

US EPA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

## DECONTAMINATION/STAGING SITE ASSESSMENT

<b>Facility Name :</b>	Hopedale Waste Staging	<b>Facility Location ID:</b>	HopW01
<b>Assessment Date :</b>	9/28/2010	<b>Incident Name :</b>	BP Spill
<b>Physical Location :</b>	7222 Hopedale Hwy.		
<b>City, State :</b>	Hopedale, LA	<b>County :</b>	St. Bernard

### ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

General Site Information and Observations	
1. All waste stored in lined rolloff boxes?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
2. Rolloff boxes covered after filled (or end of day)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
3. Any evidence of oily waste or oily waste waters?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
4. If yes, was it adequately addressed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A
5. How many samples were collected?	2

**Additional Comments :**

WASR arrived at 0900 hours and met with the BP waste disposal facility representative from Heritage Environmental (Jeff McAtee), Environmental Standards Representative (Mark Haslett), and AECOM Representative (Zoe Knesl). The site was walked to determine which frac tank (2 tanks) and roll-off box (10) would be sampled. Boat decon operations were also observed. Heritage indicated that boom decon ops no longer existed due to boom (hard and soft boom) being transported to Covanta Energy (located in Tulsa, OK) for their boom to fuel operations. Heritage also indicated that they only had two (2) fracs tanks located onsite and one (1) roll-off box that has been filled. The levels in frac# 26073 and frac# 259348 were checked and frac# 26073 was empty while frac# 26073 was a third full. MultiRAE readings (CO = 1, VOC = 3.8, H2S = 0, LEL= 19, and Oxy = 20.2) were taken from frac# 26073. WASR began collecting waste liquid samples from frac# 26073 at 1015 hours and completed complete collecting waste liquid samples (split sample were collected and issued to AECOM) at 1050 hours. WASR begin setting up the oily debris sampling area and Heritage collected three (3) bags (bags consisted of PPE, sludge, and absorbent boom from roll-off box# RB20043). The bags were sniffed and all readings were equal to background. This site still has an issue with municipal waste being mixed with oily debris. At 1130 hours, the team began sampling oily debris (split samples were collected and issued to AECOM). Samples were containerized, iced, prepared for further labeling and transport. WASR completed sampling oily debris at 1235 hours. After cleaning the sampling area and placing the remaining oily debris in roll-off box sampled, WASR departed for Metairie. Overall, the number of frac tanks from the previous visit has decreased by (1) and the number of roll off-boxes hasn't changed.

Sample ID#

Solid Waste: HopW01-100928-WS-001-1

Liquid Waste: HopW01-100928-WL-001-1