AN UPDATE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STICKNEY, CALUMET AND NORTHSIDE WATER RECLAMATION PLANTS' MASTER PLANS

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PRESENTATION OVERVIEW

- 1. Review of the Objectives of the Master Planning Process
- 2. Review of the Master Plans Program
- 3. Current Implementation Progress
- 4. A Look Ahead

HISTORY OF THE MASTER PLANS

2000: Recognized Need for a Comprehensive Plan to Address Major Plant Shortcomings at Stickney.

40 Year Planning Horizon (2040)

20 Year Improvement Projects (2020)

2003: Initiated First Master Plan Work at Stickney

2004: Completed Stickney Master Plan

2005: Completed Calumet Master Plan

2007: Completed North Side Master Plan

Objectives of the Master Plan Process:

- 1. Assess Future Flows and Pollutant Loadings
- 2. Maintain the Treatment Capacity of the Plant through the Year 2040 Projected Flows
- 3. Replace/Upgrade Undersized or Underperforming Unit Processes
- 4. Review Opportunities with Respect to Process Changes



Objectives of the Master Plan Process:

- 5. Provide Sustained Treatment Capability for TARP Phase II Reservoir Pumpback (Stickney & Calumet)
- 6. Prepare to Respond to Changes in Potential Regulations (Nutrient Removal, Disinfection)
- 7. Standardization of Processes and Equipment Between Plants Where Practical

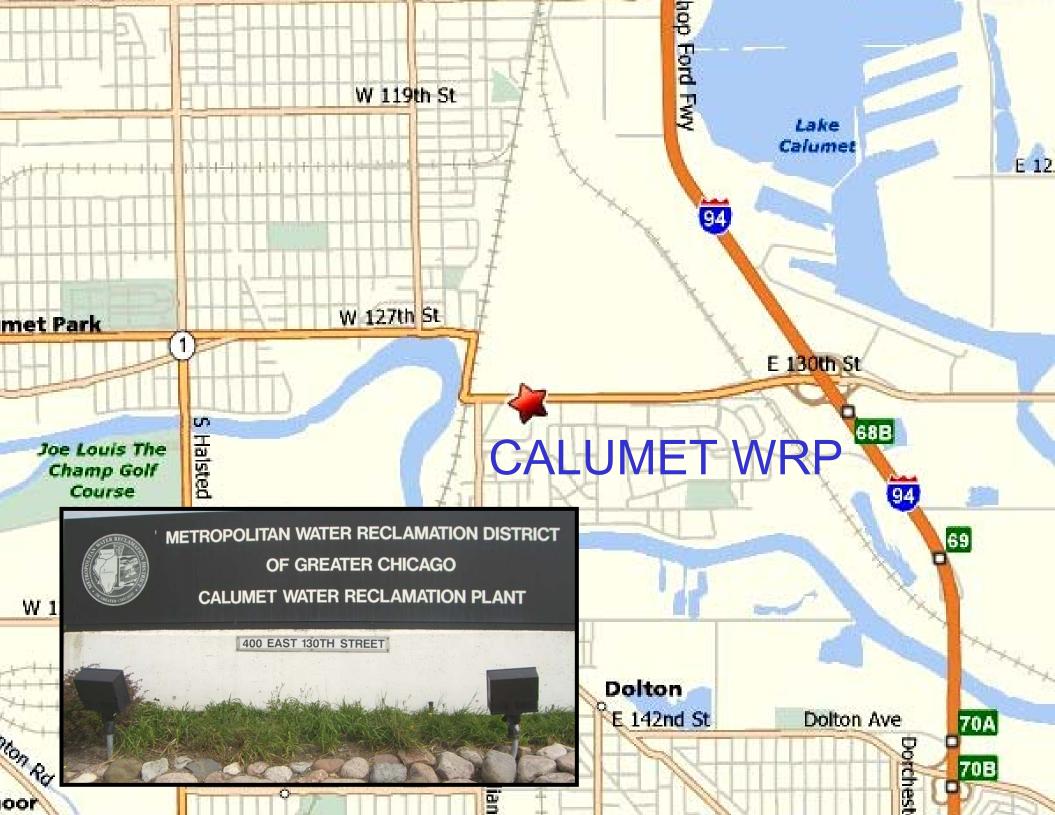
Products:

- 1. Master Plan Prioritizing Capital Improvement Projects Over the Next 20 Years
- 2. Computer Model of the Plant Processes for Future Analysis

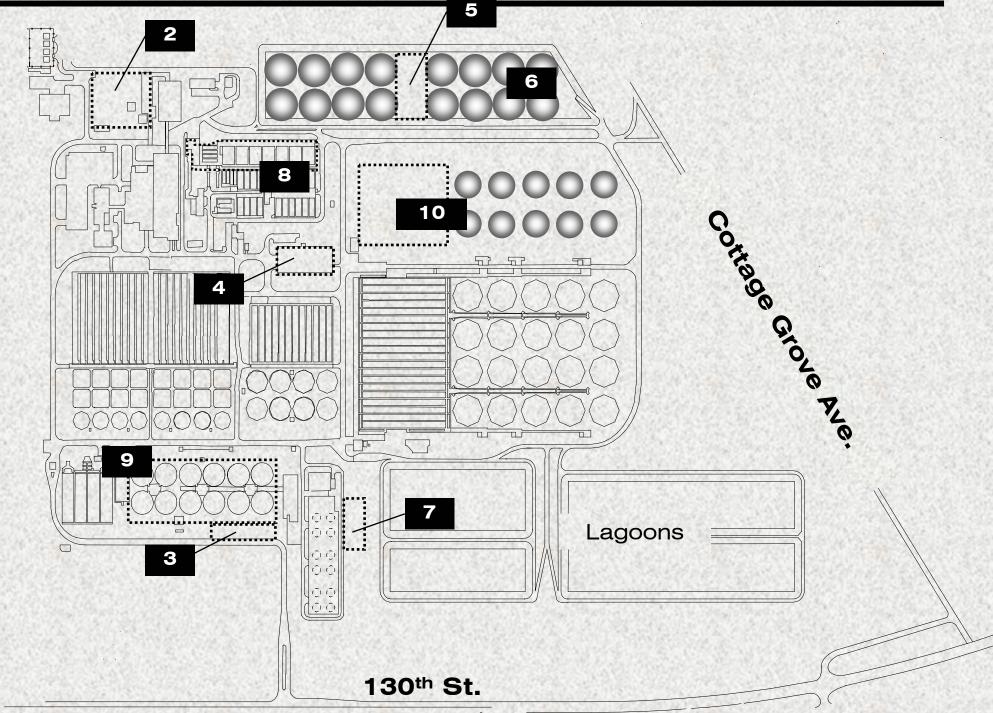
The Master Planning Process is a "Road Map to the Future":

Where Do We We In Need to be in 40 Years, and How Do We Get There?

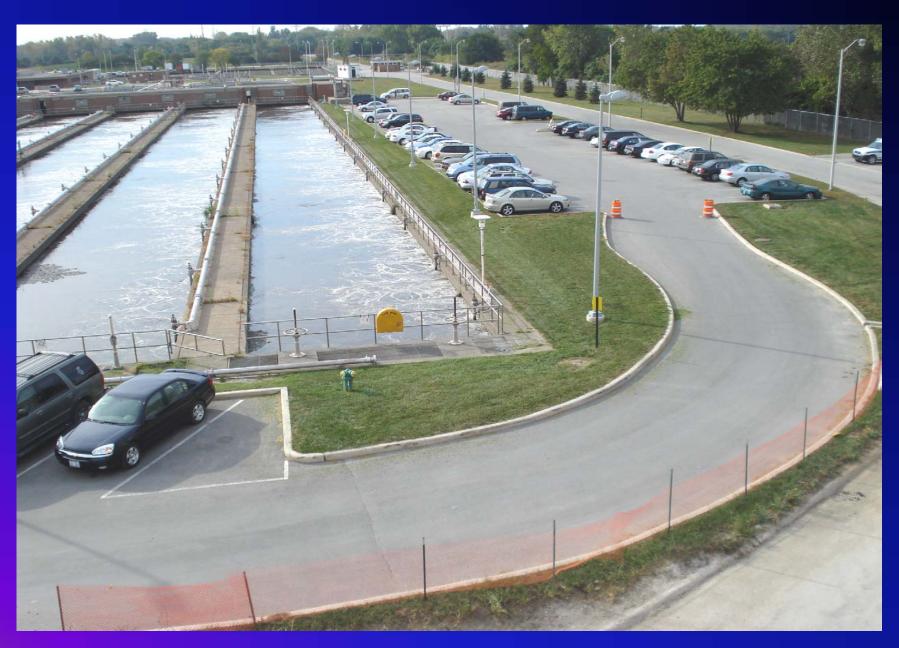




CALUMET WRP MASTER PLAN



SITE PREPARATION CONTRACT - 2004



New Parking Area

SITE PREPARATION CONTRACT 2004



Temporary Trailers and Contract Staging Area

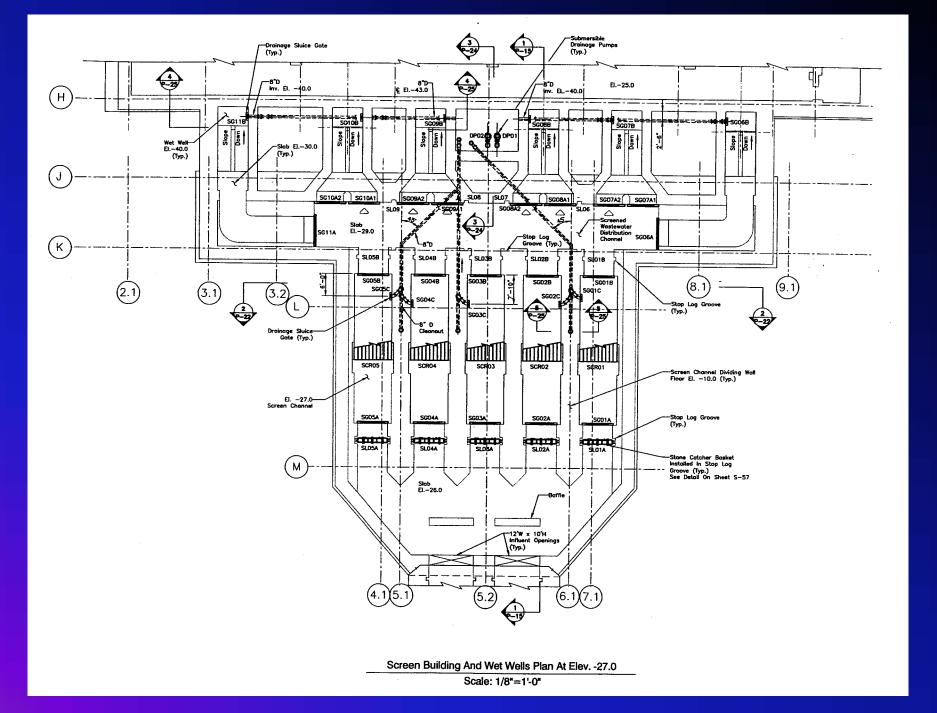
Demolition of Decommissioned Buildings



NEW HIGH LEVEL INFLUENT PUMPING STATION

- 480 MGD Firm Capacity
- 5 Mechanically Cleaned Bar Screens
- Operating Engineer's Room
- Electrical Operator's Room
- Odor Control
- ConstructionCompletion 2010





HIGH LEVEL INFLUENT PUMPING STATION

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CENTRAL BOILER FACILITY



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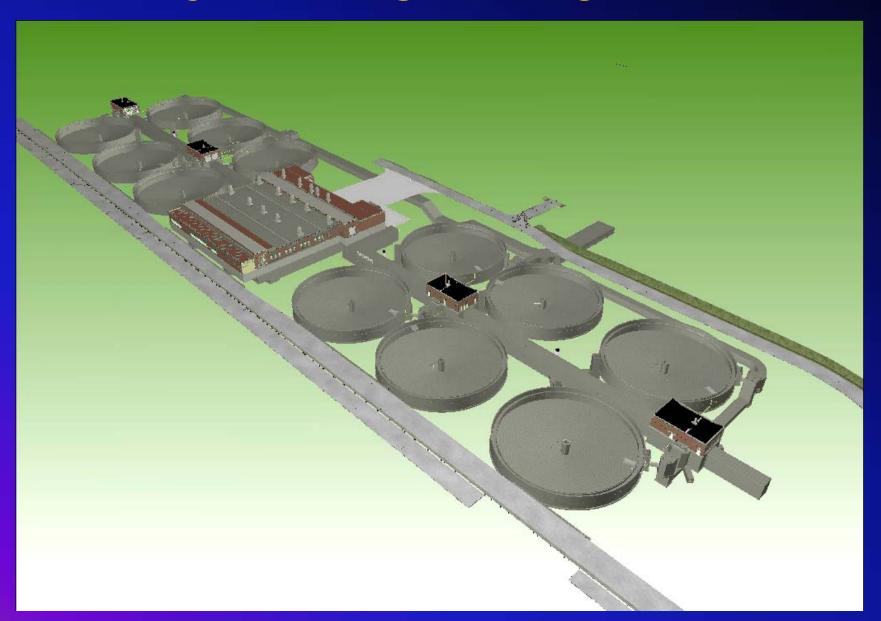
- 4 Boilers, 70,000 lbs./hr Capacity Each
- 100 psi Output
- Dual Gas (Natural Gas and Digester Gas)
- Simultaneous Co-firing, Maximize Use of Digester Gas
- Overhead Steam and Condensate Return Line

CENTRAL BOILER FACILITY



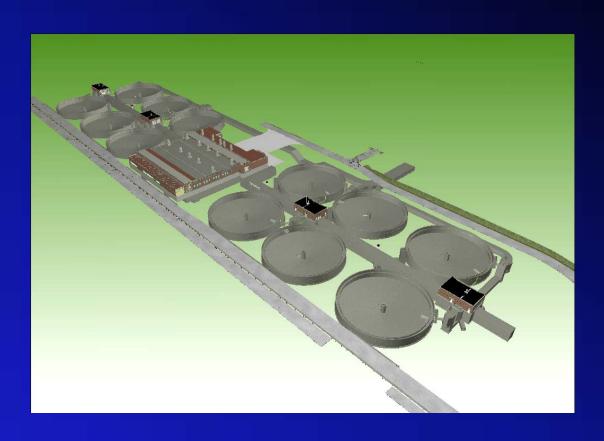
Construction Completion 2008

PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS AND GRIT REMOVAL FACILITY



GRIT REMOVAL FACILITY

- 8 25' X 135' Aerated Grit Tanks
- Traveling Bridge Grit Removal System
- Grit Dewatering
- Tanks Covered for Odor Control

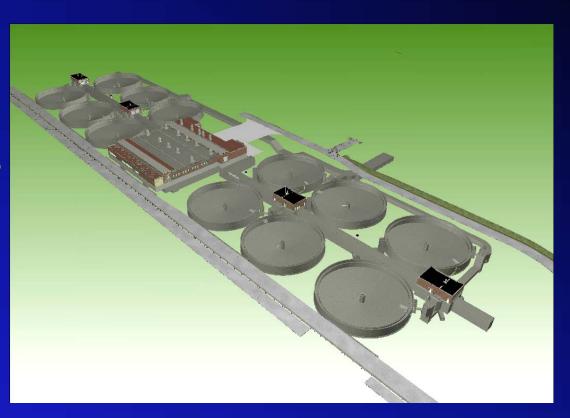


TRAVELING BRIDGE GRIT REMOVAL MECHANISM

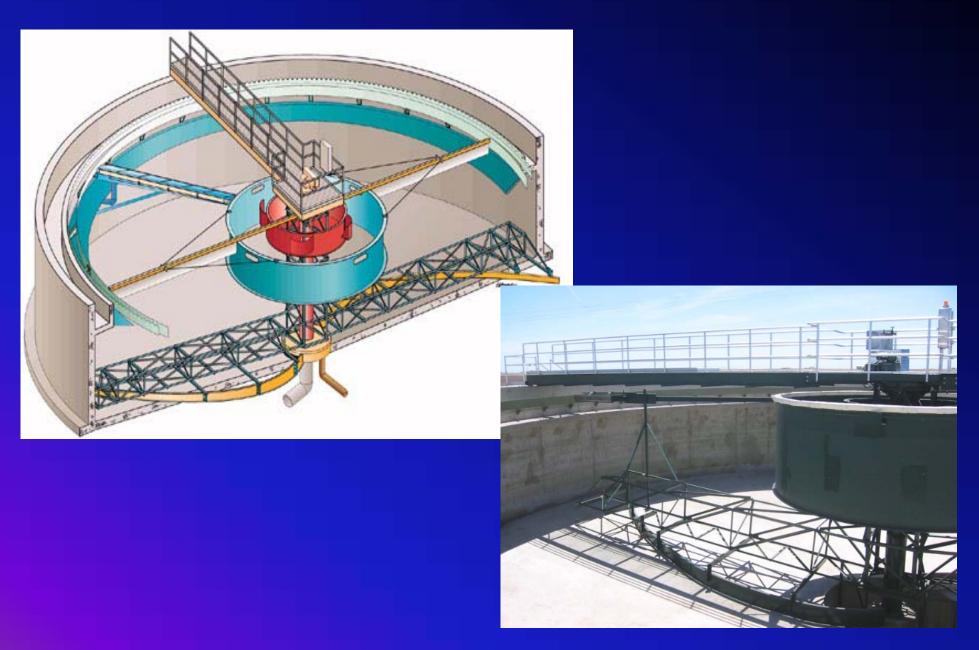


PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS

- 12 155 ft. dia. Circular Primary Settling Tanks
- 4 Primary Sludge and Scum Pumping Stations
- Piping Gallery

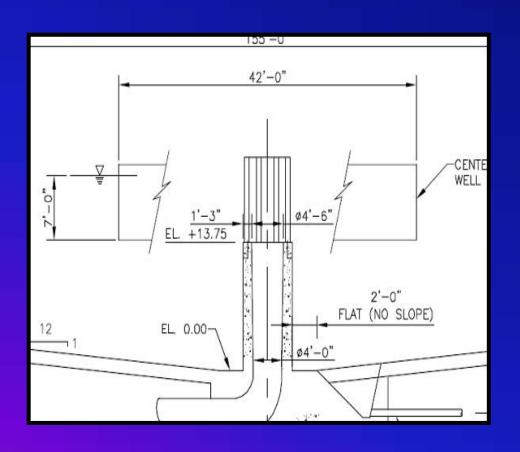


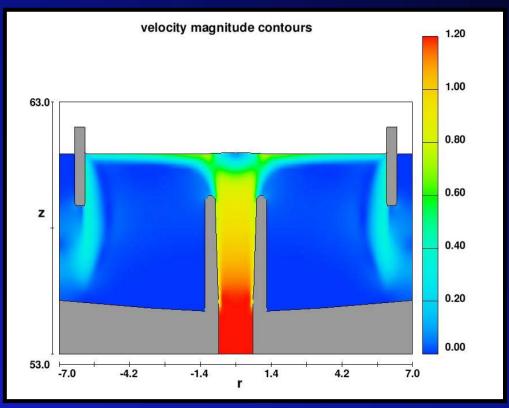
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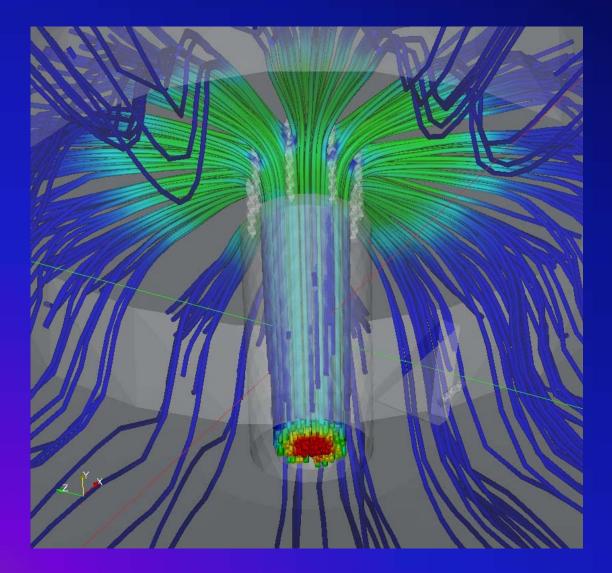
Construction 2008-2011

COMPUTATIONAL FLUID DYNAMICS MODELING

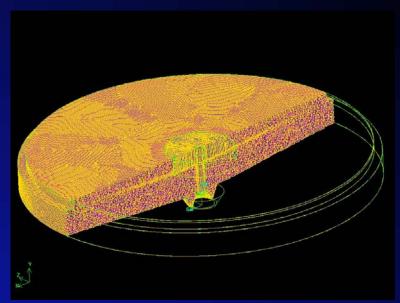


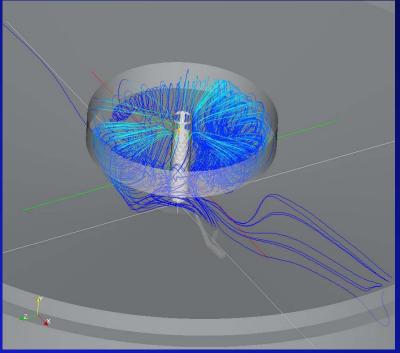












INTERMEDIATE BLOWERS

- **2** 75,000 scfm Blowers
- Reduce Energy Consumption at Below Peak Demand
- Looped Air Main to Improve Air Pressure to Battery A
- Construction 2008--2010

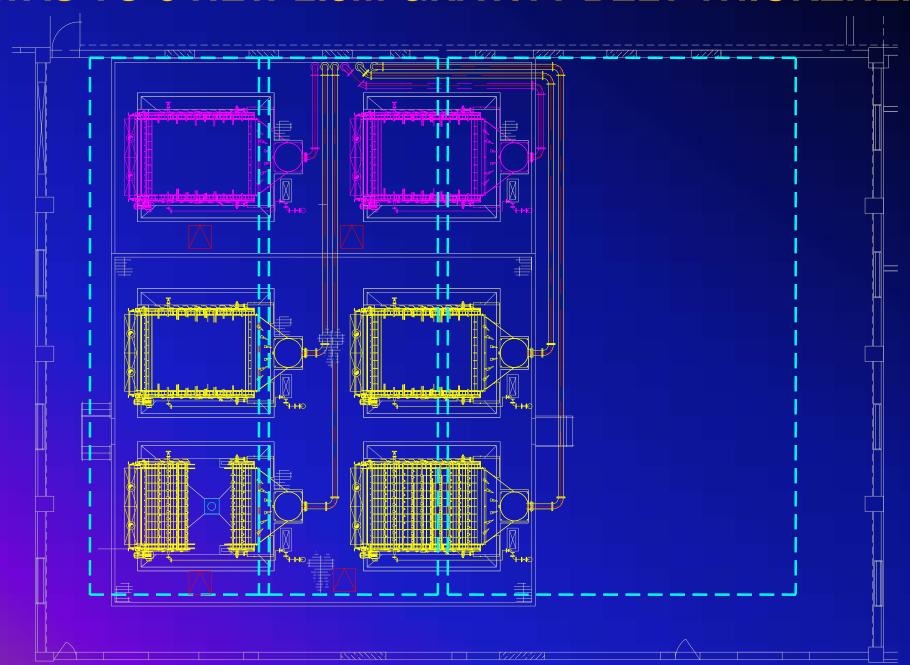


SLUDGE THICKENING FACILITIES

- Separation of Primary Sludge from WAS
- Primary Sludge Only to Existing 12 Gravity Concentration Tanks
- Replace Primary Sludge Screens

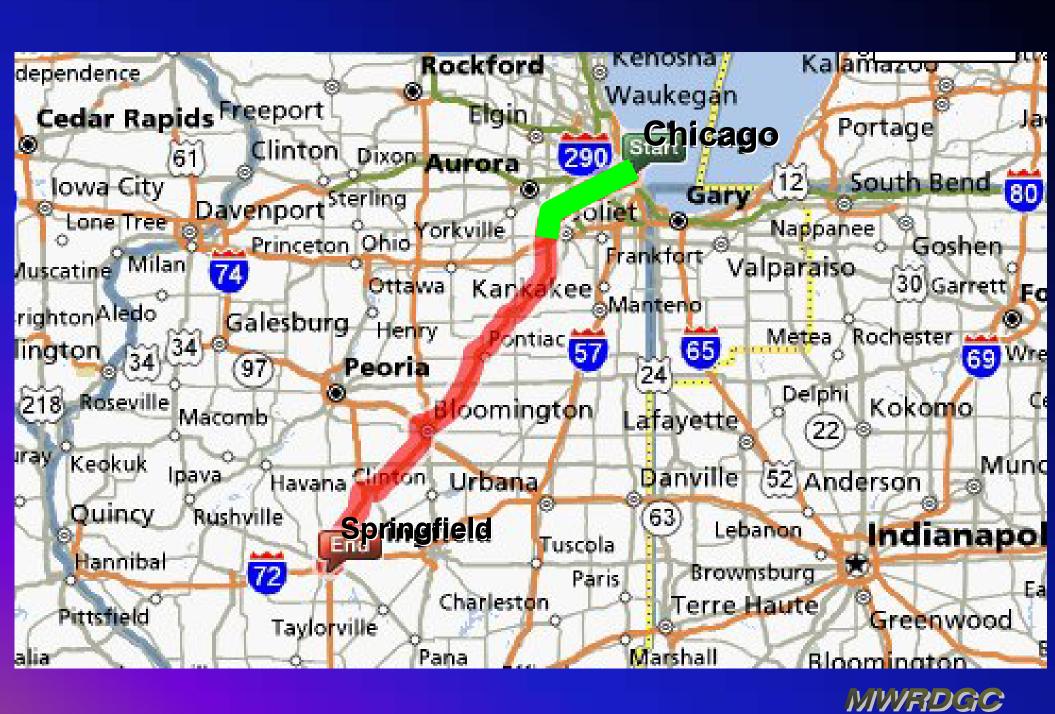


WAS TO 6 NEW 2.5m GRAVITY BELT THICKENERS



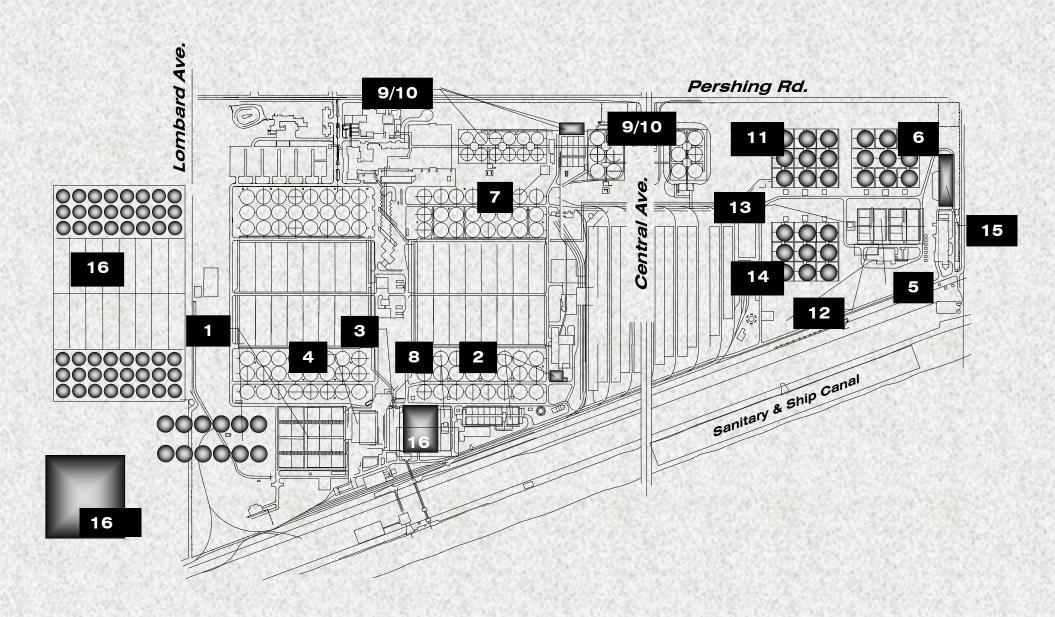
- Expand Polymer Feed System
- Construction 2008-2011







STICKNEY WRP MASTER PLAN



NEW INTERMEDIATE BLOWER



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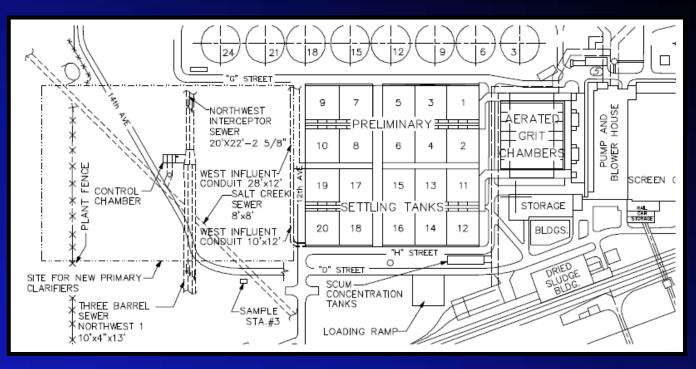
- New Blower # 2 in SW P&BH
- 155,000 Scfm
- Adjustable Inlet Guide Vanes to Better Tailor Air Production to Air Demand
- Will Be Connected to Plant Wide DCS So New DO Probes in Aeration Tanks Can Control Blower Output
- Construction Completion 2008

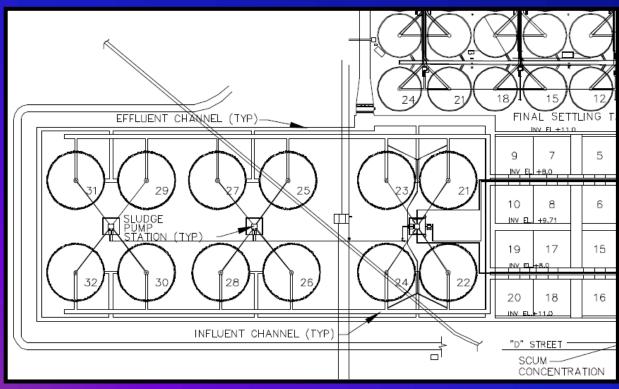
SOUTHWEST PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS

Master Plan Recommendations:

- Increase Primary Treatment Capacity at the Southwest Plant by Adding 12 New 160' Circular Clarifiers
- Two Dedicated New Circular Primary Clarifiers for Thickening
- Modify the Existing Sludge Pumping System to Accommodate In-tank Thickening to 4-5% Solids







Proposed Layout





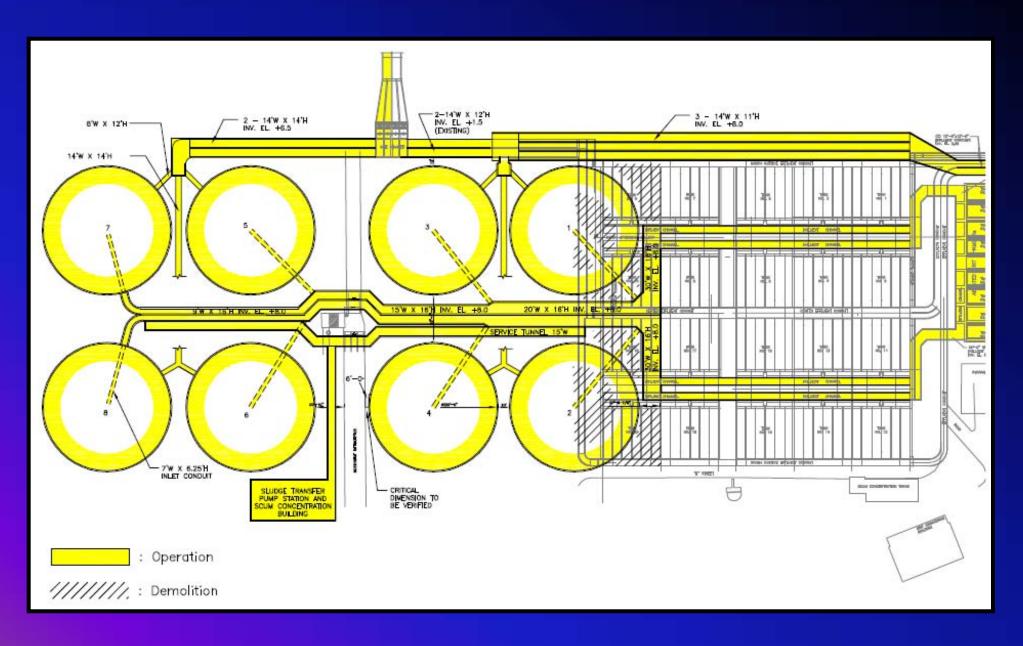
Problems:

- Hydraulic Analysis Revealed Very Uneven Flow Split Between New and Existing PSTs. Less than 5% to Circular / More than 95% to Rectangular
- Water Level in Existing Inlet Channels Must Be Raised 2.5 Ft to Push the Desired Flow Rate to the New PSTs
- Increase of Required 2.5-ft of Pumps TDH Results in About 100-mgd Reduced Capacity
- Flow to Existing PSTs Must Be Regulated by Valves or Gates Based on Pumped Flow
- Thickening in primary settling tanks not desirable

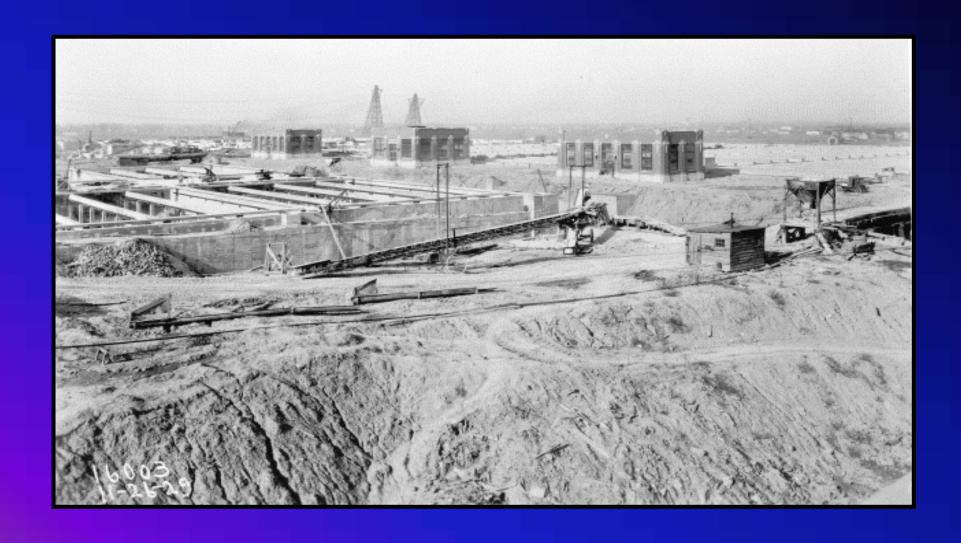
REVISED APPROACH TO SOUTHWEST PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS

- 8 225 Ft. dia. Circular Tanks
- Existing Rectangular Tanks Demolished
- Capacity Reduced to 700 MGD Due to Hydraulic Restrictions
- Need to Raise Wall Height of Grit Tanks 18"

SW CIRCULAR PRIMARY TANKS



IMHOFF TANK REPLACEMENT

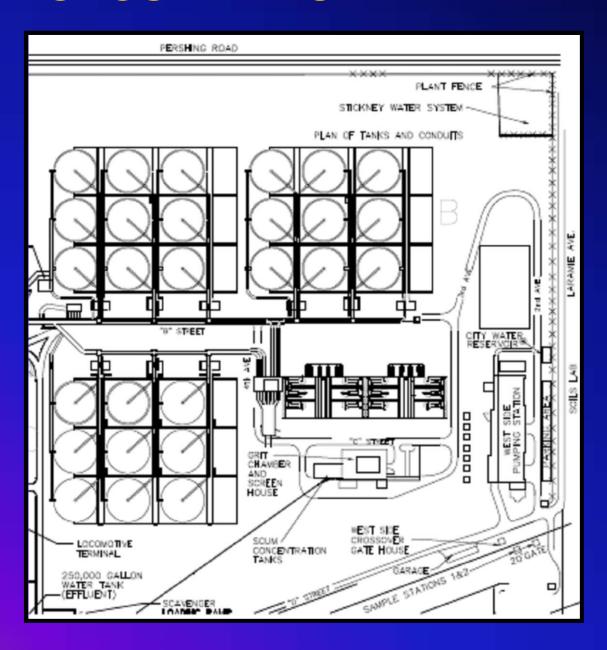


WESTSIDE IMHOFF TANKS

Master Plan Recommendations:

- Nine 150 ft. dia. Circular Primary Settling Tanks Per Battery Constructed Within the Imhoff Tanks Influent/Effluent Channels
- Total 27 New Circular Primary Settling Tanks
- One Dedicated Circular Primary Clarifier for Thickening per Battery
- Replace Skimming Tanks with Pista Grit Vortex Grit Removal

WESTSIDE PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS PROPOSED MASTER PLAN LAYOUT





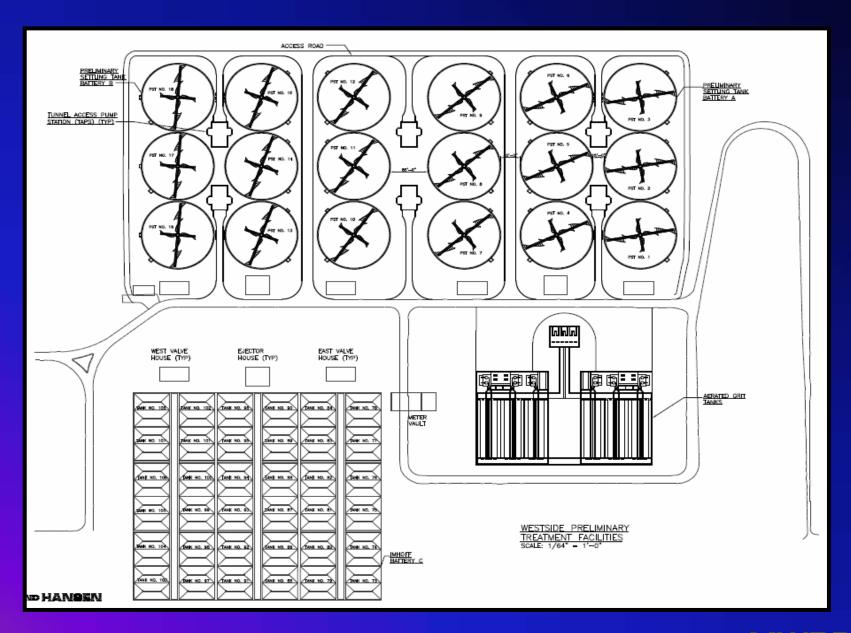
Problems

- Proposed Arrangement of Nine Tanks per Battery Leaves Center Tank Without Access
- Surgical Cutting of Concrete Walls of Imhoff Tanks Very Expensive
- Thickening in Primary Tanks Not Desirable
- Lacks Sludge Screening
- Vortex Grit System Undersized and Prone to Clogging After First Flush

REVISED APPROACH TO WESTSIDE PRIMARY SETTLING TANKS

- Replace 3 Batteries of 108 Imhoff Tanks with 3 Batteries of 18 Circular Primary Settling Tanks
- Imhoff Battery C Abandoned
- Primary Sludge to New Gravity Concentration Tanks
- Replace Skimming Tanks with Aerated Grit Tanks
- Utilize CFD Modeling Work Performed Under Calumet Project for Sizing New Primary Settling and Grit Tanks
- Construction 2010-2015

NEW WESTSIDE PSTs AND GRIT

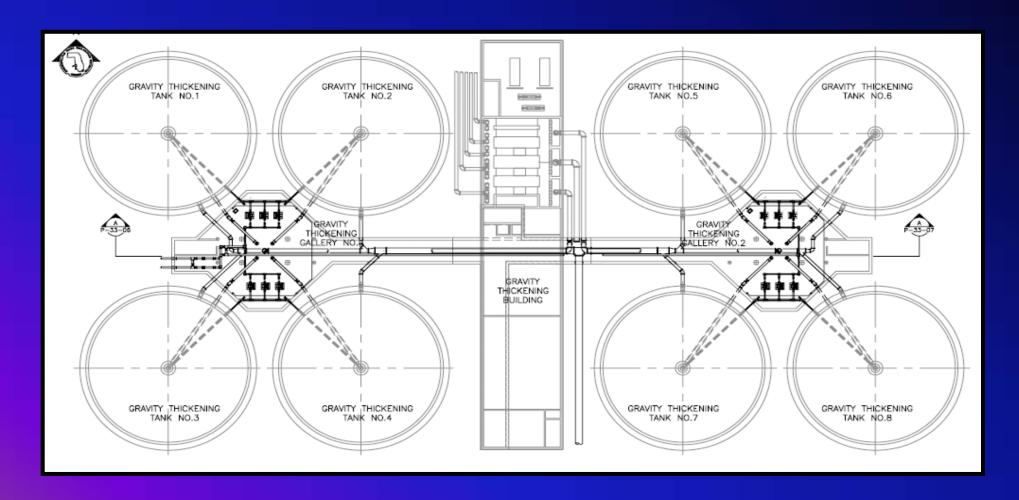


NEW SLUDGE THICKENING PROCESSES

- Separate Primary Sludge Stream from WAS
- Existing Concentration Tanks to be Decommissioned



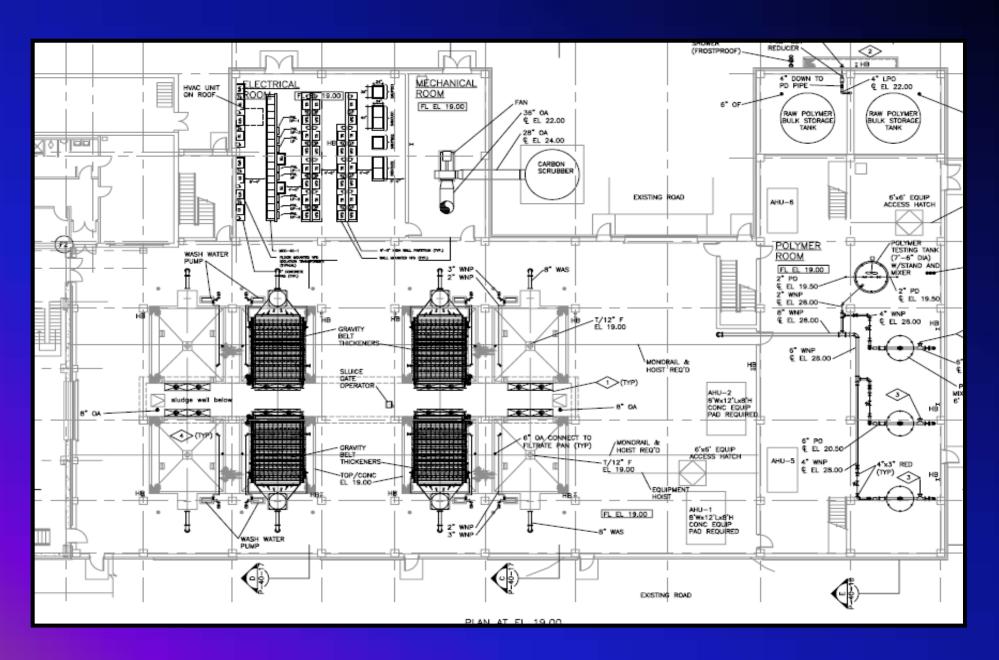
- SW Primary Sludge, and Future WS Sludge to be Thickened in New Round Gravity Concentration Tanks
- Eight 80-ft Diameter Tanks

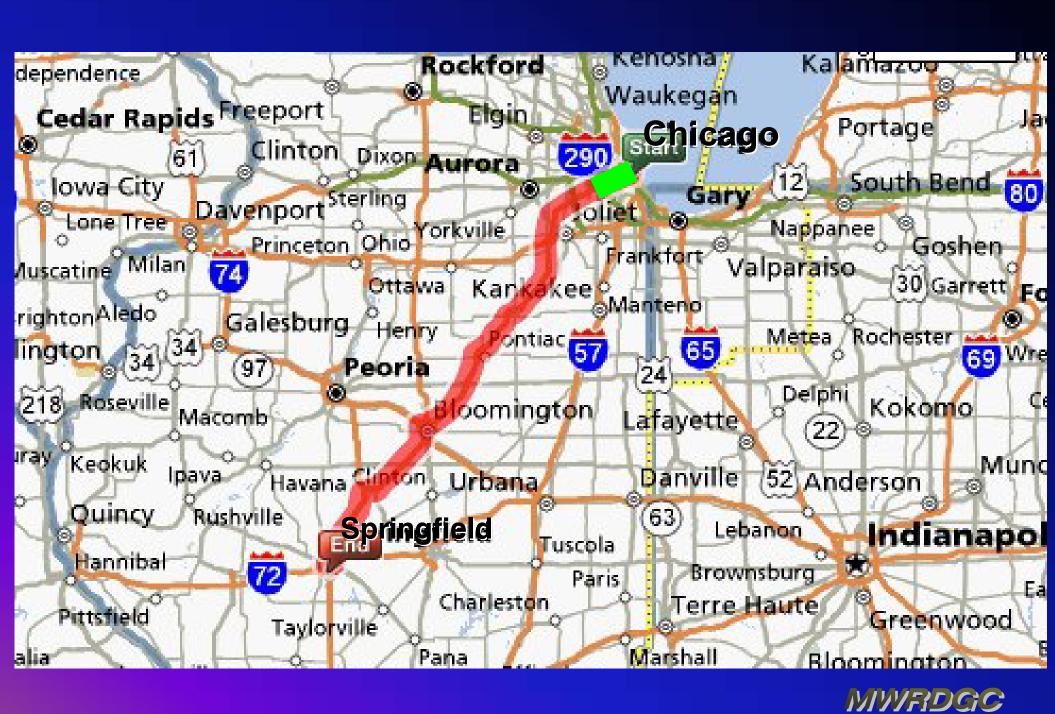


- North Side Sludge to be Thickened in Existing Centrifuges
- WAS to be Thickened by New 3-Meter GBTs
- Construction 2009-2012



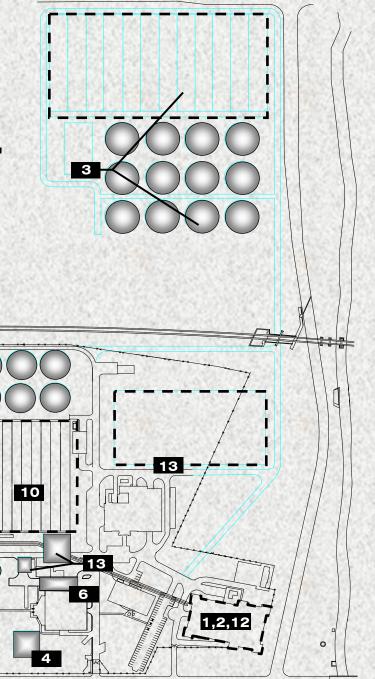
GBT BUILDING LAYOUT







NORTHSIDE WRP MASTER PLAN



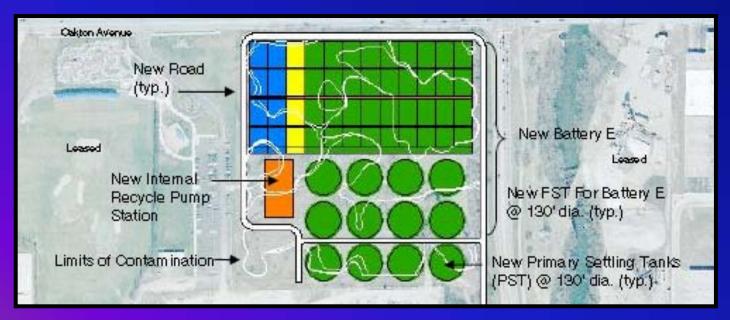


NEW BATTERY E

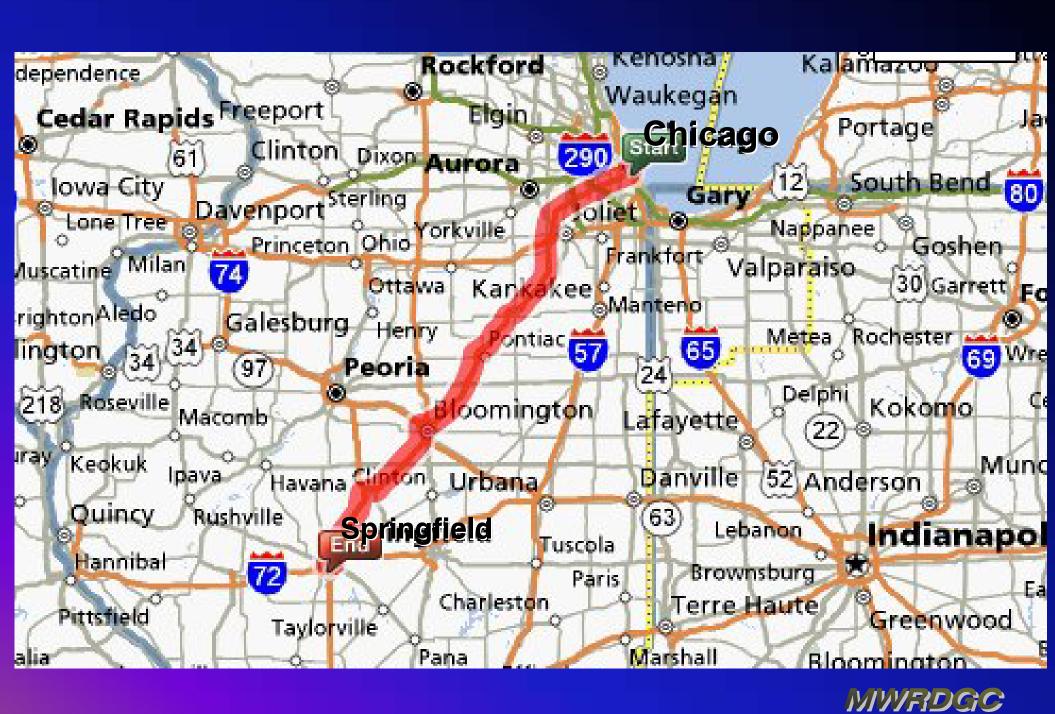
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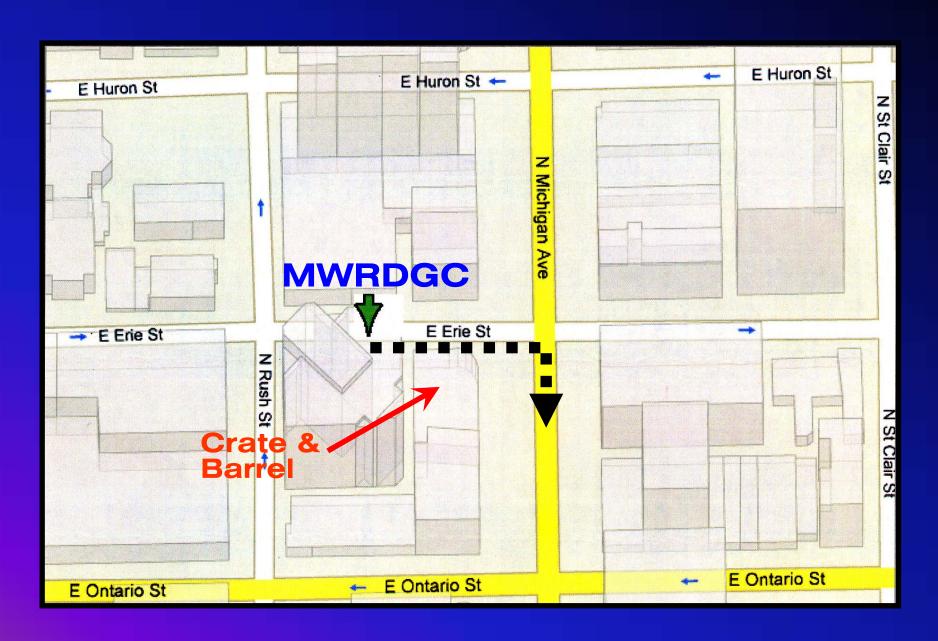
NSWRP NEW BATTERY 'E'

- Four 130-ft dia. Primary Settling Tanks with 14-ft SWD
- Nine 2-pass Aeration Tanks, 69-ft wide x 325-ft long x 21-ft deep
- Eight 130-ft dia. Final Settling Tanks with 15ft SWD
- Primary Influent and Secondary Effluent Conduits
- Process Air Piping from Existing Site Blowers









PROJECT DESIGN PROCESS

- Kick-off Meeting with M&O Staff
- Priorities and Expectations
- Technical Workshops
- Technical Memoranda
- Preliminary Design Report (30% Complete)
- Value Engineering
- 60% Complete Review
- Final Documents
- Bidding and Award
- Construction Support Services

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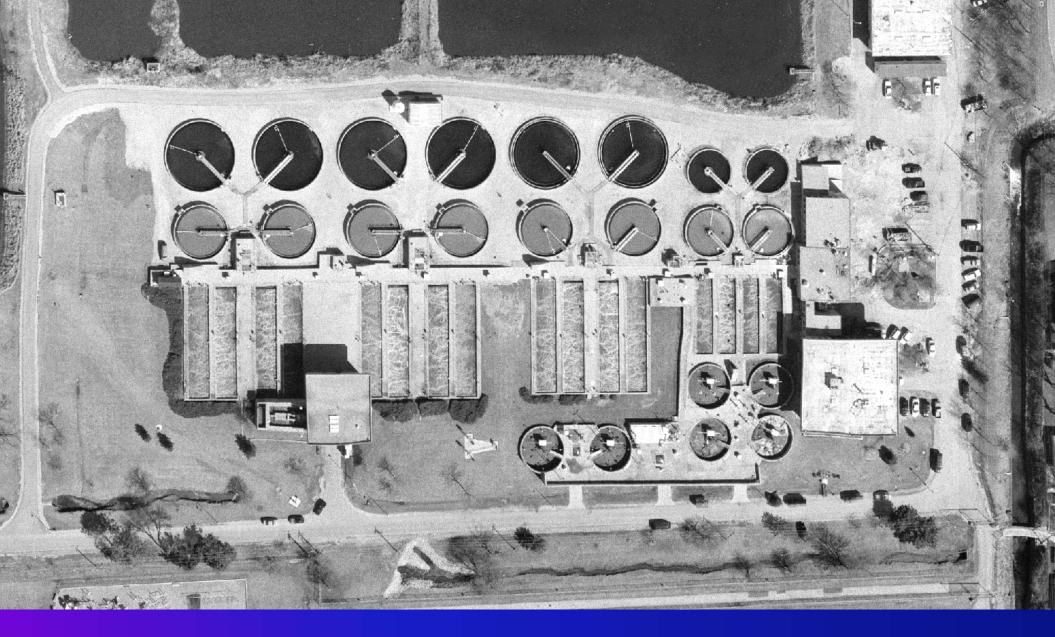
A LOOK AHEAD

- New Blowers and Upgrade of Raw Sewage Pumps, NSWRP
- Expansion of Gravity Concentration Tanks, NSWRP
- Grit Dewatering and Sodium Hypochlorite Feed Modifications, NSWRP
- MUPP, NSWRP

A LOOK AHEAD

- Southwest Screens Handling Equipment Upgrades, SWRP
- Low Pressure Digester Gas Storage, SWRP
- Class A Biosolids Digestion Process Task Force





HANOVER PARK WASTEWATER RECLAMATION PLANT INFRASTRUCTURE AND PROCESS NEEDS FEASIBILITY STUDY (MASTER PLAN) RESULTS – END OF 2009

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What's all this going to cost?

Stickney Master Plan Work: \$755,000,000

Calumet Master Plan Work: \$434,000,000

North Side Master Plan Work: \$1,078,000,000

Total: \$2,267,000,000

2007 dollars, does not include disinfection or nutrient removal

All Seven MWRD Water Reclamation Plants Costs for Construction Projects Needed to Start 2007—2012:

\$1,209,498,000

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Questions?



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