

Weekly Perimeter Air Monitoring Summary

Client: Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation

Location: Pittsfield, Massachusetts

Period: 1/19/26 – 1/25/26

On behalf of the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (MassDCR), AECOM Technical Services, Inc. (AECOM) has prepared this data summary for the Bel Air Dam remediation site (the "Site"). This data summary includes both tabular information and written discussions summarizing the ambient air-quality data collected during the indicated reporting period at the Site. The data was collected during the reporting period at the Site in accordance with the Perimeter Air Monitoring Plan (PAMP) prepared by AECOM (2025). Remedial activities are planned for a 5-day work week, Monday through Friday.

Scope

Air monitoring and sampling activities were conducted during the report period to evaluate conditions at the property line (fenceline) to document ambient air quality conditions at the fenceline and ensure that the measures used to control potential fugitive emissions are effective. The monitoring program consists of the following real-time monitoring and constituent-specific sampling:

- Real-time continuous monitoring for total volatile organic compounds (TVOCs) and particulate matter 10 microns or less (PM₁₀) performed at four (4) air monitoring stations (AMS) in the sediment removal area and one (1) AMS in the sediment processing area during work hours.
- Routine instantaneous hand-held monitoring for TVOCs and PM₁₀, as well as observational monitoring for odor and visible dust conducted routinely during periods of construction activities.
- Continuous meteorological monitoring for wind speed, wind direction, sigma (wind variability, calculated), temperature and relative humidity at an onsite location 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

The real-time continuous and hand-held monitoring results are compared to a list of Site-specific Alert and Action Levels, and the chemical-specific sampling results are compared to Acceptable Air Concentrations (AACs) developed for the Site. The Action Levels and AACs are defined in the following tables:

- **Table 1:** Site-Specific Alert and Action Levels; and
- **Table 2:** Acceptable Air Concentrations.

Real-Time Monitoring Summary

Real-time continuous TVOC and PM₁₀ monitoring was conducted at each of the five (5) AMS. In addition, hand-held monitoring for TVOCs and PM₁₀ was conducted, as well as observational odor and visible dust assessments.

During the report period, the TVOC and PM₁₀ concentrations remained less than the Action Levels, there were no off-Site odor complaints, and no observations of visible dust moving off-Site. The results of the real-time air monitoring are presented in the following tables:

- **Table 3:** Real-Time TVOC and PM₁₀ Concentrations Summary;
- **Table 4:** Project-to-Date TVOC and PM₁₀ Average Concentrations Summary;
- **Table 5:** Daily Maximum Hand-held Concentrations Summary; and
- **Table 6:** Weekly Alert and Action Level Event Summary.

Naphthalene Sampling Summary

Chemical-specific sampling for naphthalene was conducted at each of the AMS for 24-hour periods once per week during sediment removal activities in the northern portion of the work zone. Samples were shipped to the analytical laboratory for USEPA TO-15 analysis. The results of sampling were provided following receipt from the analytical laboratory and are included in the following table:

- **Table 7:** Naphthalene Sampling Results Summary.

Meteorological Conditions and Site Map

Meteorological monitoring summaries and a Site map for the report period are included in the following figures:

- **Figure 1:** Meteorological Summaries; and
- **Figure 2:** Site Map(s).

Table 1: Site-Specific Alert and Action Levels

Target Constituent	Alert Level	Action Level
TVOC (15-minute average or instantaneous concentration)	One (1) concentration > 1.0 ppm	Two (2) concentrations > 1.0 ppm
PM₁₀ (15-minute average or instantaneous concentration)	One (1) concentration > 150 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Two (2) concentrations > 150 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Odor (Instantaneous observation related to Site activities)	Not Applicable	On-Site odor > 3 or public complaints that are verified to be related to construction
Visible Dust (Instantaneous observation related to Site activities)	Not Applicable	Observation of visible dust moving off-Site

Definitions:

TVOC – Total volatile organic compounds

ppm – Parts per million

PM₁₀ – Respirable particulate matter

$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ – Micrograms per cubic meter

Table 2: Acceptable Air Concentrations

COC	AAC $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Project Goal $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
PM ₁₀	150	120
Naphthalene	1.43	1.14

Definitions:

AAC – Acceptable Air Concentration

COC – Chemical of concern

PM₁₀ – Particulate matter with a diameter of 10 micrometers or less in diameter.

$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ – Micrograms per cubic meter

Notes:

- Project Goal is defined as an internal project goal equal to 80% of the AAC.

Table 3: Real-Time TVOC and PM₁₀ Concentrations Summary

Date	AMS-1		AMS-A		AMS-B		AMS-C		AMS-D	
	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)
Mon 1/19/26	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹
Tue 1/20/26	0.0	14.2	0.0	23.4	0.0	10.0	0.0	11.6	0.0	22.6
Wed 1/21/26	0.0 ²	54.5 ²	0.0	58.4	0.0	22.0	0.0	49.5	0.0	58.1
Thu 1/22/26	0.0	16.0	0.0	26.7	0.0	17.1	0.0	13.8	0.0	28.7
Fri 1/23/26	0.1	31.5	0.0	24.4	0.0	13.3	0.0	18.6	ND ²	17.8
Weekly Summary										
Weekly Maximum	0.1	54.5	0.0	58.4	0.0	22.0	0.0	49.5	0.0	58.1
Weekly Average	0.0	10.5	0.0	22.9	0.0	7.9	0.0	13.4	0.0	14.8
Definitions:			Notes:							
AMS – Air Monitoring Station			- Highlighted concentrations (if any) require further analysis (see Table 5).							
TVOC – Total Volatile Organic Compounds			- AMS reported TVOC and PM ₁₀ data represent 15-minute average concentrations.							
ppm – Parts per million			- Project-to-date average PM ₁₀ concentrations are compared to the PM ₁₀ AAC to evaluate the effectiveness of the perimeter air monitoring program with relation to particulates. Compliance will be determined at the end of the project.							
PM ₁₀ – Particulate Matter 10 micrometers or less			- Project-to-date average TVOC and PM ₁₀ concentrations are calculated from 6/23/25 through the end of the reporting period.							
µg/m ³ – Micrograms per cubic meter			- Baseline results are not included in project-to-date averages.							
PTD – Project-to-date			1 Site closed for holiday.							
ND – No Data			2 Periods of data missing due to an instrument malfunction.							
NA – Not Applicable										

Table 4: Project-to-Date TVOC and PM₁₀ Average Concentrations Summary

	AMS-1		AMS-2		AMS-3		AMS-4		AMS-A		AMS-B		AMS-C		AMS-D	
	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)														
PTD Average	0.0	19.2	0.0	27.5	0.0	19.8	0.0	16.6	0.0	17.2	0.0	13.3	0.0	12.8	0.0	11.5

Definitions:

AMS – Air Monitoring Station
TVOC – Total Volatile Organic Compounds
ppm – Parts per million
PM₁₀ – Particulate Matter 10 micrometers or less
μg/m³ – Micrograms per cubic meter
PTD – Project-to-date

Notes:

- Project-to-date average PM₁₀ concentrations are compared to the PM₁₀ AAC to evaluate the effectiveness of the perimeter air monitoring program with relation to particulates. Compliance will be determined at the end of the project.
- Project-to-date average TVOC and PM₁₀ concentrations are calculated from 6/23/25 through the end of the reporting period.
- Baseline results are not included in project-to-date averages.
- AMS-2, AMS-3, and AMS-4 were removed from service on 11/14/25.
- AMS-C and AMS-D were deployed on 11/17/25.

Table 5: Daily Maximum Hand-Held Concentrations Summary

Date	TVOC (ppm)	PM ₁₀ ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Odor (0-8)	Visible Dust (Yes/No)
Mon 1/19/26	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹	NA ¹
Tue 1/20/26	0.0	12	0	No
Wed 1/21/26	0.0	20	0	No
Thu 1/22/26	0.0	22	0	No
Fri 1/23/26	0.0	24	0	No

Definitions:

TVOC – Total Volatile Organic Compounds
ppm – Parts per million
PM₁₀ – Particulate Matter 10 micrometers or less
μg/m³ – Micrograms per cubic meter
ND – No Data
NA – Not Applicable

Notes:

- Highlighted concentrations (if any) require further analysis (see Table 5).
- Hand-held data represents instantaneous concentrations unless stated otherwise.

¹ No hand-held measurements taken due to unavailable staff.

Table 6: Weekly Alert and Action Level Event Summary

Parameter	Date	Time	Location	Wind Conditions	Elevated Concentration	Comments/Explanation
TVOC (ppm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	TVOC concentrations remained less than the Alert and Action Levels.
PM₁₀ (µg/m³)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	PM ₁₀ concentrations remained less than the Alert and Action Levels.
Odor (0-8)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Odor observations remained less than the Action Level.
Visible Dust	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	There were no observations of visible dust moving offsite.

Definitions:

AMS – Air Monitoring Station
 HH – Hand-Held Location
 TVOC – Total Volatile Organic Compounds
 ppm – Parts per million
 PM₁₀ – Particulate Matter ≤ 10 microns in diameter
 µg/m³ – Micrograms per cubic meter
 mph – Miles per hour
 ND – No Data
 NA – Not Applicable

Notes:

- AMS-reported data represent 15-minute block average concentrations.
- Observations represent instantaneous conditions unless stated otherwise.

Table 7: Naphthalene Sampling Results Summary

Date	AAC ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Project Goal ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-1 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-2 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-3 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-4 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-A ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-B ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-C ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	AMS-D ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Dup ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)
Wed 5/21/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	0.205
Tue 7/22/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.098	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Wed 7/30/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Tue 8/5/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	0.205
Wed 8/13/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Tue 8/19/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Wed 8/27/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Thu 9/4/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	0.205
Mon 9/8/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Tue 9/16/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Wed 9/24/25	--	--	1.400	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Thu 10/2/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Mon 10/6/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	0.438
Wed 10/15/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Thu 10/23/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Tue 10/28/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Wed 11/5/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Thu 11/13/25	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--	--	--
Mon 11/17/25	--	--	0.205	--	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205
Wed 12/3/25	--	--	0.205	--	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--
Thu 12/11/25	--	--	0.205	--	--	--	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--
Project Summary											
PTD Average	1.43	1.14	0.265	0.212	0.205	0.199	0.205	0.205	0.205	0.205	--
Definitions:						Notes:					
AMS – Air Monitoring Station						- Samples are placed in the field at the start of the work activities and collected prior to the start of the following day, unless otherwise stated. The sample date listed represents the day the sample was started.					
AAC – Acceptable Air Concentration						- Baseline results are not included in project-to-date averages.					
PEL – Permissible Exposure Limit						- Duplicate samples are collected once per month at AMS-1.					
MDL – Method Detection Limit						- On Friday, 11/14/25, AMS-2, AMS-3, and AMS-4 were removed from service and AMS-C and AMS-D were placed in new locations on-Site.					
TBD – To Be Determined						- Sampling was concluded on Friday, 12/12/25.					
PTD – Project-To-Date											
$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ – Micrograms per cubic meter											
Bold – Results reported above the MDL											
<i>Italics</i> – Compound was analyzed for, but not detected above the MDL (estimated as $\frac{1}{2}$ the MDL)											
NA – Not Applicable											
ND – No Data											

Figure 1: Meteorological Summaries

Figure 2: Site Map (1/20/26 – 1/23/26)