Ro Algon Mining LLC

April 7, 2009

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Mr. Jerry Schoeppner Groundwater Quality Section New Mexico Environment Department P.O. Box 26110 Santa Fe, NM 87502

Re: Discharge Plan - 71

Analytical Results – 1st Quarter 2009

Dear Mr. Schoeppner,

Please find attached the 1st quarter groundwater monitoring report for the Section 4 lined evaporation ponds at the Ambrosia Lake mill facility for the above referenced discharge permit. This report includes the quarterly reporting requirements as per DP-71.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at 505-287-8851.

Regards,

Donald Sweeney

Environmental Department Supervisor

Radiation Safety Officer

Attachment: As stated

xc: NRC (Mr. Tom McLaughlin)

NRC (document control)

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RIO ALGOM MINING LLC AMBROSIA LAKE FACILITY

Discharge Permit DP-71

1st Quarter 2009

Summary of Activities

This report presents the results of the monitoring and sampling requirements associated with discharge permit DP-71 for the period encompassing the 1st quarter of 2009. DP-71 permit renewal was approved on December 1, 2003 and monitoring requirements were expanded from previous monitoring commitments listed in the permit. This has resulted in acquiring data that was not obtained in past monitoring programs.

Activities associated with the Section 4 lined evaporation ponds consisted of continued transporting of material to Pond 2 for final disposal. Hauling of sediments was initiated in December 2005 following construction of a highway overpass. As of November 30, 2007, 100% of the estimated pond sediments have been relocated to the disposal cell at the main mill facility. There were no spills or related problems with the lined ponds during the reporting period.

All wells associated with the permit were dry or contained insufficient water for sample collection except for two wells. These wells were MW-22 and MW-32. Laboratory/analytical results for the quarterly sample events were provided by ACZ Laboratories. A table summarizing the data is attached and copies of the laboratory reports are included with this submittal.

Time versus concentration plots for constituents chloride, sulfate, TDS, and hydrographs for MW-22, MW-26, and MW-32 are attached. Since all other wells continue to be dry, Rio Algom wishes to incorporate the hydrographs for the other wells associated with DP-71 that were included within the April 3, 2006 submittal.

Due to the lack of any water in the alluvium in the Section 4 Pond area, development of a potentiometric map for the alluvium was not undertaken. Since mine dewatering from mines northeast of the Section 4 Ponds ceased in 1985, the alluvium in the vicinity of the Section 4 Ponds has drained, which is reflected in the historical water level data obtained from the monitoring wells associated with the Section 4 Ponds.

Analytical Data

DP-71

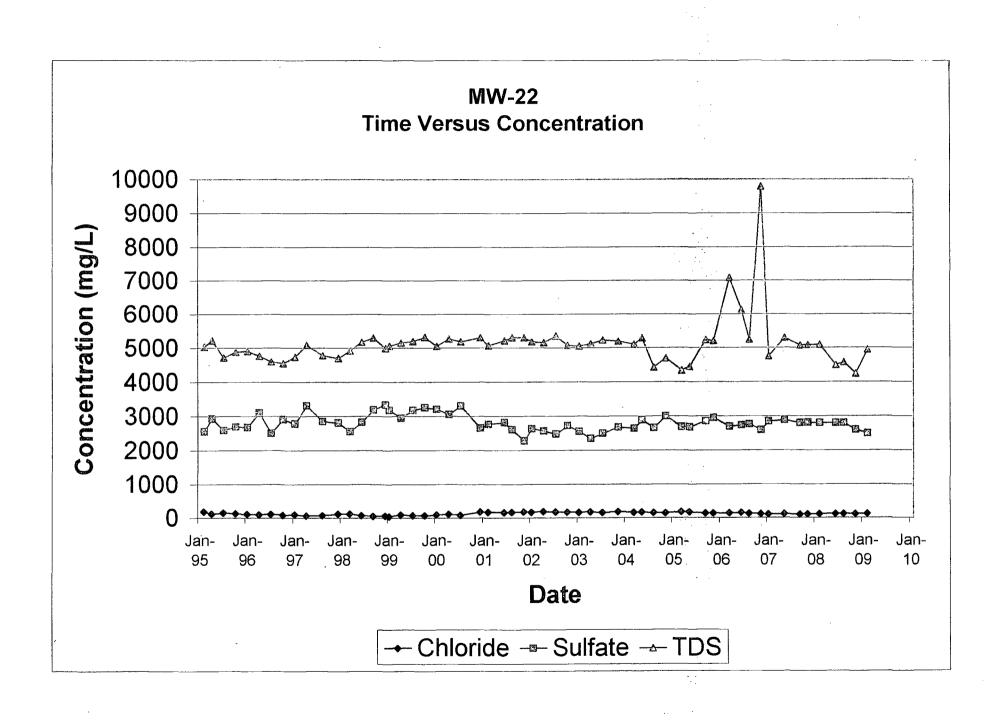
RIO ALGOM MINING LLC DISCHARGE PERMIT - DP-71 MONITORING RESULTS - 1st QUARTER 2009

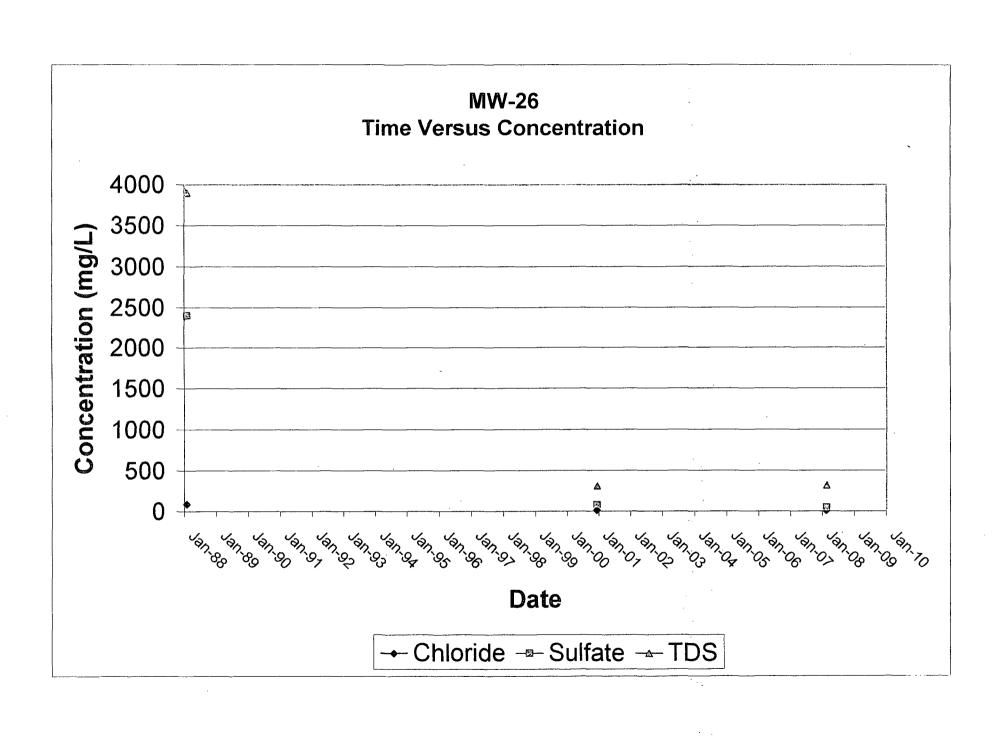
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| | | Water | Depth | WELL | pН | Temp. | Cond. | Chloride | Sulfate | TDS | Nitrate | Arsenic | Selenium | Uraniium |
| Date | Location | (ft) | (ft) | STATUS | (s.u.) | (C) | (uS) | (mg/L) | (mg/L) | (mg/L) | . (mg/L) | (mg/L) | (mg/L) | (mg/L) |
| 2/9/09 | MW-12 | | 13.00 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-13 | | 29.29 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-22 | 34.74 | 36.80 | | 7.16 | 12.7 | 5400 | 120 | 2500 | 4940 | 50.7 | 0.0107 | 0.288 | 0.0321 |
| 2/9/09 | MW-23 | | 41.67 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-24 | | 50.10 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-25 | | 29.60 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-26 | | 35.23 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-27 | | 27.88 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-28 | | 32.46 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-29 | | 29.29 | NS | | | | | | , | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-30 | | 40.99 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MVV-31 | | 50.48 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2/9/09 | MW-32 | 68.05 | 71.60 | } | 7.08 | 12.1 | 5270 | 120 | 2500 | 4940 | 48 | 0.0084 | 0.188 | 0.0691 |
| 2/9/09 | MW-33 | | 59.29 | NS | | | | | | | | | | |

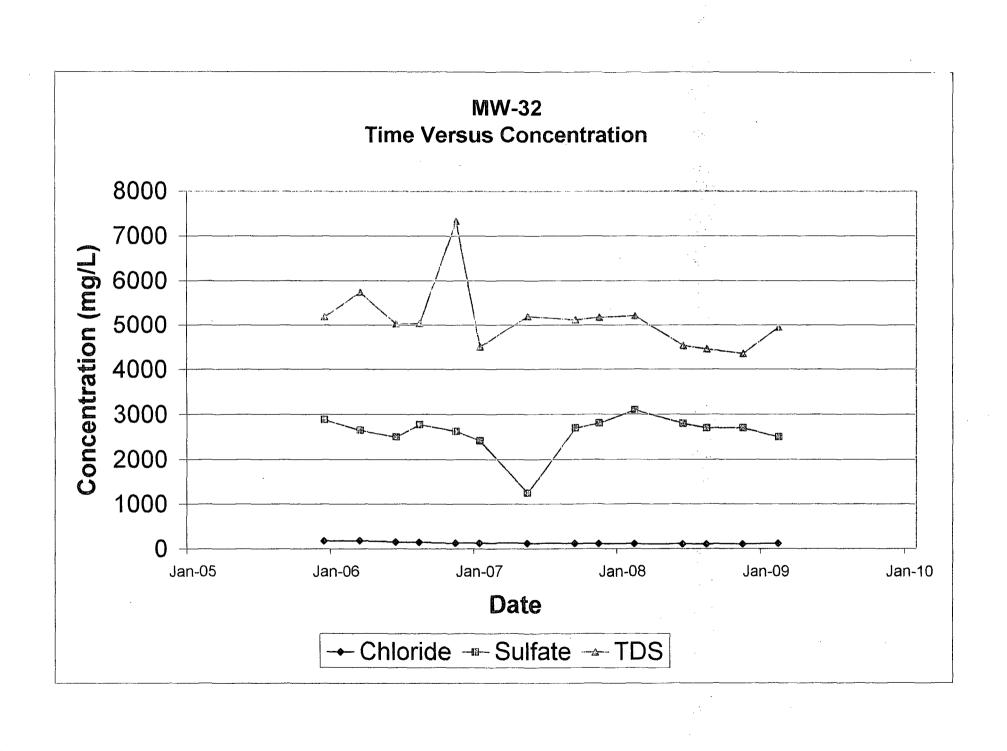
Notes

- 1 Well status listed as "NS" indicates the well was either dry or contained insufficient water for sample collection.
- 2 Monitor wells MW-1 through MW-11, MW-14 through MW-21 plugged and abandoned for the lined pond relocation project.

Time versus Concentration Plots MW-22, MW-26, and MW-32





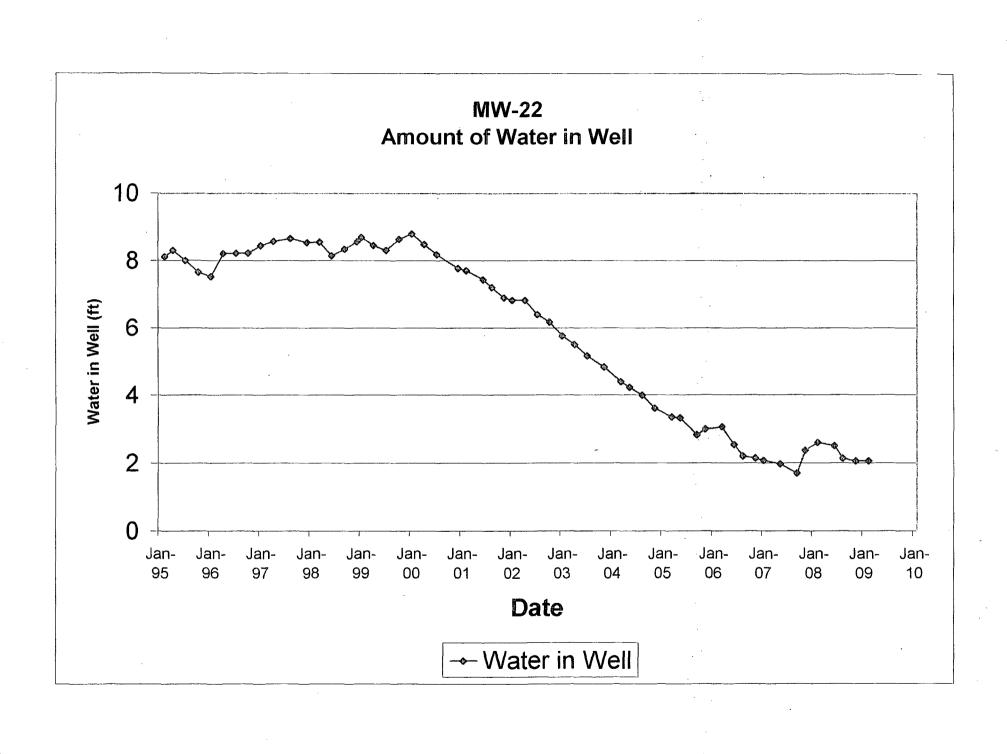


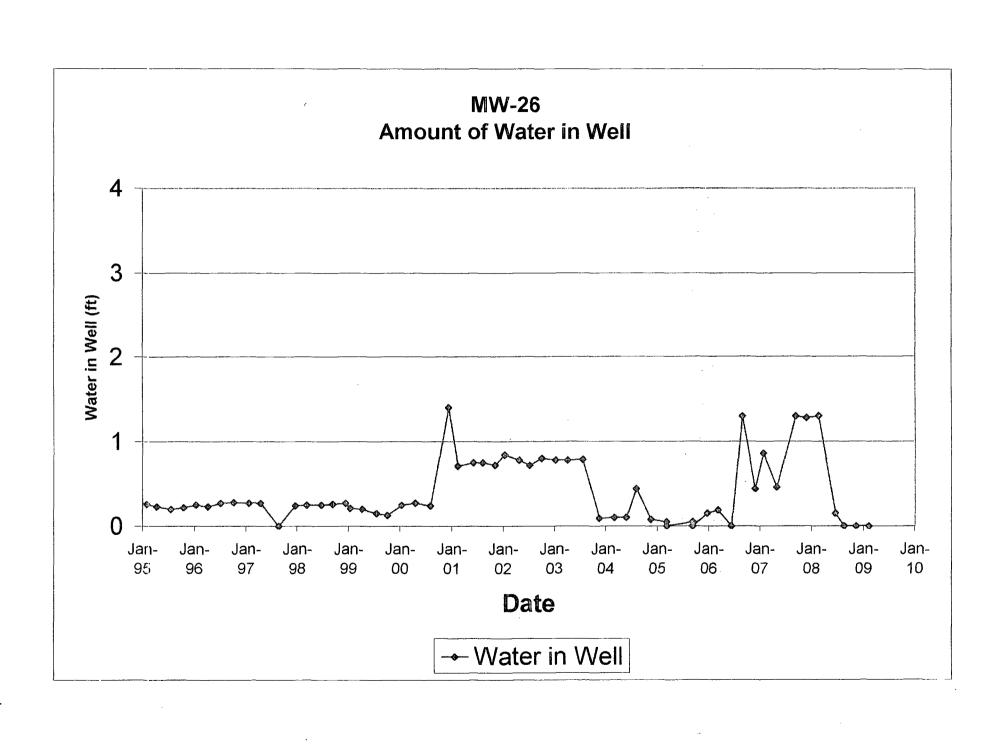
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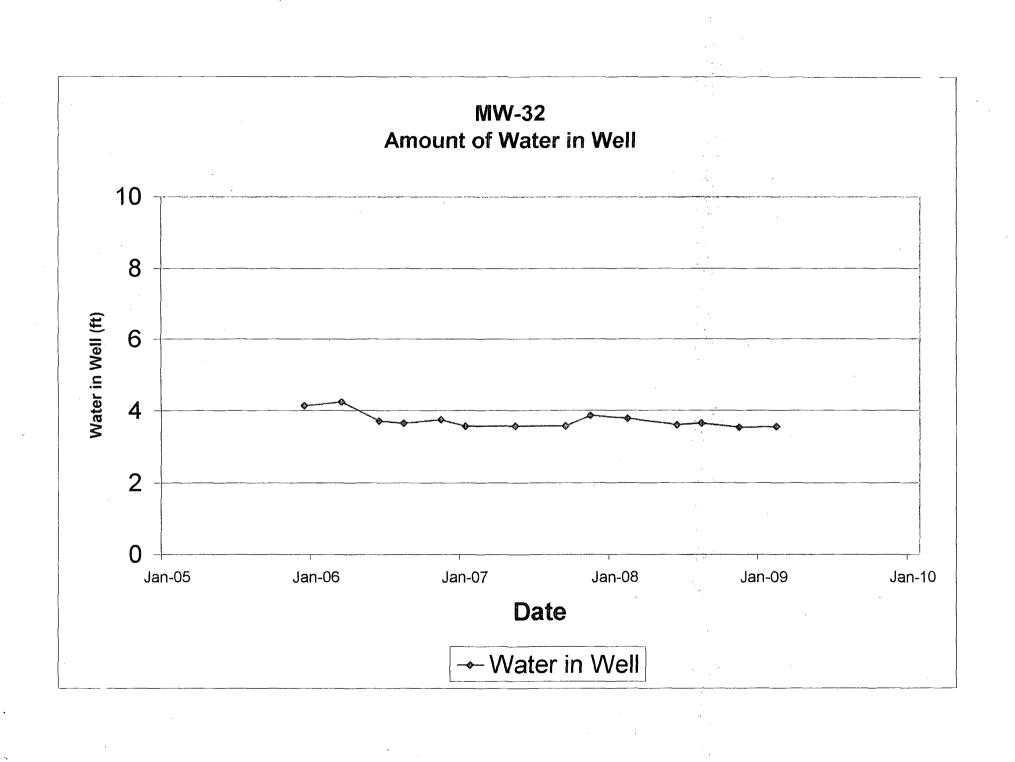
DP-71 Well Network

MW-22, MW-26, and MW-32

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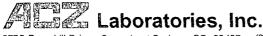






Laboratory Reports

DP-71



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February 25, 2009

Report to:
Don Sweeney
Rio Algom Mining Company
P.O. Box 218

Bill to: Accounts Payable Rio Algom Mining Company P.O. Box 218 Grants, NM 87020

Project ID: 57867

Grants, NM 87020

ACZ Project ID: L74397

Don Sweeney:

Enclosed are the analytical results for sample(s) submitted to ACZ Laboratories, Inc. (ACZ) on February 12, 2009. This project has been assigned to ACZ's project number, L74397. Please reference this number in all future inquiries.

All analyses were performed according to ACZ's Quality Assurance Plan, version 12.0. The enclosed results relate only to the samples received under L74397. Each section of this report has been reviewed and approved by the appropriate Laboratory Supervisor, or a qualified substitute.

Except as noted, the test results for the methods and parameters listed on ACZ's current NELAC certificate letter (#ACZ) meet all requirements of NELAC.

This report shall be used or copied only in its entirety. ACZ is not responsible for the consequences arising from the use of a partial report.

All samples and sub-samples associated with this project will be disposed of after March 25, 2009. If the samples are determined to be hazardous, additional charges apply for disposal (typically less than \$10/sample). If you would like the samples to be held longer than ACZ's stated policy or to be returned, please contact your Project Manager or Customer Service Representative for further details and associated costs. ACZ retains analytical reports for five years.

If you have any questions or other needs, please contact your Project Manager.

Scott Habermehl has reviewed and approved this report.

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Project ID:

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Sample ID:

MW-22

Date Sampled: 02/09/09 12:52

Date Received: 02/12/09

Sample Matrix: Ground Water

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| Arsenic, dissolved | M200.8 ICP-MS | 0.0107 | mg/L | 0.0005 | | 02/17/09 5:34 | msh |
| Selenium, dissolved | M200.8 ICP-MS | 0.2880 | mg/L | 0.0001 | 0.0005 | 02/17/09 5:34 | msh |
| Uranium, dissolved | M200.8 ICP-MS | 0.0321 | mg/L | 0.0001 | 0.0005 | 02/17/09 5:34 | msh |

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| Residue, Filterable (TDS) @180C | SM2540C | 4940 | * | mg/L | 10 | 20 | 02/13/09 15:20 | kah |
| Sulfate | 375.4 - Turbidimetric | 2500 | * | mg/L | 100 | 500 | 02/20/09 16:19 | aml |





Rio Algom Mining Company

Project ID:

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Sample ID:

MW-32

ACZ Sample ID: L74397-02

Date Sampled: 02/09/09 10:46

Date Received: 02/12/09

Sample Matrix: Ground Water

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| Uranium, dissolved | M200.8 ICP-MS | 0.0691 | mg/L | 0.0001 | 0.0005 | 02/17/09 5:40 | m <u>ş</u> h |

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| | CCV | Continuing Calibration \ | remication standard | LFMD | Laboratory Portified Matrix Duplicate |
| ` | DUP | Sample Duplicate | | LRB | Laboratory Reagent Blank |
| | ICB | Initial Calibration Blank | | MS | Matrix Spike |
| | ICV | Initial Calibration Verific | | MSD | Matrix Spike Duplicate |
| | ICSAB | | n Standard - A plus B solutions | PBS | Prep Blank - Soil |
| | LCSS | Laboratory Control Sam | | PBW | Prep Blank - Water |
| | LCSSD | Laboratory Control Sam | • | PQV | Practical Quantitation Verification standard |
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For a complete list of ACZ's Extended Qualifiers, please click:

Animal matrices for Inorganic analyses are reported on an "as received" basis.

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ACZ Project ID: L74397

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| L74397-02AS | AS | 02/17/09 5:46 | MS090130-2 | .05005 | .0084 | .05612 | mg/L | 95.3 | 70 | 130 | | | |
| L74397-02ASD | ASD | 02/17/09 5:52 | MS090130-2 | .05005 | .0084 | .0565 | mg/L | 96.1 | 70 | 130 | 0.67 | 20 | |
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| WG260018LFB1 | LFB | 02/20/09 12:15 | WI080818-2 | 30 | | 31.6 | mg/L | 105.3 | 90 | 110 | | | |
| L74389-06AS | AS | 02/20/09 12:17 | WI080818-2 | 30 | 5 | 40.2 | mg/L | 117.3 | 90 | 110 | | | M1 |
| L74389-07DUP | DUP | 02/20/09 12:17 | | | 5 | 5 | mg/L | | | | 0 | 20 | RA |
| WG260018LFB2 | LFB | 02/20/09 12:19 | WI080818-2 | 30 | | 32.7 | mg/L | 109 | 90 | 110 | | | |
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| L74387-03AS | AS | 02/23/09 15:35 | WI090218-6 | 200 | υ | 192 | mg/L | 96 | 90 | 110 | | | |
| L74388-01DUP | DUP | 02/23/09 15:38 | | | .72 | .716 | mg/L | | | | 0.6 | 20 | |
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| WG259822ICB | ICB | 02/17/09 3:59 | | | | U | mg/L | | -0.00022 | 0.00022 | | | |
| WG259822LFB | LFB | 02/17/09 4:11 | MS090130-2 | .05 | | .04771 | mg/L | 95.4 | 85 | 115 | | | |
| L74387-02AS | AS | 02/17/09 4:28 | MS090130-2 | .5 | .07 | .5762 | mg/L | 101.2 | 70 | 130 | | | |
| L74387-02ASD | ASD | 02/17/09 4:34 | MS090130-2 | .5 | .07 | .5893 | mg/L | 103.9 | 70 | 130 | 2.25 | 20 | |
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| WG260043LFB | LFB | 02/20/09 15:43 | WI081015-3 | 10 | | 9.4 | mg/L | 94 | 90 | 110 | | | |
| L74316-01DUP | DUP | 02/20/09 15:43 | | | U | U | mg/L | | | | 0 | 20 | RA |
| L74389-02AS | AS | 02/20/09 15:49 | SO4TURB5 | 10 | 34 | 46.1 | mg/L | 121 | 90 | 110 | | | МЗ |
| L74407-01AS | AS | 02/20/09 15:52 | SO4TURB5 | 10 | 117 | 107.1 | mg/L | -99 | 90 | 110 | | | M4 |
| L74397-02DUP | DUP | 02/20/09 16:19 | | | 2500 | 2570 | mg/L | | | | 2.8 | 20 | |
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| L74397-01 | WG260018 | Chloride | SM4500CI-E | M1 | Matrix spike recovery was high, the recovery of the associated control sample (LCS or LFB) was acceptable. |
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| | | | SM4500CI-E | RA | Relative Percent Difference (RPD) was not used for data validation because the sample concentration is too low for accurate evaluation (< 10x MDL). |
| | WG259771 | Residue, Filterable (TDS) @180C | SM2540C | ZO | Concentration is based on a final residue greater than 200 mg. |
| | WG260043 | Sulfate | 375.4 - Turbidimetric | М3 | The spike recovery value is unusable since the analyte concentration in the sample is disproportionate to the spike level. The recovery of the associated control sample (LCS or LFB) was acceptable. |
| | | | 375.4 - Turbidimetric | RA | Relative Percent Difference (RPD) was not used for data validation because the sample concentration is too low for accurate evaluation (< 10x MDL). |
| L74397-02 | WG260018 | Chloride | SM4500CI-E | M1 | Matrix spike recovery was high, the recovery of the associated control sample (LCS or LFB) was acceptable. |
| | | | SM4500CI-E | RA | Relative Percent Difference (RPD) was not used for data validation because the sample concentration is too low for accurate evaluation (< 10x MDL). |
| | WG259771 | Residue, Filterable (TDS) @180C | SM2540C | ZO | Concentration is based on a final residue greater than 200 mg. |
| | WG260043 | Sulfate | 375.4 - Turbidimetric | M4 | The spiked sample required a dilution such that the spike recovery calculation does not provide useful information. The recovery of the associated control sample (LCS or LFB) was acceptable. |



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Wet Chemistry

Sulfate 375.4 - Turbidimetric



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- 1) Does this project require special handling procedures such as CLP protocol?
- 2) Are the custody seals on the cooler intact?
- 3) Are the custody seals on the sample containers intact?
- 4) Is there a Chain of Custody or other directive shipping papers present?
- 5) Is the Chain of Custody complete?
- 6) Is the Chain of Custody in agreement with the samples received?
- 7) Is there enough sample for all requested analyses?
- 8) Are all samples within holding times for requested analyses?
- 9) Were all sample containers received intact?
- 10) Are the temperature blanks present?
- 11) Is the trip blank for Cyanide present?
- 12) Is the trip blank for VOA present?
- 13) Are samples requiring no headspace, headspace free?
- 14) Do the samples that require a Foreign Soils Permit have one?

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| Abbreviation | Description | Container Type | Preservative/Limits |
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| R | Raw/Nitric | RED | pH must be < 2 |
| В | Filtered/Sulfuric | BLUE | pH must be < 2 |
| BK | Filtered/Nitric | BLACK | pH must be < 2 |
| G | Filtered/Nitric | GREEN | pH must be < 2 |
| 0 | Raw/Sulfuric | ORANGE | pH must be < 2 |
| P | Raw/NaOH | PURPLE | pH must be > 12 * |
| T | Raw/NaOH Zinc Acetate | TAN | pH must be > 12 |
| Υ | Raw/Sulfuric | YELLOW | pH must be < 2 |
| YG | Raw/Sulfuric | YELLOW GLASS | pH must be < 2 |
| N/A | No preservative needed | Not applicable | |
| RAD | Gamma/Beta dose rate | Not applicable | must be $< 250 \mu R/hr$ |

^{*} pH check performed by analyst prior to sample preparation

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