

## **Response No. 13 Attachment**

### **Table 2b for Soil Properties of SMC-1-2-3 Shaft Muck Pile Samples**

TABLE 2  
 Soil Chemical Analytical Results - April 2012  
 Total Metals by SW 6010/SW 6020 and Radiochemistry by E903.0/RA-05  
 RIO GRANDE RESOURCES SOIL SAMPLING AND TESTING FOR CLOSEOUT PLAN  
 MT. TAYLOR MINE, SAN MATEO, NEW MEXICO

Sample ID	LOCATION	Collection Depth (inches bgs)	Collection Date	Arsenic	Barium	Cadmium	Chromium	Lead	Mercury	Radlum 226	Radlum 228	Selenium	Sliver	Uranium	Uranium-234	Uranium-235	Uranium-238	
				CONCENTRATION							mg/L	pCi/g	pCi/g	mg/L			mg/L	
Analytical Method				SW 6020	SW 6010 B	SW 6010 B	SW 6010 B	SW 6010 B	SW 7470A	E903 0	RA-05	SW 6020	SW 6020	SW 6020	SW 6020	SW 6020	SW 6020	SW 6020
NMED SSL DAF 1				1.31E-02	3.01E+02	1.37	9.86E+07	NA	0.571	30 <sup>3</sup>		0.965	1.57	49.3	49.3	49.3	49.3	
MT-4-D-S3 (48" B.G.)	MT-4-D	48	4/10/2.012	0.003	0.88	<0.001	0.009	0.003	<0.002	6.7	0.8	0.020	<0.002 D	0.013 D	0.013 D	0.013 D	0.013 D	
MT-4-E-S1 (0-4" B.G.)	MT-4-E	0-4	4/10/2.012	0.034	34	<0.001	0.007	0.008	<0.002	8.7	1.5	0.15	<0.002 D	0.39 D	0.39 D	0.39 D	0.39 D	
MT-4-E-S2 (10-12" B.G.)	MT-4-E	10-12	4/10/2.012	0.005	0.22	<0.001	0.011	0.005	<0.002	4.8	0.4	0.072	<0.002 D	0.014 D	0.014 D	0.014 D	0.014 D	
MT-4-E-S3 (36" B.G.)	MT-4-E	36	4/10/2.012	0.003	0.13	<0.001	0.007	0.003	<0.002	2.9	0.7	0.026	0.0030	0.0043 D	0.0043 D	0.0043 D	0.0043 D	
MT-4-E-S3 (48" B.G.)	MT-4-E	48	4/10/2.012	0.005 B	0.06	<0.001	0.006	0.002	<0.002	6.2	0.4	0.011	<0.001	0.027	0.027	0.027	0.027	
MT-4-F (6" B.G.)	MT-4-F	6	4/10/2.012	0.005	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	0.003	<0.002	0.8	1.0	0.002	<0.002 D	0.0027 D	0.0027 D	0.0027 D	0.0027 D	
MT-5-F (6" B.G.)	MT-6-f	6	4/10/2.012	0.002	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	0.001	<0.002	2.0	0.8	0.001	0.003 D	0.0029 D	0.0029 D	0.0029 D	0.0029 D	
MT-6-A-S1 (0-5" B.G.)	MT-6-A	0-5	4/10/2.012	0.012	7.3	<0.001	0.007	0.016	<0.002	6.4	0.2	0.007	<0.001	0.044	0.044	0.044	0.044	
MT-6-A-S2 (12-20" B.G.)	MT-6-B	12-20	4/10/2.012	0.003 B	0.05	<0.001	0.007	<0.001	<0.002	0.4	0.1	0.15	<0.001	0.26 U	0.26 U	0.26 U	0.26 U	
MT-6-B-S1 (8-10" B.G.)	MT-6-B	8-10	4/10/2.012	0.004 B	0.05	<0.001	0.007	<0.001	<0.002	0.8	0.2	0.16	<0.001	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	
MT-6-B-S2 (30" B.G.)	MT-6-8	30	4/10/2.012	0.002 B	0.06	<0.001	<0.005	<0.001	<0.002	4.1	0.8	0.003	<0.001	0.014	0.014	0.014	0.014	
MT-7-C (6" B.G.)	MT-7-C	6	4/10/2.012	0.002	<0.05	<0.001	0.006	0.002	<0.002	0.6	0.8	<0.001	<0.002 D	0.0023 D	0.0023 D	0.0023 D	0.0023 D	
MT-8-F (6" B.G.)	MT-8-F	6	4/10/2.012	0.001	0.05	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.002	-1000	-1000	0.001	0.002 D	0.0006 D	0.0006 D	0.0006 D	0.0006 D	
MT-A-C (6" B.G.)	MT-A-C	6	4/10/2.012	0.003	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	0.001	<0.002	1.7	0.5	0.044	<0.002 D	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	
MT-Borrow/Background	MT-Borrow	24-66	4/10/2.012	0.001	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	<0.001	<0.002	0.7	0.7	0.001	<0.002 D	0.0007	0.0007	0.0007	0.0007	
MT-OP-C-S1 (0-6" B.G.)	MT-OP-C	0-6	4/10/2.012	0.015	0.05	<0.001	0.010	0.001	<0.002	53.3	2.1	0.052	<0.001	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	
MT-OP-C-S2 (20" B.G.)	MT-OP-C	20	4/10/2.012	0.005	0.05	<0.001	0.007	0.002	<0.002	1.7	0.6	0.018	<0.002 D	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	
MT-OP-C-S3 (48-50" B.G.)	MT-OP-C	48-50	4/10/2.012	0.004	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	<0.001	<0.002	0.8	0.8	0.028	<0.002 D	0.049	0.049	0.049	0.049	
MT-OP-C-S4 (72" B.G.)	MT-OP-C	72	4/10/2.012	0.004	<0.05	<0.001	<0.005	<0.001	<0.002	1.5	0.6	0.025	<0.002 D	0.0064	0.0064	0.0064	0.0064	
MT-OP-D-S1 (0-6" B.G.)	MT-OP-D	0-6	4/10/2.012	0.013	1.3	<0.001	0.007	0.008	<0.002	51.9	0.5	0.009	<0.002 D	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	
MT-OP-D-S2 (48-50" B.G.)	MT-OP-D	48-50	4/10/2.012	0.001	0.05	<0.001	<0.005	<0.001	<0.002	1.9	0.6	0.005	<0.002 D	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	
MT-OP-D-S3 (76" B.G.)	MT-OP-D	76	4/10/2.012	0.006	0.11	<0.001	0.012	0.009	<0.002	0.6	0.5	0.002	<0.002 D	0.0034	0.0034	0.0034	0.0034	
MT-OP-E (6" B.G.)	MT-OP-E	6	4/10/2.012	0.004	0.05	<0.001	0.006	0.003	<0.002	1.1	0.8	0.005	<0.002 D	0.0056	0.0056	0.0056	0.0056	
MT-WP-SM1										0.7					0.60	0.03	0.60	
MT-WP-SM2										0.7					0.80	0.10	0.20	
MT-WP-SM3										1.1					1.1	-0.02	0.9	

Notes:

- bgs = below ground surface
- mg/Kg = milligrams/Kilogram
- DAF = Dilution Attenuation factor
- NA = No DAF values available, NMED 2012, rev6

Total metals concentrations should be compared to background soil sample concentrations before comparing to Soil Screening Levels (SSL). Only metals concentrations above background should be considered for comparison to SSLs. NMED considers a DAF = 20 to be protective of groundwater for a 0.5-acre source. SSL values are included for reference only, as they are applicable for reclamation, not for mines that are active or on stand-by status. B = The analyte was detected in the method blank  
 D = reporting limit increased due to sample matrix  
 U = Not detected at minimum detectable concentration

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### **Surface and Subsurface Radiological Characterization**

**Surface and Subsurface Soil Radiologic Characterization  
Windblown Area, Ore Pad Area and Mine Compound  
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## 1.0 Introduction and Background

This report provides the results of the Soil Radiologic Characterization (SRC) that was conducted at the Mt. Taylor Mine (Site) in Cibola County, near San Mateo, New Mexico. This SRC was performed to evaluate the lateral and vertical extent of radiologic contamination exceeding the Site Radiation Cleanup Criteria (RCC) of 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 to estimate radiologic impacted material volumes within three specified areas of the Site; the Windblown Area, Ore Pad Area and portions of the Mine Compound Area, also known as the "Service and Support area". The methods and procedures used were consistent with the June 2020 Work Plan for Post-Mining Radiological Surveys of Permit Area and Impacted Lands (2020 Work Plan) and the applicable survey methods described in the Multi-Agency Radiation Survey and Site Investigation Manual (MARSSIM, EPA 2000a). The RCC specified in the March 2016 *Joint Guidance for the Cleanup and Reclamation of Existing Uranium Mining Operations in New Mexico* (EMNRD, 2016) (2016 Guidance) by the Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department (EMNRD) and the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) was used for the investigation level (IL). The Ra-226 cleanup criteria of 5.0 pCi/g above the background level in land averaged over 100 square meters in surface soil (top six inches) specified in the Joint Guidance is taken from the UMTRCA (40 CFR 192) regulation, which is based on an unrestricted land use exposure scenario. A 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL (5.0 pCi/g plus 1.8 pCi/g background level) has been established for the Site.

The Site was an underground uranium mine located in Cibola County, near San Mateo, New Mexico. The mine was developed by Gulf Mineral Resources Company (Gulf) in the 1970s and ore production occurred from 1979 to 1982. Following transfer of Site to Chevron Resources Company in 1985, the ore production resumed and continued until 1990. Rio Grande Resources (RGR) acquired the Site in 1991. In 1999 the Site entered standby status under Mine Permit C1002RE with EMNRD. On December 29, 2017, the permit changed to an active status, and on December 3, 2019, RGR notified MMD of intentions to begin the Site closeout/closure process. The following sections describe the strategy, methods and procedures that were used and the results of the SRC conducted at the Site.

## 2.0 Previous Characterization

Surface gamma radiation surveys were performed periodically within operationally controlled areas of the Site to monitor changes in radiological conditions during a period of remedial excavations in the Mine Water Treatment Unit (MWTU) ponds, construction of the disposal cell and placement of contaminated mine materials, and gradual removal of ore from the ore stockpile. The most recent gamma survey prior to this characterization, conducted March 27, 2021, showed elevated gamma radiation levels in certain operational areas within the Controlled Area boundaries, including the three areas included in this SRC, the Windblown Area, Ore Pad Area and the Mine Compound Area. The survey results are summarized in The June 2020 Work Plan, and indicate surface soils in portions of the Windblown Area, the Mine Compound and the entire Ore Pad Area exceed the 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL.

Additionally, a radiologic subsurface soil investigation was performed in a portion of the Mine Compound Area as part of the 2020 Diesel Investigation. The results are summarized in the Mount Taylor Mine, Diesel Release Investigation Report of Finding, April 2021, Ensero Solutions, Inc. (Ensero 2021). The soil borings sample results within the Mine Compound Area indicate Ra-226 levels exceeding the IL in subsurface soils ranging from a depth of ground surface to 10 feet below ground surface (bgs) in the area around the Production Shaft.

### **3.0 Objective of the Radiological Characterization**

The Site is a former uranium mine, therefore the surface and subsurface soil is expected to be impacted by radionuclides associated with the uranium decay series, with Ra-226 being the primary Constituent of Concern (COC). The objective of this characterization is to evaluate Ra-226 contamination exceeding the Site IL of 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 in surface and subsurface soils to estimate volumes of radiologic impacted material within the Windblown, Ore Pad and Mine Compound Areas.

### **4.0 Field Investigation**

Field investigations for this characterization were conducted consistent with the 2020 Work Plan and were conducted during the period of April 11, 2023 through June 14, 2023. The three specified soil characterization areas are shown in Figure 1. The field investigations included, both static 0.5 inch thick lead (Pb) collimated and uncollimated (bare) 2x2 sodium iodide (NaI) detector gamma radiologic survey measurements and Differential Global Positioning System (DGPS) based bare detector gamma scan surveys, along with ex-situ soil screening, soil sampling and offsite vendor laboratory analysis. The geo-located gamma scans were conducted to provide Ra-226 concentration level estimates in surface soil and to determine the test pit and sampling locations to assess subsurface radiologic contamination relative to the IL. Ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening was performed to provide real-time information to estimate subsurface contamination depths. Subsurface soil sampling and offsite vendor laboratory analysis was performed to confirm subsurface contamination depths below the IL as estimated by field ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening. Additionally, gamma radiation static surveys count per minute (cpm) measurements, exposure rate ( $\mu\text{R/hr}$ ) measurements and surface soil samples and analysis were performed at selected locations to update the Site-specific correlation.

#### **4.1 Surface Gamma Radiation Scan and Static Survey**

The instrument configuration for direct gamma radiation level measurements during this characterization consisted of lead collimated and bare 2x2 NaI scintillation detectors (Eberline SPA-3 or Ludlum 44-10) for detection of gamma radiation, coupled to a scaler/rate meter (Ludlum 2221 or Ludlum 2241). This instrument configuration is used widely for this type of survey and is recommended by the MARSSIM. The scaler/rate meters were interfaced with a sub-meter accurate DGPS with surveying software and a data

logger/controller for electronically recording the gamma radiation levels to the corresponding geo-location coordinates. The coordinate system that was used for this work was the State Plane Coordinate System (NAD83, New Mexico West, US Feet) system. Direct gamma radiation surveys using a NaI scintillation detector provide radiation levels in counts per unit time, generally obtained as cpm. A Ludlum Model 19  $\mu\text{R}$  Meter was used for gamma exposure rate ( $\mu\text{R}/\text{hr}$ ) measurements.

During this characterization, systematic gamma radiation scan surveys using bare 2x2 NaI detectors were performed at the Site to determine the level of Ra-226 in surface soil within the characterization areas. Although bare detectors do not avoid lateral gamma radiation shine, bare detectors have a large field of view and provide a large scan coverage area for an efficient and conservative lateral extent of contamination assessment. The gamma scan surveys were performed consistent with the 2020 Work Plan. Thirty-foot spaced geo-projected transects for each area were digitally created using mapping software and loaded on the field data logger/controller. Based on a conservative field of view (FOV) of at least six feet diameter for a bare 2x2 NaI detector for Ra-226 gamma radiations, a scanning transects spacing of 30 feet would provide at least a 20% scan coverage. The gamma scan survey was performed by scanning along these transects with a bare 2x2 NaI detector at 12 inches above the ground surface at a scan rate of about three feet per second, with a data collection time interval of two seconds.

The geo-located gamma scan data includes the gamma scan point ID, date and time, location coordinates, and bare detector gamma cpm. The scan data was exported from the data logger and the bare detector cpm were converted to equivalent Ra-226 estimate using the Site-specific correlation ( $\text{Ra-226 pCi/g} = 0.0005 \times \text{CPM} - 7.3228$   $R^2 = 0.97$ )(2020 Work Plan). The scan data was mapped using a mapping software, arranged in color coded ranges and then reviewed to identify areas that exceeded the IL. The color-coded range was structured to include the Ra-226 6.8 pCi/g IL as shown in Figures 2 and 3. The characterization gamma scan survey included approximately 12,107 gamma scan data points within a total of approximately 40 acres at the Site. The gamma scan data was exported from the scan system data logger into an Excel file. The detector cpm was converted into equivalent estimated surface soil Ra-226 concentration in pCi/g using the Site-specific correlation for bare detectors as discussed in Section 4.5 of the 2020 Work Plan. A typical gamma scan data export table from the scan system data logger is shown in Table 1. Gamma scan survey data for this characterization are provided in electronic file.

One-minute static gamma radiation surveys were performed prior to collecting a soil sample at each surface soil sampling and test pit location using a bare 2x2 NaI detector and collimated 2x2 NaI detector. The survey data were recorded on Static Gamma Radiation Survey Forms, which are included in Appendix A. The bare detector cpm data was converted to equivalent Ra-226 estimate using the Site-specific correlation. A site-specific correlation for a 2x2 NaI 0.5-inch thick lead collimated detector was developed using the surface (0 – 6 Inch) soil samples collected from the Windblown Area and the co-located collimated detector survey performed during this characterization, which is included in Appendix C. This correlation regression yielded an equation of  $\text{Ra-226} = (\text{CPM} \times 0.0016) - 8.41$  with an acceptable  $R^2$  value



of 0.83 The collimated detector measurements were converted to soil Ra-226 concentrations using this correlation equation. The static gamma survey results are summarized in Table 2.

#### **4.2 Ra-226 Radiation Cleanup Criteria Contamination Boundary**

The Windblown area Ra-226 6.8 pCi/g RCC contamination boundary delineated based on the surface gamma scan survey and a 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 RCC contamination boundary based on the surface soil sample ex-situ screening and vendor laboratory results are shown in Figure 4. The ex-situ and vendor lab Ra-226 pCi/g surface soil sample results are lower than the Ra-226 pCi/g concentrations estimated by the bare 2x2 NaI detector surface soil gamma scan. Based on the results of the soil sample analysis and static gamma radiation surveys, the area of the Windblown Area that exceeds the IL is smaller than previously estimated by bare detector gamma scan surveys alone, as shown in Figure 4. The primary cause of the overestimated Ra-226 concentrations in the Windblown Area determined by the bare detector gamma scan survey appears to be the lateral gamma radiation shine interference from nearby areas with elevated Ra-226 concentrations, specifically the close proximity to the Ore Pad Area. As discussed previously, one-minute static gamma radiation level measurements were performed prior to collecting a soil sample at each location using a bare and a 0.5 inch lead collimated 2x2 NaI detector. As shown in Tables 2 and 3, the Ra-226 concentration estimates determined using the collimated detector are comparable to the on-Site ex-situ gamma screening and the vendor laboratory Ra-226 analytical results. Thus, delineation of the Windblown Area surface soils exceeding the 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL using the collimated static gamma survey, the on-Site ex-situ gamma screening and the vendor laboratory Ra-226 analytical results are appropriate, as shown in Figure 4.

As shown in Tables 2 and 4, and Figure 2 the entire Ore Pad Area surface soil far exceeds the 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL. Additionally, surface soil gamma scans previously performed in 2018 and 2020 (2020 Work Plan) for area exposure rates ( $\mu\text{R/hr}$ ) included the Mine Compound Area and showed that the majority of the Mine Compound Area exceeds the IL. As shown in Figure 3, the surface gamma scan performed during this characterization also shows that the surface soil in the majority of the Mine Compound Area exceeds the 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL. To better characterize the surface soil and to assist in the selection of test pit locations, the surface gamma scan survey was performed at a higher density, 30-foot transect spacing, compared to the previous scan (2021) density of 60-ft transect spacing.

#### **4.3 Test Pits, Soil Sampling and Ex-Situ Gamma Radiation Soil Screening**

Test pit trench excavations, subsurface soil sampling and on-Site ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening were performed from May 17 through June 7, 2023. These methods were used to determine the subsurface soil Ra-226 contamination depth exceeding the IL at the test pit locations within the three characterization areas. The ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening was conducted to provide a real-time estimate of Ra-226 concentrations in subsurface soil samples. This method is more reliable than the in-situ

direct gamma radiation level measurements and allows for real-time Ra-226 concentration assessments. The on-Site ex-situ soil screening method consists of selectively measuring the 609 KeV region gamma radiations of Bi-214, a decay product of Ra-226. A single channel analyzer (Ludlum L2221) integrated with a Ludlum 44-20 3x3 NaI scintillation detector was used to measure the 609 keV energy peak region of Bi-214. The soil sample was placed around the plastic lined detector in a heavily lead shielded counting chamber. The heavily shielded counting chamber lowers the system background counts, thus improving the system's minimum detectable concentration (MDC). A reference soil with the Ra-226 concentration of 6.6 pCi/g, comparable to the 6.8 pCi/g IL, was prepared as described in Appendix C and was used for soil screening during this characterization. The 6.6 pCi/g reference soil provides a conservative estimate of Ra-226 concentration in samples below the IL.

A total of 12 locations were selected in the Windblown Area for surface and subsurface soil sampling in areas that exceeded the IL determined by the surface soil gamma scan survey, as shown in Figure 2. Twenty-eight test pit locations were selected for subsurface soil sampling based on the surface soil gamma scan survey and Site operational history where Ra-226 contamination was likely to be deeper than one-foot bgs, twenty test pits in the Mine Compound Area and eight in the Ore Pad Area, as shown in Figures 2 and 3.

Hand augers and sampling trowels were used to collect surface and subsurface soil samples up to a depth of 1.5 feet in the Windblown Area. At each of the 11 sample locations selected in the Windblown Area, a surface (0 – 6") and a subsurface (1' – 1.5') soil sample were collected. At one location, a sample was collected at 0-1" and 2"-6" depths for surface soils Ra-226 contamination distribution analysis. A backhoe was used to excavate a trench at each selected test pit location for subsurface soil sample collection in the Ore Pad and Mine Compound areas. The trenches were excavated at approximately one-to-two-foot depth intervals depending on visual observations of the type and consistency of the soil. At each interval, a subsurface soil sample was collected from the base of the excavation for ex-situ soil screening. The excavation continued at least 2 feet after native soil was observed and on-Site ex-situ soil screening indicated Ra-226 concentrations were below the 6.8 pCi/g IL. The test pit excavation soil sample logs and the field soil screening forms are included in Appendix B. The test pit subsurface soil ex-situ gamma screening data is summarized in Tables 3, 4 and 5, which includes Ra-226 concentrations of the samples relative to the 6.8 pCi/g IL.

Although the primary objective of the ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening was to determine the Ra-226 concentrations above or below the 6.8 pCi/g IL, Ra-226 concentrations were estimated in all test pit excavation subsurface soil samples collected and screened. During the setup of the soil screening system prior to mobilizing in the field, a calibration/correlation of the ex-situ soil screening system was performed using a 6.6 pCi/g, a 25 pCi/g and a 50 pCi/g reference soil. This correlation is included in Appendix C. The estimated Ra-226 concentration of the subsurface soil samples determined using this correlation are included in Tables 3, 4 and 5.

Fourteen samples out of a total of 24 surface and subsurface soil samples screened on-Site from the Windblown Area were sent to the off-Site vendor laboratory, Energy Laboratories, in Casper, WY. From the Ore Pad and Mine Compound Areas, 34 samples out of a total of 88 subsurface soil samples screened onsite were sent to the off-site vendor laboratory. These soil samples were analyzed for Ra-226 using EPA Method 901.1 (modified for soil matrix) for confirmation of the on-Site ex-situ soil screening results. The 53 samples sent to the laboratory included at least one sample from each test pit excavation that screened below the IL. Also, 10% (5 samples) of the samples sent to the lab were split in the field and sent to the lab for quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) duplicates. The laboratory results reports are included in Appendix B and are summarized in Table 3, 4 and 5. As shown in these tables, the estimated Ra-226 levels by on-Site ex-situ soil screening are comparable with the laboratory Ra-226 results, specifically in regard to determining the depth of Ra-226 levels above or below the IL.

#### **4.4 Windblown Area Characterization Summary**

As shown in Table 3 and Table 6, 11 of the 12 surface soil (0 – 6”) samples from the Windblown Area screened on-Site and analyzed by the vendor laboratory show Ra-226 pCi/g below the 6.8 pCi/g IL. The only location above the IL was WBSB-08 at 9.7 pCi/g. The Ra-226 concentration in all of the Windblown Area subsurface samples screened on-Site and analyzed by the vendor laboratory show Ra-226 pCi/g concentrations below the Ra-226 6.8 pCi/g IL, which is far below the Ra-226 15 pCi/g 2016 Guidance for 6-inch soil layers six inches bgs. This demonstrates that the Ra-226 levels exceeding the IL are contained only within the surface soil (0 – 6”) in the Windblown area, as shown in Figure 4 and Table 3. Furthermore, analyzing the 0-1” and 2”-6” soil samples resulted in Ra-226 concentrations of 2.0 pCi/g in the 0-1” sample and 1.0 pCi/g in the 2”-6” sample. Based upon the lab results in the Windblown area, the majority of the contamination is distributed within the top one inch of soil.

#### **4.5 Ore Pad Area Characterization Summary**

Results of test pit excavation observations and subsurface soil sampling analysis in the Ore Pad Area show waste rock depth from surface level to the native soil at approximately three to five feet bgs at four (OPSB-02, OPSB-03, OPSB-04 and OPSB-05) out of the five selected test pit locations, as shown in Table 4 and 6. The on-Site ex-situ gamma screening results show Ra-226 concentrations ranging from about 22 to 510 pCi/g as shown in Table 4. At test pit location OPSB-01, waste rock was observed at depths greater than five feet. A thin dark clay layer was observed at about five feet bgs. Excavation continued as light gray waste rock material and debris was constantly observed to a depth of 13.5 feet bgs, the excavation depth limit of the trenching equipment. The on-Site ex-situ gamma screening results show a Ra-226 concentration in the 0 to 13 feet composite sample from this location at 74 pCi/g, and 31 pCi/g Ra-226 in the sample from a depth of 13.5 feet. Since waste rock depth at all other test pit locations in the Ore Pad Area was approximately four to five feet, three additional test pits were excavated east of OPSB-01 to determine the

extent of waste rock depth in the area. Test pit locations OPSB-06 and OPSB-07 were selected at approximately 150' and 100' east of OPSB-01, respectively. Both of these test pits showed waste rock depths of approximately 4' bgs before observing native soil. Test pit location OPSB-08 was selected approximately 62' east of OPSB-01 and showed a waste rock and debris depth similar to that of OPSB-01. According to Site operational history, a portion of the nearby treatment pond may have been backfilled with low grade waste rock and used as part of the foundation for the Ore Pad Area. The waste rock depth in the OPSB-01 area is estimated to be about 15 feet bgs based on the nearby ore-pad runoff retention pond depth.

#### **4.6 Mine Compound Area Characterization Summary**

Results of test pit excavation observations and subsurface soil sampling analysis in the Mine Compound Area show subsurface soil exceeding the 6.8 pCi/g Ra-226 IL at varying depths ranging from ground surface to about seven feet bgs as shown in Tables 5 and 6 and Figure 5. Soil exceeding the IL is generally limited to only the surface soil (<1.0 feet) in the areas around test pit locations MCSB-04, MCSB-10, MCSB-12, MCSB-13, MCSB-14, MCSB-15, MCSB-16, MCSB-17 and MCSB-18. At the other nine test pit locations, soil/material depths bgs exceeding the IL are shown in Table 6, except at test pit locations MCSB-02 and MCSB-05. Test pits MCSB-02 and MCSB-05 had an isolated layer of soil/gravel that exceeded the IL while the soil above and below the layer screened below the IL. At test pit location MCSB-02, soil exceeding the IL was found in a gravel layer at a depth of 3.5 to 4.5 feet bgs, while at a depth of 5.5 to 6.5 feet bgs at test pit location MCSB-05, as shown in Tables 5 and 6, and Figure 5. At each test pit location, when native soil was observed, excavation continued into the native soil at least two feet to ensure that the soil/material exceeding the IL had been identified. Two additional observation test pit excavations up to nine feet were performed at locations MCSB-19 and MCSB-20. These two test pits are located east of locations MCSB-08 and MCSB-11, between the shop yard fence and the road. The purpose of these two observational test pit excavations was to estimate the lateral extent of subsurface waste rock material found at locations MCSB-08 and MCSB-11. Identification of any waste rock material was noted by visual observation. No waste rock material was observed in test pit MCSB-19, east of Test Pit MCSB-08. A thin (approximately 3") layer of waste rock material at a depth of 2.0 to 2.25' was observed in Test Pit MCSB-20, indicating that the lateral extent boundary of subsurface waste rock material is between MCSB-11 and the shop yard fence line. Based on the field soil screening and the laboratory sample results, depths of Ra-226 concentrations above the 6.8 pCi/g IL at each Ore Pad and Mine Compound Area test pit and Windblown Area sampling location are summarized in Table 6.

#### **5.0 Soil Sampling and Analysis**

Soil samples from the Windblown Area and subsurface soil samples from the test pit excavations collected for on-Site ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening were collected consistent with the 2020 Work Plan. Field QA/QC duplicate samples were split at a frequency of 10% of the total number of soil samples collected. A total of 112 surface and subsurface soil samples were collected during this characterization. Field sampling

equipment used for soil sampling included: stainless steel scoops, bowls, spoons, and hand auger barrels were decontaminated between sample locations. The soil sampling equipment decontamination was conducted by brushing off loose visible soil and wiped with clean towels. Excavator buckets were cleaned by removing any loose, visible soil. Any soils excavated from the test pits were returned to the test pit excavations from which the soil came. Personal protection equipment (PPE), such as gloves, were brushed off and scanned for residual contamination and were disposed of.

Surface and subsurface soil samples were analyzed by on-Site ex-situ gamma radiation soil screening (AVM SOP-4) to estimate Ra-226 concentrations. A completed Chain-of-Custody (COC) along with the surface soil samples and confirmatory soil samples were placed in labeled Ziploc bags, and packaged in coolers with sealed lids and shipped to Energy Laboratories, Inc for Ra-226 analysis. The soil samples were analyzed for Ra-226 with a reporting limit of 0.5 pCi/g, using EPA Method 901.1 (modified for soil matrix). The completed COCs are included with the analytical results reports in Appendix B.

## **6.0 Quality Assurance and Quality Control Measures**

QA/QC measures were implemented during this characterization to ensure that decisions were made based on data of acceptable quality. All radiologic survey instruments have been calibrated at least annually. Additionally, operational functions checks were performed on all radiologic instruments daily prior to use. The calibration and function check documents are included in Appendix C. During this characterization, no instruments were found to be out of calibration or inoperable as indicated by the operational function checks. The instrument background measurements for bare 2x2 NaI detectors during daily operational function checks were less than 10,000 cpm as shown in Appendix C. The bare detector field of view (FOV) at 12 inches above the ground surface is conservatively assumed at an area of six feet diameter. The 2x2 NaI detector response factor is determined to be 0.0005 pCi/g/cpm from the linear regression for the Site-specific correlation included in Appendix C. Based on the above detector parameters, the Ra-226 minimum detectable concentrations (MDCs) for a scan survey at a scan speed of three feet per second, calculated using MARSSIM guidance, were less than 1.0 pCi/g, which is significantly less than 50% of the 6.8 pCi/g IL. The ex-situ soil gamma radiation screening system was calibrated prior to mobilization in the field and daily operational function checks were performed prior to use. The calibration and function check documentation are included in Appendix C. Based on the highest system background (blank) measurements from daily operational function checks and efficiency (pCi/g/cpm), the highest Ra-226 MDC for the screening system calculated was less than 0.8 pCi/g, significantly less than the 6.8 pCi/g IL. The MDCs during the supplemental characterization met the QA objective.

The QA/QC measures also included field QA/QC duplicate soil sampling at a frequency of 10% of the soil samples collected for laboratory analysis. As discussed above, field QA/QC duplicate soil samples were collected and sent to the laboratory for analysis, and the QA/QC duplicate results are included in appropriate summary tables.

## Tables

**Table 1**  
**Typical Gamma Scan Data Exported from the Scan System Data Logger**

ID	Time	Northing <sup>(1)</sup> (feet)	Easting <sup>(1)</sup> (feet)	MSL Elevation (feet)	CPM 2x2 Bare Nal Detector	Ra-226 pCi/g <sup>(2)</sup>	Zone_ID
1	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.59	2782922.79	7350	37181	11.27	Mine_Compound
2	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.55	2782925.05	7350	35699	10.53	Mine_Compound
3	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.42	2782929.34	7350	34119	9.74	Mine_Compound
4	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.62	2782934.44	7350	33580	9.47	Mine_Compound
5	4/11/2023 12:58	1579645.02	2782938.58	7350	36088	10.72	Mine_Compound
6	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.99	2782943.19	7350	36656	11.01	Mine_Compound
7	4/11/2023 12:58	1579643.77	2782946.70	7350	38855	12.11	Mine_Compound
8	4/11/2023 12:58	1579643.87	2782947.05	7350	35564	10.46	Mine_Compound
9	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.03	2782950.60	7350	37249	11.30	Mine_Compound
10	4/11/2023 12:58	1579645.17	2782955.46	7351	34818	10.09	Mine_Compound
11	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.44	2782960.55	7350	33211	9.29	Mine_Compound
12	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.36	2782966.24	7350	35848	10.60	Mine_Compound
13	4/11/2023 12:58	1579645.40	2782971.43	7351	44480	14.92	Mine_Compound
14	4/11/2023 12:58	1579644.95	2782976.50	7351	40445	12.90	Mine_Compound
15	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.04	2782981.35	7351	38310	11.84	Mine_Compound
16	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.89	2782986.75	7351	34757	10.06	Mine_Compound
17	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.26	2782992.08	7351	35607	10.48	Mine_Compound
18	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.28	2782997.28	7351	34693	10.03	Mine_Compound
19	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.62	2783002.45	7352	31665	8.51	Mine_Compound
20	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.26	2783008.07	7352	34754	10.06	Mine_Compound
21	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.42	2783013.72	7352	32487	8.92	Mine_Compound
22	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.39	2783019.31	7352	31633	8.50	Mine_Compound
23	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.34	2783024.97	7352	35967	10.66	Mine_Compound
24	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.52	2783030.66	7352	40738	13.05	Mine_Compound
25	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.54	2783036.55	7352	44013	14.69	Mine_Compound
26	4/11/2023 12:59	1579643.73	2783042.37	7353	43985	14.67	Mine_Compound
27	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.36	2783047.96	7353	39949	12.65	Mine_Compound
28	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.72	2783053.66	7353	40529	12.94	Mine_Compound
29	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.62	2783058.85	7353	39350	12.36	Mine_Compound
30	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.57	2783064.21	7354	37544	11.45	Mine_Compound
31	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.14	2783069.71	7354	35781	10.57	Mine_Compound
32	4/11/2023 12:59	1579643.88	2783075.08	7354	35911	10.64	Mine_Compound
33	4/11/2023 12:59	1579644.60	2783080.73	7355	31419	8.39	Mine_Compound
34	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.54	2783086.33	7355	33426	9.39	Mine_Compound
35	4/11/2023 12:59	1579645.93	2783091.25	7355	37444	11.40	Mine_Compound

(1) projection: StatePlane NAD 1983 NM West-feet

(2) Ra-226 pCi/g is determined from surface soil gamma radiation scan using 2x2 Nal detector and Site-specific gamma radiation level (cpm) correlation

**Table 2**  
**Static Gamma Radiation Survey at Soil Sampling/Test Pit Locations**

Survey Date	Survey Point ID/Description	Survey Point Coordinate		Static Gamma Radiation Survey				Gamma Exposure Rate $\mu$ R/hr
		NAD83 StatePlane NM West, Feet		Bare 2x2 NaI Detector		Collimated (0.5" Pb) 2x2 NaI Detector		
		Northing	Easting	CPM	Estimated Ra-226 pCi/g	CPM	Estimated Ra-226 pCi/g	
05/17/23	WBSB-01	1,581,413	2,782,866	26,897	6.1	6,297	1.7	33
05/17/23	WBSB-02	1,581,390	2,782,444	26,749	6.1	6,350	1.7	33
05/17/23	WBSB-03	1,581,356	2,783,329	24,529	4.9	6,073	1.3	31
05/17/23	WBSB-04	1,581,339	2,782,706	30,064	7.7	6,069	1.3	37
05/17/23	WBSB-05	1,581,329	2,783,062	31,828	8.6	6,945	2.7	41
05/17/23	WBSB-06	1,581,271	2,782,942	35,410	10.4	7,288	3.3	47
05/17/23	WBSB-07	1,581,187	2,783,253	37,965	11.7	8,183	4.7	47
05/17/23	WBSB-08	1,581,164	2,782,988	55,849	20.6	11,042	9.3	70
05/31/23	WBSB-09	1,581,254	2,782,870	36,491	10.9	6,599	2.1	44
05/31/23	WBSB-10	1,581,263	2,783,140	34,898	10.1	7,286	3.2	48
05/31/23	WBSB-11	1,581,277	2,783,335	29,002	7.2	6,602	2.2	34
05/31/23	WBSB-12	1,581,228	2,782,908	40,341	12.9	7,153	3.0	55
05/31/23	OPSB-01	1,580,834	2,782,884	2,328,550	1157	716,621	1138	2,100
05/31/23	OPSB-02	1,580,812	2,783,138	505,097	245	160,357	248	650
05/31/23	OPSB-03	1,580,599	2,783,013	700,063	343	247,434	387	900
05/31/23	OPSB-04	1,580,328	2,782,874	408,698	197	133,199	205	450
05/31/23	OPSB-05	1,580,386	2,783,136	446,083	216	156,044	241	450
05/30/23	MCSB-01	1,579,585	2,783,019	35,807	10.6	10,538	8.5	41
05/30/23	MCSB-02	1,579,573	2,783,167	34,096	9.7	9,678	7.1	39
05/30/23	MCSB-03	1,579,343	2,782,883	34,019	9.7	9,832	7.3	39
05/30/23	MCSB-04	1,579,317	2,783,098	34,656	10.0	10,811	8.9	40
05/24/23	MCSB-05	1,579,183	2,782,702	52,231	18.8	14,892	15	65
05/24/23	MCSB-06	1,579,162	2,783,064	31,976	8.7	8,548	5.3	37
05/24/23	MCSB-07	1,579,040	2,783,010	52,974	19.2	18,511	21	65
05/23/23	MCSB-08	1,578,849	2,782,249	107,010	46.2	39,626	55.0	125
05/23/23	MCSB-09	1,578,850	2,782,582	28,188	6.8	8,193	4.7	33
05/23/23	MCSB-10	1,578,758	2,782,444	39,814	12.6	12,984	12	43
05/22/23	MCSB-11	1,578,611	2,782,258	53,106	19.2	18,055	20	60
05/22/23	MCSB-12	1,578,521	2,782,569	29,299	7.3	9,090	6.1	33
05/22/23	MCSB-13	1,578,301	2,782,557	21,952	3.7	6,254	1.6	25
05/23/23	MCSB-14	1,578,278	2,782,258	21,642	3.5	6,366	1.8	25
05/18/23	MCSB-15	1,578,214	2,782,398	48,059	16.7	15,633	17	51
05/18/23	MCSB-16	1,578,084	2,782,313	30,445	7.9	11,069	9.3	33
05/18/23	MCSB-17	1,578,085	2,782,599	18,059	1.7	5,891	1.0	19
05/18/23	MCSB-18	1,578,071	2,782,424	17,170	1.3	5,046	<0.6	19
05/31/23	MCSB-19	1,578,837	2,782,317	69,850	27.6	24,522	31	80
05/31/23	MCSB-20	1,578,650	2,782,298	55,167	20.3	18,497	21	65



**Table 3**  
**Windblown Area Surface and Subsurface Soil Sample Field Ex-Situ Gamma Screening and Vendor Laboratory Results Summary**

Sampling Data					Field Soil Screening Data							Laboratory Data			
Sample ID	Sample Depth (ft)	Sample Date	Sample Time	Description	Screen Date	Sample Weight grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts CP5M	CPM	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226 Reference Soil CPM	Soil Gamma Screening Estimated Ra-226 pCi/g	SSL (< or >)	Sample Sent to Lab	Ra-226 pCi/g	Error Estimate pCi/g	MDC pCi/g
WBSB-01 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	855	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	1406	281	536	2.5	<	Y	0.9	0.1	0.1
WBSB-01 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	906	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	3000	1244	249	536	2.1	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-02 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	815	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	1577	315	536	3.0	<	Y	1.5	0.1	0.1
WBSB-02 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	820	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	2958	1008	204	536	1.5	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-03 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	942	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	2039	408	536	4.3	<	Y	3.2	0.2	0.1
WBSB-03 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	948	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	3000	1136	227	536	1.8	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-04 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	835	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	1521	304	536	2.9	<	Y	1.5	0.1	0.1
WBSB-04 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	845	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	2840	1189	251	536	2.1	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-05 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	920	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	1747	349	536	3.5	<	Y	2.1	0.2	0.1
WBSB-05 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	930	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	2835	1086	230	536	1.8	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-06 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	1054	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	1406	281	536	2.5	<	Y	1.3	0.1	0.1
DSSB-01			WBSB-06 0-6" Field QA/QC Duplicate								<	Y	1.1	0.1	0.1
WBSB-06 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	1100	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	2876	1004	209	536	1.5	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-07 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	1014	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	2272	454	536	5.0	≤	Y	3.7	0.2	0.1
WBSB-07 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	930	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	3000	1082	216	536	1.6	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-08 0-6"	0.5	5/17/2023	1034	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/17/2023	3000	4140	828	536	10.2	>	Y	9.7	0.3	0.2
WBSB-08 1'-1.5'	1.5	5/17/2023	1042	Brown silty clay	5/17/2023	3000	1118	224	536	1.7	<	Y	0.9	0.1	0.1
WBSB-09 0-6"	0.5	5/31/2023	825	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/31/2023	3000	1393	279	536	2.5	<	Y	1.2	0.1	0.1
WBSB-09 6-12"	1	5/31/2023	835	Brown silty clay	5/31/2023	3000	1170	234	536	1.9	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-10 0-6"	0.5	5/31/2023	910	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/31/2023	3000	2217	443	536	4.8	<	Y	3.5	0.2	0.1
WBSB-10 6-12"	1	5/31/2023	915	Brown loam/roots	5/31/2023	3000	1380	276	536	2.5	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-11 0-6"	0.5	5/31/2023	935	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/31/2023	3000	1959	392	536	4.1	<	Y	2.7	0.2	0.1
WBSB-11 6-12"	1	5/31/2023	940	Sandstone/sand	5/31/2023	2008	1053	315	536	3.0	<	N	-	-	-
WBSB-12 0-1"	0.08	5/31/2023	850	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/31/2023	3000	1736	347	536	3.5	<	Y	2.0	0.2	0.1
WBSB-12 2-6"	0.5	5/31/2023	900	Brown loam/ sandy	5/31/2023	3000	1117	223	536	1.7	<	Y	1.0	0.1	0.1

(1) Projection: NAD 1983, New Mexico West, Feet.

**Table 4**  
**Ore Pad Area Subsurface Soil Sample Field Ex-Situ Gamma Screening and Vendor Laboratory Results Summary**

Sampling Data					Field Soil Screening Data							Laboratory Data			
Sample ID	Sample Depth (ft)	Sample Date	Sample Time	Description	Screen Date	Sample Weight grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts CP5M	CPM	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226 Reference Soil CPM	Soil Gamma Screening Estimated Ra-226 pCi/g	SSL (< or >)	Sample Sent to Lab	Ra-226 pCi/g	Error Estimate pCi/g	MDC pCi/g
OPSB-01 0-13'	0 to 13'	6/1/2023	1005	Light/dark grey waste rock	6/1/2023	3000	26904	5381	529	74	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-01 13.5'	13.5	6/1/2023	1020	Light/dark grey waste rock	6/1/2023	3000	11560	2312	529	31	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-02 0-4'	0 to 4'	6/1/2023	1115	Grey/dark ore waste rock	6/1/2023	3000	182551	36510	529	510	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-02 4.5'	4.5	6/1/2023	1100	Dark/light grey clay & waste rock	6/1/2023	3000	35425	7085	529	98	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-02 5.5'	5.5	6/1/2023	1120	Light brown silty sand mix	6/1/2023	3000	1189	238	529	1.9	<	Y	0.9	0.1	0.1
DSSB-05			OPSB-02 5.5' Field QA/QC Duplicate								<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
OPSB-03 0-4'	0 to 4'	6/1/2023	850	Grey/dark waste rock mix	6/1/2023	3000	56365	11273	529	156	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-03 4.2'	4.2	6/1/2023	910	Grey/dark brown clay waste rock mix	6/1/2023	1708	2091	735	529	8.9	>	Y	4.4	0.2	0.1
OPSB-03 4.5'	4.5	6/1/2023	925	Dark brown clay	6/1/2023	3000	1193	239	529	1.9	<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
OPSB-04 0-4'	0 to 4'	6/1/2023	815	Grey/dark waste rock mix	6/1/2023	3000	8428	1686	529	22	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-04 4.8'	4.83	6/1/2023	825	Dark clay mixed with brown silty soil	6/1/2023	3000	1124	225	529	1.8	<	N	-	-	-
OPSB-04 4.5'	4.5	6/1/2023	835	Grey/dark brown clay waste rock mix	6/1/2023	3000	4373	875	529	11	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-05 0-3'	0 to 3'	6/1/2023	1200	Grey/dark waste rock mix	6/1/2023	3000	32147	6429	529	89	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-05 3'	3	6/1/2023	1140	Grey/dark brown clay waste rock mix	6/1/2023	3000	5526	1105	529	14	>	N	-	-	-
OPSB-05 3.75'	3.75	6/1/2023	1155	Light brown sandy silty soil	6/1/2023	3000	1587	317	529	3.0	<	Y	0.9	0.1	0.1

(1) Projection: NAD 1983, New Mexico West, Feet.

**Table 5**  
**Mine Compound Test Pit Subsurface Soil Sample Field Ex-Situ Gamma Screening and Vendor Laboratory Results Summary**

Sampling Data				Field Soil Screening Data								Laboratory Data			
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MCSB-01 1'	1	5/30/2023	1240	3" Roadbase gravel mixed with dark brown silty clay	5/30/2023	3000	2326	465	570	5.1	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-01 2'	2	5/30/2023	1250	Brown loamy clay w/ gravel	5/30/2023	3000	2965	593	570	6.9	≈	Y	5.9	0.2	0.1
DSSB-04			MCSB-01 2' Field QA/QC Duplicate								≈	Y	5.8	0.2	0.1
MCSB-01 3'	3	5/30/2023	1300	Brown loamy soil	5/30/2023	3000	1240	248	570	2.1	<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
MCSB-01 4'	4	5/30/2023	1315	Brown loamy clay	5/30/2023	3000	1120	224	570	1.7	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-02 1'	1	5/30/2023	1030	Red roadbase gravel	5/30/2023	3000	1243	249	570	2.1	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-02 2'	2	5/30/2023	1040	silty clay mix w/ 3/4" gravel	5/30/2023	3000	1620	324	570	3.1	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-02 3'	3	5/30/2023	1050	Grey, greenish black clay/bentonite	5/30/2023	3000	947	189	570	1.2	<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
MCSB-02 4'	4	5/30/2023	1100	Loose sandy silt w/ reddish gravel. Slight DRO odor	5/30/2023	3000	5236	1047	570	13.3	>	Y	12.6	0.4	0.2
MCSB-02 5.2'	5.2	5/30/2023	1115	Loose dark brown silty clay	5/30/2023	3000	1426	285	570	2.6	<	Y	1.4	0.1	0.1
MCSB-03 1'	1	5/30/2023	1340	Light brown loamy soil w/ small amounts gravel	5/30/2023	3000	3386	677	570	8.1	>	Y	5.9	0.2	0.1
MCSB-03 2'	2	5/30/2023	1350	Brown loamy soil	5/30/2023	3000	1201	240	570	2.0	<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
MCSB-03 3'	3	5/30/2023	1400	Brown sandy loam	5/30/2023	3000	1279	256	570	2.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-04 1'	1	5/30/2023	935	0-6" Red roadbase gravel, 6"-12" Brown silty soil w/ gravel	5/30/2023	3000	1055	211	570	1.6	<	Y	1.4	0.1	0.1
MCSB-04 2'	2	5/30/2023	945	Gravel roadbase	5/30/2023	3000	1919	384	570	4.0	<	Y	3.4	0.2	0.1
MCSB-04 3.5'	3.5	5/30/2023	955	Mixed dark brown silty sandy and rocks	5/30/2023	3000	1017	203	570	1.4	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-04 4.5'	4.5	5/30/2023	1005	Dark brown silty clay w/ gravel-cobbles	5/30/2023	3000	1274	255	570	2.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-5 1'	1	5/24/2023	1010	0-6" gravel roadbase, 6"-12" brown silty sand	5/25/2023	3000	1183	237	555	1.9	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-5 2'	2	5/24/2023	1020	Brown silty sandy soil	5/25/2023	3000	1309	262	555	2.3	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-5 3'	3	5/24/2023	1030	Rocky w/ silty sand soil	5/25/2023	3000	1162	232	555	1.8	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-5 4'	4	5/24/2023	1040	Rocky w/ silty sand soil	5/25/2023	3000	1262	252	555	2.1	<	Y	1.5	0.1	0.1
MCSB-5 6'	6	5/24/2023	1100	Gravel, sandy soil	5/25/2023	3000	6564	1313	555	17.0	>	Y	16.1	0.4	0.2
MCSB-5 7.5'	7.5	5/24/2023	1110	Dark brown silty soil	5/25/2023	3000	1150	230	555	1.8	<	Y	1.0	0.1	0.1
MCSB-06 1'	1	5/30/2023	822	0-8" red 1" roadbase gravel, 8"-12" dark brown soil gravel mix	5/30/2023	3000	19543	3909	570	53.3	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-06 2'	2	5/30/2023	835	Dark brown packed clay with gravel	5/30/2023	3000	4112	822	570	10.1	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-06 3.25'	3.25	5/30/2023	850	Dark brown packed clay with gravel	5/30/2023	3000	1477	295	570	2.7	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-06 4.25'	4.25	5/30/2023	900	Dark brown silty clay	5/30/2023	3000	1091	218	570	1.7	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-06 6'	6	5/30/2023	915	Rocky silty clay	5/30/2023	3000	1311	262	570	2.3	<	Y	1.9	0.2	0.1

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MCSB-7 1'	1	5/24/2023	1220	Gravel/Roadbase w/ sand	5/25/2023	3000	10973	2195	555	29.3	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-7 2'	2	5/24/2023	1232	Dark brown clay/bentonite silty	5/25/2023	3000	1333	267	555	2.3	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-7 3'	3	5/24/2023	1246	light brown/greyish sandy silty	5/25/2023	3000	2872	574	555	6.6	≈	Y	6.3	0.2	0.1
DSSB-03				MCSB-7 3' Field QA/QC Duplicate								Y	6.2	0.2	0.1
MCSB-7 4.5'	4.5	5/24/2023	1300	Light brown silty sand mix	5/25/2023	3000	1396	279	555	2.5	<	Y	1.2	0.1	0.1
MCSB-7 5.5'	5.5	5/24/2023	1110	Light brown/grey clay soil	5/25/2023	3000	1150	230	555	1.8	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-08 1'	1	5/23/2023	1035	Clay mixed w/ grey waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	29705	5941	586	81.8	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-08 2'	2	5/23/2023	1045	Clay mixed w/ grey waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	34740	6948	586	95.9	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-08 3'	3	5/23/2023	1058	Clay mixed w/ sandy grey waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	19380	3876	586	52.9	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-08 5'	5	5/23/2023	1110	Clay mixed w/ sandy grey waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	33460	6692	586	92.3	>	Y	77.1	0.9	0.4
MCSB-08 6.5'	6.5	5/23/2023	1125	Black gravel/soil DRO odor	5/23/2023	3000	1266	253	586	2.1	<	Y	1.1	0.1	0.1
MCSB-08 12'	12	5/23/2023	1145	Dark rocky clay	5/23/2023	3000	2421	484	586	5.4	≤	N	-	-	-
MCSB-9 1'	1	5/24/2023	825	Gravel/Roadbase w/ sand	5/25/2023	3000	4191	838	555	10.3	>	Y	7.9	0.3	0.1
MCSB-9 2'	2	5/24/2023	840	Brown sandy soil	5/25/2023	3000	980	196	555	1.3	<	Y	0.6	0.1	0.1
MCSB-9 3'	3	5/24/2023	850	Brown sandy soil	5/25/2023	3000	1056	211	555	1.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-9 4'	4	5/24/2023	900	Brown sandy soil	5/25/2023	3000	1082	216	555	1.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-10 1'	1	5/24/2023	915	Gravel/Roadbase w/ sand	5/25/2023	3000	920	184	555	1.2	<	Y	0.8	0.1	0.1
MCSB-10 2'	2	5/24/2023	922	Loose light brown sandy silty soil	5/25/2023	3000	913	183	555	1.2	<	Y			
MCSB-10 3'	3	5/24/2023	930	Dark brown clay mix w/ sandy silt	5/25/2023	3000	930	186	555	1.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-10 4'	4	5/24/2023	943	Dark brown clay mix w/ sandy silt	5/25/2023	3000	1055	211	555	1.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-11 1'	1	5/22/2023	1030	0-4" Roadbase gravel, 4"-12" grey rocky sandy waste rock	5/22/2023	3000	12907	2581	551	34.7	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-11 2'	2	5/22/2023	1040	Dark grey rocky sandy waste rock	5/22/2023	3000	42761	8552	551	118.3	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-11 3'	3	5/22/2023	1050	Grey waste rock w/ brown silty mix	5/22/2023	3000	15497	3099	551	42.0	>	N	-	-	-
MCSB-11 4'	4	5/22/2023	1104	Dark brown rocky loose soil	5/22/2023	3000	3871	774	551	9.4	>	Y	11.0	0.4	0.2
MCSB-11 5'	5	5/22/2023	1112	Dark brown clay mix w/ pebbles	5/22/2023	3000	2036	407	551	4.3	<	Y	2.8	0.2	0.1
MCSB-11 6'	6	5/23/2023	835	Dark brown sandy clay mix	5/23/2023	3000	1824	365	586	3.7	<	N	-	-	-

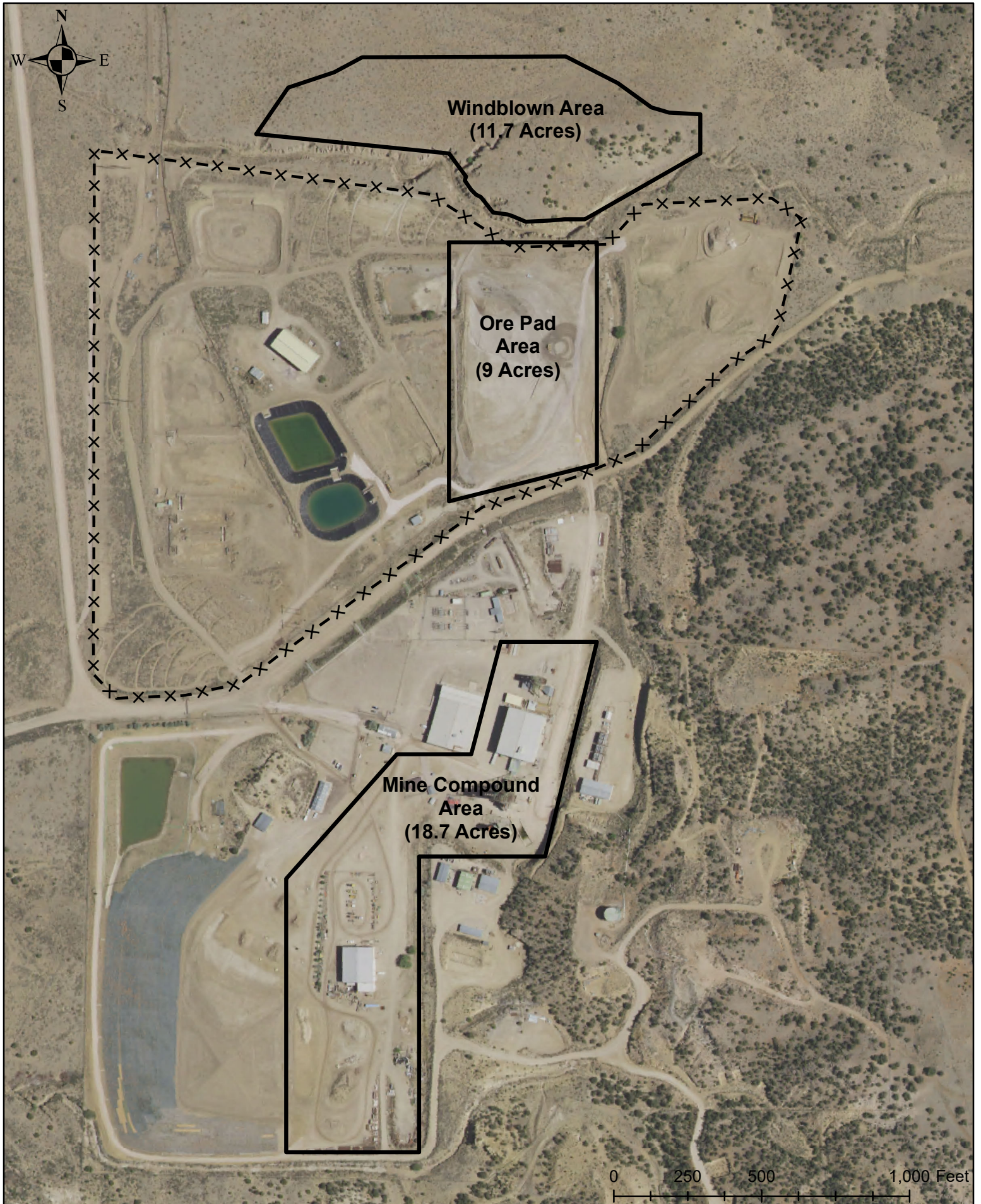
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MCSB-12 1'	1	5/22/2023	928	0-6" Roadbase gravel, 6"-12" 3/4-1" gravel sandy	5/22/2023	3000	1957	391	551	4.1	<	Y	3.3	0.2	0.1
MCSB-12 2'	2	5/22/2023	935	Black gravel/soil DRO odor	5/22/2023	3000	1793	359	551	3.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-12 3'	3	5/22/2023	948	Hard packed brown silty sand	5/22/2023	3000	915	183	551	1.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-12 4'	4	5/22/2023	956	Hard packed brown silty sand	5/22/2023	3000	923	185	551	1.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-13 1'	1	5/22/2023	825	0-4" Roadbase gravel, 4"-12" dark silty clay	5/22/2023	3000	1197	239	551	1.9	<	Y	1.2	0.1	0.1
MCSB-13 2'	2	5/22/2023	839	Dark silty clay	5/22/2023	3000	1253	251	551	2.1	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-13 3'	3	5/22/2023	851	Dark silty clay	5/22/2023	3000	1309	262	551	2.3	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-13 4'	4	5/22/2023	905	Light brown sandstone silty	5/22/2023	3000	1210	242	551	2.0	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-14 1'	1	5/23/2023	853	Dark brown topsoil, cobbles	5/23/2023	3000	1982	396	586	4.1	<	Y	3.8	0.2	0.1
MCSB-14 2'	2	5/23/2023	905	Grey sandy waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	1942	388	586	4.0	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-14 3'	3	5/23/2023	915	Grey sandy waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	1856	371	586	3.8	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-14 4'	4	5/23/2023	920	Grey sandy waste rock	5/23/2023	3000	1795	359	586	3.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-14 5'	5	5/23/2023	932	Dark brown clay	5/23/2023	3000	1274	255	586	2.2	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-14 6'	6	5/23/2023	950	Dark brown clay	5/23/2023	3000	1059	212	586	1.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-15 1'	1	5/18/2023	1138	Light brown clay/sand mix	5/18/2023	3000	1503	301	539	2.8	<	Y	1.6	0.1	0.1
DSSB-02			MCSB-15 1' Field QA/QC Duplicate								<	Y	1.3	0.1	0.1
MCSB-15 2'	2	5/18/2023	1145	Light brown clay/sand-road base mixed	5/18/2023	3000	1389	278	539	2.5	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-15 3'	3	5/18/2023	1158	Brown /greyish clay/sand mix	5/18/2023	3000	2206	441	539	4.8	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-15 4'	4	5/18/2023	1212	Brown clay/sand mix	5/18/2023	3000	1415	283	539	2.6	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-16 1'	1	5/18/2023	1045	Rocky w/ sand - grey/light green color	5/18/2023	3000	2498	500	539	5.6	≤	Y	4.8	0.2	0.2
MCSB-16 2'	2	5/18/2023	1100	Light brown alluvium, sandy-loam	5/18/2023	3000	1646	329	539	3.2	<	Y	2.4	0.2	0.1
MCSB-16 3'	3	5/18/2023	1110	Shale/sandy, light grey/brown	5/18/2023	3000	1587	317	539	3.0	<	N	-	-	-
MCSB-16 4'	4	5/18/2023	1120	Light borown sandy loam	5/18/2023	3000	1280	256	539	2.2	<	N	-	-	-

**Table 6**  
**Subsurface Ra-226 Contamination Depth Summary**

Area	Test Pit ID	Test Pit Location Coordinates, NAD83 NM West (Feet)		Date	Depth of Soil Ra-226 Contamination >RCC (Feet bgs)
		Northing	Easting		
Windblown Area	WBSB-01	1581418.18	2782862.43	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-02	1581391.39	2782444.66	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-03	1581357.28	2783327.71	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-04	1581342.67	2782705.31	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-05	1581330.49	2783059.75	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-06	1581265.93	2782941.60	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-07	1581192.86	2783257.06	05/17/23	0
	WBSB-08	1581162.41	2782991.54	05/17/23	0.5
	WBSB-09	1580833.55	2782884.36	05/31/23	0
	WBSB-10	1580832.33	2783163.28	05/31/23	0
	WBSB-11	1580598.48	2783012.25	05/31/23	0
	WBSB-12	1580328.08	2782874.61	05/31/23	0
Ore Pad Area	OPSB-01	1580834.11	2782884.42	05/31/23	≈15
	OPSB-02	1580811.55	2783138.10	05/31/23	4.2
	OPSB-03	1580599.03	2783012.73	05/31/23	4.3
	OPSB-04	1580328.29	2782874.34	05/31/23	4.5
	OPSB-05	1580386.28	2783136.44	05/31/23	3.0
	OPSB-06	1580827.17	2783031.17	06/07/23	3.0
	OPSB-07	1580839.91	2782985.85	06/07/23	3.0
	OPSB-08	1580839.92	2782946.79	06/07/23	≈15
Mine Compound Area	MCSB-01	1579584.67	2783018.74	05/30/23	<1.0
	MCSB-02	1579573.01	2783166.70	05/30/23	0 to 1.0 and 3.5 to 4.5
	MCSB-03	1579343.02	2782883.30	05/30/23	<1.0
	MCSB-04	1579317.49	2783098.04	05/30/23	<1.0
	MCSB-05	1579183.08	2782701.94	05/24/23	0 to 1.0 and 6.0 to 7.0
	MCSB-06	1579162.34	2783064.40	05/24/23	2.0
	MCSB-07	1579040.09	2783009.78	05/24/23	1.0
	MCSB-08	1578849.18	2782249.48	05/23/23	6.0
	MCSB-09	1578849.89	2782581.54	05/23/23	<0.5
	MCSB-10	1578758.24	2782443.51	05/23/23	<1.0
	MCSB-11	1578610.92	2782257.53	05/22/23	4.5
	MCSB-12	1578520.57	2782569.17	05/22/23	<1.0
	MCSB-13	1578300.74	2782557.01	05/22/23	0
	MCSB-14	1578278.15	2782258.40	05/23/23	0
	MCSB-15	1578214.43	2782398.32	05/18/23	<0.5
	MCSB-16	1578084.02	2782313.13	05/18/23	<1.0
	MCSB-17	1578084.66	2782598.61	05/18/23	0
	MCSB-18	1578071.36	2782423.53	05/18/23	0

## Figures



**Figure 1**  
**Mt. Taylor Mine Site**  
**Soil Radiologic Characterization Areas**

**Legend**

× - × North Controlled Fence

□ Soil Radiologic Characterization Area



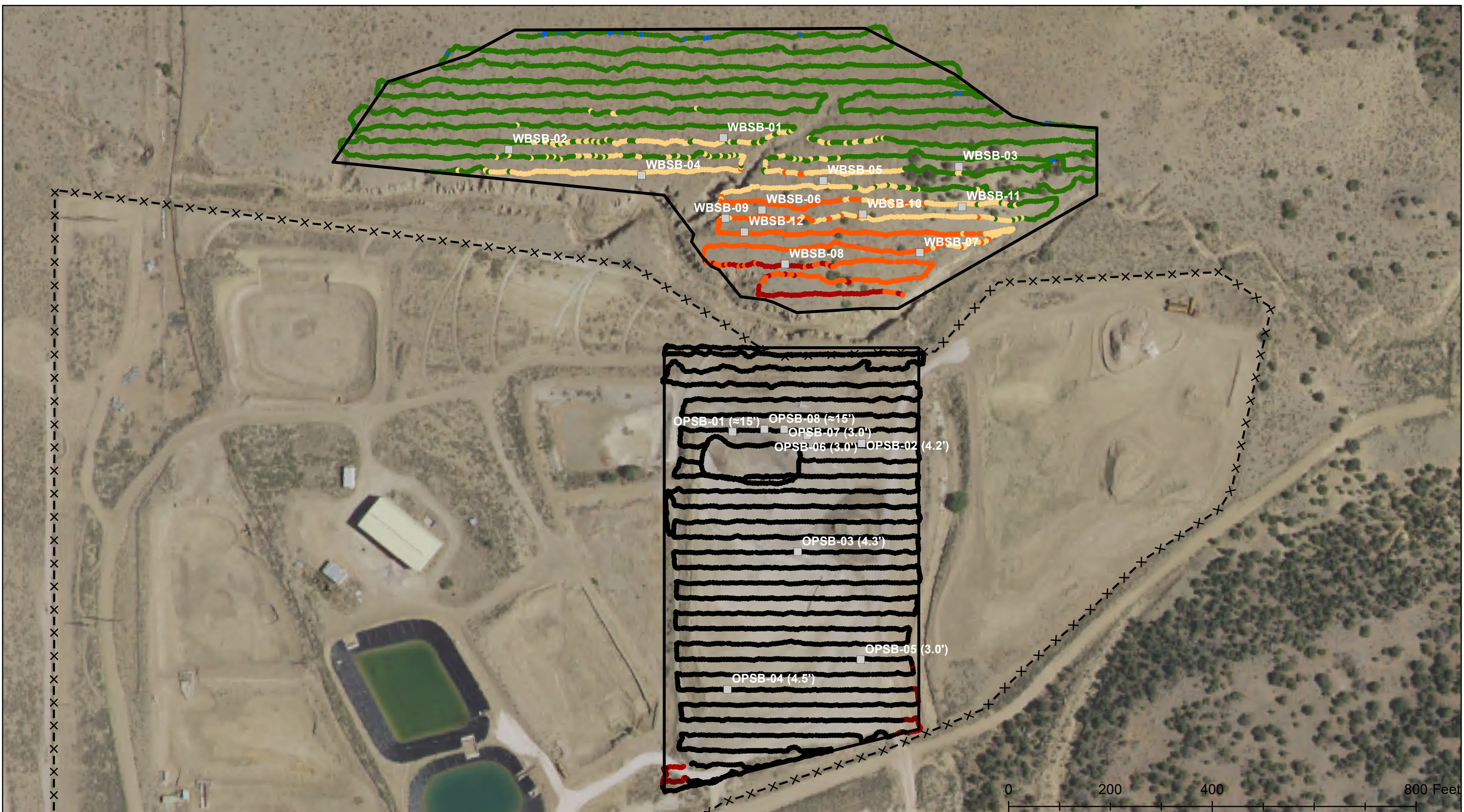


Figure 2  
 Mt. Taylor Mine Site  
 Windblown and Ore Pad Area Soil Sample/Test Pit Locations  
 and April 2023 Surface Gamma Scan Survey

**Legend**

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| <b>Ra-226 pCi/g</b> | ● 6.9 - 10.0 pCi/g  | ● 30.1 - 40.0 pCi/g          | □ Soil Radiologic Characterization Area                       |
| ● <1.8 pCi/g        | ● 10.1 - 20.0 pCi/g | ● >40.1 pCi/g                | ■ Soil Sample/Test Pit (>6.8 Ra-226 pCi/g RCC Depth) Location |
| ● 1.9 - 6.8 pCi/g   | ● 20.1 - 30.0 pCi/g | × - × North Controlled Fence |   |

Note: Ra-226 pCi/g is determined from surface soil gamma radiation scan using 2x2 NaI detector and Site specific gamma radiation level (cpm) correlation.



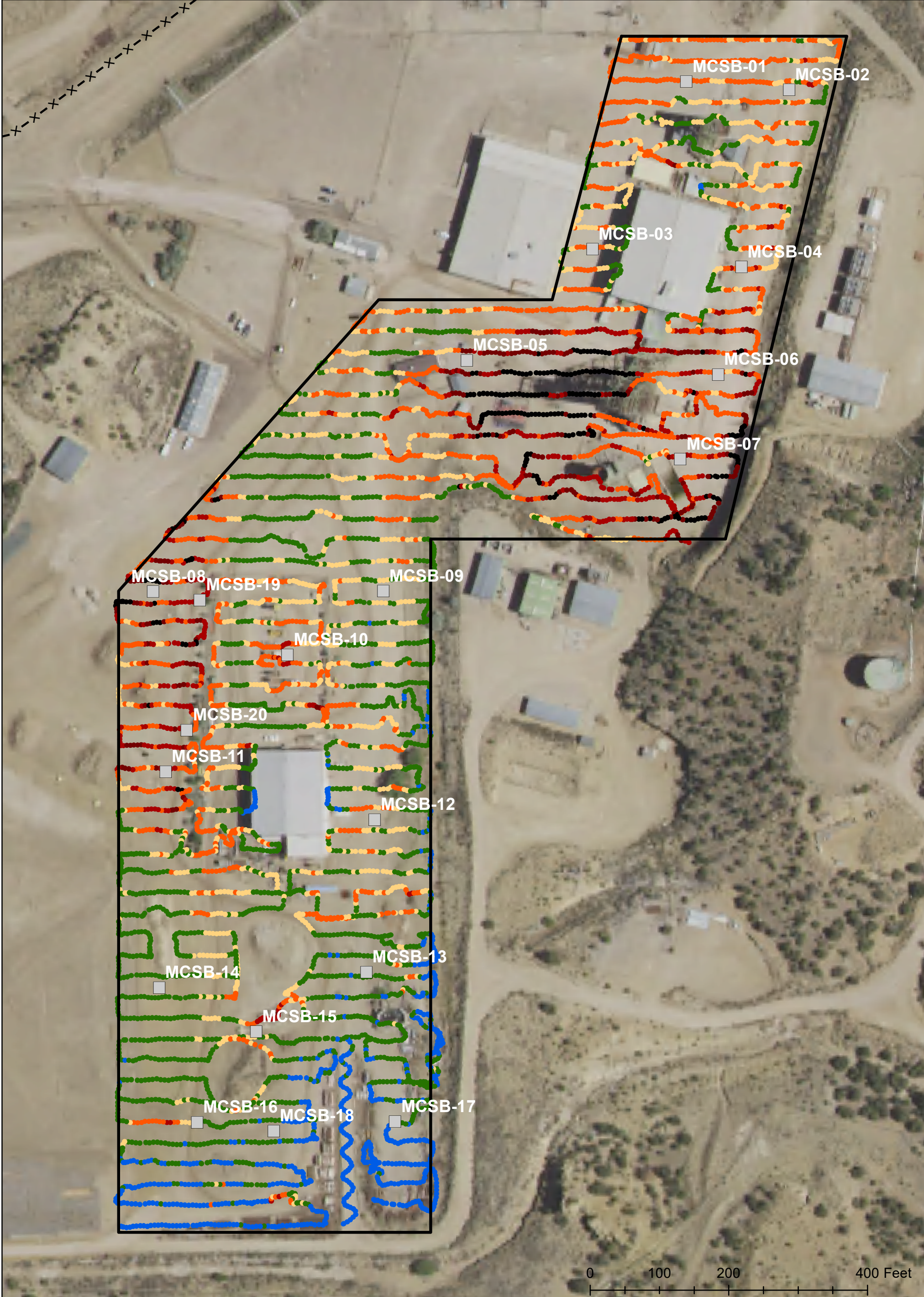
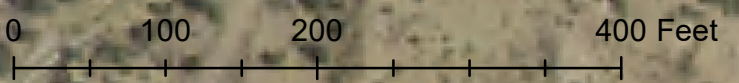
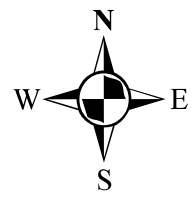


Figure 3  
 Mt. Taylor Mine Site  
 Mine Compound Area Soil Sample/Test Pit Locations  
 and April 2023 Surface Gamma Scan Survey



Legend	
<b>Ra-226 pCi/g</b>	
● <1.8 pCi/g	● 30.1 - 40.0 pCi/g
● 1.9 - 6.8 pCi/g	● >40.1 pCi/g
● 6.9 - 10.0 pCi/g	■ Soil Sample/Test Pit Location
● 10.1 - 20.0 pCi/g	× — × North Controlled Fence
● 20.1 - 30.0 pCi/g	□ Soil Radiologic Characterization Area

Note: Ra-226 pCi/g is determined from surface soil gamma radiation scan using 2x2 NaI detector and Site specific gamma radiation level (cpm) correlation.

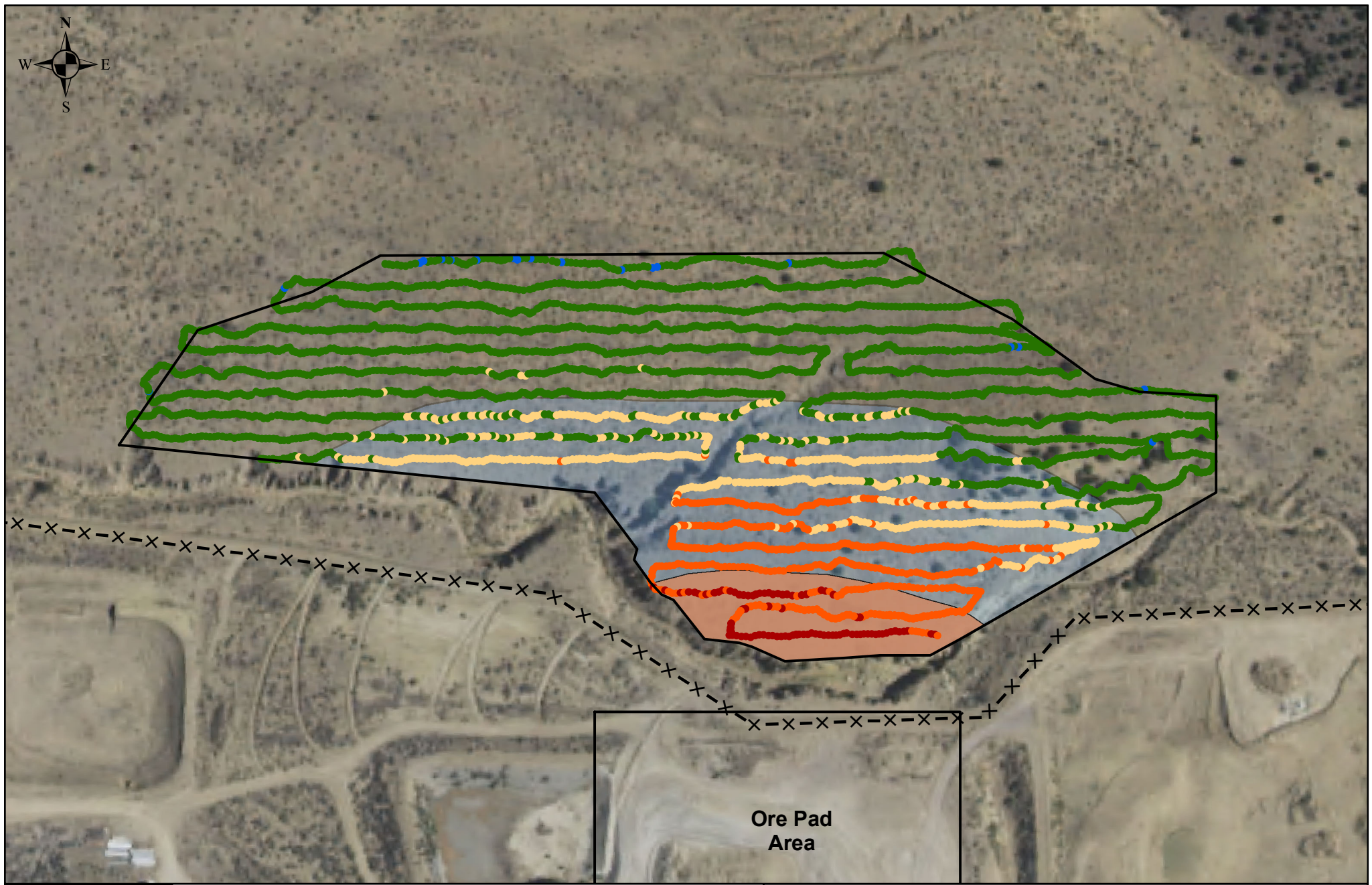


Figure 4  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site  
Windblown Area Surface Soil Ra-226 6.8 pCi/g  
Release Criteria Contamination Boundary



**Legend**

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|---------------------|----------------------------|---|
| ● <1.8 pCi/g        | ● 20.1 - 30.0 pCi/g        | ■ Surface Gamma Scan Survey Based 6.8 Ra-226 Boundary |
| ● 1.9 - 6.8 pCi/g   | ● 30.1 - 40.0 pCi/g        | ■ Soil Sample Based 6.8 Ra-226 pCi/g Boundary         |
| ● 6.9 - 10.0 pCi/g  | ● >40.1 pCi/g              | □ Soil Radiologic Characterization Area               |
| ● 10.1 - 20.0 pCi/g | × — North Controlled Fence |   |

Note: Ra-226 pCi/g is determined from surface soil gamma radiation scan using 2x2 NaI detector and Site specific gamma radiation level (cpm) correlation.

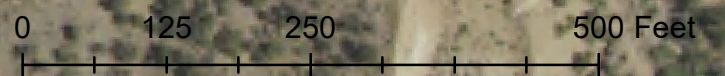
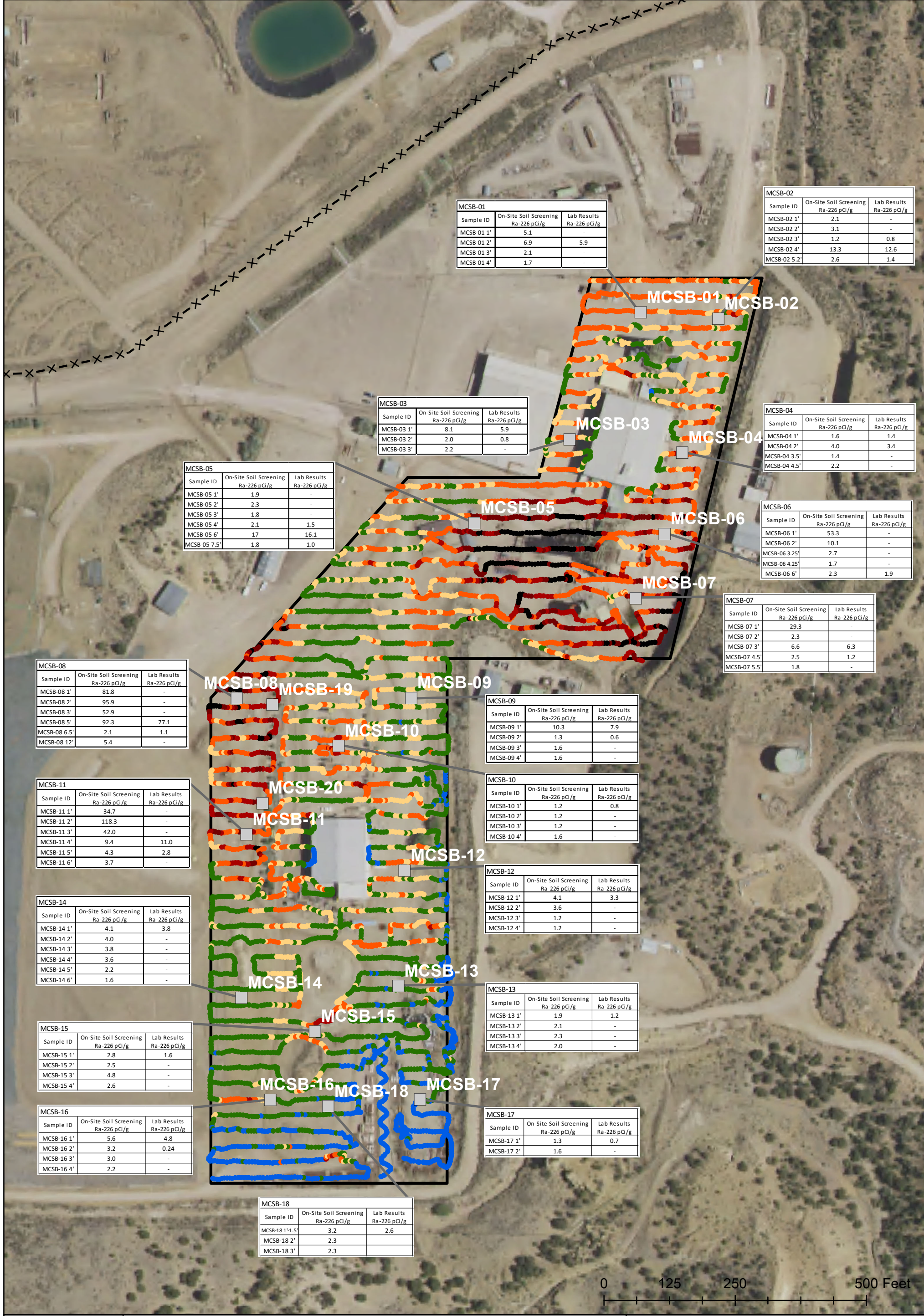


Figure 5  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site  
Mine Compound Area Subsurface Soil Sample  
On-Site Ex-Situ Soil Screening and Lab Results  
and April 2023 Surface Gamma Scan Survey

**Legend**

- <1.8 pCi/g
- 1.9 - 6.8 pCi/g
- 6.9 - 10.0 pCi/g
- 10.1 - 20.0 pCi/g
- 20.1 - 30.0 pCi/g
- 30.1 - 40.0 pCi/g
- >40.1 pCi/g
- Soil Sample/Test Pit Location
- ✕ North Controlled Fence
- Soil Radiologic Characterization Area

Note: Ra-226 pCi/g is determined from surface soil gamma radiation scan using 2x2 NaI detector and Site specific gamma radiation level (cpm) correlation.

**Appendix A**  
**Surface Gamma Radiation Static Survey Field Forms**

**AVM Environmental Services, Inc.**  
**Gamma Radiation Survey**  
**Static Gamma Radiation Survey Field Form**

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2241-2 S#287029 Detector SPA-3 #30

Instrument Calibration Date: 10-7-22, Instrument Daily Function Check Performed:

2"x2" NaI Detector Collimated  Yes or  No.

Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Survey Date	Survey Point ID/Description	Survey Point Coordinate		Gamma Radiation Reading - CPM		Exposure Rate $\mu$ R/hr	Comments/Notes
		Northing	Easting	Bare	Collimated (0.5"Pb)		
5-17-23	WBSB-01	1581412.80	2782866.15	26897	6297	33	
5-17-23	WBSB-02	1581389.51	2782444.25	26749	6350	33	
5-17-23	WBSB-03	1581356.39	2783329.27	24529	6073	31	
5-17-23	WBSB-04	1581338.82	2782705.91	30064	6069	37	
5-17-23	WBSB-05	1581328.80	2783062.43	31828	6945	41	
5-17-23	WBSB-06	1581271.37	2782942.27	35410	7288	47	
5-17-23	WBSB-07	1581187.28	2783252.71	37965	8183	47	
5-17-23	WBSB-08	1581164.47	2782987.54	55849	11042	70	
5-31-23	WBSB-09	1581254.28	2782870.27	36491	6599	44	
5-31-23	WBSB-10	1581262.56	2783140.16	34898	7286	48	
5-31-23	WBSB-11	1581277.45	2783335.44	29002	6602	34	
5-31-23	WBSB-12	1581227.90	2782907.89	40341	7153	55	
5-31-23	OPSB-01	1580834.11	2782884.42	2328550	716621	2100	
5-31-23	OPSB-02	1580811.55	2783138.10	505097	160357	650	
5-31-23	OPSB-03	1580599.03	2783012.73	700063	247434	900	
5-31-23	OPSB-04	1580328.29	2782874.34	408698	133199	450	
5-31-23	OPSB-05	1580386.28	2783136.44	446083	156044	450	
5-30-23	MCSB-01	1579584.67	2783018.74	35807	10538	41	
5-30-23	MCSB-02	1579573.01	2783166.70	34096	9678	39	
5-30-23	MCSB-03	1579343.02	2782883.30	34019	9832	39	
5-30-23	MCSB-04	1579317.49	2783098.04	34656	10811	40	

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Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2241-2 #287029 Detector SPA-3 #30

Instrument Calibration Date: 10-7-22, Instrument Daily Function Check Performed:

2"x2" NaI Detector Collimated  Yes or  No.

Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Survey Date	Survey Point ID/Description	Survey Point Coordinate		Gamma Radiation Reading - CPM		Exposure Rate $\mu$ R/hr	Comments/Notes
		Northing	Easting	Bare	Collimated (0.5" Pb)		
5-24-23	MCSB-05	1579183.08	2782701.94	52231	14892	65	
5-24-23	MCSB-06	1579162.34	2783064.40	<del>31976</del> 319670	8548	37	
5-24-23	MCSB-07	1579040.09	2783009.78	52974	18511	65	
5-23-23	MCSB-08	1578849.18	2782249.48	107010	39626	125	
5-23-23	MCSB-09	1578849.89	2782581.54	28188	8193	33	
5-23-23	MCSB-10	1578758.24	2782443.51	39814	12984	43	
5-22-23	MCSB-11	1578610.92	2782257.53	53106	18055	60	
5-22-23	MCSB-12	1578520.57	2782569.17	29299	9090	33	
5-22-23	MCSB-13	1578300.74	2782557.01	21952	6254	25	
5-23-23	MCSB-14	1578278.15	2782258.40	21642	6366	25	
5-18-23	MCSB-15	1578214.43	2782398.32	48059	15633	51	
5-18-23	MCSB-16	1578084.02	2782313.13	30445	11069	33	
5-18-23	MCSB-17	1578084.66	2782598.61	18059	5891	19	
5-18-23	MCSB-18	1578071.36	2782423.53	17170	5046	19	

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**Gamma Radiation Survey**  
**Static Gamma Radiation Survey Field Form**

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2241-25#287029 , Detector SPA-3 #30

Instrument Calibration Date: 10-7-23 , Instrument Daily Function Check Performed: ✓

2"x2" NaI Detector Collimated  Yes or  No.

Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Survey Date	Survey Point ID/Description	Survey Point Coordinate		Gamma Radiation Reading - CPM		Exposure Rate $\mu$ R/hr	Comments/Notes
		Northing	Easting	Bare	Collimated (0.5"Pb)		
5-31-23	MCSD-19	1578837	2782317	69850	24522	80	
5-31-23	MCSD-20	1578650	2782298	55167	18497	65	

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## **Appendix B**

**Surface and Subsurface Contamination Field Investigation Documentation  
Soil Sample Log Forms  
Field Soil Sample Ex-Situ Gamma Radiation Screening Forms  
Soil Sample COCs and Laboratory Analytical Result Reports)**

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Subsurface Soil Sample Log Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
WBSB-02 0-0.5'	0815 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium Loam	Surface Soil dry
WBSB-02 1.0-1.5'	0820 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	Brown Silty clay	Moist soil
WBSB-04 0-0.5'	0835 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium - loam	
WBSB-04 1.0-1.5'	0845 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	Brown Silty clay	
WBSB-01 0-0.5'	0855 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium Loam	
WBSB-01 1.0-1.5'	0906 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	Brown Silty clay	
WBSB-05 0-0.5'	0920 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium - Loam	
WBSB-05 1.0-1.5'	0930 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	brown silty clay	
WBSB-03 0-0.5'	0942 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium - Loam	
WBSB-03 1.0-1.5'	0948 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	brown silty clay	
WBSB-07 0-6"	1014 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium Loam	
WBSB-07 1.0-1.5'	1020 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	brown silty clay	
WBSB-08 0-0.5" NR	1034 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium - Loam	
WBSB-08 1.0-1.5'	1042 5-17-23	1.0-1.5'	brown silty clay	

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
WBSB-06 0-0.5'	1054 5-17-23	0-6"	Light brown Alluvium - loam	
WBSB-06 1.0-1.5'	1100 5-17-23	1.0'-1.5'	brown silty clay	
WBSB-09 0-6"	5-31-23 @825	0-6"	light brown Alluvium sandy	
WBSB-09 6-12"	5-31-23 @835	6-12"	brown silty clay	
WBSB-12 0-1"	5-31-23 @850	0-1"	Alluvium brown sandy	
WBSB-12 2-6"	5-31-23 @900	2-6"	brown loam / sand	
WBSB-10 0-6"	5-31-23 @910	0-6"	Alluvium light brown sandy	
WBSB-10 6-12"	5-31-23 @915	6-12"	brown loam / roots	
WBSB-11 0-6"	5-31-23 @935	0-6"	Alluvium light brown sandy	
WBSB-11 6-10"	5-31-23 940	6-10"	Sandstone / sand	

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
MCSB-17 1	5-18-23 845	1'		0-1' gravel/Road base @1' appears native
MCSB-17 2	5-18-23 857	2'		native to depth of 5.5'
MCSB-18-1-1.5	5-18-23 948	1-1.5'		
MCSB-18 2	5-18-23 958	2'	clay sand loam Dark carbonate matrix color	metal Debris @ 2.5'
MCSB-18 3	5-18-23 1010	3'	Charcoal - Rust light Brown	
MCSB-18 4	5-18-23 1018	4'	Clay Dark Brown	native @ 7.5'
MCSB-16 1	5-18-23 1045	1'	Rocky light grey/green	Top 1' ± 5" soil ± 5" gravel
MCSB-16 2	5-18-23 1100	2'	light brown Alluvium/Sand	
MCSB-16 3	5-18-23 1110	3'	light greyish/Brown mix of Silt	
MCSB-16 4	5-18-23 1120	4'		
MCSB-15 1	5-18-23 1138	1'	Brown clay/sand	from borrow A or B
MCSB-15 2	5-18-23 1145	2'	" " / gravel Road base	
MCSB-15 3	5-18-23 1158	3'	Brown clay/sand grey	
MCSB-15 4	5-18-23 1212	4'	Brown Clay/sand	

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
MCSB-13-1'	5-22-23 825	1'	0-4" Road base 4-12" Dark Silt Clay	
MCSB-13 2'	5-22-23 839	2'	1'-2' Dark Silt Clay	
MCSB-13 3'	5-22-23 851	3'	Light/Dark Silt Clay	
MCSB-13 4'	5-22-23 905	4'	Sandstone light brown Sandy/Silt Soil	same @ 6'
MCSB-12 1'	5-22-23 928	1'	0-6" Road base 6"-12" Large gravel 3/4"-1"	
MCSB-12 2'	5-22-23 935	2'	Dark/Black gravel odor/DRO	
MCSB-12 3'	5-22-23 948	3'	Brown Silty/Sandy Hard pack	
MCSB-12 4'	5-22-23 956	4'	" " "	
MCSB-11 1'	5-22-23 1030	1'	0-4" Road base 4-12" Grey Rock, loose waste rock	
MCSB-11 2'	5-22-23 1040	2'	Dark Grey Rock, loose Soil white rock	
MCSB-11 3'	5-22-23 1050	3'	Grey Waste Rock/Brown Silty mix	
MCSB-11 4'	5-22-23 1104	4'	Dark brown/Rocky interface	
MCSB-11 5'	5-22-23 1112	5'	Dark brown/Rocky Clay Pebbles	appears reactive @ 6.5'
MCSB-11 6'	5-23-23 835	6'	Dark brown clay/Sand	

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
MCSB-14 1'	5-23-23 853	1'	Cobble Dark brown top soil maybe backfill	
MCSB-14 2'	5-23-23 905	2'	Grey/mine waste	Metal Debris @ 1'-2'
MCSB-14 3'	5-23-23 915	3'	" " "	Metal Debris hoses etc.
MCSB-14 4'	5-23-23 920	4'	" " "	Debris
MCSB-14 5'	5-23-23 932	5'	Dark brown clay	
MCSB-14 6'	5-23-23 950	6'	" "	Clay & Charcoal Post 6'
MCSB-08 1'	5-23-23 1035	1'	Clay mix w/ Mine Waste Rock	
MCSB-08 2'	5-23-23 1045	2'	" " "	
MCSB-08 3'	5-23-23 1058	3'	" " " Sandy	
MCSB-08 5'	5-23-23 1110	5'	Sandy/clay mine waste	3'-5' Same material
MCSB-08 6.5'	5-23-23 1125	6.5'	Sandy mix Dark/Black PRO smell	2'-6' Same sandy waste
MCSB-08 12', H.S.V.	5-23-23 1145	12'	Dark Rocks Clay	
MCSB-09 1'	5-24-23 825	1'	0-6" Road base 0-12" Road base	0-2' Road base
MCSB-09 2'	5-24-23 840	2'	Brown Sandy Soil	
MCSB-09 3'	5-24-23 850	3'	" " "	

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
MCSB-09 4'	5-24-23 900	4'	Brown Sandy Soil	
MCSB-10 1'	5-24-23 915	1'	Rock Base	
MCSB-10 2'	5-24-23 922	2'	unconsolidated light brown <sup>silty</sup> sand	
MCSB-10 3'	5-24-23 930	3'	clay Dark Brown " "	
MCSB-10 4'	5-24-23 943	4'	clay Dark Brown / Sandy Silty	
MCSB-10 5'	—	5'	Dark Brown / Sandy - Clay	
MCSB-5 1'	5-24-23 @ 1010	1'	0-6" Rock base Brown Silty Sand	
MCSB-5 2'	5-24-23 @ 1020	2'	Brown silty Sand	
MCSB-5 3'	5-24-23 @ 1030	3'	" " " Rocky	
MCSB-5 4'	5-24-23 @ 1040	4'	" " " "	
MCSB-5 <sup>up</sup> 5-6'	5-24-23 @ 1100	6'	gravel/sandy Rocky	6'-7' gravel Sandy Rock base
MCSB-5 7.5'	5-24-23 @ 1110	7.5'	Dark brown Silty Soil	Starts @ 7'
MCSB-07 1'	5-24-23 @ 1220	1'	0x8" Gravel	
MCSB-07 2'	5-24-23 @ 1232	2'	Dark Clay / bentonite Silts	
MCSB-07 3'	5-24-23 @ 1246	3'		

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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
MCSB-07 4.5'	5-24-23 @ 1300	4.5'	light brown Sandy Silty	
MCSB-07 5.5'	5-24-23 @ 1310	5.5'	light brown clay / grey clay	
MCSB-07 6.6'	5-24-23 @	6.6'	no sample same as above	
MCSB-06 1'	5-30-23 @ 822	1'	0-8" Red Road base 1" Dark brown soil gravel mix	<sup>HP</sup> Silty / Pro Garrett
MCSB-06 2'	5-30-23 @ 835	2'	Dark brown pack clay w gravel 1"	
MCSB-06 3.25'	5-30-23 @ 850	3.25'	" " " "	metal debris @ 2.5'
MCSB-06 4.25'	5-30-23 @ 900	4.25'	Dark brown Silty/clay	~ 4' non-mineralized ore body
MCSB-06 6'	5-30-23 @ 915	6'	Silty/Rocky w/ Clay	
MCSB-06 6.5'	5-30-23	6.5'	No Sample Clay w/ Silty/loose	
MCSB-04 1'	5-30-23 @ 935	1'	0-6" Road base Red 6-12" Brown Silty of gravel	
MCSB-04 2'	5-30-23 @ 945	2'	All Road base 0-2' light Brown mix rocky	
MCSB-04 3.5'	5-30-23 @ 955	3.5'	Darkish Rocky Silty Sandy Clay	
MCSB-04 4.5'	5-30-23 @ 1005	4.5'	Dark brown silty w/ light gravel/cobble	
MCSB-04 5-6'	5-30-23	5-6'	Clay Consolidated Silty Dark Brown bank	







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Sample ID	Sample Date/Time	Sample Depth	Sample Description	Comments/Notes
OPSB-04 0-4'	6-1-23 @ 815	0-4'	0-4' Grey Waste Rock	
OPSB-04 4.8' <del>4.83</del> VP	6-1-23 @ 825	4.8' <del>4.10</del> VP	Dark Clay / brown silty	
OPSB-04 4.5'	6-1-23 @ 835	4.5'	Mix Clay & Waste Rock	Interface
OPSB-03 0-4'	6-1-23 @ 850	0-4'	Waste Rock light/Dark grey	
OPSB-03 4.2'	6-1-23 @ 910	4.2'	Mix Clay / waste Rock	Interface
OPSB-03 4.5'	6-1-23 @ 925	4.5'	Dark brown clay	
OPSB-01 0-13'	6-1-23 @ 1025	0-13'	Waste Rock - Grey	
OPSB-01 13.5'	6-1-23 @ 1020	13.5'	Waste Rock - Grey	limit of backhoe
OPSB-02 4.5'	6-1-23 @ 1100	4.5'	Dark Clay / waste rock	Interface
OPSB-02 0-4'	6-1-23 @ 1115	0-4'	Dark Grey - Sandy waste rock	
OPSB-02 5.5'	6-1-23 @ 1120	5.5'	light brown Sandy silty	
OPSB-05 3'	6-1-23 @ 1140	3'	Dark Clay / Waste Rock	Interface
OPSB-05 3.75'	6-1-23 @ 1155	3.75'	light brown Sandy silty	
OPSB-05 0-3'	6-1-23 @ 1200	0-3'	Waste Rock	

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Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter 12221 SH68782 , Detector L44-20 S# 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) KeV Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-17-23	Blank	-	349		70		
5-17-23	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226	3000	2682		536		
5-17-23	WBSB 01 0-6" @ 855	3000	1406		282		
5-17-23	WBSB 01 1'-1.5' @ 906	3000	1244		249		
5-17-23	WBSB 02 0-6" @ 815	3000	1577		315		
5-17-23	WBSB 02 1'-1.5' @ 820	2958	1008	1022	204		
5-17-23	WBSB 03 0-6" @ 942	3000	2039		408		
5-17-23	WBSB 03 1'-1.5' @ 948	3000	1136		227		
5-17-23	WBSB 04 0-6" @ 835	3000	1521		304		
5-17-23	WBSB 04 1'-1.5' @ 845	2840	1189	1256	251		
5-17-23	WBSB 05 0-6" @ 920	3000	1747		349		
5-17-23	WBSB 05 1'-1.5' @ 930	2835	1086	1149	230		QA/QC CP5M: 1093
5-17-23	WBSB 06 0-6" @ 1054	3000	1406		281		
5-17-23	WBSB-06 1-1.5' @ 1100	2876	1004	1047	209		
5-17-23	WBSB-07 0-6" @ 1014	3000	2272		454		

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Instrumentation: Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 # 68782, Detector L44-20 # 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23, Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CPSM	Weight Corrected CPSM	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-17-23	WBSB-07 1'-1.5' @ 930 <sup>5-17-23</sup>	3000	1082		216		
5-17-23	WBSB-08 0-6" @ 1034 <sup>5-17-23</sup>	3000	4140		828		QA/QC CPSM: 4183
5-17-23	WBSB-08 1'-1.5' @ 1042 <sup>5-17-23</sup>	3000	1118		224		
5-18-23	Blank		330		66		
5-18-23	6.6pCi/g Ra-226	3000	2695		539		
5-18-23	MCSB-15 4' @ 1212 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1415		283		
5-18-23	MCSB-16 4' @ 1120 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1280		256		
5-18-23	MCSB-17 2' @ 857 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1070		214		
5-18-23	MCSB 18 2' @ 1010 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1306		261		
5-18-23	MCSB 15 3' @ 1158 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	2206		441		
5-18-23	MCSB 16 3' @ 1110 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1587		317		
5-18-23	MCSB 17 1' @ 845 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	974		195		
5-18-23	MCSB 18 2' @ 958 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1321		264		
5-18-23	MCSB 15 2' @ 1145 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1389		278		
5-18-23	MCSB 16 2' @ 1100 <sup>5-18-23</sup>	3000	1646		329		QA/QC CPSM: 1621

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 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-18-23	MCSB-18 1-1.5' <sup>5-18-23</sup> @ 943	3000	1634		327		
5-18-23	MCSB-15 1' <sup>5-18-23</sup> @ 1138	3000	1503		301		
5-18-23	MCSB-16 1' <sup>5-18-23</sup> @ 1045	3000	2498		500		
5-22-23	Blank	-	342		68		
5-22-23	6.6 PC/Ra-226	3000	2755		551		
5-22-23	MCSB-11 5' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 1112	3000	2036		407		
5-22-23	MCSB-12 4' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 956	3000	923		185		
5-22-23	MCSB-13 4' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 905	3000	1210		242		
5-22-23	MCSB-12 3' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 948	3000	915		183		
5-22-23	MCSB-12 2' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 935	3000	1793		359		
5-22-23	MCSB-12 1' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 928	3000	1957		391		
5-22-23	MCSB-13 3' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 851	3000	1309		262		
5-22-23	MCSB-13 2' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 839	3000	1253		251		
5-22-23	MCSB-13 1' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 825	3000	1197		239		
5-22-23	MCSB-11 4' <sup>5-22-23</sup> @ 1104	3000	3871		774		QA/QC CP5M: 3855

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Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 S#68782 , Detector L44-20 S# 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed: ✓  
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CPSM	Weight Corrected CPSM	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-22-23	MCSB-11 3' 5-22-23 @ 1050	3000	15497		3099		
5-22-23	MCSB-11 2' 5-22-23 @ 1040	3000	42761		8552		
5-22-23	MCSB-11 1' 5-22-23 @ 1030	3000	12907		2581		
5-23-23	Blank		357		71		
5-23-23	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226	3000	2930		586		
5-23-23	MCSB-11 6' 5-23-23 @ 835	3000	1824		365		
5-23-23	MCSB-08 12' 5-23-23 @ 1145	3000	2421		484		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 6' 5-23-23 @ 950	3000	1059		212		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 5' 5-23-23 @ 932	3000	1274		255		
5-23-23	MCSB-08 6.5' 5-23-23 @ 1125	3000	1266		253		
5-23-23	MCSB-08 1' 5-23-23 @ 1035	3000	29705		5941		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 1' 5-22-23 @ 853	3000	1982		396		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 4' 5-23-23 @ 920	3000	1795		359		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 3' 5-23-23 @ 915	3000	1856		371		
5-23-23	MCSB-14 2' 5-23-23 @ 905	3000	1942		388		QA/QC CPSM: 1942

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AVM Environmental Services, Inc.  
Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 # 68782 , Detector L44-20 # 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-23-23	MCSB-8 5' 5-23-23 @ 1110	3000	33460		6692		
5-23-23	MCSB-8 3' 5-23-23 @ 1058	3000	19780		3876		
5-23-23	MCSB-8 2' 5-23-23 @ 1045	3000	34740		6948		
5-25-23	Blank	-	363		73		
5-25-23	6.6K/g Re-226	3000	2776		555		
5-25-23	MCSB-10 4' 5-24-23 @ 943	3000	1055		211		
5-25-23	MCSB-9 4' 5-24-23 @ 900	3000	1082		216		
5-25-23	MCSB-7 5.5' 5-24-23 @ 1210	3000	1607		321		
5-25-23	MCSB-5 7.5' 5-24-23 @ 1110	3000	1150		230		
5-25-23	MCSB-9 3' 5-24-23 @ 850	3000	1056		211		
5-25-23	MCSB-9 2' 5-24-23 @ 840	3000	980		196		
5-25-23	MCSB-9 1' 5-24-23 @ 825	3000	4191		838		
5-25-23	MCSB-10 3' 5-24-23 @ 930	3000	930		186		
5-25-23	MCSB-10 2' 5-24-23 @ 922	3000	913		183		
5-25-23	MCSB-10 1' 5-24-23 @ 915	3000	920		184		QA/QC CP5M: 935

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AVM Environmental Services, Inc.  
Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 S#68782, Detector L44-20 S# 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23, Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date/Time	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CPSM	Weight Corrected CPSM	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (< or >)	Comments
5-25-23	MCSB-05 6' 5-24-23 @1100	3000	6564		1313		
5-25-23	MCSB-05 4' 5-24-23 @1040	3000	1262		252		
5-25-23	MCSB-05 3' 5-24-23 @1020	3000	1162		232		
5-25-23	MCSB-05 2' 5-24-23 @1020	3000	1309		262		
5-25-23	MCSB-05 1' 5-24-23 @1010	3000	1183		237		
5-25-23	MCSB-07 4.5' 5-24-23 @1300	3000	1396		279		
5-25-23	MCSB-07 3' 5-24-23 @1246	3000	2872		574		
5-25-23	MCSB-07 2' 5-24-23 @1232	3000	1333		267		
5-25-23	MCSB-07 1' 5-24-23 @1220	3000	10973		2195		
5-30-23	Blank	-	360		72		
5-30-23	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226	3000	2848		570		
5-30-23	MCSB-06 6' 5-30-23 @915	3000	1311		262		
5-30-23	MCSB-04 4.5' 5-30-23 @1005	3000	1274		255		
5-30-23	MCSB-02 5.2' 5-30-23 @1115	3000	1426		285		
5-30-23	MCSB-02 4' 5-30-23 @1100	3000	5236		1047		

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Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 #468782 , Detector L44-20 #295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed: ✓  
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) KeV Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (<or>)	Comments
5-30-23	MCSB-02 3' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1050	3000	947		189		
5-30-23	MCSB-02 2' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1040	3000	<del>1620</del> 1620		324		
5-30-23	MCSB-02 1' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1030	3000	<del>1243</del> 1243		249		
5-30-23	MCSB-06 4.25' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 900	3000	1091		218		
5-30-23	MCSB-06 3.25' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 850	3000	1477		295		
5-30-23	MCSB-06 2' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 835	3000	4112		822		QAVOC CP5M: 4168
5-30-23	MCSB-06 1' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 822	3000	19543		3909		
5-30-23	MCSB-01 4' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1315	3000	1120		224		
5-30-23	MCSB-04 3.5' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 955	3000	1017		203		
5-30-23	MCSB-04 2' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 945	3000	1919		384		
5-30-23	MCSB-04 1' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 935	3000	1055		211		
5-30-23	MCSB-01 3' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1300	3000	1240		248		
5-30-23	MCSB-01 2' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1250	3000	2965		593		
5-30-23	MCSB-01 1' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @ 1240	3000	2326		465		
5-30-23	MCSB-03 3' <sup>5-3-23</sup> @ 1400	3000	1279		256		

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Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L2221 SH 68782 , Detector L44-20 SH 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed: ✓  
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Kev Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (<or>)	Comments
5-30-23	MCSB-03 2' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @1350	3000	1201		240		QA/QC CP5M: 1194
5-30-23	MCSB-03 1' <sup>5-30-23</sup> @1340	3000	3386		677		
5-31-23	Blank	-	320		64		
5-31-23	6.6 pCi/g Ra-226	3000	2679		536		
5-31-23	WBSB-09 0-6" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @825	3000	1793		279		
5-31-23	WBSB-09 6-12" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @835	3000	1170		234		
5-31-23	WBSB-10 0-6" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @910	3000	2217		443		
5-31-23	WBSB-10 6-12" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @915	3000	1380		276		
5-31-23	WBSB-11 0-6" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @935	3000	1959		392		
5-31-23	WBSB-11 6-12" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @845	2008 <del>3000</del> JP	1053	1573	315		
5-31-23	WBSB-12 0-1" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @850	3000	1736		347		
5-31-23	WBSB-12 2-6" <sup>5-31-23</sup> @900	3000	1117		223		
6-1-23	Blank	-	355		71		
6-1-23	6.6 pCi/g	3000	2644		529		
6-1-23	OPSB-05 3.75' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @1155	3000	1587		317		

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Field Soil Sample Gamma Radiation Screening Form  
Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Instrumentation : Scaler/Ratemeter L 2221 S# 68782 , Detector L44-20 S# 295573  
 Instrument Calibration Date: 5-10-23 , Instrument Function Check Performed:   
 Survey Area/Unit Description Mt. Taylor Mine Site

Area exposure rate: 10-12

Date	Soil Sample ID	Sample Weight Grams	609 (559-669) Key Gross Counts, CP5M	Weight Corrected CP5M	CPM	Reference Soil Compare (<or>)	Comments
6-1-23	OPSB-03 4.5' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 925	3000	1193		239		
6-1-23	OPSB-02 5.5' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1120	3000	1189		238		
6-1-23	OPSB-04 4.10" <sup>4-23</sup> <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 825	3000	1124		225		4.8'
6-1-23	OPSB-05 3' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1140	3000	5526		1105		
6-1-23	OPSB-03 4.2' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 910	1708	2091	3673	735		
6-1-23	OPSB-02 4.5' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1100	2000	35425		7085		
6-1-23	OPSB-04 4.5' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 835	3000	4373		875		
6-1-23	OPSB-01 13.5' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1020	3000	11560		2312		QA/QC CP5M: 11423
6-1-23	OPSB-01 0-13' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1025	3000	26904		5381		
6-1-23	OPSB-02 0-4' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1115	3000	182551		36510		
6-1-23	OPSB-03 0-4' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 850	3000	56365		11273		
6-1-23	OPSB-04 0-4' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 815	3000	8428		1686		
6-1-23	OPSB-05 0-3' <sup>6-1-23</sup> @ 1200	3000	32147		6429		

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# ANALYTICAL SUMMARY REPORT

August 07, 2023

Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
PO Box 1150  
Grants, NM 87020-1150

Work Order: C23060688      Quote ID: C16056

Project Name: MTM Subsurface soil investigation

Energy Laboratories, Inc. Casper WY received the following 53 samples for Rio Grande Resources Corporation on 6/19/2023 for analysis.

Lab ID	Client Sample ID	Collect Date	Receive Date	Matrix	Test
C23060688-001	WBSB-02 0-6"	05/17/23 8:15	06/19/23	Soil	Gamma Sample Preparation Drying/Grinding, Radiochemistry Gross Gamma
C23060688-002	WBSB-04 0-6	05/17/23 8:35	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-003	WBSB-01 0-6'	05/17/23 8:55	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-004	WBSB-05 0-6"	05/17/23 9:20	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-005	WBSB-03 0-6"	05/17/23 9:42	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-006	WBSB-07 0-6"	05/17/23 10:14	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-007	WBSB-08 0-6"	05/17/23 10:34	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-008	WBSB-08 1'-1.5'	05/17/23 10:42	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-009	WBSB-06- 0-6"	05/17/23 10:54	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-010	DSSB-01	05/17/23 12:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-011	MCSB-16 1'	05/18/23 10:45	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-012	MCSB-16 2'	05/18/23 11:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-013	MCSB-15 1'	05/18/23 11:38	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-014	MCSB-17 1'	05/18/23 8:45	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-015	MCSB-18 1'-1.5'	05/18/23 9:48	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-016	DSSB-02	05/18/23 13:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-017	MCSB-11 4'	05/22/23 11:04	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-018	MCSB-13 1'	05/22/23 8:25	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-019	MCSB-12 1'	05/22/23 9:28	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-020	MCSB-11 5'	05/22/23 11:12	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-021	MCSB-14 1'	05/23/23 8:53	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-022	MCSB-08 5'	05/23/23 11:10	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-023	MCSB-08 6.5'	05/23/23 11:25	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-024	MCSB-9 1'	05/24/23 8:25	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-025	MCSB-9 2'	05/24/23 8:40	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-026	MCSB-10 1'	05/24/23 9:15	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above



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C23060688-027	MCSB-5 4'	05/24/23 10:40	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-028	MCSB-5 6'	05/24/23 11:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-029	MCSB-5 7.5'	05/24/23 11:10	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-030	MCSB-7 3'	05/24/23 12:46	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-031	MCSB-7 4.5'	05/24/23 13:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-032	DSSB-03	05/24/23 13:30	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-033	MCSB-06 6'	05/30/23 9:15	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-034	MCSB-04 1'	05/30/23 9:35	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-035	MCSB-04 2'	05/30/23 9:45	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-036	MCSB-02 3'	05/30/23 10:50	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-037	MCSB-02 4'	05/30/23 11:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-038	MCSB-02 5.2'	05/30/23 11:15	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-039	MCSB-01 2'	05/30/23 12:50	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-040	MCSB-01 3'	05/30/23 13:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-041	MCSB-03 1'	05/30/23 13:40	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-042	MCSB-03 2'	05/30/23 13:50	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-043	DSSB-04	05/30/23 14:15	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-044	WBSB-09 0-6"	05/31/23 8:25	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-045	WBSB-12 0-1"	05/31/23 8:50	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-046	WBSB-12 2-6"	05/31/23 9:00	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-047	WBSB-10 0-6"	05/31/23 9:10	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-048	WBSB-11 0-6"	05/31/23 9:35	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-049	OPSB-03 4.2'	06/01/23 9:10	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-050	OPSB-03 4.5'	06/01/23 9:25	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-051	OPSB-02 5.5'	06/01/23 11:20	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-052	OPSB-05 3.75'	06/01/23 11:55	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above
C23060688-053	DSSB-05	06/01/23 12:30	06/19/23	Soil	Same As Above

The analyses presented in this report were performed by Energy Laboratories, Inc., 2393 Salt Creek Hwy., Casper, WY 82601, unless otherwise noted. Any exceptions or problems with the analyses are noted in the report package. Any issues encountered during sample receipt are documented in the Work Order Receipt Checklist.

The results as reported relate only to the item(s) submitted for testing. This report shall be used or copied only in its entirety. Energy Laboratories, Inc. is not responsible for the consequences arising from the use of a partial report.

If you have any questions regarding these test results, please contact your Project Manager .

Report Approved By:



**CLIENT:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Work Order:** C23060688

**Report Date:** 08/07/23

## CASE NARRATIVE

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### ORIGINAL SAMPLE SUBMITTAL(S)

All original sample submittals have been returned with the data package.

### SAMPLE TEMPERATURE COMPLIANCE: 4°C (±2°C)

Temperature of samples received may not be considered properly preserved by accepted standards. Samples that are hand delivered immediately after collection shall be considered acceptable if there is evidence that the chilling process has begun.

### GROSS ALPHA ANALYSIS

Method 900.0 for gross alpha and gross beta is intended as a drinking water method for low TDS waters. Data provided by this method for non potable waters should be viewed as inconsistent.

### RADON IN AIR ANALYSIS

The desired exposure time is 48 hours (2 days). The time delay in returning the canister to the laboratory for processing should be as short as possible to avoid excessive decay. Maximum recommended delay between end of exposure to beginning of counting should not exceed 8 days.

### SOIL/SOLID SAMPLES

All samples reported on an as received basis unless otherwise indicated.

### ATRAZINE, SIMAZINE AND PCB ANALYSIS

Data for PCBs, Atrazine and Simazine are reported from EPA 525.2. PCB data reported by ELI reflects the results for seven individual Aroclors. When the results for all seven are ND (not detected), the sample meets EPA compliance criteria for PCB monitoring.

### SUBCONTRACTING ANALYSIS

Subcontracting of sample analyses to an outside laboratory may be required. If so, ENERGY LABORATORIES will utilize its branch laboratories or qualified contract laboratories for this service. Any such laboratories will be indicated within the Laboratory Analytical Report.

### BRANCH LABORATORY LOCATIONS

eli-b - Energy Laboratories, Inc. - Billings, MT  
eli-g - Energy Laboratories, Inc. - Gillette, WY  
eli-h - Energy Laboratories, Inc. - Helena, MT

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-001  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-02 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 08:15  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 226	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 11:24 / haw

**Report Definitions:** RL - Analyte Reporting Limit  
QCL - Quality Control Limit

MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level  
ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)





### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-002  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-04 0-6

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 08:35  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 226	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 228	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 13:51 / haw

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MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level  
ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-003  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-01 0-6'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 08:55  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 226	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 15:01 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-004  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-05 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 09:20  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 226	2.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 16:03 / haw

**Report Definitions:**  
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QCL - Quality Control Limit  
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ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-005  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-03 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 09:42  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226	3.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/25/23 17:08 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-006  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-07 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 10:14  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.04	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226	3.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 08:25 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-007  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-08 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 10:34  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.06	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	2.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	4.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 226	9.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 09:29 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-008  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-08 1'-1.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 10:42  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 226	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 10:45 / haw

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-009  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-06- 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 10:54  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 226	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 12:41 / haw

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-010  
**Client Sample ID:** DSSB-01

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/17/23 12:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.02	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 226	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.09	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 14:29 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-011  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-16 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 10:45  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.5	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 226	4.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 228	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/26/23 16:45 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-012  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-16 2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 11:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 226	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 228	1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 09:38 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-013  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-15 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 11:38  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 226	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 11:22 / haw

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-014  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-17 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 08:45  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 226	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 12:55 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-015  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-18 1'-1.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 09:48  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 226	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 228	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 13:56 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-016  
**Client Sample ID:** DSSB-02

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/18/23 13:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 226	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 15:17 / haw

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-017  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-11 4'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/22/23 11:04  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.6	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	4.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 226	11.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 16:21 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-018  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-13 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/22/23 08:25  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	2.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 226	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 228	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/27/23 17:27 / haw

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MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level  
ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-019  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-12 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/22/23 09:28  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 226	3.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 228	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 09:11 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-020  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-11 5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/22/23 11:12  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 226	2.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 10:12 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-021  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-14 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/23/23 08:53  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.2	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 226	3.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 13:29 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-022  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-08 5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/23/23 11:10  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-1	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	5.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	8.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 226	77.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 228	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 14:36 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-023  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-08 6.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/23/23 11:25  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 226	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/28/23 15:46 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-024  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-9 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 08:25  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	3.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 226	7.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 228	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 10:02 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-025  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-9 2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 08:40  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 226	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 228	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 11:08 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-026  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-10 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 09:15  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.09	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 228	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 12:18 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-027  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-5 4'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 10:40  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 226	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 13:22 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-028  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-5 6'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 11:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.6	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	3.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 226	16.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 228	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 14:40 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-029  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-5 7.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 11:10  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 226	1.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 15:55 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-030  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-7 3'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 12:46  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226	6.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228	0.2	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	07/31/23 17:08 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-031  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-7 4.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 13:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	2.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 226	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 228	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 08:48 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-032  
**Client Sample ID:** DSSB-03

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/24/23 13:30  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 226	6.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 228	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 09:52 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-033  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-06 6'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 09:15  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 226	1.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 11:07 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-034  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-04 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 09:35  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 226	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.08	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 228	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 13:40 / haw

**Report Definitions:**  
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QCL - Quality Control Limit  
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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-035  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-04 2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 09:45  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	2.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 226	3.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 228	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 14:42 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-036  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-02 3'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 10:50  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 228	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 15:59 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-037  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-02 4'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 11:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	2.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	3.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 226	12.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 228	0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/01/23 17:13 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-038  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-02 5.2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 11:15  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	2.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 08:25 / haw

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-039  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-01 2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 12:50  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.5	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 226	5.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 228	0.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 12:03 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-040  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-01 3'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 13:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 13:56 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-041  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-03 1'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 13:40  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	2.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 226	5.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 228	0.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 15:03 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-042  
**Client Sample ID:** MCSB-03 2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 13:50  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 16:13 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-043  
**Client Sample ID:** DSSB-04

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/30/23 14:15  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.2	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	2.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 226	5.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 228	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/02/23 17:18 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-044  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-09 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/31/23 08:25  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 226	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 228	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 08:51 / sec

**Report Definitions:** RL - Analyte Reporting Limit  
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MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level  
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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-045  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-12 0-1"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/31/23 08:50  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 226	2.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 09:57 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-046  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-12 2-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/31/23 09:00  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.7	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.0	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 226	1	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry			E901.1		08/03/23 11:04 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-047  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-10 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/31/23 09:10  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.4	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	2.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 226	3.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 228	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 12:10 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-048  
**Client Sample ID:** WBSB-11 0-6"

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 05/31/23 09:35  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 226	2.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 13:24 / sec

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### LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-049  
**Client Sample ID:** OPSB-03 4.2'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 06/01/23 09:10  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	-0.3	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	3.0	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 226	4.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 228	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 15:37 / sec

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-050  
**Client Sample ID:** OPSB-03 4.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 06/01/23 09:25  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 228	1.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 16:44 / sec

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**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-051  
**Client Sample ID:** OPSB-02 5.5'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 06/01/23 11:20  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	0.1	pCi/g-dry	U			E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	1.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	2.4	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 226	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/03/23 17:46 / sec

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-052  
**Client Sample ID:** OPSB-05 3.75'

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 06/01/23 11:55  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.7	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 226	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 228	1.5	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 08:54 / sec

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Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
**Project:** MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
**Lab ID:** C23060688-053  
**Client Sample ID:** DSSB-05

**Report Date:** 08/07/23  
**Collection Date:** 06/01/23 12:30  
**Date Received:** 06/19/23  
**Matrix:** Soil

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
<b>RADIONUCLIDES, GAMMA</b>							
Radium 224	1.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 224 precision (±)	0.6	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 224 MDC	0.9	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 226	0.8	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 226 precision (±)	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 226 MDC	0.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 228	1.1	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 228 precision (±)	0.2	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec
Radium 228 MDC	0.3	pCi/g-dry				E901.1	08/04/23 10:57 / sec

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# QA/QC Summary Report

Prepared by Casper, WY Branch

**Client:** Rio Grande Resources Corporation

**Work Order:** C23060688

**Report Date:** 08/04/23

Analyte	Count	Result	Units	RL	%REC	Low Limit	High Limit	RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
<b>Method: E901.1</b>										
Batch: R296981										
<b>Lab ID: MB-296981</b>	9	Method Blank								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230725A			07/25/23 09:16
Radium 224		0.2	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 224 precision (±)		0.4	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		0.7	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		0.2	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.06	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.06	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		0.09	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.09	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.1	pCi/g-dry							
<b>Lab ID: LCS-296981</b>	6	Laboratory Control Sample								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230725A			07/25/23 10:20
Cobalt 60		8.1	pCi/g-dry	90		70	130			
Cobalt 60 precision (±)		0.55	pCi/g-dry							
Cobalt 60 MDC		0.83	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		50	pCi/g-dry	92		70	130			
Radium 226 precision (±)		2.3	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		2.6	pCi/g-dry							
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-001ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230725A			07/25/23 12:49
Radium 224		1.5	pCi/g-dry					12	30	
Radium 224 precision (±)		0.76	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		1.2	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		1.6	pCi/g-dry					6.1	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.16	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.14	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		1.4	pCi/g-dry					1.8	30	
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.25	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.24	pCi/g-dry							
- The RER result for Ra224 is 0.16, Ra226 is 0.44 and Ra228 is 0.07.										
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-011ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230725A			07/27/23 08:36
Radium 224		-0.48	pCi/g-dry					5.3	30	U
Radium 224 precision (±)		1.7	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		2.8	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		4.9	pCi/g-dry					1.9	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.24	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.14	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		0.86	pCi/g-dry					44	30	R
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.26	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.31	pCi/g-dry							
- Duplicate RPD for Ra228 is outside of the acceptance range for this analysis. However, the RER is less than or equal to the limit of 3, the RER result is 0.86. -The RER result for Ra224 is 0.01 and Ra226 is 0.28.										

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**Work Order:** C23060688

**Report Date:** 08/04/23

Analyte	Count	Result	Units	RL	%REC	Low Limit	High Limit	RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
<b>Method: E901.1</b>										
Batch: R297133										
<b>Lab ID: MB-297133</b>	9	Method Blank								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230728A			07/28/23 11:18
Radium 224		0.2	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 224 precision (±)		0.4	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		0.7	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		0.2	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.05	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.05	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		0.1	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.1	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.1	pCi/g-dry							
<b>Lab ID: LCS-297133</b>	6	Laboratory Control Sample								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230728A			07/28/23 12:25
Cobalt 60		7.7	pCi/g-dry	85		70	130			
Cobalt 60 precision (±)		0.53	pCi/g-dry							
Cobalt 60 MDC		0.82	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		50	pCi/g-dry	92		70	130			
Radium 226 precision (±)		2.3	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		2.6	pCi/g-dry							
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-023ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230728A			07/28/23 17:06
Radium 224		1.3	pCi/g-dry					1.1	30	
Radium 224 precision (±)		0.67	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		1.1	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		1.1	pCi/g-dry					5.5	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.13	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.11	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		1.4	pCi/g-dry					1.3	30	
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.23	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.21	pCi/g-dry							
- The RER result for Ra224 is 0.02, Ra226 is 0.32, Ra228 is 0.06.										
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-033ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
							Run: GAM-HPGE 2_230728A			08/01/23 12:13
Radium 224		0.33	pCi/g-dry					3200	30	UR
Radium 224 precision (±)		1.5	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		2.5	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		1.9	pCi/g-dry					0.5	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.16	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.11	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		1.2	pCi/g-dry					0.7	30	
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.23	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.22	pCi/g-dry							
- Duplicate RPD for Ra224 is outside of the acceptance range for this analysis. However, the RER is less than or equal to the limit of 3, the RER result for Ra224 is 0.33. The RER result for Ra226 is 0.04 and Ra228 is 0.03										

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**Work Order:** C23060688

**Report Date:** 08/04/23

Analyte	Count	Result	Units	RL	%REC	Low Limit	High Limit	RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
<b>Method: E901.1</b>										
Batch: R297281										
<b>Lab ID: MB-297281</b>	9	Method Blank								
Radium 224		0.02	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 224 precision (±)		0.4	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		0.7	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		0.2	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.05	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.05	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		0.06	pCi/g-dry							U
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.09	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.1	pCi/g-dry							
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-048ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
Radium 224		-0.41	pCi/g-dry					360	30	UR
Radium 224 precision (±)		1.5	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		2.5	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		2.7	pCi/g-dry					0.5	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.18	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.13	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		1.4	pCi/g-dry					11	30	
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.28	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.29	pCi/g-dry							
- Duplicate RPD for Ra224 is outside of the acceptance range for this analysis. However, the RER is less than or equal to the limit of 3, the RER result is 1.05. The RER result for Ra226 is 0.05 and Ra228 is 0.41.										
<b>Lab ID: C23060688-052ADUP</b>	9	Sample Duplicate								
Radium 224		0.041	pCi/g-dry					190	30	UR
Radium 224 precision (±)		1.7	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 224 MDC		2.8	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		1.1	pCi/g-dry					17	30	
Radium 226 precision (±)		0.14	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		0.11	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228		1.3	pCi/g-dry					16	30	
Radium 228 precision (±)		0.24	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 228 MDC		0.23	pCi/g-dry							
- Duplicate RPD for Ra224 is outside of the acceptance range for this analysis. However, the RER is less than or equal to the limit of 3, the RER result is 0.90. The RER result for Ra226 is 0.92 and Ra228 is 0.61.										
<b>Lab ID: LCS-297281</b>	6	Laboratory Control Sample								
Cobalt 60		8.0	pCi/g-dry	88		70	130			
Cobalt 60 precision (±)		0.57	pCi/g-dry							
Cobalt 60 MDC		0.72	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226		48	pCi/g-dry	89		70	130			
Radium 226 precision (±)		2.1	pCi/g-dry							
Radium 226 MDC		2.4	pCi/g-dry							

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# Work Order Receipt Checklist

Rio Grande Resources Corporation

C23060688

Login completed by: Dakota R. Januska

Date Received: 6/19/2023

Reviewed by: mstephens

Received by: slr

Reviewed Date: 6/21/2023

Carrier name: UPS

Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Present <input type="checkbox"/>
Custody seals intact on all shipping container(s)/cooler(s)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Present <input type="checkbox"/>
Custody seals intact on all sample bottles?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chain of custody present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Chain of custody signed when relinquished and received?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Chain of custody agrees with sample labels?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Samples in proper container/bottle?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Sample containers intact?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Sufficient sample volume for indicated test?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
All samples received within holding time? (Exclude analyses that are considered field parameters such as pH, DO, Res Cl, Sulfite, Ferrous Iron, etc.)	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Temp Blank received in all shipping container(s)/cooler(s)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Applicable <input type="checkbox"/>
Container/Temp Blank temperature:	19.0°C No Ice		
Containers requiring zero headspace have no headspace or bubble that is <6mm (1/4").	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No VOA vials submitted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Water - pH acceptable upon receipt?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Applicable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## Standard Reporting Procedures:

Lab measurement of analytes considered field parameters that require analysis within 15 minutes of sampling such as pH, Dissolved Oxygen and Residual Chlorine, are qualified as being analyzed outside of recommended holding time.

Solid/soil samples are reported on a wet weight basis (as received) unless specifically indicated. If moisture corrected, data units are typically noted as –dry. For agricultural and mining soil parameters/characteristics, all samples are dried and ground prior to sample analysis.

The reference date for Radon analysis is the sample collection date. The reference date for all other Radiochemical analyses is the analysis date. Radiochemical precision results represent a 2-sigma Total Measurement Uncertainty.

## Contact and Corrective Action Comments:

Energy Labs INC is missing pages three and four worth of samples from the chain of custody. All other samples are present and match the Chain of Custody.

We received the missing samples on 6/20/2023 @1000. The samples are intact and match the Chain of Custody. The Temperature for the cooler was 24.8°C and received with no temp blank or ice.

NOTE: The Lab Sample ID's will reflect a received date of when the initial samples were received which will be 6/19/2023 @1000.

Called and spoke with Ms.Anita and informed her we received the samples.





## Work Order Receipt Checklist - Continued

Rio Grande Resources Corporation

C23060688

Temperature Blank temperature for Cooler 1 was 19.0°C and Cooler 2 was 18.9°C.

6/19/23 DR



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# Chain of Custody & Analytical Request Record

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### Account Information (Billing information)

Company/Name: Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
 Contact: Anita Willcox  
 Phone: 505-287-7971  
 Mailing Address: PO Box 1150  
 City, State, Zip: Grants, NM 87020  
 Email: anita.willcox@ga.com  
 Receive Invoice:  Hard Copy  Email  Receive Report  Hard Copy  Email  
 Purchase Order: MT11572  
 Quote: 16056  
 Bottle Order

### Report Information (if different than Account information)

Company/Name: Rio Grande Resources Corporation  
 Contact: Bruce Norquist  
 Phone: 505-287-7971  
 Mailing Address: PO Box 1150  
 City, State, Zip: Grants, NM 87020  
 Email: bruce.norquist@ga.com  
 Receive Report:  Hard Copy  Email  
 Special Report/Formats:  
 LEVEL IV  NELAC  EDD/EDT (contact laboratory)  Other

### Comments

### Project Information

Project Name, PWSID, Permit, etc. MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
 Sampler Name: Victor Patel  
 Sampler Phone: 505-287-7971  
 Sample Origin: State New Mexico  
 EPA/State Compliance:  Yes  No  
**URANIUM MINING CLIENTS MUST indicate sample type**  
 Unprocessed Ore  
 Processed Ore (Ground or Refined) \*\*CALL BEFORE SENDING  
 11(e)2 Byproduct Material (Can ONLY be Submitted to ELI Casper Location)

### Matrix Codes

- A - Air
- W - Water
- S - Solids
- V - Vegetation
- B - Bioassay
- O - Oil
- DW - Drinking Water

### Analysis Requested

Matrix Code	Number of Containers	Matrix (See Codes Above)	EPAs 901.1 Modified for Soil
A	1	S	✓
W	1	S	✓
S	1	S	✓
V	1	S	✓
B	1	S	✓
O	1	S	✓
DW	1	S	✓

Sample Identification (Name, Location, Interval, etc.)	Collection		Matrix	Number of Containers	EPAs 901.1 Modified for Soil	Date	Time	Signature	Date/Time	Signature	Date/Time
	Date	Time									
1 WBSB-02 0-6"	05/17/2023	8:15 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	8:15 am	Bruce L. Norquist	6/14/23	Received by (print) Bruce L. Norquist	6/19/23
2 WBSB-04 0-6"	05/17/2023	8:35 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	8:35 am				
3 WBSB-01 0-6"	05/17/2023	8:55 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	8:55 am				
4 WBSB-05 0-6"	05/17/2023	9:20 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	9:20 am				
5 WBSB-03 0-6"	05/17/2023	9:42 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	9:42 am				
6 WBSB-07 0-6"	05/17/2023	10:14 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	10:14 am				
7 WBSB-08 0-6"	05/17/2023	10:34 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	10:34 am				
8 WBSB-08 1'-1.5'	05/17/2023	10:42 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	10:42 am				
9 WBSB-06 0-6"	05/17/2023	10:54 am	S	1	✓	05/17/2023	10:54 am				

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Shipped By	Cooler ID(s)	Custody Seals	Intact	Receipt Temp °C
		Y N C B	Y N	
		Temp Blank	On Ice	Payment Type
		Y N	Y N	Cash Check
				Amount \$
				Receipt Number (cash/check only)

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 LEVEL IV  NELAC  EDD/EDT (contact laboratory)  Other

### Comments

### Project Information

Project Name, PWSID, Permit, etc. MTM Subsurface soil investigation  
 Sampler Name Victor Patel  
 Sampler Phone 505-287-7971  
 Sample Origin State New Mexico  
 EPA/State Compliance  Yes  No  
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 Unprocessed Ore  
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### Analysis Requested

Matrix Code	Number of Containers	Matrix (See Codes Above)	EP 901, Modified for Soil
W	1	S	✓
S	1	S	✓
V	1	S	✓
B	1	S	✓
O	1	S	✓
DW	1	S	✓

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Sample Identification (Name, Location, Interval, etc.)	Collection		Matrix	Number of Containers	EP 901, Modified for Soil	Date/Time	Signature	Date/Time	Signature
	Date	Time							
1 DSSB-01	05/17/2023	12:00 pm	S	1	✓				
2 MCSB-16 1'	05/18/2023	10:45 am	S	1	✓				
3 MCSB-16 2'	05/18/2023	11:00 am	S	1	✓				
4 MCSB-15 1'	05/18/2023	11:38 am	S	1	✓				
5 MCSB-17 1'	05/18/2023	8:45 am	S	1	✓				
6 MCSB-18 1'-1.5'	05/18/2023	9:48 am	S	1	✓				
7 DSSB-02	05/18/2023	1:00 pm	S	1	✓				
8 MCSB-11 4'	05/22/2023	11:04 am	S	1	✓				
9 MCSB-13 1'	05/22/2023	8:25 am	S	1	✓				

RUSH TAT  
 ELI LAB ID  
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See Attached

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Relinquished by (print) **Bruce L. Norquist** Signature  
 Relinquished by (print) **Bruce L. Norquist** Signature  
 Date/Time **6/17/23** Date/Time  
 Date/Time **6/19/23** Date/Time  
 Received by Laboratory (print) **Shelby Perkins** Signature  
 Received by Laboratory (print) **Shelby Perkins** Signature  
 Signature  
 Signature

LABORATORY USE ONLY

Shipped By  
 Cooler ID(s)  
 Custody Seals Y N C B  
 Intact Y N  
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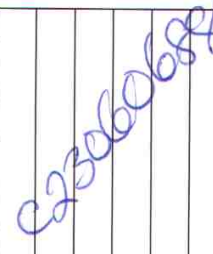
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




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EPA 901.1 Modified for Soil

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	Date	Time					
1 MCSB-5 6'	05/24/2023	11:00 am	S	1	✓	See Attached	
2 MCSB-5 7.5'	05/24/2023	11:10 am	S	1	✓		
3 MCSB-7 3'	05/24/2023	12:46 pm	S	1	✓		
4 MCSB-7 4.5'	05/24/2023	1:00 pm	S	1	✓		
5 DSSB-03	05/24/2023	1:30 pm	S	1	✓		
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8 MCSB-04 2'	05/30/2023	9:45 am	S	1	✓		
9 MCSB-02 3'	05/30/2023	10:50 am	S	1	✓		

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 Relinquished by (print): Bruce L. Norquist  
 Signature:   
 Date/Time: 6/14/23  
 Relinquished by (print):   
 Signature:   
 Date/Time: 6/14/23  
 Received by (print): Shelby Richards  
 Signature:   
 Date/Time: 6/14/23  
 Date/Time: 6/14/23  
 Signature: 

LABORATORY USE ONLY  
 Shipped By: \_\_\_\_\_ Cooler ID(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Custody Seals: Y N C B Intact: Y N Receipt Temp: \_\_\_\_\_ °C Temp Blank: Y N On Ice: Y N  
 Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ Payment Type: Cash Check  
 Receipt Number (cash/check only): \_\_\_\_\_

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	Date	Time						
1 MCSB-02 4'	05/30/2023	11:00 am	S	1				
2 MCSB-02 5.2'	05/30/2023	11:15 am	S	1				
3 MCSB-01 2'	05/30/2023	12:50 pm	S	1				
4 MCSB-01 3'	05/30/2023	1:00 pm	S	1				
5 MCSB-03 1'	05/30/2023	1:40 pm	S	1				
6 MCSB-03 2'	05/30/2023	1:50 pm	S	1				
7 DSSB-04	05/30/2023	2:15 pm	S	1				
8 WBSB-09 0-6"	05/31/2023	8:25 am	S	1				
9 WBSB-12 0-1"	05/31/2023	8:50 am	S	1				

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Shipped By	Cooler ID(s)	Custody Seals Y N C B	Intact Y N
Received by (print): <u>Shelby Kevans</u>	Date/Time: <u>6/19/23</u>	Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Amount \$
Received by (print): <u>Shelby Kevans</u>	Date/Time: <u>6/19/23</u>	Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Receipt Number (cash/check only)

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### Analysis Requested

Matrix Code	Number of Containers	Matrix (see notes above)	Collection Date	Collection Time	Analysis Requested	Comments
PA 901.1 Modified for Soil	1	S	05/31/2023	9:00 am	✓	See Attached
	1	S	05/31/2023	9:10 am	✓	
	1	S	05/31/2023	9:35 am	✓	
	1	S	06/01/2023	9:10 am	✓	
	1	S	06/01/2023	9:25 am	✓	
	1	S	06/01/2023	11:20 am	✓	
	1	S	06/01/2023	11:55 am	✓	
	1	S	06/01/2023	12:30 pm	✓	

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 Signature  
 Date/Time  
 Received by Laboratory (print)  
 Date/Time

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 Relinquished by (print)  
 Signature  
 Date/Time 6/19/23  
 Received by Laboratory (print) Shelly Kachis  
 Date/Time 1200  
 Shipped By  
 Cooler ID(s)  
 Custody Seals Y N C B  
 Intact Y N  
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## **Appendix C**

### **Radiologic Instrument Calibration and Operational Function Check and Collimated Detector Correlation Documentation**





**AVM Environmental Services, Inc**  
**Scaler/Ratemeter - HP-210L Detector Function Check**

Scaler/Ratemeter ID: L12 S# 274216

Function Check Source ID: 1% U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub> Ore in Sealed can

HP-210L Detector ID: ANA-1

Acceptable background Count (cpm) Range (20%) 34 to 50

Acceptable Source Count (cpm) Range (20%) 2880 to 4320

Date	Physical Check	Cal date	Battery Volts or OK	HV Volts	BKG Counts cpm	Source Counts cpm	Within Acceptable Range Y or N	Comments	Tech
10-7-22	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3700	Y	@ AVM office	VP
1-4-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	45	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
4-5-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
4-11-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
4-12-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
4-13-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
4-20-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-9-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-16-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3400	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-17-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3300	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-18-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3400	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-22-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3300	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-23-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3400	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-24-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-25-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3400	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-30-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	45	3600	Y	@ AVM office	VP
5-31-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3300	Y	@ AVM office	VP
6-1-23	✓	10-7-22	ok	.9	40	3400	Y	@ AVM office	VP

Note: (1) Threshold must be at 100 mV;

**AVM Environmental Services, Inc.**  
**Scaler/Ratemeter - 2" x 2" NaI Detector Function Check**

Function Check Source ID: 1% U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub> Ore in Sealed can

Acceptable background Count (cpm) Range (20%) 6391 to 9587 (Bare)

2" x 2" NaI Detector ID: SPA-3 S# 408522-30

Acceptable background Count (cpm) Range (20%) 2546 to 3820 (collimated)

Acceptable Source Count (cpm) Range (20%) 77687 to 116531

Date	Scaler/Ratemeter	Physical Check	Cal Due	Battery <sup>(1)</sup> Volts or OK	HV Volts	THR mV <sup>(2)</sup>	Window In or OUT <sup>(3)</sup>	C.C. <sup>(4)</sup>	BKG Counts cpm	Source Counts cpm	Within Acceptable Range Y or N	MDC pCi/gm	Tech
2-1-23	L2221 S# 290801	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7989 Bare	97109	Y	-	VP
									3183 Coll.				
4-5-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7621 Bare	99478	Y	-	VP
									2949 Coll.				
4-11-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7822 Bare	99630	Y	-	VP
									3044 Coll.				
4-12-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7947 Bare	98687	Y	-	VP
									3122 Coll.				
4-13-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7894 Bare	99731	Y	-	VP
									3150 Coll.				
4-20-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7850 Bare	99214	Y	-	VP
									2987 Coll.				
5-16-23	L2221 S# 68782	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	out	1	7714 Bare	97431	Y	-	VP
									3018 Coll.				
5-17-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7914 Bare	99331	Y	-	VP
									3002 Coll.				
5-18-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7842 Bare	98522	Y	-	VP
									3118 Coll.				
5-22-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7643 Bare	97555	Y	-	VP
									3168 Coll.				
5-23-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	8912 Bare	98782	Y	-	VP
									2974 Coll.				
5-24-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	8086 Bare	98949	Y	-	VP
									3157 Coll.				
5-30-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7814 Bare	97901	Y	-	VP
									3160 Coll.				
5-31-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7833 Bare	98634	Y	-	VP
									3022 Coll.				
6-1-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7882 Bare	97601	Y	-	VP
									3018 Coll.				
6-7-23	L2241-2 S# 287029	✓	10-7-23	ok	900	10	N/A	1	7942 Bare	98441	Y	-	VP
									3001 Coll.				

Note: (1) Battery Voltage for Ludlum 2221 must be >5.3 volts; (2) Threshold must be at 10.0 mV; (3) Window Position must be OUT; (4) CC on L2241-2 set at 0.001  
 For L2241-2 Check HV and Threshold using Ludlum 500 pulser.

**AVM Environmental Services, Inc.  
Micro R Meter Function Check Form**

Micro R Meter: Ludlum 19, SR#76248

Function Check Source ID: 1% U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub> Ore in Sealed can

Function Check @ Calibration 115

Acceptable Function Check Reading (uR/hr) Range (20%) 92 to 138

Date	Physical Check	Cal Date	Battery <sup>(1)</sup> Volts or OK	BKG Reading uR/hr	Source Reading <sup>(2)</sup> uR/hr	Within Acceptable Range Y or N	Cal Due	Tech
10-17-22	✓	10-6-22	ok	10-12	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
1-4-23	✓	10-6-22	OK	8-10	120	Y	10-6-23	VP
4-5-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
4-11-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
4-12-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
4-13-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
4-20-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-9-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-16-23	✓	10-6-22	OK	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-17-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-18-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-22-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	10-12	100	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-23-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	100	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-24-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-25-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	10-12	110	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-30-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	100	Y	10-6-23	VP
5-31-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	100	Y	10-6-23	VP
6-1-23	✓	10-6-22	ok	8-10	110	Y	10-6-23	VP

Note: (1) Battery Voltage must be within BAT TEST Range (2) Function Check Source must be placed in the circle on the front side of the meter

**AVM Environmental Services Inc.**

**Scaler/Ratemeter Calibration Form**

Model : L2221

S/N: 68782

Reference Instrument/Source: Ludlum Pulser 500, S/N:114513

**HV Calibration**

HV Readout (2 points): Ref/Inst 600 / 600 Ref/Inst 900 / 900

**Ratemeter Calibration**

Instrument Threshold @ 100 (10 mV), WIN: Out, HV 900VDC; Pulser Threshold @ 200 (20mV)

Range/Mode	Range Multiplier	Calibration Point (Pulser Setting) cpm x multiplier	Target CPM (±5%)	As Found Reading	Left or Set Reading
Rateometer	x1	40x1	38-42	40	40
	x1	40x10	380-420	400	400
	x10	40x100	3800-4200	4000	4000
	x100	40x1K	38K-42K	40000	40000
	x1K	40x10K	380K-420K	400000	400000
Digital Rateometer	-	40x1	38-42	39	39
	-	40x10	380-420	400	400
	-	40x100	3800-4200	3960	3960
	-	40x1K	38K-42K	39500	39500
	-	40x10K	380K-420K	395000	395000

**Threshold/Gain Calibration**

WIN OUT

Pulser Amplitude (mV)	Pulser CPM	L2221 Theshold (mv)	Target CPM	L2221 CPM Found	L2221 CPM Left or Set @
10.0	40000	100 (10 mV)	27K -33K	31534	31534
20.0	40000	200 (20 mV)	27K -33K	29273	29273
30.0	40000	300 (30 mV)	27K -33K	30822	30822
40.0	40000	400 (40 mV)	27K -33K	29659	29659
50.0	40000	500 (50 mV)	27K -33K	29242	29242

Note: Use R174 Gain Control on Power Supply Board to adjust L2221 CPM @75% for Threshold/Gain Calibration

**Window Cut-off Points Check**

L2221 Threshold set @100 (10.0 mv)

WIN @ 100 (10.0 mV) ✓ WIN @ 400 (40.0 mV) ✓  
 WIN @ 200 (20.0 mV) ✓ WIN @ 500 (50.0 mV) ✓

Date 10-7-22

Calibrated By Victor Patel

**AVM Environmental Services Inc.**

**Scaler/Ratemeter Calibration Form**

Model : L2221

S/N: 290801

Reference Instrument/Source: Ludlum Pulser 500, S/N:114513

**HV Calibration**

HV Readout (2 points): Ref/Inst 600 / 600 Ref/Inst 900 / 900

**Ratemeter Calibration**

Instrument Threshold @ 100 (10 mV), WIN: Out, HV 900VDC; Pulser Threshold @ 200 (20mV)

Range/Mode	Range Multiplier	Calibration Point (Pulser Setting) cpm x multiplier	Target CPM (±5%)	As Found Reading	Left or Set Reading
Ratemeter	x1	40x1	38-42	40	40
	x1	40x10	380-420	400	400
	x10	40x100	3800-4200	4000	4000
	x100	40x1K	38K-42K	40000	40000
	x1K	40x10K	380K-420K	400000	400000
Digital Ratemeter	-	40x1	38-42	40	40
	-	40x10	380-420	395	395
	-	40x100	3800-4200	3950	3950
	-	40x1K	38K-42K	39503	39503
	-	40x10K	380K-420K	395978	395978

**Threshold/Gain Calibration**

WIN OUT

Pulser Amplitude (mV)	Pulser CPM	L2221 Theshold (mv)	Target CPM	L2221 CPM Found	L2221 CPM Left or Set @
10.0	40000	100 (10 mV)	27K -33K	30889	30889
20.0	40000	200 (20 mV)	27K -33K	30419	30419
30.0	40000	300 (30 mV)	27K -33K	29799	29799
40.0	40000	400 (40 mV)	27K -33K	30238	30238
50.0	40000	500 (50 mV)	27K -33K	30330	30330

Note: Use R174 Gain Control on Power Supply Board to adjust L2221 CPM @75% for Threshold/Gain Calibration

**Window Cut-off Points Check**

L2221 Threshold set @100 (10.0 mv)

WIN @ 100 (10.0 mV) ✓ WIN @ 400 (40.0 mV) ✓  
 WIN @ 200 (20.0 mV) ✓ WIN @ 500 (50.0 mV) ✓

Date 10-7-22

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**AVM Environmental Services Inc.  
Scaler/Ratemeter Calibration Form**

Scaler/Ratemeter Model L2241-2 S/N 287029

Calibration Source Ludlum Model 500 Pulser #114513

Threshold (input sensitivity), Found at 10 mV Left or Set at 10 mV

Window, In/Out N/A Window N/A mV

Pulser Amplitude Set @ 20 mV

Range/Mode	Calibration Point (Pulser Setting) cpm x multiplier	As Found Reading	Left or Set Reading
<u>Ratemeter</u>	<u>40x1</u>	<u>38-42</u>	<u>38-42</u>
	<u>40x10</u>	<u>395-400</u>	<u>395-400</u>
	<u>40x100</u>	<u>3.95k-4k</u>	<u>3.95k-4k</u>
	<u>40x1k</u>	<u>39.6k-40k</u>	<u>39.6k-40k</u>
<u>Scaler</u>	<u>40x1</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>39</u>
	<u>40x10</u>	<u>398</u>	<u>398</u>
	<u>40x100</u>	<u>3998</u>	<u>3998</u>
	<u>40x1k</u>	<u>39940</u>	<u>39940</u>

HV Set @ 900 VDC

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Date 10-7-22 Calibrated By  Victor Patel

**AVM Environmental Services Inc.  
Scaler/Ratemeter Calibration Form**

Scaler/Ratemeter Model L12 S/N 274216

Calibration Source Ludlum Model 500 Pulser #114513

Threshold (input sensitivity), Found at 10 mV Left or Set at 10 mV

Window, In/Out N/A Window N/A mV

Pulser Amplitude Set @ 20 mV

Range/Mode	Calibration Point (Pulser Setting) cpm x multiplier	As Found Reading	Left or Set Reading
<u>x 1</u>	<u>40 x 10</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>
<u>x 10</u>	<u>40 x 100</u>	<u>4000</u>	<u>4000</u>
<u>x 100</u>	<u>40 x 1K</u>	<u>40K</u>	<u>40K</u>
<u>x 1000</u>	<u>40 x 10K</u>	<u>400K</u>	<u>400K</u>

HV Set @ 900 VDC

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Date 10-7-22

Calibrated By [Signature] Victor Patel



**AVM Environmental Services Inc.**  
L2221 SCA/L44-20 Energy Calibration Form

SCA: L2221, SR #290801

Detector: Ludlum 44-20 (3x3 NaI Scintillator)

Calibration Source: Cs-137 Check Source, 5 uCi (August 2008) For 662 KeV Peak Cal

Threshold (input sensitivity) **652**

Window, In/Out IN Window 20

HV Initial 100, At Peak 579

Maximum CPM: 198160 Background CPM: 13

HV Set @ 579 VDC

For Bi-214 609.2 KeV Peak (559 - 659 KeV ROI), Set Threshold @ 559, Window @ 100

Calibration Check w 1% U3O8 Ore Check Source: 15696 CPM  
Bkg = 65 cpm

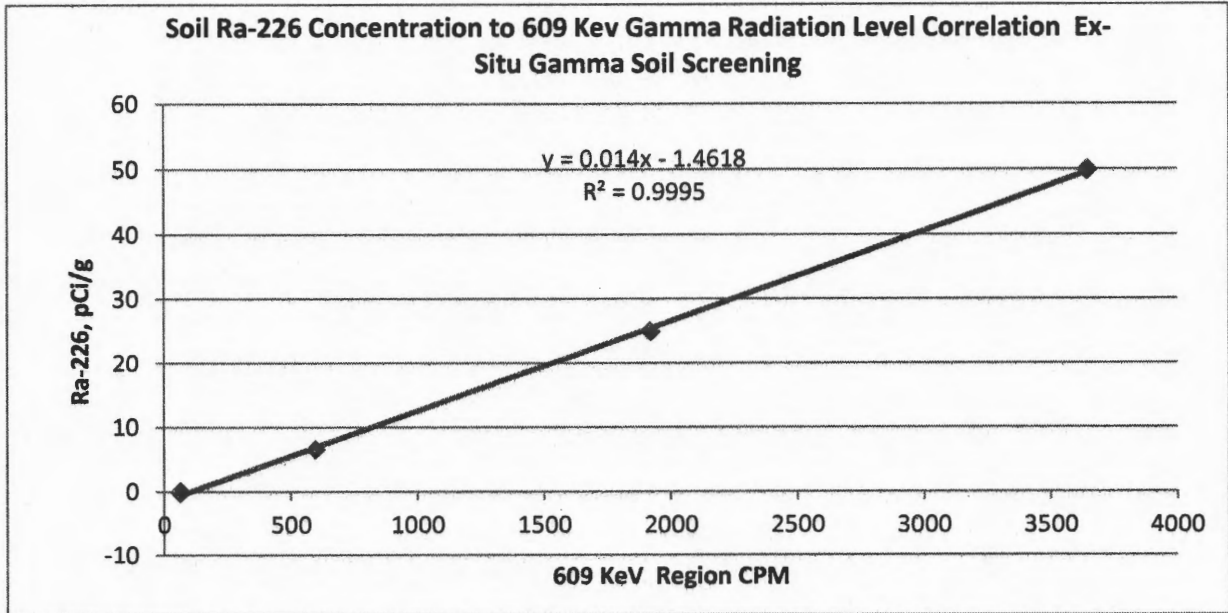
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**AVM Environmental Services**  
**Ex-Situ Soil Screening Gamma Radiation Level to Ra-226 Correlation**  
**Mt. Taylor Mine Site Subsurface Soil Investigation**

Reference Soil ID	Date	Ra-226 pCi/g	Wt gms	609 KeV CP5Min Gross (3x3 NaI Detector)	CPM
Blank	5/10/2023	-	-	329	66
6.6 pCi/g Ra-226 Ref Soil	5/10/2023	6.6	3000	2998	600
25 pCi/g Ra-226 Ref Soil	5/10/2023	25	3000	9603	1921
50 pCi/g Ra-226 Ref Soil	5/10/2023	50	3000	18224	3645



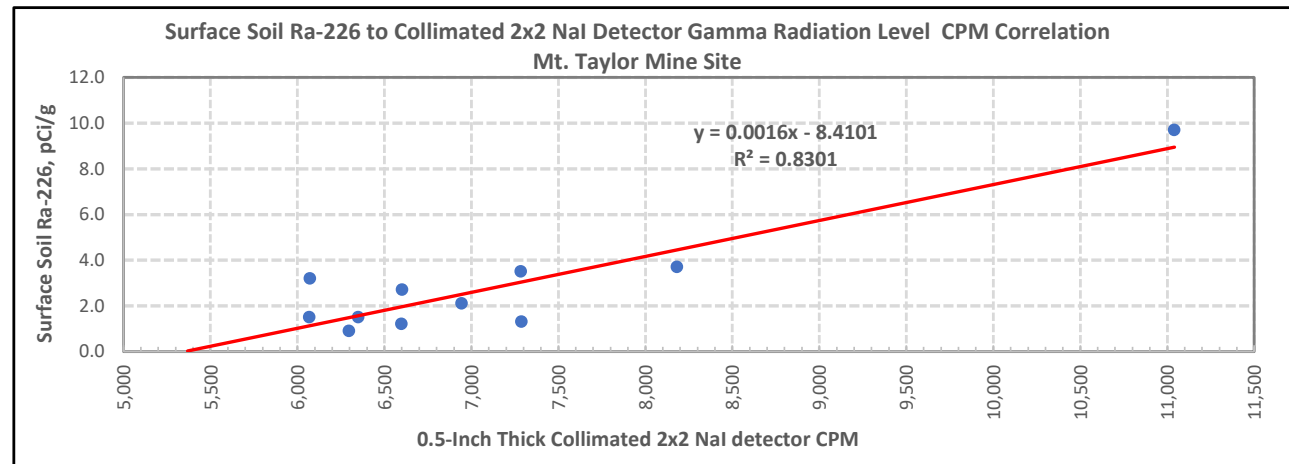
**Surface Soil Ra-226 to Gamma Radiation Level Correlation  
Mount Taylor Mine Site**

Survey Date	Survey Point ID/Description	Survey Point Coordinate		Static Gamma Radiation Survey		Sample Laboratory Analysis	Gamma Exposure Rate $\mu$ R/hr
		NAD83 StatePlane NM West, Feet		Bare 2x2 NaI Detector	Collimated (0.5" Pb) 2x2 NaI Detector		
		Northing	Easting	CPM	CPM	Ra-226 pCi/g	
05/17/23	WBSB-01	1,581,413	2,782,866	26,897	6,297	0.9	33
05/17/23	WBSB-02	1,581,390	2,782,444	26,749	6,350	1.5	33
05/17/23	WBSB-03	1,581,356	2,783,329	24,529	6,073	3.2	31
05/17/23	WBSB-04	1,581,339	2,782,706	30,064	6,069	1.5	37
05/17/23	WBSB-05	1,581,329	2,783,062	31,828	6,945	2.1	41
05/17/23	WBSB-06	1,581,271	2,782,942	35,410	7,288	1.3	47
05/17/23	WBSB-07	1,581,187	2,783,253	37,965	8,183	3.7	47
05/17/23	WBSB-08	1,581,164	2,782,988	55,849	11,042	9.7	70
05/31/23	WBSB-09	1,581,254	2,782,870	36,491	6,599	1.2	44
05/31/23	WBSB-10	1,581,263	2,783,140	34,898	7,286	3.5	48
05/31/23	WBSB-11	1,581,277	2,783,335	29,002	6,602	2.7	34

SUMMARY OUTPUT

**Regression Statistics**

Multiple R	0.91
R Square	0.83
Adjusted R Square	0.81
Standard Error	1.08
Observations	11



**ANOVA**

	df	SS	MS	F	Significance F				
Regression	1	50.92	50.92	43.97	9.58E-05				
Residual	9	10.42	1.16						
Total	10	61.35							
	Coefficients	Standard Error	t Stat	P-value	Lower 95%	Upper 95%	Lower 95.0%	Upper 95.0%	
Intercept	-8.41	1.73	-4.87	0.00089	-12.32	-4.50	-12.32	-4.50	
X Variable 1	0.00	0.00	6.63	0.00010	0.00104	0.00211	0.00104	0.00211	

## **NMED Cmmt 39.1**

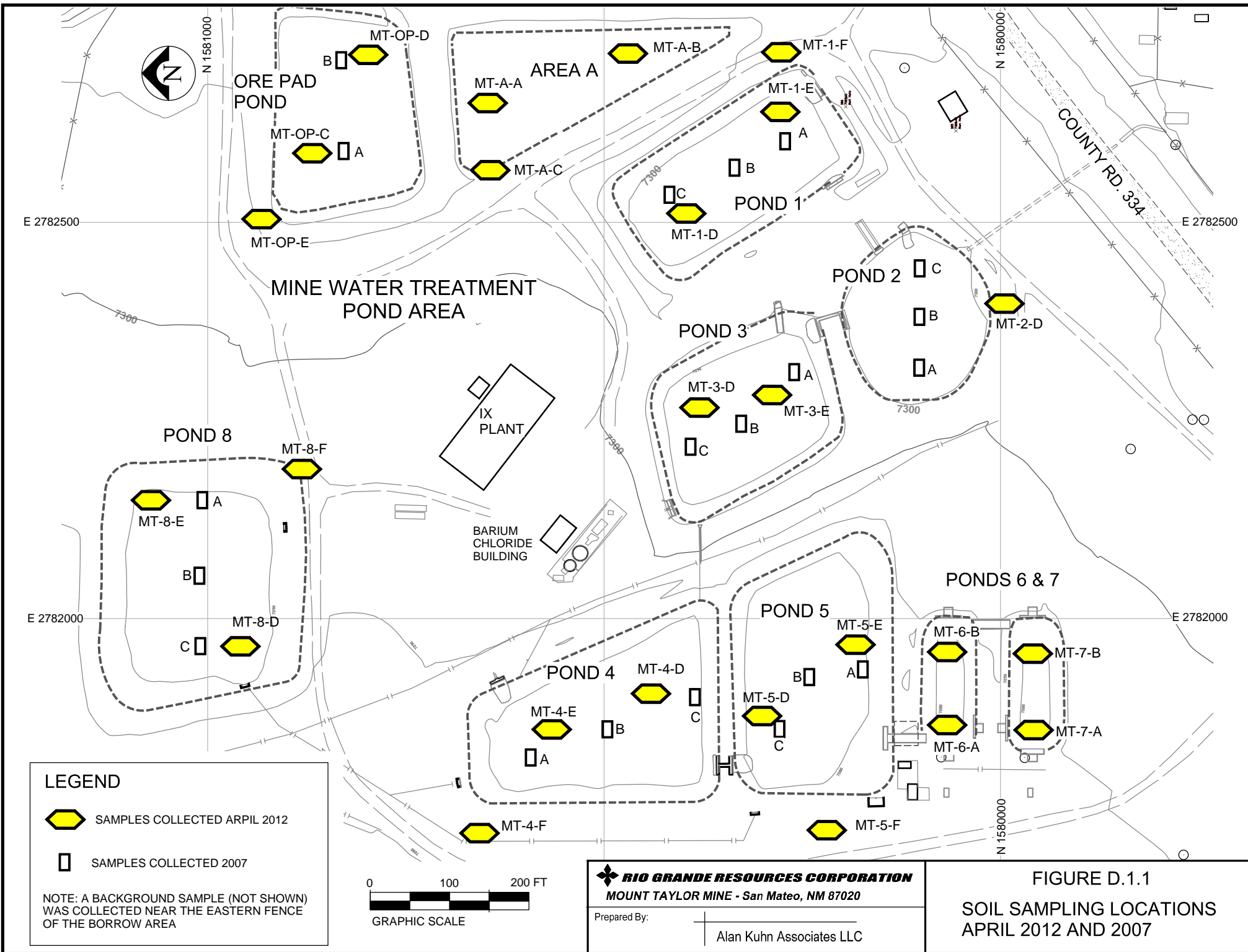
### **Table 1, Summary of Materials Destined for the Disposal Well**

**Comment 39.1 - Table 1 Summary of Materials Destined for the Disposal Cell**

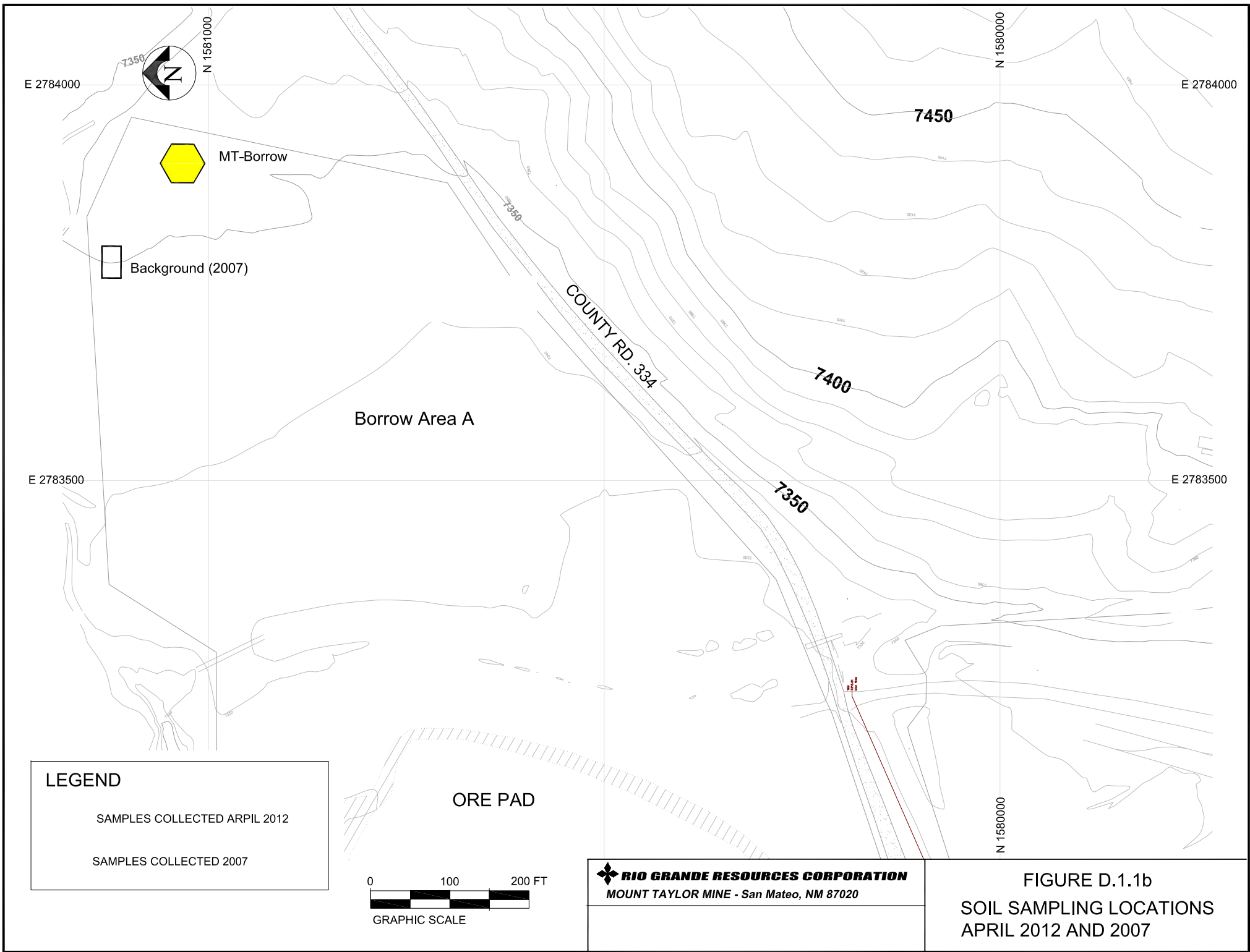
<b>EXCAVATION - Contaminated Soil</b>		
<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>Volume, CY</b>	<b>Destination</b>
Treated Water Discharge Pipeline (TWDP) Corridor	8,400	Disposal Cell
Borrow Area C north of Marquez Arroyo (Including hotspots identified by ERG survey)	25,000	
Ore Pad and Ore Pad Runoff Retention Pond	91,400	
MWTU Area less pond basins and Borrow area A	29,100	
County Road 334 and Other roads	12,000	
Service and Support Areas	106,950	
Disposal Cell Expansion Pit Area	9,300	
SSWP Area	3,000	
Diesel-contaminated Soil	7,400	
Continental Divide Coop Substation	1,850	
<b>Total</b>	<b>294,400</b>	CY
<b>Removal - Buildings</b>		
<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>Volume, LCY</b>	<b>Destination</b>
Pump Building (Chill Water Pump House)	334	Disposal Cell
Chlorine Building	174	
Shaft Heating Building	356	
Glycol Heat Exchanger	356	
Cooling Tower	1,597	
Car (Maintenance) Shop	10,000	
Water Treatment and Boiler Building	344	
Core Storage Building	1,773	
Fan Shop	347	
Flocculant Treatment Facility	77	
Barium Chloride Treatment Facility	111	
Ion Exchange Plant	8,348	
Fuel Pump House	34	
Sanitary Treatment Plant	493	
Mine Ventilation Structure	702	
24- Foot Shaft Headframe	8,633	
Treated Water Discharge Pipe	2,642	
MWTU Pond 2	1,178	
MWTU Pond 3	1,500	
MWTU ponds (1,4,5,6,7 8)	4,272	
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,271</b>	CY
<b>Removal - Other Debris</b>		
<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>Volume, LCY</b>	<b>Sources</b>
Mine Car rails	22	Disposal Cell
Ore Load pad an wash bay	718	
MWTU Pump House	28	
Pipe Laydown	1,556	
N laydown	5,556	
Skips	296	
MWTU Pipes	109	
BACL Tanks	39	
South Laydown Yard debris	16,311	
South Laydown Soil	5,392	
Car Shop Yard	4,762	
<b>Total</b>	<b>34,789</b>	
<b>Total All Materials, Soils and Debris</b>	<b>372,461</b>	CY
<b>Disposal Cell Capacity at 25-Acres</b>	<b>942,450</b>	CY

## **NMED Cmmt 40**

### **Sample Location Maps for Figure D-1-1**



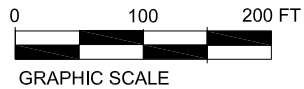




**LEGEND**

SAMPLES COLLECTED ARPIL 2012

SAMPLES COLLECTED 2007

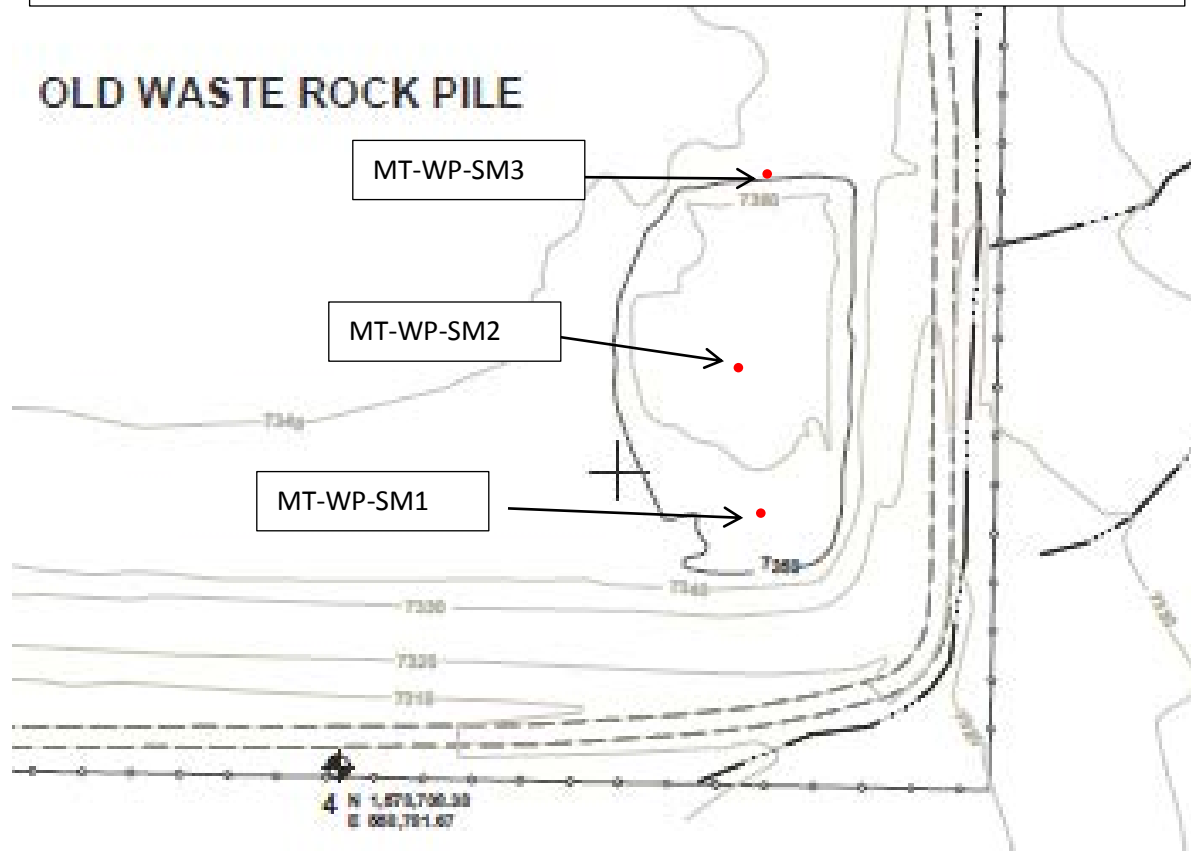


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**FIGURE D.1.1b**  
**SOIL SAMPLING LOCATIONS**  
**APRIL 2012 AND 2007**

Figure D.1.1c

MT TAYLOR MINE SHAFT MUCK SAMPLE LOCATIONS – 5/18/2010



Bulk samples of shaft muck from Mt. Taylor Mine waste rock pile collected on 5/18/2012 by Alan Kuhn. Locations are approximate (+/- 50 ft) based on visual reference to slopes. Splits delivered 5/18/12 to Kleinfelder Albuquerque for grain size analysis and plasticity tests. Other splits left with RGR Mine office for shipment to Energy Labs for testing of U and Ra concentration.