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Attachments: feb9 wight pit samples.pdf

Ken,

Attached are the two most recent samples of the possible Zone FT from the Wight pit. Does the gradation of this material appear suitable for Zone FT? MPMC plans on preparing the foundation today and then starting the Zone FT placement on the footprint tomorrow.

MPMC is currently discharging tailings at the corner of the Main and Perimeter Embankments. The tailings beach is starting to become higher than the Zone U in this area (944.2m). They have installed a staff gauge to monitor the elevation of the beach . I told them they should move the pipeline to the South dam. Ron Martel says they plan on moving the pipeline to the South dam.

Ron is thinking about leaving the low spot on the South Embankment (946.3m) until June. His water balance shows that the pond elevation plus freeboard will be 946.1m in May.

Regards,
Mark Burke