

AMIM-AEC-M (1200C)

June 7, 2021

SUBJECT: Site Inspection Work Plan Settling Pond 2 Badger Army Ammunition Plant BRRTS #02-57-561617

Mr. Steve Martin Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources GEF2 Central Office PO Box 7921 Madison, WI 53707-7921

Dear Mr. Martin:

The Department of the Army (Army) is proposing to collect soil samples to determine if shallow soil contamination remains at Settling Pond 2. On August 26, 2020, a prescribed burn by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) revealed potential contamination in Settling Pond 2 at the former Badger Army Ammunition Plant (BAAP). This Site Inspection Work Plan is being provided to describe the Army's proposed soil sampling activities to support the site inspection and evaluation.

Settling Pond 2 is part of a larger Settling Pond area that was constructed in 1942 to serve as an aeration and settling basin for the industrial and sanitary wastewater generated at BAAP. The Settling Pond area is in the southern portion of the BAAP and consists of Final Creek, four Settling Ponds, and five Spoils Disposal Areas, see Figure 1.

Between 2009 and 2012, the Army completed numerous remedial actions amounting to the removal of approximately 71,500 cubic yards of impacted soil from Final Creek, Settling Ponds, and the Spoils Disposal Areas. These remedial actions were described in the January 21, 2014, Parcel M1 and T1 Closure Request. The WDNR provided a Final Case Closure with Continuing Obligations determination on June 11, 2014. No further soil investigation or remediation was required at that time.

The WDNR's prescribed burn ignited unknown substances in Settling Pond 2. As described in the WDNR's Reopening of Closed Case letter dated September 16, 2020, the fire produced multi-colored smoke and high intensity flames. The WDNR requested a response action that includes additional soil investigation.

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Figure 2 shows the estimated locations of the soil samples, Settling Pond 2 boundary, soil remedial excavations, 5-foot ground contours, and the 2010 aerial photo as the base map. Figure 2 also shows the approximate location of the former drainage path through the Settling Ponds based on the 1949 aerial photo. Between 1949 and 1953, the road that forms the eastern border of Settling Pond 2 was constructed. Prior to road construction, surface water naturally flowed through a narrow ditch from Settling Pond 2 to Settling Pond 3.

The Army is proposing to collect eight (8) shallow and three (3) deep soil samples from the area designated as Settling Pond 2, see Figure 2. We are proposing to collect the shallow samples from the top 12 inches of soil at locations 1 - 8. The soil samples will be distributed mainly across the bottom of Settling Pond 2 at locations 1 - 7. Soil sample locations 1, 2, 4 & 6 are located along the former drainage path (light blue line) through Settling Pond 2. Soil sample locations 1 & 6 are also located near the entry/exit points of Settling Pond 2. Soil sample locations 3, 5, & 7 are located in the most visibly burnt surface soil. Sample location 8 is located on northern upslope from Settling Pond 2 where sediment spoils removed from the pond bottom were potentially relocated. No soil samples will be collected in areas that were previously excavated. We are proposing to collect the deep samples from approximately 24 inches below ground surface at locations 6, 7 & 8.

During May 2021, a preliminary survey of the soil strata (color, layering, and type) was conducted in several locations in Settling Pond 2. Findings indicate that visibly burned areas have black charred soil at the surface that extends down to approximately 6 inches deep. Beneath the black soil is either a thin gray silt layer or gravelly sand. Other locations indicated sandy topsoil overlying gray silt and then gravelly sand. Gravelly sand was found at all locations below 12 inches deep.

Emphasis will be made to collect soil from various soil types, colors, and textures. This will provide a representative evaluation of the potential contamination at various soil strata. A minimum of one sample will be collected from soil that was visibly burnt. Black charred soil is only visible on the surface at the bottom of Settling Pond 2 and not on the higher ground to the north and south (above the 795 foot ground contour). Samples will also be collected from soil located beneath the black soil. These deeper samples maybe collected from a depth of 6 - 12 inches.

Each soil sample will be collected as a grab sample (from one location) and not composited with multiple locations. Soil samples will be collected using a reusable steel shovel or hand auger. The shovel or auger will be decontaminated between samples with alconox detergent and deionized water. Disposable plastic scoops and disposable gloves will be used transfer the soil to laboratory supplied containers. The sample containers will be placed into an ice filled cooler before transporting to the laboratory.

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The soil samples will be located with a global positioning system (GPS) unit and mapped into the BAAP geographic information system (GIS).

The Army anticipates that the soil samples will be collected during June 2021. All field work and reporting will be conducted by SpecPro Professional Services, LLC (SPS).

The soil samples will be laboratory analyzed for explosives (includes 2,4dinitrotoluene and 2,6-dinitrotoluene), flashpoint, metals (includes mercury), nitrocellulose, semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) and volatile organic compounds (VOCs). Enclosed are analytical testing lists that include the analytes/compounds, test methods, and their estimated detection limits. All analytical testing will be completed by CT Laboratories, LLC, a WDNR Chapter NR 149 certified laboratory.

The Army will prepare a letter report to the WDNR that summarizes the soil sampling activities, field observations, laboratory sampling results, and discuss possible next steps.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 210-793-7881 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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Bryan P. Lynch Commander's Representative

Enclosure

Copy furn: Joel Janssen, SpecPro Professional Services, LLC





Legend

Proposed Soil Sample
Settling Pond
Soil Remedial Excavation
Contour (5 ft Interval)
Former Drainage Location (1949)

Culvert

Soil Sample Locations Site Inspection Work Plan Settling Pond 2 Badger Army Ammunition Plant

Figure 2

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Feet







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Test: Method: Matrix:

Explosives EPA 8330B Soil

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
1,3,5-Trinitrobenzene	99-35-4	0.07	0.20	mg/kg
1,3-Dinitrobenzene	99-65-0	0.06	0.20	mg/kg
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene (TNT)	118-96-7	0.10	0.20	mg/kg
2,4-Dinitrotoluene	121-14-2	0.04	0.20	mg/kg
2,6-Dinitrotoluene	606-20-2	0.08	0.20	mg/kg
2-Amino-4,6-dinitrotoluene	35572-78-2	0.08	0.20	mg/kg
2-Nitrotoluene	88-72-2	0.08	0.20	mg/kg
3,5-Dinitroaniline	618-87-1	0.08	0.20	mg/kg
3-Nitrotoluene	99-08-1	0.09	0.20	mg/kg
4-Amino-2,6-dinitrotoluene	19406-51-0	0.07	0.20	mg/kg
4-Nitrotoluene	99-99-0	0.11	0.20	mg/kg
Octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine (HMX)	2691-41-0	0.09	0.20	mg/kg
Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine (RDX)	121-82-4	0.05	0.20	mg/kg
Nitrobenzene	98-95-3	0.06	0.20	mg/kg
Nitroglycerin	55-63-0	0.20	0.40	mg/kg
Pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN)	78-11-5	0.36	0.80	mg/kg
Trinitrophenylmethylnitramine (Tetryl)	479-45-8	0.06	0.20	mg/kg

Notes:

All values are represented in milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg)

All values are estimates

CAS - Chemical Abstract Service

DL - Detection Limit

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Test: Mercury

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EPA 7471B Soil

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
Mercury	7439-97-6	0.0021	0.0083	mg/kg

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Test:Metals by ICPMethod:EPA 6010CMatrix:Soil

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
Aluminum	7429-90-5	0.04	0.24	mg/kg
Antimony	7440-36-0	0.13	0.80	mg/kg
Arsenic	7440-38-2	0.13	0.80	mg/kg
Barium	7440-39-3	0.009	0.050	mg/kg
Beryllium	7440-41-7	0.004	0.040	mg/kg
Cadmium	7440-43-9	0.006	0.040	mg/kg
Calcium	7440-70-2	0.24	1.40	mg/kg
Chromium	7440-47-3	0.023	0.140	mg/kg
Cobalt	7440-48-4	0.04	0.24	mg/kg
Copper	7440-50-8	0.07	0.40	mg/kg
Iron	7439-89-6	0.3	1.8	mg/kg
Lead	7439-92-1	0.04	0.25	mg/kg
Lithium	7439-93-2	0.06	0.36	mg/kg
Magnesium	7439-95-4	0.14	0.80	mg/kg
Manganese	7439-96-5	0.025	0.150	mg/kg
Molybdenum	7439-98-7	0.04	0.24	mg/kg
Nickel	7440-02-0	0.021	0.120	mg/kg
Selenium	7782-49-2	0.06	0.40	mg/kg
Silver	7440-22-4	0.017	0.100	mg/kg
Strontium	7440-24-6	0.013	0.080	mg/kg
Thallium	7440-28-0	0.08	0.48	mg/kg
Tin	7440-31-5	0.09	0.50	mg/kg
Titanium	7440-32-6	0.04	0.24	mg/kg
Tungsten	7440-33-7	0.10	0.60	mg/kg
Vanadium	7440-62-2	0.012	0.080	mg/kg
Zinc	7440-66-6	0.05	0.30	mg/kg

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ICP - Inductively Coupled Plasma

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Test:NitrocelluloseMethod:EPA Modified 9056Matrix:Soil

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
Nitrocellulose	9004-70-0	33	200	mg/kg

Notes:

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Test:	
Method:	
Matrix:	

Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs) EPA 8270D Soil

Analyte CAS# DL LOQ Units 95-94-3 1,2,4,5-Tetrachlorobenzene 100 200 ug/kg 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene 120-82-1 83 200 ug/kg 1,2-Dichlorobenzene 95-50-1 40 100 ug/kg 541-73-1 1,3-Dichlorobenzene 40 100 ug/kg 40 1,4-Dichlorobenzene 106-46-7 100 ug/kg 90-12-0 50 1-Methylnaphthalene 100 ug/kg 2,3,4,6-Tetrachlorophenol 58-90-2 200 500 ug/kg 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol 95-95-4 200 500 ug/kg 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol 88-06-2 200 500 ug/kg 230 500 2,4-Dichlorophenol 120-83-2 ug/kg 2,4-Dimethylphenol 105-67-9 99 500 ug/kg 2,4-Dinitrophenol 51-28-5 200 500 ug/kg 121-14-2 2,4-Dinitrotoluene 50 100 ug/kg 280 500 2,6-Dichlorophenol 87-65-0 ug/kg 606-20-2 2,6-Dinitrotoluene 50 100 ug/kg 2-Chloronaphthalene 91-58-7 40 100 ug/kg 100 500 2-Chlorophenol 95-57-8 ug/kg 2-Methylnaphthalene 91-57-6 50 100 ug/kg 2-Methylphenol 95-48-7 200 500 ug/kg 2-Nitroaniline 88-74-4 80 200 ug/kg 2-Nitrophenol 88-75-5 300 500 ug/kg 3 & 4-Methylphenol 1319-77-3 300 500 ug/kg 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine 91-94-1 80 200 ug/kg 40 3-Nitroaniline 99-09-2 100 ug/kg 534-52-1 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol 200 500 ug/kg 4-Bromophenyl-phenyl ether 101-55-3 50 100 ug/kg 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol 59-50-7 200 500 ug/kg 106-47-8 4-Chloroaniline 39 200 ug/kg 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether 7005-72-3 50 100 ug/kg 40 4-Nitroaniline 100-01-6 100 ug/kg 4-Nitrophenol 100-02-7 300 500 ug/kg Acenaphthene 83-32-9 70 200 ug/kg 208-96-8 50 100 Acenaphthylene ug/kg Acetophenone 98-86-2 50 100 ug/kg Anthracene 120-12-7 40 100 ug/kg Azobenzene & 1,2-Diphenylhydrazine 103-33-3/122-66-7 100 200 ug/kg Benzo(a)anthracene 56-55-3 40 100 ug/kg 40 Benzo(a)pyrene 50-32-8 100 ug/kg Benzo(b)fluoranthene 205-99-2 50 100 ug/kg Benzo(g,h,i)perylene 191-24-2 40 100 ug/kg Benzo(k)fluoranthene 207-08-9 50 100 ug/kg

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	111-91-1	40	100	ug/kg
Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	111-44-4	50	100	ug/kg
Bis(2-chloroisopropyl)ether	108-60-1	50	100	ug/kg
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	117-81-7	50	100	ug/kg
Butylbenzylphthalate	85-68-7	73	200	ug/kg
Carbazole	86-74-8	60	200	ug/kg
Chrysene	218-01-9	40	100	ug/kg
Di-n-butylphthalate	84-74-2	100	200	ug/kg
Di-n-octylphthalate	117-84-0	40	100	ug/kg
Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	53-70-3	50	100	ug/kg
Dibenzofuran	132-64-9	40	100	ug/kg
Diethylphthalate	84-66-2	40	100	ug/kg
Dimethylphthalate	131-11-3	50	100	ug/kg
Fluoranthene	206-44-0	40	100	ug/kg
Fluorene	86-73-7	50	100	ug/kg
Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1	50	100	ug/kg
Hexachlorobutadiene	87-68-3	50	100	ug/kg
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	77-47-4	50	100	ug/kg
Hexachloroethane	67-72-1	40	100	ug/kg
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	193-39-5	40	100	ug/kg
Isophorone	78-59-1	40	100	ug/kg
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine	621-64-7	50	100	ug/kg
N-Nitrosodimethylamine	62-75-9	78	200	ug/kg
N-Nitrosodiphenylamine & Diphenylamine	86-30-6/122-39-4	100	200	ug/kg
N-Nitrosopyrrolidine	930-55-2	40	100	ug/kg
Naphthalene	91-20-3	40	100	ug/kg
Nitrobenzene	98-95-3	40	100	ug/kg
Pentachlorophenol	87-86-5	200	500	ug/kg
Phenanthrene	85-01-8	40	100	ug/kg
Phenol	108-95-2	200	500	ug/kg
Pyrene	129-00-0	50	100	ug/kg
Pyridine	110-86-1	70	200	ug/kg

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Test: Method: Matrix:

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) **EPA 8260C** Soil

Analyte CAS # DL LOQ Units 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane 630-20-6 60 200 ug/kg 1,1,1-Trichloroethane 71-55-6 16 100 ug/kg 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane 79-34-5 21 100 ug/kg 100 1,1,2-Trichloroethane 79-00-5 12 ug/kg 1,1-Dichloroethane 75-34-3 7 50 ug/kg 75-35-4 21 1,1-Dichloroethene 100 ug/kg 1,1-Dichloropropene 563-58-6 27 100 ug/kg 50 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene 11 87-61-6 ug/kg 1,2,3-Trichloropropane 96-18-4 40 200 ug/kg 120-82-1 17 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene 100 ug/kg 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene 95-63-6 11 50 ug/kg 70 1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane 96-12-8 200 ug/kg 11 1,2-Dibromoethane 106-93-4 50 ug/kg 15 100 1,2-Dichlorobenzene 95-50-1 ug/kg 1,2-Dichloroethane 107-06-2 22 100 ug/kg 1,2-Dichloropropane 78-87-5 26 100 ug/kg 16 100 1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene 108-70-3 ug/kg 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene 108-67-8 13 50 ug/kg 1,3-Dichlorobenzene 541-73-1 14 50 ug/kg 1,3-Dichloropropane 142-28-9 14 50 ug/kg 1,4-Dichlorobenzene 106-46-7 15 100 ug/kg 1-Chlorohexane 544-10-5 12 100 ug/kg 112Trichloro122trifluoroethane 76-13-1 30 200 ug/kg 2,2-Dichloropropane 594-20-7 21 100 ug/kg 78-93-3 400 2000 2-Butanone ug/kg ug/kg 2-Chlorotoluene 95-49-8 18 100 2-Hexanone 591-78-6 200 1000 ug/kg 70 1000 2-Nitropropane 79-46-9 ug/kg 4-Chlorotoluene 106-43-4 15 100 ug/kg 1000 4-Methyl-2-pentanone 108-10-1 180 ug/kg Acetone 67-64-1 400 2000 ug/kg Benzene 71-43-2 11 50 ug/kg Bromobenzene 108-86-1 16 100 ug/kg Bromochloromethane 74-97-5 100 17 ug/kg Bromodichloromethane 75-27-4 14 50 ug/kg Bromoform 75-25-2 60 200 ug/kg Bromomethane 74-83-9 90 400 ug/kg 40 Carbon disulfide 75-15-0 200 ug/kg Carbon tetrachloride 56-23-5 14 100 ug/kg Chlorobenzene 108-90-7 10 50 ug/kg Chloroethane 75-00-3 30 100 ug/kg

Analyte	CAS #	DL	LOQ	Units
Chloroform	67-66-3	16	100	ug/kg
Chloromethane	74-87-3	30	100	ug/kg
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	156-59-2	27	100	ug/kg
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	10061-01-5	14	50	ug/kg
Dibromochloromethane	124-48-1	40	200	ug/kg
Dibromomethane	74-95-3	21	100	ug/kg
Dichlorodifluoromethane	75-71-8	50	200	ug/kg
Dichlorofluoromethane	75-43-4	40	200	ug/kg
Diisopropyl ether	108-20-3	18	100	ug/kg
Ethyl ether	60-29-7	27	100	ug/kg
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	11	50	ug/kg
Hexachlorobutadiene	87-68-3	23	100	ug/kg
Isopropylbenzene	98-82-8	13	50	ug/kg
m & p-Xylene	179601-23-1	25	100	ug/kg
Methyl tert-butyl ether	1634-04-4	16	100	ug/kg
Methylene chloride	75-09-2	60	400	ug/kg
n-Butylbenzene	104-51-8	17	100	ug/kg
n-Propylbenzene	103-65-1	13	50	ug/kg
Naphthalene	91-20-3	15	100	ug/kg
o-Xylene	95-47-6	7	50	ug/kg
p-Isopropyltoluene	99-87-6	13	50	ug/kg
sec-Butylbenzene	135-98-8	11	50	ug/kg
Styrene	100-42-5	16	100	ug/kg
tert-Butylbenzene	98-06-6	12	50	ug/kg
Tetrachloroethene	127-18-4	11	50	ug/kg
Tetrahydrofuran	109-99-9	250	1000	ug/kg
Toluene	108-88-3	16	100	ug/kg
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	156-60-5	14	50	ug/kg
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	10061-02-6	40	200	ug/kg
Trichloroethene	79-01-6	19	100	ug/kg
Trichlorofluoromethane	75-69-4	40	200	ug/kg
Vinyl Acetate	108-05-4	400	2000	ug/kg
Vinyl chloride	75-01-4	19	100	ug/kg

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