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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AST Aboveground storage tank

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

DTR Detroit Tubular Rivet, Inc.

ft Feet

MDEQ Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

mg/L Milligram per liter

NCP National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan

No. Number

OSC On-Scene Coordinator

Poly Polyethylene

SA Site assessment

START Superfund Technical Assessment and Response Team

SU Standard unit

TCLP Toxicity characteristic leaching procedure

μg/kg Microgram per kilogram

U.S. EPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

WESTON Weston Solutions, Inc.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) tasked the Weston Solutions,

Inc. (WESTON®), Superfund Technical Assessment and Response Team (START) to assist the

U.S. EPA On-Scene Coordinators (OSCs) in performing a site assessment (SA) at the Detroit

Tubular Rivet site in Wyandotte, Wayne County, Michigan (the Site). Under Technical

Direction Document No. S05-0001-1201-014, U.S. EPA requested WESTON START to collect

samples from drums and containers of unknown contents located at the Site. The purpose of the

sampling was to determine the presence of hazardous substances in Site buildings. WESTON

START also collected written and photographic documentation of Site conditions, performed air

monitoring, and evaluated the potential for imminent and substantial threats to the public health

or welfare or the environment. WESTON START conducted the SA on January 30, 2012.

This SA report is organized into the following sections:

• Introduction – Provides a brief description of the objectives and scope of SA activities

• Site Background – Details the Site description and history

• Site Assessment Activities – Discusses the methods and procedures used during the SA

• Analytical Results - Discusses analytical results for samples collected during the SA

• Threats to Human Health and the Environment – Identifies conditions at the Site that may warrant a removal action under the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP)

• Conclusions – Provides a summary of the SA findings

Figures and tables are presented after the conclusions section. In addition, this SA report contains two appendices. **Appendix A** provides a photographic log of Site conditions during the SA, and **Appendix B** provides the laboratory analytical report and data validation report for

samples collected during the SA.

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2. SITE BACKGROUND

The Site is located at 1213 Grove Street in Wyandotte, Wayne County, Michigan (Figure 2-1).

The coordinates of the Site are 42°11'30.00" North latitude and 83°10'05.00" West longitude.

The Site is in a mixed light industrial and residential area and is bordered by Grove Street and

industrial properties to the north, industrial properties and railroad tracks to the east, industrial

properties to the south, and 14th Street, residences, and Monroe Elementary School to the west

(Figure 2-2). Monroe Elementary School is located 400 feet (ft) directly west, and the nearest

residences are located 200 ft northwest of the Site. The Trenton Channel of the Detroit River is

approximately 0.8 mile southeast of the Site.

The Site contains a one story building occupying a total of approximately 53,000 square ft with

several concrete parking and undeveloped grassy areas. Detroit Tubular Rivet, Incorporated

(DTR) used the Site for production of steel, brass, and aerospace metal rivets as well as zinc and

brass electroplating services. DTR began business at the Site in the early 1960s until filing

bankruptcy in 2010. The Site is no longer operational and nearly all equipment was sold off at

auction.

On January 12, 2012, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) issued a

violation notice to the Site owner in response to a follow-up inspection that occurred on

December 13, 2011. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate DTR's compliance with Part

111, Hazardous Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection

Act, 1994 PA 451. MDEQ noted 16 hazardous and liquid industrial waste violations including

failure to perform the following: minimize the possibility of fire, explosion, or release of

hazardous waste which could threaten human health and/or the environment; maintain containers

of hazardous waste in good condition; maintain closed hazardous waste containers except when

adding or removing waste; and manage waste in a manner that prevents the discharge of liquid

industrial waste into the soil, surface water, groundwater, or a drain or sewer.

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3. SITE ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES

SA activities included a Site reconnaissance, container inventory, and drum sampling. During

the SA, WESTON START conducted air monitoring using a RAE Systems ToxiRAE hydrogen

cyanide meter and a MultiRAE multi-gas air monitor to monitor air in the breathing zone for

carbon monoxide, hydrogen sulfide, lower explosive limit, oxygen, and volatile organic

All ambient air monitoring readings were at or below background levels.

WESTON START also used a Ludlum Model 19 MicroR Meter to monitor for radioactive

materials at the Site; no such materials were identified.

The following sections discuss the Site reconnaissance, Site observations, and sampling activities

conducted during the SA.

3.1 SITE RECONNAISSANCE

On January 30, 2012, the U.S. EPA and WESTON START mobilized to the Site. After a brief

safety meeting and equipment setup, U.S. EPA and WESTON START personnel conducted a

Site reconnaissance to perform air monitoring and identify containers and sampling locations.

The property owner was present during the SA for a short time period to answer questions and

provide a general tour of the facility. During the Site reconnaissance, written and photographic

documentation of current Site conditions were collected and potential environmental threats and

sampling locations were noted. Appendix A provides photographic documentation of Site

conditions at the time of the Site reconnaissance.

3.2 SITE OBSERVATIONS

During the SA, the Site was non-operational and vacant but chemicals and a few pieces of

equipment associated with Site operations were still present. The building consisted of offices to

the north end with the remainder of the facility made up by warehouse space used for industrial

processes, shipping, and storage. A zinc/brass electroplating line was once in place on the west

end of the Site building, but it has since been auctioned off, dismantled, and removed. At least

one manhole cover was identified within the Site building; other covers or floor drains could

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potentially exist but may have been obstructed from view by containers or debris. Two storm

water grates were documented along the Site perimeter, one each on Grove Street and 14th Street.

The Site building contained various open and closed aboveground storage tanks (AST), vats,

totes, drums, and small containers. Only one small area within the building had a secondary

containment surrounding stored containers. The building contained an estimated 300+ containers

of various sizes, which were stored in approximately 11 areas; a small laboratory; waste water

settling tanks used for plating operations; and various areas with floor stains and releases of oil,

grease, and possible plating waste solids. Most of the on-site containers were in good overall

condition, but some drums showed signs of deterioration, damage, or possible leaking. Several

areas of the building contained trenches and pits and were partially filled to overflowing with

what appeared to be yellow/green liquids, oil and sludge, or antifreeze. An approximately 10-

cubic-yard roll-off dumpster was located on the west exterior side of the Site building, within a

shipping/receiving dock. The dumpster contained electroplating waste water solids, and was

unsecured and easily accessible, unlabeled, and covered with only a thin layer of plastic sheeting.

The Site had limited perimeter fencing on the east side of the building, but access to the Site was

not restricted along the majority of the property perimeter. The building appeared secure, with

doors and windows intact except for one window, which had been shattered on the west side of

the building. The breakage appears to have occurred during a probable act of trespass/vandalism

because the window is located at an elevated position and in an area where accidental breakage

would be unlikely. Attempts have been made by the building owner to block the window from

the inside of the building using plywood, a pallet, and other miscellaneous items. In addition,

two small access points into the Site building were documented. An unobstructed hole in the roof

appears to have once been the site of a vent pipe. The hole in the roof is approximately 12 inches

in diameter, and positioned directly above stored drums and containers. An approximate 8-inch-

square hole is present through the west side of the Site building, near the laboratory, where

small-animal tracks to the building interior were observed.

WESTON START and U.S. EPA inventoried the ASTs, tanks, totes, drums, pits, trenches, and

small containers to determine the approximate quantity of containers and materials at the Site.

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Table 3-1 summarizes the container inventory by area, and Figure 3-1 shows the approximate

location and area identification numbers where the containers were observed.

During the inventory, U.S. EPA and WESTON START identified approximately 180 small

containers with a capacity of 5 or less gallons; one pallet and eight bags of material; 100 steel,

polyethylene (poly), and fiber drums; five poly totes; 10 poly vats; two ASTs; one roll-off

dumpster; and six trenches and pits. Labels on containers and drums indicated the possible

presence of such chemicals as household cleaners, paint/primer/sealers, oil/waste oil, hydrogen

peroxide, methylene chloride, cyanides, various corrosives, and oxidizers. In addition, numerous

containers of unknown solids and liquids and suspected mislabeled containers were documented.

A group of approximately seven steel 55-gallon drums were placarded with hazardous waste

decals and labeled as containing "methylene chloride". The drums were mostly full, two had

been crushed, and several were also improperly labeled with other identifiers, such as "mineral

spirits" and "Extrudex 730". Another group of drums, stored in a steel cage labeled poison,

contained 7 steel drums labeled as copper cyanide and sodium cyanide along with 3 unlabeled

fiber drums. The fiber drums were all partially full with a white granular solid, whereas the steel

cyanide drums were mostly empty with some white residual powders remaining.

3.3 **SAMPLING ACTIVITIES**

In accordance with the site-specific field sampling plan and health and safety plan, WESTON

START collected three liquid samples and two solid samples for laboratory analysis. Figure 3-2

shows the approximate liquid and solid sampling locations. All samples were collected in Level

B personal protective equipment using disposable plastic scoops or a variety of disposable drum

samplers. All samples were placed into glass sample jars provided by the laboratory, labeled

appropriately, and placed on ice. The sample identification numbers and descriptions are as

follows:

DTR-WL01-013012 – Amber liquid sample collected from a blue poly 15-gallon drum

labeled "Oxidizer" and "Hydrogen Peroxide"

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• DTR-WL02-013012 - Red/orange liquid sample collected from a blue poly 55-gallon unlabeled drum

• DTR-WL03-013012 – Amber liquid sample collected from a black steel 55-gallon drum labeled "Corrosive"

• DTR-WS01-013012 – Gray solid sample collected from an approximately 10-cubic-yard steel roll-off dumpster located on the exterior of the Site building, along 14th Street

• DTR-WS02-013012 – White granular solid sample collected from an approximately 30-gallon fiber drum labeled as Allied Kelite ARP60

Samples DTR-WL01-013012, DTR-WL02-013012, and DTR-WL03-013012 were analyzed for pH using U.S. EPA SW-846 Method 9040B. Sample DTR-WS01-013012 was analyzed for total cyanide using U.S. EPA SW-846 Method 9012A and Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP) metals using U.S. EPA Method SW-846 Methods 1311, 6020, and 7470A. Sample DTR-WS02-013012 was analyzed for total cyanide, also using U.S. EPA SW-846 Method 9012A.

On January 30, 2012, WESTON START hand-delivered all five samples to Brighton Analytical LLC in Brighton, Michigan, for laboratory analysis.

4. ANALYTICAL RESULTS

Table 4-1 presents the analytical results for the three waste liquid and two waste solid samples collected during the SA. **Appendix B** presents the laboratory analytical results and the data validation report associated with the samples. Sample analytical results were compared to the hazardous waste identification criteria in Title 40 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR), Part 261 and designation of hazardous substances Title 40 CFR, Part 302.4. According to 40 CFR, Part 261.2, a solid waste is considered a hazardous waste if it exhibits any of the characteristics of ignitability, corrosivity, toxicity, or reactivity. Detected analytical results for the samples are summarized below:

Corrosivity Results

• The pH of the waste samples analyzed ranged from <1.0 to 4.4 standard units (SU). The pH of samples DTR-WL02-013012 and DTR-WL03-013012 was reported as <1.0 SUs, which is less than the regulatory limit of 2 SUs. Therefore, the wastes associated with samples DTR-WL02-013012 and DTR-WL03-013012 are considered hazardous for the characteristic of corrosivity according to 40 CFR 261.22.

Total Cyanide Results

• Total cyanide was detected in solid samples DTR-WS01-013012 and DTR-WS02-013012 at 300,000 and 1,100 micrograms per kilogram (μg/kg), respectively. The presence of acidic wastes at the Site poses the risk of contact with the cyanide-containing waste, possibly resulting in the release of toxic fumes (cyanide reactivity). Cyanide is a listed hazardous substance under 40 CFR 302.4.

TCLP Metals Results

• TCLP analytical results did not exceed 40 CFR 261.24.

5. THREATS TO HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Factors to be considered in determining the appropriateness of a potential removal action at a Site are delineated in the NCP at 40 CFR, Part 300.415(b)(2). A summary of the factors that may be applicable to the Site is presented below:

 Actual or potential exposure of nearby human populations, animals, or the food chain to hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants

The nearest residences are located 200 ft northwest of the Site with additional residences to the west and southwest. Monroe Elementary School is located less than 400 ft directly west of the Site. The presence of the residences and school increase the likelihood of potential exposure to humans if a release of hazardous substances were to occur at the Site. During the SA, the Site building contained vats, totes, drums, pits, trenches, and small containers without secondary containment. Two of the three liquids sampled during the SA contained characteristically hazardous wastes with a pH of less than one. Also, seven drums were labeled as hazardous waste containing methylene chloride and seven drums were labeled as containing sodium or copper cyanide residuals. Overall, the potential for human exposure to potentially hazardous substances and wastes stored at the Site is high through accidental or intentional release, fire, or direct exposure by trespassers, especially considering the on-site building is no longer occupied, is located in a populated area, and access is relatively unrestricted/easily gained.

Actual or potential contamination of drinking water supplies or sensitive ecosystems

Vats, totes, drums, pits, trenches, and small containers with no secondary containment in the Site building are present; a release could affect nearby sensitive ecosystems. Releases could flow unimpeded into building floor drains or storm water sewer lines along the Site perimeter and migrate toward the Trenton Channel of the Detroit River, located less than 1 mile away. Cyanide and methylene chloride in particular could negatively impact sensitive ecosystems through fish kills and biota disruption.

Hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants in drums, totes, containers, or other bulk storage containers that may pose a threat of release

During the SA, U.S. EPA and WESTON START documented over 300 containers of various sizes, some of which were documented to contain corrosive waste, cyanide, and methylene chloride. Some drums showed signs of damage and in several areas spills and possible leaks have occurred. A roll-off dumpster containing cyanide electroplating solids was located on the exterior of the building.

The unrestricted Site access could result in trespassers causing accidental or intentional releases of chemicals or hazardous materials and wastes stored in on-site containers. The close proximity of the Site to residences and Monroe Elementary School greatly increases potential threats to human health if a release occurs.

Weather conditions that may cause hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants to migrate or be released

The Site is no longer occupied and no longer maintained; therefore, the building likely will continue to deteriorate. Small access points through the building walls and roof could allow snow, rain, and other precipitation as well as birds and other wildlife to access the interior of the building. Open drums and containers could potentially overfill with precipitation and release their contents inside the building and beyond through floor drains and other migration routes.

Threat of fire or explosion

The threat of fire or explosion at the Site is moderate based on the flammable nature of some materials at the Site (such as paints, automotive aerosol products, and flammable containers) and because the Site building is unoccupied. Signs of trespassing or vandalism were observed during the SA and the probability for an intentional or unintentional fire being set at a vacant facility will increase over time as more incidents of vandalism or trespassing occur. A fire occurring at the Site has the potential to create toxic gases containing constituents such as cyanides.

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6. CONCLUSIONS

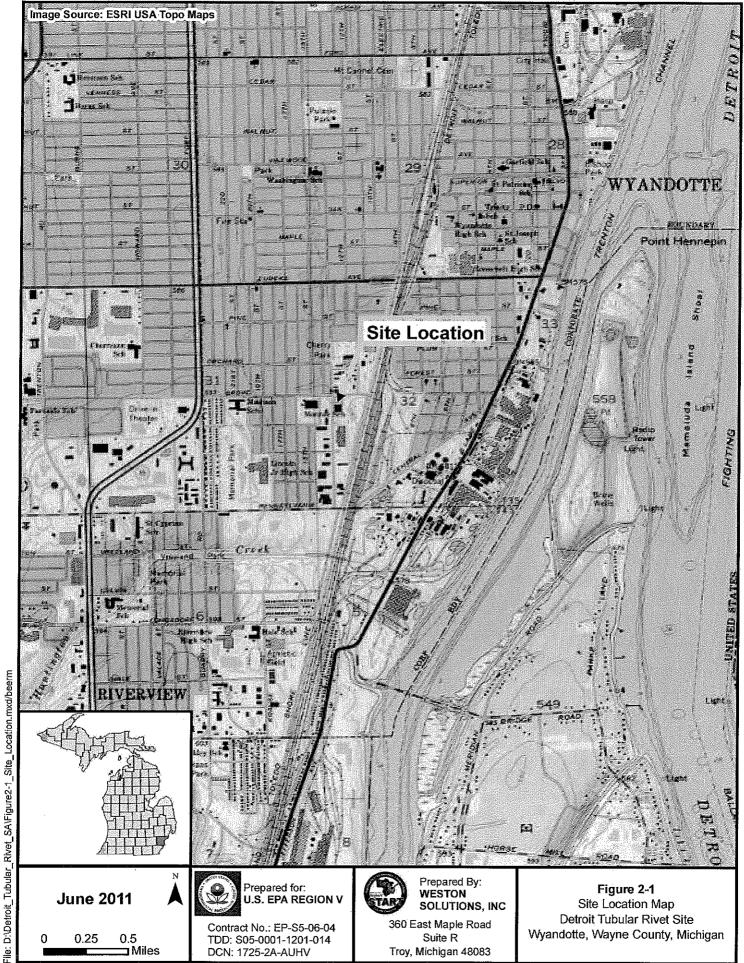
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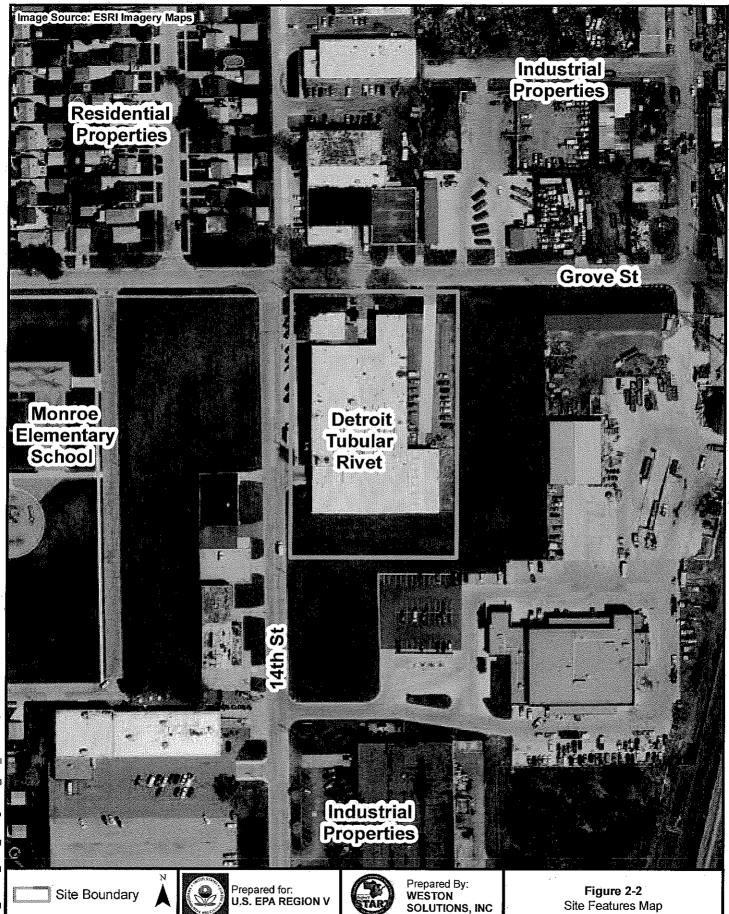
WESTON START collected three liquid and two solid samples during the SA. Analytical results for samples collected during the SA were compared to the criteria set forth in 40 CFR Part 261 to determine whether wastes stored at the Site are considered hazardous. Sampling results for two of the five samples collected indicate the presence of characteristically hazardous wastes at the Site, and waste associated with at least one sample can be considered listed hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability

The hazards and threats summarized below also were identified during the SA:

- During the SA, the Site building contained more than 300 ASTs, vats, totes, drums, pits, trenches, and small containers, nearly all without secondary containment. A roll-off dumpster was located on the exterior of the Site building and contained electroplating waste water solids, and was unsecured and easily accessible, unlabeled, and covered with only a thin layer of plastic sheeting. A sample of this waste contained 300,000 μg/kg of cyanide.
- Residences are located to the northwest, west, and southwest of the Site and at a distance
 of as little as 200 ft. Monroe Elementary School is located approximately 400 ft west of
 the Site. The close proximity of the residences and school increase the likelihood of
 exposure to a release of hazardous substances from the Site.
- The Trenton Channel of the Detroit River is less than 1 mile from the Site. Two storm water sewer grates were identified along the Site perimeter.
- The Site is no longer occupied. Access is relatively unrestricted. The building will continue to deteriorate and access points for precipitation and wildlife do exist. The continued deterioration of the building increases the chance of further degradation of the containers, the likelihood of a fire, and the likelihood of a release to the environment.

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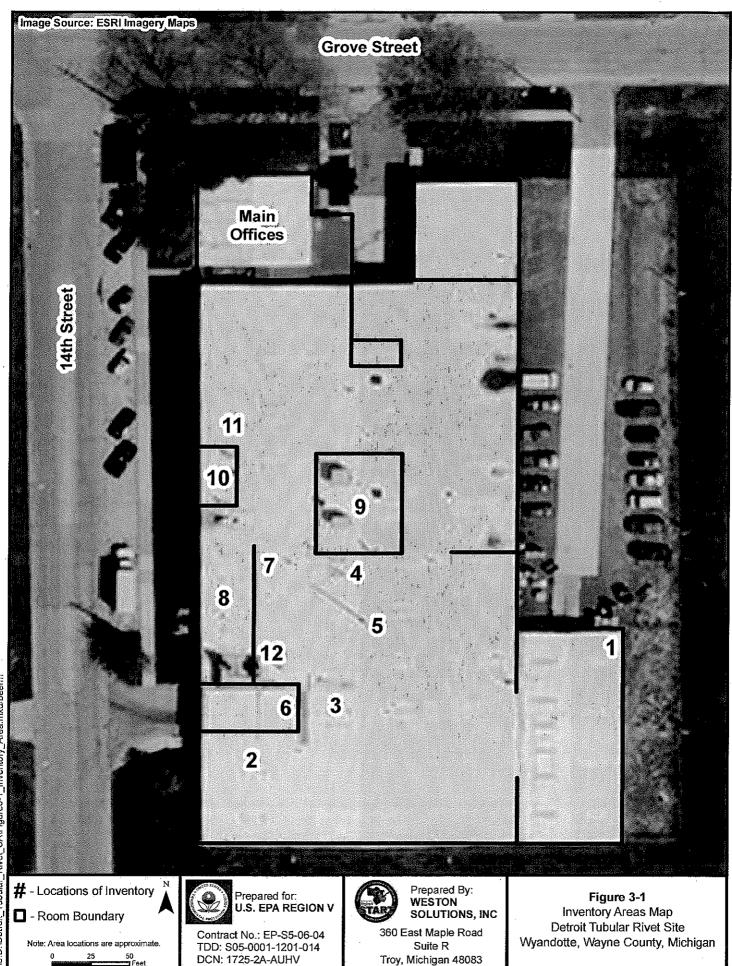
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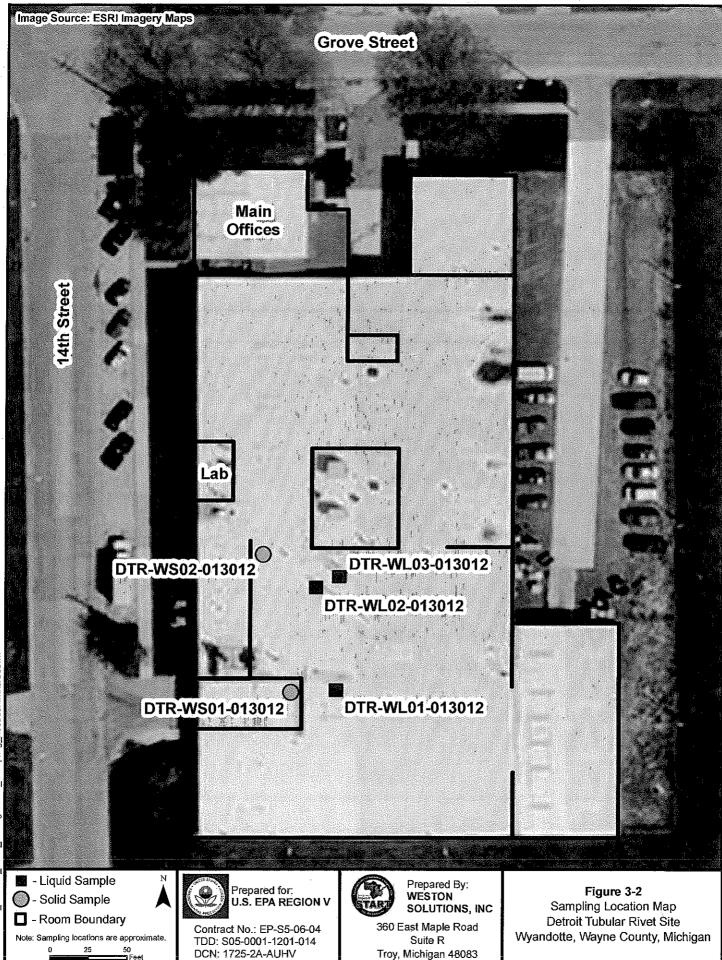
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TABLES

Table 3-1 Container Inventory Detroit Tubular Rivet Site Wyandotte, Wayne County, Michigan

Area	Approximate No.	Description	Container Size	Contents		
1	16	Poly drums	55 gallons	Unknown		
	3	Steel drums	55 gallons	Possible waste oil		
	4	Small containers	5 gallons	Possible waste oil, driveway sealer		
	. 2	Steel ASTs	Est. 3,000 gallons	Possible waste oil		
2	30	Small containers	1 gallon or less	Oil/latex paints, primers, water proofing, automotive		
	12]	5 gallons or less	Paints, coating, hydraulic cement, roof sealer		
	2		5 gallon	Oil, waste oil		
	1	Steel drum	30 gallon	Possible waste oil		
3	11	Steel drums	55 gallons	Possible waste oil		
	1	Overpack	55 gallons	Unknown		
	1	Steel drum	55 gallons	Unknown solids		
	1	Pallet	5 gallons or less	Spent PPE, 5 gallon buckets of unknown solids		
	5	Poly drums	55 gallons	Possible waste oil		
	1	Poly drum	15 gallons	Labeled "Hydrogen peroxide 50%"		
	5	Steel drums	55 gallons	Labeled "Hazardous Waste" "Methylene Chloride"		
	1	Steel drum	55 gallons	Labeled "Hazardous Waste", "Methylene Chloride", a		
				"Mineral Spirits"		
	1	Steel drum	55 gallons	Labeled "Hazardous Waste", "Methylene Chloride", a "Extrudex 730"		
4	15	Poly drums	55 gallons	Labeled "corrosives", "oxidizer", "plating wax"		
·	15	Steel drums	55 gallons	Acid solutions, debris, waste oil, oil soaked absorban		
ľ	2	Poly drums	15 gallons	Handwritten "acid", "caustic"		
	8	Steel drums	15 to 55 gallons	Possible waste oil		
· •	8	Bags	50 pounds	White solid labeled "Orbiloid"		
	3	Poly totes	275 gallons	Unknown liquids (2) and solids (1)		
	56	Small containers	5 gallons or less	Waste oils, corrosives, acid, ferric sulfate, sealants, un		
5	1	Pit	4 foot by 6 foot by ?	Possible waste oil		
6	1	Roll off dumpster	10 cubic yards	Grey solid		
7	3	Fiber drums	30 gallons	White granular solids		
	7	Steel drums	15 gallons	Labeled "poison, UN1689, Sodium/copper cyanide"		
8	5	Trenches and Pits	Various sizes	Contain greenish/yellow liquids		
9	2	Poly totes	275 gallons	Unknown		
	1	Small containers	5 gallons	Unknown		
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ŀ	38	1	1 gallon	Labeled "Settle-It polymer, floculant"		
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Table 3-1 Container Inventory Detroit Tubular Rivet Site Wyandotte, Wayne County, Michigan

Area	Approximate No.	Description Container Size		Contents		
	25			Labeled "Sodium hydroxide, Sodium dichromate, titra solutions, phenol red		
11	2	Poly drums	55 gallons	Labeled "caustic"		
	2	Poly drums	55 gallons	Labeled "caustic"		
12	10	Poly vats	Est. 500 to 1,000 gallons	Used as settling tanks for plating operations		

SUMMARY TOTALS

Description	Approximate No.	Container Sizes			
AST	2	Est. 3,000 gallon			
Bags	8	50 pounds			
Fiber drums	3	30 gallons			
Poly drums	43	15 to 55 gallons			
Poly totes	5	275 gallons			
Steel drums	54	15 to 55 gallons			
Small					
Containers	180	<1 to 5 gallons			
Roll off					
dumpster	1	Est. 10 yard			
Pallet	1	5 gallons			
Trenches and					
Pits	6	Unknown			
Poly vats	10	Est. 500 to 1,000 gallons			

Notes:

< = Less than

AST = Aboveground storage tank

Est. = Estimated

No. = Number

Poly = Polyethylene

Table 4-1 Analytical Results Summary Detroit Tubular Rivet Site Wyandotte, Wayne County, Michigan

		Sample No.	DTR-WL	01-013012	013012 DTR-WL02-013012		DTR-WL03-013012		DTR-WS01-		
		Sampling Date	1/30/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/20		
		Sample Medium	Lie	Liquid		Liquid		Liquid		Solid	
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TCLP Metals		,									
Arsenic	mg/L	5							ND	Τ	
Barium	mg/L	100							0.20	П	
Cadmium	mg/L	1	NA		NA		NA		0.05	Г	
Chromium	mg/L	5							0.02	Γ	
Copper	mg/L	NL							0.3	Γ	
Lead	mg/L	5							ND	\Box	
Mercury	mg/L	0.2							ND	Γ	
Selenium	mg/L	1							ND		
Silver	mg/L	5							ND	\Box	
Zinc	mg/L	NL							400	Π	
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Notes:

Bold shaded results exceed 40 CFR Part 261 regulatory levels

μg/Kg = Microgram per kilogram

< = Less than

> = Greater than

DTR = Detroit Tubular Rivet Inc.

mg/L = Milligram per liter

NA = Not analyzed

ND = Not detected

NL = Not listed

No. = Number

Poly = Polyethylene

SU = Standard unit

TCLP = Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure

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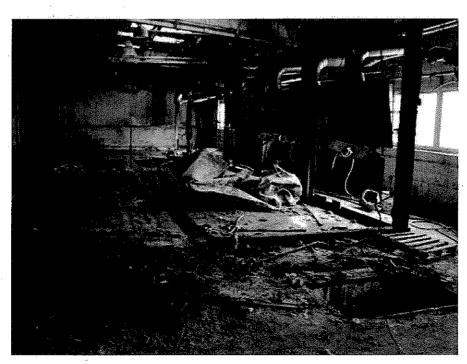


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Subject: Sludge in a trench

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Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 2 **Direction:** Southwest

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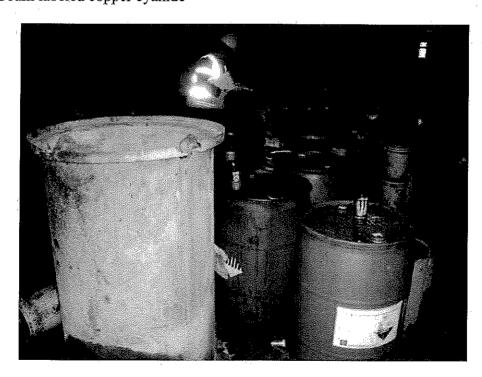
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Subject: Drum labeled copper cyanide

Date: 1/30/12

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 4

Direction: Northeast Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Drums labeled as containing corrosive and acidic materials

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Photograph No.: 5
Direction: Down

Subject: Leaking containers

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 6 **Direction:** Down

Subject: Pit partially filled with unknown waste

Date: 1/30/12

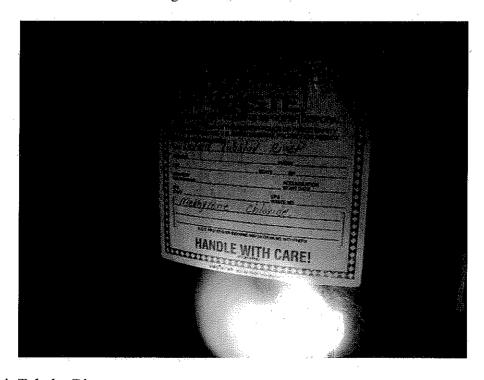
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Photograph No.: 7 **Date:** 1/30/12

Direction: South Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Drums labeled as containing oxidizers and hazardous wastes



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

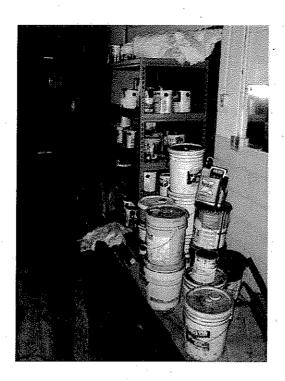
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Subject: Hazardous waste label: methylene chloride

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

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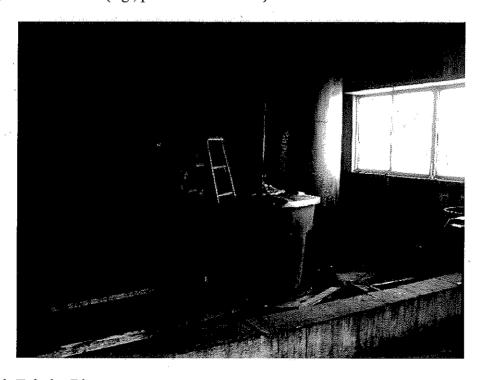


Photograph No.: 9 **Direction:** West

Subject: Small containers (e.g., paints and cleaners)

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 10

Direction: Northeast

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: ASTs

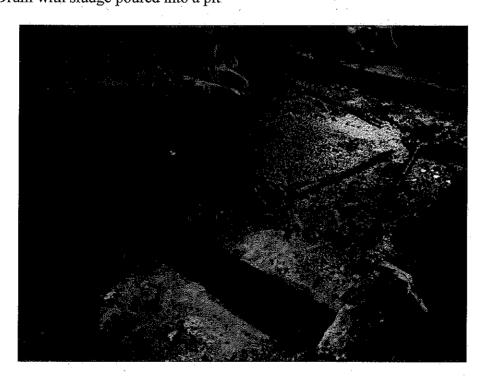


Photograph No.: 11 Direction: Down

Subject: Drum with sludge poured into a pit

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 12

Direction: Down

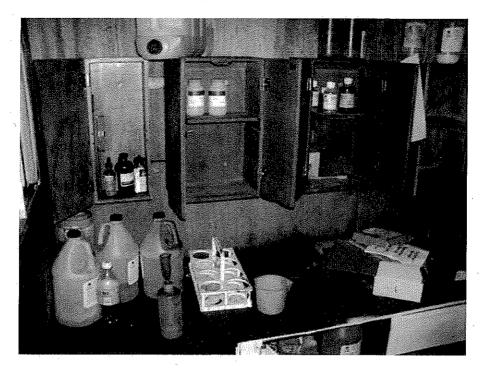
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Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

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Photograph No.: 13

Direction: West

Subject: Laboratory with small containers

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 14

Direction: Down

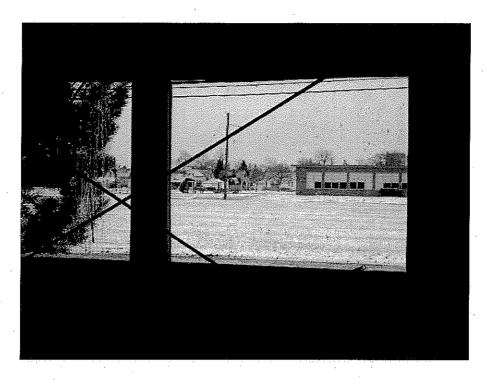
Subject: Numerous open-top containers

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

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Photograph No.: 15 Date: 1/30/12

Direction: West Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Playground viewed from inside the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 16 Date: 1/30/12

Direction: East Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Evidence of trespassing and vandalism at the Site



Photograph No.: 17

Direction: West Photographer: Matthew Beer

Date: 1/30/12

Date: 1/30/12

Subject: Monroe Elementary School located west of Detroit Tubular Rivet facility



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

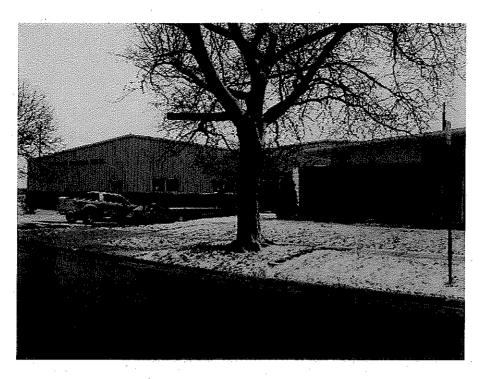
Photograph No.: 18

Direction: Northwest **Photographer:** Matthew Beer

Subject: Neighborhood across from the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility

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Photograph No.: 19
Direction: Southeast

Date: 1/30/12
Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Front entrance to the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet Photograph No.: 20

Direction: Down

Subject: Rolloff dumpster containing a solid material

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



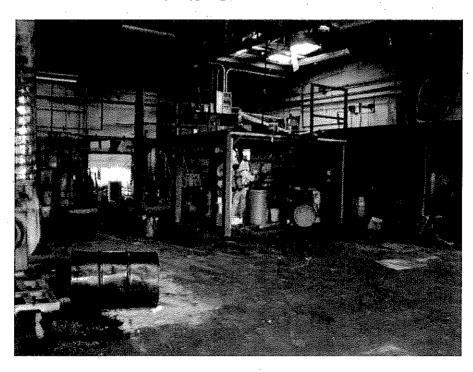
Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet Photograph No.: 21

Direction: Down

Subject: Drum labeled as oxidizer/hydrogen peroxide

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

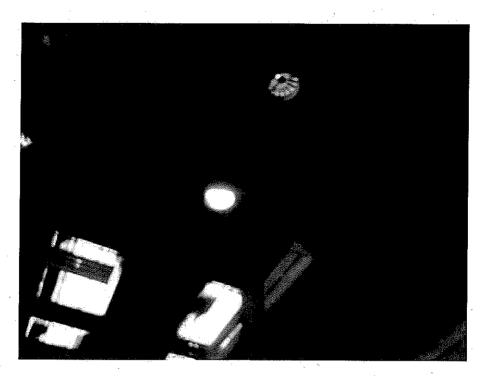
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Subject: Interior of the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

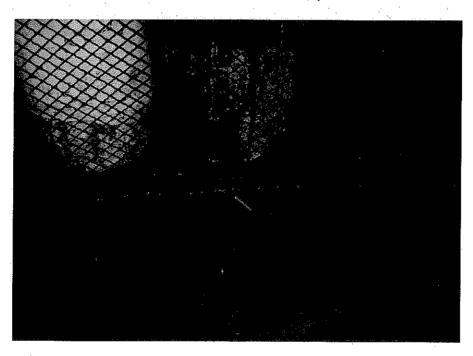
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Photograph No.: 23

Direction: Up Photographer: Matthew Beer

Subject: Hole in the roof of the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 24 **Direction:** Down

Subject: Evidence of leaking containers

Date: 1/30/12

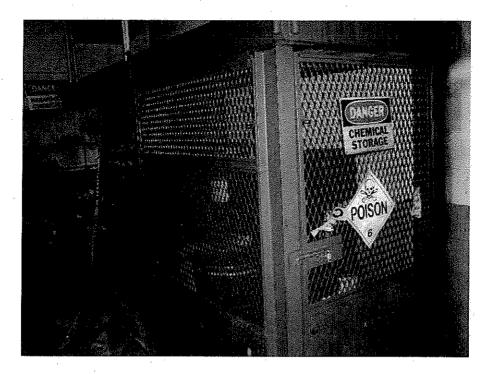
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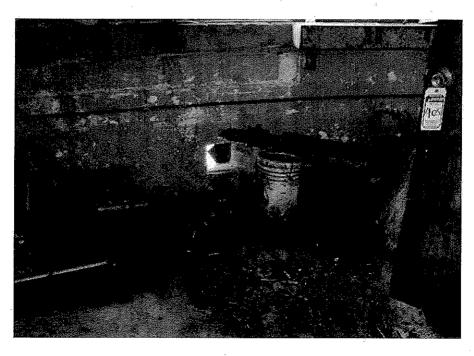
Photograph No.: 25 **Direction:** Southwest

Subject: Storage area for cyanide labeled drums

Date: 1/30/12

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Site: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Photograph No.: 26

Direction: West **Photographer:** Matthew Beer **Subject:** Hole in the wall of the Detroit Tubular Rivet facility and evidence of animal access

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Photograph No.: 27 Direction: Down

Subject: Sample DTR-WL01-013012

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



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Photograph No.: 28 Direction: Down

Subject: Sample DTR-WL02-013012

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

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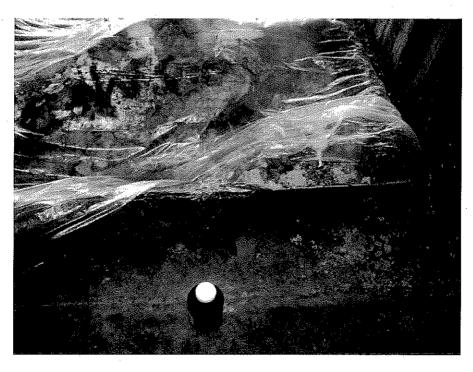


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Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



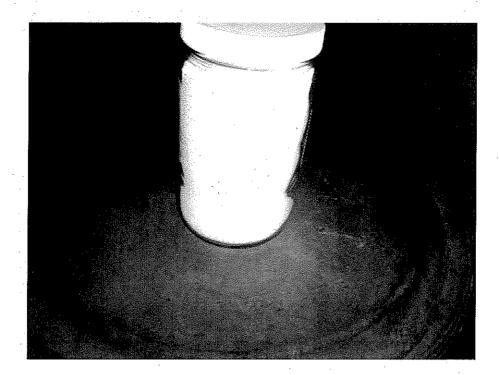
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Photograph No.: 30 **Direction:** Down

Subject: Sample DTR-WS01-013012

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer



Photograph No.: 31

Direction: Down

Subject: Sample DTR-WS02-013012

Date: 1/30/12

Photographer: Matthew Beer

APPENDIX B LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT AND DATA VALIDATION REPORT

DETROIT TUBULAR RIVET WYANDOTTE, MICHIGAN DATA VALIDATION REPORT

Date: February 7, 2012

Laboratory: Brighton Analytical L.L.C. (Brighton), Brighton, Michigan

Laboratory Project #: 18011

Data Validation Performed By: Lisa Graczyk, Weston Solutions, Inc. (WESTON) Superfund

Technical Assessment and Response Team (START)

Weston Analytical Work Order #/TDD #: 20405.016.001.1726.00/S05-0001-1201-015

This data validation report has been prepared by WESTON START under the START III Region V contract. This report documents the data validation for three waste liquid and two waste solid samples collected for the Detroit Tubular Rivet Site that were analyzed for the following parameters and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) methods:

- Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP) Metals by SW-846 Methods 1311, 6020, and 7470A
- Total Cyanide by SW-846 Method 9012A
- Corrosivity by SW-846 Method 9040B

A level II data package was requested from Brighton. The data validation was conducted in general accordance with the U.S. EPA "Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidance for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review" dated June 2008 and "Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Superfund Data Review" dated January 2010. The Attachment contains the results summary sheets with the hand-written qualifiers applied during data validation.

TCLP METALS BY SW-846 METHODS 1311, 6020, AND 7470A

1. Samples

The following table summarizes the samples for which this data validation is being conducted.

Samples		Matrix		Date Analyzed
DTR-WS01-013012	BW03898	Solid	1/30/2012	2/2/2012 - 2/3/2012

2. Holding Times

The sample was analyzed within the required holding time limit of 28 days from sample collection to analysis for mercury and 180 days from sample collection to analysis for all other metals.

3. Blank Results

Method blanks were analyzed with the metals analysis. The blanks were free of target analyte contamination above the reporting limits.

4. <u>Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) Results</u>

The LCS recoveries were within the laboratory-established quality control (QC) limits for target analytes.

5. Matrix Spike (MS) and Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD) Results

Brighton did analyze a site-specific MS and MSD with the analysis. The percent recoveries and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits except for as follows. For zinc, the recoveries were outside QC limits for both the MS and MSD. Because the spike was more than four times lower than the sample concentration, no qualification is required.

6. Overall Assessment

The TCLP metals data are acceptable for use based on the information received.

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GENERAL CHEMISTRY PARAMETERS (Total Cyanide by 9012A and Corrosivity by 9040B)

1. <u>Samples</u>

The following table summarizes the samples for which this data validation is being conducted.

Samples	Lab ID	Matrix	Date Collected	Date Analyzed	Parameters Analyzed
DTR-WL01-013012	BW03895	Liquid	1/30/2012	1/31/2012	рĤ
DTR-WL02-013012	BW03896	Liquid	1/30/2012	1/31/2012	pН
DTR-WL03-013012	BW03897	Liquid	1/30/2012	1/31/2012	pН
DTR-WS01-013012	BW03898	Solid	1/30/2012	2/6/2012	Cyanide
DTR-WS02-013012	BW03899	Solid	1/30/2012	2/6/2012	Cyanide

2. <u>Holding Times</u>

The holding times were met for all analyses.

3. Method Blanks

A method blank was analyzed with the total cyanide analyses. The blank was free of cyanide above the reporting limit.

4. LCS Results

An LCS was analyzed with the cyanide analyses and the percent recovery was with QC limits.

5. Laboratory Duplicate Results

A laboratory duplicate was analyzed with the pH analyses and was within QC limits.

6. MS and MSD Results

For cyanide, a site-specific MS and MSD were analyzed using sample DTR-WS01-013012 as the spiked sample. The recoveries were outside QC limits for both the MS and MSD. Because the spike was more than four times lower than the sample concentration, no qualification is required.

7. Overall Assessment

The total cyanide and pH data are acceptable for use based on the information received.

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BRIGHTON ANALYTICAL L.L.C. RESULTS SUMMARY



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Report Date:

1/31/2012

BA Report Number: 18011

BA Sample ID: BW03895

Project Name: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Project Number: 20405.016.001.1725.00

Sample ID: DTR-WL01-013012

Parameters

Units

Method Reference

Analysis

Results

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Analyst

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Inorganic Analysis

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Project Number: 20405.016.001.1725.00

Sample ID: DTR-WL02-013012

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Sample ID: DTR-WL03-013012

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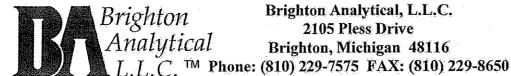
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Project Number: 20405.016.001.1725.00

Sample ID: DTR-WS01-013012

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TCLP Barium	200	ug/L	100	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Cadmium	50	ug/L	40	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Chromium	20	ug/L	10	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Copper	300	ug/L	100	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Lead	Not detected	ug/L	200	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Mercury	Not detected	ug/L	2	SW846 7470A	KW	2/3/2012
TCLP Selenium	Not detected	ug/L	300	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Silver	Not detected	ug/L	100	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Zinc	400000	ug/L	70	SW846 6020	GW	2/2/2012
TCLP Mercury (digestion)	Digested			7470	KW	2/3/2012
TCLP Metal (digestion)	Digested			3015	LS	2/2/2012
Inorganic Analysis			•			
Total Cyanide	300000	ug/Kg	100	SW846 9012A	RM	2/6/2012
%Solid	45	%		ASTM D2216	LS	1/31/2012
All soil results based on dry weight.		٠	•		مذ	
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compounds require special analytical methods to achieve MDNR designated target detection limits (TDL).				Date: (2/7)		



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BA Sample ID: BW03899

Project Name: Detroit Tubular Rivet

Project Number: 20405.016.001.1725.00

Sample ID: DTR-WS02-013012

Analysis Units DL Method Reference Analyst **Parameters** Results Date **Inorganic Analysis** 100 SW846 9012A RM Total Cyanide ug/Kg 2/6/2012 1100 **ASTM D2216** LS %Solid 100 % 1/31/2012

All soil results based on dry weight.

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