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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT For month ending August 31st, 2004

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Tasks Completed:

- A. Groundwater Monitoring Plan
- Evaluating Monitoring Wells replacement needs.
- Completed the GWMP 3rd Quarter sampling on August 13th.
 - B. Public Involvement Plan
 - C. MW71R Pump and Treat System
- Received the EPA/NMED comments on the MW71R Work Plan on August 16th. Began the review.
 - D. Assessment of Aquifer Restoration
 - E. Offsite-Containment System
- The system ran 78.7% of the time and pumped 7,698,300 gallons (average of 178.5 gpm). The system was out of service from August 19th (1254) to August 25th (2206). The high head sump pump became inoperable and required a number of days to obtain a replacement.
 - F. Source Containment System
- Discussions with the Melloys are ongoing with regard to the proposed release of some of the infiltration ponds.
- The system ran 100.0% of the time and pumped 2,262,900 gallons (average of 52.5 gpm).
 - G. Other
- Completed the preparation of the Financial Assurance for FY 2005.

Tasks Planned:

- H. Groundwater Monitoring Plan
- Perform QA/QC on the 3rd Quarter GWMP data.
- Continue the evaluation of Monitoring Wells replacement needs.

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I. Public Involvement Plan

Upon receipt, review EPA/NMED comments on combined 2002-2003 Fact Sheet.

J. MW71R Pump and Treat System

- Continue to review EPA/NMED comments on the MW71R Work Plan. Prepare a response to EPA/NMED that will include a request for an extension to the time needed for review since some of Sparton's consultants will not be back in the United States until the 12th September.
- Continue to work on the Discharge Permit (DP-1184). Following approval, a water rights application to appropriate groundwater will be obtained.
- Construction Permits The contractor will acquire these.

K. Assessment of Aquifer Restoration

A formal request will be submitted to modify the Consent Decree to reflect a due date for the Annual Report as June 1st.

L. Offsite-Containment System

M. Source Containment System

A closure plan will be prepared if it is determined that any ponds are to be released.

N. Other

- Resolve with Carolyn Cooper/Baird Swanson status of Fact sheet comments.
 - O. Problems Encountered or Anticipated:

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