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Mr. David DuBose, P.G. Georgia Department of Natural Resources Environmental Protection Division Solid Waste Management Program 4244 International Parkway, Suite 104 Atlanta, Georgia 30354

RE: Periodic Monitoring Report – Third Quarter 2023 Forsyth County-Hightower Road Landfill Solid Waste Permit Nos.: 058-006D(SL), 058-009D(SL), & 058-010D(SL) Forsyth County

Dear Mr. DuBose:

Atlantic Coast Consulting, Inc. (ACC) is providing Georgia Department of Natural Resources, Environmental Protection Division (EPD) this Methane Monitoring Report for the closed Hightower Road Solid Waste Landfill. Perimeter monitoring was conducted September 21, 2023, with procedures in accordance with the facility's approved methane monitoring plan. Attached is the SWM-19 form and recent potentiometric map. The monitoring well methane concentrations were reported as being less than 5 percent methane by volume during this monitoring event and the methane concentration in the facility structure was less than 1.25 percent methane by volume.

A copy of this report will be placed in the Operating Record. Please contact me or Sam Buckles with Forsyth County if you have any questions regarding this report.

Thank you,

ATLANTIC COAST CONSULTING, INC.

Charles Adam

Project Manager

Attachments

cc: Samuel Buckles with attachments via email. EPD Mountain District, Cartersville cover letter only via Regular mail. Operating Record via FedEx: 773528769194 SWM-19 FORM

AND

POTENTIOMETRIC MAP

Periodic Methane Monitoring Report

Third Quarter / 2023

Quarter or Month / Year

Facility Name:	Hightower Road Landfill	Date(s) of Monitoring:	9/21/2023
Facility Permit #'s:	058-006D(SL), 058-009D(SL)	Monitoring Conducted by:	C. Klamke
Permit #'s (cont):	058-010D(SL)	Equipment Field Calibrated by:	C. Klamke
County (Location):	Forsyth	Date of Field Calibration:	9/21/2023
Monitoring Equipment:	GX 2012	Manufacturer Calibration/Service Date:	7/26/2023

- 1. All reports must include a scaled and dated potentiometric surface map, (this applies only to those facilities required to perform groundwater monitoring) that shows ALL monitoring points, accompanied by a table listing the as-built depths and corresponding elevations of the bottoms of the methane monitoring wells and/or barhole punches. The potentiometric surface maps must be updated on an annual basis, and signed & sealed by a qualified groundwater scientist. Those facilities that do not conduct groundwater monitoring should, at a minimum, include a site map that shows ALL monitoring locations.
- 2. All reports must specify whether each monitoring location is a structure, permanent well, barhole punch, or vent (e.g. MM-1=scalehouse, MM-1=well, MM-1=BHP (barhole punch), MM-1=vent, or GWC-1=groundwater well).

3. Monitoring Results

a. Permanent Approved COMPLIANCE Monitoring Locations

Monitoring Point Identification	Monitoring Results		<u>Monitoring Point</u> Identification	Monitoring Results	
MM-1R	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-6	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	19.5%	Well	% Oxygen:	19.0%
	Time Sampled:	15:15	1	Time Sampled:	12:54
MM-2	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-7	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%	Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%
	Time Sampled:	12:41	-	Time Sampled:	13:06
MM-3	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-8	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	19.6%	Well	% Oxygen:	20.7%
	Time Sampled:	15:36	-	Time Sampled:	13:12
MM-4	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-9	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%	Well	% Oxygen:	19.5%
	Time Sampled:	15:22	1	Time Sampled:	13:20
MM-5	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-10	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	18.8%	Well	% Oxygen:	19.5%
	Time Sampled:	14:25]	Time Sampled:	13:27

a. Permanent Approved COMPLIANCE Monitoring Locations (continued)

Monitoring Point Identification	Monitoring Results		Monitoring Point Identification	Monitoring Results	
MM-11R	_% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-14	_% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
BHP	% Oxygen:	20.9%	Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%
	Time Sampled:	15:06		Time Sampled:	14:10
<u>MM-13</u>	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	MM-15	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%
Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%	Well	% Oxygen:	20.9%
	Time Sampled:	14:16		Time Sampled:	14:06

b. Facility Structures (All on-site structures must be monitored, listed, and shown on map.)

Facility Structure	Monitoring Results		Facility Structure	Monitoring Results
Tool Shed	% LEL:	0.0%	N/A	% LEL:
	% Methane by Volume:	0.0%		% Methane by Volume:
	% Oxygen:	20.9%		% Oxygen:
	Time Sampled:	14:36		Time Sampled:

c. Miscellaneous Monitoring Locations (vents, trenches not part of compliance monitoring)

Monitoring Point Identification	Monitoring Results		Monitoring Point Identification	Monitoring Results
MV-11	% Methane By Volume:	0.0%	N/A	% Methane By Volume:
Vent	% Oxygen:	20.9%		% Oxygen:
	Time Sampled:	13:42		Time Sampled:

d. Adjacent Off-Site Structures (off-site structures at facilities with known release)

Off-Site Structure	Monitoring Results	Off-Site Structure	Monitoring Results
N/A	_% LEL:	N/A	_% LEL:
	% Methane by Volume:		% Methane by Volume:
	% Oxygen:		% Oxygen:
	Time Sampled:		Time Sampled:

4. Climatic/Physical Conditions at Site

Samples must be collected under normal/average conditions of temperature, pressure, and climate for the season. Barhole punch sampling should not be performed during or immediately after rain events, or when soils are saturated or frozen. All sampling at compliance monitoring locations must be performed after 12:00 pm, and completed by 6:00 pm. Barometric information can be obtained from many locations. (i.e. http://weather.noaa.gov)

a.	Soil Conditions:	Normal							
b.	Weather Conditions:	Partly Cloudy							
c.	Temperature:	76 ° F							
d.	Barometric Conditions:	Rising		Falling	Х	Steady		Reading:	30.23
e.	Relative Humidity 10-90%	?	Yes	х —	No			Range:	43-51%
f.	Condition/Access: Sampling	ng points are pr	roperly	identified,	secured,	and maintain	ed?	-	
					Yes		No	Х	
lf ı	no, please list deficiencies (observed:							
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g. If stressed vegetation due to the presence of methane gas is noted, describe the extent and location in the space provided below.

Vegetation is not stressed.

5. **Description of Sampling Techniques:** Provide a clear and concise description for each type of sampling (well, barhole punch, structure, etc.) performed during the monitoring event. Wells are **NOT** to be vented; peak readings should be reported. Any exceptions should be noted here.

Wells were not vented prior to taking the sample and are equipped with quick-connect sample ports. The instrument was allowed to pump the sample for 3 minutes until the oxygen reading stabilized and the peak reading was recorded.

6. Additional Comments

Event attended by Samuel B. Buckles, Environmental Scientist Manager, Forsyth County Recycling & Solid Waste Department

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that all required information on this form is complete and accurate, and

I further CERTIFY that methane sampling was conducted by myself or my authorized representative in accordance with all applicable rules and current EPD guidance. Concentrations of methane detected during this sampling/monitoring event ____ do / X do not exceed 25 percent of the lower explosive limit (LEL) for methane in facility structures (excluding the gas recovery system components), and gas concentrations do / X do not exceed the LEL for methane at the approved compliance monitoring locations.

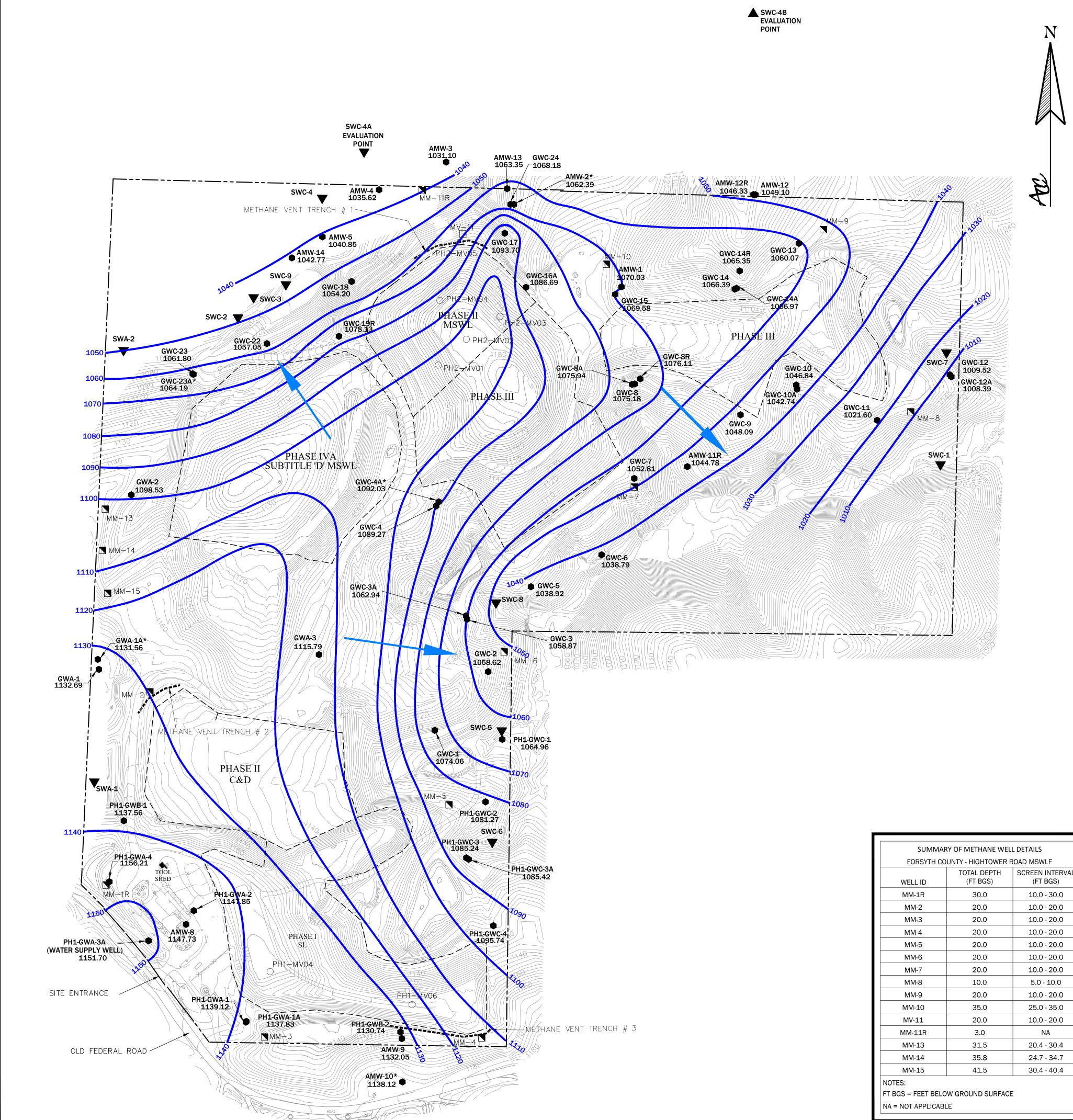
(IF THIS STATEMENT IS NOT SIGNED OR THE FORM IS ALTERED, THE DIVISION WILL NOT ACCEPT THE **RESULTS FROM THE SUBJECT FACILITY.)**

(Signature)

Professional Geologist # 1632 (Title)

25-Sep-2023 (Date)

Charles Adams, 1150 Northmeadow Pkwy., Suite 100, Roswell, GA 30076, (770) 594-5998 (Typed Name, Address, and Telephone Number)



TOTAL DEPTH SCREEN INTERVAL WELL ID (FT BGS) (FT BGS)						
MM-1R	30.0	10.0 - 30.0				
MM-2	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-3	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-4	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-5	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-6	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-7	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-8	10.0	5.0 - 10.0				
MM-9	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-10 35.0 25.0 - 35.0						
MV-11	20.0	10.0 - 20.0				
MM-11R	3.0	NA				
MM-13	31.5	20.4 - 30.4				
MM-14	35.8	24.7 - 34.7				
MM-15	41.5	30.4 - 40.4				
NOTES: FT BGS = FEET BELOW GROUND SURFACE						

MONITORING	Γ
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PH1-GWA-1	
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PH1-GWA-3A PH1-GWA-4	
PH1-GWB-1	
PH1-GWB-2	
PH1-GWC-1	
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DEPTHS TO WATER ME FT BTOC = FEET BELOV	
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TOC = TOP OF CASING	-

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	GROUNDWATER E	Ι Ενατιονί σατα		Savannah, GA Knoxville, TN
FORSYTH COL	UNTY - HIGHTOWEF	R ROAD MSWLF		150 0 75 150 300
TOTAL WELL DEPTH (FT BTOC)	TOC ELEVATION (FT MSL)	DEPTH TO WATER LEVEL (FT BTOC)	GROUNDWATER ELEVATION (FT MSL)	SCALE (IN FEET)
PHASE I GF 48.66	ROUNDWATER ELE 1176.37	VATION DATA 37.25	1139.12	LEGEND
108 53.6	1176.35 1183.4	38.52 35.55	1137.83 1147.85	EXISTING DESCRIPTION
250	1183.4	35.46	1147.85	850 PROMINENT CONTOUR INTERMEDIATE CONTOUR
57	1191.14	34.93	1156.21	PROPERTY BOUNDARY
53.8 42.22	1179.1 1155.04	41.54 24.30	1137.56 1130.74	SURFACE WATER/POND
23.79	1074.66	9.70	1064.96	GROUNDWATER CONTOUR
127.61	1103.93	22.66 11.72	1081.27	GWA-1 GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL
23.42 55.42	1096.96 1096.28	11.72	1085.24 1085.42	1002.23 ELEVATION IN FEET MEAN SEA LEVEL
33.71	1124.26	28.52	1095.74	▼ SWA-1SURFACE WATER MONITORING POINT■ MM-1METHANE MONITORING POINT
38.8	1102.25	28.19	1074.06	MV-1 METHANE VENT
50.4 41.69	1186.23 1162.64	38.50 30.59	1147.73 1132.05	<pre>● PH1-MV04 METHANE VENT TRENCH </pre> O PH1-MV04 EXTRACTION POINT WITH FLARE
56.81	1180.73	42.61	1138.12	
TOTAL WELL DEPTH (FT BTOC)	TOC ELEVATION (FT MSL)	DEPTH TO WATER LEVEL (FT BTOC)	GROUNDWATER ELEVATION (FT MSL)	
62.85	1187.70	R ELEVATION DATA	1132.69	
141.00	1187.49	55.93	1131.56	
52.18	1137.30	38.77	1098.53	NOTES
48.86	1154.53 1103.64	38.74 45.02	1115.79 1058.62	1. SURVEY IS PROVIDED BY APPALACHIAN SURVEYING COMPANY IN CUMMING, GEORGIA DATED JANUARY AND APRIL 1998. CONTROL
39.71	1092.39	33.52	1058.87	POINT COORDINATES WERE TAKEN FROM THESE SURVEYS. 2. WELL AND PROBE LOCATIONS ARE APPROXIMATE AND BASED
68.95	1094.67	31.73	1062.94	ON W.L. JORDEN & CO. DRAWINGS DATED MARCH 3, 1996. 3. GWA-1A*, GWC-4A*, GWC-23A*, AMW-2* AND AMW-10* ARE
49.81 89.23	1132.82 1132.39	43.55	1089.27 1092.03	NOT USED FOR POTENTIOMETRIC CONTOURS. 4. POTENTIOMETRIC CONTOUR INTERVAL IS 10 FEET. 5. DEPTHS TO GROUNDWATER MEASURED BY ATLANTIC COAST
49.91	1084.55	45.63	1038.92	CONSULTING, INC. JUNE 19, 2023.
34.52	1064.01	25.22	1038.79	
54.21 27.53	1093.44 1095.63	40.63	1052.81 1075.18	
46.71	1095.44	19.50	1075.94	
94.67	1098.40	22.29	1076.11	
60.50 37.51	1093.58 1068.56	45.49 21.72	1048.09 1046.84	
54.30	1066.45	23.71	1042.74	
46.80	1054.08	32.48	1021.60	REVISIONS
40.06	1038.06 1038.09	28.54	1009.52 1008.39	0. INITIAL ISSUE 09/01/2023
44.95	1090.82	30.75	1060.07	
28.37	1089.49	23.10	1066.39	
64.75 93.61	1089.32 1078.60	22.35 13.25	1066.97 1065.35	
62.84	1125.68	56.10	1069.58	PROJECT
51.05	1136.49	49.80	1086.69	
21.59 52.70	1107.78 1094.87	40.67	1093.70 1054.20	
39.87	1105.79	27.66	1034.20	TOPSVTIT
35.05	1079.01	21.96	1057.05	AB PORSY I H 22 COUNTY, GEORGIA Your Community, Your Future,
32.22 61.67	1079.06 1079.10	17.26 14.91	1061.80 1064.19	
44.09	1079.10	34.14	1064.19	FORSYTH COUNTY
180.70	1130.04	60.01	1070.03	HIGHTOWER ROAD LANDFILL
150.00 31.30	1101.96	39.57	1062.39 1031.10	
31.30 18.80	1041.09 1040.09	9.99	1031.10	
23.06	1049.32	8.47	1040.85	POTENTIOMETRIC
58.10	1053.63	8.85	1044.78	SURFACE MAP
19.56 46.43	1056.85 1056.34	7.75	1049.10 1046.33	JUNE 2023
36.18	1093.09	29.74	1048.33	
21.70	1052.73	9.96	1042.77	Drawn by: AS CA QC by:
IRED JUNE 19, 20)23.			
P OF CASING				PROJECT NUMBER: <u>FIGURE</u> :
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