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### NOFNEC OCTOBER 4<sup>TH</sup> 2012 WASTE MANAGEMENT – SESSION 1 STANTEC CONSULTING LTD.

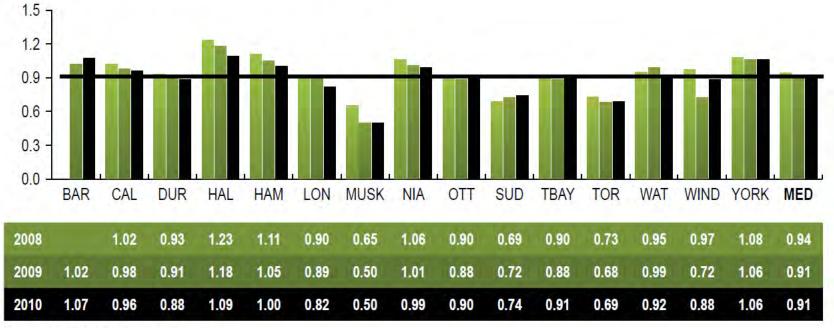
## AGENDA

- Introduction Gerry Lalonde Stantec Consulting Ltd.
- How waste management integrates with other community infrastructure.
- Summary of water/sewage/waste management costs for northern Ontario.
- Landfill Best Practices

## **Total Waste Generation**

How many tonnes of residential waste is collected per household?

Fig. 26.1 – Tonnes of All Material Collected per Household



Source: SWST205 (Service Level)

Figure 26.1 illustrates the number of tonnes of waste collected from residential households, which includes organics, blue box, leaf and yard, municipal hazardous or special waste and other recyclable materials such as wood, metal and tires.

## Disposal per household (tonnes)

#### How many tonnes of residential garbage are disposed in landfills?

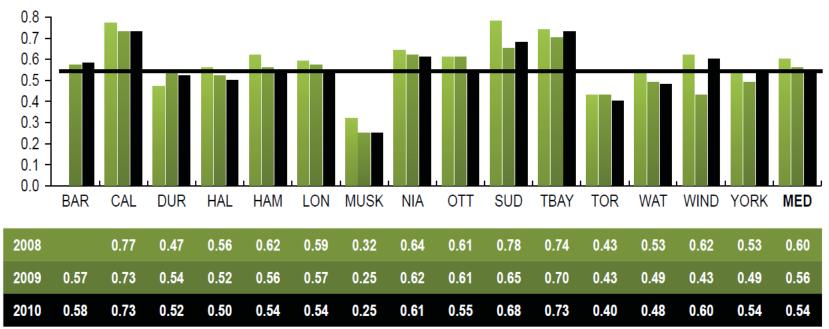


Fig. 26.3 – Tonnes of Solid Waste Disposed per Household - Residential

Source: SWST220 (Service Level)

Figure 26.3 indicates the total tonnes collected and going to landfill. Given the life expectancy of several landfills across the province and the fact there are many diversion programs and services in place, there is still a high volume of waste going to landfills.

## Solid Waste Diversion %

#### What percent of residential waste is diverted away from landfills?

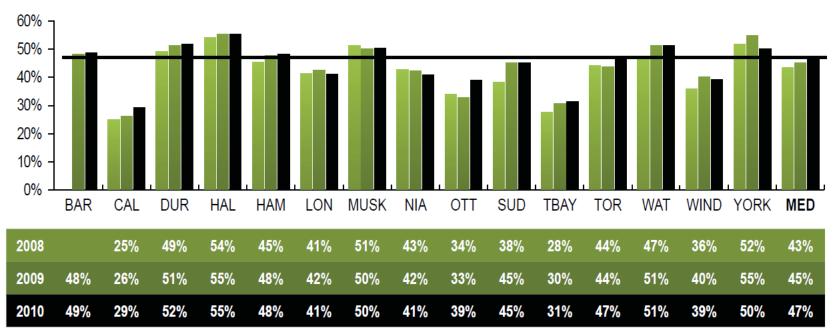


Fig. 26.5 – Percent of Solid Waste Diverted - Residential

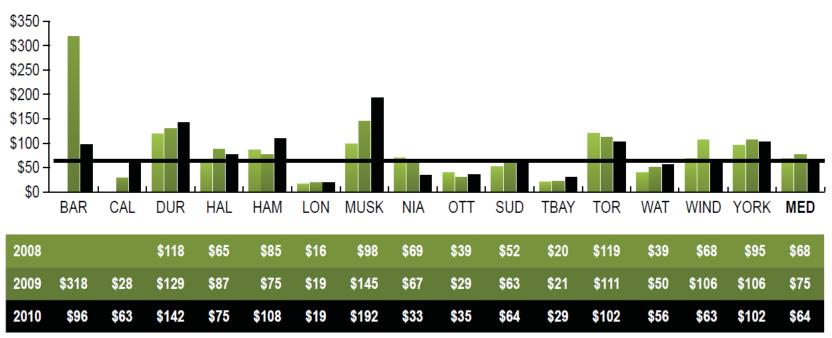
Source: SWST105M (Community Impact)

Figure 26.5 demonstrates the amount of residential waste diverted away from landfills and incineration through programs such as organics, blue box, leaf and yard, municipal hazardous or special waste and other recyclable materials (wood, metal and tires).

## **Disposal Costs for Residential**

#### How much does it cost to dispose of a tonne of garbage?

Fig. 26.4 – Operating Cost for Solid Waste Disposal perTonne (All Streams)



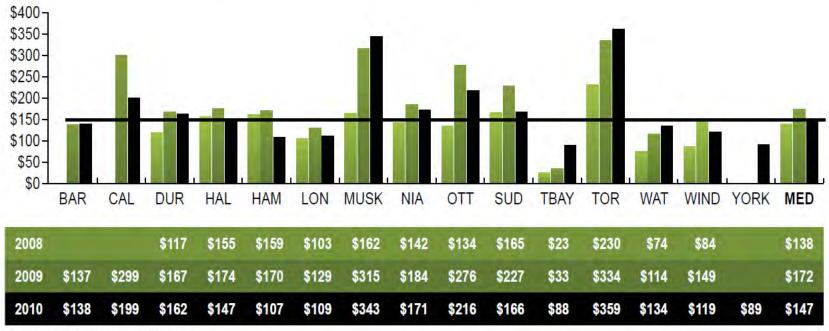
Source: SWST325M (Efficiency)

Figure 26.4 illustrates how much it costs to dispose of a tonne of residential garbage. This trend can be attributed to declining landfill capacities thereby resulting in increased landfill rates, additional costs of transporting waste outside a community, aging infrastructure, capital costs, costs associated with the incineration of garbage, service agreements, increase in leachate treatment, and fluctuating fuel costs.

## Waste Diversion Costs

#### How much does it cost to divert a tonne of garbage?

Fig. 26.6 – Operating Cost for Solid Waste Diversion perTonne - Residential



Source: SWST330M (Efficiency)

Figure 26.6 shows the cost to divert a tonne of garbage and indicates the majority of municipalities have decreased their cost. This can be attributed to increased revenues in 2010 vs. 2009 when all municipalities experienced a decrease in revenues.

## Municipal Benchmarking-2010 Thunder Bay

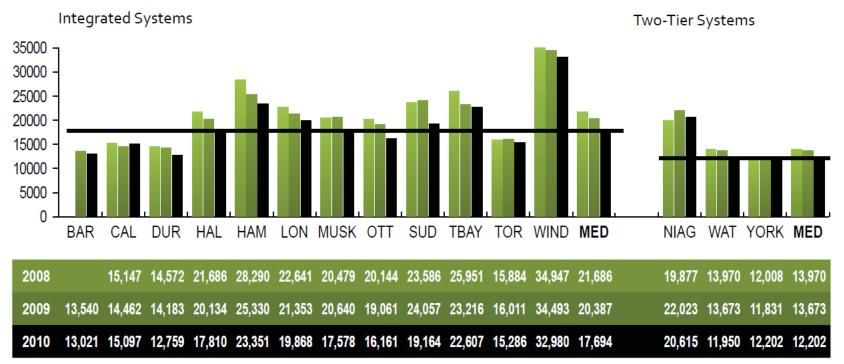
Total waste stream collected Disposal Diversion **Diversion % Disposal Cost Diversion Cost** Cost for disposal and diversion

- 0.91 tonnes/household (hse)
- 0.73 tonnes/hse
- 0.18 tonnes/hse
- 31% diversion
- \$ 29/tonne
- \$ 88/tonne
- \$ 37.01/hse

### Wastewater – 588 cubic metres/hse/yr

#### How much wastewater is treated in each municipality?

Fig. 27.1 – Megalitres of Treated Wastewater per 100,000 Population (Integrated and Two-Tier Systems)



Source: WWTR210 (Service Level) NOTE: Refer to Additional Information

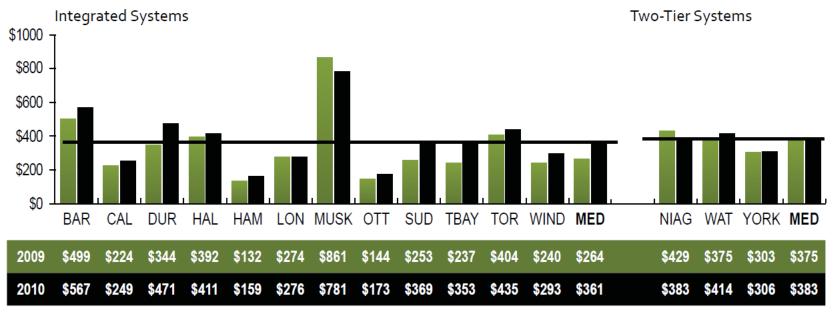
Figure 27.1 shows the volume of treated wastewater in megalitres from both residential and ICI sectors per 100,000 persons.

Based on 2.6 persons/house (2006 Census) or 38,461 households

#### Treatment & Disposal - \$ 207/hse/year

#### How much does wastewater treatment and disposal cost per megalitre?

Fig. 27.5 – Operating Cost of Wastewater Treatment and Disposal per Megalitre Treated (Integrated and Two-Tier Systems)



Source: WWTR310M (Efficiency) NOTE: Refer to Additional Information

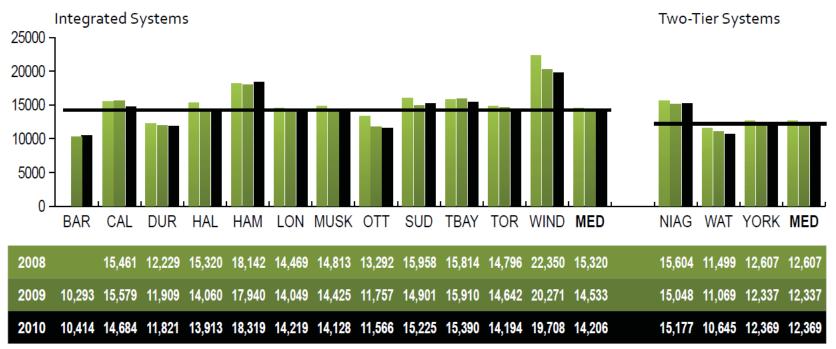
Figure 27.5 shows the cost of treating wastewater and disposing of bio-solids per megalitre of wastewater. Bio-solids are primarily organic accumulated solids separated from wastewater that have been stabilized by treatment. Wastewater is treated to meet or exceed the provincial Ministry of the Environment regulations and standards.

Based on 588 cubic metres/hse & \$353/cubic metre

### Water - 400 cubic metres/hse/yr

#### How much water is treated in each municipality?

Fig. 28.1 – Megalitres of Treated Water per 100,000 Population (Integrated and Two-Tier Systems)



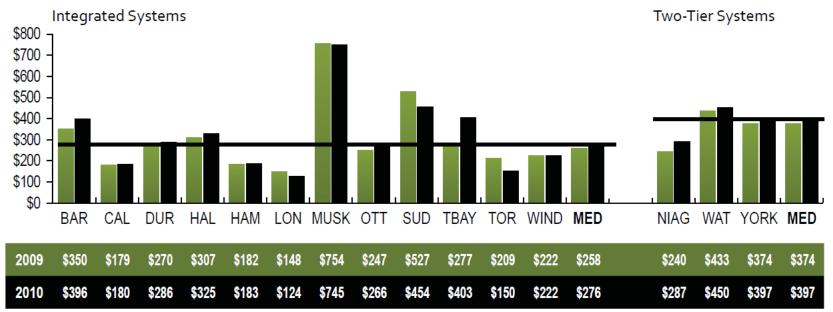
Source: WATR210 (Service Level) NOTE: Refer to Additional Information

Figure 28.1 shows the volume of drinking water treated per 100,000 persons. Overall demand includes water provided to the residential and ICI sectors. These volumes shown are in megalitres (one megalitre is equivalent to one million litres).

### Water Treatment - \$161/hse/yr

#### How much does the treatment of drinking water cost?

Fig. 28.5 – Operating Cost for the Treatment of Drinking Water per Megalitre of Drinking Water Treated (Integrated and Two-Tier Systems)



#### Source: WATR310M (Efficiency) NOTE: Refer to Additional Information

Figure 28.5 shows the cost of treating a megalitre of drinking water. Costs include operation and maintenance of treatment plants as well as quality assurance and laboratory testing to ensure compliance with regulations.

Based on 400 cubic metres/house and 38,461 houses

## Infrastructure Comparison

- Waste & Diversion
- Wastewater Treatment
- Water Treatment

\$ 37/hse/year

\$ 207/hse/year

\$ 161/hse/yr

The above amounts include ICI and excludes capital costs for initial infrastructure and related services – comparison is intended to show that on a household basis, some investment in managing waste properly can reduce potential negative impacts on more expensive infrastructure – all of which are required for a healthy community.

## **Session Objectives**

- Describe how a natural attenuation landfill works
- Describe contamination sources, pathways and receptors
- Identify best practices and legislation for siting landfills
- Explain how landfills can affect the environment and human health
- Share your experiences and compare your situation with others in the session

### Legislation

- Ontario Regulations don't apply on reserve lands but are referenced as best practice
- Federal regulations are very limited e.g. Indian Reserve Waste Disposal Regulations, CRC, c 960

## **Operational Plan**

- A report & plan(s) to show the site development, operations & management, and closure.
- Identifies the total site area and ownership; outlines where waste should be placed (length, width, height) and how (type, compaction, equipment); predicts annual waste quantities and calculates remaining life for a defined servicing area; identifies potential impacts to the environment and monitoring programs for groundwater, surface water and landfill gas; outlines the closure activities once capacity is reached and post closure care.

## Waste Disposal Types

- Three types of facilities (Ontario):
  - Dump
  - Natural attenuation landfill
  - Engineered landfill



## **Engineered Landfill**

Landfilling - facility with design features typically includes: berms, drainage ditches, liners, covers, pumps, leachate control system, landfill gas control system





### DUMP

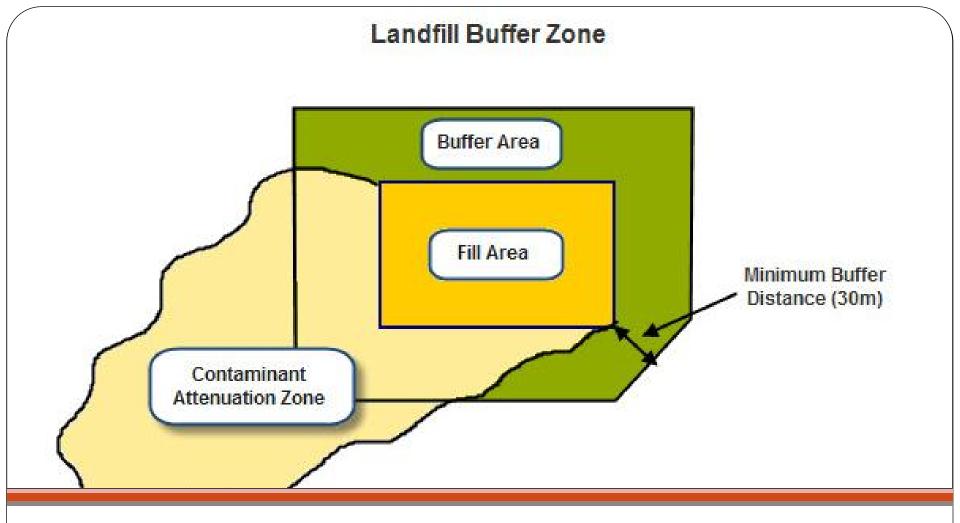
- Usually remote or isolated
- Small waste quantities and serviced population
- Large buffers manage impacts to groundwater, surface water and air quality – including landfill gas.

## Natural Attenuation Landfill

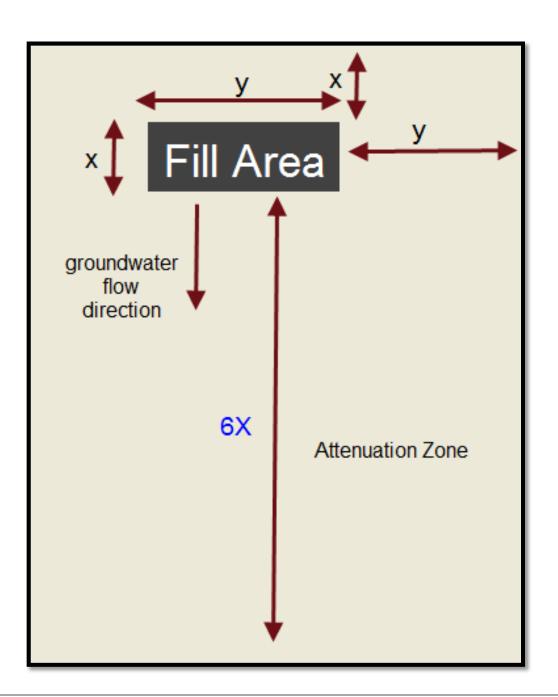
- Natural attenuation is the most common form of landfill found on reserves in Ontario.
- Natural Attenuation: The process by which a compound (i.e., leachate) is reduced in concentration over time, through absorption, adsorption, degradation, dilution and/or transformation.







Buffer zone has to be a minimum of 30 metres wide at every point (preferably 100 metres wide)

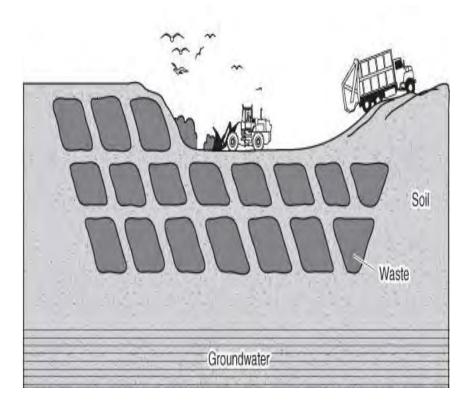


MOE Hydrogeological Risk Assessment Configuration – Northern Ontario

## **Source Water Protection**

 Clean Water Act is requiring Conservation Authorities to implement Action Plan to protect vulnerable water supply sources – thus any future contaminant attenuation zone for groundwater management is likely to be prohibited within these defined areas.

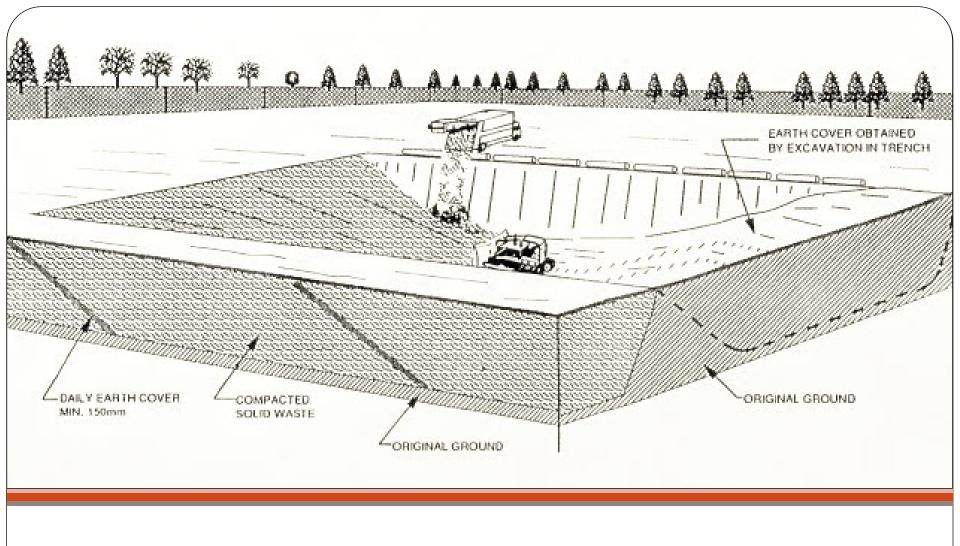
## Natural Attenuation Landfill



#### Modified Area Method

Waste can be placed in the following ways:

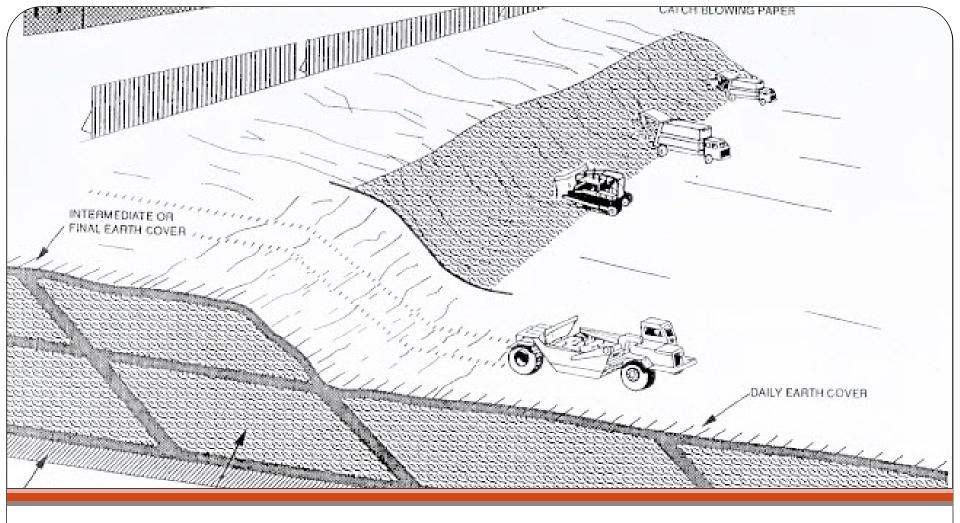
- Above existing ground (area method)
- Below ground in trenches (trench method)
- Combination of both (modified area method)



#### Trench Method: Advantages and Disadvantages



### **Cell Structure**



#### Area Method: Advantages and Disadvantages

### Methods of Waste Placement

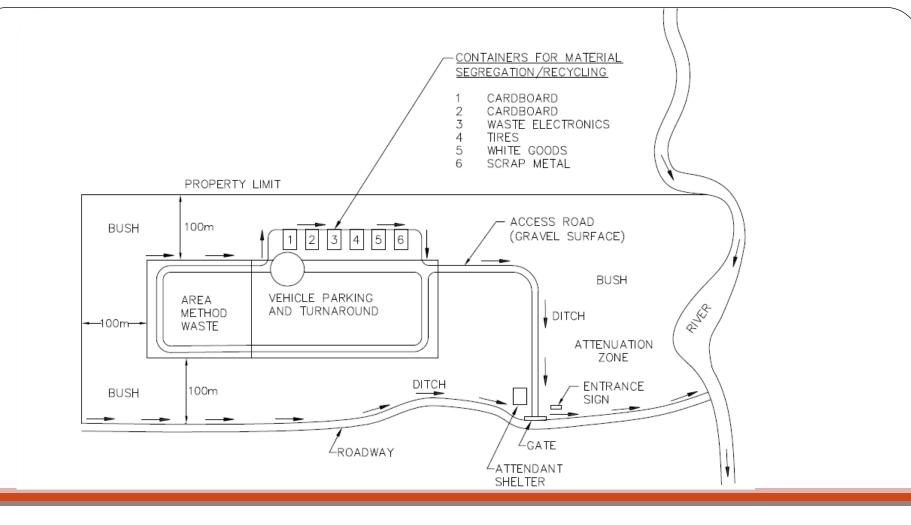
#### **Trench Method**

#### **Area Method**

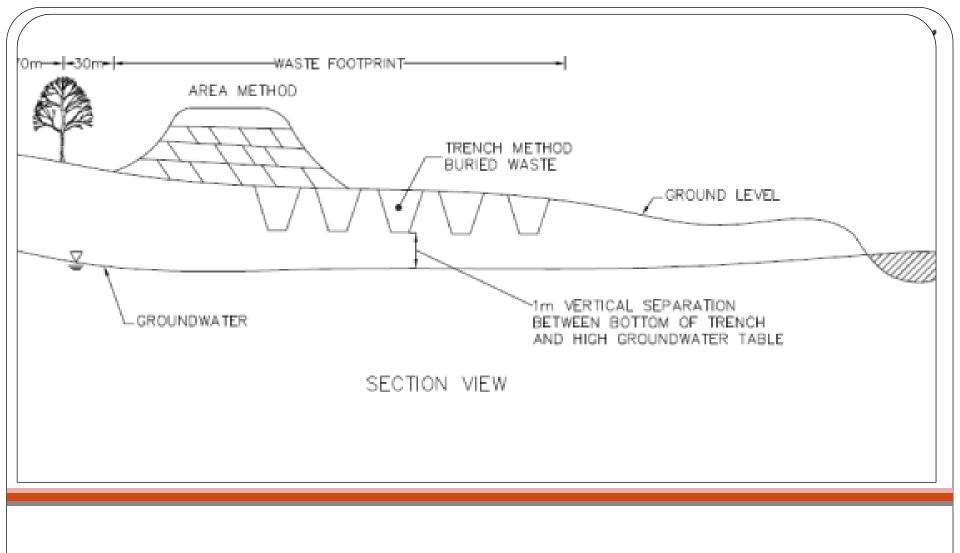




#### Each method has its own advantages?



#### Typical Natural Attenuation Landfill Plan View - Layout



Typical Natural Attenuation Landfill Site Layout - Section View

### **Natural Attenuation Landfill**

#### What are potential impacts from a landfill?





## **Potential Landfill Impacts**

- Contaminate surface water
- Contaminate groundwater
- Landfill gas
- Litter, odours, noise
- Disease-causing pests
- Public & worker health
  & safety





### **Surface Water**

Runoff from landfills, if improperly diverted, can enter naturally occurring streams, lakes, or other waterways. This causes harm to local ecosystems and human health through the spread of bacteria, toxic chemicals, and heavy metals.



### Groundwater

Leachate from landfills can seep underground and contaminate the underlying groundwater. Depending on how the groundwater is being used, there could be serious long-term health hazards that affect the community. Any plants, animals, birds or fish that depend on that groundwater source can also be threatened by the contamination.



### Landfill Gas

Decomposition of organic wastes in landfills causes the formation of landfill gas, which is mostly methane and carbon dioxide. Landfill gas migrates through waste and the surrounding soil, and if a buildup of gas occurs, can asphyxiate humans, animals and vegetation, and can even cause explosions.

### Typical Factors to Consider in Siting

- Keep receptors such as residences or other buildings away from waste
- Maintain separation distance to water wells, streams, lakes and highways
- Keep waste above groundwater table
- Waste slopes to prevent failure
- Deposit waste on gently sloping ground
- Waste to be screened from roadway
- Soils with moderate hydraulic conductivity
- Site to accommodate large buffer zone



#### Hydrogeological Assessment

Confirm groundwater flow direction and velocity, depth to ground-water table, groundwater quality and impact to surrounding receptors.



# Screened from public view by berms, trees or other shrubbery



Apply sufficient daily cover to minimize infiltration, reduce wind-blown debris and minimize exposure to wildlife and humans

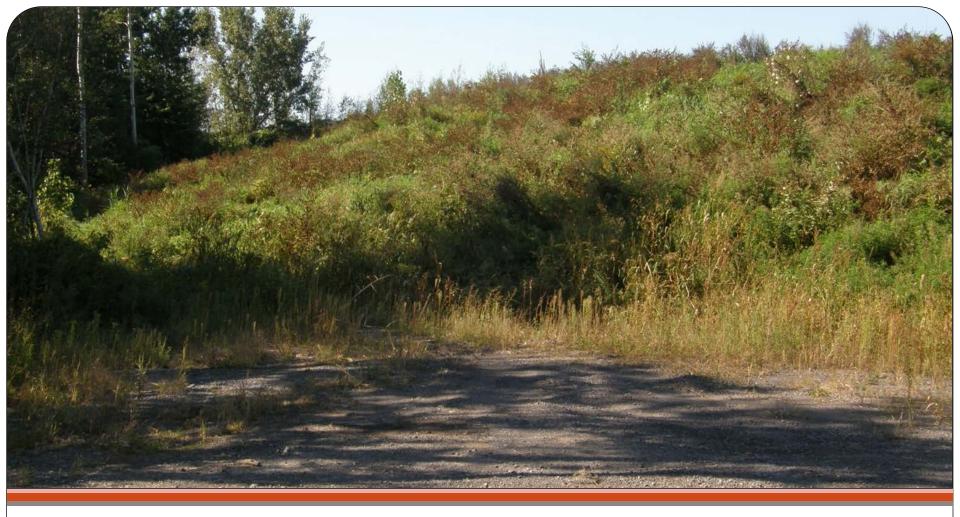


#### Soil beneath waste

Soils with moderate hydraulic conductivity such as clays or silts are preferred.

# Managing Surface Water

- Maximum slope of 25% on fill area
- Slope of 2% away from waste on approach
- Install diversion structures to prevent clean water draining into waste
- Protect soil stockpiles from wind
- Construct settling pond or ponding area to allow suspended solids to settle out from runoff
- Maintain healthy vegetation on side slopes to minimize erosion



### Slope on Final Cover not to exceed 25%

Abundant vegetation prohibits erosion.



Provide 2% slope away from waste on approach



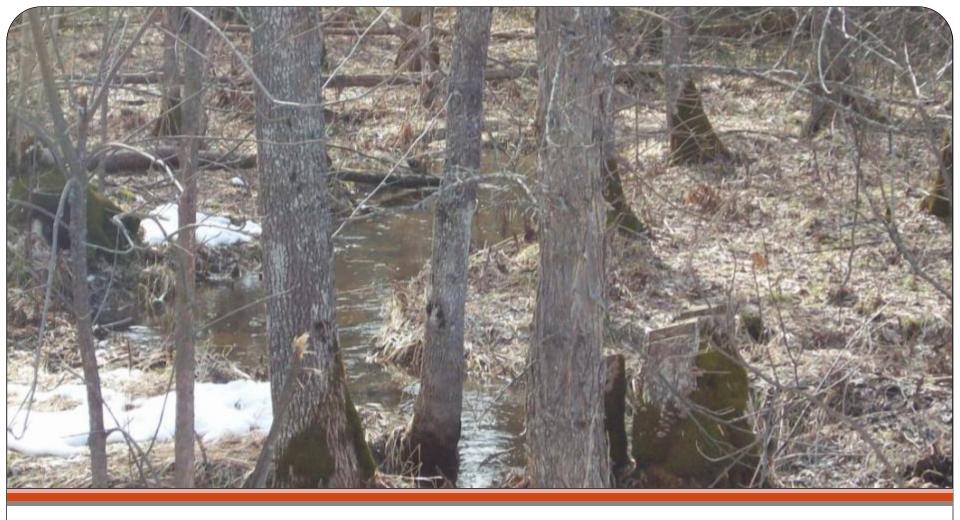
The active face should have a slope draining away from the waste so water doesn't infiltrate



Diversion structures should carry water away from the active face.



# Soil stockpiles should be protected against erosion.



#### Landfill Runoff

Runoff is directed to flat area with vegetation. Water will infiltrate into ground within 1-2 days.

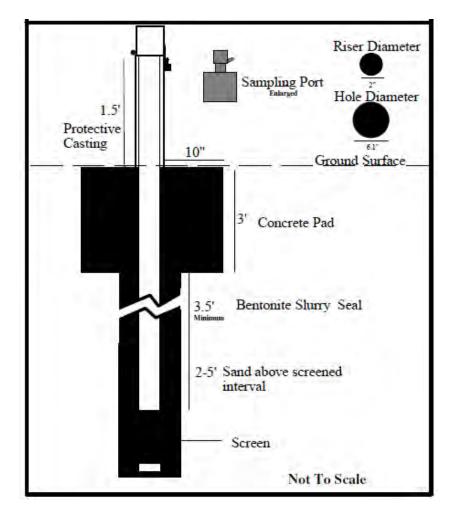
### Ideal Conditions for Landfill Gas

- Buffer area adequate for natural venting
- Soil composition checked
- If inadequate attenuation, gas interception and ventilation systems installed
- If dwellings nearby, monitoring devices installed



The buffer area should be wide on all sides to allow for natural venting.

# Typical Landfill Gas Monitor Installation



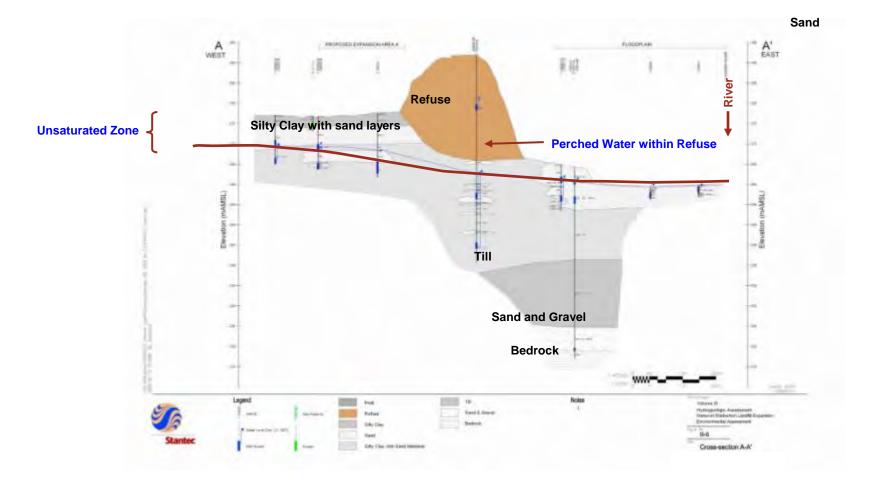


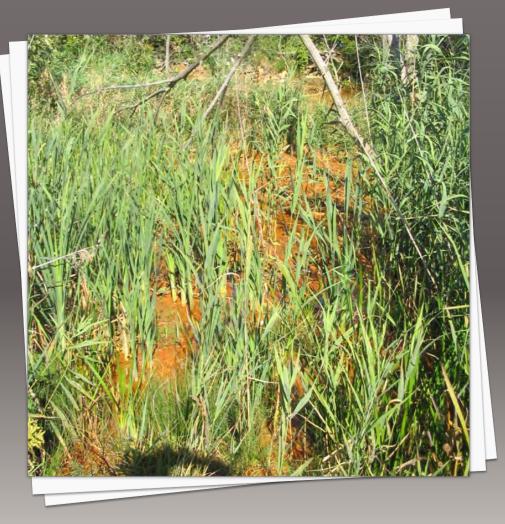
If landfill gas does not vent naturally to surface, interception and ventilation systems should be considered if there is potential for impact to surrounding land uses.

### Ideal Conditions for Groundwater

- Waste not placed in water bottom of waste above seasonally high water table
- Soil underlying waste to preferably have moderately low hydraulic conductivity, such as silts
- Groundwater hydraulic gradient to be low
- Groundwater quality monitored regularly

### Waste Placed Above Water





Natural attenuation landfills, seeps containing iron discharge from the waste pile.

- Leachate formed when water contacts waste
- May spread harmful bacteria
- Can contain toxic chemicals
- May carry heavy metals
- Depletes waterways of oxygen

### Leachate

#### Typical water quality indicators for leachate:

- pH (5.3 8.5, typical 6)
- Electrical conductance (e.g. chloride 100 3,000)
- BOD (5-day BOD 2,000 30,000)
- COD (3,000 45,000)
- TSS (200 1,000)
- Ammonia (10 800)

Some other parameters include boron, iron, cadmium

## Ideal Road Conditions

- Easy to access
- Gravel surfaced or paved
- 6 m wide to accommodate two lane traffic and trucks
- Drainage ditches and culverts for road base drainage
- Alignment and vegetation should not restrict visibility provide 20m wide clearing
- Maximum grade between10-12%



Access Road to a Rural Landfill in Ontario What features are missing ?

## Ideal Conditions for Buffers

- Minimum of 30 metres but preferably 100 metres.
- Buffers provide a zone for the installation of mitigative measures, if needed.
- Contaminant attenuation Zone can reach 500 metres or more
- Maintain a separation distance from adjacent land owners.

# Ideal Conditions for Signs

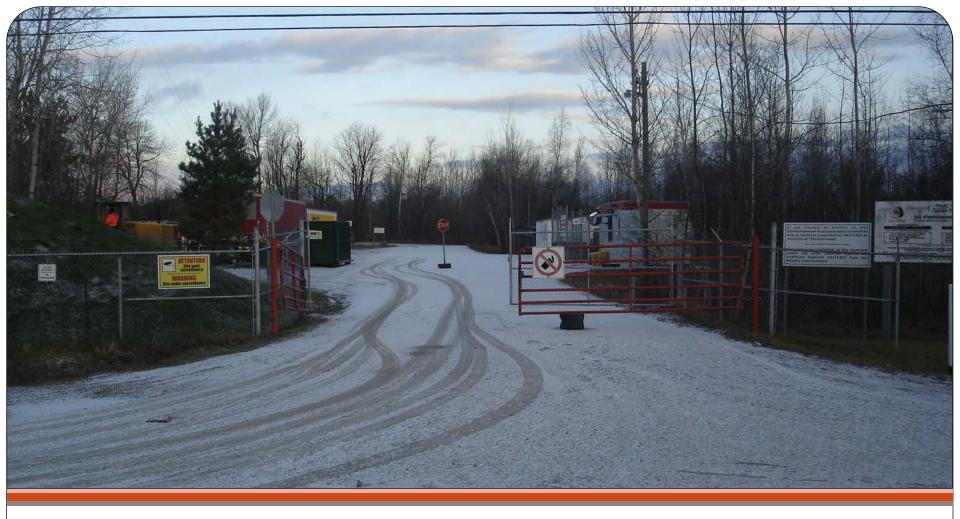
- Easy to read: legible from within vehicle
- Erected in a prominent location
- Site operation information
- Hazard warnings
- Waste segregation areas

# Signs









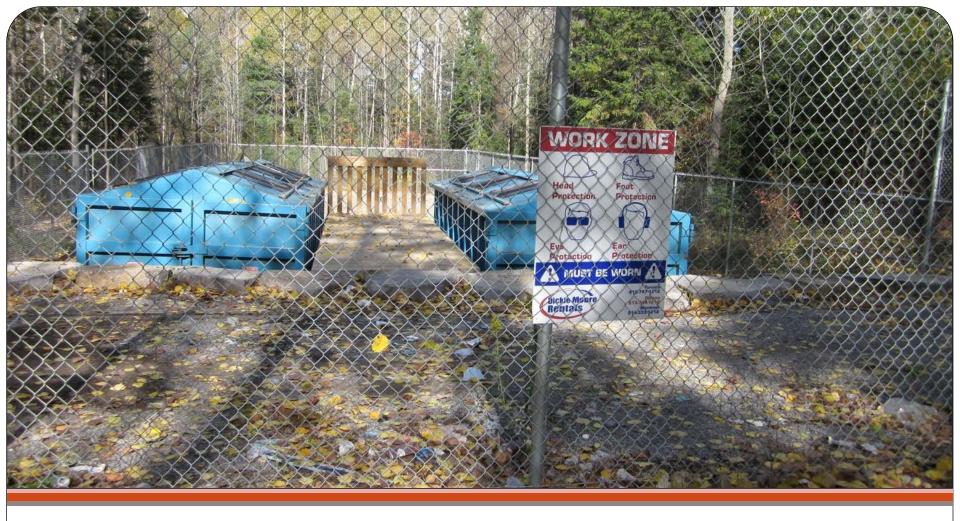
### Entrance Signs

### Gates and Fences

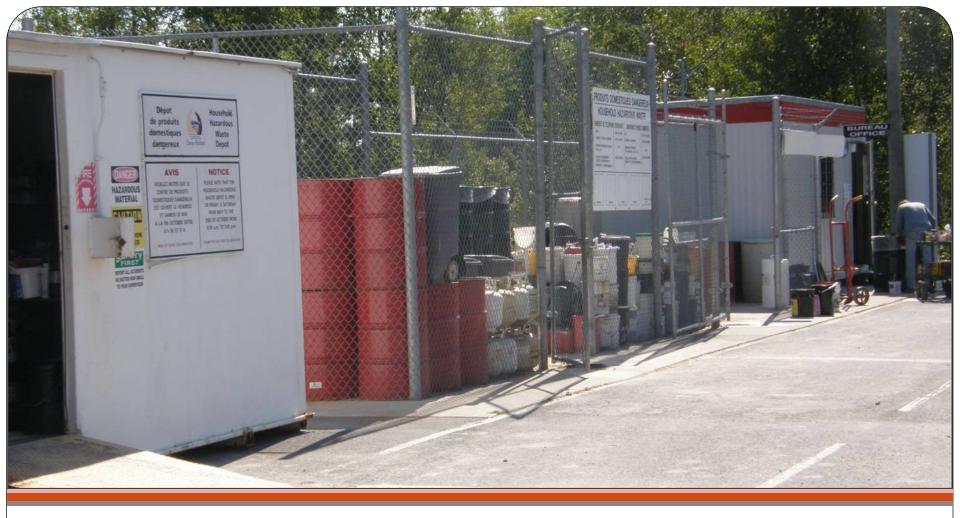
- Enclose the landfill site
- Discourage scavengers
- Keep litter contained
- Made of sturdy material
- Extend into the ground
- Equipped with locks



### Page Wire Gate at Entrance



### Fence for Recycling Bins



#### Fence for Municipal Hazardous & Special Waste



#### Fences for Material Storage

Concrete barriers can be moved to adjust the storage size as demand grows.



# Electric Fence to deter bears and other wildlife

### Ideal Drainage Features:

- Slope of 1 to 2% on ditch bottom
- Ditch back slopes to be 2H:1V or shallower depending on soil type
- Keep ditch back slopes vegetated to prevent erosion
- Diversion channels should keep water from flowing into waste – also used to lower groundwater level



Drainage ditch along toe of newly shaped final slope before seeding.

# Segregation of Materials

- Most common materials include;
- Scrap metal
- Blue box materials
- Cardboard/boxboard
- White goods
- Leaf and Yard waste
- Tires



### Material segregation – various methods



Waste Segregation at Landfill



#### Roll off containers for larger volumes

# **Scrap Metal Options**

- Many First Nations already divert scrap metal from their landfills
- Typically have separate stockpile located at landfill that gets picked up by local scrap metal recycler
- White goods included however refrigerants/freons must be removed by an MOE certified technician.
- Revenue is generated however price fluctuates with commodity prices
- <u>www.ontarioscrap.com</u> provides list of companies operating in Ontario by region





## Composting

- One way to recover value from waste and reduce disposal requirements: recover nutrients.
- Options: backyard, neighbourhood, centralized
- Leaf & Yard waste OK for landfill.
- Kitchen waste is a food source for animals so it needs to be buried. If waste is being transferred off site, need to use closed lid containers.



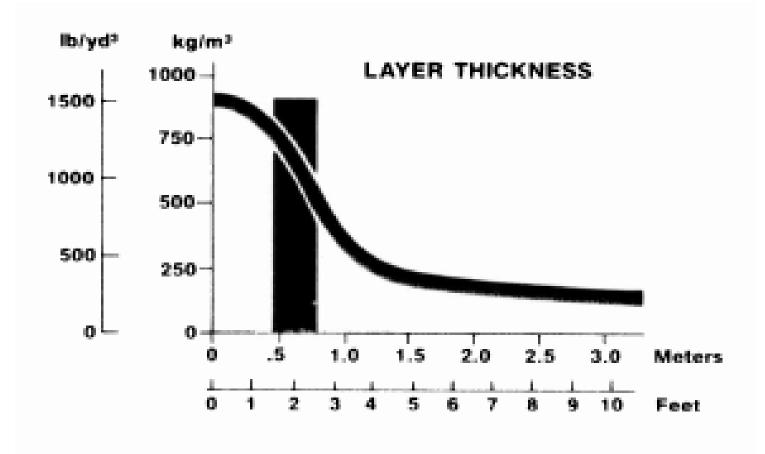
### Ideal Conditions for Fill Area

- Active face size at small sites, should be able to accommodate 5 or more vehicles at any one time
- Access road to face is in good condition no protrusions to puncture tires
- Built against existing cells to assist with compaction
- Ground sloping away from the face for drainage

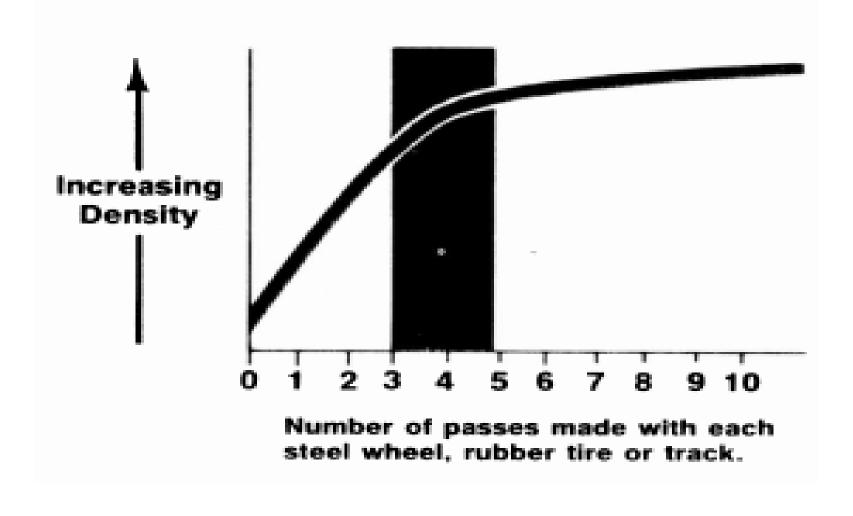


If the active face is not well defined, waste is simply deposited anywhere.

#### **Optimum Lift Thickness**



#### **Optimum Number of Passes**





#### Compaction

#### **Crawler Tractor Specifications**



## **Compactor Specifications**



# Equipment

Type of equipment	Function	Cost
Landfill compactor	Spreading and compacting solid waste, moving waste into the active cell, and applying daily cover. Most efficient when on flat surface Should not be operated on a slope steeper that 4H:1V for safety	New \$500,000
Crawler tractor or Bulldozer	Same functions as compactor but tracks of dozer used instead of steel wheels . Most common equipment at most sites. More versatile than compactor and is readily available from any excavation company.	New \$ 275,000
Track loaders	Best suited to trench method because it can excavate daily cover.	New \$200,000
Excavators/backhoe	Used for reshaping waste sideslopes, drainage ditches, moving material stockpiles.	New \$150,000

### **Best Practices for Daily Cover**

- Applied on weekly or daily basis on large suites to control odours, vermin, vectors and other nuisance predators
- Minimum cover thickness is between 100 mm and 150mm (6 inches)
- Soil stockpiles should be kept near active face
- Use one part soil cover to four parts waste



#### Cell, Compaction and Cover Equipment



#### Daily Cover

# Alternate Daily Cover

- Mix soil with other products on a 1:2 or 1:3 ratio
- Leaf & Yard Waste
- Shredded C&D waste
- Chipped or grounded wood products
- Asphalt shingles

#### Shredded wood waste



### Hydrocarbon-Impacted Soil

- Some landfills reserve an area for treating hydrocarbon contaminated soil.
- Soil to be analyzed to determine whether it is hazardous (pH, flashpoint, benzene, lead, TPH)
- Spread soil in layers up to 300 mm thick over a flat portion of the waste pile
- Rework soil every few days to evaporate the volatile hydrocarbon
- After several weeks, most of the hydrocarbon has evaporated and the soil can be used for daily cover.

### Safe Burning Practices

- Supervise fire until extinguished
- Have the correct equipment to extinguish fire should weather conditions change
- Fire should only be done in small manageable stockpiles and setback from trees (30m or more)
- Do not burn over previous waste
- Schedule burning when landfill is closed
- Have a contingency plan
- Inspect all wood before burning to ensure no containers that can explode are hidden



#### Burning: Do you allow burning at your site?



#### Why Garbage Should Not Be Burned

# Best Practices for Controlling Vermin

- Cover waste at least weekly schedule covering to follow days when site is open
- Maintain fences in good condition to keep large (wild or domestic) animals away
- Encourage residents to do backyard composting to minimize organics at the landfill
- Bury dead animals (most sites prohibit dead animal carcasses).
- Use a pest control specialist to implement a bait program to control rats



Do you have issues with animals at your site?

#### Integrated Wildlife Management

Near airports Gulls become troublesome



### Winter Control

- Contingency plan for emergency dumping if roads are snowed in or impassable during spring thaw.
- Equipment not starting due to cold
- Alternate sources of daily cover
- Traction control due to ice
- Responding to vehicles sliding into ditch



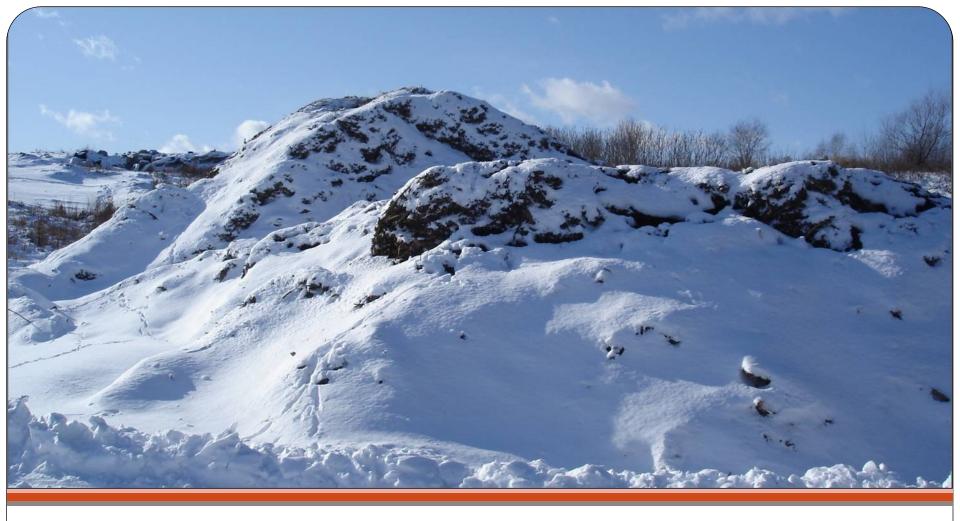
### Spring Conditions



Contingency Plans – access to active face or other temporary dumping location



Winter Operations – traction may be more difficult with other types of equipment.



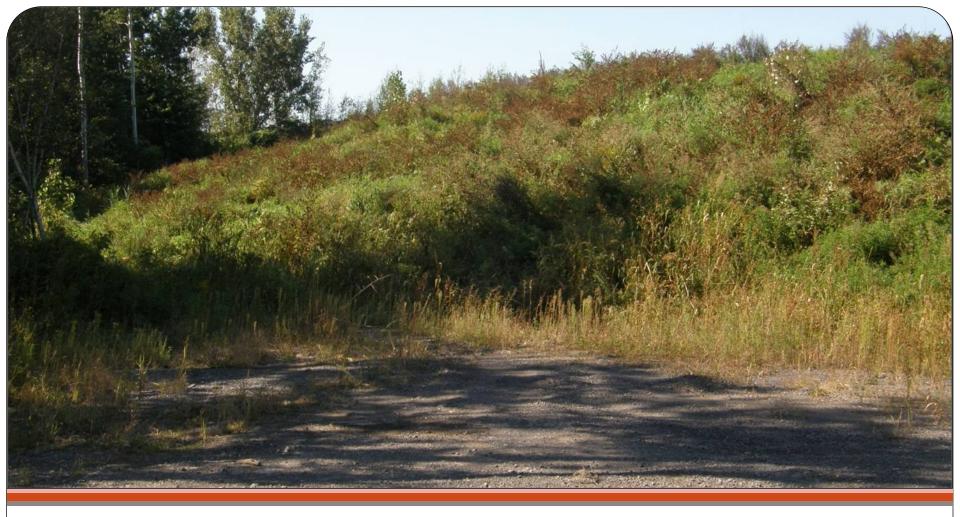
#### Cover Material in the Winter



#### Site Closure

#### **Best Practices for Closure**

- Follow guidelines for final slope
- Close progressively
- Apply a final cover
- Continue to monitor



Vegetation growth of final cover – control erosion

### Managing the Landfill

- Procedures for accepting waste
- Signs as detriment to entry
- Staffing and Supervision
- ✓ Facilities vandalism, landfill gas
- Inspections
- Housekeeping
- Monitoring and Reporting
- Health and Safety



#### **Unacceptable Waste and Load Inspection**



#### Illegal Dumping Who has problems with illegal dumping?





Signs



#### Staffing -near entrance gate -near dump face



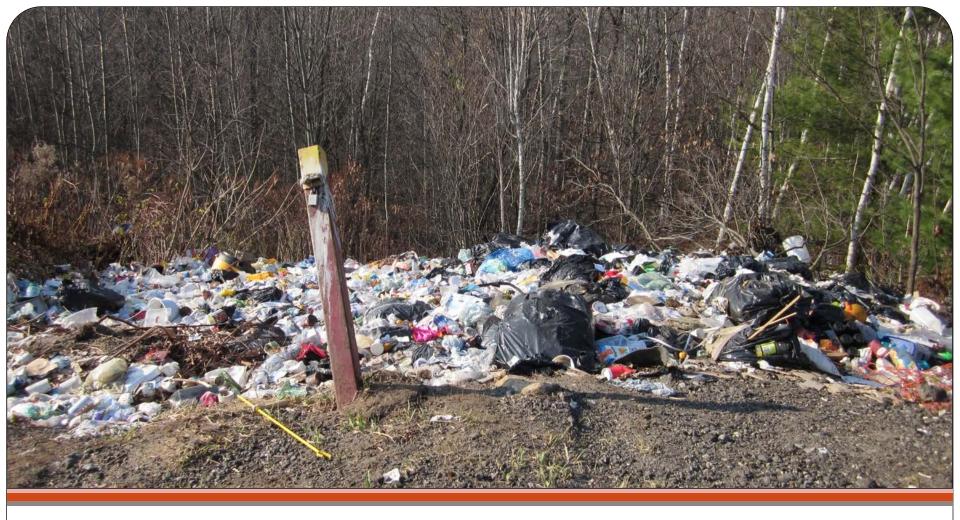
Facilities – includes shelter for custodian, weigh scales, storage shed for equipment, roll off and other containers



#### Litter Control



#### Other Considerations (Housekeeping)



#### **Daily Site Inspection**

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Project Name: T Date: 18/1/2	Transfer Station Inspection Report			Site Supervisor	Pierre Villemaire				
Weather: Wood	l/ Lunny - Sat / Lunny -	Sun /	nny	Reviewed by: Date: Dec 82009					
Item	Objective	Observation Wednesday	Observation Saturday	Observation Sunday	Other Observations/Action Required /Additional Comments				
Entrance	Is site locked during non-operating hours?	Yes I No	Yes No	PYes O No					
	Does entrance have a neat appearance?	Yes D No	Tes D No	Pryes I No					
Gate	Access restricted through padlock & limited # of keys?	Yes I No	Yes No	Yes No					
1 1	Gate in good condition?	Yes INO							
	Any evidence of forced entry?	Yes Yo	Yes Dr.No	Yes No Yes PNo					
Main Entrance Sign	Sign to display; Name of site; C of A Number,	PYes D No	Yes No	PYes D No					
	Operation authority and their telephone number; Hours of operation; Emergency telephone number;								
	Waste types accepted; warning against unauthorized access and dumping outside of site								
Hours of	Hours are posted on entrance sign?	Yes No	Yes No	Yes D No					
Operation Supervision	Number of a final in	-							
Supervision	Number of staff on site								
Fence	Completed monthly inspection of fences?	Yes I No	Yes No	Yes No					
Transportation	Road Surface appropriate for uses vehicles?	Yes D No	Yes No	Yes No					
	Condition of Sheiter.	PYes No	Yes No	Yes No					
Shelter	Information/signs provided for safety and emergency procedures, telephone locations and								
	emergency procedures, telephone locations and emergency contact names and numbers; fire								

#### **Daily Operations Checklist**



#### Health and Safety



Training - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS), First Aid and CPR training, Health and Safety training, current with tetanus vaccine

# Monitoring & Reporting

- Typical groundwater monitor
- Water Level determination
- Equipment used in monitoring
- Example of a field form to record pH, temperature, sample type & lab testing
- Typical parameters for sampling
- Example for groundwater lab results
- Example for surface water lab results
- Fluctuations in parameter concentrations



# Monitoring and Reporting



Groundwater casing is locked to prevent contamination



#### Groundwater Monitor without casing



Reel emits a sharp sound when tip of probe reaches water – technician reads level on tape.



#### Equipment Used in Sampling Water

## **Monitoring Locations**





#### Monitoring Surface Water

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(if different from above)													CIndicate: F=Filter	ed or P=Preserved		
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Field form identifies location, sample type, temperature, pH, other comments.

### Laboratory Parameters for Surface and Ground Water

QUANTITY	PARAMETER	UNIT PRICE	EXTE	NDED COST
66	Package Price, Includes:	172.00		11,352.00
66	ICP 28 Element Scan			
66	Cr(VI) - water			
66	ANION Scan - 6			
66	Alkalinity			
66	Hardness - Calculation			
66	BOD5			
66	COD			
66	DOC			
66	TKN - water			
66	N-NH3 - water			
66	TDS - (COND-CALC)			
66	TSS			
66	Hydrogen Sulfide			
66	Turbidity			
			Sub Total:	11,352.00
			GST (7%):	794.64
			Total Cost:	12,146.64

### Groundwater impacts ?

	Chain of Custody Number:							Matrix:
	[		LAB ID:	838833	838834	838835	838836	838837
		Sam	ple Date: '	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20
		S	ample ID:	BH96-1	BH96-2/2	BH96-3	BH96-4	BH07-1D
Parameters								
	PARAMETER	UNITS	MRL					
	Alkalinity as CaCO3	mg/L	5	446	279	309	81	238
	Chloride	mg/L	1	97	4	<1	2	<1
	Conductivity	uS/cm	5	1180	524	775	184	442
Alkalinity	Fluoride	mg/L	0.1	<0.10	0.10	0.14	0.16	0.14
Акашту	Hydrogen Sulphide	mg/L	0.01	1.40	<1	<1	1.70	<10
Chloride	N-NH3 (Ammonia)	mg/L	0.02	2.17	4.99	< 0.02	0.04	0.39
CHIONUE	N-NO2 (Nitrite)	mg/L	0.1	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Ammonia	N-NO3 (Nitrate)	mg/L	0.1	<0.10	<0.10	0.29	<0.10	<0.10
Ammonia	Sulphate ,	mg/L	1	46	<1	104	13	6
Total Kieldahl	Total Dissolved Solids (COND - CALC)	mg/L	5	767	341	504	120	287
IULAI KIEIUAIII	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/L	0.1	3.27	5.74	<0.10	<0.10	0.68
Nitrogen(TKN)	Turbidity	NTU	0.1	100	>100	86.0	>100	>100
	Hardness as CaCO3	mg/L	1	515	265	306	94	231
	Calcium	mg/L	1	165	83	65	26	58
	Magnesium	mg/L	1	25	14	35	7	21
	Potassium	mg/L	1	6	6	6	<1	3
	Sodium	mg/L	2	59	8	65	<2	8
	Aluminum	mg/L	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.05	0.17	0.08
	Antimony	mg/L	0.0005	< 0.0005	< 0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	< 0.0005
	Arsenic	mg/L	0.001	< 0.01	<0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	<0.01
	Barium	mg/L	0.01	0.06	0.19	0.03	0.01	0.02
Boron	Beryllium	mg/L	0.001	< 0.001	<0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	<0.001
DOIOII	Boron	mg/L	0.01	0.23	0.07	0.04	<0.01	0.02
	Cadmium	mg/L	0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001
	Chromium	mg/L	0.001	0.005	0.005	0.002	0.003	0.004
	Cobalt	mg/L	0.0002	0.0049	0.0043	0.0088	0.0110	0.0011
	Copper	mg/L	0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	0.001	0.001	< 0.001
Iron	Hexavalent Chromium (Cr(VI))	mg/L	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	< 0.05	<0.05
Iron	Iron	mg/L	0.03	10.8	66.3	0.05	0.14	0.34
	Lead	mg/L	0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	< 0.001	< 0.001	< 0.001

# Surface Water Impacts?

Parameters

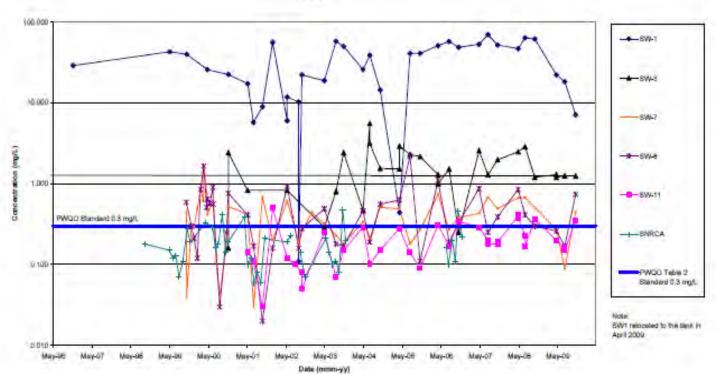
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Alkalinity Conductivity Ammonia Dissolved Solids TKN Suspended Solids

Boron

Chain of Custody Number:						Matrix:				
			LAB ID:	838840	838841	838842	838843	838844		
			ple Date:	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20	2010-10-20		
		s	ample ID:	SW-1T	SW-3	SW-5	SW-7	SW-8		
PARAMETER		UNITS	MRL							
Cadmium		mg/L	0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001		
Chromium		mg/L	0.001	0.006	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002		
Cobalt		mg/L	0.0002	0.0015	0.0003	0.0003	0.0003	0.0004		
Copper		mg/L	0.001	0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	0.002		
Hexavalent Chromium (Cr(VI))		mg/L	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	< 0.05		
Iron		mg/L	0.03	23.3	1.50	0.39	0.30	0.54		
Lead		mg/L	0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	< 0.001		
Manganese		mg/L	0.01	0.83	0.21	0.31	0.03	0.07		
Mercury		mg/L	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001		
Molybdenum		mg/L	0.005	< 0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	< 0.005		
Nickel		mg/L	0.005	0.006	< 0.005	< 0.005	<0.005	<0.005		
Selenium		mg/L	0.001	<0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	<0.001	< 0.001		
Silver		mg/L	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001		
Strpntium		mol	0.001	1.54	0.219	0.725	0.457	0.438		
Thallium		mo/L	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001		
Titanium		mo/L	0.01	< 0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02		
Vanadium		mg/L	0.001	0.011	0.002	0.003	0.003	0.004		
Zinc		mg/L	0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01		
Alkalinity as CaCO3	_	mg/L	5	1040	232	368				
Biochemical Oxygen Demand		ma/L	1	12	<1	308	228	228		
Bromide		mg/L	0.25	0.38	<0.25	<0.25	<0.25	1		
Chemical Oxygen Demand		ma/L	5	90	10	45	35	60		
Chloride		mol	1	99	25	19	21	23		
Conductivity	_	uS/cm	5	2260	563	809	551	554		
Dissolved Organic Carbon		mg/L	0.5	34.9	5.7	11.6	10.1	10.6		
Fluoride		mg/L	0.1	0.13	<0.10	0.12	0.15	0.15		
Hydrogen Sulphide		mg/L	0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.01	<0.1	<0.1		
N-NH3 (Ammonia)		mg/L	0.02	56.8	0.03	0.65	0.02	0.03		
N-NO2 (Nitrite)		mg/L	0.1	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10		
N-NO3 (Nitrate)		mg/L	0.1	1.10	0.12	0.16	2.85	2.85		
O-PO4 (Ortho-Phosphate)		mg/L	0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.14	0.11	0.12		
Sulphate		mg/L	1	91	28	50	24	23		
Total Dissolved Solids (COND - CALC)		mg/L	5	1470	366	526	358	360		
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen		mg/L	0.1	63.3	0.18	1.15	0.74	0.93		
Total Phosphorus		mol	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.07	0.06	0.19		
Total Suspended Solids		ma/L	2	127	3	13	10	46		
Turbidity		NTU	0.1	>100	9.1	6.0	14.6	27.0		
Hardness as CaCO3		mg/L	1	799	272	396	256	252		
Calcium		mg/L	1	236	81	124	73	73		
Magnesium		mg/L	1	51	17	21	18	17		
Polassium		mg/L	1	63	1	11	3	3		
Sodium		mg/L	2	99	10	17	13	12		
Aluminum		mg/L	0.01	0.02	0.06	<0.01	0.30	0.45		
Antimony		mg/L	0.0005	< 0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005		
Arsenic		mg/L	0.001	< 0.01	<0.001	< 0.001	<0.001	<0.0003		
Barium		mg/L	0.01	0.36	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.06		
Beryllium		mo/L	0.001	<0.001	<0.001	< 0.001	<0.001	<0.001		
Boron		mg/L	0.01	0.99	0.01	0.40	0.04	0.04		

#### Iron as a Leachate Indicator



Iron

### Waste Diversion Initiatives

Waste Electronics and Electrical Equipment
 Ontario Used Tire Program
 Municipal Hazardous & Special Waste
 Used Oil

# Ontario's WEEE Program

- Ontario program commenced April 2009 (revised in 2010)
- Waste Electronics & Electrical Equipment (WEEE) includes: Household appliances, IT equipment, Telecom equipment, and Audiovisual equipment
- Full EPR = no longer charge for individual to dispose of waste electronics
- IFO = Ontario Electronics Stewardship (OES)





### WEEE at Rural Landfill



# Ontario's Used Tires Program

- Ontario program commenced Sept.
  1, 2009
- Includes all motor vehicle tires, off road, and industrial tires
- Full EPR = no longer charge for individual to dispose of used tires
- IFO = Ontario Tires Stewardship (OTS)
- First Nations program options:
  - Register with OTS as a Collector
  - Register as Generator only OTS hauler pick up of band operations generated tires at no charge
  - Return to retailer



**OTS** 

### Ontario's Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste (MHSW)

- These items contain toxic ingredients and should be used and disposed of with caution
- Ontario's MHSW Program requires companies that manufacture and market these products to take stewardship responsibility = full EPR
- Consultations currently on a revised program.
- IFO = Stewardship Ontario
- Materials include: paints, solvents, oil filters, empty oil containers, dry cell batteries, antifreeze, fertilizers, pesticides, and pressurizec containers such as propane tanks



# **MHSW Options**

- Two main options:
  - MHSW Day or Depot
  - Direct members to "Return to Retailer"
- To support your program ban MHSW from landfill and educate about proper disposal (e.g. don't pour it down drains!)
- If you are operating or would like to operate an MHSW collection program: Register with Stewardship Ontario to act as collection agent for Phase 1 MHSW
  - No reimbursement of collection costs
  - Pick up of Phase 1 MHSW at no charge or reimbursement of contracted post-collection costs



When in doubt, don't throw it out Make the Drop

## **Used Oil Options**

- There is no Ontario program
- Diversion options include
  - Collect and have removed from FN by a licensed recycler
  - Collect and burn as a fuel in a suitable furnace
  - Direct individuals to drop off at service station
- Some First Nations have a used oil recycling tank at their landfill or public works garage which is picked up at no or a minimal charge by an oil recycling company.



### Landfill Bans

Other material to consider banning:

- Polychorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)
- Bulk Liquid Wastes (possible exceptions: sewage sludge, grease)
- Septage materials pumped from a septic tank (in Ontario acceptable if meets "slump test" not USEPA Paint Filter Liquids Test)
- Refrigerant Containing Waste
- Radioactive Waste (household smoke detectors) return them to the retailer e.g. Home Depot)
- Blood borne Pathogen Waste (check with your EHO)
- Asbestos (sealed in yellow bags, buried immediately)
- Other possible materials: Batteries, Sludges, Ashes

# Report to Council/Community

- Monthly summary of operational issues at the landfill
- Prepared by the person responsible for waste management
- Should include any of the following:
  - Labour problems with employees
  - Incidents where an injury occurred
  - Mechanical breakdown with equipment
  - Issues with suppliers of material (daily cover)
  - Significant improvements needed to building
  - Complaints or illegal dumping