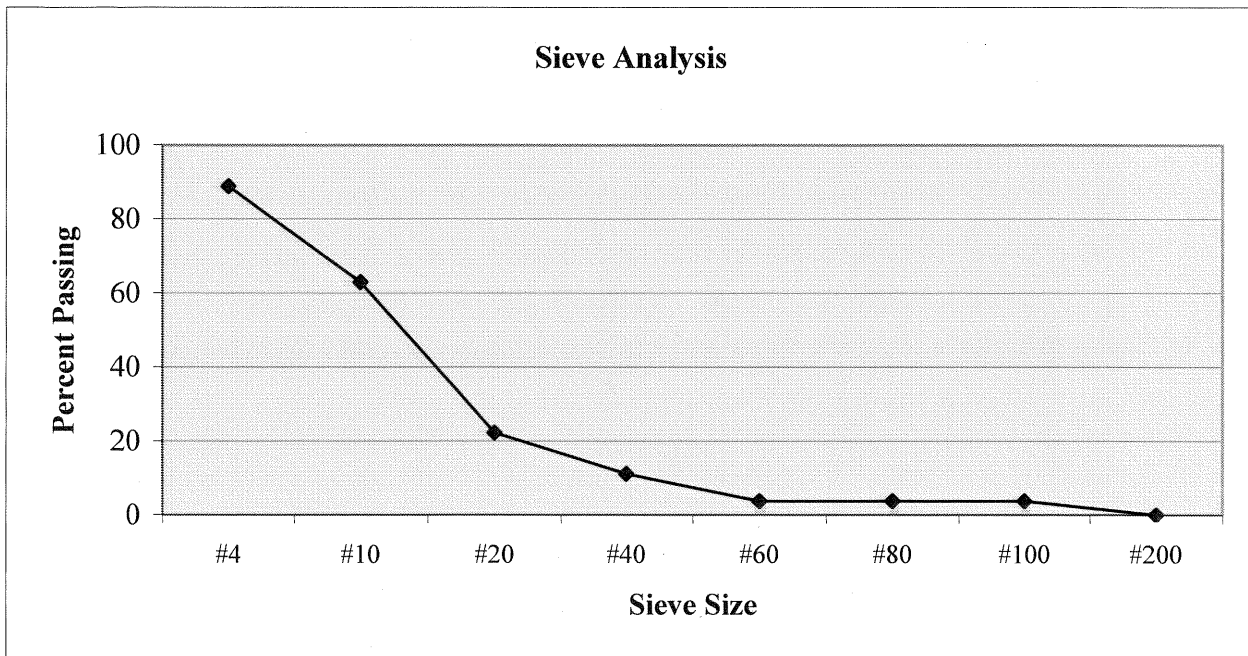
PROJECT ID: HOPEDALE  
REPORT DATE: 02/10/09  
ANALYZED BY: BP  
ANALYSIS DATE: 02/09/09  
DIGESTION DATE: N/A

**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-001  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC-1

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <u>RESULTS</u>     | 88.9 | 63.0 | 22.2 | 11.1 | 3.70 | 3.70 | 3.70 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| <u>SIEVE SIZE</u>  | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| <u>RESULTS</u>     | 0.00 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |



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**Environmental Laboratories**

CLIENT NAME: **ESS GROUP**  
SAMPLE TYPE: **SOIL**  
COLLECTION DATE: **01/19/09**  
REC'D BY LAB: **01/20/09**  
COLLECTED BY: **CLIENT**

PROJECT ID: **HOPEDALE**  
REPORT DATE: **02/23/09**  
ANALYZED BY: **BP / WFR**  
ANALYSIS DATE: **02/23/09**  
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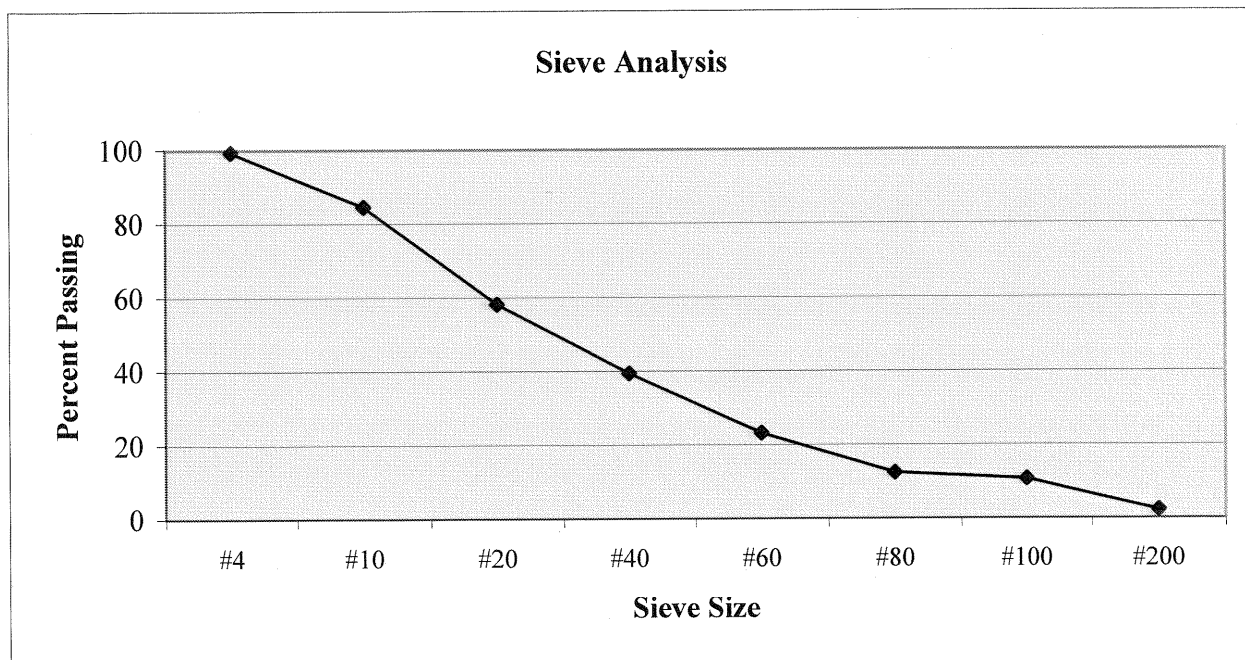
**SIEVE ANALYSIS**

**SAMPLE NUMBER:** 0901214-002  
**SAMPLE LOCATION:** SC-2

| SIEVE SIZE         | #4   | #10  | #20  | #40  | #60  | #80  | #100 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| RESULTS            | 99.3 | 84.5 | 58.1 | 39.4 | 23.2 | 12.4 | 10.6 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |

| SIEVE SIZE         | #200 |
|--------------------|------|
| RESULTS            | 2.28 |
| (% Passing by Wt.) |      |



**GeoLabs, Inc.**

Reissue Date: 23-Feb-09  
Original Reported Date: 30-Jan-09

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-001  
Client Sample ID: SC 1

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM  
Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units     | DF | Date Analyzed |
|---|--------|------------|------|-----------|----|---------------|
| <b>ASH - ASTM D-482-87</b>                |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Ash                                       | 81.4   | 1.00       |      | %         | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A</b>            |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Percent Moisture                          | 10     | 1.0        |      | wt%       | 1  | 1/21/2009     |
| <b>EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH</b>             |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics                | 104    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics                        | ND     | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics                        | 136    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics              | 137    | 11.1       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane                  | 86.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl                         | 78.0   | 40-140     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082</b> |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                         | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1221                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1232                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1248                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1254                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1260                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1262                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Aroclor 1268                              | ND     | 55.6       |      | µg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1            | 78.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2            | 44.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1          | 76.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2          | 66.0   | 30-150     |      | %REC      | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B</b>      |        |            |      |           |    |               |
| Arsenic                                   | 27.4   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Cadmium                                   | ND     | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Chromium                                  | 9.70   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Copper                                    | 40.9   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Lead                                      | 66.2   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Nickel                                    | 6.26   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| Zinc                                      | 11.0   | 5.27       |      | mg/Kg-dry | 1  | 1/22/2009     |
| <b>MERCURY - SW7471A</b>                  |        |            |      |           |    |               |

Analyst: EC

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Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

|         |       |       |           |   |           |
|---------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Mercury | 0.128 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------|

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |           |    |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|-----------|----|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | 1400 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benz(a)Anthracene      | 2170 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | 3050 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | 4220 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | 2410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | 2330 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | 4110 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | 9410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2300 | 111    | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | 4410 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | 6060 | 1110   | µg/Kg-dry | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 52.1 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 32.5 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 65.6 | 30-130 | %REC      | 10 | 1/22/2009 1:14:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                                |       |       |           |   |                       |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| Naphthalene                    | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene                   | 3.19  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene                 | 0.147 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluorene                       | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Anthracene                     | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene                   | 7.90  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Pyrene                         | 6.41  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 2.75  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Chrysene                       | 3.55  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 2.14  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.79  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 2.83  | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 0.478 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND    | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 0.483 | 0.111 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 32.7  | 0     | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

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**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901214**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH****Analyst:** MR

|                             |      |        |      |   |                       |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|------|---|-----------------------|
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl | 101  | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl      | 80.6 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 12:44:00 PM |

**TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060****Analyst:** RP

|                      |       |     |           |   |           |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Organic Carbon | 60300 | 444 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|

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Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-002

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM

Client Sample ID: SC 2

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**ASH - ASTM D-482-87**

Analyst: FC

|     |      |      |  |   |   |           |
|-----|------|------|--|---|---|-----------|
| Ash | 50.8 | 1.00 |  | % | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
|-----|------|------|--|---|---|-----------|

**PERCENT MOISTURE - 209A**

Analyst: FC

|                  |      |   |  |     |   |           |
|------------------|------|---|--|-----|---|-----------|
| Percent Moisture | 15.0 | 0 |  | wt% | 1 | 1/21/2009 |
|------------------|------|---|--|-----|---|-----------|

**EPH RANGES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: RuP

|                              |      |        |  |           |   |           |
|------------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | 85.8 | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND   | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | 122  | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | 93.9 | 10.0   |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 63.0 | 40-140 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 70.0 | 40-140 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |

**POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS - SW8082**

Analyst: GP

|                                  |      |        |  |           |   |           |
|----------------------------------|------|--------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1260                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND   | 50.0   |  | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 98.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 70.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 88.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 82.0 | 30-150 |  | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 |

**TOTAL METALS BY ICP - SW6010B**

Analyst: ZYZ

|          |      |      |  |           |   |           |
|----------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Arsenic  | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Cadmium  | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Chromium | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Copper   | 18.8 | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Lead     | 6.99 | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Nickel   | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
| Zinc     | ND   | 4.90 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |

**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

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**MERCURY - SW7471A**

Analyst: EC

|         |    |       |           |   |           |
|---------|----|-------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Mercury | ND | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 |
|---------|----|-------|-----------|---|-----------|

**PAH - SW8270C**

Analyst: MR

|                        |      |        |           |   |                      |
|------------------------|------|--------|-----------|---|----------------------|
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Anthracene             | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene     | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Chrysene               | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Fluorene               | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND   | 10.0   | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Naphthalene            | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene           | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Pyrene                 | ND   | 100    | µg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 31.7 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 30.1 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 31.5 | 30-130 | %REC      | 1 | 1/22/2009 5:41:00 PM |

**EPH TARGET ANALYTES - MADEP EPH**

Analyst: MR

|                                |       |       |           |   |                      |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---|----------------------|
| Naphthalene                    | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Phenanthrene                   | 0.724 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluorene                       | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Anthracene                     | 0.123 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Fluoranthene                   | 1.70  | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Pyrene                         | 1.69  | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 0.604 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Chrysene                       | 0.918 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 0.736 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 0.443 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 0.650 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 0.111 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND    | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 0.370 | 0.100 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 8.06  | 0     | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

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|                             |      |        |      |   |                      |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|------|---|----------------------|
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl | 97.9 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl      | 74.4 | 40-140 | %REC | 1 | 1/22/2009 1:23:00 PM |

**TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON- SW 9060**Analyst: **RP**

|                      |        |     |           |   |           |
|----------------------|--------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Organic Carbon | 100000 | 400 | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------------|--------|-----|-----------|---|-----------|

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| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-003

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 11:30:00 AM

Client Sample ID: SC 1B

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed        |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ         |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

## VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B

Analyst: ZYZ

|                             |      |        |       |   |                      |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-------|---|----------------------|
| Chloroethane                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloroform                  | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Chloromethane               | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene      | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane        | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride          | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                 | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Styrene                     | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Toluene                     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 102  | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 91.1 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 95.4 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 97.5 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 9:56:00 PM |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

Lab ID: 0901214-004

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 3:10:00 PM

Client Sample ID: SC 2C

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses                                  | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed         |
|---|--------|------------|------|-------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B</b> |        |            |      |       |    | Analyst: ZYZ          |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane                     | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane                    | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane               | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane                         | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene                    | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                       | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane                       | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Butanone                                | 836    | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 2-Hexanone                                | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Chlorotoluene                           | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene                        | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acetone                                   | ND     | 500        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Acrylonitrile                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Benzene                                   | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromobenzene                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromochloromethane                        | ND     | 125        |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromodichloromethane                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromoform                                 | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Bromomethane                              | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Disulfide                          | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Carbon Tetrachloride                      | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chlorobenzene                             | ND     | 50.0       |      | µg/Kg | 1  | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
Project: Hopedale

Lab Order: 0901214

## VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS - 8260B

Analyst: ZYZ

|                             |      |        |       |   |                       |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-------|---|-----------------------|
| Chloroethane                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloroform                  | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Chloromethane               | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene      | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromochloromethane        | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dibromomethane              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Ethylbenzene                | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Isopropylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Methylene Chloride          | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Naphthalene                 | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Butylbenzene              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| n-Propylbenzene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Styrene                     | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Tetrachloroethene           | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Toluene                     | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichloroethene             | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND   | 50.0   | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND   | 125    | µg/Kg | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 101  | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 97.0 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 92.7 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 99.9 | 70-130 | %REC  | 1 | 1/22/2009 10:33:00 PM |

Lab ID: 0901214-005

Collection Date: 1/19/2009 12:00:00 PM

Client Sample ID: N 1

Matrix: SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
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## TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 4600 | 4.2 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

## TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E

Analyst: RP

|                   |     |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|-----|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 229 | 2.93 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 2 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|-----|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

Qualifiers:

|   |   |
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| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

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**Original Reported Date:** 30-Jan-09**CLIENT:** ESS - Group  
**Project:** Hopedale**Lab Order:** 0901214**Lab ID:** 0901214-006**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:45:00 PM**Client Sample ID:** N 2**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL**

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 3500 | 3.8 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E**

Analyst: RP

|                   |      |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 66.0 | 1.32 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**Lab ID:** 0901214-007**Collection Date:** 1/19/2009 3:15:00 PM**Client Sample ID:** N 3**Matrix:** SOIL

| Analyses | Result | Det. Limit | Qual | Units | DF | Date Analyzed |
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|
|----------|--------|------------|------|-------|----|---------------|

**TOTAL NITROGEN IN SOIL**

Analyst: RP

|                |      |     |  |           |   |           |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Nitrogen | 6300 | 4.5 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/27/2009 |
|----------------|------|-----|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**TOTAL PHOSPHOROUS - L10-115-01-1-E**

Analyst: RP

|                   |      |      |  |           |   |           |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total Phosphorous | 53.9 | 1.58 |  | mg/Kg-dry | 1 | 1/29/2009 |
|-------------------|------|------|--|-----------|---|-----------|

**Qualifiers:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
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| J | Analyte detected below quantitation limits      |
| S | Spike Recovery outside recovery limits          |

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| BRL | Below Reporting Limit                              |
| H   | Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded |
| ND  | Not Detected at the Reporting Limit                |

CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 6010b\_S

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12422</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297946</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |    |      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|----|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Arsenic  | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cadmium  | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chromium | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Copper   | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lead     | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nickel   | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zinc     | ND | 5.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

|                             |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>6010b_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297947</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |       |      |       |         |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|----------|-------|------|-------|---------|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| Arsenic  | 126.4 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.06667 | 94.8 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Cadmium  | 125.0 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 1       | 93.0 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Chromium | 133.1 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.1333  | 99.8 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Copper   | 152.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 115  | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Lead     | 127.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0.06667 | 95.7 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Nickel   | 127.3 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 95.5 | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| Zinc     | 134.6 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0       | 101  | 80 | 120 |  |  |  |  |

|                              |                        |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010B_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298064</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|          |       |      |       |   |      |    |     |       |       |    |  |
|----------|-------|------|-------|---|------|----|-----|-------|-------|----|--|
| Arsenic  | 126.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 95.2 | 80 | 120 | 126.4 | 0.421 | 30 |  |
| Cadmium  | 124.1 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 93.1 | 80 | 120 | 125   | 0.749 | 30 |  |
| Chromium | 131.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 98.8 | 80 | 120 | 133.1 | 1.11  | 30 |  |
| Copper   | 153.9 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 115  | 80 | 120 | 152.9 | 0.652 | 30 |  |
| Lead     | 126.7 | 5.00 | 133.3 | 0 | 95.0 | 80 | 120 | 127.7 | 0.786 | 30 |  |

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**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 6010b\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12422</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>6010B_S</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28312</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12422</b> | TestNo: <b>SW6010B</b>   | <b>(SW3050B)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298064</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Nickel                       | 126.6                  | 5.00                     | 133.3               | 0                               | 95.0                 | 80       | 120       | 127.3       | 0.578 | 30       |      |
| Zinc                         | 134.1                  | 5.00                     | 133.3               | 0                               | 101                  | 80       | 120       | 134.6       | 0.397 | 30       |      |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8082\_s\_ase

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297971</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 80.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 80.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 58.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 66.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 66.0                 | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: LCS-12417             | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: 8082_s_ase | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28313  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ                 | Batch ID: 12417 | TestNo: SW8082       | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297965 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 72.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 72.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 75.00           | 50.0                 | 100          | 0                        | 75.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND              | 50.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 82.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 82.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 58.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 58.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 70.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 70.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 74.00           | 0                    | 100          | 0                        | 74.0          | 30       | 150       |             |      |          |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8082\_s\_ase

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12417</b>     | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>8082_s_ase</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28313</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>          | Batch ID: <b>12417</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8082</b>       | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297970</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                          | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Aroclor 1016/1242                | 61.00                  | 50.0                        | 100                 | 0                               | 61.0                 | 30       | 150       | 72          | 16.5 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1221                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1232                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1248                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1254                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1260                     | 67.00                  | 50.0                        | 100                 | 0                               | 67.0                 | 30       | 150       | 75          | 11.3 | 30       |      |
| Aroclor 1262                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Aroclor 1268                     | ND                     | 50.0                        |                     |                                 |                      |          |           | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 1   | 74.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 74.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Decachlorobiphenyl Sig 2   | 64.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 64.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 1 | 62.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 62.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |
| Surr: Tetrachloro-m-Xylene Sig 2 | 72.00                  | 0                           | 100                 | 0                               | 72.0                 | 30       | 150       | 0           | 0    | 0        |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>        | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acetone                     | ND                      | 500                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzene                     | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>      | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromobenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromoform                 | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Bromomethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroethane              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroform                | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chloromethane             | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromomethane            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene               | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                   | ND                      | 125                      |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                   | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | ND                      | 50.0                     |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8260B\_S

|                         |                         |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>SB</b>    | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b> | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297974</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                 | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                             |       |      |     |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------|-----|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| Trichloroethene             | ND    | 50.0 |     |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | ND    | 125  |     |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Vinyl Chloride              | ND    | 50.0 |     |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Xylenes, Total              | ND    | 125  |     |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 746.0 | 0    | 750 | 0 | 99.5 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 750.5 | 0    | 750 | 0 | 100  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 708.0 | 0    | 750 | 0 | 94.4 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 736.8 | 0    | 750 | 0 | 98.2 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |

|                         |                         |                          |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS</b>   | SampType: <b>LCS</b>    | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b> | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297972</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                 | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                             |      |      |      |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1276 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 102  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane       | 1190 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 95.2 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane   | 1248 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 99.8 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1257 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 101  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1287 | 125  | 1250 | 0 | 103  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1238 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 99.0 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1271 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 102  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1144 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 91.5 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1227 | 125  | 1250 | 0 | 98.1 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1179 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 94.3 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1430 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 114  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1189 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 95.1 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1236 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 98.9 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1238 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 99.0 | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1279 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 102  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 101  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1343 | 50.0 | 1250 | 0 | 107  | 70 | 130 |  |  |  |  |

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CLIENT: ESS - Group  
 Work Order: 0901214  
 Project: Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCS            | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ          | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene       | 1270             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane       | 1262             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene       | 1285             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane       | 1095             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 87.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Butanone                | 1288             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether | 1208             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 96.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene           | 1339             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Hexanone                | 1337             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene           | 1319             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene        | 1324             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone      | 1256             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 100           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Acetone                   | 1316             | 500               | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Acrylonitrile             | 2604             | 50.0              | 2500         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzene                   | 1268             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Bromobenzene              | 1288             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Bromochloromethane        | 1274             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Bromodichloromethane      | 1268             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Bromoform                 | 1308             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1369             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1222             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 97.8          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1012             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 81.0          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1269             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1464             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 117           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Chloroform                | 1284             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1377             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1287             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1249             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1259             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1272             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1172             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 93.8          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1369             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCS              | SampType: LCS    | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297972 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         | 1271             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Isopropylbenzene            | 1340             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether     | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Methylene Chloride          | 1298             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                 | 1131             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 90.5          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Butylbenzene              | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| n-Propylbenzene             | 1252             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 100           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene            | 1348             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Styrene                     | 1313             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene           | 1325             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Tetrachloroethene           | 1262             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Toluene                     | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1307             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1191             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 95.3          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichloroethene             | 1264             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane      | 1333             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Vinyl Chloride              | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4304             | 125               | 3750         | 0                        | 115           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 739.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.6          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 741.5            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 98.9          | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 783.2            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.0            | 0                 | 750          | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>    | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>   | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1280                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 102                  | 70       | 130       | 1276        | 0.352 | 25       |      |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane     | 1262                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1190        | 5.91  | 25       |      |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | 1265                    | 50.0                     | 1250                | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 1248        | 1.33  | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCSD             | SampType: LCSD   | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ            | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297973 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane       | 1286             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 2.36  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane          | 1194             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 95.6          | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 7.47  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene          | 1223             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 97.9          | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 1.20  | 25       |      |
| 1,1-Dichloropropene         | 1242             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.4          | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 2.27  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene      | 1286             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1144        | 11.7  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,3-Trichloropropane      | 1241             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 99.3          | 70       | 130       | 1227        | 1.13  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      | 1265             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1179        | 7.08  | 25       |      |
| 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene      | 1474             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 118           | 70       | 130       | 1430        | 2.96  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane | 1234             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.7          | 70       | 130       | 1189        | 3.73  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dibromoethane           | 1288             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1236        | 4.16  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene         | 1286             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1238        | 3.88  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane          | 1249             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.9          | 70       | 130       | 1279        | 2.37  | 25       |      |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane         | 1257             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1257        | 0     | 25       |      |
| 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene      | 1389             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1343        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         | 1310             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       | 1270        | 3.12  | 25       |      |
| 1,3-Dichloropropane         | 1290             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 2.17  | 25       |      |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene         | 1327             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       | 1285        | 3.25  | 25       |      |
| 2,2-Dichloropropane         | 1351             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       | 1095        | 20.9  | 25       |      |
| 2-Butanone                  | 1293             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 0.407 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chloroethyl Vinyl Ether   | 1216             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 97.3          | 70       | 130       | 1208        | 0.722 | 25       |      |
| 2-Chlorotoluene             | 1368             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 109           | 70       | 130       | 1339        | 2.14  | 25       |      |
| 2-Hexanone                  | 1346             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       | 1337        | 0.671 | 25       |      |
| 4-Chlorotoluene             | 1371             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       | 1319        | 3.89  | 25       |      |
| 4-Isopropyltoluene          | 1369             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       | 1324        | 3.40  | 25       |      |
| 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone        | 1246             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.7          | 70       | 130       | 1256        | 0.779 | 25       |      |
| Acetone                     | 1228             | 500               | 1250         | 0                        | 98.2          | 70       | 130       | 1316        | 6.88  | 25       |      |
| Acrylonitrile               | 2410             | 50.0              | 2500         | 0                        | 96.4          | 70       | 130       | 2604        | 7.74  | 25       |      |
| Benzene                     | 1285             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.27  | 25       |      |
| Bromobenzene                | 1326             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       | 1288        | 2.91  | 25       |      |
| Bromochloromethane          | 1262             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1274        | 0.966 | 25       |      |
| Bromodichloromethane        | 1282             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1268        | 1.06  | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: LCSD           | SampType: LCSD   | TestCode: 8260B_S | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date:               | RunNo: 28314  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ          | Batch ID: R28314 | TestNo: SW8260B   |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297973 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                   | Result           | PQL               | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Bromoform                 | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1308        | 2.10  | 25       |      |
| Bromomethane              | 1464             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 117           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 6.74  | 25       |      |
| Carbon Disulfide          | 1228             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.2          | 70       | 130       | 1222        | 0.469 | 25       |      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride      | 1111             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 88.9          | 70       | 130       | 1012        | 9.30  | 25       |      |
| Chlorobenzene             | 1315             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 105           | 70       | 130       | 1269        | 3.58  | 25       |      |
| Chloroethane              | 1409             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 113           | 70       | 130       | 1464        | 3.86  | 25       |      |
| Chloroform                | 1278             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1284        | 0.527 | 25       |      |
| Chloromethane             | 1336             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1377        | 3.02  | 25       |      |
| cis-1,2-Dichloroethene    | 1275             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1287        | 0.956 | 25       |      |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene   | 1277             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 102           | 70       | 130       | 1249        | 2.22  | 25       |      |
| Dibromochloromethane      | 1268             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1259        | 0.732 | 25       |      |
| Dibromomethane            | 1282             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1272        | 0.705 | 25       |      |
| Dichlorodifluoromethane   | 1162             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 92.9          | 70       | 130       | 1172        | 0.878 | 25       |      |
| Ethylbenzene              | 1406             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 112           | 70       | 130       | 1369        | 2.63  | 25       |      |
| Hexachlorobutadiene       | 1332             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1271        | 4.67  | 25       |      |
| Isopropylbenzene          | 1385             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1340        | 3.32  | 25       |      |
| Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether   | 1235             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1283        | 3.81  | 25       |      |
| Methylene Chloride        | 1242             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 99.4          | 70       | 130       | 1298        | 4.43  | 25       |      |
| Naphthalene               | 1262             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 101           | 70       | 130       | 1131        | 10.9  | 25       |      |
| n-Butylbenzene            | 1364             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 109           | 70       | 130       | 1315        | 3.70  | 25       |      |
| n-Propylbenzene           | 1290             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1252        | 2.95  | 25       |      |
| sec-Butylbenzene          | 1391             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1348        | 3.14  | 25       |      |
| Styrene                   | 1342             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 107           | 70       | 130       | 1313        | 2.20  | 25       |      |
| tert-Butylbenzene         | 1371             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 110           | 70       | 130       | 1325        | 3.45  | 25       |      |
| Tetrachloroethene         | 1323             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 106           | 70       | 130       | 1262        | 4.68  | 25       |      |
| Toluene                   | 1356             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 108           | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 3.66  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,2-Dichloroethene  | 1234             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 98.8          | 70       | 130       | 1307        | 5.71  | 25       |      |
| trans-1,3-Dichloropropene | 1306             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 104           | 70       | 130       | 1191        | 9.15  | 25       |      |
| Trichloroethene           | 1283             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1264        | 1.43  | 25       |      |
| Trichlorofluoromethane    | 1383             | 125               | 1250         | 0                        | 111           | 70       | 130       | 1333        | 3.65  | 25       |      |
| Vinyl Chloride            | 1285             | 50.0              | 1250         | 0                        | 103           | 70       | 130       | 1306        | 1.68  | 25       |      |

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**Work Order:** 0901214  
**Project:** Hopedale

## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

**TestCode:** 8260B\_S

| Sample ID: <b>LCSD</b>      | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>   | TestCode: <b>8260B_S</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date:                      | RunNo: <b>28314</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>R28314</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8260B</b>   |                     | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297973</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                  | PQL                      | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Xylenes, Total              | 4364                    | 125                      | 3750                | 0                               | 116                  | 70       | 130       | 4304        | 1.40 | 25       |      |
| Surr: 1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 | 724.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 96.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene  | 745.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 99.3                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Dibromofluoromethane  | 732.0                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 97.6                 | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |
| Surr: Toluene-d8            | 756.5                   | 0                        | 750                 | 0                               | 101                  | 70       | 130       | 0           | 0    | 25       |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: 8270\_S\_PAHASE

| Sample ID: MB-12414    | SampType: MBLK  | TestCode: 8270_S_PAH | Units: µg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28307  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       | Batch ID: 12414 | TestNo: SW8270C      | (SW3545A)    | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 299285 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                | Result          | PQL                  | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene    | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene         | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene             | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene      | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene         | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene   | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene               | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene               | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | ND              | 10.0                 |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene            | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene           | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                 | ND              | 100                  |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3696            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 73.9          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 2883            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 57.7          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3740            | 0                    | 5000         | 0                        | 74.8          | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12414</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>8270_S_PAH</b> | Units: <b>µg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28307</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299286</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene         | 2202                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                | 2000                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 80.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene              | 2212                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.5                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                  | 2407                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene           | 1258                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 50.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299286</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene              | 2148                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 85.9                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene        | 2207                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.3                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene        | 1918                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 76.7                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene        | 2272                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 90.9                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                    | 1277                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 51.1                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene       | 1981                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 79.2                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                | 2339                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 93.6                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                    | 2166                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 86.6                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene      | 2026                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 81.0                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Naphthalene                 | 2211                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 88.4                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                | 1840                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 73.6                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                      | 1592                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 63.7                 | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl      | 3632                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 72.6                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5       | 3072                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 61.4                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14         | 3422                   | 0                           | 5000                | 0                               | 68.4                 | 30       | 130       |             |      |          |      |

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|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12414</b> | TestNo: <b>SW8270C</b>      | <b>(SW3545A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>299287</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 2329                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 93.2                 | 40       | 140       | 2202        | 5.61 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2182                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.3                 | 40       | 140       | 2000        | 8.66 | 30       |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2413                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 96.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2212        | 8.69 | 30       |      |
| Anthracene                   | 2567                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 103                  | 40       | 140       | 2407        | 6.43 | 30       |      |
| Benz(a)Anthracene            | 1350                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 54.0                 | 40       | 140       | 1258        | 7.06 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene               | 2178                   | 10.0                        | 2500                | 0                               | 87.1                 | 40       | 140       | 2148        | 1.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene         | 2176                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.0                 | 40       | 140       | 2207        | 1.44 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene         | 1984                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 79.3                 | 40       | 140       | 1918        | 3.36 | 30       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene         | 2312                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 92.5                 | 40       | 140       | 2272        | 1.77 | 30       |      |
| Chrysene                     | 2198                   | 100                         | 2500                | 0                               | 87.9                 | 40       | 140       | 1277        | 53.0 | 30       | R    |

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|------------------------|--------|-----------------|-----------|----------------------|------|--------------|-----------|--------------------------|------|---------------|------|
| Client ID: ZZZZZ       |        | Batch ID: 12414 |           | TestNo: SW8270C      |      | (SW3545A)    |           | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 |      | SeqNo: 299287 |      |
| Analyte                | Result | PQL             | SPK value | SPK Ref Val          | %REC | LowLimit     | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val              | %RPD | RPDLimit      | Qual |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene  | 2009   | 10.0            | 2500      | 0                    | 80.4 | 40           | 140       | 1981                     | 1.40 | 30            |      |
| Fluoranthene           | 2424   | 100             | 2500      | 0                    | 97.0 | 40           | 140       | 2339                     | 3.59 | 30            |      |
| Fluorene               | 2292   | 100             | 2500      | 0                    | 91.7 | 40           | 140       | 2166                     | 5.65 | 30            |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene | 2082   | 10.0            | 2500      | 0                    | 83.3 | 40           | 140       | 2026                     | 2.78 | 30            |      |
| Naphthalene            | 2386   | 100             | 2500      | 0                    | 95.5 | 40           | 140       | 2211                     | 7.63 | 30            |      |
| Phenanthrene           | 1814   | 100             | 2500      | 0                    | 72.5 | 40           | 140       | 1840                     | 1.42 | 30            |      |
| Pyrene                 | 1749   | 100             | 2500      | 0                    | 70.0 | 40           | 140       | 1592                     | 9.37 | 30            |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl | 3975   | 0               | 5000      | 0                    | 79.5 | 30           | 130       | 0                        | 0    | 0             |      |
| Surr: Nitrobenzene-d5  | 3413   | 0               | 5000      | 0                    | 68.3 | 30           | 130       | 0                        | 0    | 0             |      |
| Surr: Terphenyl-d14    | 3694   | 0               | 5000      | 0                    | 73.9 | 30           | 130       | 0                        | 0    | 0             |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: EPHP\_S

| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b>   | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297821</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                    | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene            | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluorene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | ND                     | 0.100                               |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | ND                     | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.003                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 80.1                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.867                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 74.7                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

| Sample ID: <b>LCS1-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>EPHP_S</b>             | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28297</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297822</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene                  | 3.209                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 64.2                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene          | 3.331                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 66.6                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthene                 | 2.360                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 47.2                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Phenanthrene                 | 3.437                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 68.7                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Acenaphthylene               | 2.364                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 47.3                | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCS1-12412          | SampType: LCS   | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg | Prep Date: 1/22/2009     | RunNo: 28297  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ               | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) |              | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297822 |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value    | SPK Ref Val              | %REC          | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Fluorene                       | 2.637           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 52.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Anthracene                     | 3.560           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 71.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Fluoranthene                   | 3.485           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 69.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Pyrene                         | 4.005           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 80.1          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene             | 4.082           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 81.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Chrysene                       | 4.437           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 88.7          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 4.379           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 87.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 2.748           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 55.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.270           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 65.4          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.931           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 58.6          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.715           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 54.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.064           | 0.100                        | 5            | 0                        | 61.3          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 56.01           | 0                            |              |                          |               |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.380           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 95.2          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.651           | 0                            | 2.5          | 0                        | 66.0          | 40       | 140       |             |      |          |      |

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|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: LCSD-12412 | SampType: LCSD  | TestCode: EPHP_S             | Units: mg/Kg             | Prep Date: 1/22/2009 | RunNo: 28297 |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: ZZZZZ      | Batch ID: 12412 | TestNo: MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr) | Analysis Date: 1/22/2009 | SeqNo: 297823        |              |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte               | Result          | PQL                          | SPK value                | SPK Ref Val          | %REC         | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Naphthalene           | 2.952           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 59.0         | 40       | 140       | 3.209       | 8.34  | 50       |      |
| 2-Methylnaphthalene   | 3.676           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 73.5         | 40       | 140       | 3.331       | 9.85  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthene          | 2.375           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 47.5         | 40       | 140       | 2.36        | 0.634 | 50       |      |
| Phenanthrene          | 3.239           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 64.8         | 40       | 140       | 3.437       | 5.93  | 50       |      |
| Acenaphthylene        | 2.372           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 47.4         | 40       | 140       | 2.364       | 0.338 | 50       |      |
| Fluorene              | 2.371           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 47.4         | 40       | 140       | 2.637       | 10.6  | 50       |      |
| Anthracene            | 3.120           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 62.4         | 40       | 140       | 3.56        | 13.2  | 50       |      |
| Fluoranthene          | 3.505           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 70.1         | 40       | 140       | 3.485       | 0.572 | 50       |      |
| Pyrene                | 3.743           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 74.9         | 40       | 140       | 4.005       | 6.76  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Anthracene    | 3.509           | 0.100                        | 5                        | 0                    | 70.2         | 40       | 140       | 4.082       | 15.1  | 50       |      |

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|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>        | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH_ (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297823</b>        |                     |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                        | Result                 | PQL                                 | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Chrysene                       | 3.858                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 77.2                | 40       | 140       | 4.437       | 14.0  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(b)Fluoranthene           | 3.777                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 75.5                | 40       | 140       | 4.379       | 14.8  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(k)Fluoranthene           | 3.295                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 65.9                | 40       | 140       | 2.748       | 18.1  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(a)Pyrene                 | 3.015                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 60.3                | 40       | 140       | 3.27        | 8.11  | 50       |      |
| Indeno(1,2,3-cd)Pyrene         | 2.691                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.8                | 40       | 140       | 2.931       | 8.54  | 50       |      |
| Dibenz(a,h)Anthracene          | 2.676                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 53.5                | 40       | 140       | 2.715       | 1.45  | 50       |      |
| Benzo(g,h,i)Perylene           | 3.069                  | 0.100                               | 5                               | 0                           | 61.4                | 40       | 140       | 3.064       | 0.163 | 50       |      |
| Total PAH Target Concentration | 53.24                  | 0                                   |                                 |                             |                     |          |           | 56.01       | 5.07  | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2,2'-Difluorobiphenyl    | 2.584                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 103                 | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |
| Surr: 2-Fluorobiphenyl         | 1.603                  | 0                                   | 2.5                             | 0                           | 64.1                | 40       | 140       | 0           | 0     | 0        |      |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: epht\_s

|                              |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12412</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298039</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| Adjusted C11-C22 Aromatics   | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.400 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 54.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.700 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 77.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |

|                             |                        |                                    |                                 |                             |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298023</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|--|--|--|--|
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 81.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 6.900 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 69.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 7.500 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 75.0 | 40 | 140 |  |  |  |  |

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|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12412</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>epht_s</b>            | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b>             | Prep Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | RunNo: <b>28319</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12412</b> | TestNo: <b>MADEP EPH (eph_Spr)</b> | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298038</b>        |                     |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                                | SPK value                       | SPK Ref Val                 | %REC                | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |

|                              |       |      |    |   |      |    |     |     |   |    |  |
|------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|------|----|-----|-----|---|----|--|
| C09-C18 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 62.0 | 40 | 140 | 5.7 | 0 | 50 |  |
| C19-C36 Aliphatics           | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 82.0 | 40 | 140 | 8.1 | 0 | 50 |  |
| Unadjusted C11-C22 Aromatics | ND    | 10.0 | 10 | 0 | 74.0 | 40 | 140 | 5.7 | 0 | 50 |  |
| Surr: 1-Chlorooctadecane     | 5.700 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 57.0 | 40 | 140 | 0   | 0 |    |  |
| Surr: o-Terphenyl            | 8.600 | 0    | 10 | 0 | 86.0 | 40 | 140 | 0   | 0 | 0  |  |

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## ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

TestCode: hg\_7471a\_s

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>MBLK-12426</b> | SampType: <b>MBLK</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>298000</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | ND                     | 0.100                       |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |

|                             |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |      |          |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCS-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCS</b>   | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>     | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297984</b> |          |           |             |      |          |      |
| Analyte                     | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                     | 2.645                  | 0.100                       | 2.5                 | 0                               | 106                  | 80       | 120       |             |      |          |      |

|                              |                        |                             |                     |                                 |                      |          |           |             |       |          |      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|----------|------|
| Sample ID: <b>LCSD-12426</b> | SampType: <b>LCSD</b>  | TestCode: <b>hg_7471a_s</b> | Units: <b>mg/Kg</b> | Prep Date: <b>1/23/2009</b>     | RunNo: <b>28315</b>  |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Client ID: <b>ZZZZZ</b>      | Batch ID: <b>12426</b> | TestNo: <b>SW 7471A</b>     | <b>(SW7471A)</b>    | Analysis Date: <b>1/22/2009</b> | SeqNo: <b>297999</b> |          |           |             |       |          |      |
| Analyte                      | Result                 | PQL                         | SPK value           | SPK Ref Val                     | %REC                 | LowLimit | HighLimit | RPD Ref Val | %RPD  | RPDLimit | Qual |
| Mercury                      | 2.650                  | 0.100                       | 2.5                 | 0                               | 106                  | 80       | 120       | 2.645       | 0.189 | 30       |      |

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Sample Handling: circle choice

Filtration

Done

Not Needed

Lab to do

Preservation

Lab to do Y / N

Special Instructions

\*As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Hg, Pb, Ni, Zn

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Turnaround: circle one

1-day

3-day

2-day

5/7-days

Data Delivery: circle choice (s)

Fax

email

Format:

Excel

PDF

GW-1

S-1

QC

MCP Methods

DEP

Other

Requirements: circle choice (s)

CT RCP (Reasonable Confidence Protocols)

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email: mladewicz@essgroup.com

Project: HORDEDALE  
Project PO: H153-000  
Invoice to \*: CARL NIELSEN

Preservative:

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Analysis Requested

| COLLECTION |      |         | SAMPLE LOCATION / ID | CONTAINER |                  |        |      |      | GeoLabs SAMPLE NUMBER | Analysis Requested |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         | LAB PH |
|------------|------|---------|----------------------|-----------|------------------|--------|------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|------|------|-----|------|-----|---------|-------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|--------|
| DATE       | TIME | SAMPLED |                      | TYPE      | QUANTITY         | MATRIX | COMP | GRAB |                       | METALS*            | VOCs | PAHs | EPH | PCBs | TOC | % WATER | % ASH | ASTM GRAIN SIZE | ATTORNEY LIMIT | TOTAL TEMPERATURE | TOTAL P |        |
| 1/19/09    | 1300 | SL/MZ   | SC1                  | A         | 2                | S      | X    |      | 1214-001              | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X              |                   |         |        |
|            | 1515 |         | SC2                  | A         | 3                |        | X    |      | 002                   | X                  |      | X    | X   | X    | X   | X       | X     | X               | X              |                   |         |        |
|            | 1130 |         | SC1A <sup>MDL</sup>  | V         | 1                |        |      | X    | 003                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         |        |
|            | 1510 |         | SC2A <sup>MDL</sup>  | V         | 1                |        |      | X    | 004                   |                    | X    |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                |                   |         |        |
|            | 1200 |         | N1                   | G         | 2                |        | X    |      | 005                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |        |
|            | 1545 |         | N2                   | G         | 2 <sup>MDL</sup> |        | X    |      | 006                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |        |
|            | 1515 |         | N3                   | G         | 2                |        | X    |      | 007                   |                    |      |      |     |      |     |         |       |                 |                | X                 | X       |        |

**Matrix Codes:**

GW = Ground Water

DW = Drinking Water

S = Soil

A = Air

WW = Waste Water

SL = Sludge

O = Oil

OT = Other

**Received on Ice****Preservatives**

1 = Hcl

3 = H2SO4

5 = NaOH

7 = Other

2 = HNO3

4 = Na2S2O3

6 = MEOH

**Containers:**

A = Amber

B = Bag

O = Other

G = Glass

P = Plastic

S = Summa

V = Voa

Relinquished by:

Date / Time

Received by:

Date / Time

## Appendix H

### Modeling Calculations and Results

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# Hopedale Pond - HYDROLOGIC ASSESSMENT

|  |                       |            |                          |                   |
|--|-----------------------|------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Watershed for Hopedale Pond=                       | 6284 acres            |            | 273731040 SF             | 9.81875 sq mi     |
| Pond Area  | 76.7 acres            |            | 3341052 SF               | 310393.89 meters2 |
| Area of Watershed - Lake Area                      | 6286 acres            |            | 273818160 SF             |                   |
| Lake Circumference                                 | 22441 feet            |            | (20.6 inches x 639ft/in) |                   |
| Lake Volume  | 14,887,773 cubic feet |            |                          | 421574.83 meters3 |
| Area influenced by seepage                         | 453024 ft2            | =          | 42087.28867 m2           |                   |
| Groundwater (data)                                 | 0.38 l/m2/day=        |            | 0.013 cf/m2/day          |                   |
|  |                       | =          | 564.559 cf/day           |                   |
|  |                       | =          | 0.007 cfs                |                   |
| Annual PPT/yr                                      | 47.68 inches          |            |                          |                   |
| Annual PPT - ET                                    | 31.95                 | 2.66 ft/yr | 0.282 cfs                |                   |
| Runoff (watershed)                                 | 20                    | 1.67 ft/yr | 14.471 cfs               |                   |
| Base Flow (Streams) as measured during dry weather |                       |            | 6.620 cfs                |                   |

|       | Ground       | PPT          | Surfacewater  | Total                |  |
|-------|--------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|--|
| Dry   | 0.007        | 0.000        | 6.620         | 6.627                |  |
| Wet   | 0.000        | 0.282        | 14.471        | 14.753               |  |
| Total | <b>0.007</b> | <b>0.282</b> | <b>21.091</b> | <b>21.380</b> cfs    | <b>Estimated range of total input into lake:</b> |
|       |              |              |               | 19092135 m3/yr       | (1.5 to 2 cfs/sq mi of watershed) =              |
|       |              |              |               | 674232310 CubicFt/Yr | 14.73 to 19.64 cfs                               |
|       |              |              |               | 19092135184 L/yr     |  |

Hopedale Pond - Nutrient Loading - Existing Conditions

IN-LAKE MODELS FOR PREDICTING PHOSPHORUS LOADS AND CONCENTRATIONS (Based on Data from 2009)

| THE TERMS   |                                       |              |                                  |                                      | THE MODELS  |   |                        | LOAD ANALYSIS  |   |                        | PREDICTED WATER CLARITY |                                 |       |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------|----------------|---|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| SYMBOL  | PARAMETER                             | UNITS        | DERIVATION                       | VALUE                                | NAME  | FORMULA   | PREDICTION CONC. (ppb) | LOAD (g/m2/yr) | MODEL                                   | ESTIMATED LOAD (kg/yr) | ESTIMATED LOAD (mg/L)   | PREDICTED CHL AND WATER CLARITY |       |
| TP  | Lake Total Phosphorus Conc.           | ppb          | From data or model               | 15.1 <small>Enter Value</small>      | Mass Balance                                      | TP=L/(Z(F))*1000  | 15                     |                | Phosphorus                              |                        |                         | MODEL                           | Value |
| L   | Phosphorus Load to Lake               | g P/m2/yr    | From model                       | 0.93 <small>Enter Value</small>      | (minimum load)                                    | L=TP(Z)(F)/1000   |                        | 0.93           | Mass Balance (no loss)                  | 288                    |                         |                                 |       |
| TPin  | Influent (Inflow) Total Phosphorus    | ppb          | From data (weighted av.)         | 34.4 <small>Enter Value</small>      | Kirchner-Dillon 1975                              | TP=L(1-Rp)/(Z(F))*1000  | 14                     |                | Kirchner-Dillon 1975                    | 320                    |                         |                                 |       |
| TPout   | Effluent (Outlet) Total Phosphorus    | ppb          | From data (outlet)               | 12 <small>Enter Value</small>        | (K-D)   | L=TP(Z)(F)/(1-Rp)/1000  |                        | 1.03           |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| I   | Inflow                                | m3/yr        | From data                        | 19092135 <small>Enter Value</small>  | Vollenweider 1975                                 | TP=L/(Z(S+F))*1000  | 15                     |                | Vollenweider 1975                       | 291                    |                         |                                 |       |
| A   | Lake Area                             | m2           | From data                        | 310393.89 <small>Enter Value</small> | (V)   | L=TP(Z)(S+F)/1000   |                        | 0.94           |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| V   | Lake Volume                           | m3           | From data                        | 421574.83 <small>Enter Value</small> | Reckhow 1977 (General)                            | TP=L/(11.6+1.2(Z(F)))*1000                                      | 5                      |                | Reckhow 1977 (General)                  | 400                    |                         |                                 |       |
| Z   | Mean Depth                            | m            | Volume/area                      | 1.3581931                            | (Rg)  | L=TP(11.6+1.2(Z(F)))/1000                                       |                        | 1.29           |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| F   | Flushing Rate                         | flushings/yr | Inflow/volume                    | 45.287653                            | Larsen-Mercier 1976                               | TP=L(1-Rlm)/(Z(F))*1000   | 13                     |                | Larsen-Mercier 1976                     | 331                    |                         |                                 |       |
| S   | Suspended Fraction                    | no units     | Effluent TP/Influent TP          | 0.3488372                            | (L-M)   | L=TP(Z)(F)/(1-Rlm)/1000   |                        | 1.07           |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| Qs  | Areal Water Load                      | m/yr         | Z(F)                             | 61.509378                            | Jones-Bachmann 1976                               | TP=0.84(L)/(Z(0.65+F))*1000                                     | 13                     |                | Jones-Bachmann 1976                     | 348                    |                         |                                 |       |
| Vs  | Settling Velocity                     | m            | Z(S)                             | 0.4737883                            | (J-B)   | L=TP(Z)(0.65+F)/0.84/1000                                       |                        | 1.12           |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| R   | Retention Coefficient (from TP)       | no units     | (TPin-TPout)/TPin                | 0.6511628                            | Average of Model Values<br>(without mass balance) |   | 12                     |                | Model Average<br>(without mass balance) | 338                    |                         | 0.0177                          |       |
| Rp  | Retention Coefficient (settling rate) | no units     | ((Vs+13.2)/2)/(((Vs+13.2)/2)+Qs) | 0.1000332                            |   |   |                        |                |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| Rlm   | Retention Coefficient (flushing rate) | no units     | 1/(1+F^0.5)                      | 0.1293726                            | Reckhow 1977 (Anoxic)<br>(Ra)                     | TP=L/(0.17(Z)+1.13(Z(F)))*1000<br>L=TP(0.17(Z)+1.13(Z(F)))/1000 | 13                     |                | Reckhow 1977 (Anoxic)                   | 327                    |                         |                                 |       |
|   |                                       |              |                                  | 0.0220324    8.041829                |   |   |                        |                |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
|   |                                       |              |                                  | 0.0220811    8.059592                | From Vollenweider 1968                            |   |                        |                |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
|   |                                       |              |                                  |                                      | Permissible Load                                  | Lp=10^(0.501503(log(Z(F)))-1.0018)                              |                        | 0.79           | Permissible Load                        | 244                    |                         | 0.0128 Permissible Conc.        |       |
|   |                                       |              |                                  |                                      | Critical Load                                     | Lc=2(Lp)  |                        | 1.57           | Critical Load                           | 488                    |                         | 0.0256 Critical Conc.           |       |
| ADDENDUM FOR NITROGEN (Based on data from 2009)         |                                       |              |                                  |                                      |   |   |                        |                |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| TN  | Lake Total Nitrogen Conc.             | ppb          | From data or model               | 766.4 <small>Enter Value</small>     | Mass Balance                                      | TN=L/(Z(F))*1000  | 766                    |                | Nitrogen                                |                        |                         | Mass Balance (no loss)          | 14632 |
| L   | Nitrogen Load to Lake                 | g N/m2/yr    | From data or model               | 47.14 <small>Enter Value</small>     | (minimum load)                                    | L=TN(Z)(F)/1000   |                        | 47.14          |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| C   | Coefficient of Attenuation            | fraction/yr  | 2.7183^(0.5541(ln(F))-0.367)     | 5.7305646                            | Bachmann 1980                                     | TN=L/(Z(C+F))*1000<br>L=TN(Z)(C+F)/1000                         | 680                    |                | Bachmann 1980                           | 16484                  |                         |                                 |       |
|   |                                       |              |                                  |                                      |   |   |                        | 53.11          |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |
| 0.86 (check - av in pond nitrogen concentration - mg/L) |                                       |              |                                  |                                      |   |   |                        |                |   |                        |                         |                                 |       |

## Appendix I

# Phytoplankton Analysis Report

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