

Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

MONITORING AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT

REPORT NO. 10-26

122ND AND STONY ISLAND AVENUE SOLIDS MANAGEMENT AREA

MONITORING REPORT FOR

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May 27, 2010

Mr. S. Alan Keller, P.E. Manager, Permit Section Illinois Environmental Protection Agency 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794 – 9276

Dear Mr. Keller:

Subject: 122nd and Stony Island Avenue Solids Management Area – Stickney Water Reclamation Plant, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Permit No. 2005-AO-4283-2, Monitoring Report for January, February, and March 2010

The attached two tables contain the monitoring data for the 122nd and Stony Island Avenue Solids Management Area for January, February, and March 2010, as required by Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) Operating Permit No. 2005-AO-4283-2.

The data reported are as follows:

- <u>Table 1</u>, Analysis of Water from Lysimeters L-1 at the 122nd and Stony Island Avenue Solids Management Area Sampled in January, February, and March 2010
- Table 2, Analysis of Water from Lysimeters L-2 through L-4 at the 122nd and Stony Island Avenue Solids Management Area Sampled on March 10, 2010

A supplemental permit was issued by the IEPA on July 30, 2009, to modify the monitoring schedule for lysimeters at the Stony Island site to once per quarter, except for L-1, which is monitored once per month.

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No biosolids were placed in or removed from the solids drying area during this quarter.

Very truly yours,

Louis Kollias Director Monitoring and Research

LK:PL:kq Attachments cc w/att: Mr. Sulski, IEPA Records Unit, IEPA O'Connor/Cox/Lindo

Parameter		Sample Date			
	Unit	Jan. 20, 2010	Feb. 8, 2010	March 10, 2010	
pH ¹		8.1	8.1	8.0	
EC	mS/m	243	284	288	
Total Dissolved Solids	mg/L	1,882	1,870	1,950	
Total Diss. Org. Carbon	"	34	37	35	
Cl ⁻	"	204	200	205	
$SO_4^{=}$	"	162	170	170	
TKN	"	33	27	29	
NH ₃ -N	"	27	27	26	
NO ₂ +NO ₃ -N	"	0.40	0.85	0.56	
Total P	"	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	
Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	66	1,206	1,175	1,127	
Al	"	0.070	0.074	0.056	
В	"	3.9	3.7	3.7	
Ca	"	265	269	248	
Cd	"	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	
Cr	"	< 0.003	< 0.003	< 0.003	
Cu	"	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	
Fe	"	0.19	0.16	2.2	
Hg	μg/L	< 0.20	< 0.20	< 0.20	
К	mg/L	27	26	25	
Mg	66	130	126	123	
Mn	"	0.279	0.264	0.272	
Na	"	201	196	190	
Ni	"	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	
Pb	"	0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02	
Zn	"	0.02	< 0.01	0.01	

TABLE 1: ANALYSIS OF WATER FROM LYSIMETER L-1 AT THE 122ND AND STONY ISLAND AVENUE SOLIDS MANAGEMENT AREA SAMPLED IN JANUARY, FEBRUARY, AND MARCH 2010

¹Samples analyzed beyond recommended holding time of 15 minutes.

Parameter		Lysimeter No.		
	Unit	L-2	L-3	L-4
pH ¹		7.9	7.7	8.0
EC	mS/m	186	221	197
Total Dissolved Solids	mg/L	1,248	2,620	1,360
Total Diss. Org. Carbon		16	42	17
Cl	"	297	109	294
$\mathrm{SO_4}^=$	٤٢	56	641	25
TKN	٤٢	3	10	6
NH ₃ -N	"	1	7	5
NO ₂ +NO ₃ -N	"	0.04	0.04	< 0.04
Total P	"	1	0.1	< 0.1
Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	٤٢	524	1,311	708
Al	66	0.036	0.112	0.049
В	"	1.0	0.41	1.4
Ca	"	101	476	135
Cd	"	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002
Cr	٤٢	< 0.003	< 0.003	< 0.003
Cu	"	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01
Fe	"	1.2	3.7	0.57
Hg	μg/L	< 0.20	< 0.20	< 0.20
K	mg/L	33	6	16
Mg	••	59	152	65
Mn	"	0.876	0.512	0.126
Na	٤٤	183	49	191
Ni	"	0.003	< 0.002	< 0.002
Pb	"	< 0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02
Zn	"	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01

TABLE 2: ANALYSIS OF WATER FROM LYSIMETERS L-2 THROUGH L-4 AT
THE 122ND AND STONY ISLAND AVENUE SOLIDS MANAGEMENT AREA
SAMPLED ON MARCH 10, 2010

¹Samples analyzed beyond recommended holding time of 15 minutes.