

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD MAY 30, 1996 MEETING MINUTES

1. Attendance

Government RAB members present:

Stephen Absolom, BRAC Environmental Coordinator, SEDA
Carla Struble, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Marsden Chen, N.Y. State Department of Environmental Conservation
(Alternate for Kamal Gupta, NYSDEC)
Dan Geraghty, N.Y. State Department of Health

Community RAB Members present:

Diane DeMuth, Richard Durst, Anne Herman, Frank Ives, Mary Anne Krupsak, Al Legasse, Richard Lewis, Russell Miller, Lucinda Sangree, Carmen Serrett, Richard Sisson, Henry Van Ness, David Wagner

Community RAB members absent:

Estelle Coleman, Brian Dombrowski, and Harold Kugelmass

Government and Technical Support Personnel present:

LTC Stephen Brooks, SEDA Commander
Thomas Enroth, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Janet Fallo, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Jerry Whitaker, SEDA Base Transition Coordinator
Beverly Lombardo, SEDA Public Affairs Officer
Joanne Ogden, SEDA Legal Representative
Susan Cooper, SEDA Secretary
John Buck, U.S. Army Environmental Center
Mike Cast, U.S. Army Environmental Center, Public Affairs Office
Keith Hoddinott, U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine
Randy Nida, U.S. Army Industrial Operations Command
Randy Battaglia, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, SEDA Resident Office
Kevin Healy, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division
Michael Duchesneau, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
Robert Mutaw, Woodward-Clyde
Rick Newill, Woodward-Clyde

Others present (from sign-in sheet):

Pete Coutts, International Technology Corporation
John Finn, Remediation Technologies Corporation
Thomas Grasek, Community Member
Martin Toombs, Finger Lakes Times
Mark Weider, International Technology Corporation

2. The first Restoration Advisory Board meeting was called to order by LTC Stephen Brooks, Commander of Seneca Army Depot Activity (SEDA). LTC Brooks welcomed all members and support staff to the Officer's Club.

3. Introductions were then made by Stephen Absolom, the BRAC Environmental Coordinator for SEDA. Mr. Absolom explained that the purpose of the evening's activities was to present a brief overview of the RAB process and become acquainted with other members and support staff.

4. Mike Cast, Public Affairs Officer from the Army Environmental Center provided basic information on Restoration Advisory Boards. His briefing explained what a RAB is, its purpose, and who comprised the Restoration Advisory Board. Mr. Cast defined the responsibilities of the RAB, its Co-Chairs, State and EPA support staff, and community members. Benefits of community participation were also discussed.

5. The Installation Command Briefing was then given by Jerry Whitaker, SEDA's Base Transition Coordinator. Items addressed were the depot's history, missions, population, facilities, contributions to the local community, relationship with the Local Redevelopment Authority, and white deer.

6. Future RAB meetings were discussed with the following issues agreed to by the members present:

a. When?: Monthly meetings were deemed necessary at first--preferably during a weekday evening to accommodate the majority. The next RAB meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 26, 1996 at 7:00 p.m.

b. Where?: It was decided that the next meeting will be held at the Seneca Army Depot Activity NCO Club. Other possible locations were the Romulus School, Willard Town Hall, and the Seneca County Office Building. These options may be exercised in the future.

c. Who?: The Community Co-Chair will be selected at the June 26th meeting. Interested individuals (seven expressed an interest on their initial applications) will be required to provide a verbal presentation with election by a majority vote. Discussion followed regarding duties, time commitments, and administrative support.

d. Two tours of the depot were offered to RAB members. Dates established were Wednesday, June 12th at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday, June 22nd at 9:00 a.m. A guest is welcome, provided there is room available in the 20-passenger bus. A sign-up sheet was available for those interested in attending a tour. Participants must sign in for the tour at Seneca's main gate on Route 96. The bus will depart 5 minutes after the times listed and will last approximately 1 ½ hours.

e. Training will be provided at initial RAB meetings to ensure understanding of the cleanup

process and what is required of the RAB. Information will be provided on regulatory involvement, the funding process, and acronyms and abbreviations.

f. A tentative agenda for the June 26th meeting included the following topics: (1) introductory training, (2) current activities, and (3) initiate charter.

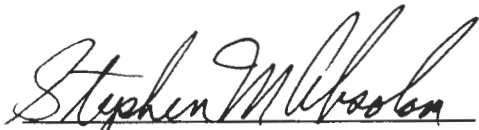
7. The formal meeting was then adjourned at 8:30 p.m. to afford RAB members and regulatory and support staff the opportunity to socialize and become acquainted.

Respectfully submitted,



SUSAN R. COOPER
Secretary

APPROVED AS SUBMITTED:



STEPHEN M. ABSOLOM
U.S. Army Co-chair



RICHARD A. DURST
Community Co-chair

MINUTES
RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD
JUNE 26, 1996 MEETING MINUTES

1. Attendance:

Government RAB Members Present:

Stephen M. Absolom, BRAC Environmental Coordinator, SEDA
Carla Struble, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Dan Geraghty, NYS Department of Health

Government RAB Members Absent:

Kamal Gupta, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation (excused)

Community RAB Members Present:

Diane DeMuth, Dick Durst, Anne Herman, Frank Ives, Mary Ann Krupsak,
Al Legasse, Richard Lewis, Harold Kugelmass, Henry Van Ness,
Russell Miller, Carmen Serrett, Richard Sisson, David Wagner

Community RAB Member Absent:

Lucinda Sangree, Estelle Coleman, Brian Dombrowski

Government and Technical Support Personnel Present:

Thomas Enroth, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Janet Fallo, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Jerry Whitaker, SEDA Base Transition Coordinator
Beverly Lombardo, SEDA Public Affairs Officer
Susan Cooper, SEDA Secretary
Robert Scott, NYS Department of Conservation
Keith Hoddinott, U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine
Randy Battaglia, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, SEDA Resident Office
Dorothy Richards, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division
Michael Duchesneau, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
Barry O'Melia, Woodward-Clyde
Rick Newill, Woodward-Clyde

Others Present:

Chris Raddell, Community/Contractor
Joanne Howard, Community/Contractor
Brian Howard, Community Member
Nellie Legasse, Community Member

2. The June Restoration Advisory Board meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Stephen Absolom, BRAC Environmental Coordinator for SEDA, who welcomed all members and support staff to the NCO Club and outlined the evening's agenda. Draft minutes from the May RAB meeting were then approved and accepted into record.

3. Mike Duchesneau from Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. provided an overview on the Environmental Cleanup Process. His briefing included governing regulations, milestones, and the process under which solid waste management units are listed, classified, and remediated. Copies of Mr. Duchesneau's briefing will be included in the next mailing along with the minutes of this meeting.

4. A discussion was held between Mike Duchesneau of Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. and Dr. Dick Durst who asked if Parsons was aware of the newly developed application of iron to reduce the contamination level in a groundwater plume such as the plume at the Ash Landfill. Mr. Duchesneau responded that he was aware of this technology and it was currently being implemented in a full scale application model through another office of Parsons located in North Carolina. The process uses a media, such as iron in the form of iron filings, placed such that the contaminated groundwater passes through the iron and is changed in the process. The iron would oxidize similar to rust forming on iron exposed to air and water. This section of iron can be thought of as a gate in a underground wall so all water would be stopped by the wall except for a section where the gate is installed as part of the wall. The water can pass through the gate of iron. This gate can be removed and replaced with new iron when the media needs to be changed. Mr. Duchesneau then discussed with Dr. Durst reasons this technology may not be applicable for the Ash Landfill. He commented that this innovative technology has been successfully demonstrated in the laboratory or in limited pilot scale applications. However, he has not yet seen results from the full scale demonstration studies. In addition, the iron may prematurely oxidize as the depth to groundwater at the Ash Landfill varies considerably during the year. This may render the treatment useless. An application of this type of technology at the Ash Landfill would require an extensive pilot study if it were to be considered.

5. A brief overview of the BRAC Cleanup Plan and its goals was given by Mr. Absolom. After introductions of all present, the responsibilities of the Community Co-Chair position were reviewed. Presentations were given by Richard Durst, David Wagner, and Anne Herman, RAB members interested in filling this position. Written ballots were collected from the 15 community RAB members present with majority vote electing Richard Durst as Community Co-Chair.

6. Discussion of Draft Charter followed. Each section was examined and commented on with changes identified and agreed upon for inclusion in the final charter to be approved for adoption at the August RAB meeting.

7. General discussion indicated possible topics for future presentations. Suggestions should be made to Mr. Absolom within the next week for preparation of an August agenda.

8. The next Restoration Advisory Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 20, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. at the SEDA NCO Club.

9. The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN R. COOPER
Secretary

APPROVED AS SUBMITTED:

STEPHEN M. ABSOLOM
U.S. Army Co-Chair

RICHARD A. DURST
Community Co-Chair

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

September 17, 1996

- 7:00** **Welcome**
LTC Stephen W. Brooks
Commander, Seneca Army Depot Activity
- 7:05** **Acceptance of Minutes**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom/Dr. Dick Durst
Army Co-chair/Community Co-chair
- 7:15** **Fire Training Areas Remedial Investigation Status**
Mr. Michael Duchesneau
Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
- 7:45** **Break**
- 8:00** **Risk Assessment for Environmental Sites**
Mr. Keith Hoddinott
U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine
- 8:30** **Open Discussion**
- 9:00** **Adjourn**



Presentation to the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB)

September 17, 1996

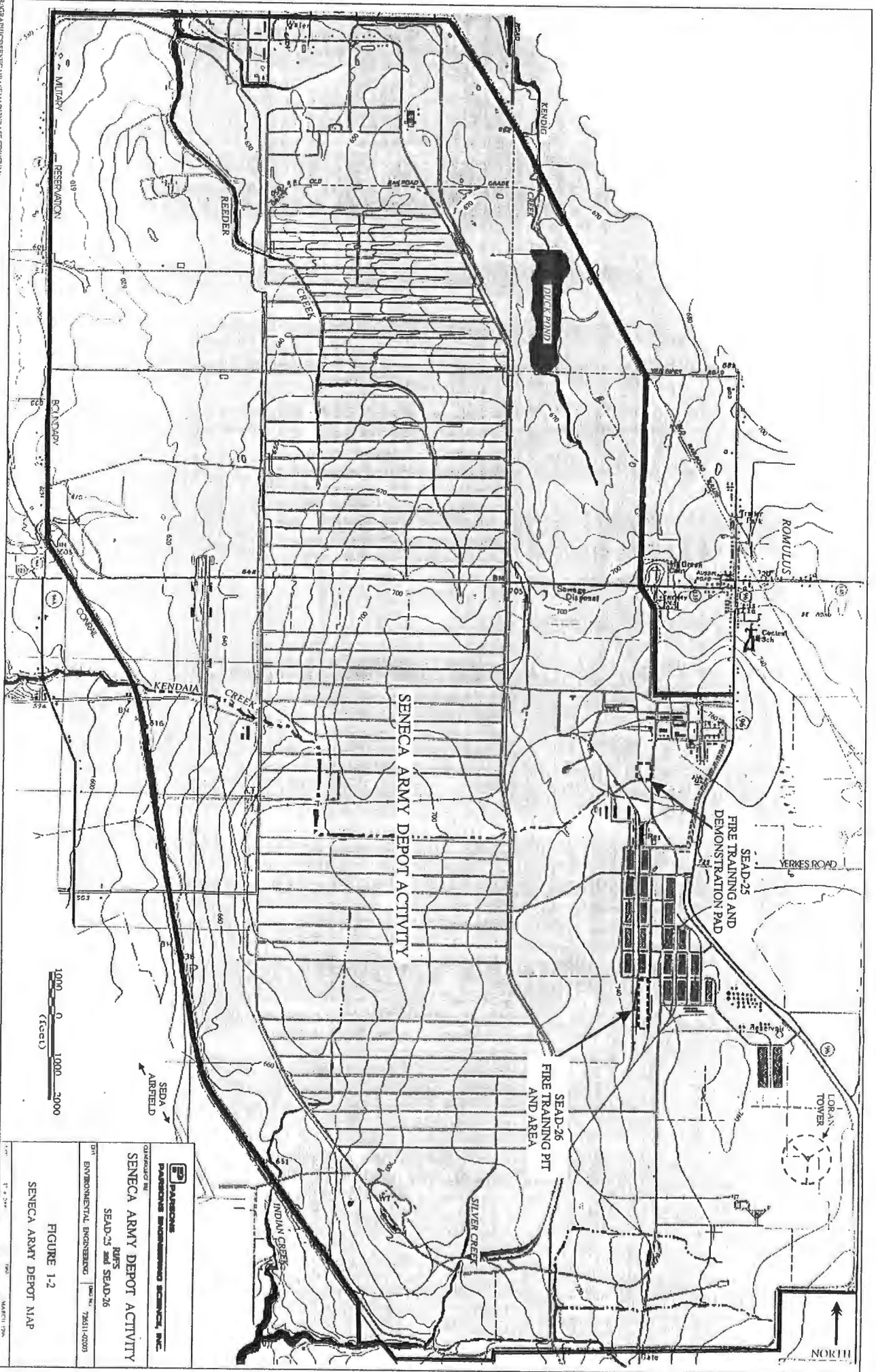
**REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY
STUDY (RI/FS) STATUS REPORT**

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Summary of Activities at SEAD-25(The Fire
Demonstration Pad) and SEAD-26 (The Fire
Training Area)

- Remedial Investigation
 - Fieldwork Completed in December, 1995
 - Second Round of GW Sampling Completed in April, 1996
- Pre-Draft Report Submitted to the Army in April, 1996
- Draft Report Submitted to Regulators on June 27, 1996



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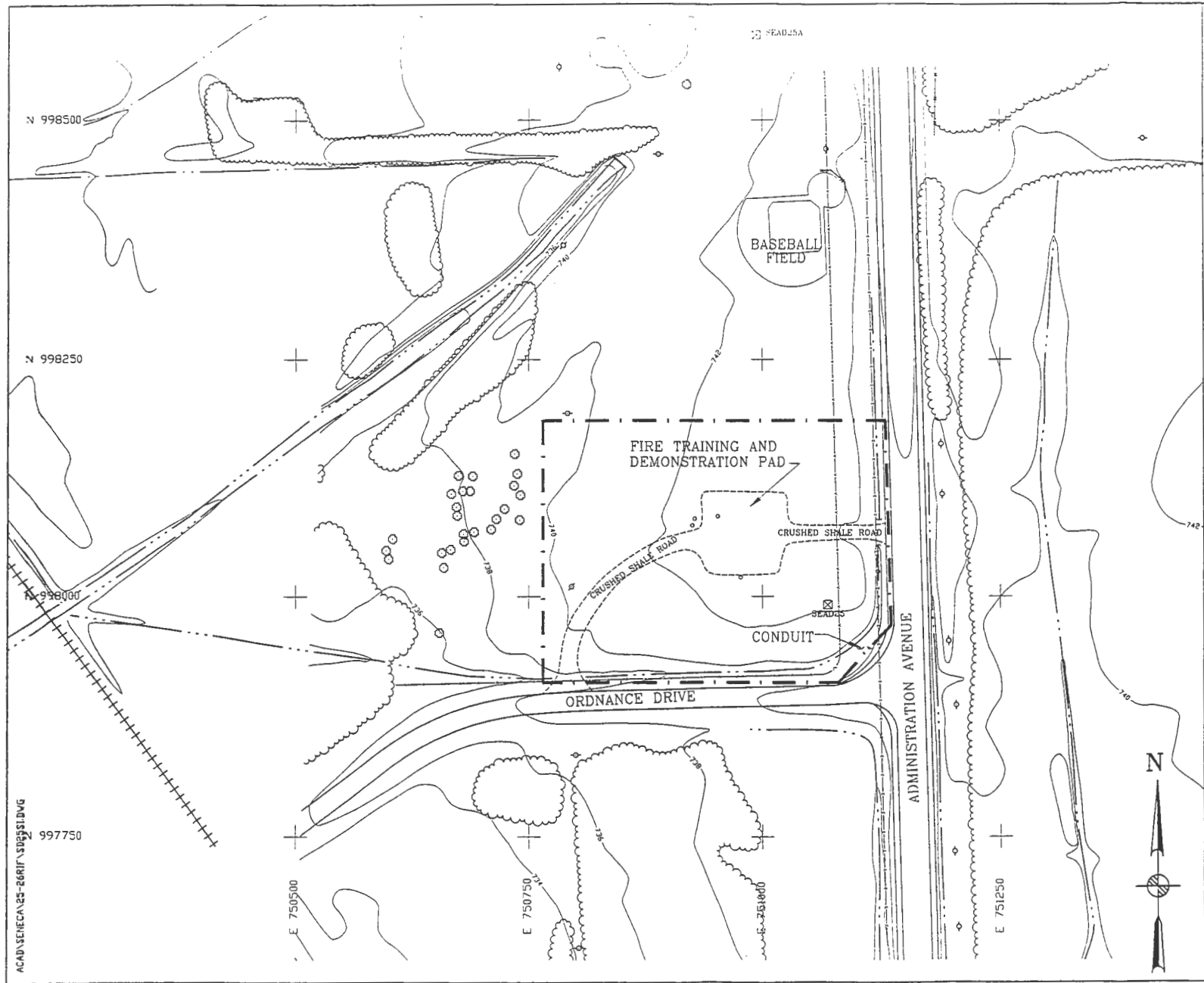
SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY
 RIFS
 SEAD-25 and SEAD-26
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FIGURE 1-2
 SENECA ARMY DEPOT MAP

DATE: MARCH 1978

Summary of Remedial Investigation (RI) at SEAD-25

- Volatile Aromatic Compounds Detected in Soil and Groundwater
- Volatile Chlorinated Organics Detected in Soil and Groundwater
- Groundwater Plume Limited to Site Boundaries
- Risk Exceeds EPA Target Ranges for Residential Exposure



LEGEND

- MINOR WATERWAY
- MAJOR WATERWAY
- - - - - FENCE
- UNPAVED ROAD
- ~ ~ ~ BRUSH LINE
- LANDFILL EXTENT
- RAILROAD
- 760 --- GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
- - - - - UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
- - - - - UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE
- ⊕ ROAD SIGN
- ⊙ DECIDUOUS TREE
- △ GUIDE POST
- ⊕ FIRE HYDRANT
- ⊗ MANHOLE
- ⊕ COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
- POLE
- UTILITY BOX
- ⊠ MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL
- ⊕ SEAD-25 SURVEY MONUMENT
- OVERHEAD UTILITY POLE

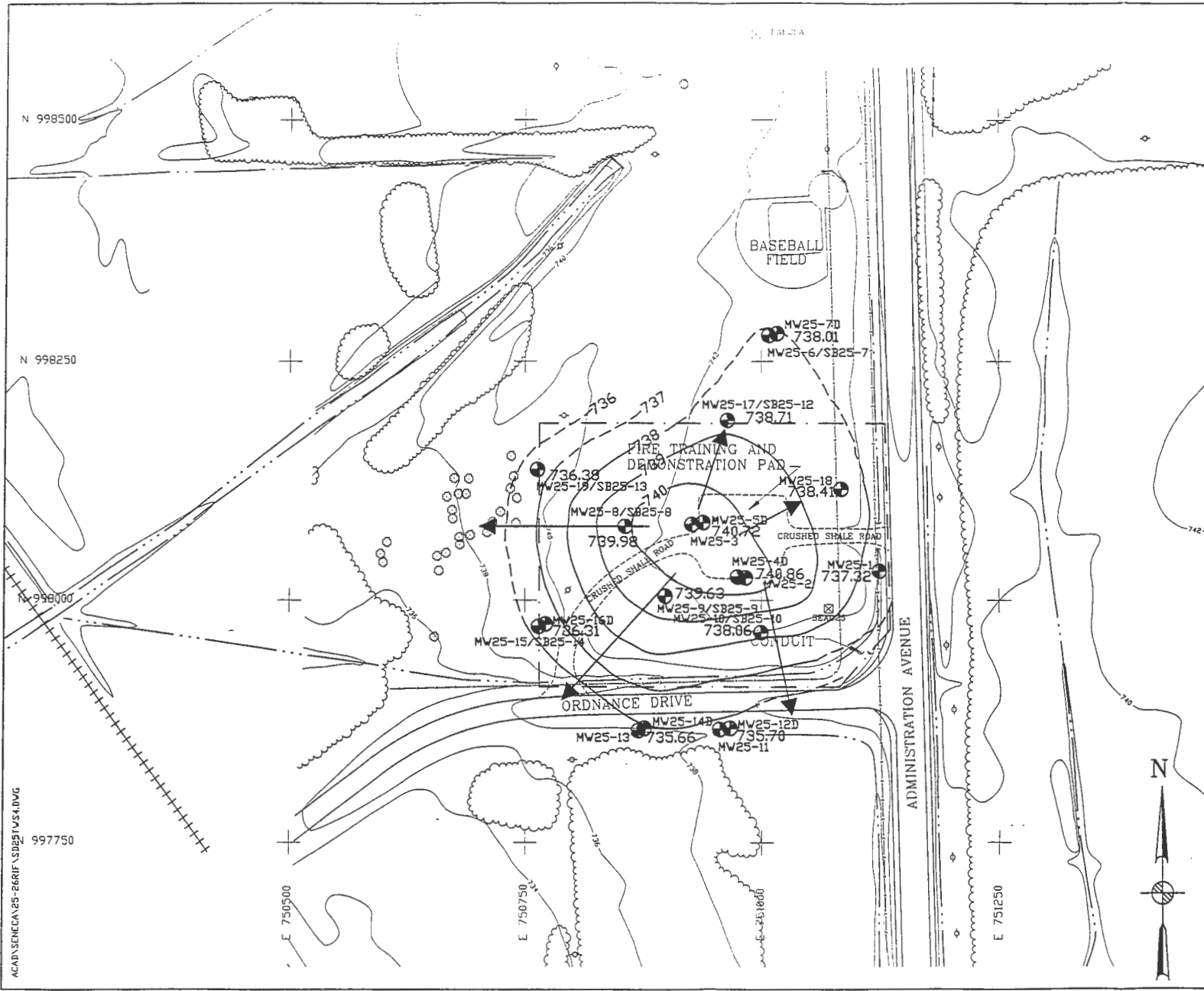
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 RI/FS
 SEAD-25 FIRE TRAINING AND DEMONSTRATION PAD
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FIGURE 1-3
SEAD-25
SITE PLAN
 SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1996 PL. 1A

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LEGEND

	MINOR WATERWAY
	MAJOR WATERWAY
	FENCE
	UNPAVED ROAD
	BRUSH LINE
	LANDFILL EXTENT
	RAILROAD
	GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
	UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
	UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE
	ROAD SIGN
	DECIDUOUS TREE
	GUIDE POST
	FIRE HYDRANT
	MANHOLE
	COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
	POLE
	UTILITY BOX
	MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL
	SEAD-25 OVERHEAD UTILITY POLE
	SEAD-25 SURVEY MONUMENT WITH LABEL

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APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-25

738.01 MONITORING WELL LOCATION AND ELEVATION OF WATER TABLE

730 GROUNDWATER CONTOUR LINE (DASHED WHERE INFERRED)

ARROW INDICATES PREDOMINANT GROUNDWATER FLOW DIRECTION

50 0 50 100
(Feet)

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 SEAD-25 FIRE TRAINING AND DEMONSTRATION PAD

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FIGURE 3-6
 SEAD-25 GROUNDWATER TOPOGRAPHY FOR THE TILL/WEATHERED SHALE AQUIFER-NOVEMBER 4, 1995

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1996

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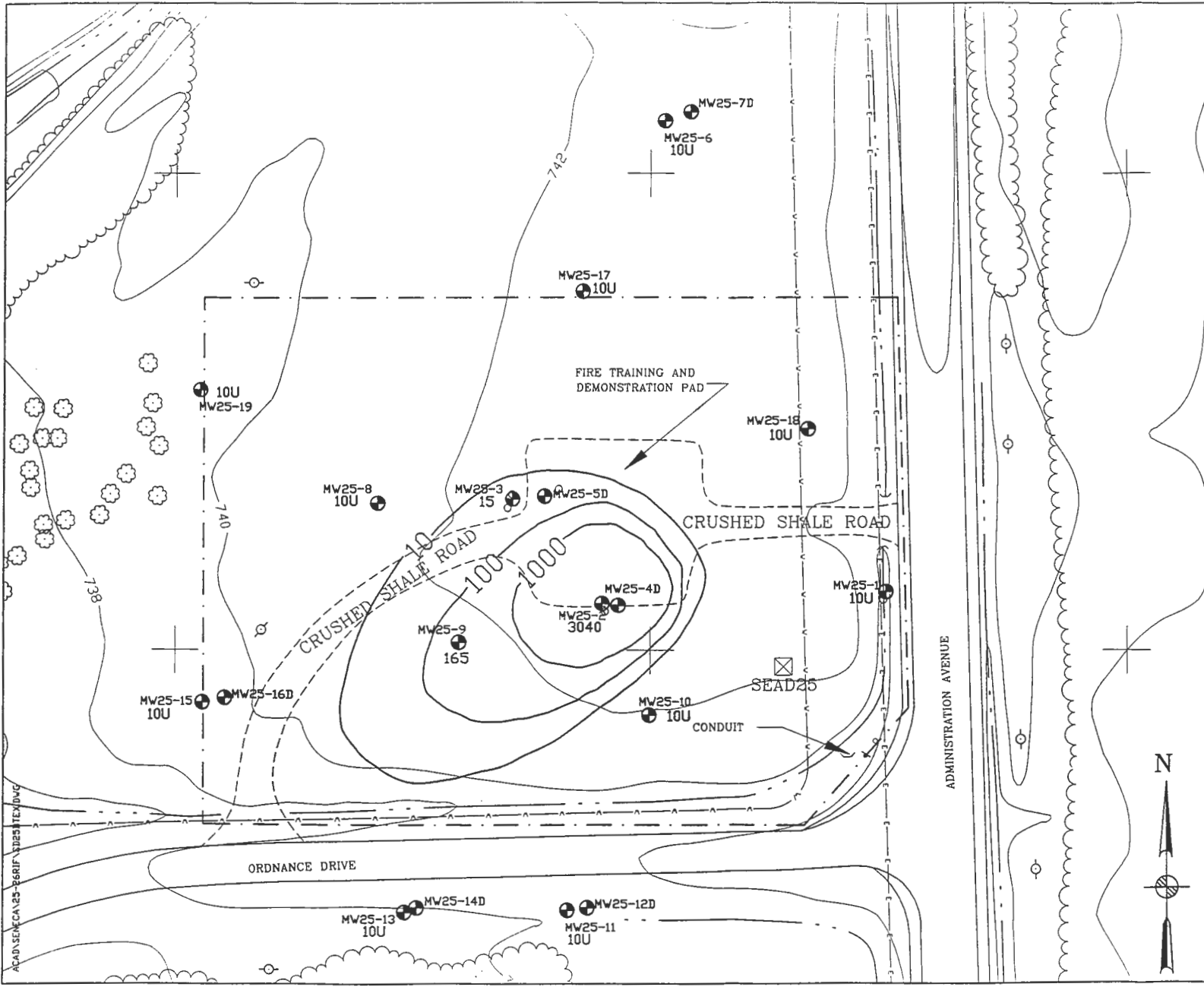
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	MAJOR WATERWAY
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	UNPAVED ROAD
	BRUSH LINE
	LANDFILL EXTENT
	RAILROAD
	GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
	UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
	UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE
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	SEAD-25 SURVEY MONUMENT WITH LABEL

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APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-25

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 MW25-18

 TOTAL BTEX CONCENTRATION IN ug/L

100

 BTEX CONCENTRATION CONTOUR (ug/L)



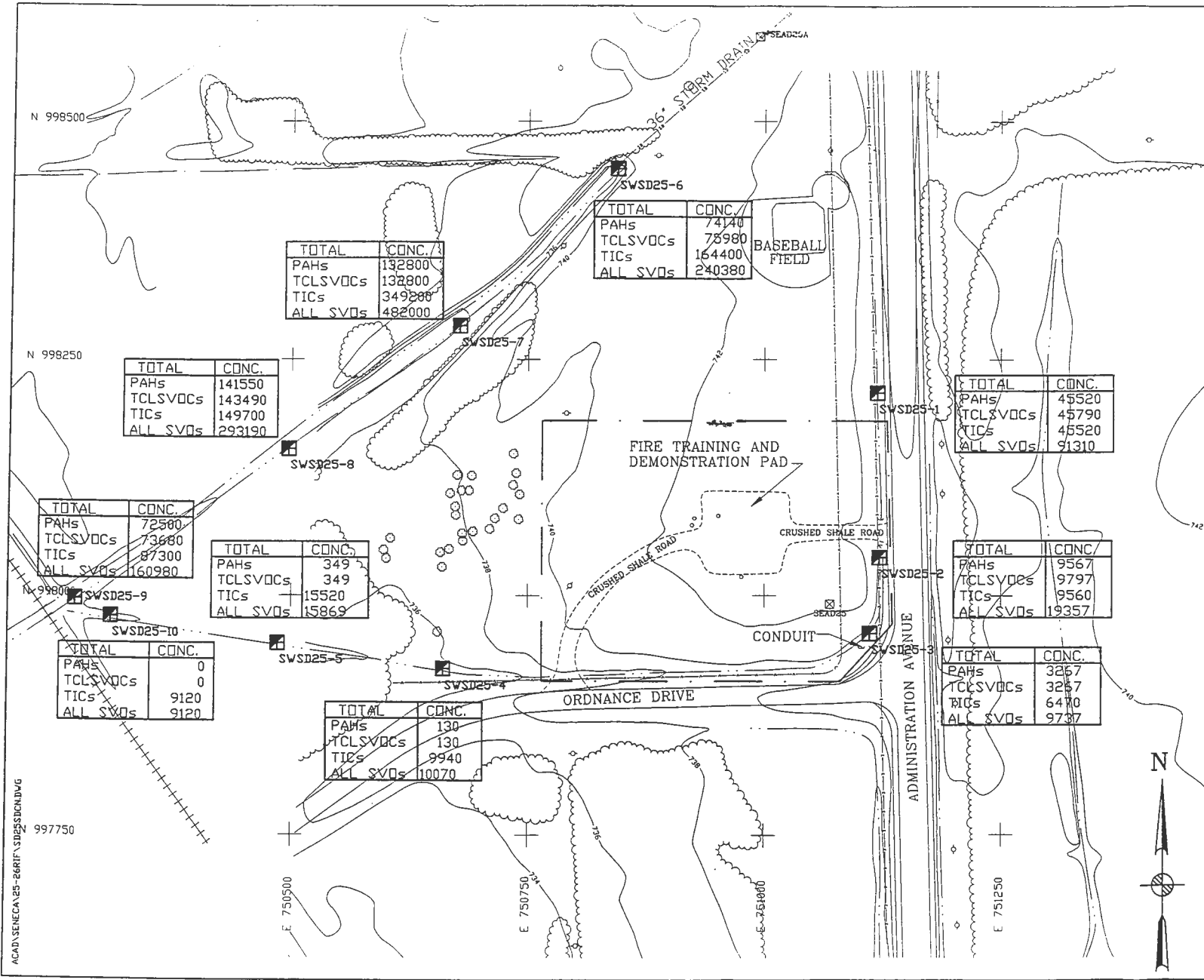
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FIGURE 4-3
SEAD-25 BTEX PLUME
IN SHALLOW AQUIFER

SCALE 1" = 60' DATE MARCH 1998 A



LEGEND

- MINOR WATERWAY
- MAJOR WATERWAY
- FENCE
- UNPAVED ROAD
- BRUSH LINE
- LANDFILL EXTENT
- RAILROAD
- 760 --- GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
- UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
- UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE
- UNDERGROUND STORM DRAIN
- ⊕ ROAD SIGN
- ⊙ DECIDUOUS TREE
- △ GUIDE POST
- ⊕ FIRE HYDRANT
- ⊗ MANHOLE
- + COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
- POLE
- UTILITY BOX
- ⊠ MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL
- SEAD-25 SURVEY MOUNTMENT WITH LABEL

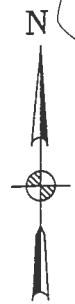
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APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-25

LOCATION OF SURFACE WATER AND SEDIMENT SAMPLE SW/SD25-2

TOTAL	CONC.
PAHs	9567
TCLSVOCs	9797
TICs	9560
ALL SVOCs	19357

CONCENTRATIONS IN ug/kg



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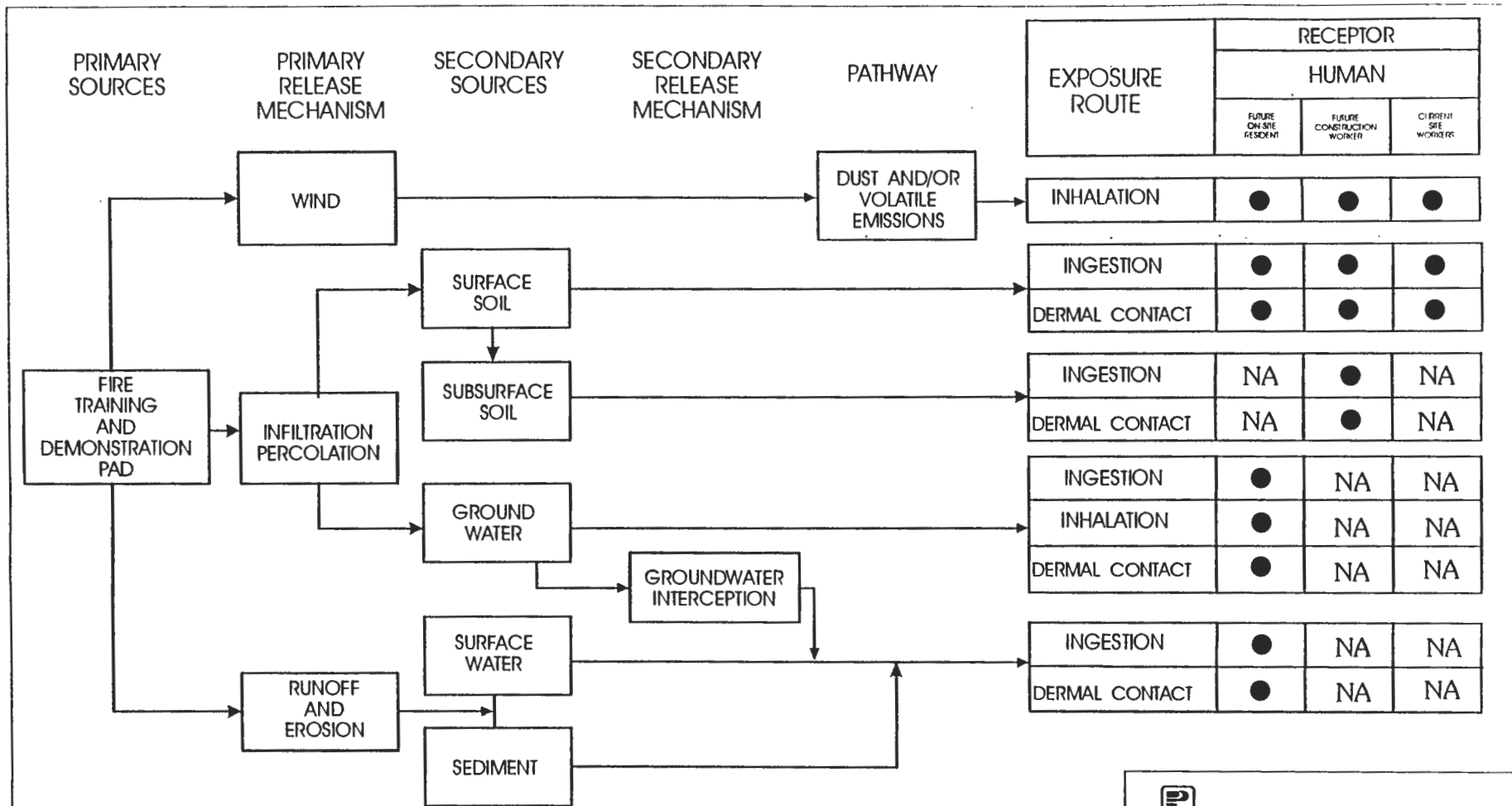
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FIGURE 4--5
 SEAD-25 SVOCs IN
 SEDIMENT SAMPLES

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1998

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● PATHWAY CONSIDERED TO POSE POTENTIAL RISK
 NA NOT APPLICABLE RECEPTOR

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 RISK ASSESSMENT EXPOSURE PATHWAYS
 SEAD-25 FIRE TRAINING AND DEMONSTRATION AREA

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FIGURE 6-11
EXPOSURE PATHWAY SUMMARY

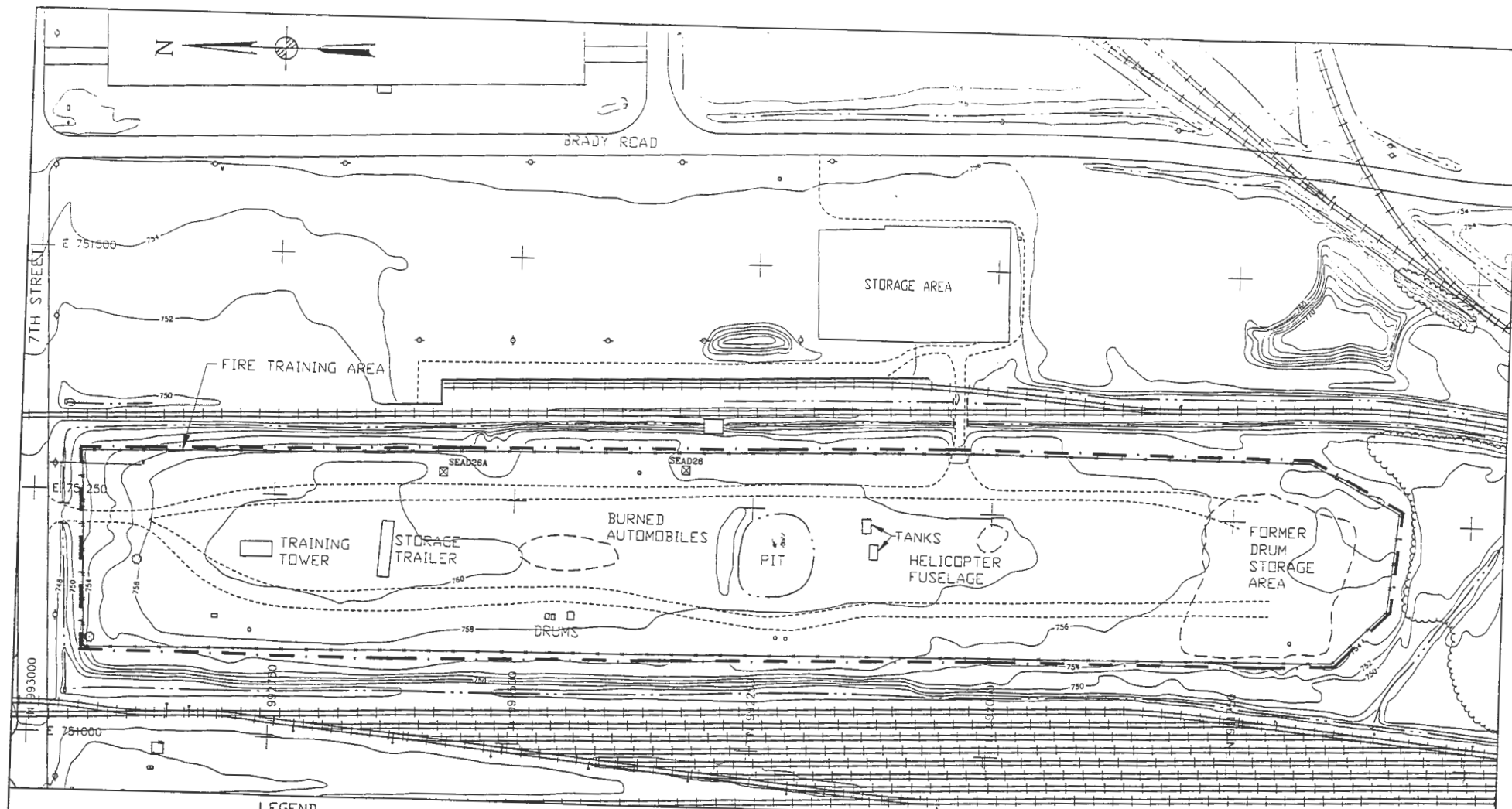
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TABLE 6-74
CALCULATION OF TOTAL NONCARCINOGENIC AND CARCINOGENIC RISKS
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE
SENECA ARMY DEPOT, ROMULUS, NEW YORK - SEAD 25

RECEPTOR	EXPOSURE ROUTE	EXPOSURE ASSESSMENT Table Number	RISK CHARACTERIZATION Table Number	HAZARD INDEX	CANCER RISK
CURRENT SITE WORKER	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air	Table 6-7	Table 6-42	3.6E-07	8.7E-12
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 6-13	Table 6-44	1.6E-03	3.3E-08
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 6-19	Table 6-46	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>1.6E-03</u>	<u>3.3E-08</u>
FUTURE RESIDENTIAL	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air	Table 6-9	Table 6-48	6.4E-06	1.8E-10
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 6-15	Table 6-50	2.9E-01	1.8E-06
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 6-21	Table 6-52	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
	Ingestion of Groundwater	Table 6-25	Table 6-54	3.1E+00	5.1E-04
	Dermal Contact to Groundwater	Table 6-27	Table 6-56	2.8E+00	2.5E-04
	Inhalation of Groundwater while Showering	Table 6-31	Table 6-58	3.7E-04	9.2E-08
	Ingestion of Onsite Surface Water while Wading	Table 6-33	Table 6-60	5.4E-03	4.0E-07
	Dermal Contact to Surface Water while Wading	Table 6-35	Table 6-62	3.2E-03	4.1E-09
	Ingestion of Onsite Sediment	Table 6-37	Table 6-64	3.6E-01	4.1E-05
	Dermal Contact to Sediment while Wading	Table 6-39	Table 6-66	1.1E-04	0.0E+00
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>6.6E+00</u>	<u>8.1E-04</u>
FUTURE ON-SITE CONSTRUCTION WORKERS	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air - RME	Table 6-11	Table 6-68	4.5E-06	4.4E-12
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 6-17	Table 6-70	9.2E-02	4.6E-07
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 6-23	Table 6-72	0.0E+00	4.4E-08
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>9.2E-02</u>	<u>5.0E-07</u>

Summary of Remedial Investigation (RI) at SEAD-26

- Semi Volatile Organic Compounds (SVOC) Detected in Surface and Subsurface Soils
- Highest Concentrations Detected in Surface Soils Around Fire Training Pit
- Low Conc. of Aromatic Compounds Detected in One Well, MW-26-7, Located Near the Pit
- Risk Exceeds EPA Target Range for Residential Exposure



- ACAD:SENECA25-268RIFASR26SLDVG
- MINOR WATERWAY
 - MAJOR WATERWAY
 - FENCE
 - UNPAVED ROAD
 - BRUSH LINE
 - LANDFILL EXTENT
 - RAILROAD
 - 760 --- GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
 - UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
 - UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE

LEGEND

- SEAD-26
- ☒ SURVEY MONUMENT WITH LABEL
 - ⊕ ROAD SIGN
 - ⊗ DECIDUOUS TREE
 - ⊙ FIRE HYDRANT
 - ⊕ MANHOLE GUIDE POST
 - ⊙ POLE
 - ⊕ UTILITY BOX
 - ⊕ COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
 - OVERHEAD UTILITY POLE
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--- APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-26



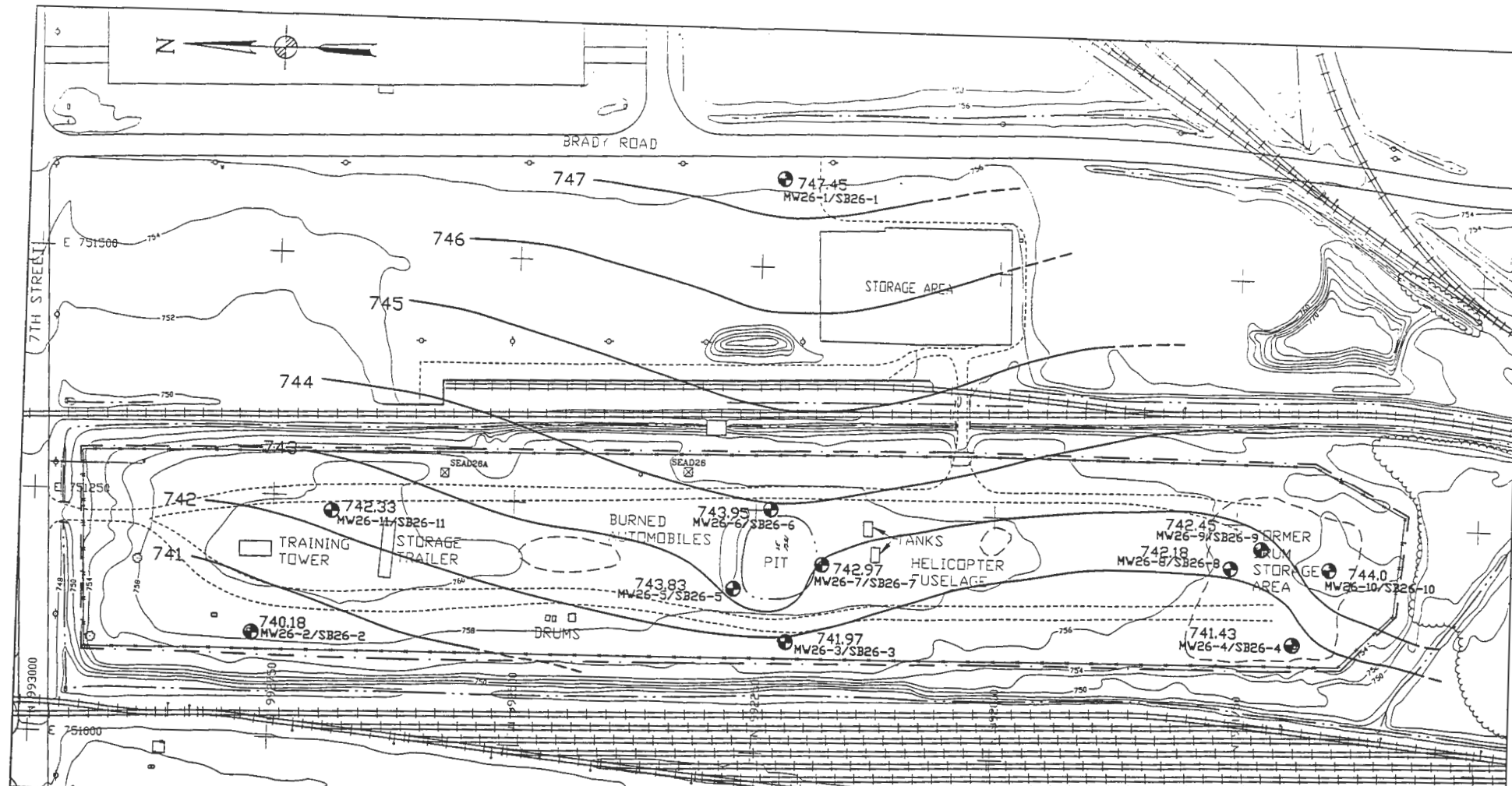
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 RI/FS
SEAD-26 FIRE TRAINING PIT AND AREA

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FIGURE 1-4
 SEAD-26
 SITE PLAN

1" = 100'
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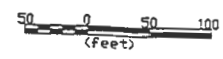


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 - OVERHEAD UTILITY MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL POLE (NOT ALL SYMBOLS MAY APPEAR ON MAP)

APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-26

● MW26-2
738.01 MONITORING WELL LOCATION AND ELEVATION OF WATER TABLE

--- 744 --- GROUNDWATER CONTOUR LINE (DASHED WHERE INFERRED)



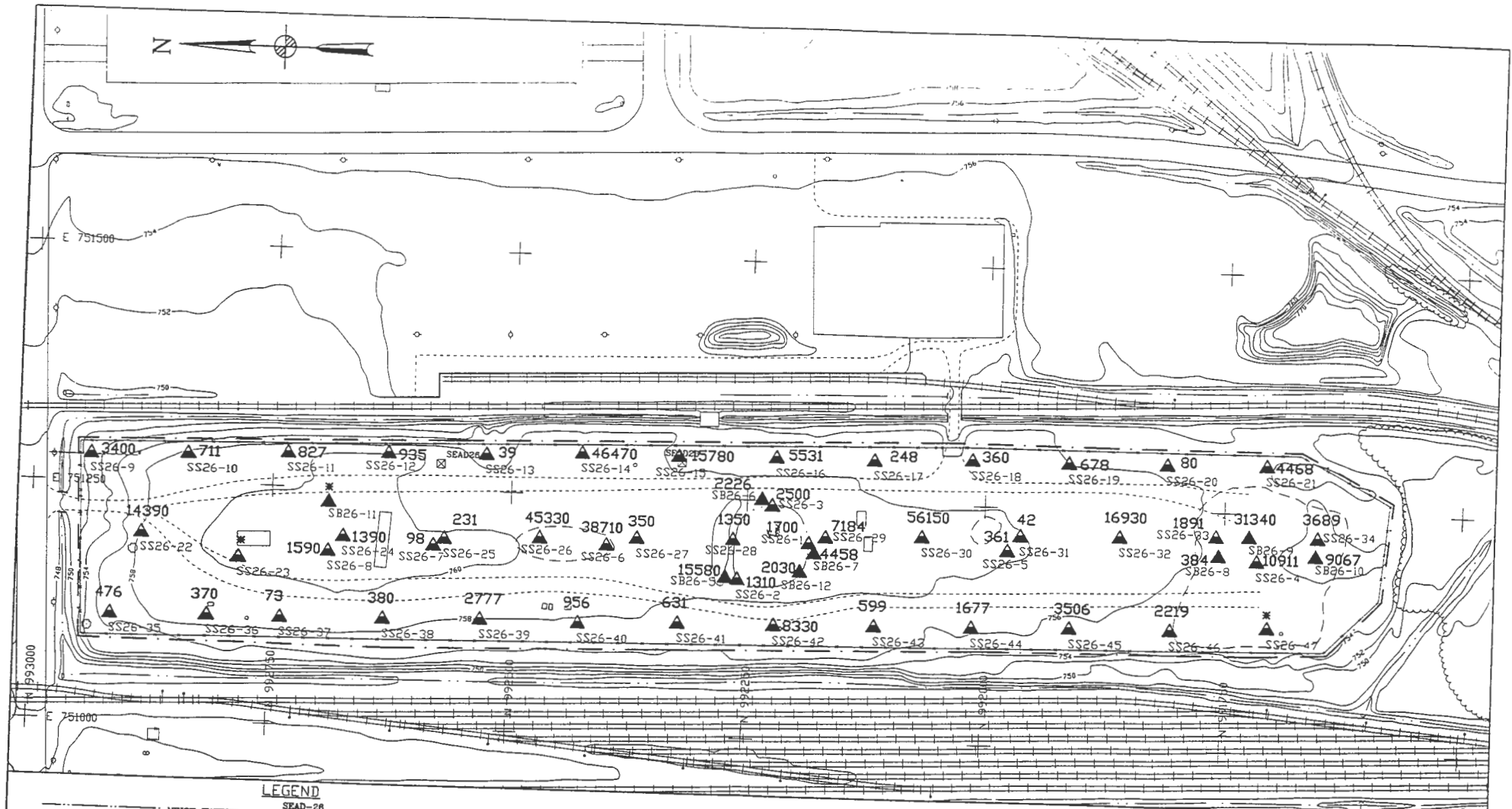
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R1/FS
SEAD-26 FIRE TRAINING PIT AND AREA**

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FIGURE 3-20
SEAD-26 GROUNDWATER TOPOGRAPHY FOR THE
TILL/WEATHERED SHALE AQUIFER-NOVEMBER 4, 1995

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1996



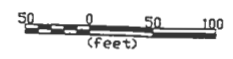
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- ⊕ OVERHEAD UTILITY MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL

--- APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-26

▲ SURFACE SOIL SAMPLE LOCATION
 SS26-1 WITH PAH CONCENTRATION (ug/kg)

• INDICATES NONE WERE DETECTED



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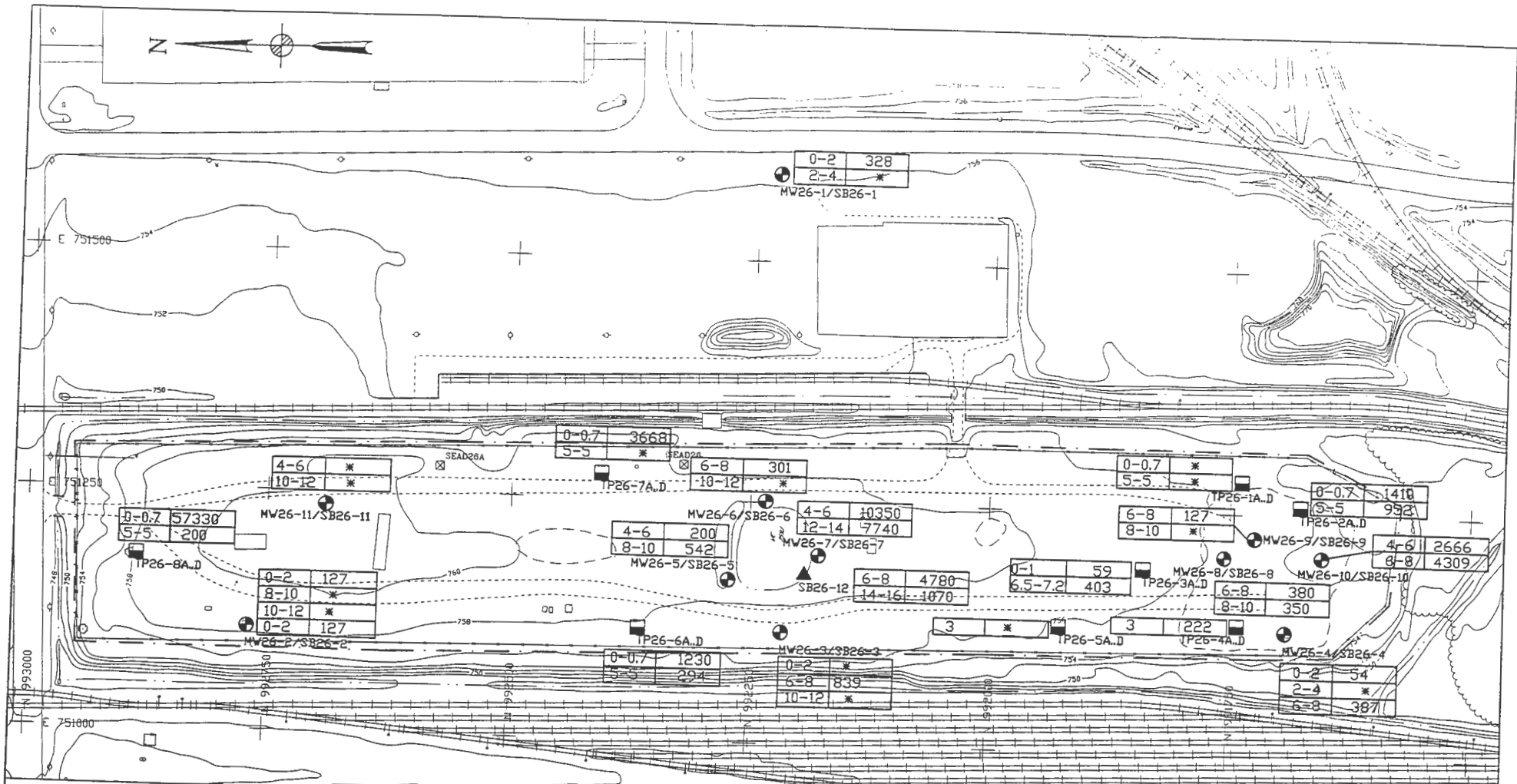
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FIGURE 4-6
SEAD-26 TOTAL PAH'S
IN SURFACE SOILS

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1998

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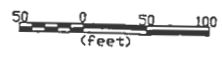


LEGEND

- MINOR WATERWAY
- MAJOR WATERWAY
- FENCE
- UNPAVED ROAD
- BRUSH LINE
- LANDFILL EXTENT
- RAILROAD
- 760 GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
- UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC UTILITY LINE
- UNDERGROUND WATER UTILITY LINE
- ⊗ SURVEY MONUMENT WITH LABEL
- ⊕ ROAD SIGN
- ⊙ DECIDUOUS TREE
- ⊙ FIRE HYDRANT
- ⊙ MANHOLE
- ⊙ GUIDE POST
- ⊙ POLE
- ⊙ UTILITY BOX
- ⊙ COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
- ⊙ OVERHEAD UTILITY MAILBOX/RR SIGNAL POLE
- (NOT ALL SYMBOLS MAY APPEAR ON MAP)

APPROXIMATE EXTENT OF SEAD-26

- ⊙ TEST PIT LOCATION
 - ⊕ MONITORING WELL LOCATION
 - ▲ SOIL BORING SAMPLE
 - * INDICATES NONE WERE DETECTED
- | DEPTH | CONC. |
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| 10-12 | * |



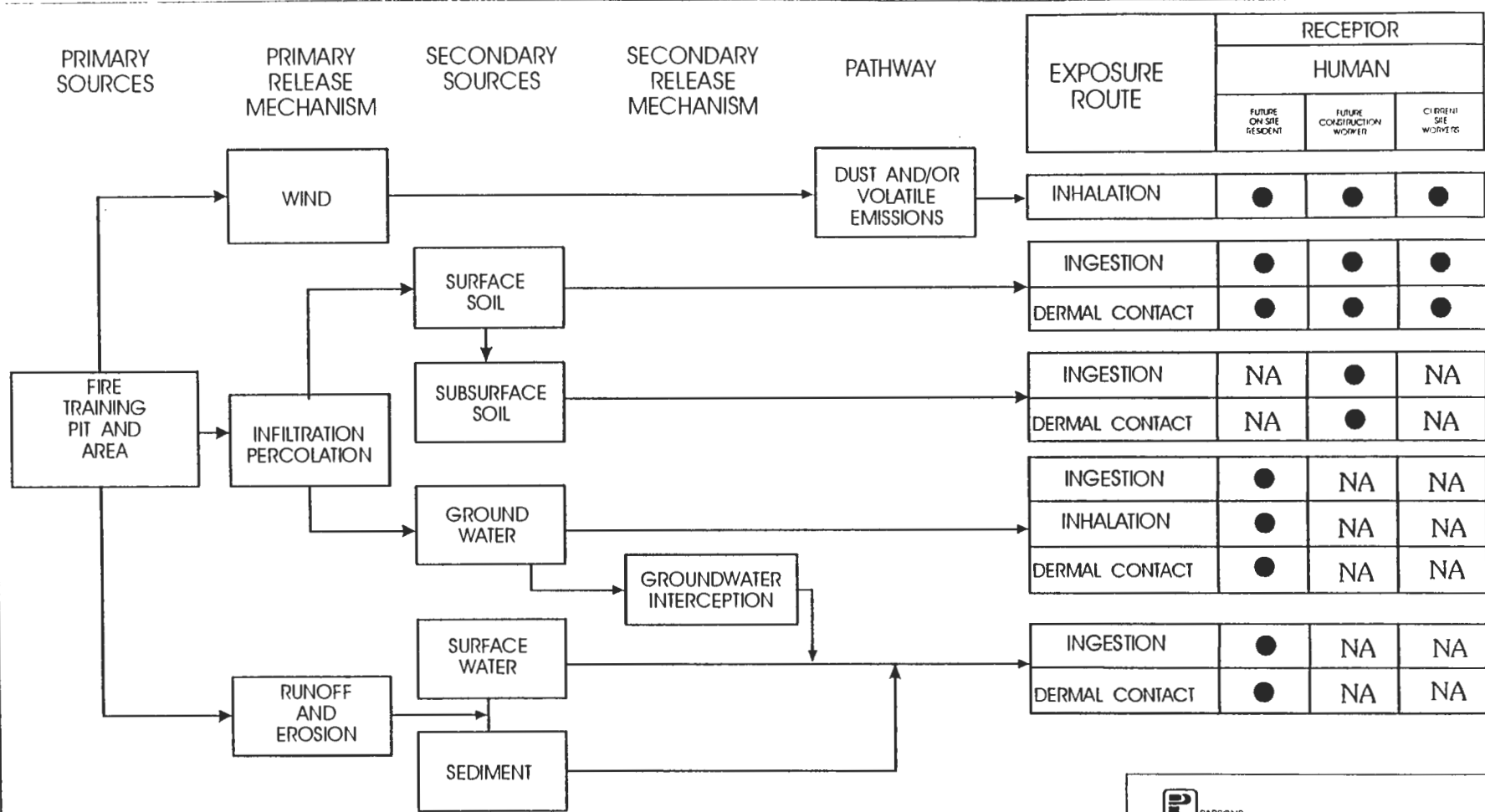
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FIGURE 4-10
SEAD-26 DISTRIBUTION OF PAH'S IN SOIL

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE MARCH 1998

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● PATHWAY CONSIDERED TO POSE POTENTIAL RISK
 NA NOT APPLICABLE RECEPTOR

EXPOSURE ROUTE	RECEPTOR		
	HUMAN		
	FUTURE ON-SITE RESIDENT	FUTURE CONSTRUCTION WORKER	CURRENT SITE WORKERS
INHALATION	●	●	●
INGESTION	●	●	●
DERMAL CONTACT	●	●	●
INGESTION	NA	●	NA
DERMAL CONTACT	NA	●	NA
INGESTION	●	NA	NA
INHALATION	●	NA	NA
DERMAL CONTACT	●	NA	NA
INGESTION	●	NA	NA
DERMAL CONTACT	●	NA	NA

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FIGURE 7-13
EXPOSURE PATHWAY SUMMARY

SCALE NA DATE MAY 1996

**TABLE 7-74
CALCULATION OF TOTAL NONCARCINOGENIC AND CARCINOGENIC RISKS
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE
SENECA ARMY DEPOT, ROMULUS, NEW YORK - SEAD 26**

RECEPTOR	EXPOSURE ROUTE	EXPOSURE ASSESSMENT Table Number	RISK CHARACTERIZATION Table Number	HAZARD INDEX	CANCER RISK
<u>CURRENT SITE WORKER</u>	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air	Table 7-7	Table 7-42	1.5E-09	5.0E-13
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 7-13	Table 7-44	3.1E-03	1.1E-06
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 7-19	Table 7-46	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>3.1E-03</u>	<u>1.1E-06</u>
<u>FUTURE RESIDENTIAL</u>	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air	Table 7-9	Table 7-48	2.6E-08	1.0E-11
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 7-15	Table 7-50	5.6E-01	6.1E-05
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 7-21	Table 7-52	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
	Ingestion of Groundwater	Table 7-25	Table 7-54	5.7E-02	2.9E-06
	Dermal Contact to Groundwater	Table 7-27	Table 7-56	2.6E-01	6.5E-06
	Inhalation of Groundwater while Showering	Table 7-31	Table 7-58	7.4E-07	2.7E-10
	Ingestion of Onsite Surface Water while Wading	Table 7-33	Table 7-60	2.0E-02	7.0E-07
	Dermal Contact to Surface Water while Wading	Table 7-35	Table 7-62	3.2E-03	4.7E-06
	Ingestion of Onsite Sediment	Table 7-39	Table 7-64	3.1E-01	8.1E-06
	Dermal Contact to Sediment while Wading	Table 7-39	Table 7-66	2.5E-03	3.6E-06
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>1.2E+00</u>	<u>8.7E-05</u>
<u>FUTURE ON-SITE CONSTRUCTION WORKERS</u>	Inhalation of Volatile Organics in Ambient Air - RME	Table 7-11	Table 7-68	1.8E-08	2.5E-13
	Ingestion of Onsite Soils	Table 7-17	Table 7-70	5.6E-01	3.9E-06
	Dermal Contact to Onsite Soils	Table 7-23	Table 7-72	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
TOTAL RECEPTOR RISK (Nc & CAR)				<u>5.6E-01</u>	<u>3.9E-06</u>

Potential Soil Remedial Technologies for SEADs-25 & 26

- No-Action
- Off-Site Disposal (Landfilling)
- Containment (Slurry Walls and Caps)
- Vapor Extraction
- Bioremediation (In-Situ or Ex-Situ)
- Low Temperature Thermal Treatment
- Soil Washing

Potential Groundwater Remedial Technologies for SEAD-25

- No Action
- Pump and Treat (Collection Trench & Air Stripping/Carbon Adsorption)
- Bioremediation
- Air Sparging



Health Risk Assessment

*U.S. Army Center for Health
Promotion and Preventive
Medicine*

*Health Risk Assessment and Risk
Communication Program*

HRA Objectives - 1

- *Provide a consistent Process for evaluating and documenting public health threats at sites*



HRA Objectives ~ 2

- *Provide an analysis of baseline risks and help determine the need for action at sites*



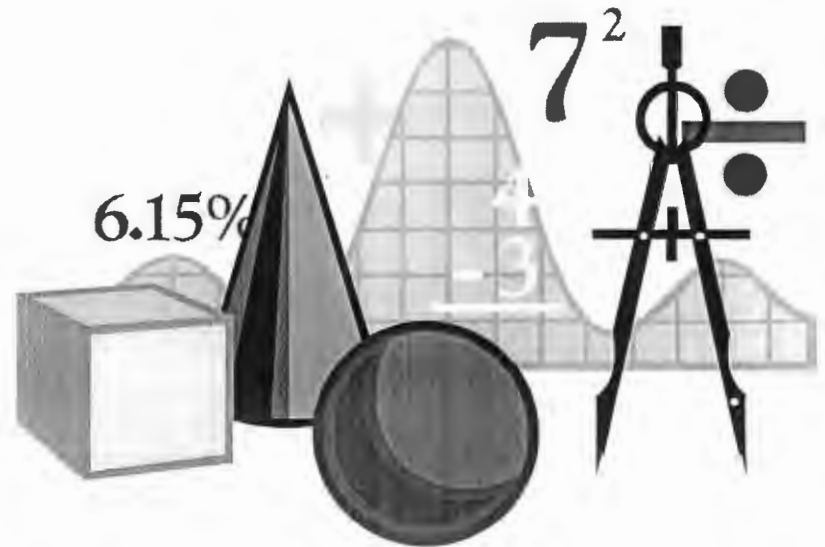
HRA Objectives ~ 3

- *Provide a basis for determining levels that can remain onsite and still be adequately protective of public health*



HRA Objectives ~ 4

- *Provide a basis for comparing potential health impacts of various remedial alternatives*



Superfund Remediation Process

- *CERCLA Information System (CERCLIS)*
 - *A listing of sites with possible releases of hazardous substances*
- *Preliminary Assessment (PA)*
 - *An initial evaluation of the site using existing information.*
 - *Approximately 50% of CERCLIS sites are eliminated from further consideration after PA*

Superfund Remediation Process

■ *Site Inspection (SI)*

- *Based on the results of the PA, an SI may be performed to:*
 - *Determine if there is a potential threat to human health or the environment*
 - *Determine if there is an immediate threat to people in the area*
 - *Collect sufficient data (which may include limited sampling) to enable the site to be scored using HRS*

Superfund Remediation Process

■ *Interagency Agreement*

- *Agreement between the federal facility, EPA, and often the state to address remediation at the site*

■ *Remedial Investigation*



Remedial Investigation (RI)

■ *Purpose*

- *To Collect data necessary to adequately characterize the site for the purpose of developing and evaluating effective remedial alternatives*
- *Usually contains BRA*

Superfund Remediation Process

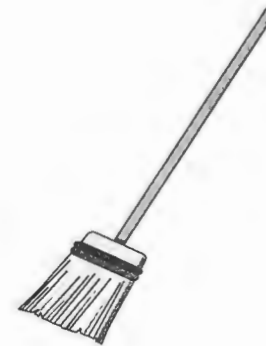
- *Baseline
Risk
Assessment*



Superfund Remediation Process

■ *Feasibility Study*

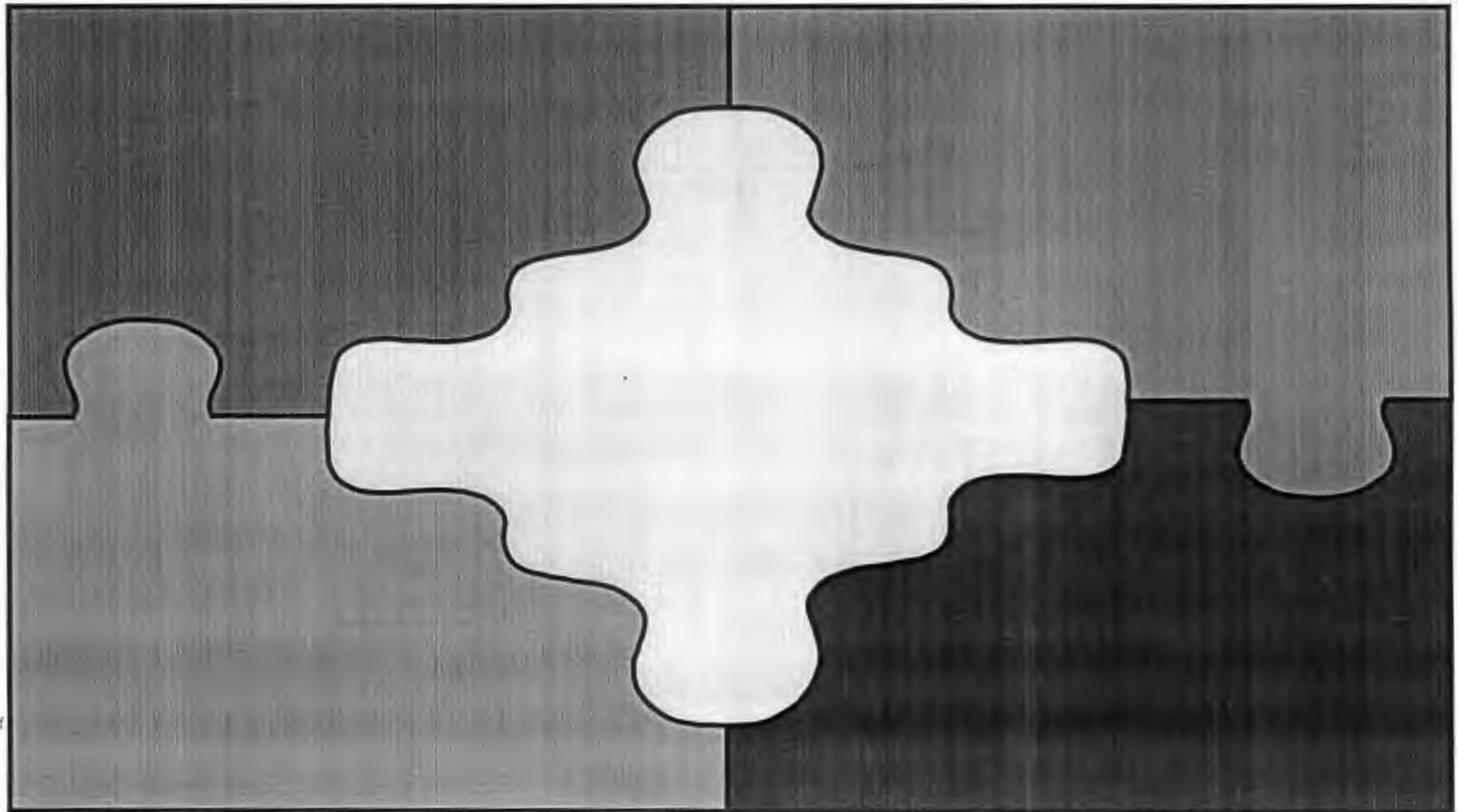
- *Develop and evaluate remedial alternatives*



Superfund Remediation Process

- *Record of Decision (ROD)*
 - *Final remedy decision agreed upon by regulated and regulating agencies*
- *Remedial Design (RD)*
 - *Development of actual design of the selected remedy*
- *Remedial Action (RA)*
 - *Implementation of the remedy*

Risk Assessment Process



Risk Assessment Process

- *Data Collection*
- *Data Evaluation*
- *Exposure Assessment*
- *Toxicity Assessment*
- *Risk Characterization*

Data Collection

- *Collect Existing Information*
- *Address Modeling Needs*
- *Collect Background Data*
- *Conduct Preliminary Exposure Assessment*
- *Devise Strategy for Sample Collection*
- *Identify Special Analytical Needs*
- *Examine QA/QC Measures*

Data Collection

■ *Data Needed for Risk Assessment*

- *Contaminant Identities*
- *Contaminant Concentrations*
- *Characteristics of Source*
- *Characteristics of Environmental Setting*
 - *As they may affect fate, transport and persistence*

Data Collection

- *Based on review of existing information, develop a conceptual site model*
 - *Sources*
 - *Pathways*
 - *Receptors*

Data Collection

■ *Background*

- *Naturally occurring - Ambient concentrations of chemicals present in the environment that have not been influenced by humans*
- *Anthropogenic - Concentrations of chemicals that are present in the environment due to human made non-site sources*

Data Collection

- *Preliminary Identification of Potential Human Exposure*
 - *Media of Concern*
 - *Areas of Concern*
 - *Types of Chemicals*
 - *Routes of Transport*

Data Collection

Media - Soil

- *Heterogeneous Nature of Soil*
- *Designation of Hot Spots*
- *Depth of Samples*
- *Fate and Transport Properties*
- *“Exposure” Properties*

Data Collection

Media - Ground Water

- *Hydrogeologic Properties*
- *Well Location*
- *Well Depth*
- *Filtered Vs. Unfiltered Samples*
- *“Exposure” Properties*

Data Collection

Media - Surface Water and Sediment

- *Lotic Waters*
- *Lentic Waters*
- *Estuaries*
- *Sediments*
- *“Exposure” Properties*

Data Collection

Media - Air

- *Time and Space*
- *Emission Sources*
- *Meteorological Conditions*
- *Modeling Considerations*
- *“Exposure” Properties*

Data Collection

Media ~ Biota

- *Area Specific Food Preferences*
- *Usability*
- *Whole vs. Portion*
- *Time*

Data Evaluation

- *Combine Available SI Data*
- *Evaluate Analytical Methods*
- *Evaluate Quantitation Limits*
- *Evaluate Qualified and Coded Data*
- *Evaluate Blanks*
- *Evaluate Tentatively Identified Compounds*
- *Compare Site Data with Background*
- *Identify Chemicals of Potential Concern*

Data Evaluation

- *Comparison of Blanks with Sample Data*
 - *Containing Common Laboratory Contaminants*
 - *Methyl ethyl ketone*
 - *Methylene Chloride*
 - *Toluene*
 - *Pthalate esters*
 - *Containing Other Contaminants*

Data Evaluation

- *Comparison of Samples with Background*
 - *Use appropriate background data*
 - *Identify statistical methods - statistical significance*
 - *compare concentrations with naturally occurring levels*
 - *compare chemical concentrations with anthropogenic levels*

Data Evaluation

- *Identify Chemicals of Potential Concern*
 - *Positively detected in at least one sample with adequate QA/QC*
 - *Detected at levels significantly elevated above naturally occurring levels*
 - *Tentatively identified, but associated with the site based on historical information*
 - *Transformation or breakdown products of chemicals known to be present*

Exposure Assessment

- *Characterize the Physical Setting*
- *Identify Potentially Exposed Populations*
- *Identify Potential Exposure Pathways*
- *Estimate Exposure Concentrations*
- *Estimate Chemical Intakes*

Exposure Assessment

Step 1

■ *Characterize the Physical Setting*

- *Climate*
- *Meteorology*
- *Geologic Setting*
- *Vegetation*
- *Soil Type*
- *Ground Water Hydrology*
- *Location and Description of Surface Water*

Exposure Assessment

Step 2

■ *Characterize Potentially Exposed Populations*

- *Determine location of current populations relative to the site*
- *Determine current land use*
- *Determine future land use*
- *Identify subpopulations of potential concern*

Exposure Assessment

Step 3

■ *Identify Potential Exposure Pathways*

- *Identify sources and receiving media*
- *Evaluate fate and transport in release media*
- *Integrate information into exposure pathways*

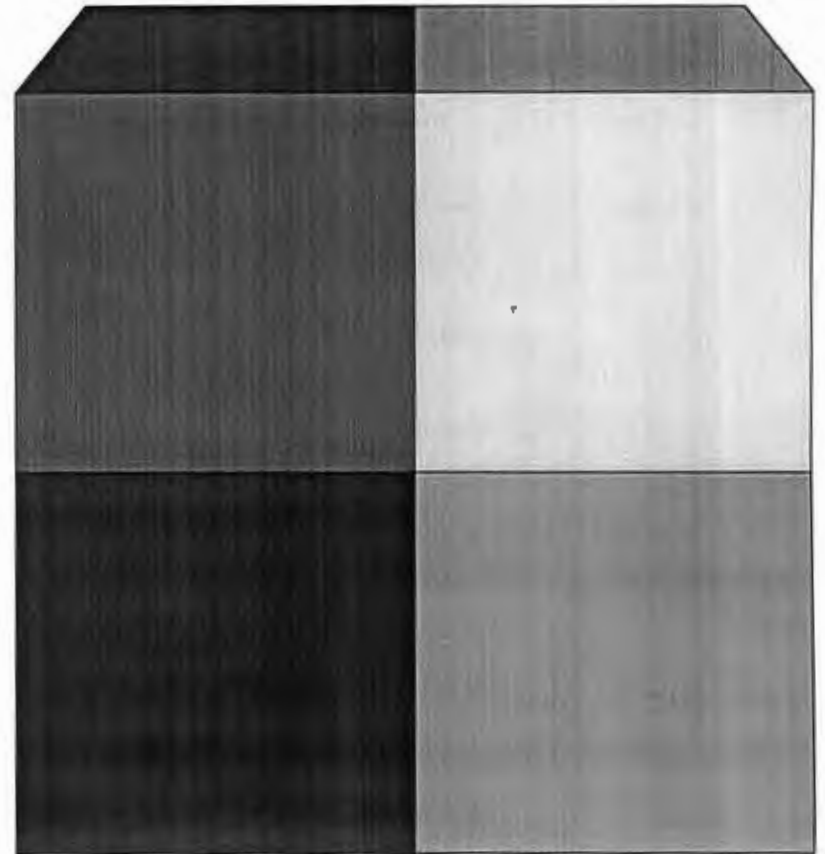


Exposure Assessment

*Reasonable
Maximum
Exposure*

Exposure Assessment

- *Estimation of Chemical Intakes*



Exposure Assessment

Step 4

- *Determination of Exposure Concentrations*
 - *Media specific*
 - *Statistically based*
 - *Direct use of monitoring data*
 - *Use of modeling data*

Toxicity Assessment

- *Gather Qualitative and Quantitative Toxicity Information for Substances being Evaluated*
- *Identify Exposure Periods for Which Toxicity Values are Necessary*
- *Determine Toxicity Values for Noncarcinogenic Effects*
- *Determine Toxicity Values for Carcinogenic Effects*

Toxicity Assessment

- *Gather Toxicity Information for Substances Being Evaluated*



Toxicity Assessment

■ *Sources of Toxicological Information*

- *Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS)*
- *Health Effects Summary Tables (HEAST)*
- *EPA Criteria Documents*
- *ATSDR Toxicological Profiles*
- *EPA Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office (ECAO)*
- *Open Literature*

Toxicity Assessment

- *Noncarcinogenic Toxicity Assessment*
 - *Uses Reference Dose (RfD)*
 - *mg/kg-day*

Toxicity Assessment

- *Carcinogenic Toxicity Assessment*
 - *Uses Slope Factors*
 - *Based on one-hit linear dose response*
 - $(\text{mg}/\text{kg}\cdot\text{day})^{-1}$

Toxicity Assessment

- *Carcinogenicity Weight of Evidence (EPA)*
 - *A - Known human carcinogen*
 - *B - Probable human carcinogen*
 - *B1 - Limited human data available*
 - *B2 - Sufficient animal data, inadequate or no evidence in humans*
 - *C - Possible human carcinogen*
 - *D - Not classifiable*
 - *E - Evidence of noncarcinogenicity in humans*

Risk Characterization

- *Review Outputs from Toxicity and Exposure Assessments*
- *Quantify Risks from Individual Chemicals*
- *Quantify Risks from Multiple Chemicals*
- *Combine Risk Across Exposure Pathways*
- *Assess and Present Uncertainty*
- *Consider Site-Specific Human Studies*

Risk Characterization

- *Review Outputs from Toxicity and Exposure Assessments*



Risk Characterization

■ *Calculate Risks from Individual Chemicals*

- *Carcinogenic Risk*

- *Intake X Toxicity = Risk*

- *Risk expressed as probability in hypothetically exposed population*

- *Noncarcinogenic Risk*

- *Intake/Toxicity = Hazard Quotient*

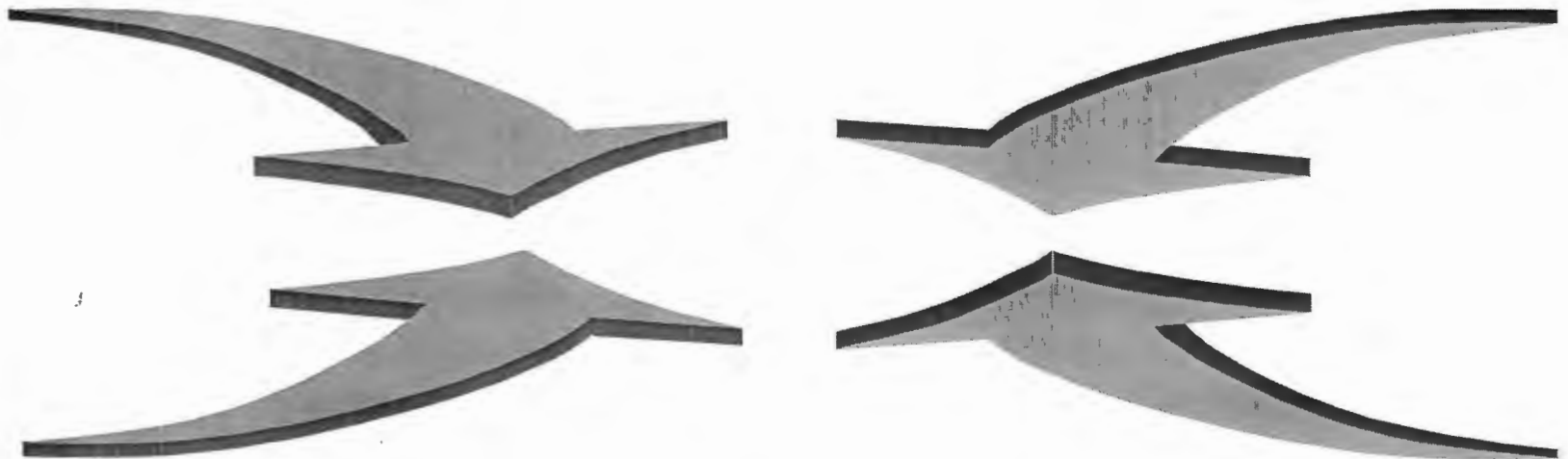
- *HQ > 1 indicates potential for adverse health effects (noncarcinogenic)*

Risk Characterization

- *Quantify Risks from Multiple Chemicals*
 - *Carcinogenic Risk ~~~> Summation of risk for all chemicals*
 - *Noncarcinogenic Risk ~~~> Summation of HQs to determine Hazard Index*

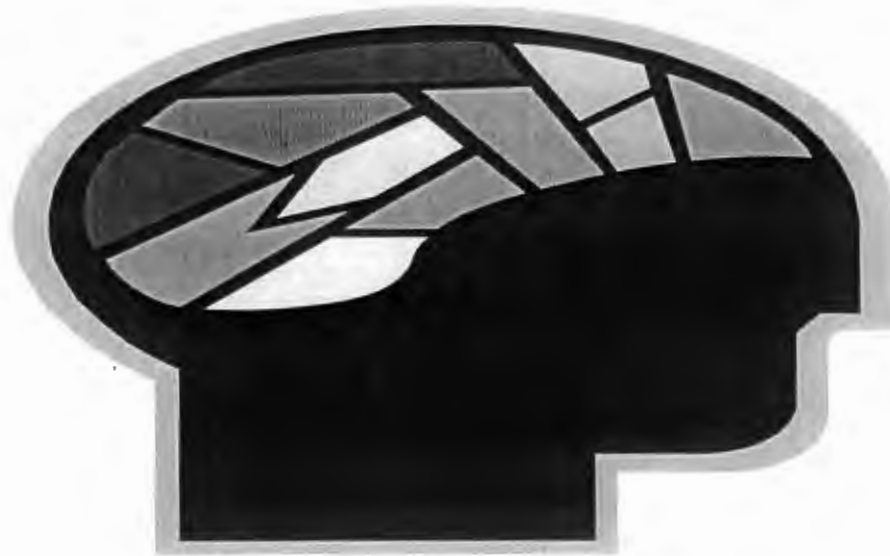
Risk Characterization

- *Combine Risks Across Exposure Pathway*
 - *Summation for both carcinogenic and noncarcinogenic effects in the same manner as for multiple chemicals*



Risk Characterization

- *Assess and Present Uncertainty*
 - *Lack of data and/or scientific certainty necessitates use of assumptions*



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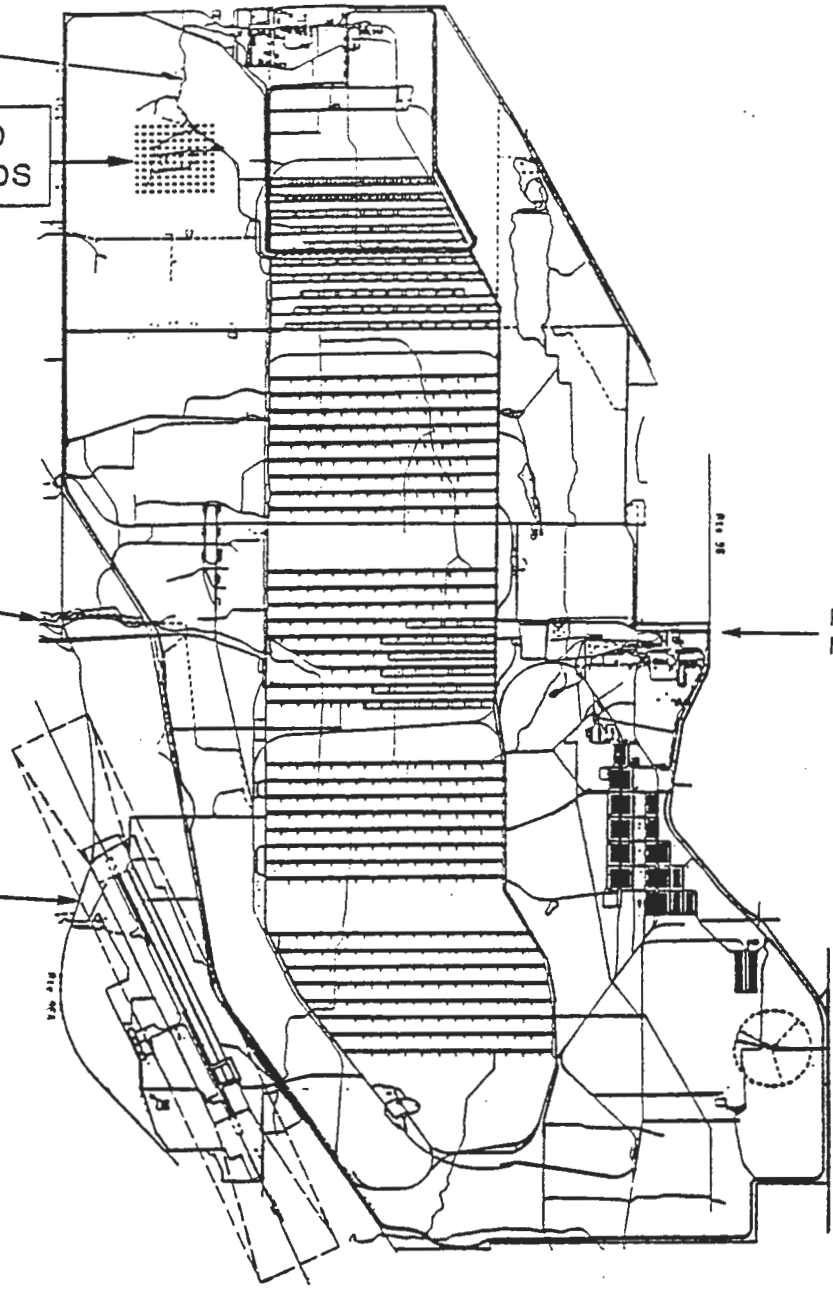
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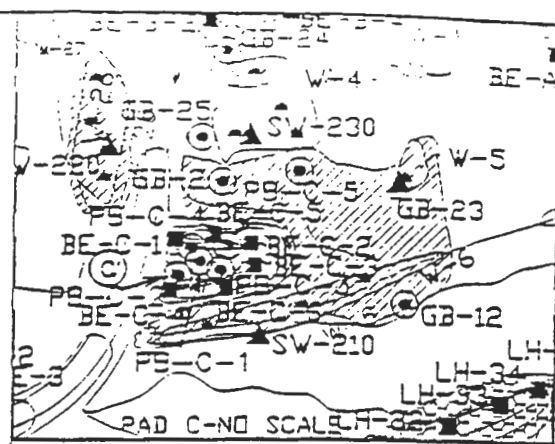
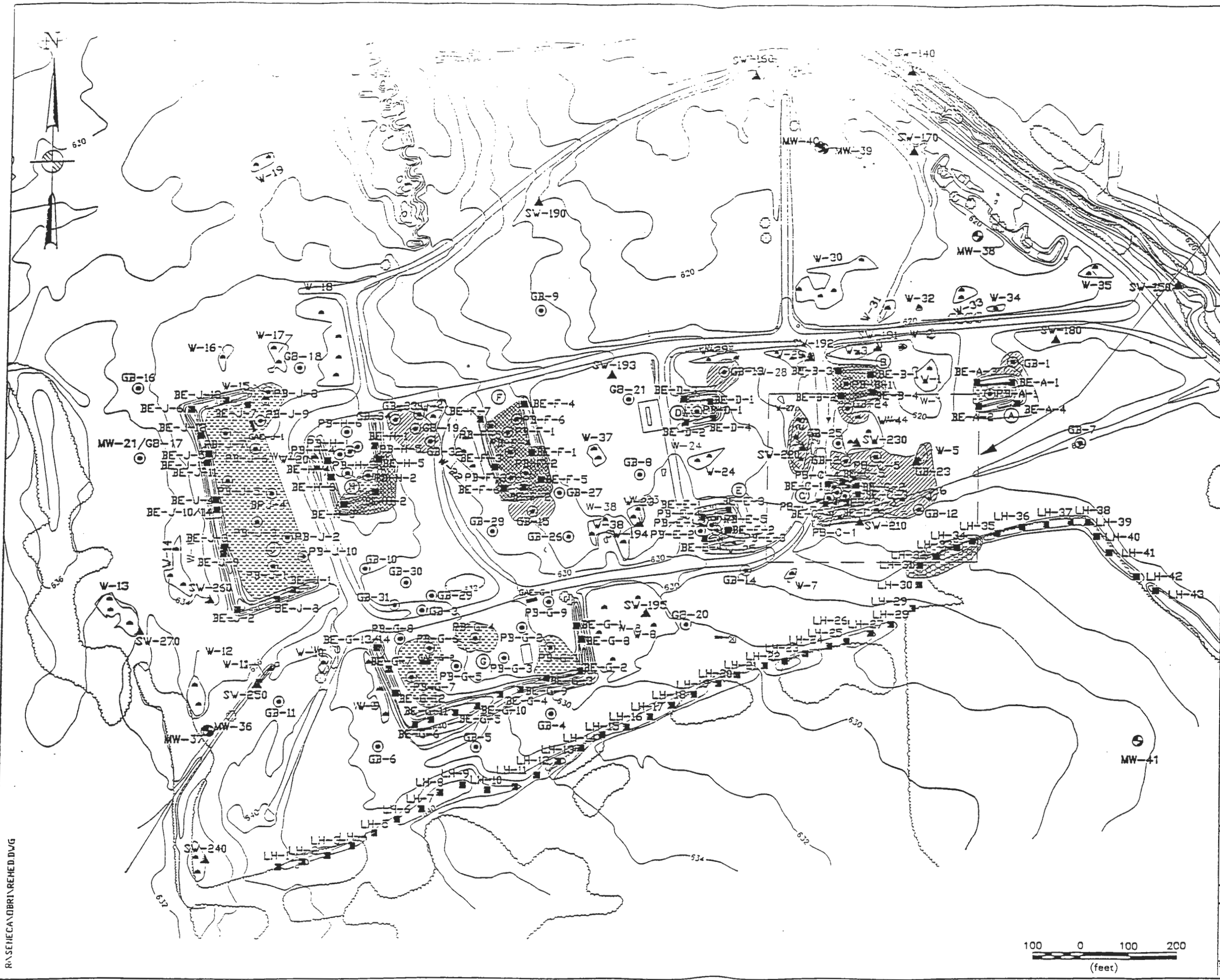
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FIGURE 1-2

SENECA ARMY DEPOT MAP

SCALE 1" = 5000' (APPROXIMATE)

SOURCE: Seneca Army Depot



- LEGEND:**
- BURNING PAD DESIGNATION
 - BERM EXCAVATION & DESIGNATION
 - PAD OR GRID BORING DESIGNATION
 - GEOPHYSICAL ANOMALY EXCAVATION & DESIGNATION
 - GROUND CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
 - WETLAND & DESIGNATION
 - MONITORING WELL & DESIGNATION
 - UTILITY POLE
 - TREE
 - BRUSH
 - SURFACE WATER/SEDIMENT SAMPLE & DESIGNATION
 - CASE 1
 - CASE 2
AREAS TO BE REMEDIATED IN REEDER CREEK NOT SHOWN
 - CASE 3
 - CASE 4
 - CASE 5

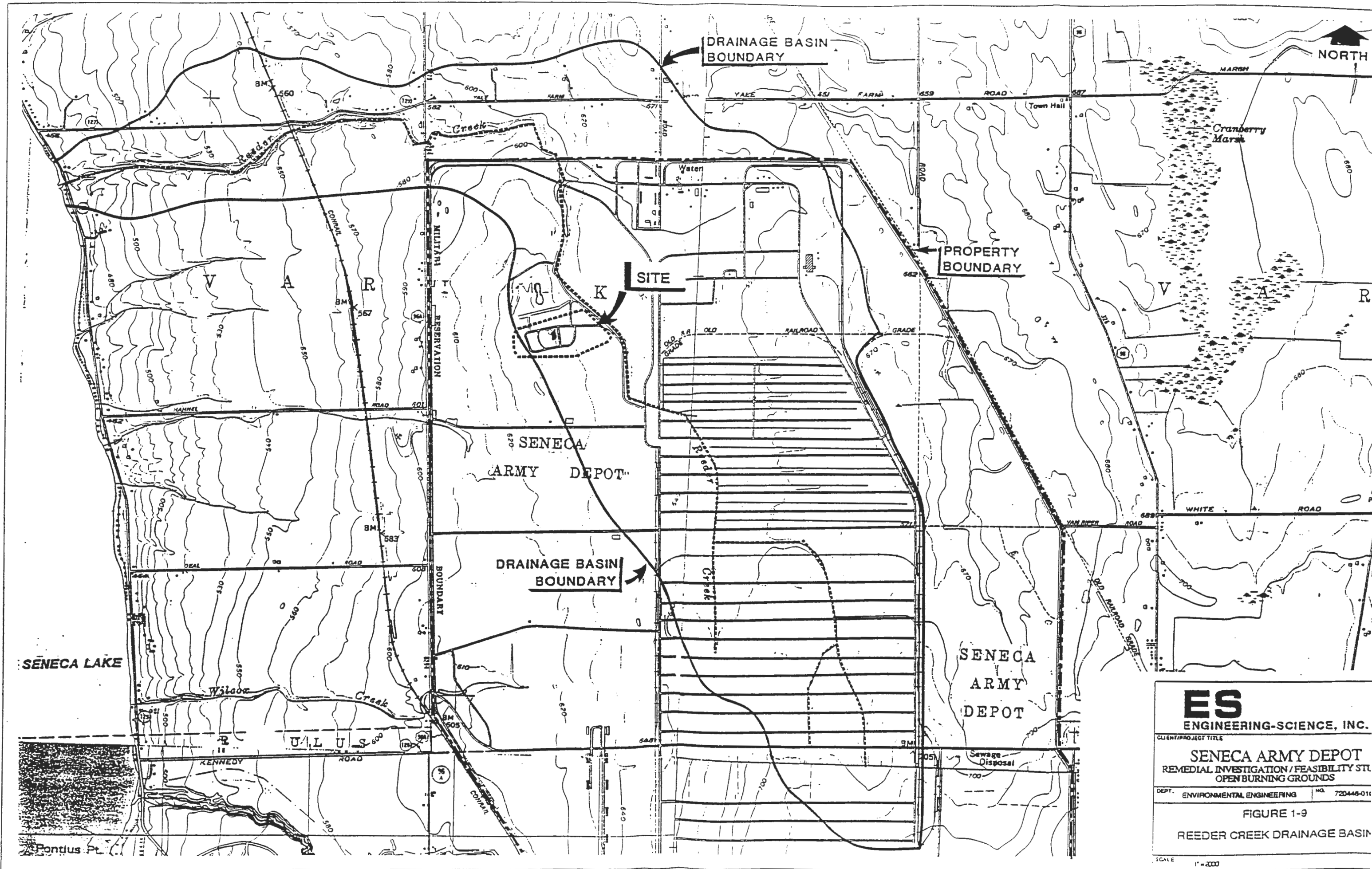
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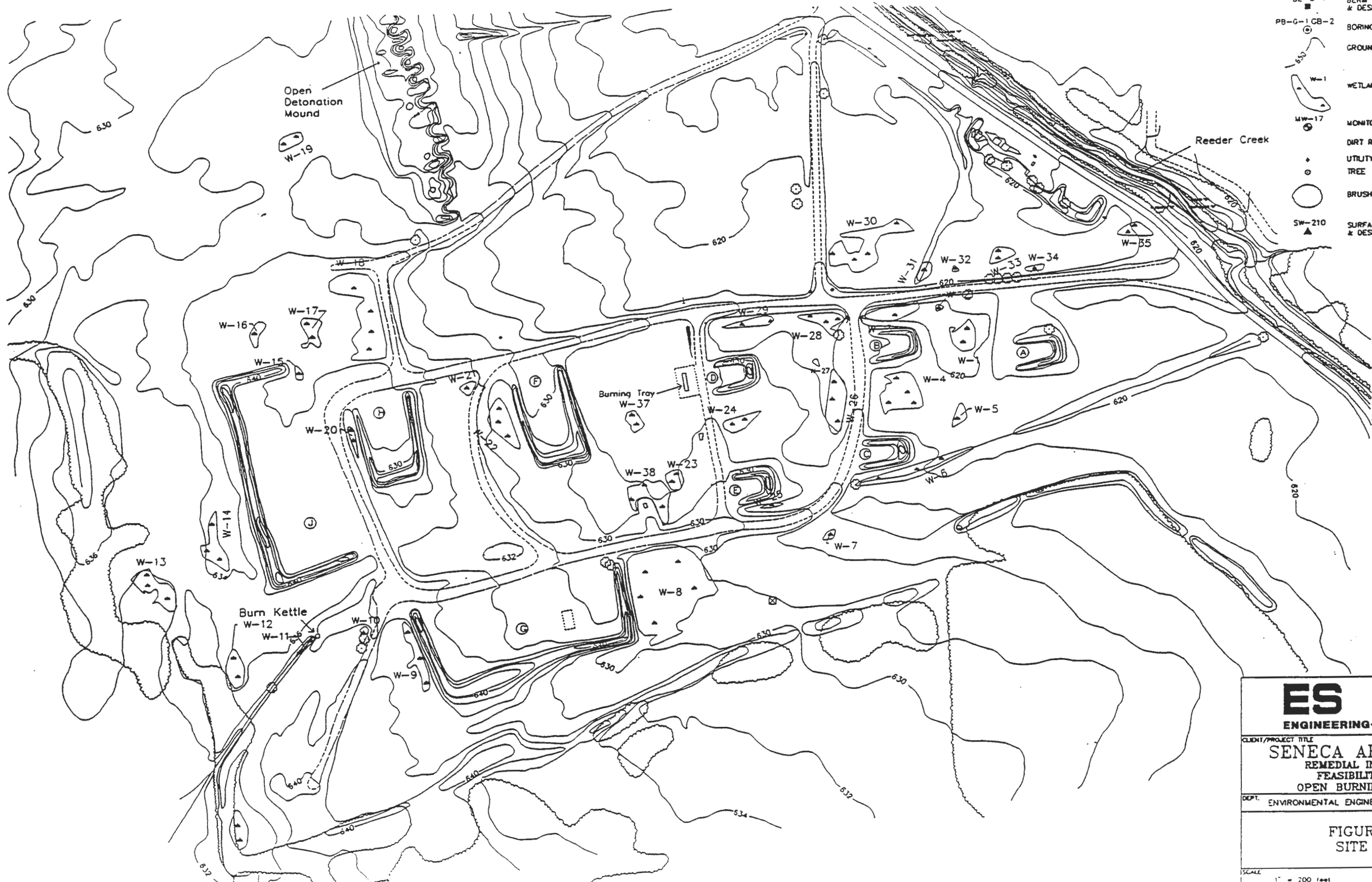
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**FIGURE 2-2
 LOCATION OF SOIL TO BE
 REMEDIATED
 (GREATER THAN 500mg/kg LEAD)**

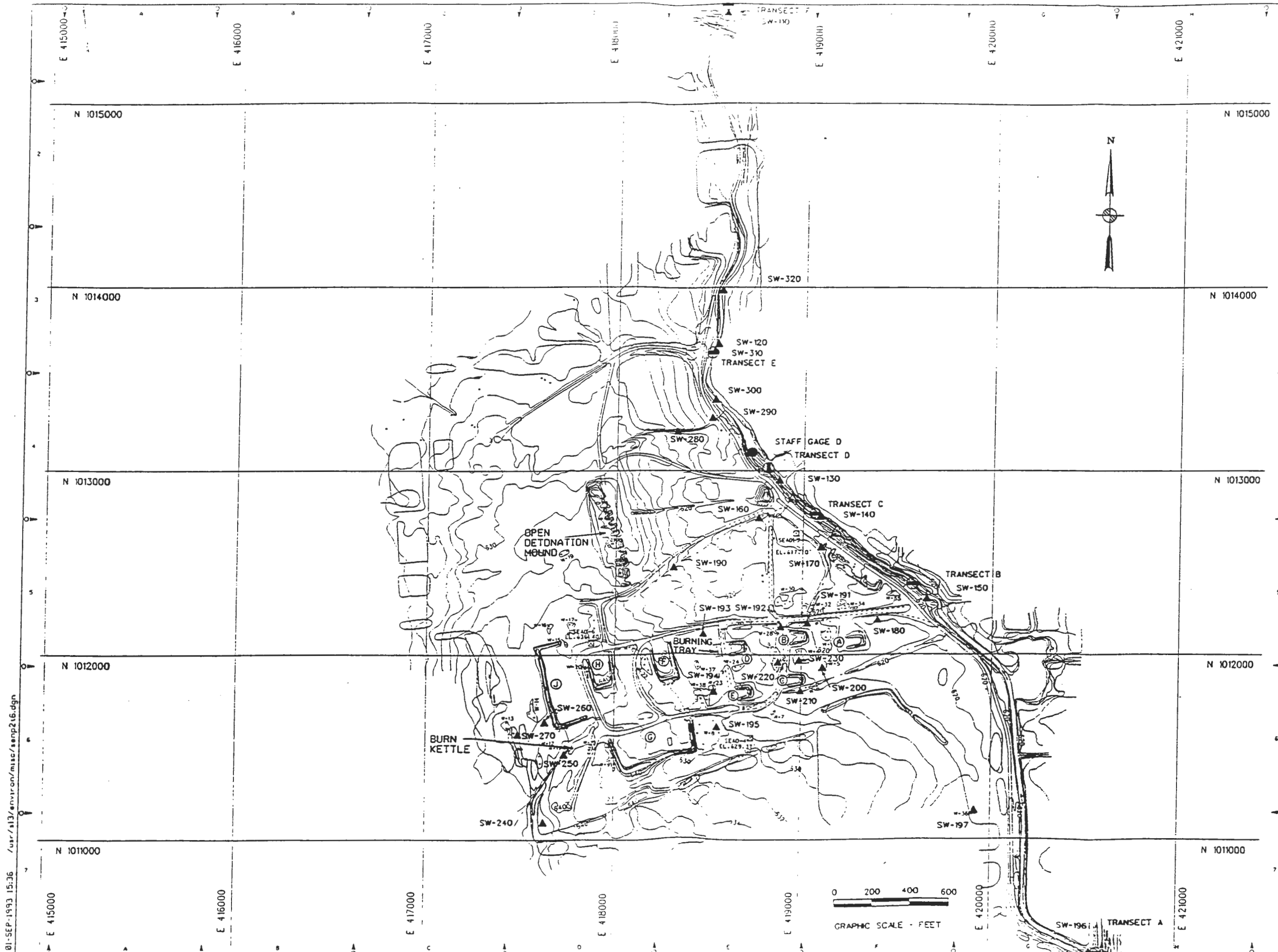
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- LEGEND:
- ⊙ BURNING PAD DESIGNATION
 - BE-G-1 BERM EXCAVATION & DESIGNATION
 - BERM EXCAVATION & DESIGNATION
 - PB-G-1 GB-2 BORING & DESIGNATION
 - ⊕ GROUND CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
 - W-1 WETLAND & DESIGNATION
 - MW-17 MONITORING WELL & DESIGNATION
 - DIRT ROAD
 - UTILITY POLE
 - TREE
 - BRUSH
 - SW-210 SURFACE WATER/SEDIMENT SAMPLE & DESIGNATION

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FIGURE 2-1 SITE PLAN	
SCALE 1" = 200 feet	



- LEGEND:**
- PAVED ROAD
 - DIRT ROAD
 - GROUND CONTOUR
 - UTILITY POLE
 - TREE
 - BRUSH
 - WETLAND & DESIGNATION
 - RUNOFF SWALE
 - BURNING PAD DESIGN
 - CULVERT
 - MONUMENT AND DESIGNATION
 - SEAD-4
EL. 629.37'
 - SURFACE WATER/SEDIMENT & DESIGNATION
 - TRANSECT & STAFF GAGE
 - TRANSECT
 - STAFF GAGE

REV	DATE	DESCRIPTION

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DESIGN SUPV.	G.A. KAEHL	RESP. TRK.	M. DUCHESNEAU
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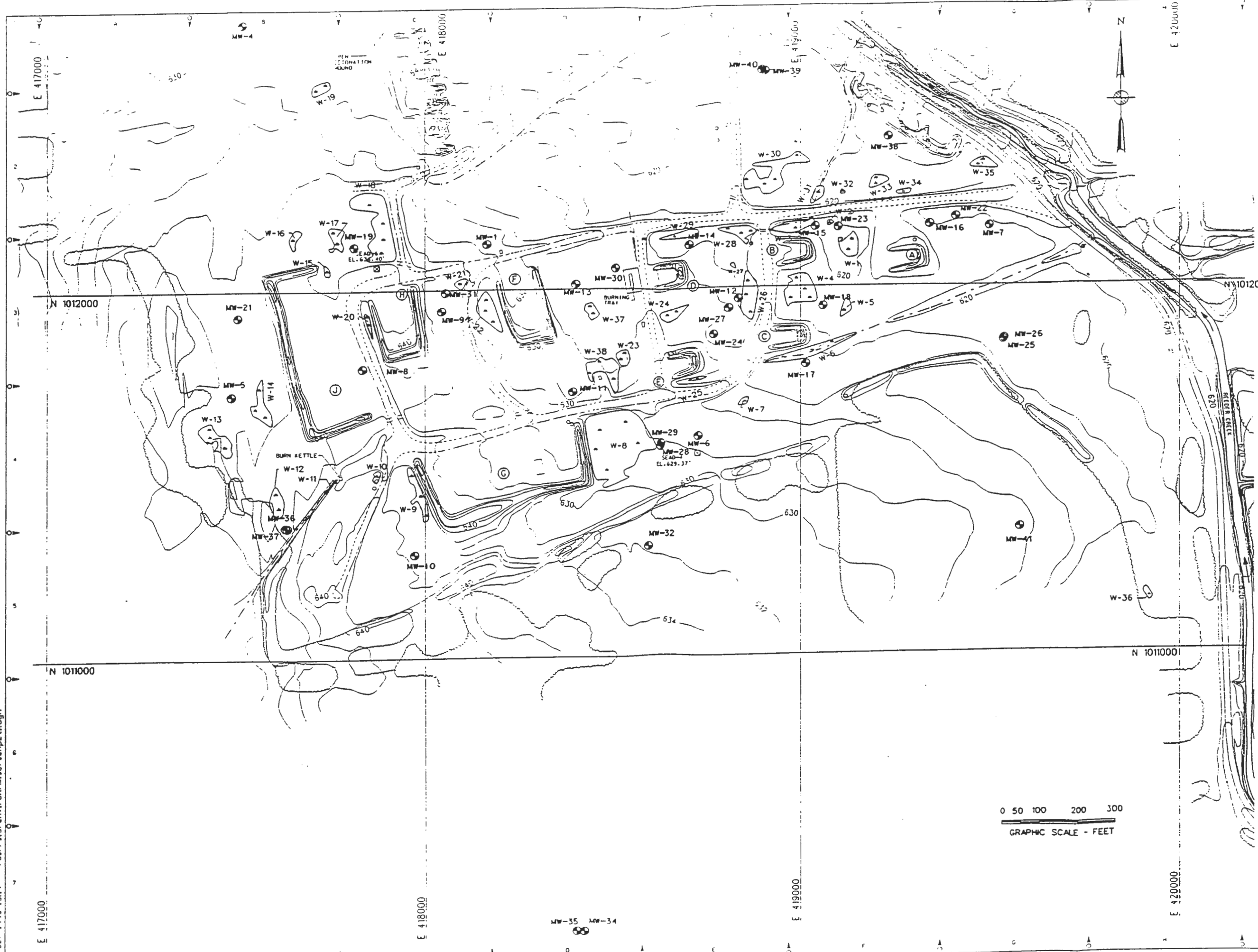
FIGURE 2-4
LOCATION OF SURFACE WATER
AND SEDIMENT SAMPLING
POINTS AND TRANSECTS

SCALE 1"=500'

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LEGEND

- MONITORING WELL & DESIGNATION
- PAVED ROAD
- DIRT ROAD
- GROUND CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
- UTILITY POLE
- TREE
- BRUSH
- WETLAND & DESIGNATION
- RUNOFF SWALE
- BURNING PAD DESIGNATION
- CULVERT
- MONUMENT AND DESIGNATION

SEAD-4
EL. 629.37'

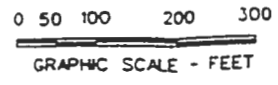
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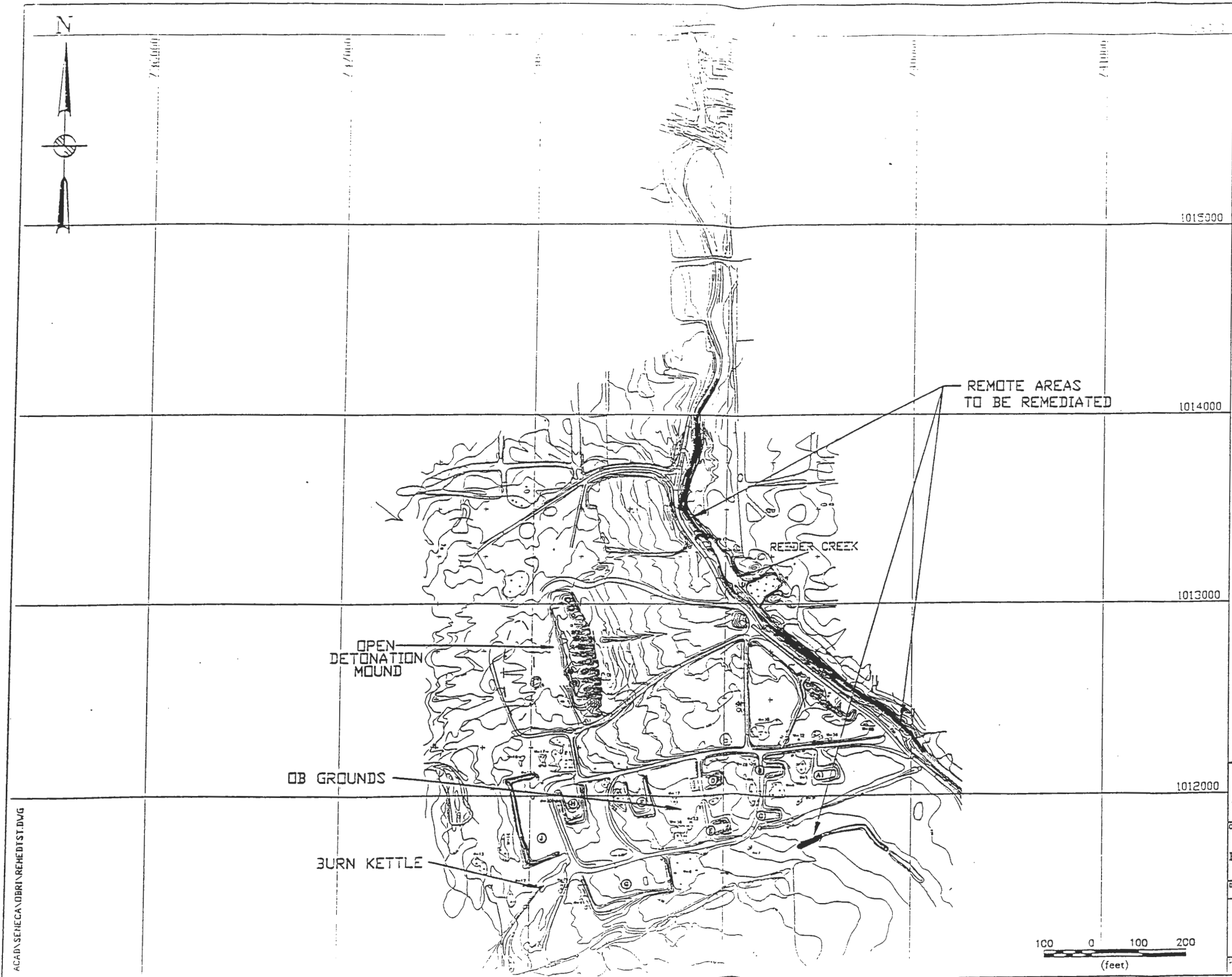
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FIGURE 2-8
LOCATION OF
MONITORING WELLS

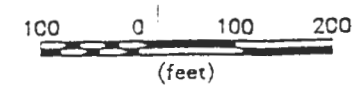


SCALE 1" = 250'
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- LEGEND:
- BURNING PAD DESIGNATION
 - GROUND CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
 - WETLAND
 - UTILITY POLE
 - TREE
 - BRUSH
 - CASE 2

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FIGURE 2-1	
LOCATION OF SOIL & SEDIMENT TO BE REMEDIED AT REMOTE AREAS	
Scale: 1" = 500'	Date: MARCH 1998

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1. Attendance:

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Carla Struble, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Kamal Gupta, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
Dan Geraghty, NYS Department of Health

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Randy Battaglia, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, SEDA Resident Office
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Keith Hoddinott, U.S. Army Environmental Center for Health Promotion and
Preventive Medicine
Jim Ridenour, NYS Department of Health
Robert Scott, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
Mark Maddaloni, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region II
Bruce Nelson, Malcolm Pirnie
Kevin Healy, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville District

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2. Stephen Absolom welcomed members and support staff to the September Restoration Advisory Board in the NCO Club, delivered opening remarks, outlined the evening's agenda, and asked for introductions.

3. Minutes from the June and August RAB meetings were then approved, signed, and accepted into record. The June minutes required a change to show Lucinda Sangree present.

4. Mike Duchesneau gave a presentation on the Fire Training Areas Remedial Investigation Status. The presentation covered the Fire Demonstration Pad used by firefighters to demonstrate their proficiency in fighting fires. Compounds were found to exceed EPA ranges in soil and groundwater at this site. The Fire Training Area was also explained as an area where firefighters practiced their skills in a variety of situations. Compounds detected there also exceeded EPA ranges in soils and subsurface soils. Possible remedial action alternatives were identified for soil and groundwater. Questions fielded during the presentation follow:

a. An inquiry was made as to whether compounds used for firefighting could be contributing to the contamination. Response was that it was possible, but there is little info on what was used at the site.

b. A question on how the site was constructed was asked. This response was in conjunction with the discussion of why the groundwater was mounding at the site.

c. A discussion took place on the reuse scenario and the impact on remediation efforts if the reuse was a continuation of the area for fire training. The discussion indicated some remediation may be required for hot spot removal, but that would have to be determined. It was stated that any new activity would be required to be performed in an environmentally friendly procedure that would involve some construction which might also require some remediation effort.

5. Keith Hoddinott then briefed the RAB on Risk Assessment for Environmental Sites. What was normally a 5-day class was successfully compressed into a 30-minute presentation to include objectives, Superfund Remediation Process, and Risk Assessment Process. Assessing risks in humans entailed data collection and evaluation, exposure assessment, toxicity assessment, and risk characterization. The following additional issues were discussed regarding this process:

a. When determining toxicity, the significance of 1 in 10,000 is a common number used. Assumptions used in risk assessments are widely accepted throughout the U.S., but not by the World Health Association.

b. A residential scenario was provided to lend perspective to the risk assessment process.

6. General discussion enumerated several topics for future meetings:

a. Ecological risk assessment as opposed to human risk assessment as was discussed during this meeting.

b. Feasibility Study process.

c. Treatment processes for remediation.

d. Radiological contamination--it's impact, extent, future impact, and findings.

e. A presentation by the Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) to include future uses of the depot as well as the correlation between the RAB and LRA's activities and their impacts.

f. Records of Decision.

g. National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and Environmental Impact Statement.

7. The next Restoration Advisory Board meeting will be held on October 15, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. at the SEDA NCO Club.

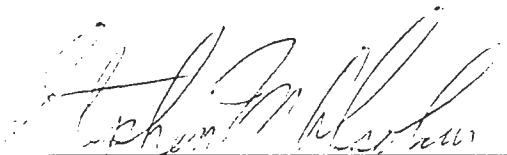
8. The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



SUSAN R. COOPER
Secretary

APPROVED AS SUBMITTED:



STEPHEN M. ABSOLOM
U.S. Army Co-Chair



RICHARD A. DURST
Community Co-Chair

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

October 15, 1996

- 7:00** **Welcome**
LTC Stephen W. Brooks
Commander, Seneca Army Depot Activity
- 7:05** **Acceptance of Minutes**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom/Dr. Dick Durst
Army Co-chair/Community Co-chair
- 7:15** **BRAC Cleanup Plan Update**
Mr. Richard J. Newill
Woodward-Clyde Federal Services
- 7:45** **Break**
- 8:00** **Radiological Sites Investigation Status**
Mr. Michael Duchesneau
Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
- 8:30** **Open Discussion**
- 9:00** **Adjourn**

Presentation to the RAB

October 15, 1996

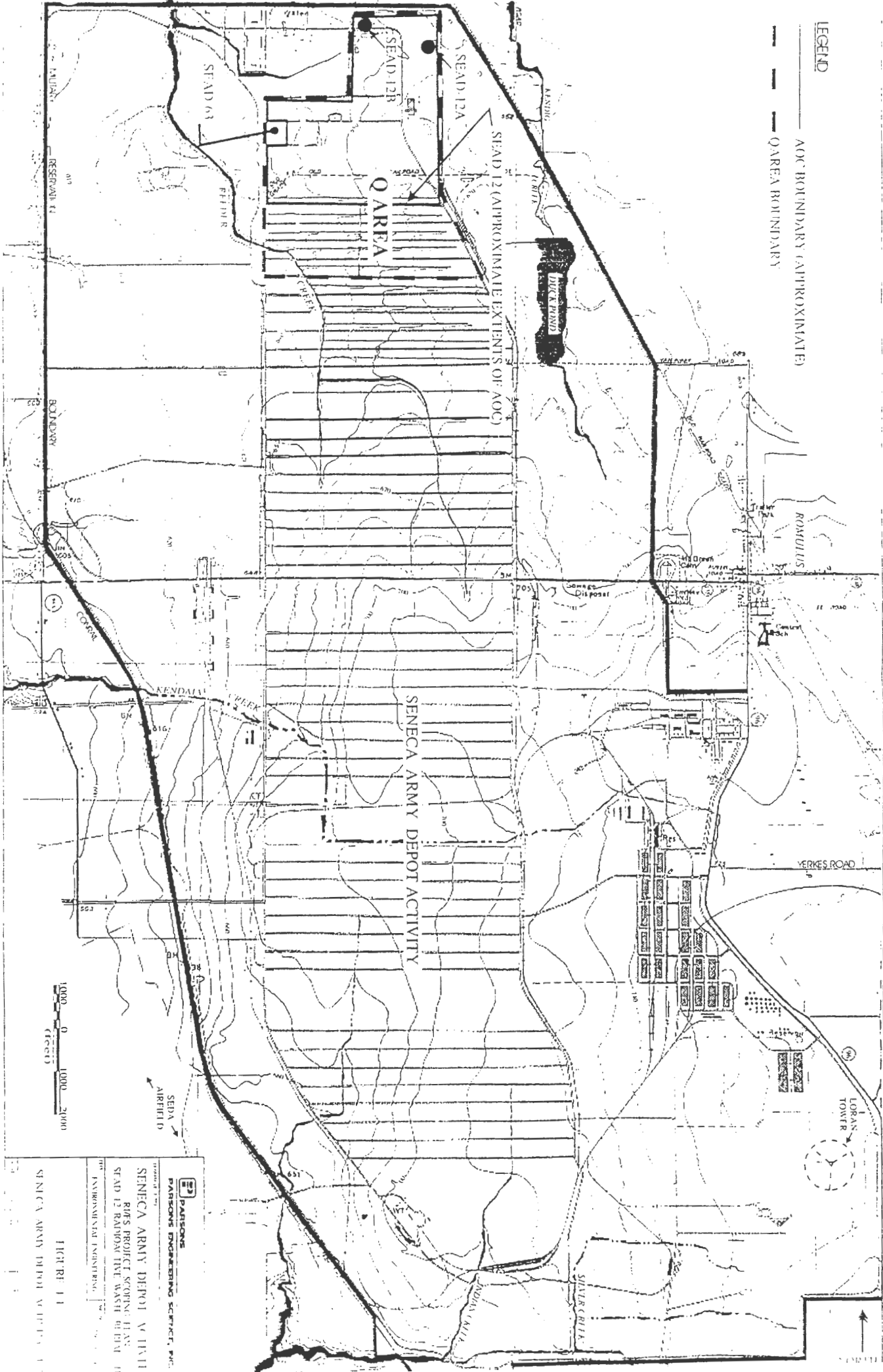
*Update on Site Status
at SEAD-12,*

Former Weapons Storage Area

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--- Q AREA BOUNDARY



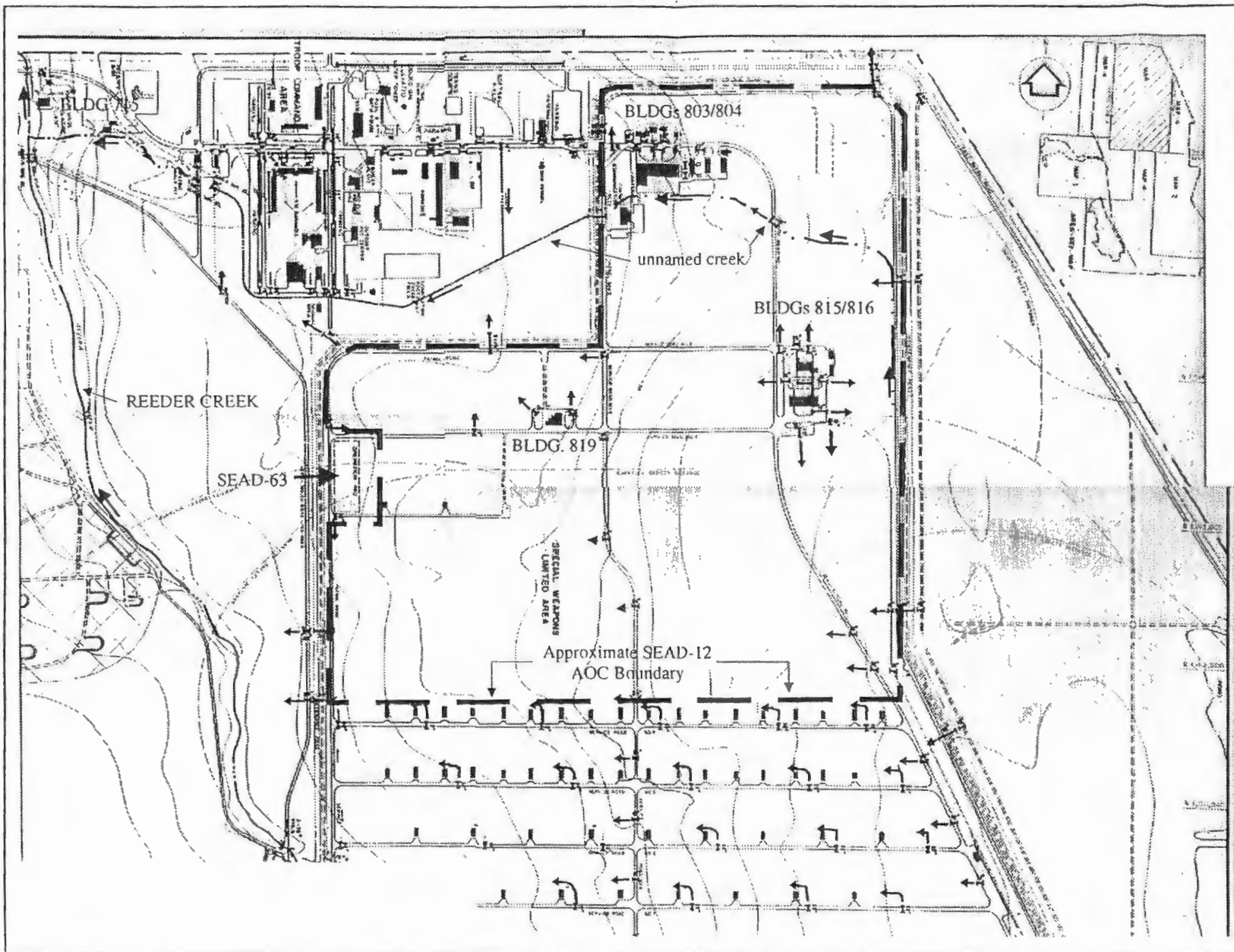
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RIFS PROJECT SCOPING PLAN
SEAD 12 (APPROXIMATE EXTENTS OF AOC)





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FIGURE 11

SENECA ARMY DEPOT W/HAH



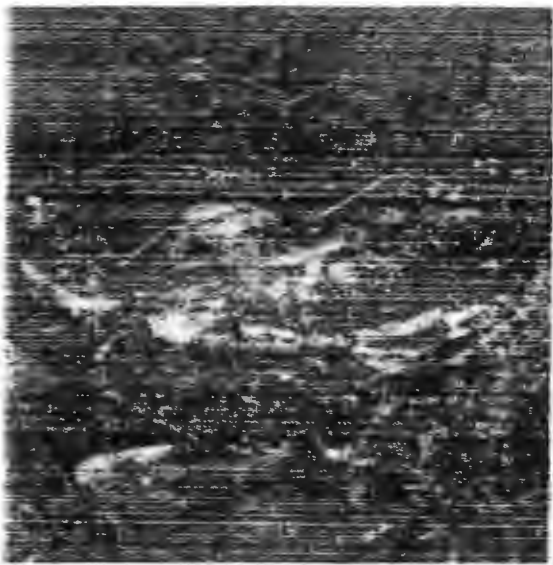
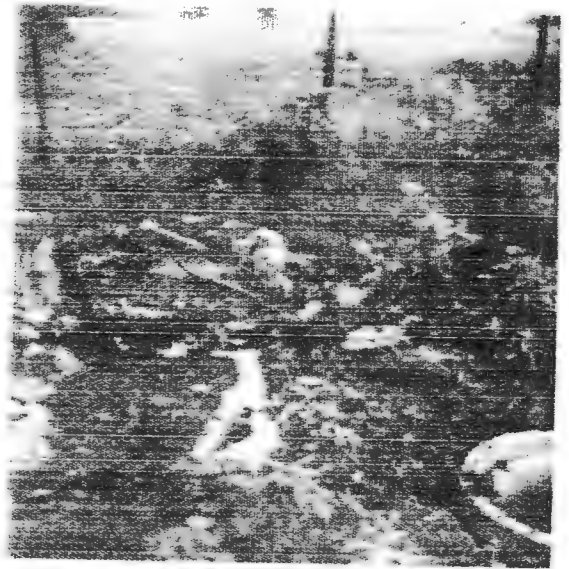
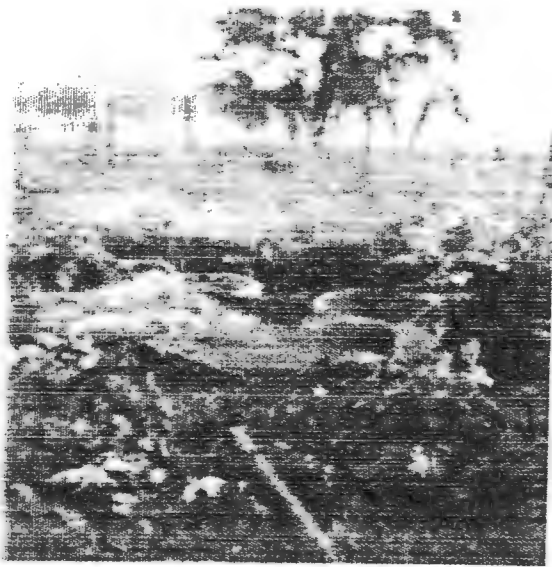
Legend:

-  Direction of surface water flow
-  Culvert
-  AOC boundary (approximate)
-  SEDA railroad

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FIGURE 3-10 SURFACE WATER FLOW DIRECTION FOR SEAD-12	
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Site Status at SEAD-12

- ✓ Originally Split into Two Sites, SEAD-12A and SEAD-12B
- ✓ SEAD-12A : Area of the Former Waste Burial Disposal Pits
- ✓ SEAD-12B : Area of Dry Waste Disposal Pit and Wastewater Storage Tank

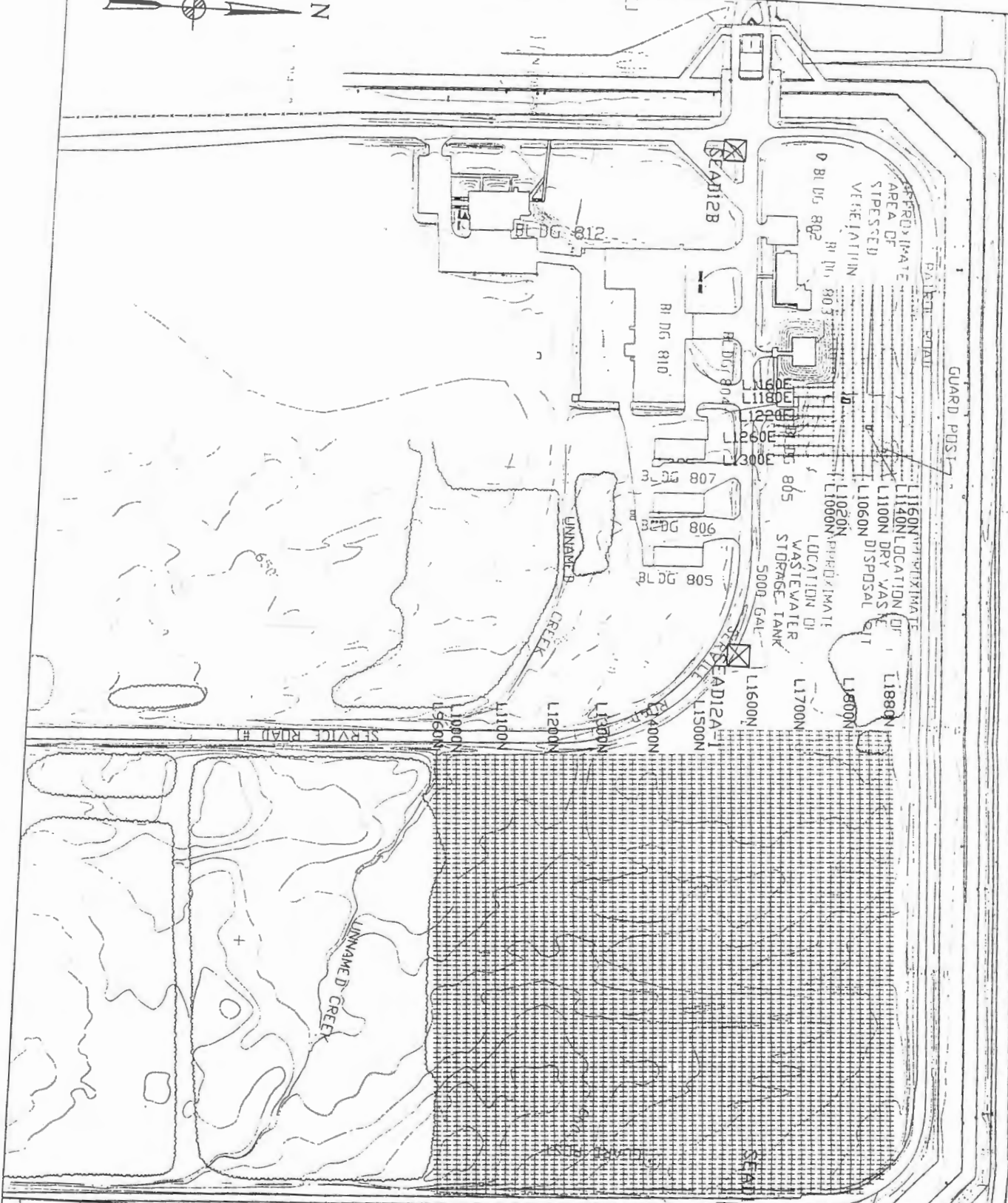


SEAID-12 Milestones

- ✓ Draft Report ESI Issued April, 1995
- ✓ Draft-Final ESI Issued Jan., 1996
- ✓ Army Recommended an RI
- ✓ Draft RI Workplan Issued Dec. 1995
- ✓ EPA Comments Recd. July, 1996
- ✓ NYSDEC Comments Recd. July, 1996

Site Status at SEAD-12

- ✓ Classified as an Area of Concern
- ✓ Finalization of Regulatory Comments in Progress
- ✓ Geophysical Survey Currently On-going



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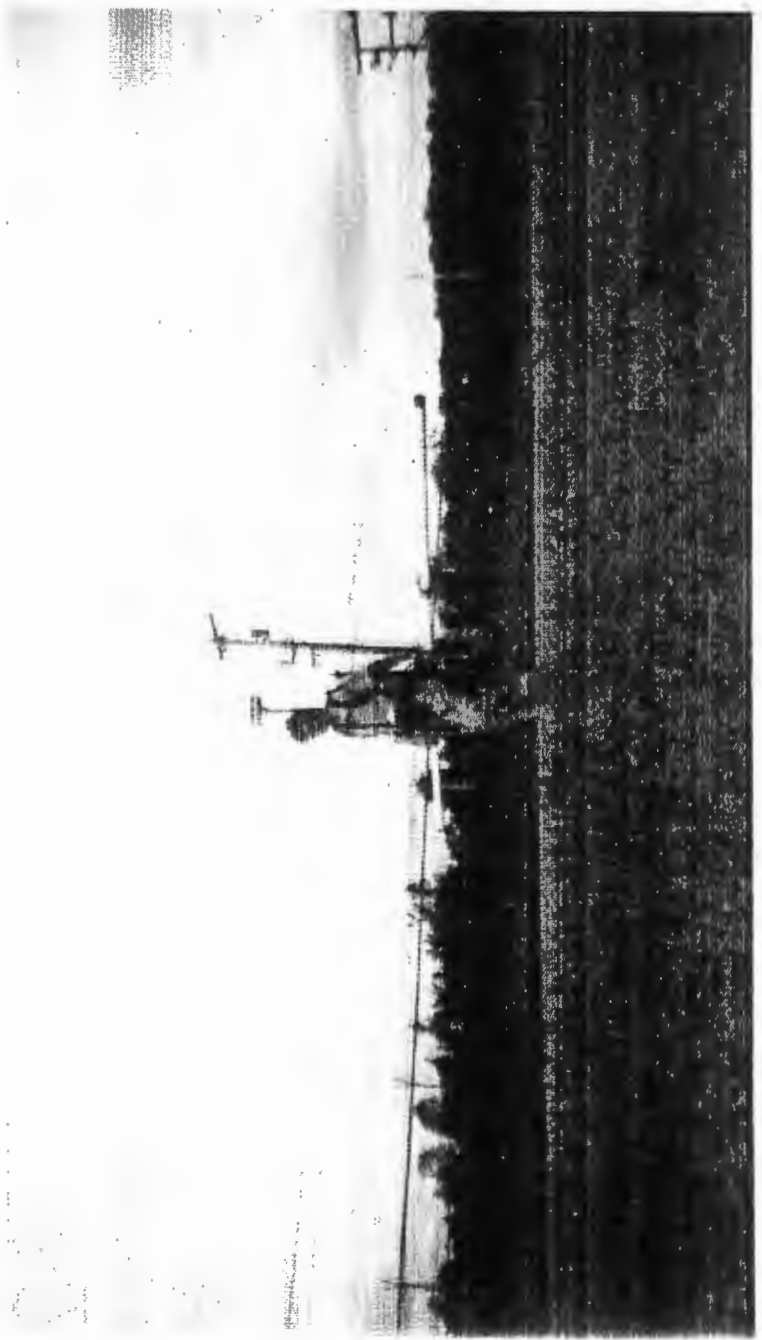
FIGURE 3-3
LOCATION OF EM 31
GEOPHYSICAL SURVEYS

1 AUGUST 1985

LEGEND

- MINOR WATERWAY
- MAJOR WATERWAY
- FENCE
- UNPAVED ROAD
- BRUSH LINE
- LANDFILL PERMIT
- ROADROAD
- GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTROL
- ROAD SIGN DECIDUOUS TREE
- GUIDE POST
- FIRE HYDRANT
- MANHOLE
- COORDINATE CRIP (2ND CRIP)
- POLE
- UTILITY BOX
- MAILBOX/IR SIGNAL
- OVERHEAD UTILITY
- SURVEY MONUMENT
- LI200E
- TRANSECT AND LINE NUMBER

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(feet)



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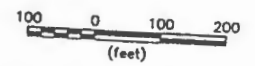


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- - - - - RAILROAD
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- ROAD SIGN
- DECIDUOUS TREE
- △ GUIDE POST
- ⊕ FIRE HYDRANT
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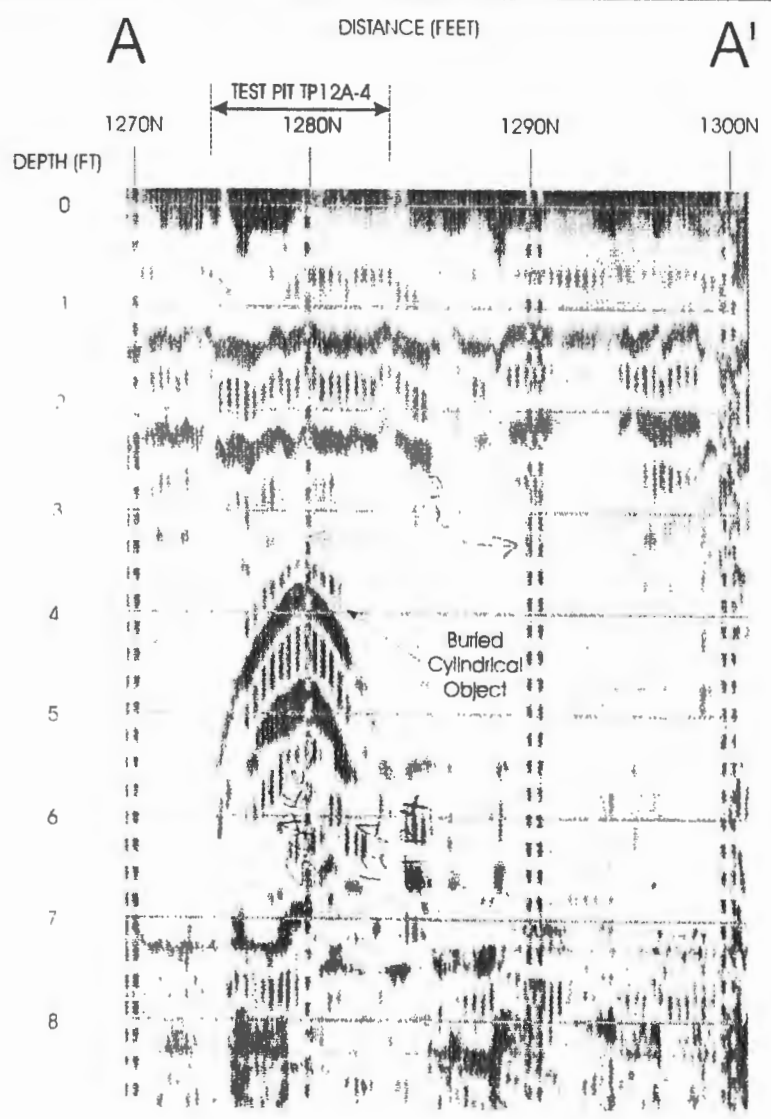
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- GPR TRANSECT
- A' — A GPR Record (shown in report)
- ▨ DISPOSAL PIT AREA DEFINED BY GPR AND EM-31
- ▨ AREA OF GPR ANOMALIES
- GPR ANOMALY HAVING A HYPERBOLIC TYPE SIGNATURE
- ZONE OF WEAK GPR SIGNAL RETURNS

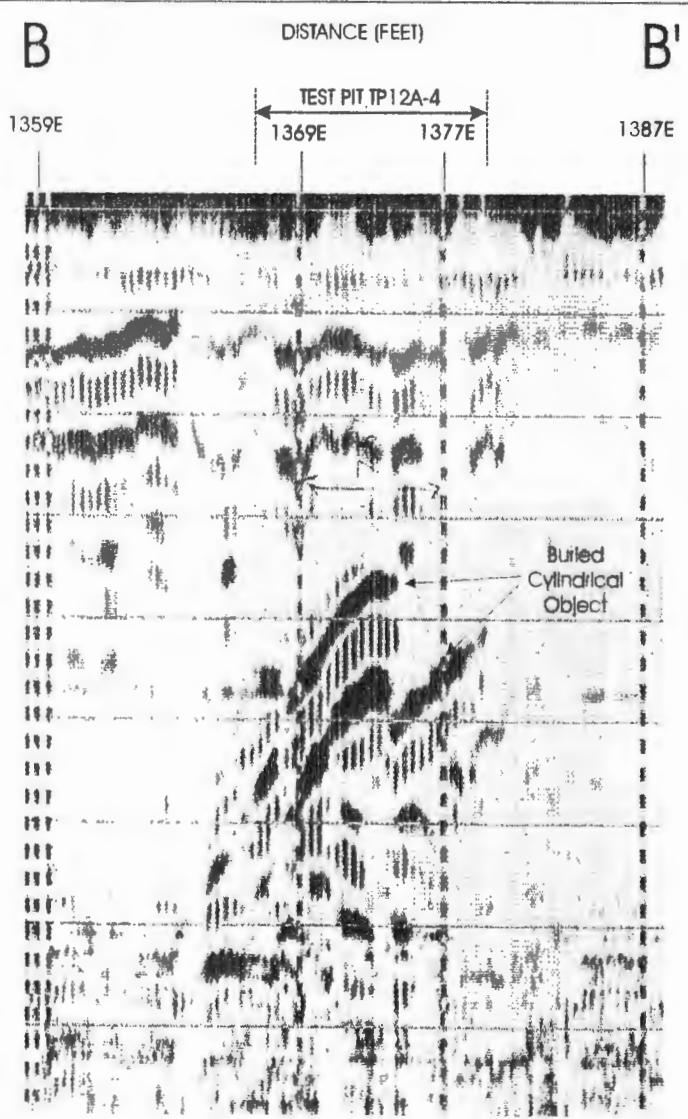


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FIGURE 3-8
LOCATION OF GPR SURVEYS
AND GPR ANOMALIES
 1" = 200' AUGUST 1995

Site maps / AARs / Conc Hist.



GPR Profile A-A', Perpendicular to Long Axis of Buried Cylindrical Objects

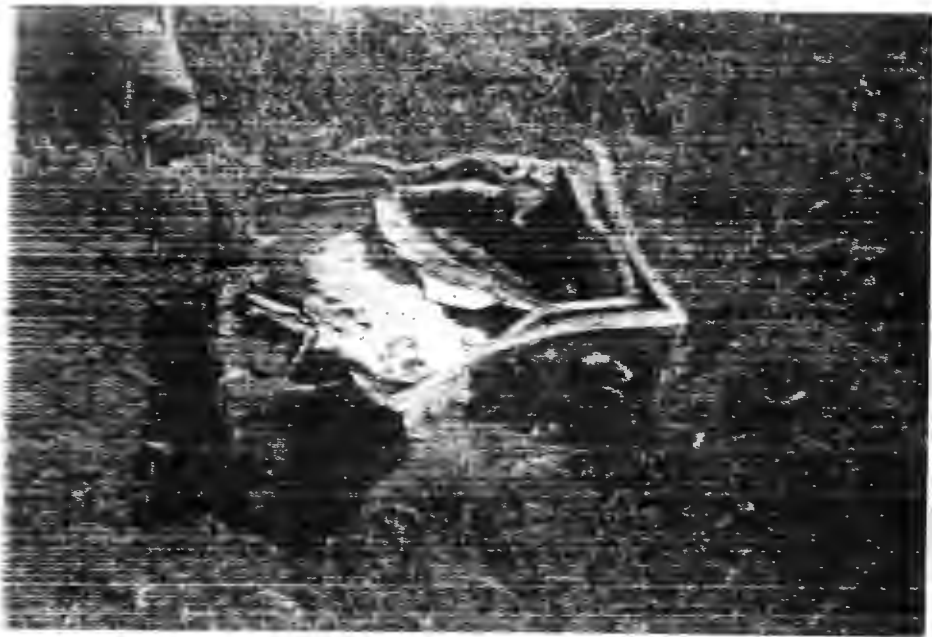


GPR Profile B-B', Parallel to Long Axis of Buried Cylindrical Objects.

	
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TITLE: GPR PROFILES A-A' AND B-B'	
DATE: 12/12/01	
DRAWN BY: [Name]	
CHECKED BY: [Name]	
FIGURE 3.9 SEAD 12 GPR PROFILES A-A' AND B-B'	

ESI Test Pitting Activities

- ✓ Eleven Test Pits Excavated at SEAD-12, (3 at SEAD-12A and 3 at SEAD-12B)
- ✓ TP-12A-1, TP-12A-2, TP-12A-3 and TP-12A-4 contained various unknown components
- ✓ Elevated radiological readings were obtained in 2 to 4 foot zone at TP-12A-1



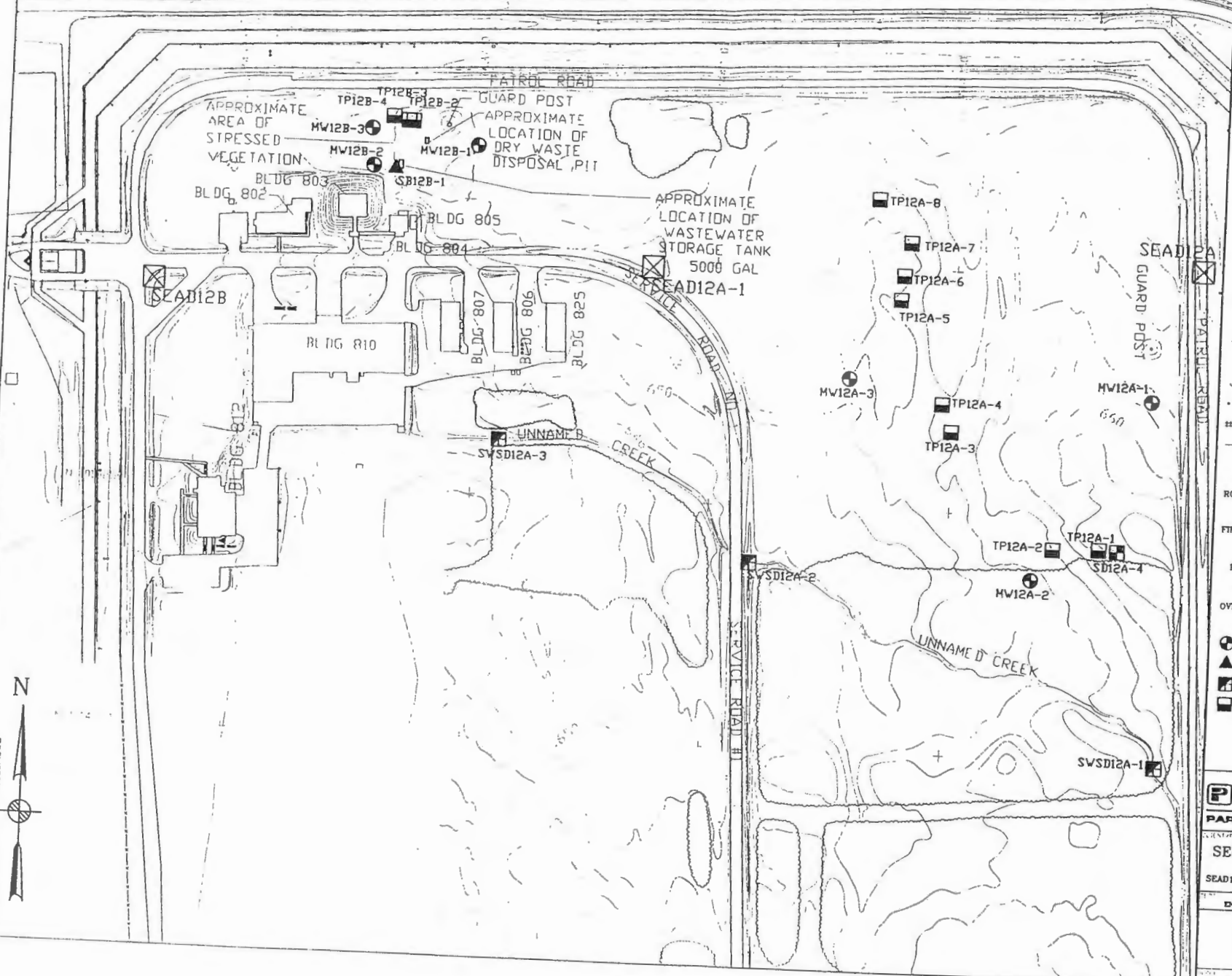
Soil Boring, Monitoring Wells and Surface Water/Sediment Sampling

- ✓ Seven Soil Borings Performed*
- ✓ Six Monitoring Wells installed, (3 at SEAD-12A and 3 at SEAD-12B)*
- ✓ Three Surface Water and Four Sediment Samples Collected*

Soil Sampling Results from ESI

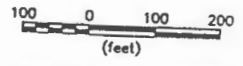
- ✓ Soil from TP-12A-1 at 2.5 feet contained Radium 226 at 8.6 pCi/g (Including Background ~1.5 pCi/g)
- ✓ Soil from TP-12A-1 at 3 feet contained Radium 226 at 24 pCi/g (Including Background ~1.5 pCi/g)
- ✓ Above the UMTFCA allowable value of 16.5 pCi/g for subsurface soils

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- ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ BRUSH LINE
- LANDFILL EXTENT
- ==== RAILROAD
- 760 --- GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION CONTOUR
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- ⊙ DECIDUOUS TREE
- △ GUIDE POST
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- ⊗ MANHOLE
- ⊕ COORDINATE GRID (250' GRID)
- POLE
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- OVERHEAD UTILITY POLE
- ⊗ SURVEY MONUMENT
- ⊕ EXISTING MONITORING WELL
- ▲ EXISTING SOIL BORING
- ⊕ EXISTING SURFACE WATER/SEDIMENT SAMPLE
- ⊕ EXISTING TEST PIT



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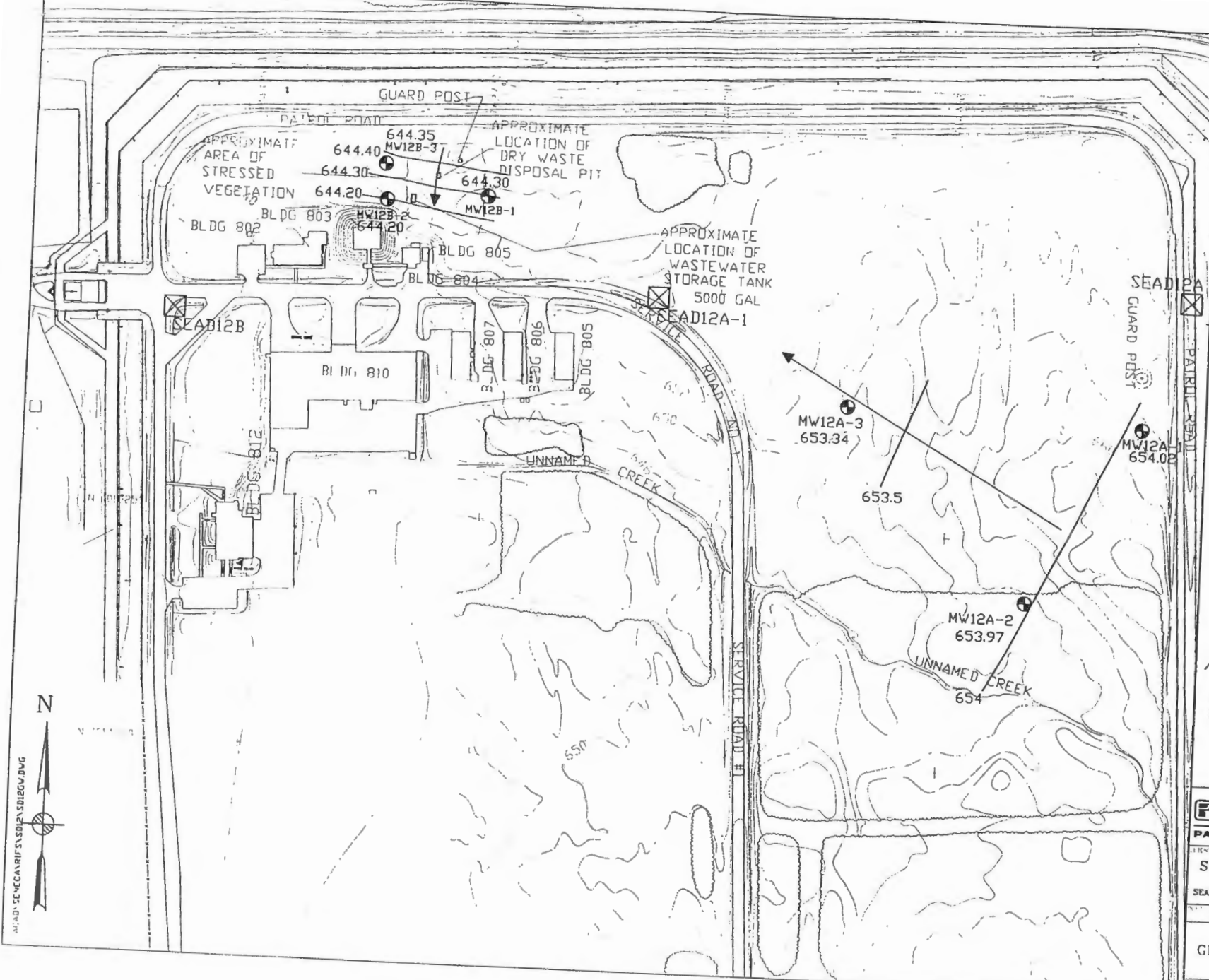
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FIGURE 3-1
LOCATION OF ESI
SAMPLING POINTS

ESI Groundwater Results

- ✓ Gross Alpha at MW-12A-1 was measured at 15 pCiL
- ✓ Gross Alpha at MW-12A-2 was measured at 38 pCiL
- ✓ NY Class GA Groundwater Standards for Gross Alpha is 15 pCiL

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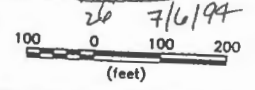
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LEGEND

- MW12A-1
654.02 MONITORING WELL WITH WATER TABLE ELEVATION
- 654
- GROUNDWATER ELEVATION CONTOUR (ARROW INDICATES DIRECTION OF FLOW)

GROUNDWATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS MADE ON 7/26/94

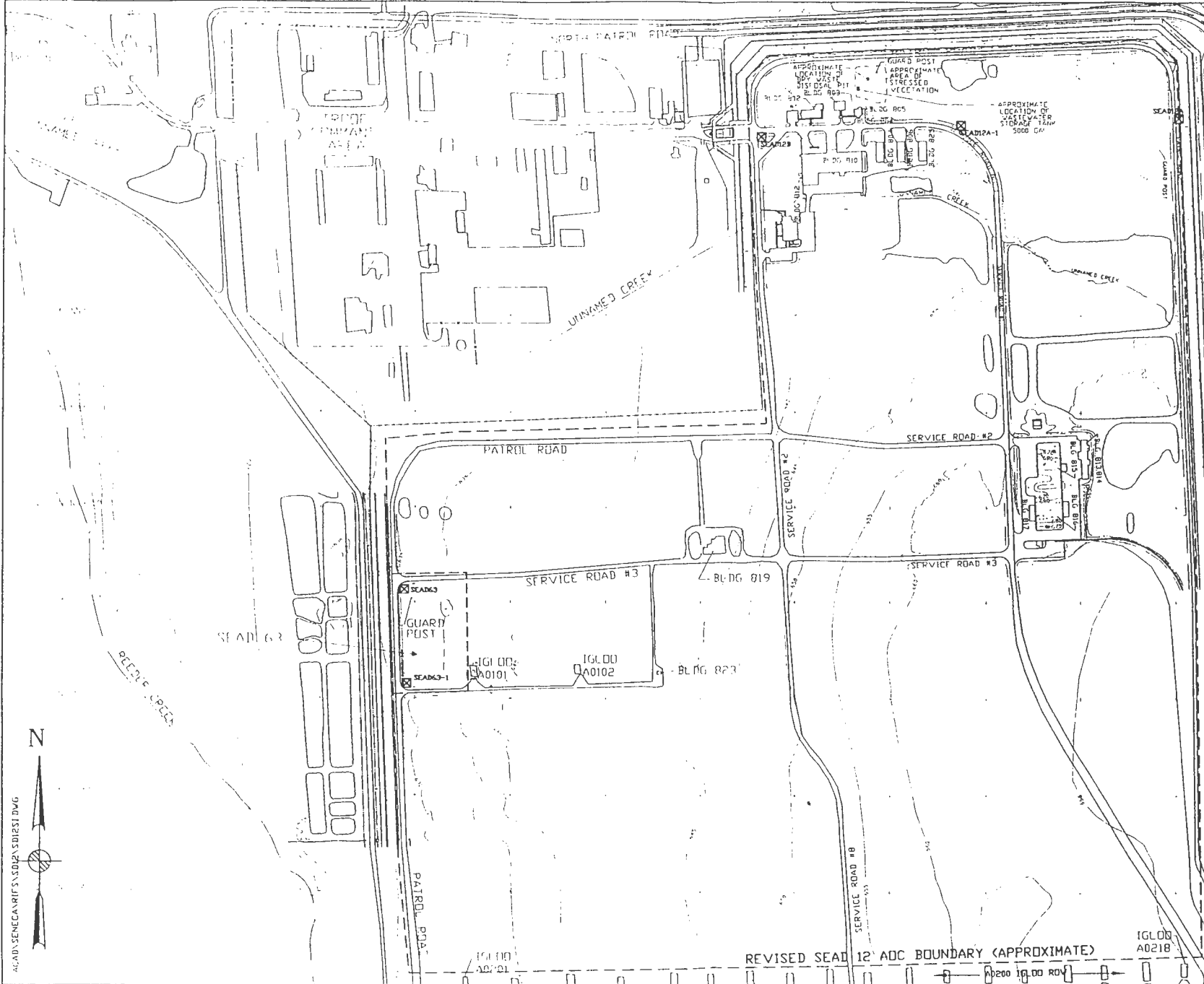


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FIGURE 3-11
GROUNDWATER ELEVATION MAP



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APPROXIMATE BOUNDARY OF ADC
 Scale 1:500
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 (feet)

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FIGURE 1-2
 SITE PLAN

1" = 500' AUGUST 1995



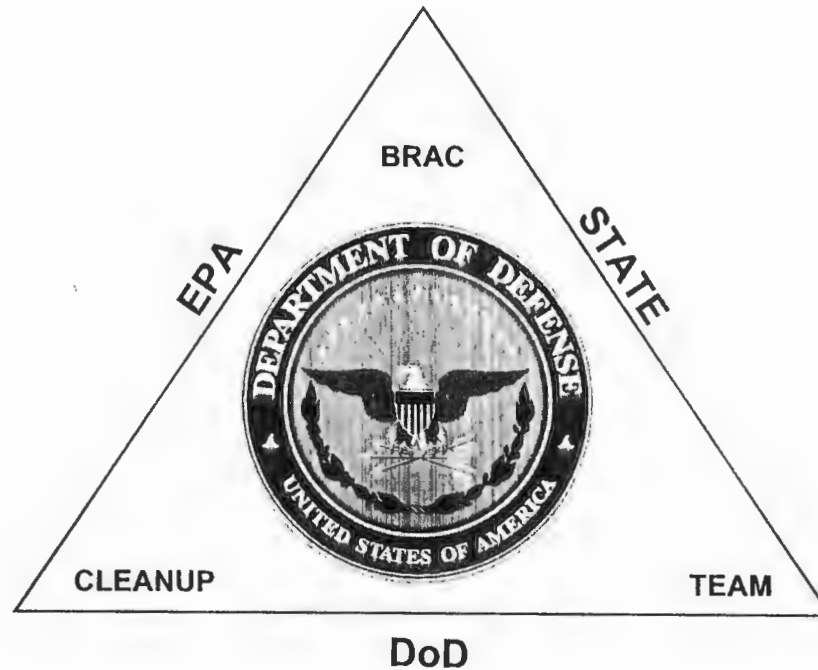
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REVISED SEAD 12 ADC BOUNDARY (APPROXIMATE)

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BRAC Cleanup Plan Support



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BRAC Cleanup Plan

- ◆ **BRAC Cleanup Plan (BCP) goal is expediting and improving environmental response leading to disposal or reuse of property.**
- ◆ **The BCP is a comprehensive summary of:**
 - ❖ *Status* of environmental programs
 - ❖ *Strategy* for selecting and implementing actions
 - ❖ *Schedule* for actions



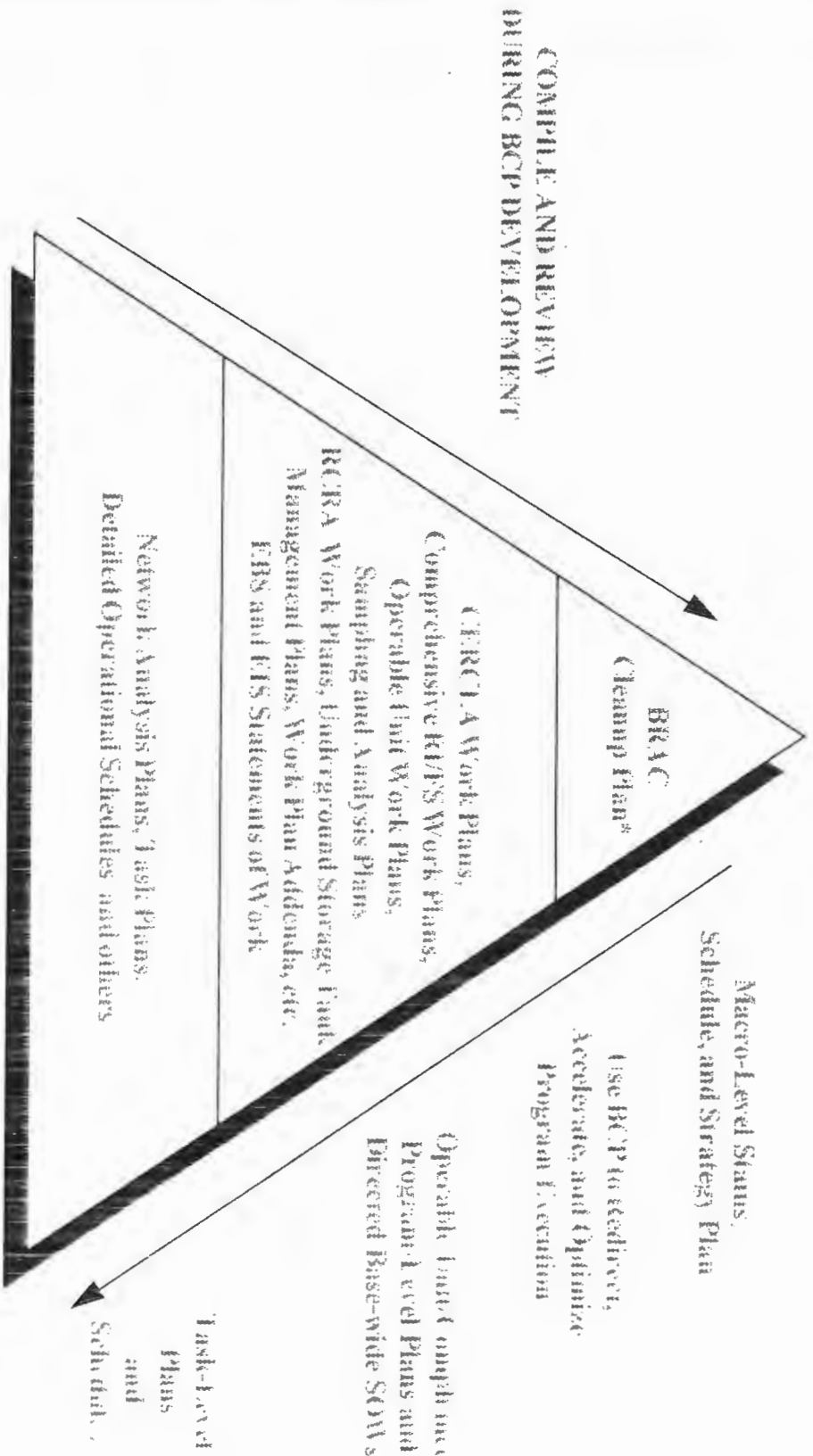
BRAC Cleanup Plan (BCP)

Goals and Objectives

- ◆ **Macro-level status, schedule and strategy for environmental response leading to disposal and reuse.**
- ◆ **Version 1 (1996) is a “snapshot” of existing installation programs and future strategy.**
- ◆ **Version 2 (1997) will reflect further analysis and input from BCT, RAB and LRA.**



BCP Requirements



A BCP is a comprehensive summary of the status of your installation's environmental programs, and provides a strategy and schedule for selecting and implementing response actions under all applicable regulatory programs.

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BRAC Cleanup Team

- ◆ **Comprised of the following individuals:**
 - ❖ **Steve Absolom - BRAC Environmental Coordinator**
 - ❖ **Carla Struble - U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1**
 - ❖ **Kamal Gupta - N.Y. State Department of Environmental Conservation**

- ◆ **Composition of the BCT is designed to:**
 - ❖ **Bring empowered decision makers to the table to make remediation decisions**
 - ❖ **Expedite cleanup and reuse decisions**



ROLE OF BCT

- ◆ **PRIMARY FORUM FOR ISSUES AFFECTING EXECUTION OF CLEANUP TO FACILITATE REUSE**
- ◆ **MANAGES 5-STEP BCP PROCESS**
- ◆ **PREPARES BCP**
- ◆ **IDENTIFIES RESOURCES TO FACILITATE BCP PROCESS**
- ◆ **CONDUCTS BOTTOM-UP REVIEW**



BCT COORDINATES WITH:

- ◆ **INSTALLATION COMMANDER**
- ◆ **DoD BASE TRANSITION
COORDINATOR**
- ◆ **FACILITY/CARETAKER**
- ◆ **REAL/PERSONAL PROPERTY**
- ◆ **RESTORATION ADVISORY
BOARD**
- ◆ **COMMUNITY REUSE
COMMITTEE**

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SEDA BCT is supported by:

◆ **U.S. Army**

- ❖ **Installation personnel (Environmental, operations, legal, real estate)**
- ❖ **U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, N.Y. District**
- ❖ **U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division**
- ❖ **Center for Health Promotion and Preventative Medicine**
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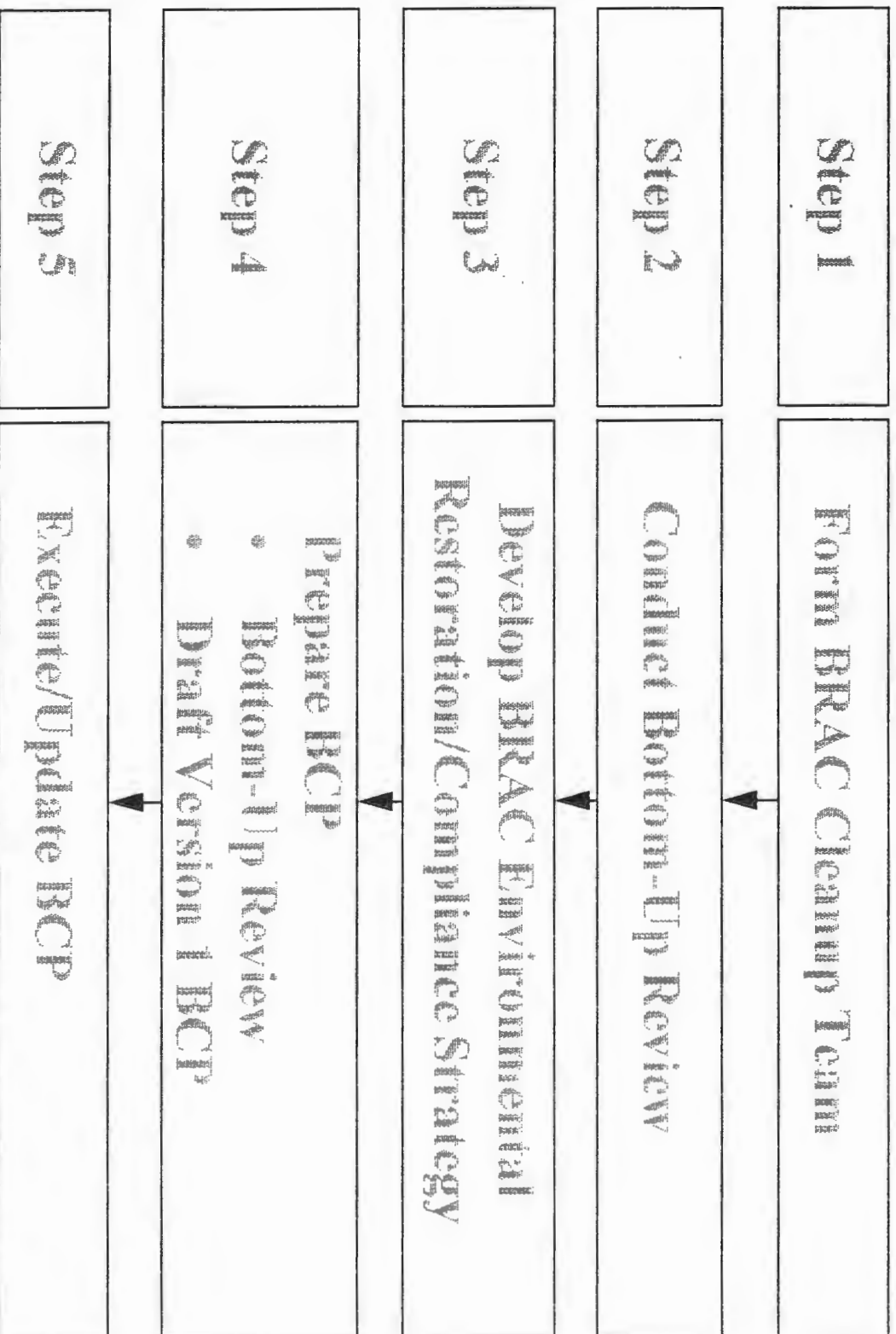
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◆ **Contractors**

- ❖ **Woodward-Clyde**
- ❖ **Parsons Engineering Science**
- ❖ **Malcom Pirnie**



BCP Process



Bottom-Up Review Performed by BCT

- ◆ **BRAC Cleanup Team and Project Team**
- ◆ **Environmental Program Status**
- ◆ **Environmental Program Strategy**
- ◆ **Master Schedules**
- ◆ **Technical/Operational Issues**
- ◆ **Disposal Process/Reuse Options**
- ◆ **Disposal Related Environmental Issues**



BCP Outline

- 1.0 Introduction and Summary**
- 2.0 Property Disposal and Reuse Plan**
- 3.0 Installation-Wide Environmental Program Status**
- 4.0 Installation-Wide Strategy for Environmental Restoration**
- 5.0 Environmental Program Master Schedules**
- 6.0 Technical and Other Issues to be Resolved**
- Appendix A - Fiscal Year Funding Requirements/Costs**
- Appendix B - Installation Environmental Restoration Documents
Summary Tables**
- Appendix C - Decision Document/RAD Summaries**
- Appendix D - NFRAP Summaries**
- Appendix E - Conceptual Model Data Summaries**



Looking Forward

◆ **Current Status**

- ❖ **Draft Version 1 BCP submitted September 1996**
- ❖ **Completed review by U.S. Army, U.S. EPA, NYSDEC**
- ❖ **Currently preparing the Final Version 1 BCP**

◆ **Next Steps**

- ❖ **BCT will continue to meet periodically to assess progress**
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**MINUTES
RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD
OCTOBER 15, 1996 MEETING MINUTES**

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5. LTC Brooks made opening remarks to the briefing by Mike Duchesneau on the Radiological Sites Investigation Status at the Former Weapons Storage Area, SEAD-12. He stated that we were there to discuss environmental issues and not specific Army missions. Mike Duchesneau proceeded with a discussion on the environmental sites which consist of a waste burial disposal pit, dry waste disposal pit, and wastewater storage tank. Milestones were listed as well as site status, sampling procedures, and results of sampling from soil borings and monitoring wells. Results of soil and groundwater sampling showed localized low level radioactive contamination. Further testing will be performed as part of the remedial investigation. Issues raised during the presentation follow:
 - a. Concerns were raised regarding geophysical investigations for detecting metal objects. Mike Duchesneau explained that detecting metal can reveal burial sites not previously identified. It was then asked how contaminated sites that do not contain metal objects are detected. He explained that they use Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) to detect disturbances in the soil, then sample the disturbed areas for contamination.
 - b. From the photographs of the metal anomalies found, there were questions regarding whether they could be associated with military operations previously conducted or old farm equipment from the residents located here before depot operations. The appearance and size of the objects found would indicate some type of aluminum solid waste, however, the objects were not identified.
 - c. A discussion took place on the definition of an alpha radiation particle. Other contaminants looked for included metals, PCBs, pesticides, and solvents. Mike Duchesneau described an alpha particle as high-energy and one in a series of radioactive particles. Dr. Durst mentioned that this is the most dangerous type of radioactive particle because it ionizes quickly and can be a problem when drinking or inhaling it. Mike Duchesneau responded that contamination is below the ground surface, groundwater on the site is not used for drinking, and safety precautions are taken when working on site.

d. A question arose regarding sampling and the significance of the regulatory standard reading of 15 pCi/L for radiation is set by the State. Readings above 15 pCi/L are levels for concern. Testing is also being conducted to determine levels of natural radiation in soil and groundwater.

e. The waste burial pits were questioned in regards to the items found there. The residual contamination and other items disposed of were consistent with the mission ongoing in that area.

f. A concern was raised considering possible past disposal practices of classified material over vast areas of the depot. The response was that sites were identified and defined based on historical information and that it was improbable that such activities took place in other areas not previously identified.

g. An inquiry was made as to whether water samples were collected from a creek near the burial pit site. Mike Duchesneau stated that surface water and sediment samples were collected from the creek and no elevated readings were found. It was also mentioned that the creek is a small, intermittent stream and does not flow continuously.

6. During general discussion, RAB members suggested topics for future meetings:

a. A presentation by the Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) on its Reuse Plan based on the current schedule adopted by the Seneca County Board of Supervisors. Impacts on sites and zoning was also suggested to tie together initiatives of the LRA and the RAB.

b. National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and Environmental Impact Statement.

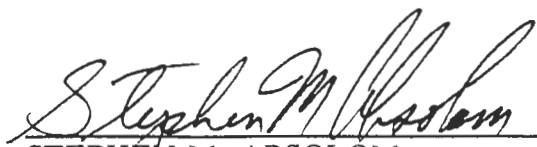
7. The next Restoration Advisory Board meeting will be held on November 19, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. at the SEDA NCO Club.

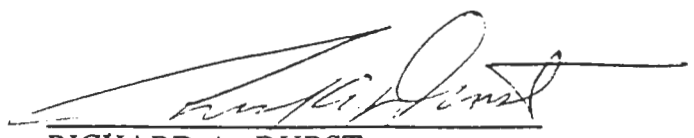
8. The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN R. COOPER
Secretary

APPROVED AS SUBMITTED:


STEPHEN M. ABSOLOM
U.S. Army Co-Chair


RICHARD A. DURST
Community Co-Chair

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

November 19, 1996

- 7:00** **Welcome**
LTC Stephen W. Brooks
Commander, Seneca Army Depot Activity
- 7:05** **Acceptance of Minutes**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom/Dr. Dick Durst
Army Co-chair/Community Co-chair
- 7:15** **Local Redevelopment Authority Reuse Plan**
Pat Jones, Interim Executive Director
Seneca Army Depot Local Redevelopment Authority
- 7:35** **Impact of LRA Reuse Plan on Environmental Sites**
Mr. Michael Duchesneau, P.E.
Project Manager, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
- 7:55** **Break**
- 8:10** **The Army BRAC NEPA Process**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom
Army Co-chair/BRAC Environmental Coordinator
- 8:30** **Open Discussion**
- 9:00** **Adjourn**

**MINUTES
RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD
NOVEMBER 19, 1996 MEETING**

1. Attendance:

Government RAB Members Present:

Stephen M. Absolom, BRAC Environmental Coordinator, SEDA/Army Co-Chair
Dan Geraghty, NYS Department of Health
Carla Struble, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Government RAB Members Not Present:

Kamal Gupta, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation

Community RAB Members Present:

Dick Durst/Community Co-Chair, Anne Herman, Mary Ann Krupsak,
Richard Sisson, Al Legasse, Estelle Coleman, Henry Van Ness, Pat Jones

Community RAB Members Not Present:

Russell Miller, Richard Lewis, Carmen Serrett, Lucinda Sangree,
Frank Ives, Harold Kugelmass, Brian Dombrowski, David Wagner

Government and Technical Support Personnel Present:

Thomas Enroth, SEDA Engineering and Environmental Division
Janet Fallo, SEDA Engineering and Environmental Division
Susan Cooper, SEDA Secretary
Randy Battaglia, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, SEDA Resident Office
Mike Duchesneau, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
Keith Hoddinott, U.S. Army Environmental Center for Health Promotion and
Preventive Medicine
Robert Scott, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
Kevin Healy, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division

Others Present (from sign-in sheet):

Christopher Raddell, Community Member
Nellie Legasse, Community Member
Karl Bechler, Community Member
Neil Chaffie, Community Member

2. Stephen Absolom welcomed members and support staff to the November Restoration Advisory Board in the NCO Club, then delivered opening remarks, outlined the evening's agenda, and asked for introductions.
3. Minutes from October's RAB meeting were approved, signed, and accepted into record.
4. Pat Jones, Interim Director of the Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA), briefed the RAB on the SEDA Reuse Plan. Included in Seneca's redevelopment were goals; alternatives; development areas; land use suitability; buildings and facilities location, use, evaluation, and current conditions; and property acquisition. The LRA has plans to sell the Lake Housing area as a whole for a one-time purchase price and use the proceeds to upgrade and improve the PID for resale. Ms. Jones identified several notices of interest for various areas of the depot and mentioned that the window of opportunity was still open for a couple more months. Issues raised during this presentation follow:
 - a. The availability of the Study/Reuse Plan to the public was addressed. A copy of this document can be reviewed at the County Office Building or at the LRA office by calling ahead for an appointment.
 - b. A concern was raised regarding community objections for an area's specific use and whether these objections would be heard. In this case, the LRA would try to work with the community through a public forum.
5. Mike Duchesneau's presentation covered Future Land Use and Cleanup and the impact of these decisions on the remediation process. Future land use is divided into six specific areas: Conservation/Recreation, Housing/Residential, Institutional, Office/Industrial, Special Events, and Training Ranges. Specific sites were identified within the land use areas as well as exposure scenarios and impacts on cleanup goals. Issues raised during Mr. Duchesneau's presentation follow:
 - a. The possibility of sampling harvested deer livers for contamination was discussed. This issue has been considered, however it would not necessarily point out any specific area where contamination could have been ingested due to herds traveling in different areas of the depot.
 - b. Differences between types and numbers of species from inside and outside the depot was questioned. Mr. Duchesneau stated that mammals from the OB Grounds and fish from Reeder Creek were collected and sent to a lab for monitoring. There did not appear to be any significant disparity.
 - c. Asked whether asbestos and lead-based paint sampling had been done on post, the RAB was assured that all areas are being identified and readied for reuse.

d. A comment was made concerning possible contamination of the depot related to the perceived elevated levels of cancer in the surrounding communities. Out of approximately 10,600 acres of land, 9,100 acres are uncontaminated and can be transferred immediately. The Department of Health offered to provide information concerning cancer rates.

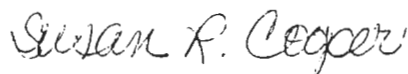
6. Stephen Absolom then showed a video on NEPA, the National Environmental Policy Act, and further explained areas of importance. Typical areas for analysis were identified and opportunities for public involvement were addressed. The NEPA manuals are available for review in the County Office Building and in the LRA office.

7. General discussion followed with a suggestion to include an Ecological Risk Assessment Presentation as a possible topic for a future meeting.

8. Mr. Absolom offered the option of canceling the December RAB meeting due to the busy holiday season. A vote showed all in favor. The next Restoration Advisory Board meeting will be held on January 21, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. at the SEDA NCO Club.

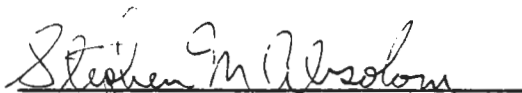
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Respectfully submitted,




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Presentation to the RAB

November 18, 1996

Future Land Use and Clean-up



Local Redevelopment Authority

(LRA) Future Land Uses

- *Conservation/Recreation*
 - *Housing/Residential*
 - *Institutional*
 - *Office/Industrial*
 - *Special Events*
 - *Training Ranges*
-



Route 96

Housing

Retained by
Federal
Government
US Coast Guard

Depot Boundary

Warehouse Area

Office/Planned
Industrial
Development (PID)

Duck Pond

Conservation / Recreation

Ammunition Storage Area

"Q" Area

North
End
Area

Special Events
Possible Aviation
Potential

Seneca
Army
Airfield

Conservation/
Recreation

Route 96A

Training
Ranges

Institutional

Lake Housing Area

Housing

Seneca Lake

Land Use Plan



PARSONS

Future Land Uses and Sites within the Land Use Areas

- *Conservation/Recreation (8300 Acres)*

- *Ammunition Storage Areas*
 - *Special Weapons "Q" Area (SEAD-12)*
 - *"Duck Pond" Area (SEAD-13, IRFNA Site)*
 - *Kendaia Creek & Reeder Creek*
 - *OB/OD Grounds (SEADs-23 & 45)*
 - *Ash Landfill (SEADs-3, 6, 8, 14 & 15)*
-

and Uses and Exposure Scenarios

- *Conservation / Recreational*
 - *Site Visitor*
 - *Bird Watcher*
 - *Hiker*
 - *Hunter*
 - *Ecological Exposure*
 - *Small Mammals*
 - *Birds that Ingest Soil*
-

Future Land Uses and Sites within the Land Use Areas

- *Housing/Residential*
 - *Lake Housing (120 Acres)*
 - *Elliot Acres Housing (80 Acres)*
 - *No SWMUs in these Areas*
 - *Residential Exposure will not be Considered at any Site*

Future Land Uses and Sites within the Land Use Areas

Institutional

- *North End Area (200 Acres)*
 - *No Active Investigations*
 - *Six (6) Sites Within the North End*
 - *Four (4) No Action Sites*
 - *Two (2) Sites to be Addressed*
 - *Risk Assessments are not Anticipated for these Sites*
-

Future Land Uses and Sites within the Land Use Areas

Office / Industrial

- *Main Administration Area (620 Acres)*
 - *Twenty-six (26) Sites are Located in this Area*
 - *Ten (10) Sites are No-Action Sites*
 - *SEADs-16 & 17, Deactivation Furnaces*
 - *SEADs-25 & 26, Fire Training Areas*
 - *SEADs-5, 59 & 71, Former Fill Areas*
 - *Nine (9) Sites to be Addressed*
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Land Uses and Exposure Scenarios

- *Industrial Exposure Scenarios*
 - *Current Site Worker*
 - *Future Industrial Worker*
 - *Future On-site Construction Worker*
 - *Future Site Trespasser*
 - *Ecological Exposure Scenarios*
 - *Small Mammals Living On-Site*
 - *Birds that Visit Site & Ingest Soil*
-

Future Land Uses and Sites within the Land Use Areas

- *Special Events Area*
 - *Seneca Airfield (450 Acres)*
 - *No SWMUs in this Area*
- *Training Range Area*
 - *Firearms Training Ranges Area (50 Acres)*
 - *No SWMUs in this Area*

Land Uses, Exposure Scenarios and Impacts on Clean-up Goals

- *Residential Exposure Results in Greatest Exposure and Lowest Clean-up Goals*
- *Industrial & Conservation Exposure Results in Higher Clean-up Goals as Exposure is Less*
- *Ecological Protection Can Result in Lower Clean-up Goals*

LRA REUSE

BRIEFING

for

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD

November 19, 1996

**Presented by: Patricia Jones
Interim Executive Director
LRA**

Redevelopment Goals

Seneca Army Depot Reuse Plan

- New Employment Opportunities
- Fiscally Responsible and Prudent
- Provide Incentives to Private Sector
- Focus on Portions of the Site that Offer Potential for Success

Redevelopment Goals (continued)

Seneca Army Depot Reuse Plan

- Work to Establish Wildlife Conservation Area
- Encourage Involvement of the State of New York
- Encourage Effective and Efficient Environmental Clean-up

DEVELOPMENT CONSIDERATIONS

- Range of development options
- Some options will involve risk and be expensive
- Development choices
 - Focus on the entire site or just on portions of the site?
 - Amount of local government funding?
 - Role of local government in the management of redevelopment efforts?

DEVELOPMENT ALTERNATIVES

- Housing development provides best opportunity for redevelopment
- Warehouse/distribution usage is possible - cold storage
- Some opportunity for manufacturing -south end
- Office development is viable use - information/back office
- Aviation potential is limited
- Institutional usage in north end
- Several opportunities for recreational development
- Agricultural production may be limited due to cost of clearance

Development Areas

Seneca Army Depot Reuse Plan

- Conservation Land
- Lake Housing
- Elliot Acres Housing
- Federal Uses

Development Areas (continued)

Seneca Army Depot Reuse Plan

- Aviation/Special Events
- Institutional
- Warehouse/Storage
- Planned Industrial Development
- Training Ranges

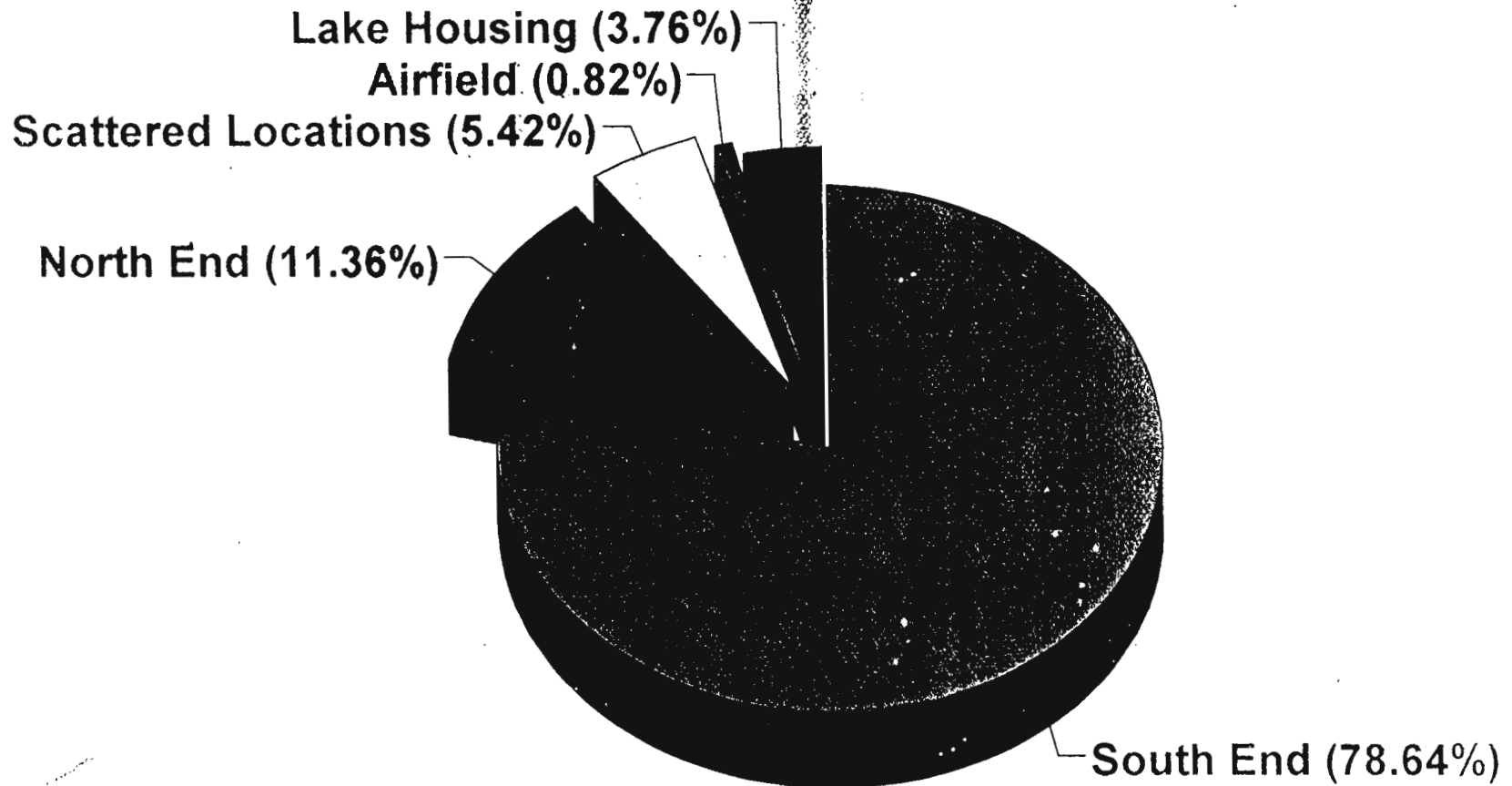
LAND USE SUITABILITY

- 10,634± acres at site
- 300 acres proposed for transfer to the U.S. Coast Guard
- 2,197 acres identified with environmental constraints
- 525 acres represent Airfield Clear Zone
- Net usable area - 7,612 acres
- Current layout of utilities only service a small portion of property available for transfer

BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

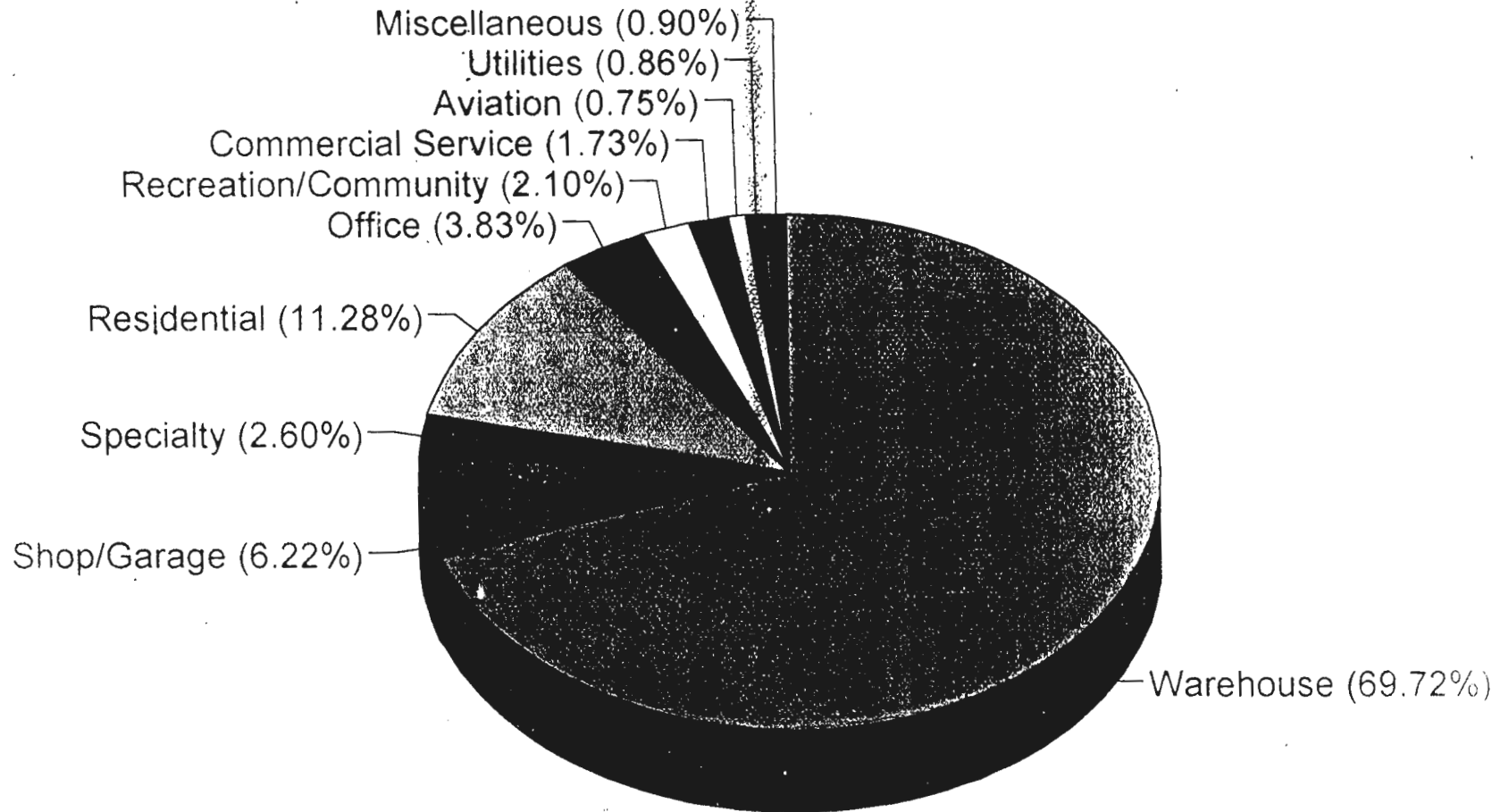
- Diversified Inventory of 365 buildings containing 3.72 million SF. This does not include the 519 Igloos
- A majority of the buildings are contained in the South End (79%)
- Nearly all the buildings in the North End have been vacant since 1993

Seneca Army Depot Building Distribution by Location



Total Building Area:
3.725 Million SF
(Not including Igloos)

Seneca Army Depot Building Distribution by Existing Use



Total Building Area:
3.725 Million SF
(Not including Igloos)

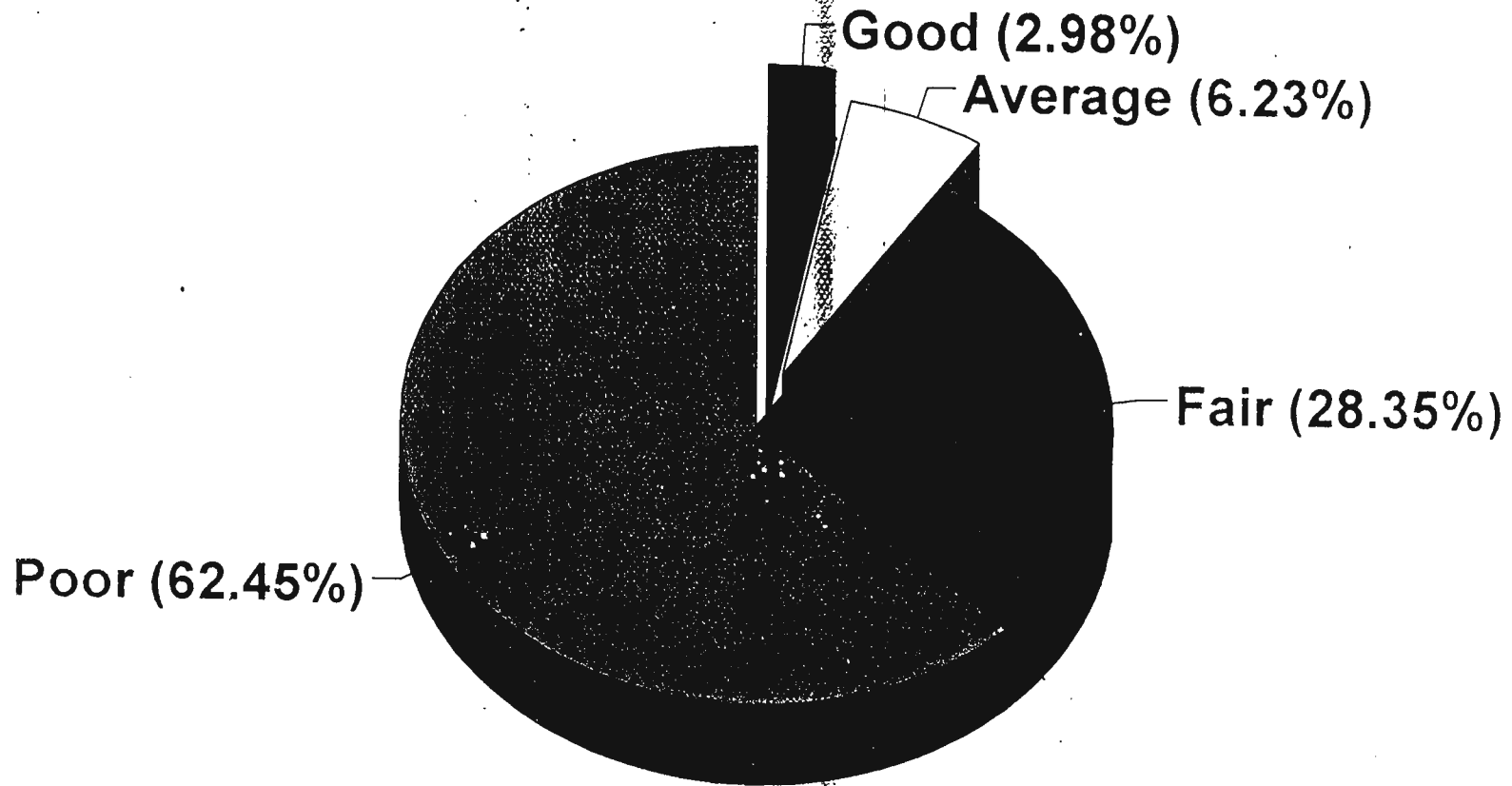
BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

- Building reuse could include industrial, assembly, warehouse, office and R&D
- Housing
 - Elliot Acres - Variety of unit types, but rehabilitation will be required
 - Lake Housing - Marketable condition

BUILDING EVALUATION

- Building Evaluation involved variety of factors: design, layout, age, type of material, specialty features, utilities, existing mechanicals, overall functional utility
- Building Terms
 - Good - Appears readily adaptable to market with minimal cost
 - Average - Potentially marketable with minor investment
 - Fair - Modernization and renovation required
 - Poor - Significant investment required to replace/modernize mechanicals or structural items

Seneca Army Depot Current Conditions of Buildings



Total Building Area:
3.69 Million SF
(Not including Igloos
and Small Buildings)

BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

- Warehouse facilities tend to be in the poorest condition
- Office properties are in better condition
- Number of specialty buildings are in good condition, but they are in isolated locations

PROPERTY ACQUISITION







- Recommend that PID and Lake Housing Area be acquired by local officials under a Rural Economic Development Conveyance.
- Recommend that other sites be acquired by regional and state agencies under a Public Benefit Conveyance or private organizations under Negotiated/Bid Sale.
- Recommend that the LRA continue operations for the next three to four years to complete planning activities and assist in the property transfer process.
- Recommended that development and marketing of PID and Lake Housing areas be undertaken by the Seneca County IDA.

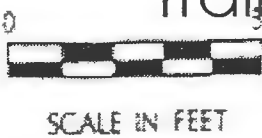
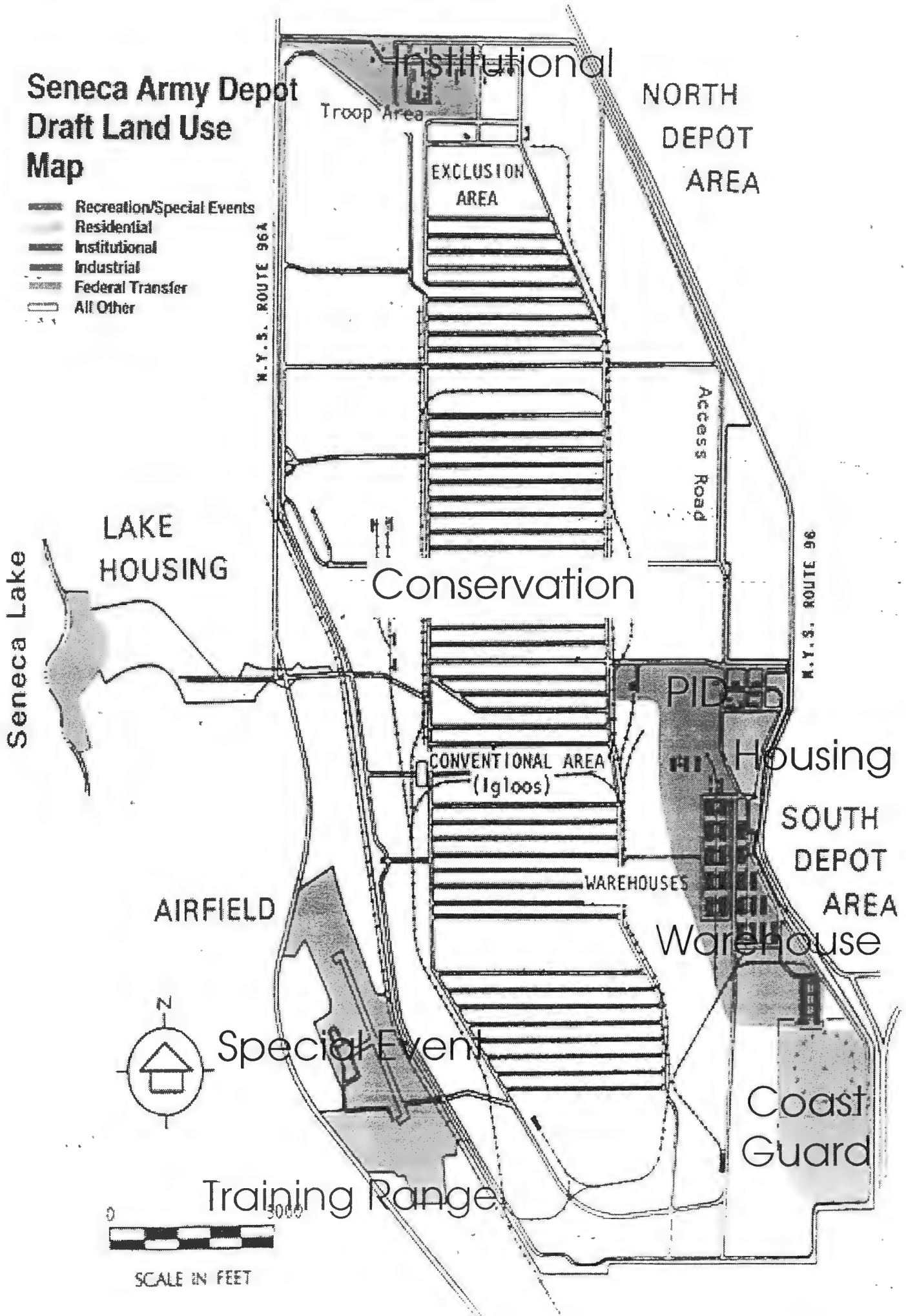
PROPERTY ACQUISITION

Continued

- Recommend that the LRA request a partial EIS, Record of Decision and Finding of Suitability to Transfer for the PID and Lake Housing areas.
- Recommend that the LRA/IDA solicit interest from developers for Lake Housing Area in late 1997 early 1998. Target transfer date for this property is Spring/Summer 1998.
- Recommend that proceeds from the sale of Lake Housing be dedicated to operation, maintenance, marketing and capital improvements in the PID area.
- If Lake Housing Area cannot be acquired through no-cost EDC, and re-sold to support the reuse of PID area, the community should be prepared to walk away from ownership of any property at the Depot.

Seneca Army Depot Draft Land Use Map

-  Recreation/Special Events
-  Residential
-  Institutional
-  Industrial
-  Federal Transfer
-  All Other



**SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

November 19, 1996

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

(Public Law 91-190)

**A federal law that requires
the identification and analysis of potential environmental effects
of certain proposed federal actions and alternatives
before those actions take place.**

**A “full disclosure” law with provisions for
public access to and public participation in
the federal decision making process.**

REFERENCES & AUTHORITIES

- **National Environmental Policy Act of 1969**
(Public Law 91-190; 42 United States Code 4321-4347)
- **Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for**
Implementing the Procedural Provisions of the National
Environmental Policy Act
(40 Code of Federal Regulations 1500-1508)
- **Army Regulation 200-2**
- **Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990 (BRAC)**
(Public Law 101-510)

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT STEPS

Identify issues to be analyzed (scoping)

Clearly define proposed action and alternatives

Gather data, analyze potential impacts, consider mitigation

Prepare Draft EIS - make available for agency and public review

Prepare Final EIS - make available for agency and public review

Prepare Record of Decision - make available for agency and public review

TYPICAL AREAS FOR ANALYSIS

Land Use

Air Quality

Noise

Water Resources

Geology

Infrastructure

Hazardous and Toxic Materials

Permits and Regulatory Authorizations

Biological Resources and Ecosystems

Cultural Resources

Environmental Justice

Sociological Environment

Economic Development

Installation Agreements

HAZARDOUS AND TOXIC MATERIALS

**NEPA
DECISION
MAKING**



**CERCLA
DECISION
MAKING**

**POTENTIAL
ENVIRONMENTAL
EFFECTS
OF
LEASING,
TRANSFER,
AND
SUBSEQUENT
USE**

**MOST
APPROPRIATE
REMEDIAL
MEASURES
TO
PROTECT
HUMAN
HEALTH
AND
THE
ENVIRONMENT**

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

Environmental effects analysis - the NEPA process

Restoration of hazardous waste sites - the cleanup process

Replacement of jobs/creation of new jobs - the reuse planning process

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

May 30, 1996

7:00

Welcome

LTC Stephen W. Brooks
Commander, Seneca Army Depot Activity

Introduction

Mr. Stephen M. Absolom
BRAC Environmental Coordinator, Seneca Army Depot Activity

7:10

What to Expect from a Restoration Advisory Board

Mr. Mike Cast
Public Affairs Officer, Army Environmental Center

7:25

Installation Command Briefing

Mr. Jerry Whitaker
Base Transition Coordinator, Seneca Army Depot Activity

7:45

Future RAB Meetings

Mr. Stephen Absolom
BRAC Environmental Coordinator, Seneca Army Depot Activity

8:00

Open Discussion/Get Acquainted

8:30

Adjourn



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FACT SHEET

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This fact sheet provides basic information and statistics – facts and figures on Seneca Army Depot Activity.

Primary Mission:

1. Closure. Seneca Army Depot Activity was recommended for closure on February 28, 1995, by the Department of Defense as part of the Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) process. Seneca was approved for closure by an independent BRAC Commission, the President, and finally Congress on September 28, 1995. The law requires Seneca to close by July 13, 2001.

Other Missions:

1. Storage, issue, maintenance, and demilitarization of conventional munitions.
2. Storage, and issue of general supplies including hazardous materials.
3. Continental U.S. Care of Materials In Storage for U.S. Army Reserve Command.
4. Strategic and critical materials storage.
5. Logistics support and training assistance to the Army Reserve and National Guard units.

Tenant Organizations:

1. U.S. Coast Guard LORAN-C Transmitting Station.
2. Defense Finance & Accounting Service.
3. U.S. Army Test, Measurement, and Diagnostic Equipment Support Operations.
4. Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office-Romulus Branch.
5. U.S. Army Health Clinic.
6. Civilian Personnel Office.

Budget for fiscal year 1996:

1. Payroll	\$11,604,000
2. Local Procurement:	\$10,704,000
3. Utilities:	\$1,045,000
4. Total:	\$23,353,000

Restoration Advisory Board Fact Sheet
May 1996

Establishing the Restoration Advisory Board

This fact sheet is prepared for RAB participants and provides information on the Seneca Army Depot Activity Installation Restoration Program (IRP).

THE NEXT STEPS

Community members for the RAB have been selected. The next steps in the development of the RAB include electing a Community Co-chair, developing a set of Operating Procedures, and setting up training sessions to introduce the public to the clean-up program.

OPERATING PROCEDURES

Part of establishing the RAB will involve setting up operating procedures. They will address issues such as:

- Attendance
- Meeting frequency
- Procedures for adding, removing, or replacing members or co-chair
- Membership and co-chair length of service
- Methods of resolving disputes
- Process for reviewing documents and responding to public comments
- Procedures for public participation.

TRAINING FOR RAB MEMBERS

Most RAB members will need an initial orientation to the environmental clean-up program to perform their duties. Seneca Army Depot Activity plans to conduct training sessions at future RAB meetings. All RAB training will be open to the public and all documents or other information released to the RAB will be available to the public at the Information Repository.

For more information, contact the Installation Co-chair, Mr. Stephen Absolom, at (607) 869-1309.

The Community Co-chair: Role & Responsibilities

This fact sheet is prepared for RAB participants and provides information on the Seneca Army Depot Activity Installation Restoration Program (IRP).

THE ROLE

The Community Co-chair plays an important role in the success of a RAB. He/she will volunteer to jointly run the RAB along with the Installation Co-chair.

RESPONSIBILITIES

The major responsibilities of the RAB Co-chair will include:

- Coordinate with Installation Co-chair to prepare and distribute an agenda prior to each meeting
- Ensure that community issues and concerns related to cleanup are raised
- Ensure that community members participate in an open and constructive manner
- Ensure that the RAB has the opportunity to provide input into the decision process

- Report back to the community.

WHO WILL DECIDE?

The community members of the RAB will select the community Co-chair as their representative. They will review and evaluate interested candidates and select the Co-chair at the next RAB meeting.

Possible options for selecting the Co-chair include:

- Interested RAB members could write a short summary of why they are interested in the position
- Interested RAB members could give a brief talk at the next meeting and explain why they are interested in the position.

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The Information Repository

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WHAT IS IT?

The Information Repository is a collection of documents available for public inspection which contains information that relates to the clean-up of former hazardous waste sites. It was established on March 16, 1992 and is periodically updated by staff at the Seneca Army Depot Activity.

The Information Repository contains technical reports, background information, guides to the waste clean-up process, minutes from public meetings, and other information to aid the public in understanding response actions taken by the Army at Seneca Army Depot Activity.

Establishing an Information Repository is a requirement under the National Contingency Plan in the Code of Federal Regulations.

WHERE IS IT LOCATED?

The Information Repository is located for public review at:

Romulus Town Hall
1435 Prospect Street
Willard, NY 14588

The town hall is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm.

For more information, contact the Romulus Town Hall at (607) 869-9326.

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Acronyms & Abbreviations

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AEC	Army Environmental Center
BCT	BRAC Cleanup Team
BEC	BRAC Environmental Coordinator
BRAC	Base Realignment and Closure
BTC	Base Transition Coordinator
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CHPPM	Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine
COE	Corps of Engineers
DA	Department of the Army
DERP	Defense Environmental Restoration Program
DoD	Department of Defense
DOH	Department of Health
EBS	Environmental Baseline Survey
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FS	Feasibility Study
IRP	Installation Restoration Program
LTM	Long Term Monitoring
LRA	Local Redevelopment Authority
NPL	National Priority List
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
PA	Preliminary Assessment
RA	Remedial Action
RAB	Restoration Advisory Board
RD	Remedial Design
RI	Remedial Investigation
ROD	Record of Decision
SEDA	Seneca Army Depot Activity
SI	Site Inspection
SWMU	Solid Waste Management Unit

May 30, 1996 7:00 pm at OClub

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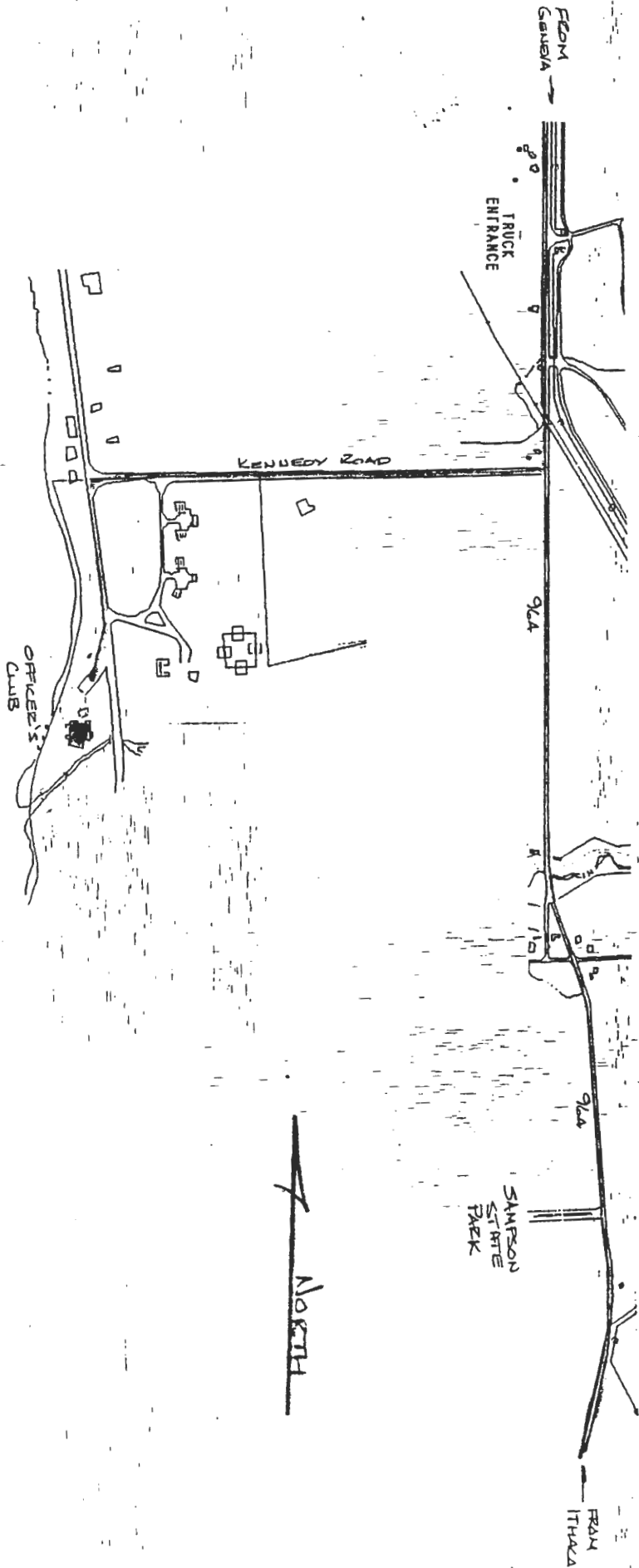
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31 May - 8:00 - 1:00 NCO Club
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BUR AND RAB ATTENDEES

→ 30 May - 7:00 pm at O'Club

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Commander
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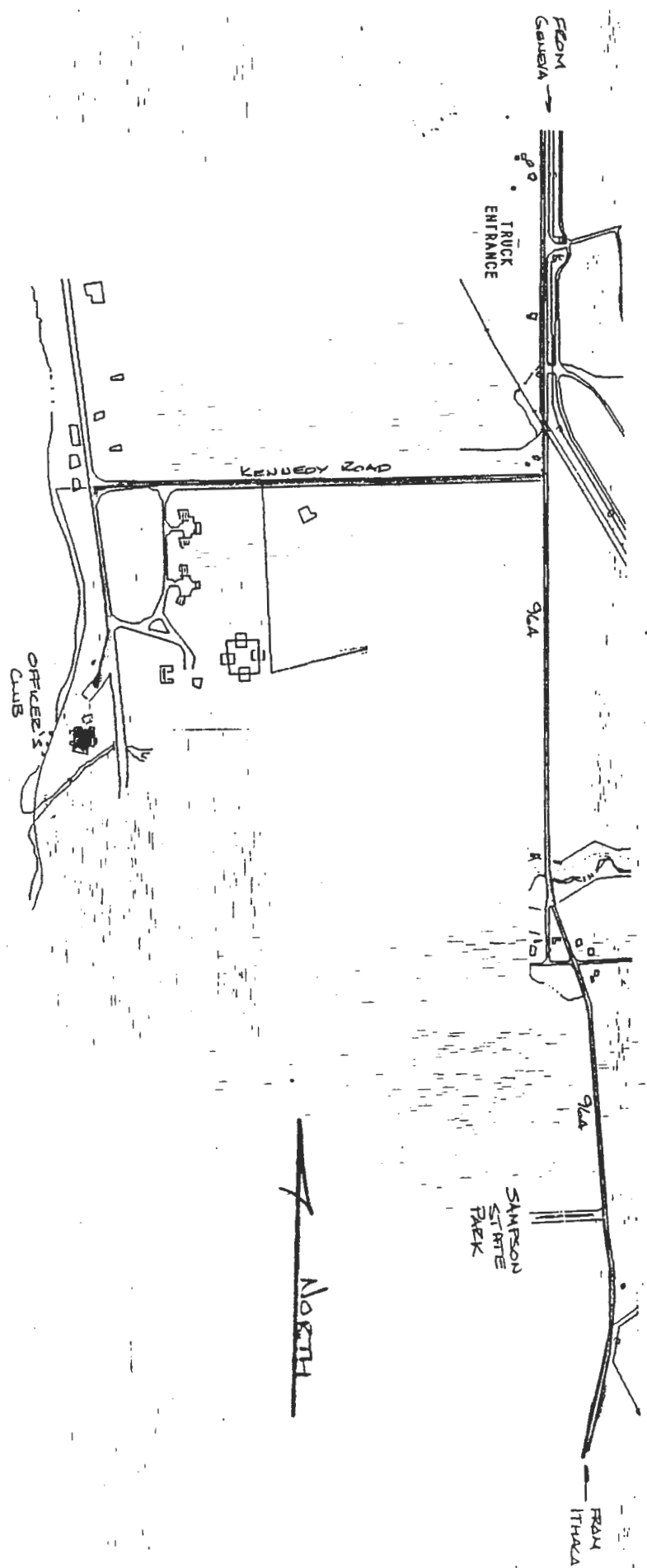
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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Seneca Army Depot Activity
Restoration Advisory Board Meeting

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The purpose of establishing the RAB is to improve public participation by involving the community in the environmental restoration decision-making process. Seventeen community members are volunteering for the RAB and all the meetings will be open for public attendance and participation.

For more information contact Bev Lombardo, Public Affairs Officer at (607) 869-1353.

Pete -

This is a copy of the public notice we are releasing in the Finger Lakes Times. Everyone who takes part in our program will be there - regulators, Corps of Engineers, Army Environmental Center, Woodward Clyde (EBS + BRAC Cleanup Plan), Engineering Science, etc.

Minutes of the meeting will be available.
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Hope to see you there. If you have any other questions, give me a call.

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RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD

MAY 30, 1996 MEETING MINUTES

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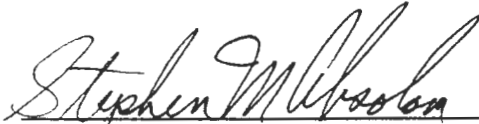
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Respectfully submitted,



SUSAN R. COOPER
Secretary

APPROVED AS SUBMITTED:



STEPHEN M. ABSOLOM
U.S. Army Co-chair



RICHARD A. DURST
Community Co-chair

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

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Civilian Executive Assistant (CEA), Seneca Army Depot Activity
- Mr. Stephen M. Absolom
BRAC Environmental Coordinator, Seneca Army Depot Activity
- 7:10** **Environmental Cleanup Process Overview**
Mr. Mike Duchesneau
Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
- 7:25** **BRAC Cleanup Plan Overview**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom
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RAB members
- 8:10** **Discussion of Draft Charter**
Mr. Stephen Absolom
BRAC Environmental Coordinator, Seneca Army Depot Activity
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SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY, NY RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD CHARTER

I. Purpose of the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB)

The primary purpose of the Seneca Army Depot Activity (SEDA) RAB is to improve public participation in the environmental restoration process taking place at SEDA.

II. Functions of the RAB

1. The RAB will: function as a forum for open and interactive dialogue between government agencies and the public regarding environmental cleanup information; conduct regular meetings open to the public at convenient times and locations; keep meeting minutes; and make meeting minutes available to the public. The RAB brings together members who reflect diverse community interests to facilitate the flow of information, concerns, and needs between the local community, U.S. Army, N.Y. state regulators, and federal regulators.
2. The RAB will review issues related to cleanup, review cleanup strategies, track current and future activities and provide perspectives on cleanup priorities. The RAB and its members will communicate with community members and interest groups, serve as direct and reliable conduits of information to and from the community, and review and comment on various technical reports and cleanup plans.

III. Basis and Authority for the RAB Charter

The basis and authority for this charter are contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1995 (Public Law 103-337), the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) of 1980, as amended by the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986, particularly section 120(a), 120(f), and 10 USC 2705, enacted by Section 211 of SARA, and DoD and United States Environmental Protection Agency RAB Implementation Guidelines of September 1994, plus subsequent acts of United States Congress that here-in apply.

IV. Structure of the RAB

1. The RAB will be co-chaired by the BRAC Environmental Coordinator (BEC) for Seneca Army Depot Activity (or his/her alternate) and a community member. The co-chairs will have responsibility for managing the meetings.
2. Government RAB members include representatives from the installation (the BEC), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and N.Y. State. Other representatives from

government agencies attend the RAB meetings as technical support staff but will not be named as RAB members. All other RAB members will be part of the communities that surround the Seneca Army Depot Activity installation. "Community" in this case is defined as _____.

3. The community co-chair will be selected by _____ as established by the RAB. The term of office for the community co-chair position will be _____ (months/years/indefinite) after being selected.
4. The RAB community members are responsible for terminating a co-chair who is ineffective or detrimental to the progress of the RAB. Co-chair removal is determined by _____.
5. The RAB will meet at least quarterly at a location agreed upon by a consensus of the RAB members. Additional meetings or special focus meetings may be scheduled as the need arises.
6. Agenda items will be compiled by the co-chairs. Suggested topics should be given to the SEDA co-chair not later than _____ (weeks/days) prior to each meeting. The SEDA co-chair will be responsible for providing written notification to all RAB members of the upcoming agenda, date, time, and place of scheduled RAB meetings at least _____ (weeks/days) prior to each meeting.
7. The SEDA co-chair will be responsible for recording and distributing meeting minutes including a written list of attendees within _____ (weeks/days) after the meeting. Any comments on the minutes must be received within _____ (weeks/days) to be incorporated into the final minutes.
8. A copy of meeting minutes will be sent to all RAB members within _____ (days/weeks) after the meeting. After the minutes are reviewed and revised, they will be available in the Information Repository at the Romulus Town Hall in Willard.

V. Roles and Responsibilities

1. The SEDA co-chairperson will:

Coordinate with the community co-chairperson to prepare and distribute an agenda prior to each RAB public meeting.

Ensure that Department of Defense employees participate in an open and constructive manner.

Ensure that the RAB has the opportunity to participate in the SEDA environmental

restoration process.

Ensure that community issues and concerns related to restoration are addressed when raised.

Ensure that an accurate mailing list of interested parties is developed and maintained.

Provide relevant policies and guidance documents to RAB members in order to enhance the RAB operation.

Ensure that adequate administrative support is provided for meeting agendas and minutes, meeting locations, necessary document reproduction and mailings, and distribution of public notices in local newspapers.

Refer issues not related to restoration to an appropriate installation official.

Report RAB activities to the appropriate installation officials.

Ensure documents distributed to the RAB are also made available to the general public.

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Coordinate with the SEDA co-chairperson and RAB members to prepare and distribute an agenda prior to each RAB public meeting.

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3. The RAB Community Members will:

Attend all RAB meetings.

Provide advice and comment on environmental restoration issues to appropriate governmental agencies.

Be responsible for representing and communicating community interests and concerns to

the RAB.

Members will serve as a direct and reliable conduit for information exchange between the community and restoration process decision makers.

Members will be available to review the various technical documents generated by the environmental restoration process at SEDA.

4. The N.Y. State Regulatory Agency Member(s) will:

Attend all RAB meetings.

Serve as an information, referral resource bank for communities, installations and agencies regarding installation restoration.

Review documents and other materials related to restoration.

Ensure that state environmental standards and regulations are identified and addressed by SEDA.

Facilitate flexible and innovative resolutions of environmental issues and concerns.

Assist in education and training for the RAB members.

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XII. Signatories to the RAB Charter

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this charter was approved by the following members of the SEDA Restoration Advisory Board on the _____ day of _____, 19____.

Stephen M. Absolom
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(Name of Community Co-chair)
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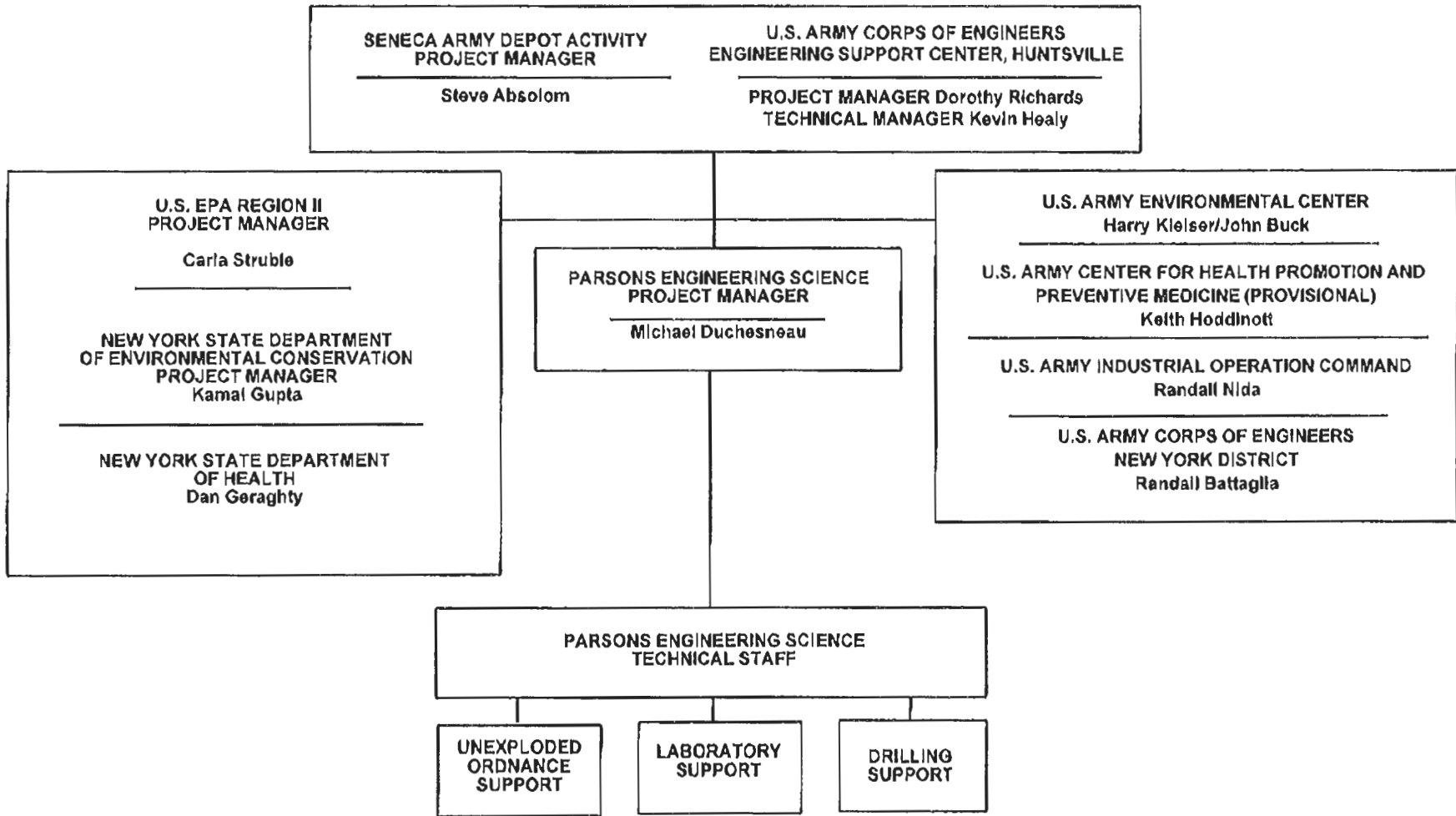
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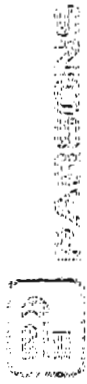


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Resource Recovery and Conservation Act (RCRA)



INITIAL MILESTONES OF CLEANUP PROCESS



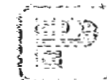
Listed on the National Priority List (NPL)

- **Hazard Ranking System(HRS)**
- **August 1990, Seneca Army Depot Activity Listed on NPL**

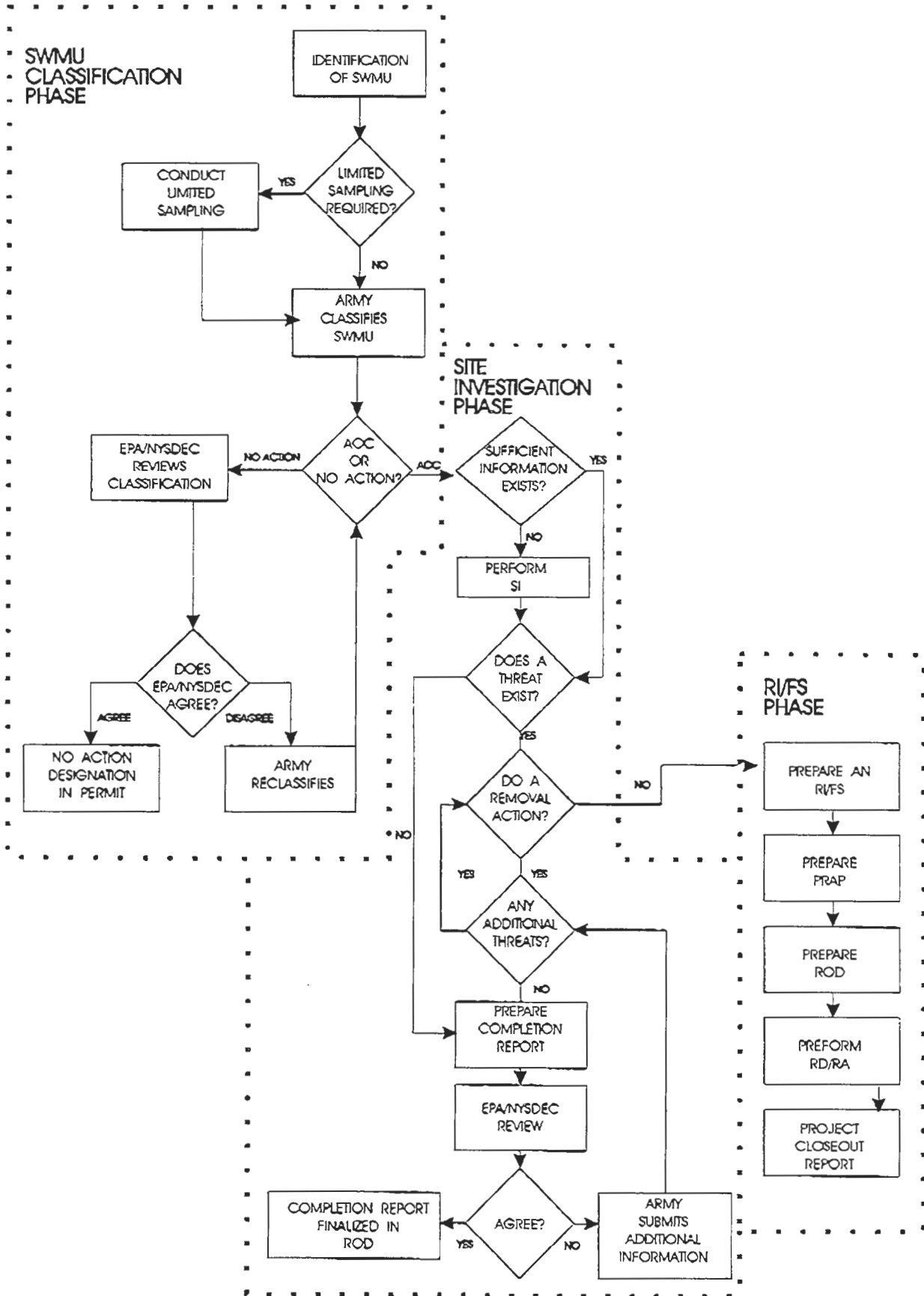


Interagency Agreement (IAG) or Federal Facility Agreement (FFA)

- **Agreement between EPA, NYSDEC and the Army**
- **Signed by all parties on Jan, 21 1993**

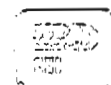


SWMU CLASSIFICATION FLOWCHART



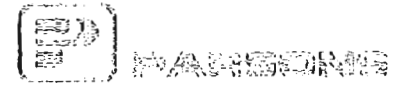
THE CERCLA PROCESS at SEDA

PHASE	ACTIVITIES
IDENTIFICATION	SWMU Clasification
DELINEATION	Expanded Site Inspection (ESI) Remedial Investigation (RI)
EVALUATION	Risk Assessment
PRE-DESIGN	Feasibility Study (FS) Project Remedial Action Plan (PRAP) Record of Decision (ROD)
DESIGN	Plans and Specifications
REMEDIAL ACTION	Construction / Operation
MONITORING	Long Term Monitoring






***SWMU INVESTIGATION/CLASSIFICATION PROCESS
STATUS REPORT***

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SWMU CLASSIFICATION REPORT

-  **All 72 SWMUs Have Been Classified as Either No Action or Area or Area of Concern (AOC)**
-  **Final SWMU Classification Report Issued on September 16, 1994**
-  **First Primary Document Finalized Under IAG**



SWMU CLASSIFICATION SUMMARY

**Federal Facilities Agreement
(FFA) Status**

**Number of
SWMUs or AOCs**

No Action

24

Completion Report/ROD

12

**Removal Action/Completion
Report/ROD**

8

RI/FS/PRAP/ROD

28

TOTAL

72

ROD - Record of Decision







RI/FS - Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study

PRAP - Proposed Remedial Action Plan







SWMU - Solid Waste Management Unit

AOC - Area of Concern

7 HIGH PRIORITY ESI MILESTONES

-  **Draft Report (for EPA/NYSDEC Review) issued July 8, 1994**
-  **Draft-Final Report Issued on May 11, 1985**
-  **No Additional NYSDEC Comments will be Provided**
-  **EPA Comments Received on October 18, 1995**
-  **Final Report Issued on December 11, 1995**
-  **Army Recommends RI/FS/PRAP/ROD at SEADs-4, 16, 17
25, 26, and 45 and Removal Action/Completion Report/ROD
at SEAD-24**

3 MODERATE PRIORITY ESI MILESTONES

-  **Draft Submitted on August 5, 1994**
-  **Draft-Final Report Issued on June 9, 1995**
-  **No Additional NYSDEC Comments will be Provided**
-  **EPA Comments Received on October 18, 1995**
-  **Final Report Issued on December 11, 1995**
-  **Army Recommends:
RI/FS/PRAP/ROD for SEADs-11, 13, 57**

8 MODERATELY LOW PRIORITY ESI MILESTONES



Field Work Completed in July 1994



Draft Report Submitted on April 14, 1995



Draft -Final Issued on January 11, 1996



Army Recommends:

- RI/FS/PRAP/ROD at SEADs-5, 12, 59
- Completion Report/ROD for SEADs-9, (43,56,69), 44, and 58
- Removal Action/Completion Report/ROD for SEAD-50



7 LOW PRIORITY ESI MILESTONES



Fieldwork Completed in July 1994



Draft Report Submitted on April 6, 1995



Draft -Final Report Submitted on May 3, 1996



Army Recommends:

- RI/FS/PRAP/ROD at SEADs-60, 63, 64 and 71**
- Completion Report/ROD for SEADs-62, and 70**
- Removal Action/Completion Report/ROD for SEAD-67**

REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY (RI/FS) STATUS REPORT

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**REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION (RI) AND FEASIBILITY
STUDY (FS) OF THE FORMER OPEN BURNING
GROUND (MILESTONES)**



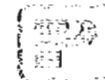
Remedial Investigation

- **Final Submitted on September 9, 1994**
- **Accepted as Final**



Feasibility Study

- **Submitted Draft for Regulatory Review on March 10, 1994 with EPA and NYSDEC**
- **Received NYSDEC Comments on May 5, 1994.**
- **Received EPA Comments on September 30, 1994**
- **Formal Consultation with EPA and NYSDEC Occured until January 1996**
- **Draft-final FS Submitted on March 19, 1996**
- **EPA and NYSDEC comments Received on May 2, 1996**



CLEAN-UP GOALS FOR OB GROUNDS

- 500 mg/Kg max. for Lead in Soils On-site**
- 16 mg/Kg max. for Copper in Sediments in Reeder Creek**
- 31 mg.Kg max. for Lead in Sediments in Reeder Creek**
- No Runoff Without Sedimentation**
- Unexploded Ordnance Clearance, as Required**

**REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION (RI) AND FEASIBILITY
STUDY (FS) OF THE ASH LANDFILL
(MILESTONES)**



Remedial Investigation

- **Final Submitted on October 3, 1994**



Source Removal Action Completed in June 1995

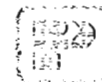


Feasibility Study

- **Draft Submitted on September 19, 1994**
- **Groundwater Modeling Report Submitted on January 4, 1996**
- **Draft-final FS Submitted on December 15, 1995**
- **EPA and NYSDEC comments Received in March 1996**
- **Final FS due on June 21, 1996**

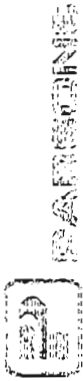
**REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION (RI) AND FEASIBILITY
STUDY (FS) OF THE FIRE TRAINING AREAS
(SEAD-25 and SEAD-26)**

- Remedial Investigation
 - Fieldwork Completed in December, 1995
 - Second Round of GW Sampling Completed April, 1996
- Pre-Draft (for Army Review) Submitted in April, 1996
- Draft due on June 28, 1996



COMPLETED REMEDIAL ACTIONS STATUS

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Restoration Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

August 20, 1996

- 7:00** **Welcome**
LTC Stephen W. Brooks
Commander, Seneca Army Depot Activity
- 7:05** **Acceptance of Minutes**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom/Dr. Dick Durst
Army Co-chair/Community Co-chair
- 7:10** **The Process of Locating Environmental Sites**
Mr. Bob Mutaw
Woodward-Clyde
- 7:45** **Break**
- 8:00** **Proposed Remedial Action Plan (PRAP), Open Burning Grounds**
Ms. Eliza Schacht
Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
- 8:30** **Review of Charter for Acceptance**
Mr. Stephen M. Absolom/Dr. Dick Durst
Army Co-chair/Community Co-chair
- 8:40** **Open Discussion**
- 9:00** **Adjourn**

RAB MEETING

Purpose of presentation:

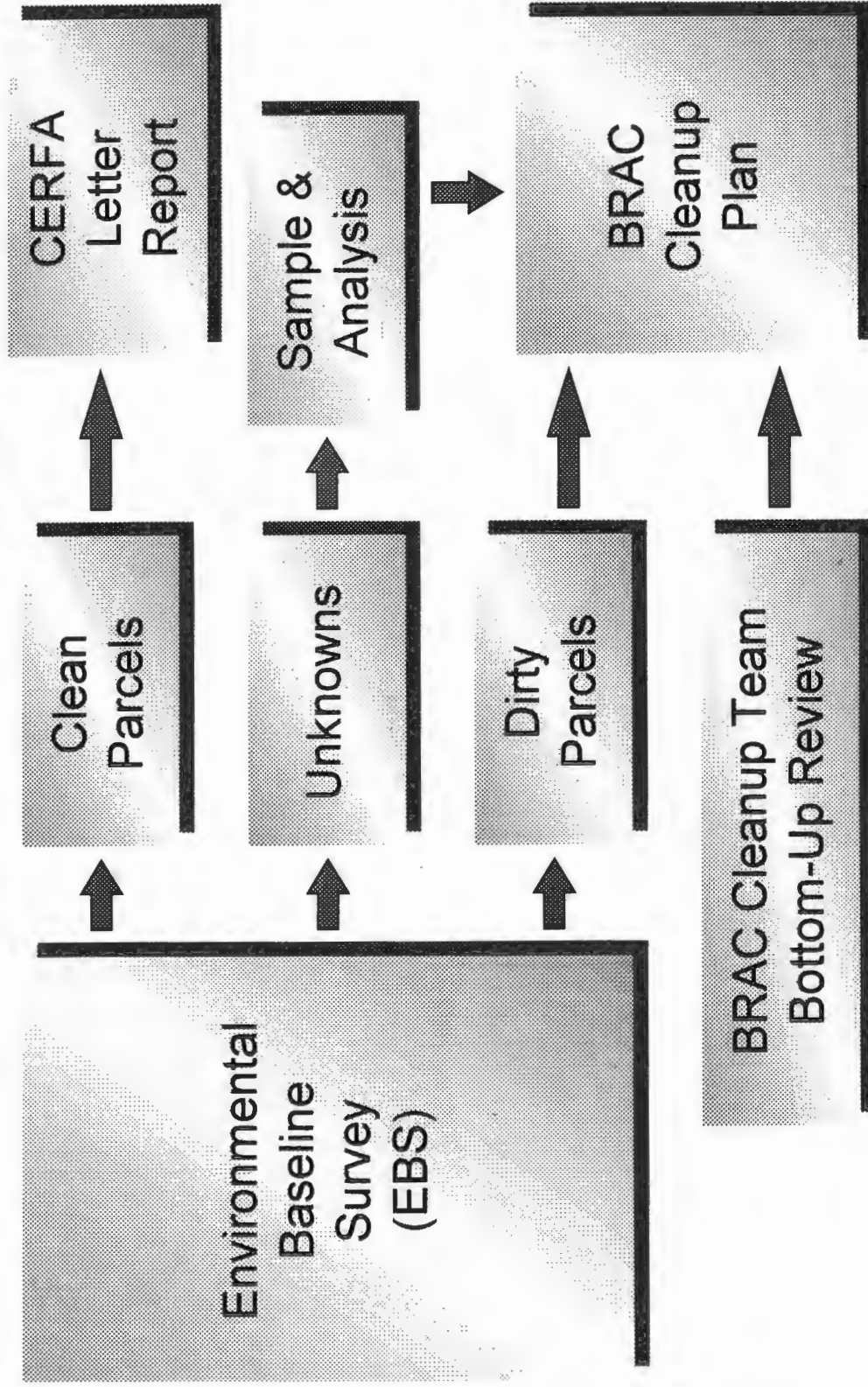
**To inform the RAB of the methods used by
Woodward-Clyde during the EBS process to
ensure that all contaminated sites have been
identified**

August 21, 1996

Woodward-Clyde



BRAC Environmental Process



Environmental Baseline Survey

◆ **Scope:**








All parts of the installation were looked at

◆ **Objective:**

To determine the environmental condition of all property at SEDA



CERFA Category Definitions

<u>Cat. #</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Environmental Condition of Property</u>
1		Areas where no storage, for one year or longer, release, or disposal of hazardous substances or petroleum products has occurred (including no migration of these substances from adjacent properties). Additionally, includes areas where no evidence exists for the release, disposal, or migration of hazardous substances or petroleum products; however, the area has been used to store less than reportable quantities of hazardous substances (40 CFR 302.4) or 600 or fewer gallons of petroleum products.
2		Areas where only storage of hazardous substances in amounts exceeding their reportable quantity or petroleum products exceeding 600 gallons has occurred, but no release, disposal, or migration has occurred.
3		Concentrations do not require a removal or remedial action.
4		Removal or remedial actions have been taken.
5		Removal or remedial actions are underway, but all required actions have not yet been implemented.
6		Required removal or remedial actions have not yet been initiated.
7		Areas that are not evaluated or require additional evaluation.



Parcel Qualifiers

- ◆ **Asbestos Containing Materials**
- ◆ **Lead Based Paint**
- ◆ **PCBs**
- ◆ **Radon**
- ◆ **Unexploded ordnance**
- ◆ **Radiological Sources**



EBS METHODS

- ◆ **Records Reviews**
- ◆ **Aerial Photograph Analysis**
- ◆ **Personnel Interviews**
- ◆ **Visual Inspections**



Records Reviews

- ◆ **Federal, State and Local Agencies**
- ◆ **Database Searches**
- ◆ **Deed and Title Searches**
- ◆ **Installation Records and Environmental Reports**



Aerial Photograph Analysis

- ◆ **Purpose: to search for evidence of past activities**
- ◆ **Review of 1954, 1963, 1969, 1981 & 1988 aerial photographs**
- ◆ **Areas identified were already SWMUs**



Personnel Interviews

- ◆ **Purpose: to obtain information about the Depot's environmental history**
- ◆ **Past and present employees contacted**
- ◆ **Consistent approach**



Visual Inspections

- ◆ **Purpose: to support the determination of the environmental condition**
- ◆ **Grounds, buildings, structures and equipment were inspected**
- ◆ **On-site and off-site inspections**
- ◆ **Consistent approach**



What did we find?

- ◆ Investigated 17 “rumored” sites
- ◆ Seven of these were confirmed and will be considered as Areas of Concern
- ◆ Ten of these were determined to not be real problem areas



Conclusion

- ◆ **Thorough investigation of all “rumored” sites**
- ◆ **Additional work will occur at confirmed sites**
- ◆ **All that can be reasonably done, has been done**
- ◆ **Your guarantee: the Army has stated that they will clean up any sites identified in the future that they were responsible for**





PRESENTATION TO THE RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD

AUGUST 20, 1996

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**PROPOSED REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN
FOR OPEN BURNING (OB) GROUNDS**

AT THE

**SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY
(SEDA)**

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PROPOSED REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN (PRAP) OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

- Background of the OB Grounds
- Remedial Investigation (RI) Summary
- Remedial Action Objectives
- Remedial Alternatives
- Preferred Alternative





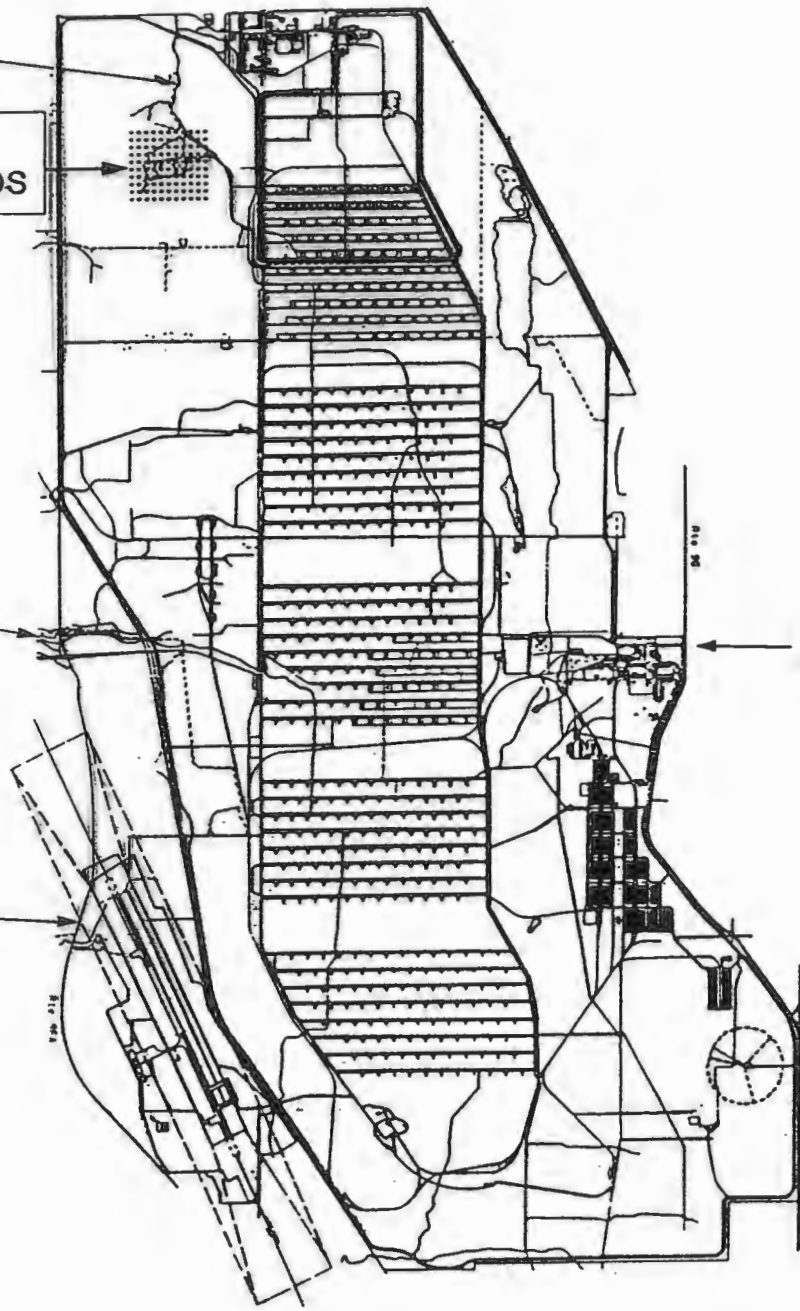
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GROUNDS

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POST #1
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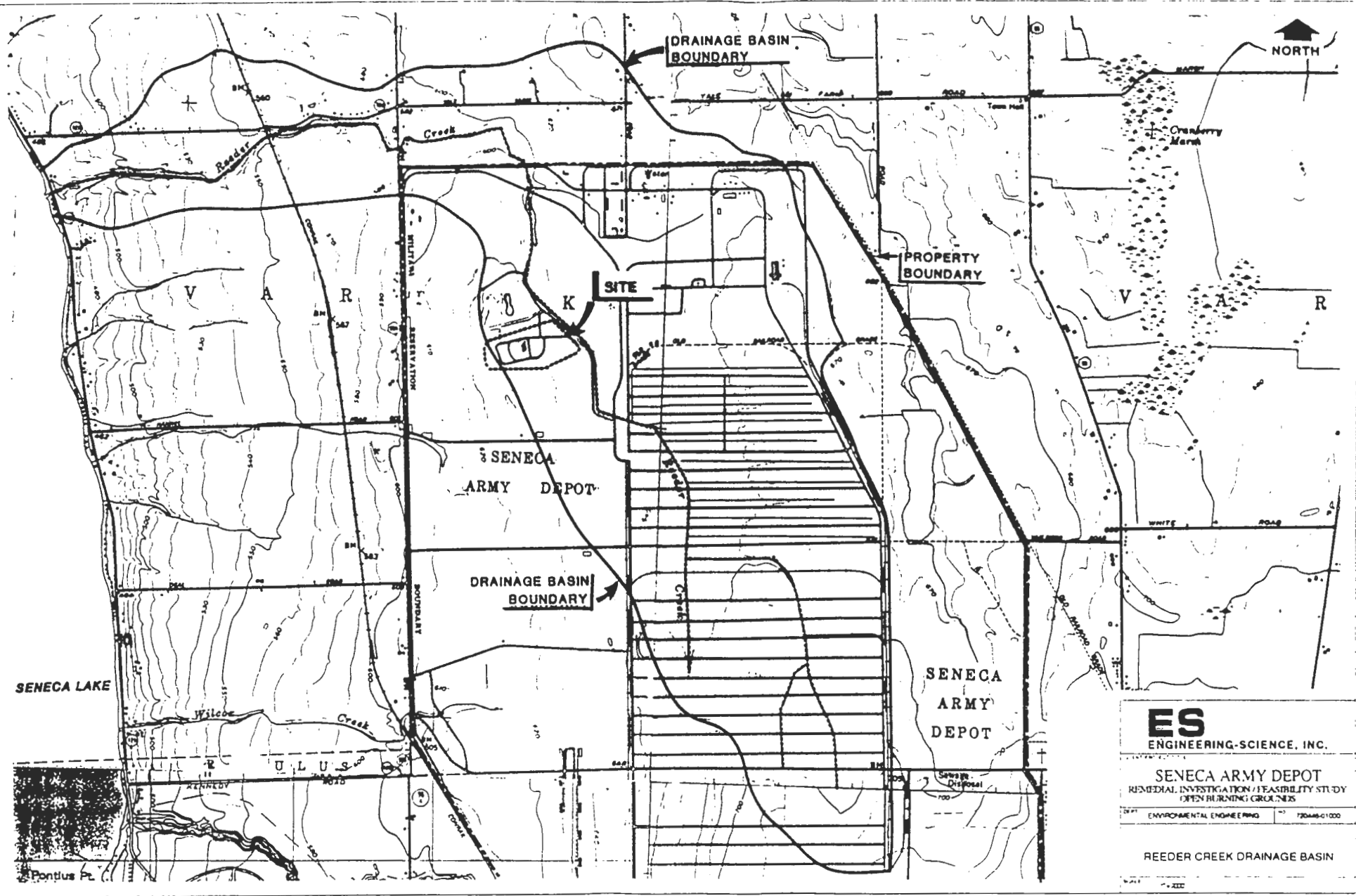
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SENECA ARMY DEPOT MAP

SCALE

1" = 5000' (APPROXIMATE)

SOURCE: Seneca Army Depot

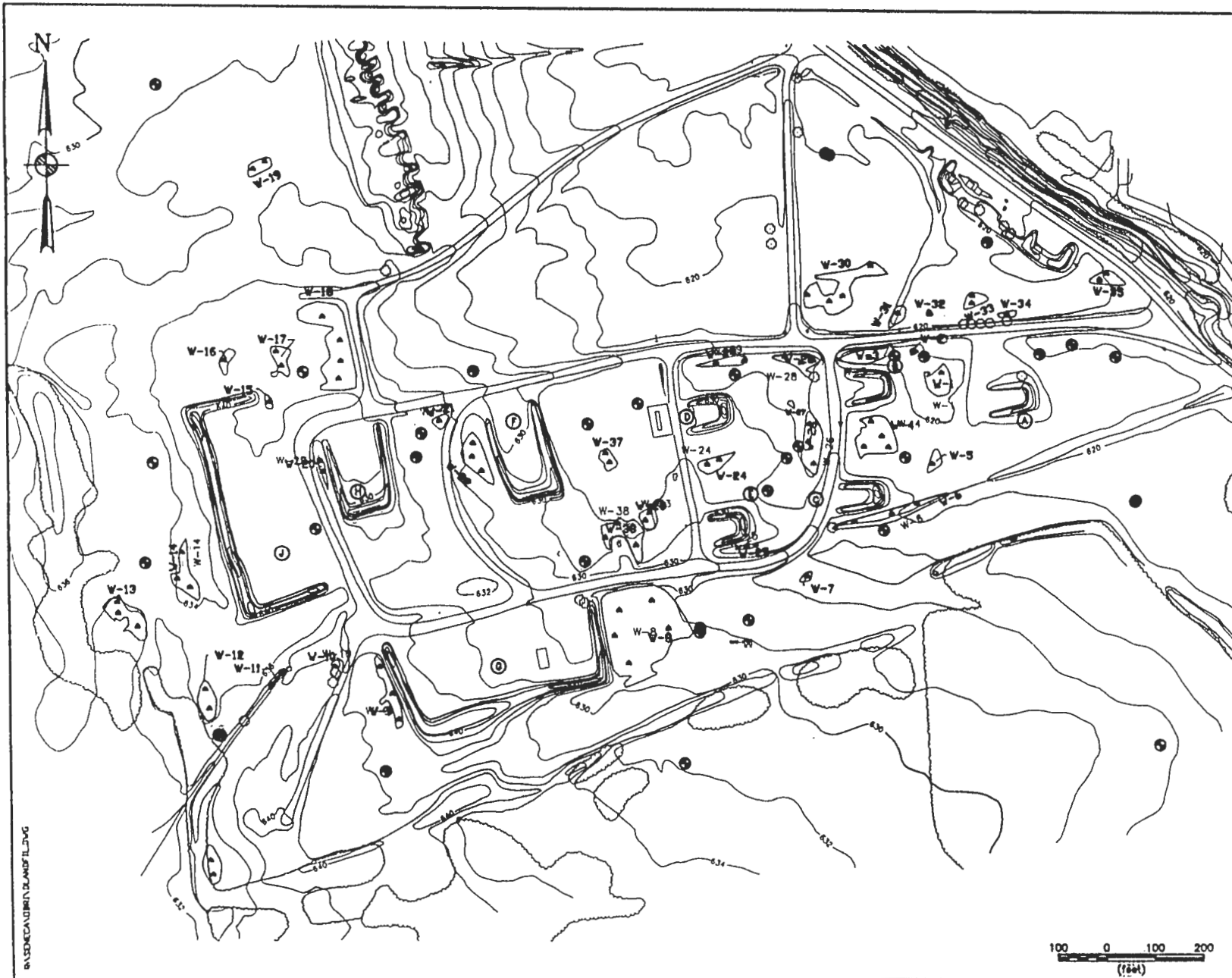


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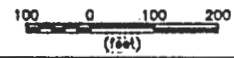


- PAD C-NO SCALE
- LEGEND:
- BURNING PAD SEDIMENTATION
 - SOIL EXCAVATION & SEDIMENTATION
 - PAD OR GRID SORES SEDIMENTATION
 - BIOPHYSICAL MONTHLY EXCAVATION & SEDIMENTATION
 - GROUND CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
 - W-1 WETLAND & SEDIMENTATION
 - W-17 MONITORING WELL & SEDIMENTATION
 - W-1 UTILITY POLE
 - W-1 TREE
 - W-1 BRUSH
 - W-28 SURFACE WATER/SEDIMENT SAMPLE & SEDIMENTATION

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SITE PLAN



SCALE: 1" = 200'

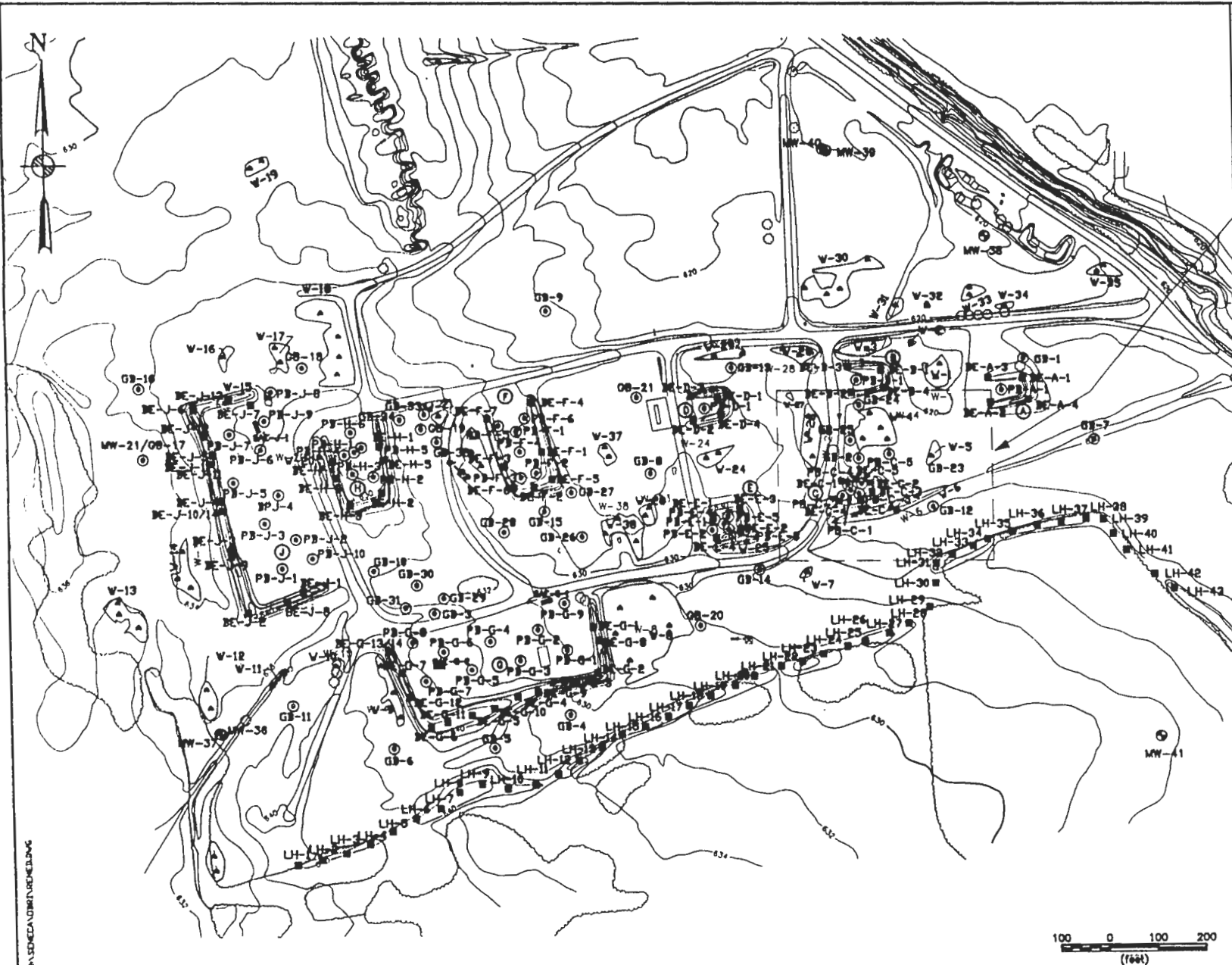
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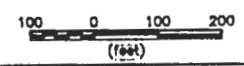
REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION FIELD TASKS

- 88 Soil Borings
 - 44 Grid Borings
 - 44 Pad Borings
- 106 Soil Excavations
 - 63 Berm Excavations
 - 43 Low Hill Excavations
- 22 Groundwater Monitoring Wells
 - 13 Groundwater Monitoring Wells Were Previously Installed
- 2 Rounds of Groundwater Sampling
- 29 Surface Water and Sediment Samples
- Ecological Survey
 - Aquatic Sampling in Reeder Creek
 - Terrestrial Study

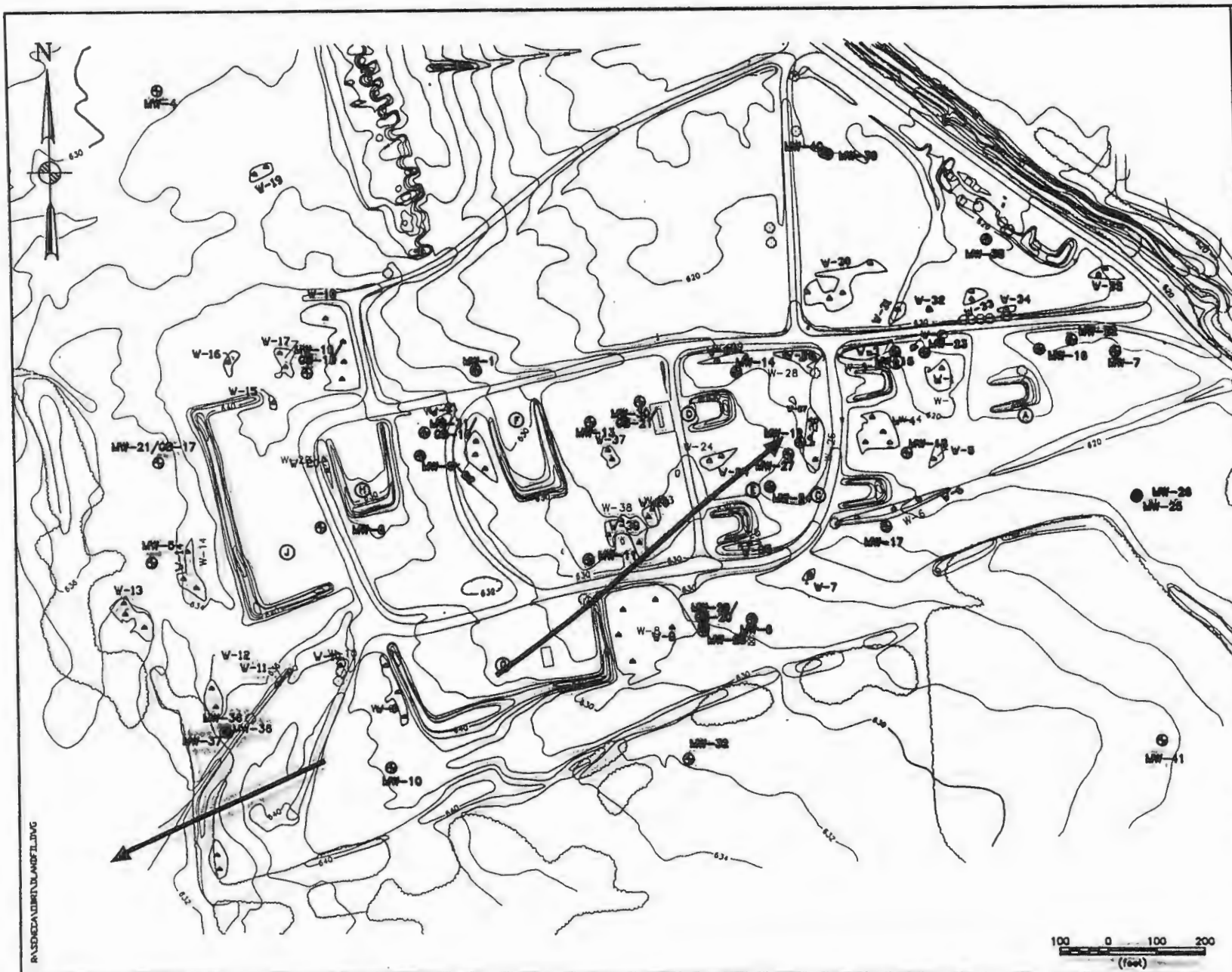


- LEGEND**
- ⊙ BURNING PITS EXCAVATION
 - ⊠ BURN EXCAVATION
 - ⊠ PB-1, PB-2 PITS OR GRID BORING EXCAVATION
 - ⊠ BKE-1, BKE-2 BIOPHYCAL ANCHLY EXCAVATION & BORESTATION
 - BREAKS CONTOUR AND ELEVATION
 - V-1 VETLAND & BORESTATION
 - MW-17 MONITORING WELL & BORESTATION
 - UTILITY POLE
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 - BRUSH
 - IV-28 SURFACE WATER/RESIDENT SAMPLE & BORESTATION

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 DATE: HYDROLOGICAL ENGINEERING 1996 No.
LOCATION OF SOIL BORINGS AND EXCAVATIONS
 SCALE: 1" = 800' DATE: MARCH 1996



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PAD C-NO SCALE

LEGEND

- BURNS PAD REMEDIATION
- PAD EXCAVATION & REMEDIATION
- PAD OR BURN BURNS REMEDIATION
- GEOPHYSICAL ANOMALY EXCAVATION & REMEDIATION
- BROAD CENTER AND ELEVATION
- WETLAND & REMEDIATION
- MONITORING WELL & REMEDIATION
- UTILITY POLE
- TREE
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- SURFACE WATER/REMEDATION SAMPLE & REMEDIATION
- GROUNDWATER FLOW DIRECTION

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 OPEN BURNING GROUNDS**

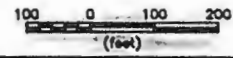
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**LOCATION OF
 GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELLS**

SCALE: 1" = 500'

DATE: MARCH 1996

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ANALYTES OPEN BURNING GROUNDS



Volatile Organic Compounds



Semivolatile Organic Compounds



Pesticides and PCBs

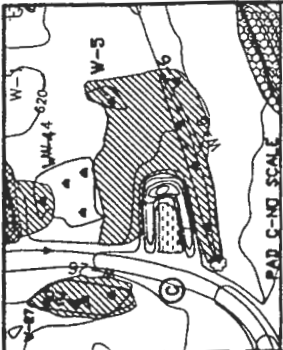
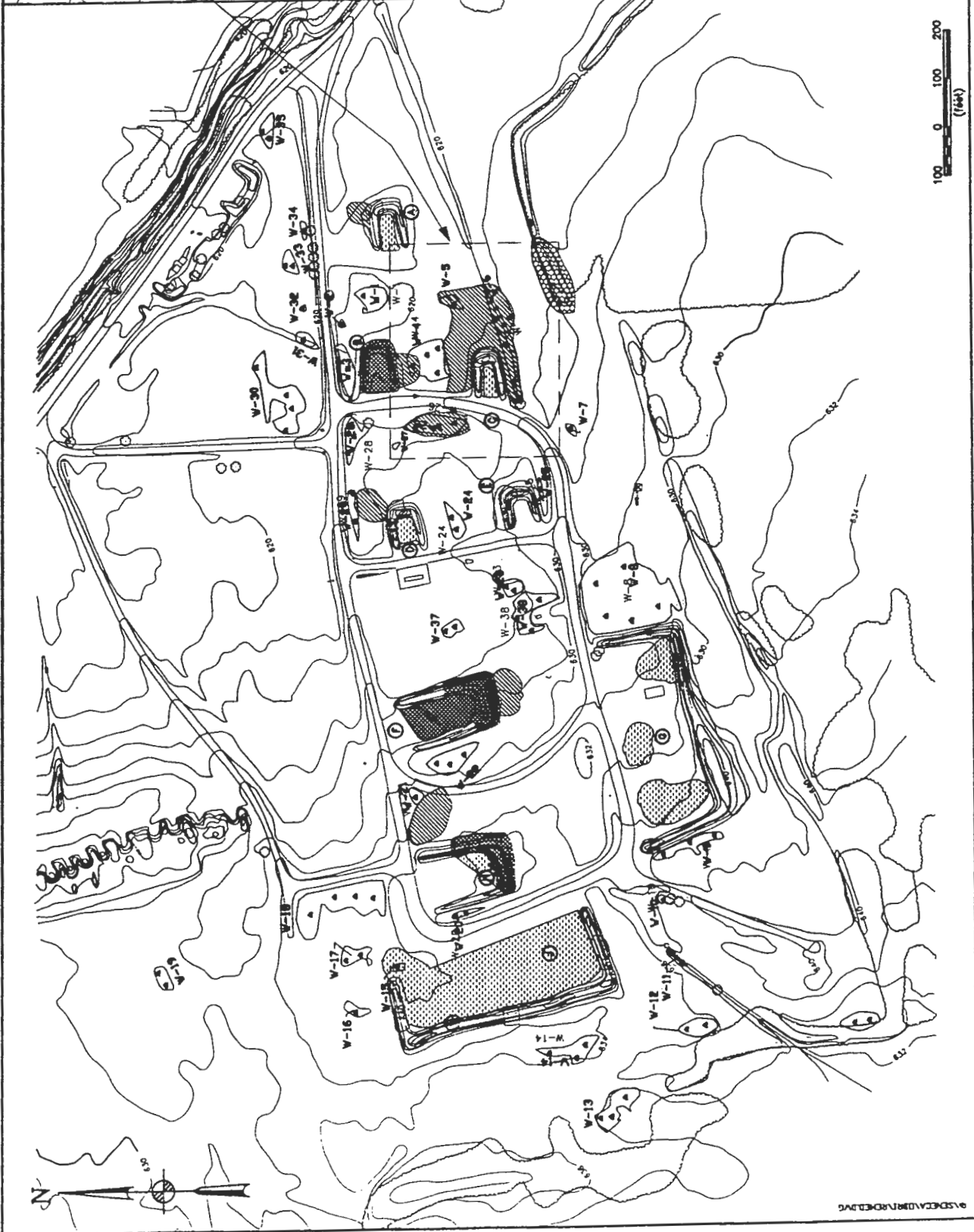


Metals



Explosives





- LEGEND:**
- ① BUILDING PAD DEMONSTRATION
 - ② BUILDING CONTROLS AND ELEVATION
 - ③ VEGETATION & REGENERATION
 - ④ UTILITY POLE
 - ⑤ TREE
 - ⑥ BRUSH
 - ⑦ DARK 1
 - ⑧ DARK 2 TO BE REGENERATED IN RECENT CHECK NOT BOUND
 - ⑨ DARK 3
 - ⑩ DARK 4
 - ⑪ DARK 5

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SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY
REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION/FEASIBILITY STUDY
 OPEN BURNING GROUNDS
 SOIL CONTAMINATION
 LOCATION OF SOIL TO BE
 REGENERATED
 (GREATER THAN 600MG/KG LEAD)
 SHEET 1 - 802
 DATE: 8/28/84

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REMEDIAL ACTION OBJECTIVES FOR OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

- ✓ 500 mg/Kg max. for Lead in Soils On-Site
- ✓ 16 mg/Kg max. for Copper in Sediments in Reeder Creek
- ✓ 31 mg/Kg max. for Lead in Sediments in Reeder Creek
- ✓ Prevent Surface Water Runoff
- ✓ Unexploded Ordnance Clearance, as Required
- ✓ Groundwater Monitoring
- ✓ Revegetate the Site
- ✓ Monitor Sediments in Reeder Creek

VOLUME OF SOIL TO BE REMEDIATED OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

CASE	LOGIC	LOCATION	TOTAL VOLUME
Case 1	Soils exceeding TCLP limits	Pads B, F, H	3,746 c.y.
Case 2	Reeder Creek sediments Low Hill Soils	Reeder Creek Low Hill	896 c.y.
Case 3	All berms with concentrations of lead above 500 mg/kg	Pads A, C, D, E, G, J	3,825 c.y.
Case 4	All soils in pads with lead concentrations above 500 mg/kg	Pads A, C, D, G, J, H	7,107 c.y.
Case 5	All grid soils with lead concentrations above 500 mg/kg	Near Pads A, B, C, D, F, H	2,341 c.y.
CUMULATIVE TOTAL VOLUME			17, 915 c.y.

REMEDIAL ALTERNATIVES FOR THE OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

- ALTERNATIVE 1: No Action
- ALTERNATIVE 4: Off-Site Disposal
- ALTERNATIVE 5: On-Site Disposal
- ALTERNATIVE 6: Soil Washing



CRITERIA FOR EVALUATING REMEDIAL ALTERNATIVES

- Overall Projection of Human Health and the Environment
- Compliance with Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate requirements (ARARs)
- Long-Term Effectiveness and Permanence
- Reduction of Toxicity, Mobility, or Volume through Treatment
- Short-Term Effectiveness
- Implementability
- Cost

**COST ESTIMATES FOR
ALTERNATIVES FOR
OPEN BURNING GROUNDS
SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY**

Alternative	Present Worth Cost	Capital Cost	O&M Costs
4	(in millions) \$2.9 to \$4.5	(in millions) \$2.4 to \$4.0	\$45,300
5	\$4.5	\$4.0	\$49,100
6	\$9.9	\$9.4	\$45,300

PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE: ALTERNATIVE 4 - OFF-SITE DISPOSAL

- Disposal of all Excavated Soils in an Off-Site Subtitle D Landfill**
- Treatment of Soils with TCLP Exceedences by Solidification/Stabilization**
- Construction Time:**
 - Treatability Testing for Solidification/Stabilization:** 2 to 3 months
 - Remediation:** 1 to 2 months
- Present Worth Cost: \$2.9 to \$4.5 million**

RESULTS OF THE REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION
 SOIL DATA
 OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

NYSDEC SOIL CLEANUP CRITERIA
 95th UCL
 MAXIMUM OF THE MEAN CRITERIA UNITS

Semivolatiles

Benzo(a)anthracene	ug/kg	3900	348.74	220
Benzo(a)pyrene	ug/kg	3700	350.19	61
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	ug/kg	670	301.48	14

Explosives

RDX	ug/kg	4,800	91
1,3,5-Trinitrobenzene	ug/kg	7,800	110
Tetryl	ug/kg	1,000	149
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene	ug/kg	80,000	13
4-amino-2,6-Dinitrotoluene	ug/kg	8,900	13
2-amino-4,6-Dinitrotoluene	ug/kg	11,000	145.20

Removed from Presentation

Metals

Barium	mg/kg	34,400	1445.67	300
Copper	mg/kg	38,100	678.04	25
Lead	mg/kg	56,700	2836.27	30
Zinc	mg/kg	127,000	884.31	89.1

**RESULTS OF REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION
 SEDIMENT DATA FOR REEDER CREEK
 OPEN BURNING GROUNDS**

COMPOUND	UNITS	95TH UCL OF THE MEAN	NYSDEC SEDIMENT CRITERIA
Copper	ug/kg	1032.68	19
Lead	ug/kg	418.55	27
Mercury	ug/kg	1.22	0.11
Zinc	ug/kg	899.80	85



**HUMAN HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT
OPEN BURNING GROUNDS
EXPOSED POPULATIONS**



CURRENT LAND USE:

**On-Site Workers
Off-Site Residents**



FUTURE LAND USE:

On-Site Residents



**SUMMARY OF BASELINE HUMAN
HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT
OPEN BURNING GROUNDS
SENECA ARMY DEPOT ACTIVITY**

EXPOSURE SCENARIO	TOTAL HAZARD INDEX	TOTAL CANCER RISK
Current on-site industrial workers	0.25	6.3×10^{-6}
Current local off-site residents	.007	3.9×10^{-7}
Future on-site residents	0.33	1.0×10^{-5}
EPA target value	1.0	$10^{-4} \times 10^{-6}$



ANALYSES OF LEAD IN SOIL

ANALYSIS METHOD

EPA Leaching Model
(VLEACH)

RESULTS OF ANALYSIS

Allowable concentration of
lead in soil

16 mg/kg to 483 mg/kg

EPA Biokinetic Uptake Model
(UBK) for Lead in Children

Allowable concentration of
lead in soil

500 mg/kg to 1000 mg/kg



RESULTS OF REMEDIATION OPEN BURNING GROUNDS

	Maximum Concentrations/ Values	Remedial Objectives
Maximum Lead Concentration in Soils	463 mg/kg	500 mg/kg
Maximum Copper Concentration in Reeder Creek sediment	22.4 mg/kg *	16 mg/kg
Maximum Lead Concentration in Reeder Creek sediment	15.4 mg/kg	31 mg/kg
Hazard Index for Future on-site Residents	0.107	1.0
Total Carcinogenic Risk for Future on-site Residents	9.46 x 10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁴ to 10 ⁻⁶
Maximum Lead in Blood	5.17 ug/dl	10 ug/dl

*The maximum concentration of copper is above the criteria because of the concentrations of copper in the background sediment sample

ALTERNATIVE 4: Off-Site Disposal

- Excavation and Treatment of Soils with Concentrations Above TCLP Criteria**
- Excavation of Sediments in Reeder Creek**
- Excavation of Remaining Soils with Lead Concentrations Above 500 mg/Kg**
- Disposal of All Excavated Soils in an Off-Site Subtitle D Landfill**
- Long Term Groundwater Monitoring**
- Runoff Prevention**
- Site Revegetation**
- Sediment Sampling in Reeder Creek**

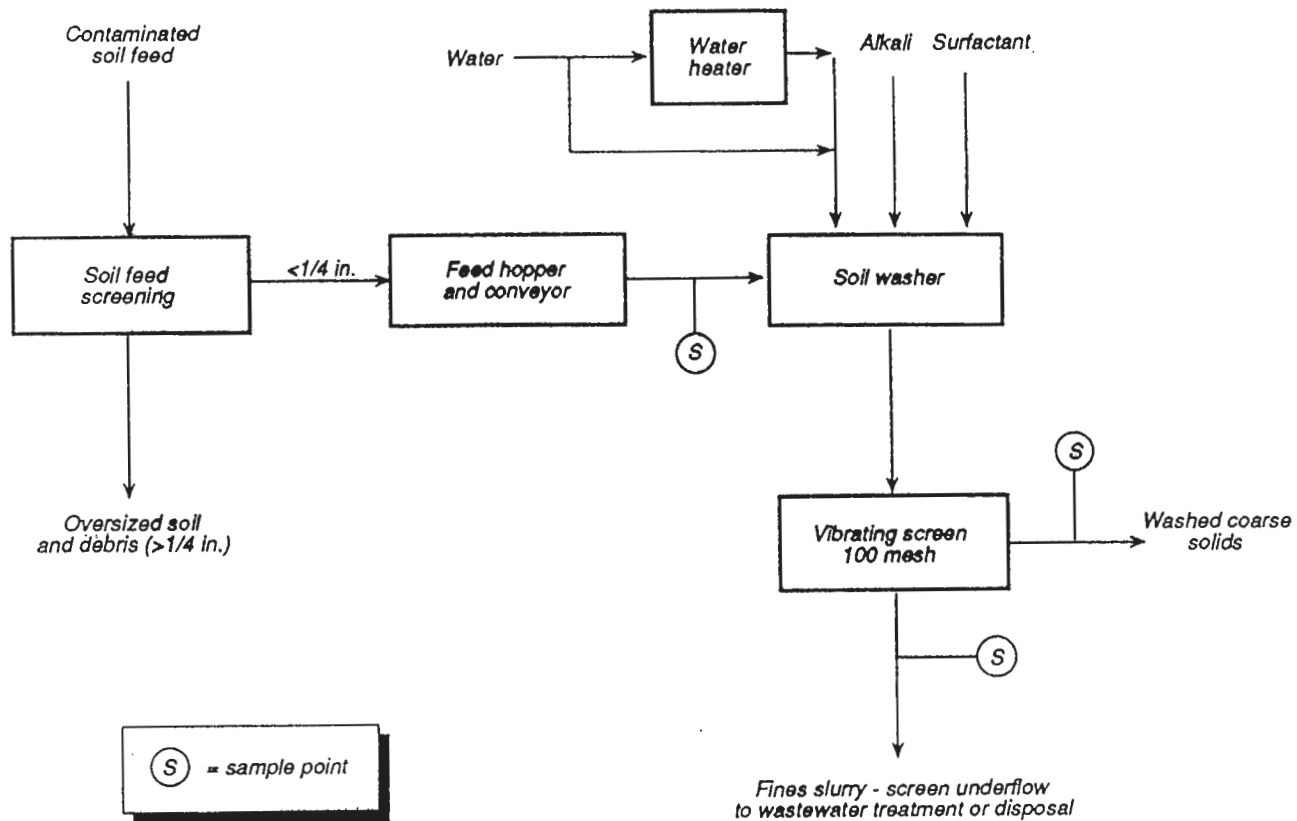
ALTERNATIVE 5: On-Site Disposal

- Excavation and Treatment of Soils with Concentrations Above TCLP Criteria**
- Excavation of Sediments in Reeder Creek**
- Excavation of Remaining Soils with Lead Concentrations Above 500 mg/Kg**
- Disposal of All Excavated Soils in an On-Site Subtitle D Landfill**
- Long Term Groundwater Monitoring**
- Runoff Prevention**
- Site Revegetation**
- Sediment Sampling in Reeder Creek**

ALTERNATIVE 6: Soil Washing

- Excavation of All Soils with Lead Concentrations Above 500 mg/Kg Including Soils Exceeding TCLP Criteria**
- Excavation of Sediments in Reeder Creek**
- Soil Washing with Coarse Soil Backfilled and Fine Soil to Off-Site Treatment and Disposal**
- Long Term Groundwater Monitoring**
- Runoff Prevention**
- Site Revegetation**
- Sediment Sampling in Reeder Creek**

SOIL WASHING PROCESS



MINUTES
RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD
AUGUST 20, 1996 MEETING MINUTES

1. Attendance:

Government RAB Members Present:

Stephen M. Absolom, BRAC Environmental Coordinator, SEDA/Army Co-Chair
Carla Struble, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Kamal Gupta, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation

Government RAB Members Not Present:

Dan Geraghty, NYS Department of Health

Community RAB Members Present:

Dick Durst/Community Co-Chair, Anne Herman, Henry Van Ness,
Carmen Serrett, Brian Dombrowski, Richard Sisson, Al Legasse,
David Wagner, Harold Kugelmass, Estelle Coleman

Community RAB Member Not Present:

Lucinda Sangree, Frank Ives, Mary Ann Krupsak,
Richard Lewis, Russell Miller, Diane Demuth

Government and Technical Support Personnel Present:

LTC Stephen Brooks, SEDA Commander
Thomas Enroth, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Janet Fallo, SEDA Environmental Engineer
Jerry Whitaker, SEDA Base Transition Coordinator
Beverly Lombardo, SEDA Public Affairs Officer
Susan Cooper, SEDA Secretary
Randy Battaglia, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, SEDA Resident Office
Dorothy Richards, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division
Eliza Schacht, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc.
Robert Mutaw, Woodward-Clyde
Rick Newill, Woodward-Clyde
Marsden Chen, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
Bruce Nelson, Malcom Pirnie

Others Present (from sign-in sheet):

Chris Raddell, Community Member/Contractor
Nellie Legasse, Community Member
Karl Bechler, Community Member
Bob Gagnon, Community Member/Contractor
Patricia Jones, LRA
M. Zackowski, Community Member

2. LTC Stephen Brooks welcomed members and support staff to the August Restoration Advisory Board in the NCO Club and delivered opening remarks.
3. Stephen Absolom outlined the evening's agenda and asked for introductions. Al Legasse expressed concerns about water, a valuable resource to the community. Minutes from the May RAB meeting were then approved and accepted into record. June minutes were discussed and corrections noted with final minutes to be provided by September's meeting.
4. Bob Mutaw of Woodward-Clyde provided a briefing on locating environmental sites as it applies to BRAC. The overview consisted of the Environmental Baseline Survey's category definitions, parcel qualifiers, methods used to research sites, and findings.
5. Eliza Schacht, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. then gave a presentation on the Proposed Remedial Action Plan for the Open Burning (OB) Grounds at Seneca. After discussing the background of the 30-acre site, field sampling was explained and residual compounds identified. Remediation objectives were listed and remedial alternatives shown with their evaluating criteria and cost estimates. The Preferred Alternative, Alternative 4, suggests Off-Site Disposal to a licensed, permitted facility as the most cost effective for \$2.9 to \$4.5 million with a proposed start date for remediation of October 1997.
6. Execution of the Final Charter ensued. All comments from the last meeting were incorporated into the draft final and sent to RAB members prior to the meeting. The Charter was signed by the Army and Community Co-Chairs.
7. General discussion items follow:
 - a. A request was made to provide RAB members with maps better illustrating the OB/OD Grounds' contamination sites identified in para 5 above. These documents will be provided before the September meeting.
 - b. A question on cost difference for off-site disposal was raised. Costs for landfilling off-site is presently very competitive compared to costs incurred from on-site disposal and construction. Concerns for off-site disposal as a means of "passing our problem to someone else" were discussed. The current known methods of safe disposal were fully explained by Marsden Chen of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation. He also stated that he would provide permitted landfill specifications to Steve Absolom for distribution to RAB members.
 - c. Reuse efforts at the OB Grounds was questioned. Before offered for reuse, the area would be checked for unexploded conventional ordnance by individuals trained in that area.
 - d. Radon testing on the installation was brought up. It was reported that all buildings were tested with only two being above the levels established as safe.

e. Possible topics for future presentations generated several viable options.

(1) A presentation by the Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) to include future uses of the depot as well as the correlation between the RAB and LRA's activities and their impacts.

(2) Risk Assessment for residential and/or industrial scenarios and how it's developed in accordance with USEPA and State guidance.

(3) Radiological contamination--it's impact, extent, future impact, and findings.

(4) Ongoing activity and status/milestones of Ash Landfill, Remedial Investigation for the Fire Training Areas and Deactivation Furnaces and what was found.

8. The next Restoration Advisory Board meeting will be held on September 17, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. at the SEDA NCO Club.

9. The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

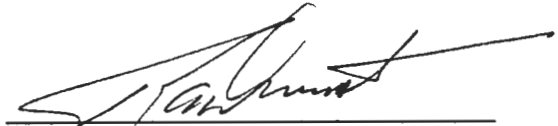


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