

NORTH ANNA COMBINED LICENSE APPLICATION (COLA) PROJECT

SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION
PROGRAM
JULY – OCTOBER 2006

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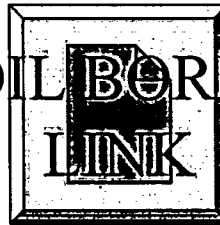
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- Soil Boring Location Plan

NORTH ANNA SOIL BORING PLAN REV. 03

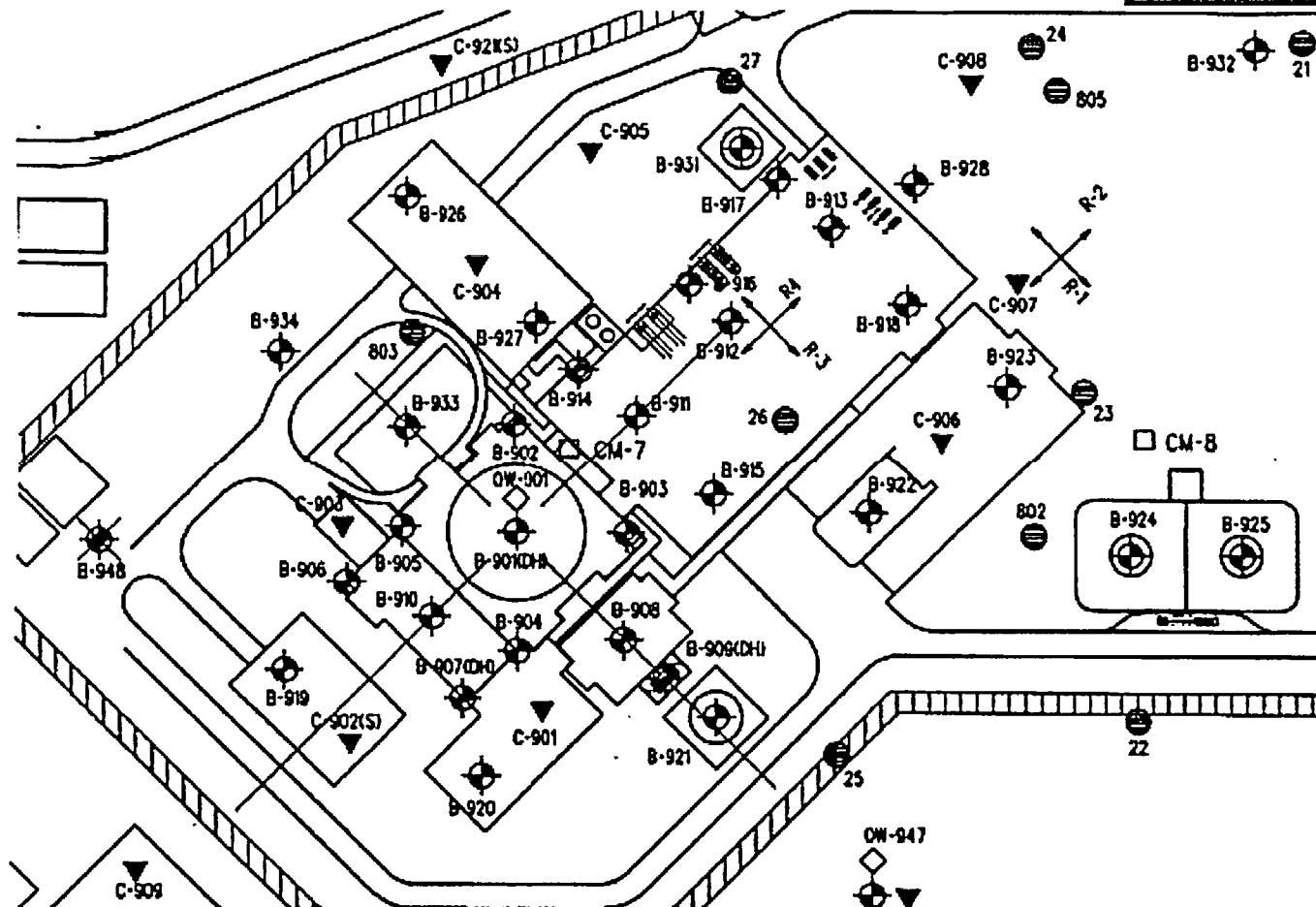


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■ Subsurface Investigation Program

Perform a full characterization of the site subsurface conditions to satisfy NRC requirements, and to complement the previously completed ESP subsurface investigation.

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■ Subsurface Investigation Program

- 51 Soil sample and rock core borings
- 23 Cone penetrometer tests
- 7 Observation wells
- 3 Sets of downhole geophysical tests
- 4 Field electrical resistivity tests
- 10 Shallow test pits

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■ Subsurface Investigation Program (contd.)

□ Boreholes – Soil and Rock Drilling (51 Total)

- 1 Borehole to 300 ft depth
- 4 Boreholes to 200 ft depth
- 12 Boreholes to 150 ft depth
- 17 Boreholes to 100 ft depth
- 17 Boreholes to 75 ft depths

SPT and Shelby tube samples in soil
HQ cores in bedrock

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- Subsurface Investigation Program (contd.)
 - Cone Penetrometer Tests (23 Total)
 - 6 Locations shall be pushed to designated depths or refusal
 - 17 Locations shall be pushed to refusal
 - 4 Locations shall include seismic CPTs
 - Groundwater Observation Wells (7 Total)
 - 4 Bedrock Wells and 3 Unconsolidated Wells
 - Bedrock Packer tests and Well Slug tests

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■ Downhole Geophysical Testing (3 Sets)

- In B-901 (300 ft), B-907 (200 ft) and B-909 (200 ft)
- P-S Suspension (Compression & Shear Wave Velocity)
- Gamma and Resistivity
- Acoustic Televiwer
- Caliper and Deviation

■ Electrical Resistivity Measurement (4 Total)

- Wenner 4-Electrode Array
- Maximum "A" Spacing of 300 ft



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■ Subsurface Investigation Program (contd.)

- MACTEC selected as vendor to perform subsurface investigation. Bechtel is providing technical and general engineering support
- A Dominion COL Project Engineer will be onsite during project activities
- Duration of activities expected to be about 12 weeks
- Work hours: 10hrs/day, 5 days/week
- Initial project and daily pre-job briefs required
- Underground Utility Detection by NAPS using GPR, EM survey and soil vacuum as needed
- Soil samples stored on-site in a controlled environment warehouse



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■ Laboratory Testing – Soil

- ❑ Moisture content (100)
- ❑ Specific gravity (4)
- ❑ Sieve and hydrometer analysis (100)
- ❑ Grain size analysis w/no. 200 wash (40)
- ❑ Atterberg limits (50)
- ❑ Chemical analyses (pH, chloride, sulfate) (20)
- ❑ Unconfined compression (10)
- ❑ Triaxial UU compression (20)
- ❑ Triaxial CU compression (5)
- ❑ Torsional shear and resonant column (10)
- ❑ One-dimensional consolidation (4)
- ❑ Moisture density (6)



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■ Laboratory Testing –Rock

- Unconfined compression - rock (70)
- Unconfined compression with stress/strain - rock (35)

Rock quality designation (RQD), compression wave velocity, and shear wave velocity measured in borings.

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■ Laboratory Testing – Groundwater Theoretical Contaminant Transport

■ **Groundwater**

- Water Quality (TBD)

■ **Soil**

- Kd Determinations (TBD)
- pH (TBD)
- Cation exchange (TBD)
- Grain size distribution (TBD)
- Clay content (TBD)

■ **Rock**

- Kd Determinations (TBD)



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■ September 12, 2006 Status

- Completed Boreholes: 19. Started 20 of 51
- Downhole Geophysics: 3 of 3
- CPTs: 0 of 23
- Completed Observation Wells: 0 of 7
 - Packer Tests: 4 of 4
 - Slug Tests: 0 of 3
- Electric Resistivity Measurements: 0 of 4
- Shallow Pit Tests: 0 of 10

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■ Subsurface Profile

■ I Residual Clays and Clay Silts

- All structures of parent rock are lost

■ IIA Saprolite

- Core stone less than 10 percent of volume of overall mass

■ IIB Saprolite

- Core stones 10 to 15 percent of volume of overall mass

■ III Weathered Rock

- Core stone more than 50 percent of volume of the overall mass

■ IV Sound Rock

- Slightly weathered to fresh rock below zone of isolated core stones



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