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**RE: Wrangell Junkyard treated soil packaging, transportation, and disposal 2018.**

Ms. Schlichting,

**NRC Alaska** is pleased to provide the following Project Status update for the Wrangell Junkyard Solid Waste transportation and disposal Project. Our goal is to provide a status update on a weekly basis, with photos and notes as appropriate so that all interested parties may remain apprised on progress in the field on a regular basis. We are currently performing work as detailed in the soil transport and disposal plan and the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for the project as detailed under Alaska Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (APDES) permit # AKR10FQ51. This Project Status Update covers project activities as performed between **October 8, 2018 and October 14, 2018.**

**Project Activities:**

Activities during the 2018 field season will focus on the loading of Flexible Intermediate Bulk Containers (FIBC) and 20cy open top containers. Transfer of FIBC's/containers to the Silver Bay Logging Mill Site (SBLMS) barge staging area for loading and transport to a disposal facility in Oregon. Begin second barge loading. Implementation of initial SWPPP measures and road maintenance.

**Project activities accomplished:**

- **NRC Alaska** and **BW Enterprises** continued to load FIBC's, **38 FIBC's** were loaded this week for a total loaded count of **2480**. NRC also loaded Waste Management 20cy open top cans with treated soil, a total of **80 cans** were loaded and shipped. Approximately **177 FIBC's** remain to be shipped on last barge.
- **All contaminated soil at the junkyard site has been loaded and moved to SBLMS.**
- Site restoration activities have commenced.
- Heko barge services has completed first unloading at WA facility. 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> barge unloading in Seattle this week. 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> barge loaded and in transit.
- **NRC Alaska** performed weekly SWPPP inspections.

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**Project Challenges Encountered:**

- No project challenges this week, weather seems to be holding.

**Anticipated Project activities:**

- **NRC Alaska** will inspect the site monthly per the SWPPP requirements, and also inspect the existing stockpile.
- Nortech has completed sampling at the junkyard site with results showing all clean.
- Site restoration work continues and should be done next week, with final inspection scheduled for Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup>.

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

Sincerely,

**NRC Alaska**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Daniel Strucher'.

S. Daniel Strucher

Sr. Project Manager

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