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## SAMPLING REPORT

for the

## UNION SHIP CANAL SITE

## A.K.A. HANNA FURNACE CORPORATION SITE

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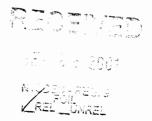
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Attached please find the June, 2001 waste pile sampling report for the Union Ship Canal site in Buffalo, New York. If you have any questions, please contact me at (732) 321-4423.

Attachment



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## 1.0 BACKGROUND

The approximately 131-acre Hanna Furnace site is located in the southern-most part of the City of Buffalo, Erie County, New York. Union Ship Canal traverses the property approximately in the middle, in a west-east direction. The canal extends from the eastern boundary of the site to the Buffalo Harbor in the west. A 50-foot easement and right-of-way granted to Shenango Furnace are adjacent to the northern edge of the property. To the northeast of the site is a foundry building owned by Marlen Steel Corporation and to the east is Conrail Corporation property. The south of the site is bordered by the South Buffalo Railroad Company property and directly to the west of the site is Fuhrman Boulevard and the Hamburg Turnpike. The Father Baker Bridge forms an elevated portion of the Hamburg Turnpike which formerly allowed access of canal barges to the site via the Union Ship Canal. A site map, Figure 1-1 and a schematic drawing of the Union Ship Canal, Figure 1-2, can be found in Appendix A.

Prior to cessation of activities in 1982, the site was used for pig iron manufacturing. Approximately ten acres along the eastern boundary of the site and 20 acres to the north of the Union Ship Canal were utilized for land filling generated wastes and raw material storage during the period of 1960 - 1982. The mounds of waste material rise to a maximum of 30 feet above grade. A small pond is located to the northwest of this area. Approximately 30 acres to the southeast of the canal were utilized for pig iron storage. Forty acres south of the canal were utilized for the production of pig iron and ancillary activities. In 1900, the southern portion of the property was purchased and incorporated by Buffalo Union Steel. To service the facility, the Union Ship Canal was constructed in 1910. Manufacturing of pig irons commenced with the construction of blast furnaces during the period of 1900 to 1915. In 1920, the Hanna Furnace Company acquired the site from Union Steel. In 1929, the site was purchased by National Steel Company and became known as Hanna Furnace Corporation, a part of National Steel's conglomerate.

In 1960, Hanna Furnace purchased 25 acres of swamp land north of the canal from the Pennsylvania Railroad. In 1962, approximately 18 acres of the newly-acquired property was sold to Shenango Furnace Company. Due to foreign competition and closure of Shenango Furnace Company, a primary recipient of Hanna's metal, in 1982, Hanna Furnace ceased all operations at this site. In 1983, the Jordan Foster Scrap Corporation, the current owner, purchased the site from National Steel. Jordan Foster dismantled the blast furnaces, the casting mill and several other buildings. The Jordan Foster Scrap Corporation has since filed for bankruptcy.

In 1996, the City of Buffalo acquired the property through the In Rem process after the trustees in bankruptcy sought to have it abandoned. The site is in proposal with the City of Buffalo as a Brownfields site. However, they are still concerned with large piles of material in the northern one fourth of the property that in total have been estimated to contain approximately 350,000 cubic yards of material. The Division of Environmental Science and Assessment (DESA), Hazardous Waste Support Branch (HWSB), Superfund Contract Support Team (SCST) conducted a waste pile sampling event at the Union Ship Canal site to delineate what contaminants exists in the aforementioned waste piles.

#### 2.0 SAMPLING PROCEDURES

The sampling procedures were in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) which is located in Appendix B.

## 3.0 DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS

On June 07, 2001, two members from the U.S. EPA, Division of Environmental Science and Assessment (DESA), Superfund Contract Support Team (SCST) met with the U.S. EPA On-Scene Coordinator (OSC), Kevin Matheis and the Removal Support Team (RST) representative, Mike Mahnkopf. The OSC led the others to the site where a city-hired backhoe was waiting. Initially the OSC took the EPA personnel and the RST representative on a walking tour throughout the site. He identified the three waste piles as: flu ash pile, iron ore pile and the mountain landfill pile. See Figure A of Appendix A for a map of the site. The backhoe will dig approximately 3 to 6 feet, or until homogenized soil is encountered. A representative from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) arrived on site prior to sampling.

The EPA employees began sampling from the flu ash (FA) pile. The first sample collected was called, US-FA-01, which is located to at the northwestern end of the flu ash pile. Large pieces of scrap metal were found in the waste pile in the areas exposed by the backhoe. The soil which was sampled from 2.0 - 2.5 feet deep at 0940, was dark brown with minimal rocks. They then moved onto US-FA-02 which is located on the southern, narrow area of the flu ash pile. They collected this sample at 1005 from 3.5 to 4.0 feet deep. The sample consisted of a soft, fine, dark brown soil with a shiny material throughout the sample. There was a slight petroleum odor associated with the sample. The next sample location, US-FA-03, was chosen at the southeastern end of the flu ash pile, on the lower gradient. This sample was collected from 3.0 - 3.5 feet at 1020 and consisted of a brown soil with rocks. The NYSDEC representative informed the OSC that many test pits had been conducted on the mountain landfill pile. Therefore, a sample was cut from the mountain landfill and added to the flu ash pile. The next sampling location was US-FA-04 which is located at the eastern end of the flu ash pile, before the elevation begins. This sample was collected from 3.5 - 4.0 feet deep at 1035 and consisted of brown soil with some black spots and small rocks.

The next pile sampled was the iron ore (IO) pile. The backhoe began digging on the southwest side of the pile which is closest to the canal. At 1055 the EPA sampled US-IO-01 and duplicate US-IO-4 at 3.5 - 4.0 feet deep. The sample consisted of a light brown clay with numerous round stones. In the meantime the backhoe dug a hole on the southeast side of the pile. The OSC determined that the sample is homogenous throughout the entire pile. Therefore, no other samples will be collected from the iron ore pile. See picture: Figure 10 on page 9.

The EPA employees then moved on to the mountain landfill (ML) pile. They began with US-ML-01 at the southwestern side of the pile. They collected this sample at 1140 from 3.5 - 4.0 feet deep with a matrix spike/matrix spike duplicate (MS/MSD). The sample consisted of a dark brown soil with few rocks and some bricks. The next sample, US-ML-02 was once again collected from the side of the pile, this time from the western side. The location was sampled at 1155 from 2.5 - 3.0 feet and consisted of brown soil with a white/grey mass of clay in the sample. The back hoe then moved to the top of the mountain landfill pile. After three rejections, the backhoe was able to dig at sample location, US-ML-03, which ended up at the northeastern side of the pile. The sample was collected at 1215 from 3.0 - 3.5 feet and consisted of brown, soft soil with rocks. The final location was chosen after again, hitting rejection three times, at the top southwestern side of the mountain landfill. The sample was collected at 1225 from 4.0 - 4.5 feet deep and consisted of brown, soft soil with rocks and bricks.

The EPA personnel collected a rinsate blank at 1245 by pouring analyte-free water over a decontaminated stainless steel bowl, scoop and auger. The RST representative labeled the sample bottles, filled out the chain of custodies and shipped the samples on June 07, 2001 to a subcontracted laboratory via Federal Express at 1500. The sampling event was then complete and the Trip Report can be found as Appendix J. A map of the sampling locations can be found as Figure A in Appendix A.

The following seven (7) pages consist of photographs of the sampling locations.

## SITE PHOTOGRAPHS

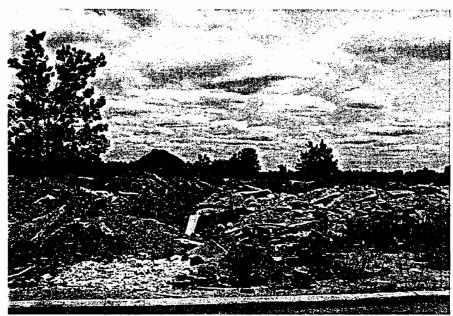
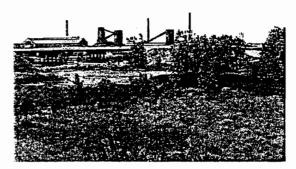


Figure 1: This photograph of the Union Ship Canal site was taken from Furhman Boulevard looking east at the property.









These are four panoramic pictures of the site from standing on the mountain landfill. The pictures are from west to east, while standing in the south portion of the site.

## **FLU ASH PILE**



Figure 3: This is a picture of the southwestern side of the flu ash waste pile. See Figure A of Appendix A for a map of the following sample locations.

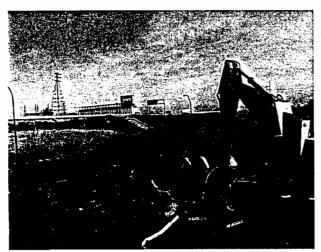


Figure 4: This is a picture of sample, US-FA-01 which was the first sample collected from the flu ash pile. Notice the scraps of metal.



Figure 5: This is sample, US-FA-02 which is located on the canal side of the flu ash pile.



Figure 6: This is a picture of sample location, US-FA-03 which is located on the northeast tip of the flu ash pile.



Figure 7: This is the last sampling location from the flu ash pile. It was not collected from the elevated area of the pile as the other samples were, but from the entrance to the flu ash pile.

## IRON ORE PILE



Figure 8: This is a picture of the iron ore pile, which was taken while standing on the northwest side of the pile. A map of the following sample locations can be found as Figure A in Appendix A.

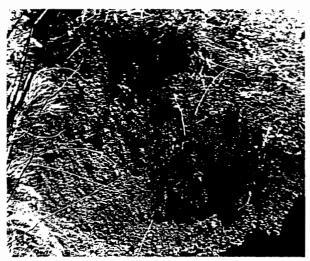


Figure 9: This is a picture of the only sampling location in the iron ore pile, US-IO-01 and a duplicate, US-IO-04. The sample was collected from the southern (canal side) of the pile.



Figure 10: This is a picture of a proposed sampling location further to the east in the iron ore pile. It was decided in the field that this matrix is the same as US-IO-01 and therefore was not sampled.

## MOUNTAIN LANDFILL PILE



Figure 11: This is a picture of the mountain landfill pile and was taken from the west side of the pile. The following sample locations can be found on a map, called Figure A in Appendix A.



Figure 12: This is a picture of the first sampling location from the mountain landfill, US-ML-01. It is located on the southwest corner of the pile and was collected from the side of the pile.



Figure 13: This is sampling location, US-ML-02 which was collected from the western side of the mountain landfill.



Figure 14: This is a picture of sampling location, US-ML-03 which is located on the top north side of the mountain landfill.



Figure 15: The final sampling location, US-ML-04 was collected from the southwestern portion of the top of the mountain landfill.

#### 4.0 RESULTS

The rinsate blank was taken for Quality Control and to determine if any outside contamination was introduced to the samples. There were no organic contaminants found in the rinsate blank. The inorganic contaminants found in the rinsate blank are: antimony, barium, cadmium, calcium, chromium, cobalt, copper, iron, magnesium, manganese, nickel, potassium, sodium, vanadium and zinc. The compounds in the blanks could have been introduced during decontamination of the sampling equipment or the laboratory equipment or they may be from the analyte-free distilled water that was used. Chromium in sample US-IO-01 was rejected due to the level in the rinsate blank. The Quality Assurance/Quality Control sample data can be found in Table 1 on page 14

All toxicity characteristic leaching procedure (TCLP) and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) characteristic samples were compared to the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations *Title 40: Protection of Environment, Volume 18, Part 261.21: Characteristic of Ignitability, 261.22: Characteristic of Reactivity, 261.23: Characteristic of Corrosivity and 261.24: Toxicity Characteristic, revised 7/1/00 which can be found as Appendices F and G and in Table 2 on page 15. The only inorganic contaminant that was found to exceed this applicable or relevant and appropriate requirement (ARAR) was lead in sample, US-FA-03, in the flu ash pile. The only organic contaminant that exceeded this ARAR was the pesticide, silvex, in sample, US-ML-01, in the mountain landfill pile. None of the samples analyzed for RCRA characteristics proved to be positive for either ignitability, corrosivity or reactivity. This can be seen from Table 2 on page 15 and from the raw data in Appendix C. The RCRA characteristics raw data can be found in Appendix D.* 

Table 3 on page 20, is a summary of the target analyte list (TAL) - total metal analysis and polychlorinated biphenol (PCB) analysis sample results. These samples were compared to the following ARARs: New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum (TAGM): Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix A: Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives and the U.S. EPA Region III Risk-Based Concentration (RBC) Table, which can be found as Appendix H and I, respectively. The TAGM cleanup levels are a conservative, remedial approach to sites and are mostly based on soil background which was not collected at this site. However, for a number of the analytes, the TAGM list has a choice of a level or the soil background. For this particular site, that level will be used as a conservative cleanup level. The samples with results that exceed the TAGM levels are as follows: US-FA-01: arsenic, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, copper, iron, nickel, selenium and zinc; US-IO-01 and duplicate, US-IO-04: arsenic, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, copper, iron, nickel, and zinc; and US-ML-01 and US-ML-03: arsenic, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, copper, iron, mercury, nickel, selenium and zinc. These results can also be found in Table 3 on page 20 and in the raw data in Appendix D. None of the TAL - total metal samples exceeded the RBC levels. Also, none of the PCB sample results exceeded either ARAR. The PCB raw data can be found in Appendix C.

In the sample summaries, Tables 2 and 3, there are a variety of qualifiers along with the data. The footnotes at the bottom of each page explain each qualifier. A "J" qualifier is an estimated value and is generally because the value recorded is less than the contract required detection limit. However, there are a variety of other reasons for the "J" qualifier is used in an analytical report. One reason that is found throughout this data package, is because the spike recoveries were outside of specified quality control limits. Another reason is because there was a difference between the duplicate samples. These reasons for the "J" qualifier and others can be found in the footnotes in Tables 2 and 3. The "B" qualifier means that the reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the contract required detection limit (CRDL), but greater than or equal to the instrument detection limit (IDL). The "E" qualifier was given to an analyte because the serial dilution results are not within 10%. The "N" qualifier means that when the sample was spiked for the MS/MSD, the result was not within control limits. Due to high concentrations, two of the sample compounds had to be diluted: iron in US-ML-01 and US-ML-03.

#### 5.0 CONCLUSION:

Ten waste pile samples were collected from nine locations. These sample were collected from three different waste piles: flu ash pile, iron ore pile and the mountain landfill pile. These locations can be seen on Figure A of Appendix A. In the flu ash pile, TCLP-lead exceeded the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Title 40: Protection of Environment, Volume 18, 261.24: Toxicity Characteristic, ARAR, but did not detect any organics. There were some TAL analytes above the TAGM in sample, US-FA-01. There were also PCBs detected in all samples from the flu ash pile. However, they were not at levels that exceeded the ARARs. Only one sample was collected from the iron ore pile, with a duplicate. TCLP trichloroethene was detected in both those samples, but at low levels. This pile also had TAL - total metal samples that exceeded the TAGM ARARs, but no PCBs were detected. The final pile analyzed was the mountain landfill pile. One sample, US-ML-01, detected the pesticide, silvex, at a level that did exceed the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Title 40: Protection of Environment, Volume 18, 261.24: Toxicity Characteristic, ARAR. The raw data packages for TCLP and PCB results and inorganics and RCRA results can be found in Appendices C and D, respectively and on Table 2 and 3 of this report.

A map of the sampling locations can be found as Figure A in Appendix A. Table 2 and 3, pages 15 and 20, respectively, provide summaries of the detected results of the TCLP VOC, BNA, pesticides, and inorganic analysis, the TAL - total metal analysis, PCB analysis, and RCRA characteristic conducted by a contracted laboratories on the waste pile samples at the Union Ship Canal site. Also in Tables 2 and 3 are a comparison of the results to the state and federal ARARs which can be found as Appendix F, G, and H.

## TABLE 1 QA/QC SAMPLE DATA

TYPE OF SAMPLE	SAMPLE NUMBERS
EQUIPMENT BLANK	RB-01
BLIND DUPLICATE	US-IO-04 is a duplicate of US-IO-01
MATRIX SPIKE/ MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE	US-ML-01

	TABLE 2 TCLP AND RCRA SAMPLE SUMMARY								
Sample	Sample Numbers	Analysis	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/L)			40 CFR Part 261 <sup>1</sup>			
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc. QC		(mg/L)			
US-FA-01	2080-1	TCLP Volatile Organic	Non-detection						
		TCLP Semi-Volatiles	Non-detection						
		TCLP Pesticides/ Herbicides	Non-detection						
		TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium	0.0026 0.581 0.0371 0.0018 0.209 0.0209	B B B B	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0			
		RCRA characteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	7.77 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-FA-02	2080-2	TCLP Volatile Organic	Non-detection						
		TCLP Semi-Volatiles	Non-detection						
		TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0022 0.836 0.107 0.0165 1.56 0.0249 0.0022	B B B B B	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA characteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	7.11 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-FA-03	2080-5	TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0046 0.577 0.15 0.0202 14.7 0.0267 0.0025	B B B B	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA chacteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	7.79 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

\* - Sample duplicate and sample results are not within control limits.

1 Code of Federal Regulations *Title 40: Protection of Environment*, Volume 18, Part 261.21, 261.22, 261.23 and 261.24. Revised 7/1/00.

	TABLE 2 TCLP AND RCRA SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample Location	Sample Numbers	Analysis	Compounds & Concer	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/L)					
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc. QC		Part 261 <sup>1</sup> (mg/L)			
US-FA-04	2080-6	TCLP Total metals	Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.274 0.0649 0.0068 0.256 0.0282 0.0027	B B B B	100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0			
		RCRA chacteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	8.13 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-IO-01	2080-4	TCLP Volatile Organic	Trichloroethene	0.007	J	0.5			
		TCLP Semi-Volatiles	Non-detection						
		TCLP Pesticides/ Herbicides	Non-detection						
		TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0059 0.0711 0.0009 0.0013 0.0091 0.0161 0.00075	B B B B B BJ^	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA characteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	7.94 >140 °F	J:	< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

J - The result is estimated.

J^ - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.

J: - The pH/corrosivity values of these sample pairs differ > ± 0.1 pH unit.

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	TABLE 2 TCLP AND RCRA SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & Concent	rations (mg/	kg)	40 CFR Part 261 <sup>1</sup>			
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	Conc. QC				
US-IO-04	2080-3	TCLP Volatile Organic	Trichloroethene	0.01	J	0.5			
Duplicate of US-IO-01		TCLP Semi- Volatiles	Non-detection						
		TCLP Pesticides/Herbi cides	Non-detection						
		TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0035 0.066 0.00086 0.0008 0.0068 0.0165 0.00085	B B B B B BJ^	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA characteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	7.15 >140 °F	J:	< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-ML-01	2080-10	TCLP Volatile Organic	Non-detection						
MS/MSD		TCLP Semi-Volatiles	Non-detection	graph)					
		TCLP Pesticides/ Herbicides	Silvex	2.5	J	1.0			
		TCLP Total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0039 0.352 0.0122 0.0049 0.0286 0.0185 0.0009	B B B B B BJ^	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA characteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	8.57 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

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J - The result is estimated.

 $J^{-}$  - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.

J: - The pH/corrosivity values of these sample pairs differ  $> \pm 0.1$  pH unit.

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	TABLE 2 TCLP AND RCRA SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & Concer	ntrations (mg	;/L)	40 CFR			
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	Part 261 <sup>t</sup> (mg/L)			
US-ML-02	2080-9	TCLP total metals	Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium	0.526 0.0139 0.0067 0.0551 0.0166	B B B BJ^ B	100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0			
		RCRA chacteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	8.75 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-ML-03	2080-7	TCLP total metals	Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.468 0.0088 0.0072 0.0238 0.0181 0.00073	B B B B BJ^	100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA chacteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	8.52 >140 °F		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			
US-ML-04	2080-8	TCLP total metals	Arsenic Barium Cadmium Chromium Lead Selenium Silver	0.0034 0.368 0.0074 0.0105 0.0224 0.0152 0.00094	B B B B B BJ^	5.0 100 1.0 5.0 5.0 1.0 5.0			
		RCRA chacteristics	Corrosivity (as pH) Ignitability	8.53 . >140		< 2 or >12.5 < 140 °F			

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

J^ - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results

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Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	Part 261 <sup>1</sup> (mg/L)		
RB-01	2080-1	Volatile Organics	Non-detection					
		Pesticides/ Herbicides	Non-detection					
		Semi-volatiles	Non-detection					
		PCBs	Non-detection			7.		
		Total metals	Antimony Barium Cadmium Calcium Chromium Cobalt Copper Iron Magnesium Manganese Nickel Potassium Sodium Vanadium Zinc	20.8 9.3 0.31 262 23.2 2.2 4.3 93.5 39.6 3.2 11.1 30.4 177 2.0 14.8	B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B			

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J< - Contract required detection limit standard percent recoveries were outside the quality control limits and because their concentration fell

within "affected ranges".

Code of Federal Regulations *Title 40: Protection of Environment*, Volume 18, Part 261.21, 261.22, 261.23 and 261.24. Revised 7/1/00.

INORGANIC AND PCB SAMPLE SUMMARY									
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & C	Concentrations	(mg/kg)	TAGM	Region 3		
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	(mg/kg) <sup>1</sup>	RBC Ind. (mg/kg)) <sup>2</sup>		
US-FA-01	2080-1	TAL Total metals	Aluminum Antimony Arsenic Barium Beryllium Cadmium Calcium Chromium Cobalt Copper Iron Lead Magnesium Manganese Mercury Nickel Potassium Selenium Silver Thallium Vanadium Zinc Cyanide	10,200 1.0 12.4 128 1.9 6.5 62,400 51.4 2.9 80.3 88,000 1420 9620 2490 0.10 30.6 2350 3.9 2.8 17.6 18.6 1790 11.8	I,  B,  N1,  E1,  B,  N1,	SB SB 7.5 or SB 300 or SB 0.16 or SB 1.0 or SB 30 or SB 25 or SB 2000 or SB SB SB SB SB SB SB SB SB 2.0 or SB SB SB SB 2.0 or SB	20,000,000 8200 380 1,400,000 41,000 10,000 1,200,000 820,000 6,100,000 410,000 100,000 100,000 1400 14,000 6,100,000		
		PCBs	Aroclor-1260	0.098	J/	10	290		
US-FA-02	2080-2	PCBs	Aroclor-1254	0.14	J/	10	290		
		TAL	Cyanide	0.0164	NJ*				
US-FA-03	2080-5	PCBs	Aroclor-1242 Aroclor-1254 Aroclor-1260	0.17 0.21 0.11	J/N	10 10 10	290 290 290		
		TAL	Cyanide	0.0096	NJ*				
US-FA-04	2080-6	PCBs	Aroclor-1254 Aroclor-1260	0.2 0.14	J/	10 10	290 290		
		TAL	Cyanide	0.0053	NJ*				

TABLE 3

 $J^{\wedge}$  - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

N -The sample recovery is outside of control limits.

J' - The percent difference between the Initial Sample (I) result and the Serial Dilution Sample (S) result is either between 10-100% or > 100% when the concentration of I is > 10 X the instrument detection limit (IDL).

J/ - A percent difference between the primary and confirmation columns was > 25%.

<sup>\* -</sup> Sample duplicate and sample results are not within control limits.

E - The serial dilution results are not within 10 %.

<sup>1-</sup> From the Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum: Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix

A: Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives. Jan. 1994.

<sup>2</sup>-From the EPA Region III Risk-Based Concentration Table. October 2000.

	TABLE 3 INORGANIC SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED							
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/kg)			TAGM	Region 3	
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	(mg/kg) <sup>1</sup>	RBC Ind. $(mg/kg))^2$	
US-IO-01	2080-4	TAL total metals	Aluminum Antimony Arsenic Barium Beryllium Cadmium Calcium Chromium Cobalt Copper Iron Lead Magnesium Manganese Mercury Nickel Potassium Selenium Silver Sodium Thallium Vanadium Zinc Cyanide	2350 3.8 12.4 9.8 1.0 1.1 26,900 15.6 3.4 38.2 48,100 8.0 1340 3670 0.081 28.6 270 1.6 0.23 203 10.1 18.8 79.3 0.084	BNJ^ B EJ' J> R B NJ^ * BNJ^ J> BE NJ^ BB J' BNJ^**	SB SB 7.5 or SB 300 or SB 0.16 or SB 1.0 or SB SB 10 or SB 25 or SB 2000 or SB S	20,000,000 8200 380 1,400,000 41,000 10,000 1,200,000 820,000 6,100,000 410,000 100,000 100,000 1400 14,000 6,100,000	
		PCBs	Non-detection					

- $J^{\wedge}$  Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.
- B The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.
- N -The sample recovery is outside of control limits.
- J' The percent difference between the Initial Sample (I) result and the Serial Dilution Sample (S) result is either between 10-100% or > 100% when the concentration of I is > 10 X the instrument detection limit (IDL).
- J> The Relative Percent Difference (RPD) between the samples and corresponding field duplicate samples were outside the qualified QC criteria.
- R The rinsate blank concentration was greater than contract required detection limit and sample concentrations were above the instrument detection limit but less than 5 X field blank.
- \* Sample duplicate and sample results are not within control limits.
- E The serial dilution results are not within 10 %.
- 1- From the Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum: Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix
- A: Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives. Jan. 1994.

  <sup>2</sup>-From the EPA Region III Risk-Based Concentration Table. October 2000.

	TABLE 3 INORGANIC SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & C	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/kg)			Region 3		
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	(mg/kg) <sup>1</sup>	RBC Ind. (mg/kg)) <sup>2</sup>		
US-IO-04	2080-3	TAL total	Aluminum	3830		SB	20,000,000		
		metals	Antimony	4.1	BNJ^	SB	8200		
Duplicate			Arsenic	9.7		7.5 or SB	380		
of			Barium	10	В	300 or SB	1,400,000		
US-IO-01			Beryllium	1.6		0.16 or SB	41,000		
			Cadmium	1.4	EJ'	1.0 or SB	10,000		
			Calcium	8690	J>	SB			
			Chromium	25		10 or SB			
			Cobalt	6.2	В	30 or SB	1,200,000		
			Copper	37.8	NJ^	25 or SB	820,000		
			Iron	64,800		2000 or SB	6,100,000		
			Lead	8.4		SB			
l			Magnesium	2640	*	SB			
			Manganese	2220		SB	410,000		
			Mercury	0.063	BNJ	0.1			
			Nickel	49.5	J>	13 or SB	410,000		
			Potassium	160	BE	SB			
			Selenium	0.76	BNJ^	2.0 or SB	100,000		
			Silver	0.28	В	SB	100,000		

141

17.5

21.6

120

0.059

В

J,

BNJ^\*

SB

SB

150 or SB

20 or SB

1400

14,000

6,100,000

Sodium

Zinc

Thallium

Cyanide

Non-detection

Vanadium

**PCBs** 

J^ - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

N -The sample recovery is outside of control limits.

J - The result is estimated.

J' - The percent difference between the Initial Sample (I) result and the Serial Dilution Sample (S) result is either between 10-100% or > 100% when the concentration of I is > 10 X the instrument detection limit (IDL).

J> - The Relative Percent Difference (RPD) between the samples and corresponding field duplicate samples were outside the qualified QC criteria.

E - The serial dilution results are not within 10 %.

<sup>\* -</sup> Sample duplicate and sample results are not within control limits.

<sup>1-</sup> From the Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum: Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix

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	TABLE 3 INORGANIC SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample	Sample	Analysis	Compounds & C	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/kg)			Region 3		
Location Numbers	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	(mg/kg) <sup>1</sup>	RBC Ind. (mg/kg)) <sup>2</sup>		
US-ML-01	2080-10	TAL Total metals	Aluminum Antimony	6760 0.64	BNJ^	SB SB	20,000,000		
MS/MSD		1 otal metals	Arsenic Barium Beryllium Cadmium Calcium Chromium Cobalt Copper Iron Lead Magnesium Manganese Mercury Nickel Potassium Selenium Silver Thallium Vanadium	15.3 106 1.2 4.9 45,000 66.5 5.1 173 139,000 399 10,700 3360 0.15 53.2 2380 3.1 0.92 25 21.4	EJ' NJ^ B NJ^ B J'	7.5 or SB 300 or SB 0.16 or SB 1.0 or SB SB 10 or SB 25 or SB 2000 or SB SB SB SB 0.1 13 or SB SB SB SB SB SB	8200 380 1,400,000 41,000 10,000 1,200,000 820,000 6,100,000 410,000 100,000 100,000 1400 14,000		
			Zinc Cyanide	1050 11.8	NJ^*	20 or SB	6,100,000		
		PCBs	Non-detection						

J^ - Spike recoveries were outside of specified QC control limits in the associated spike samples and because the sample results concentration is < 4X the spike added concentrations.

B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

N -The sample recovery is outside of control limits.

E - The serial dilution results are not within 10 %.

dl - The sample concentration was high and therefore had to be diluted.

J' - The percent difference between the Initial Sample (I) result and the Serial Dilution Sample (S) result is either between 10-100% or > 100% when the concentration of I is > 10 X the instrument detection limit (IDL).

<sup>\* -</sup> Sample duplicate and sample results are not within control limits.

<sup>1-</sup> From the Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum: Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix

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	TABLE 3 INORGANIC SAMPLE SUMMARY CONTINUED								
Sample Location	Sample Numbers	Analysis	Compounds & Concentrations (mg/kg)			TAGM	Region 3		
Location	Numbers		Compounds	Conc.	QC	(mg/kg) <sup>1</sup>	RBC Ind. (mg/kg)) <sup>2</sup>		
US-ML-02	2080-9	PCBs	Non-detection						
		TAL	Cyanide	0.0056	NJ*				
US-ML-03	2080-7	TAL total metals	Aluminum Antimony Arsenic Barium Beryllium Cadmium Calcium Chromium Cobalt Copper Iron Lead Magnesium Manganese Mercury Nickel Potassium Selenium Silver Sodium Thallium Vanadium Zinc Cyanide	7850 1.0 13.8 118 1.4 4.6 45,600 104 4.7 169 132,000 396 9380 3660 0.14 56.9 1710 2.6 0.72 56.5 25.8 21.9 926 8.7	BNJ^ BNJ^ dl  * NJ^ BJ' NJ^ BBJ' NJ^*	SB SB 7.5 or SB 300 or SB 0.16 or SB 1.0 or SB SB 10 or SB 25 or SB 2000 or SB S	20,000,000 8200 380 1,400,000 41,000 10,000 1,200,000 820,000 6,100,000 410,000 100,000 100,000 1400 14,000 6,100,000		
		PCBs	Non-detection						
US-ML-04	2080-8	PCBs	Non-detection						
		TAL	Cyanide	0.0059	NJ*				

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B - The reported value was obtained from a reading that was less than the CRDL, but greater than or equal to the IDL.

N -The sample recovery is outside of control limits.

E - The serial dilution results are not within 10 %.

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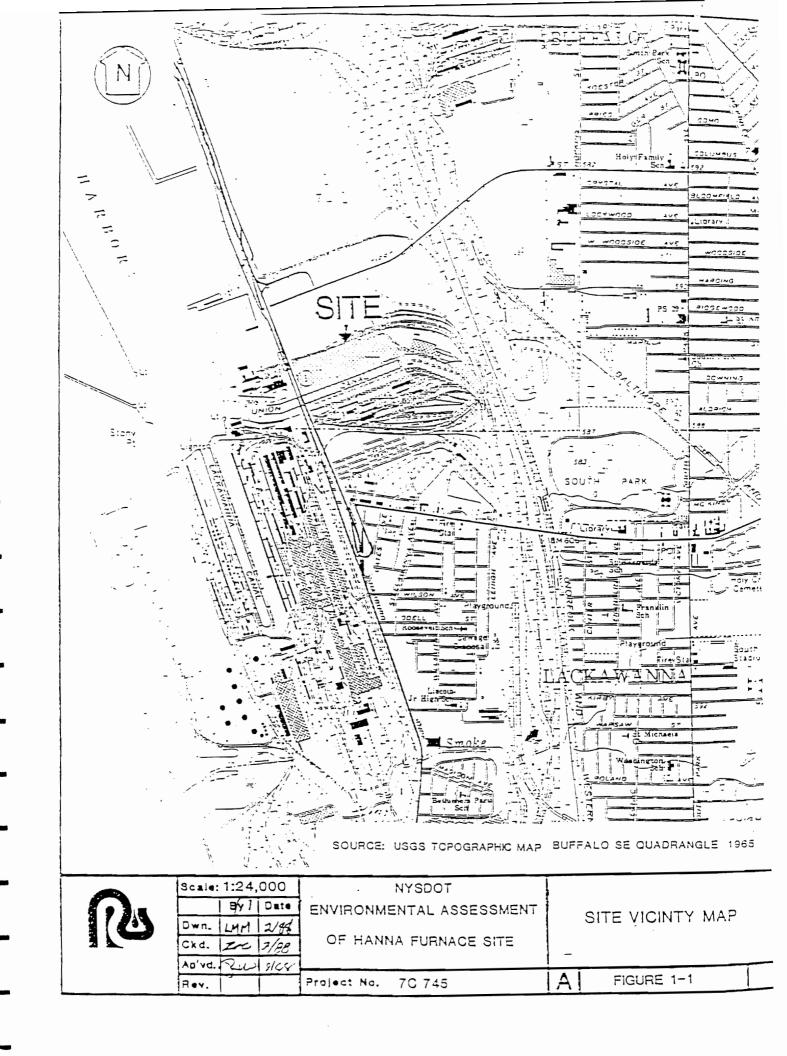
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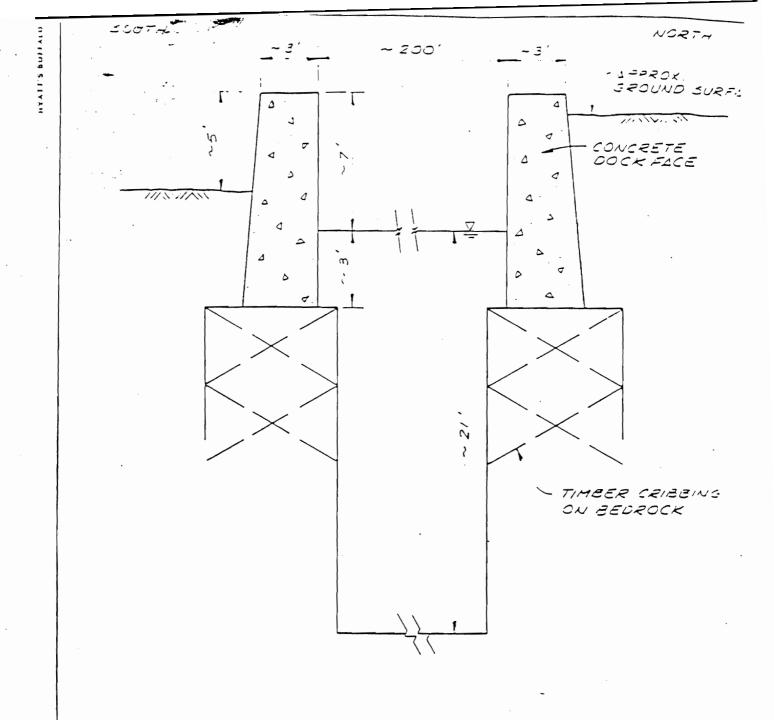
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>- From the Technical and Administrative Guidance Memorandum: Determination of Soil Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Levels, Appendix A: Recommended Soil Cleanup Objectives. Jan. 1994.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>-From the EPA Region III Risk-Based Concentration Table. October 2000.

# APPENDIX A SITE MAPS





## NOTES:

1. THIS DRAWING WAS ADAPTED FROM A HANNA FURNACE CORPORATION DRAWING OF UNION SHIP CANAL (DRAWING NO. 3681-JULY 1961).

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SCHEMATIC DRAWING OF UNION SHIP CANAL

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FIGURE 1-2

