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1.0 OBSERVATIONS

1.1 FIELD PROGRAM AND INSTRUMENTATION STATUS

The Spring 2021 reading cycle consisted of instrument readings of one slope inclinometer (SI-2) and one pneumatic piezometer (PN2). **Figure 1** attached provides a schematic of the site. The instruments were read by Owen Zhang, EIT and, Mahendran Senthooran, M.Eng., EIT on July 6, 2021.

The slope inclinometers (SI) were measured using an RST MEMS digital inclinometer probe with 0.5 m increments and handheld PC. Readings were taken based on cable markings in relation to the top of SI casing. The pneumatic piezometers (PN) were read with an RST Instruments C-109 Pneumatic readout box.

GPS coordinates of all instruments were obtained using a Garmin eTrex 10 handheld GPS unit.

2.0 INTERPRETATION

2.1 GENERAL

SI plots are provided in the attachments and summarized in the following sections. Resultant plots in the Xdirection (i.e. slope dip direction) along with movement rates, total cumulative movement, maximum movement rates, and incremental movements are provided in **Table NC32-1** and the attachments.

2.2 ZONES OF MOVEMENT

No new zones of movement were observed in the operational SI. **Table NC32-1** summarizes existing zones of movement, total movement, depth of movement, and the maximum rate of movement since initializing each SI. Directions of movement are referenced to the azimuth of the A+ groove in each SI casing.

2.3 MONITORING RESULTS

2.3.1 Slope Inclinometer

SI-2 has a movement zone from about 6 m to 10 m bgs. The overall rate of movement was approximately 14 mm/yr from 2009 to 2013. A decrease in overall movement rate to less than 1 mm/year was observed after berm construction. The Spring 2021 reading cycle shows a rate of movement of less than 1 mm/yr.

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2.3.2 Piezometer

One PN was read and has been summarized in **Table NC32-2**. **PN2** showed negligible change in water level since the previous reading.

3.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

3.1 FUTURE WORK

It is recommended that all instruments be read once a year with the next reading cycle to occur in Spring 2022.

3.2 INSTRUMENTATION REPAIRS

No instrumentation repairs are required at this time.

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Table NC32-1: Spring 2021 Slope Inclinometer Summary

Instrument Name	Coordinates ⁽¹⁾ (UTM 11U, NAD1983) (m)		Date Initialized	Total Cumulative Resultant Movement and Depth of	Maximum Rate of Movement	Current Status	Date of Previous Reading	Incremental Movement Since Previous	Current Rate of Movement	Change in Rate of Movement Since Previous	
	Northing	Easting		(mm)	(mmyr)			Reading (mm)	(mmyr)	Reading (mm/yr)	
SI-1	-	-	Aug. 31, 2006	21 over 2.2 m to 3.8 m depth in 22 ⁰ direction	4 in Sept. 2016	Non-Operational	May 15, 2017	Sheared off in Spring 2018			
SI-2	5920076	648684	Aug. 31, 2006	95 over 6.2 m to 10.2 m depth in 358^0 direction	25 in Oct. 2006	Operational	May 19, 2020	< 1	0.5	- 0.3	
Note: (1) Updated July 6, 2021 with approximate accuracy of ± 3 m											

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Coordinates (1) (UTM 11U. **Previous Piezometric** Maximum Measured Change in Piezometric Tip Depth Instrument NAD1983) Date Current Level (m bgs) Piezometric **Piezometric Level** Level Since Previous Name Initialized (mbgs) Status Level (mbgs) (mbgs) Reading (m) (m) (Spring 2020) Northing Easting PN1 Aug 30, Non-7.00 Pneumatic tip was found broken off the tube (Spring 2017) 4.17 in Oct 2014 2006 (030248) Operational PN2 Aug 30, 5920076 648684 4.60 Operational 0.24 in Sept. 2015 1.3 (32.3 kPa) 1.3 (32.5 kPa) < 0.1 (030586) 2006 PN3 Aug 30, Non-648683 6.10 5920140 0.56 in Sept 2015 Pneumatic tip was found broken off the tube (Spring 2019) (030582) 2006 Operational Could not find in two reading cycles (May 2020 and May 2019). PN4 Aug 30, Non-6.10 (030581) 2006 Operational Removed from reading schedule. PN6 Aug 30, Non-9.80 0.46; Oct 2014 Pneumatic tip was found broken off the tube (Spring 2017) 2006 (030583) Operational Note:

Table NC32-2: Spring 2021 Pneumatic Piezometer Summary

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CLOSING

We trust this instrumentation report meets your requirements. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

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Attachment:

Figure 1 – Site Plan SI-2 Slope Inclinometer Plots Pneumatic Piezometer Depth vs Time Plot Carrie Murray M.Eng., P.Eng. Principal, Senior Geotechnical Engineer Phone: 780-917-7403 carrie.murray@stantec.com



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PNEUMATIC PIEZOMETER DATA



