



September 8, 2017

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RE: Weekly Project Status Update Report, Wrangell Solid Waste Monofill

Ms. Schlichting,

NRC Alaska and NORTECH are pleased to provide the following Project Status update for the Wrangell Solid Waste Monofill Construction Project. As we have discussed, our goal is to provide a status update on a weekly basis, with photos, maps and notes as appropriate so that all interested parties may remain apprised on progress in the field on a regular basis. We are currently performing work as detailed in the Inactive Rock Pit Development Plan, prepared by Ahtna, dated November 18, 2016 and the Wrangell Junkyard Repository Basis of Design, prepared by Ahtna, dated June 9, 2016, and the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for the project as detailed under Alaska Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (APDES) permit # AKR10FQ51. This Project Status Update covers project activities as performed between August 25, 2017 and September 6, 2017.

Project Activities:

After participating in the Public Forum regarding the Project, all parties temporarily demobilized while awaiting the Road Use Permit from the USFS. This permit was finalized on August 31, 2017. BW Enterprises began maintenance work on the road in preparation for use, and began hauling rock to the repository for the construction of the base drain.

Project activities accomplished:

- Road Use Permit has been authorized and executed
- BW Enterprises has performed road maintenance by adding D1 and grading the road surface
- Gravel berms have been installed at sensitive areas per the Road Use Permit application

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- **NORTECH** performed the initial grade check prior to any rock being placed within the pit
- 116 truckloads of 6" rock have been hauled to the pit, along with 16 loads of D1

Anticipated Project activities for the next week:

- Continue to haul rock for the construction of the Base Drain at the repository site

We trust this information is adequate to meet your needs. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact NRC Alaska or **NORTECH** at your convenience.

Sincerely,

NORTECH

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Jason Ginter, PMP

Principal, Juneau Technical Manager

NRC Alaska

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S. Daniel Strucher

Sr. Project Manager



Photo 1: Aerial view of Monofill Site, August 31, 2017



Photo 2: Aerial view of Monofill Site September 6, 2017