# Appendix 8: Groundwater Report





# **Dunedin City Council**

Waste Futures Phase 2 - Work Stream 3. Smooth Hill Landfill Assessment of Effects to Groundwater



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# 1. Introduction

# 1.1 Project Background

The Dunedin City Council (Council) collects residential waste and manages the disposal of both residential and <u>most</u> commercial waste <u>generated from</u> the Dunedin City area, and environs. The Council has embarked on the Waste Futures Project to develop an improved comprehensive waste management and diverted material system for Dunedin, including future kerbside collection and waste disposal options. As part of the project, the Council has confirmed the need to develop a new landfill to replace the Council's current Green Island Landfill which is <u>envisaged to reach full capacity in the next few years. Final closure could be around 2028</u> depending on the closure strategy adopted by the Council. <u>likely to come to the end of its functional life sometime between 2023 and 2028</u>

The Council commenced <u>siting studies</u> for a new landfill location in the late 1980's and early 1990 and selected the Smooth Hill site in south west Dunedin, shown in Figure 1 below, as the preferred <u>location option</u>. At that time the site was designated in the Dunedin District Plan, signalling and enabling its future use as a landfill site. The Council also secured an agreement with the <u>then current</u> landowner, Fulton Hogan Ltd, to purchase the land <u>and the Council took ownership of the land in September 2020.</u> Since the 1990's the Council extended the life of Green Island Landfill and further development of the Smooth Hill site has been on hold.

Over the following period the Council extended the life of Green Island Landfill and further development of the Smooth Hill site has been on holAs part of the Waste Future's Project, the Council has reconfirmed the technical suitability of Smooth Hill for the disposal of waste, and has developed a concept design for the landfill and associated road upgrades. The concept design for the landfill has been developed by GHD with technical input from Boffa Miskell, and represents contemporary good practice landfill design that meets adopted New Zealand landfill design standards. The Council is now applying for the remaining RMA authorisations required to enable the construction, operation, and aftercare of the landfill, and construction of the associated roading upgrades.

The Council lodged applications for resource consents for Smooth Hill landfill with both the Otago Regional Council and Dunedin City Council in August 2020. The applications included an earlier version of this report. This report has now been updated to reflect both the changes in the design and in response to s92 questions.

While being similar in many ways to the previous design, the key changes are summarised as follows:

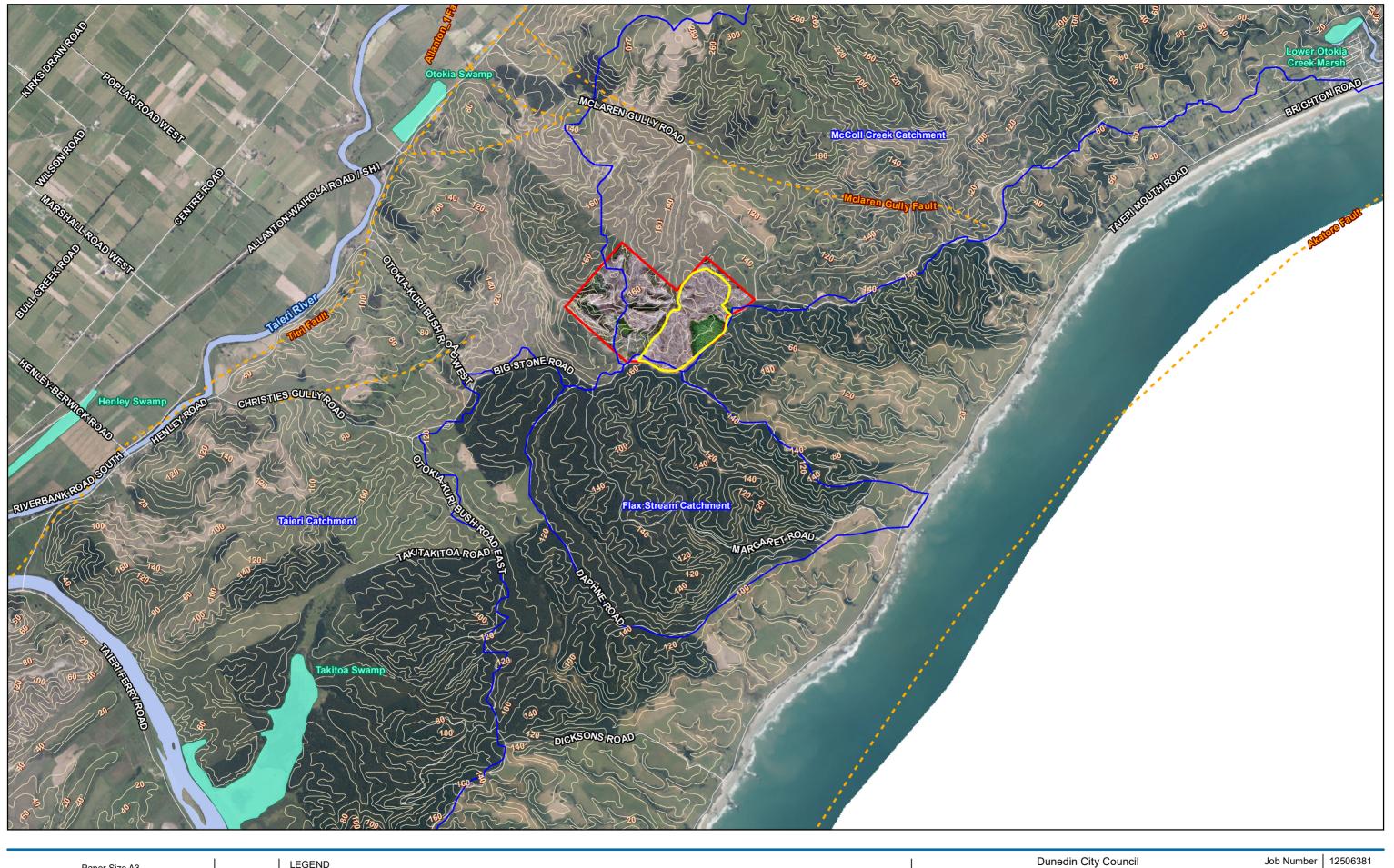
- The landfill size has been reduced. The revised landfill lies within the footprint of Stage 1 and Stage 2 of the original design, with the western Stages 3, 4 and 5 no longer included (for comparison see Drawings C102 and C104. In overall terms:
  - the footprint of the landfill is reduced from 44.5 ha to 18.6 ha
  - landfill (gross) capacity is reduced from approximately 7.9-million m<sup>3</sup> to 3.3-million m<sup>3</sup>
  - net waste capacity is reduced from 6.2-million m<sup>3</sup> to 2.9-million m<sup>3</sup>
  - the predicted landfill life has reduced from 55-years to 40-years
- Practical adjustments to the general construction of the landfill, including:
  - Landfill staging and construction sequencing, to a more typical 'bottom-up' filling methodology, which improves the intermediate and overall landform stability of the new design (Drawing C210 to C214).

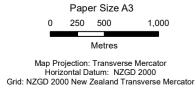
- Leachate containment and collection systems adjusted to reflect the revised construction sequencing.
- Construction phase systems for stormwater diversion, treatment and control.
- Relocation of the attenuation basin to the west of the revised landfill footprint rather than immediately downstream of the landfill toe.

## 1.2 Project Overview

The proposal includes the following key components:

- The staged construction, operation, and closure of a class 1 landfill within the existing
  designated site to accept municipal solid waste. The landfill will have a capacity of
  approximately 6 million cubic metres (equivalent to approximately 5 million tonnes), and
  expected life at current Dunedin disposal rates of approximately 55 years. The landfill will
  receive waste only from commercial waste companies or bulk loads.
- Infrastructure to safely contain, collect, manage, and dispose of leachate, landfill gas, groundwater, and stormwater so as to avoid consequential adverse effects on the receiving environment.
- Facilities supporting the operation of the landfill, including staff and maintenance facilities.
- Environmental monitoring systems.
- Landscape and ecological mitigation, including planting.
- Upgrades to McLaren Gully Road (including its intersection with State Highway 1) and Big Stone Road, to facilitate vehicle access to the site.
- The proposed Smooth Hill Landfill site is located approximately 28 km southwest of Dunedin City. The boundary of the proposed site is shown in Figure 1. The waste facility itself will operate within these boundaries.





LEGEND Site boundary Significant wetlands Contours (20m) Landfill operational extent Major waterways Regional catchment boundary --- Fault



Smooth Hill

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Smooth Hill Site Location

Figure 1

### **1.2**1.3 Purpose of this Report

The proposed Smooth Hill Landfill requires resource consents from Otago Regional Council for:

- The taking and diversion of surface water for land drainage of the site, and discharge of stormwater and contaminants to the Otokia Creek (McColl Creek catchment), and Open Stream (Flax Stream catchment).
- Taking of groundwater from the landfill groundwater collection <u>system and</u> use for nonpotable water supply.
- The taking of groundwater and leachate from landfill leachate collection system.
- Discharge of leachate onto land that may result in contaminants entering groundwater.

This report provides technical assessment of the potential effects on groundwater and connected surface water flows, and the effects of leachate leakage on groundwater quality. It is provided to Otago Regional Council as a supporting document to the application for resource consents for the purpose of assisting Council in decision-making.

Note the potential effects of site stormwater on downstream surface water flows and quality are discussed in the Surface Water Report (GHD 2021d4) and referenced in this report.

# **1.31.4** Scope of Assessment

GHD carried out site investigation work at the site between May 2019 and November 2019March 2021. These works provided information to refine the understanding of geological and hydrogeological conditions in the vicinity of the proposed landfill. The information obtained from the site investigation was also used to carry out an assessment of potential impacts to groundwater and surface water, associated with construction, operation, and aftercare of the proposed landfill at Smooth Hill, Dunedin.

This report outlines the investigation that has been carried out and its <u>findings and</u> provides an assessment of the potential influences of the proposed landfill on groundwater and surface water levels, flow and quality.

# 2. Environmental Setting

# 2.1 Site Description

The proposed Smooth Hill landfill site is bordered by Big Stone Road along its southern boundary. Access from State Highway 1 (SH1) is typically via McLaren Gully Road. The site is bounded to the north and west by forestry land and to the northeast by pastoral farmland

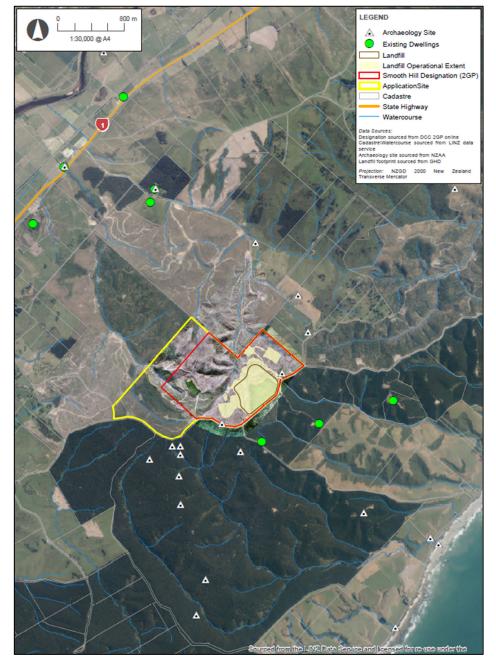


Figure 2: Site Layout (Updated May 2021)

The proposed site is located within the range of hills that bounds the Taieri Basin on its eastern extent and separate it from the coast. The site extends across two valleys trending approximately south to north, which are connected to smaller valleys from the east and west. The slopes around the southern half of the site form a natural "amphitheatre" shape, which is bisected by a larger central ridge and a smaller ridge in the south western corner – both trending approximately south to north.

The majority of the site was until recently covered by a Radiata Pine plantation, which following harvesting now comprises a mixture of scrub, bare earth and forestry waste, and newly planted pine seedlings. Approximately 8 ha of Macrocarpa plantation remains in the south eastern section of the site, and Aareas of remnant native vegetation are present in the bottom of the valleys. A number of existing forestry tracks provide access around the site.

Most of the site and the upper reaches of the gullies are generally dry with ephemeral stream flows during periods of rainfall. Towards the base of the gullies in the northern parts of the site the ground is typically wet and boggy where standing or flowing water has been observed associated with diffuse seepage.

## 2.2 Geology

A review of the available geological maps (Bishop [1994], and Bishop and Turnbull [1996]) covering the site shows that the main lithology is the Henley Breccia unit (Figure 3). The basement rock in the proposed site area is expected to be Caples Terrane schist (map symbol *IIIA*). The schist basement is overlain unconformably by the Upper Cretaceous Henley Breccia (map symbol *he*), which comprises a terrestrial sequence of piedmont breccias and conglomerates up to 1000 m thick. Taratu Formation (map symbol *ta*) is mapped as outcropping along the tops of several ridgelines to the south and east of the site. Taratu Formation unconformably overlies the Henley Breccia.

The Titri Fault is located approximately 3 km north west of the site, which strikes in a north east south west direction. This fault separates the elevated topography in the vicinity of the site from the Lower Taieri Basin, a tectonic depression resting between two major faults, which has been infilled with approximately 300 m of Tertiary and Quaternary alluvial deposits (Rekker and Houlbrooke, 2010) (Figure 1).

Although not shown on the geological map, the Henley Breccia unit is overlain by several metres of loess deposits, and locally by alluvium and colluvium (slip debris). A description of loess soils in Otago is provided in Bishop & Turnbull (1996): "In the Dunedin map area, such unmapped surficial materials are dominated by loess which, where remobilised, grades into loess colluvium. Loess forms a widespread blanket across most of eastern Otago, particularly near the coast. Loess typically forms a yellow-brown, massive layer or series of layers, mixed at the base with weathered bedrock and overlain by darker organic-rich soil. Columnar jointing and shrinkage cracks are common. Where loess mantles slopes, down-slope creep and alluvial processes have incorporated clasts of weathered underlying material, upslope material, and organic matter to form 'loess colluvium'."

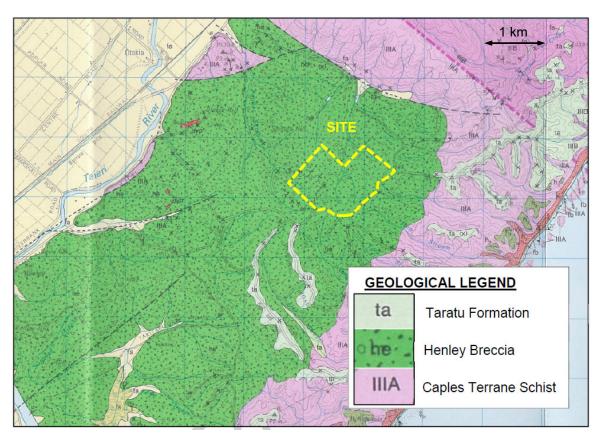


Figure 3: Excerpt from 1:50,000 Geology of the Milton Area (Bishop, 1994)

## 2.3 Hydrogeology and Hydrology

Otago Regional Council (ORC) designate water allocation regions by surface water catchment and/or aquifer. Due to the limited groundwater resource at the location of the Smooth Hill site, the proposed <a href="landfill-footprintsite">landfill-footprintsite</a> forms part of the "McColl Creek" surface water allocation catchment (Figure 1 and Figure 4) rather than a defined aquifer system.\_-The catchment has an available allocation of 0.93\_-L/s and has no recorded active consents (including surface water or groundwater takes) (ORC, 2019). Bounded by Big Stone Road to the south east and by the elevated ridge on the north west, the catchment is approximately 2700 hectares (ha) in area. McColl Creek discharges to the Pacific Ocean at Brighton, with the main tributary <a href="referred to as">referred to as</a> Otokia Creek.

-While small sections of the Smooth Hill designation extend into surrounding surface water catchments, the landfill footprint and associated infrastructure will be fully located within the upper reaches of the Otokia Creek catchment The proposed Smooth Hill Landfill footprint is located within the upper reaches of the Otokia Creek (Figure 1 and Figure 4). The catchment area for Otokia Creek, immediately downstream of the landfill, the Otokia Creek at the site is approximately 69.2 ha. This, which encompasses the catchments of the two-three first order streams, including that located in the landfill footprint, whose confluence is located approximately 100 m south of where the stream crosses the northern site boundary (Figure 1 and Figure 4).

While almost all of the landfill footprint and related structures/activities will be located within the Otokia Catchment, a small area (approximately 9,000 m²) of landfill embankment on the southern edge of the landfill is part of the Open Stream surface water catchment located to the south of the site (see Drawing 51-12506381-C303). The Open Stream catchment forms part of the "Flax Stream" surface water allocation catchment (Figure 1 and Figure 4) which is approximately 612 ha in area, and discharges to the Pacific Ocean south east of the Site. The Flax Stream surface water catchment has an available allocation of 0.22 L/s and has no

recorded active consents (including surface water or groundwater takes) (ORC, 2019). The embankment proposed to be constructed within the Open Stream catchment will comprise clean engineered fill. Waste is not proposed to be placed in this area.

The catchment of the deep groundwater system is not considered to be constrained to the topographically defined surface water catchments. Instead, the deep groundwater system likely forms part of a larger, currently undefined, unit within the Henley Breccia in the elevated coastal range between the Taieri Basin and the coast.

The nearest allocation catchment designated for groundwater is the Taieri Catchment, located in the Taieri Basin west of the Titri Fault. This aquifer comprises Quaternary and Tertiary alluvium deposits (ORC, 2019). The closest active groundwater consent is approximately 5.7 km from the site in the Taieri Catchment, at the Dunedin International Airport (Figure 5). This groundwater take is for operation of a ground source heat pump (Consent number RM11.369.01). The Taieri Basin itself is predominantly recharged from three rivers, the Taieri, Silver Stream and Waipori (Rekker and Houlbrouke, 2010). The Henley Breccia was not included in the Otago Regional Council Lower Taieri Basin groundwater allocation study (Rekker and Houlbrouke, 2010) as the impermeable basement rock was not considered to have much potential for significant hydraulic connection.

Excluding the Otokia Creek, the nearest surface water features are the Palmer Stream, whose catchment is immediately west of the site, the Taieri River approximately 3.4 km northwest of the site, and the Pacific Ocean approximately 3 km south east of the site.

There are two regionally significant wetlands within the vicinity of the site designated on the ORC mapping tool (2019); Otokia Swamp, located approximately 3.4 km north west of the site adjacent to the Taieri River, and Lower Otokia Creek Marsh, adjacent to McColl Creek approximately 7.6 km north east of the site at Brighton (Figure 4).

Rainfall varies across the region. Annual average rainfall (measured over the period 1981 – 2010) is 652 mm at Dunedin International Airport, approximately 6 km north west of the site, 738 mm at Musselburgh, Dunedin, approximately 23 km north east of the site, and 968 mm at the Botanical Gardens, Dunedin, approximately 25 km north east of the site (NIWA, 2015). It is likely that rainfall at the Smooth Hill site will be greater than the rainfall recorded at the airport due to its elevated coastal location. An on-site meteorological station has been established and has been collecting data since mid-2020. However, at the time of reporting insufficient data has been collected to allow a meaningful analysis of site data and how it may compare to the local established stations described above. Data collected to the time of reporting is presented in Appendix A.

Mean potential evapotranspiration is 856 mm/year at Musselburgh, Dunedin (1981 - 2010), calculated using the Penman method (NIWA, 2015) with this considered indicative of conditions at the site.

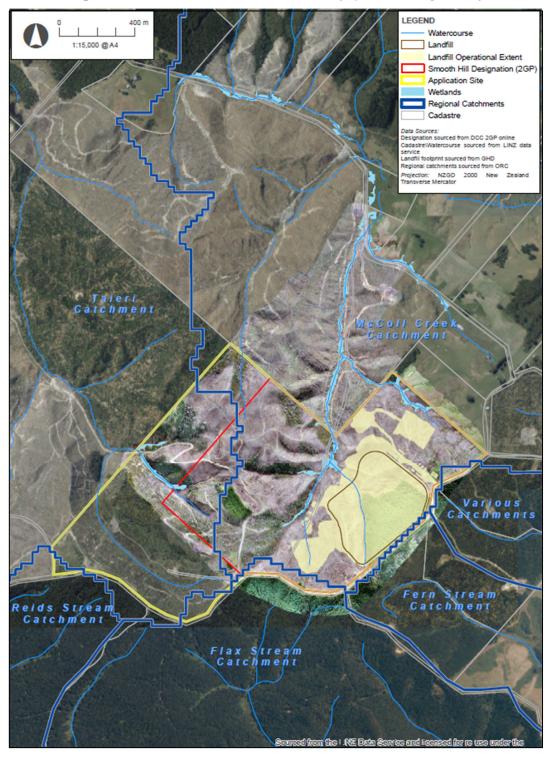
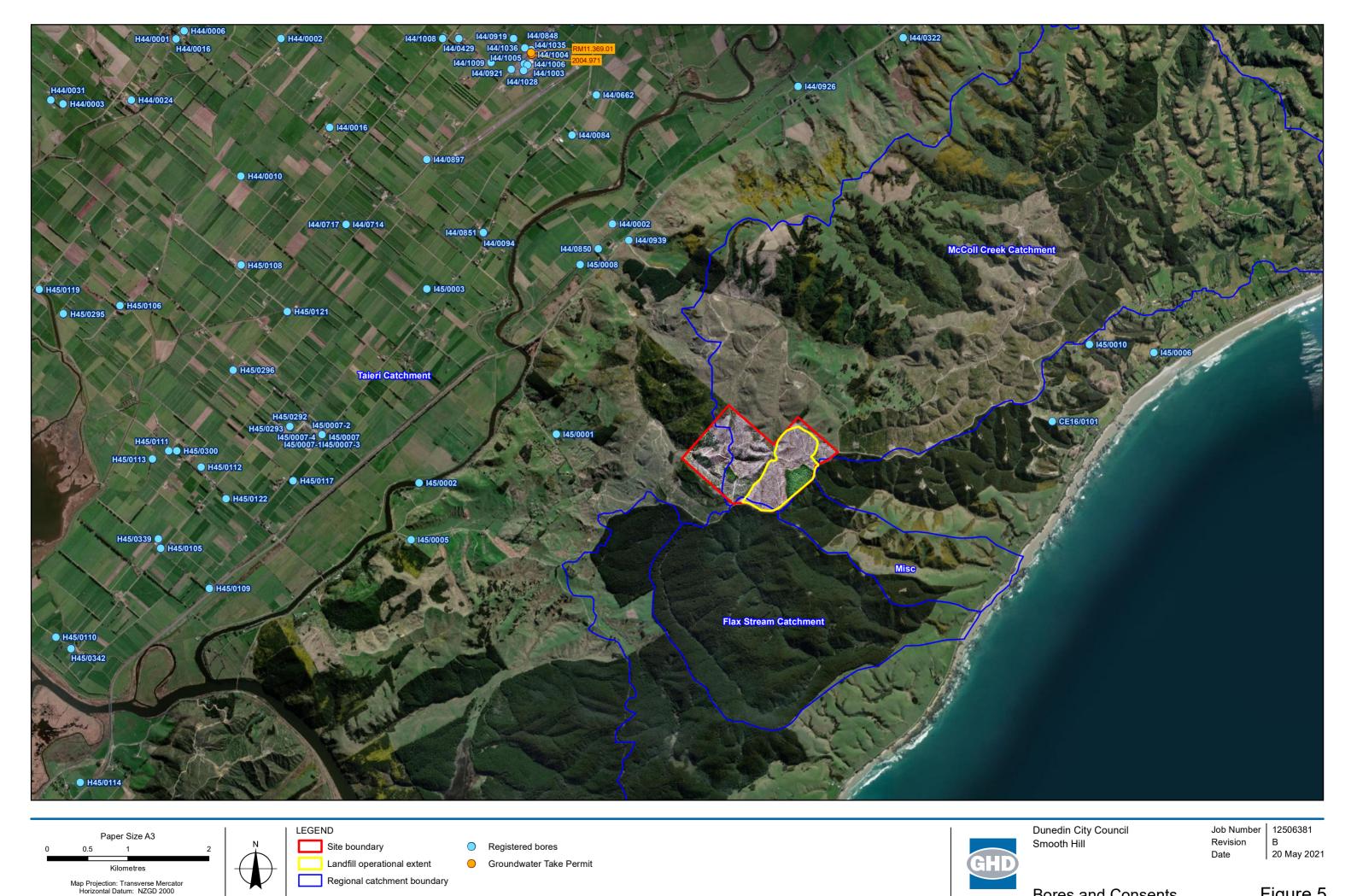


Figure 4: Surface Water Catchments (Updated May 2021)



Grid: NZGD 2000 New Zealand Transverse Mercator

Figure 5

# 3. Investigation Findings and Interpretation

# 3.1 Investigation Findings

Two phases of <u>intrusive</u> site investigation were undertaken in 2019, with ten boreholes and eleven test pits advanced between May and June, and an additional five boreholes and 15 bulk samples collected from a number of shallow test pits between October and November 2019. Thirteen of the boreholes were installed as monitoring wells, with ten of these comprising two nested wells. A number of shear vane tests were undertaken in the test pits and samples were collected for geotechnical laboratory analysis. A full summary of the site investigation works is provided in the GHD Geotechnical Factual Report (GHD, 2021a).

Following development, hydraulic conductivity testing was undertaken in all monitoring wells. Due to low groundwater recharge rates and associated issues with collecting representative samples, groundwater quality sampling was only undertaken in a few select monitoring wells in 2019. Continuous monitoring of groundwater levels was undertaken during November 2019, in all monitoring wells which had encountered groundwater for a period of 16 days. Additional continuous groundwater monitoring was undertaken in a select number of monitoring wells between January and July 2020. Manual groundwater dips were also collected during a site visit in March 2021. A summary of the hydrogeological field work undertaken is presented in Appendix A. Bore logs are presented in Appendix B. The boreholes installed as monitoring wells, and an existing monitoring well at the site, that were used for hydrogeological site investigation are presented in Figure 6.

## 3.2 Geology

A detailed description of the geological investigations undertaken at the site and the interpreted findings are presented in the GHD geotechnical reports (GHD, 20210a; 20201b).

The site investigation findings confirmed the presence of Henley Breccia overlain by surficial loess across the majority of the site and by Taratu formation along elevated ridgelines (Section 2.2). The Henley Breccia is comprised of Upper Cretaceous terrestrial materials deposited during periods of uplift and erosion of a schist block west of the Titri Fault, caused by movement of the associated fault zone. In more recent times this fault has reversed with uplift of the Henley Breccia, resulting in the present coastal range.

Conceptual geological cross sections from approximately south to north and west to east across the proposed landfill site are presented in Figure 7 and Figure 8, respectively (note that these sections exclude top soil and fill materials). The cross-section locations are shown in plan view in Figure 6.

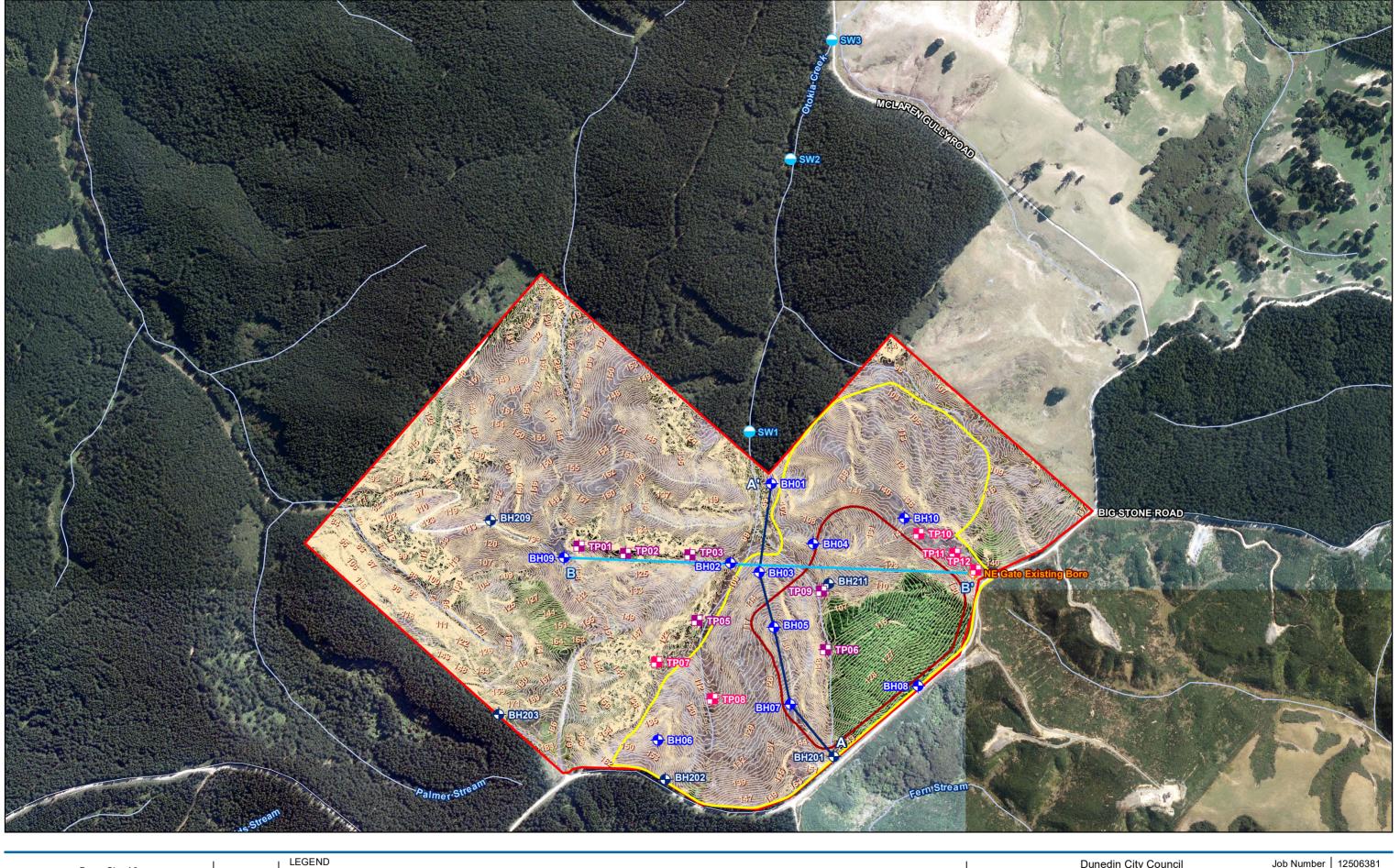
In summary, a thin veneer of topsoil was found across the majority of the site, comprising silt with trace to minor clay, and occasional trace to minor fine sand, roots and organic matter. The topsoil is predominantly underlain by loess soils on the ridges and upper sections of the valleys. The loess generally comprised silt, non-plastic to low plasticity, with varying amounts of clay, sand and fine gravel. The loess has largely been eroded away in the valley bottoms, with colluvium and alluvium deposits instead located in these topographical low points (Figure 9). The colluvium is made up of reworked loess with gravel and organics, with the silt, sand and gravel alluvium derived from the easily remobilised loess and weathered Henley Breccia.

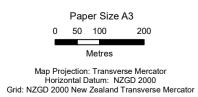
The underlying Henley Breccia has been encountered as sandstone, siltstone, conglomerate and breccia. Completely weathered to highly weathered Henley Breccia is evident at shallow

depths, however with increasing depth it was recorded as unweathered to slightly weathered breccia with few defects. Taratu Formation, comprising weakly cemented, slightly to highly weathered sandstone, siltstone and conglomerate, was encountered overlying the Henley Breccia investigation locations on elevated ridge locations (BH09, BH10, BH203 and BH209).

Fill material was identified at the surface at a number of site locations, where it is typically utilised for 'skidder pads' and track formation associated with the recent forestry land use. Shallow slip debris (colluvium) was also located at the surface intermittently around the site. In these locations buried topsoil was encountered, to a maximum depth of 4.4 m below ground level (bgl), beneath the slip debris, and overlying alluvium or loess.

A <u>layer of fine-grained</u>, <u>low permeability material noted for its</u> distinctive reddish brown and brown <u>coloration</u> <u>siltstone layer</u>, <u>possibly a historic lake deposit</u>, was also recorded intermittently across the site in a number of bores within the Henley Breccia, at elevations between approximately 95 m RL and 103 m RL (BH03, BH04, BH05 and BH211). A reddish-brown layer was also observed during wash drilling of BH201, however no approximate depth for this layer was recorded. The elevation of <u>the siltstone this low permeability</u> layer indicates that it is likely to have been eroded away at BH01 and BH02 and is therefore not anticipated to be consistent across the whole site.





Site boundary Landfill operational extent Landfill liner extent Cross section A-A' Cross section B-B'

Phase 1 investigation test pit

Phase 1 investigation borehole

Phase 1 trial pit investigation

Phase 2 investigation borehole



Surface water sampling locations Unknown previous investigation

groundwater monitoring well Waterways Contours (1m)

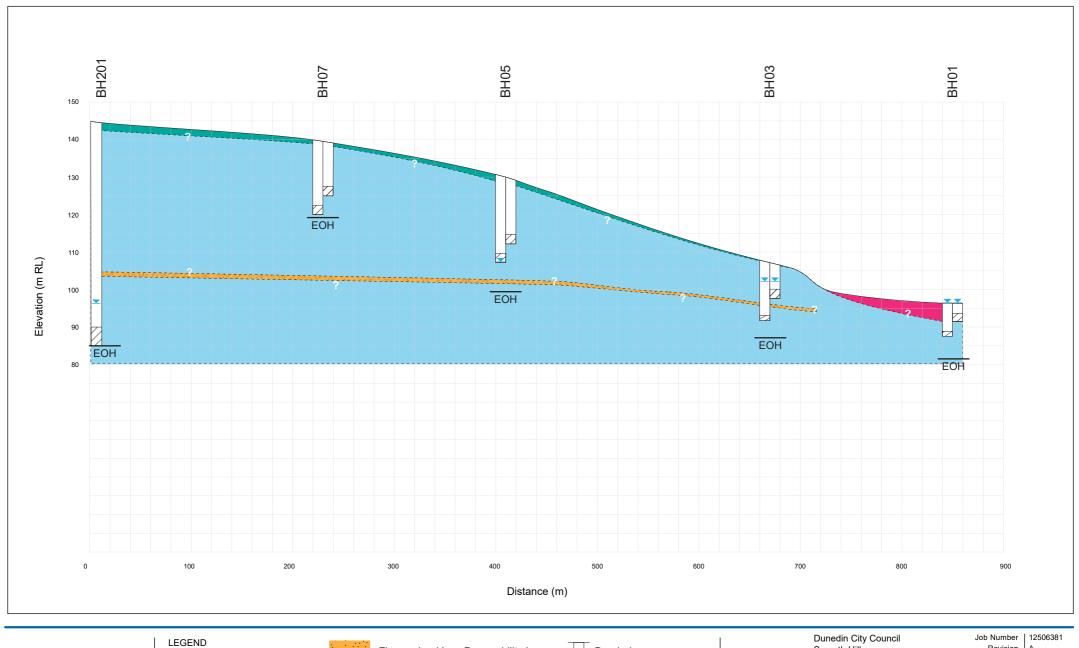
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Investigation Location Plan

Figure 6



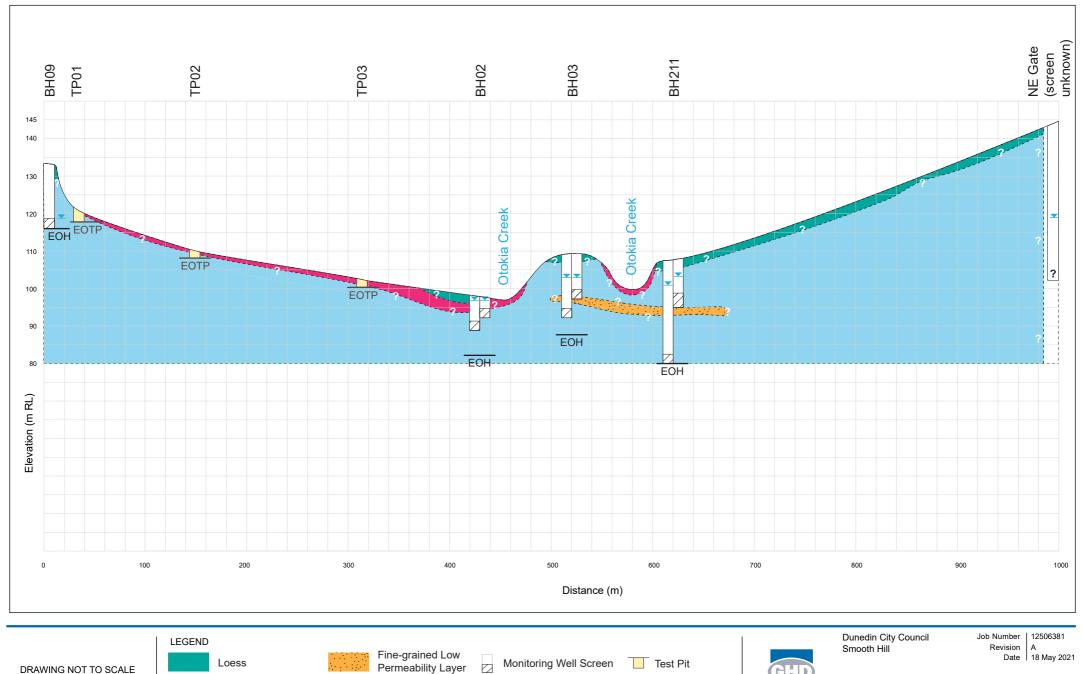
Loess DRAWING NOT TO SCALE Alluvium / Colluvium Fine-grained Low Permeability Layer Henley Breccia

Groundwater Level

Borehole Monitoring Well Screen Smooth Hill

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Cross Section A-A'



Groundwater Level

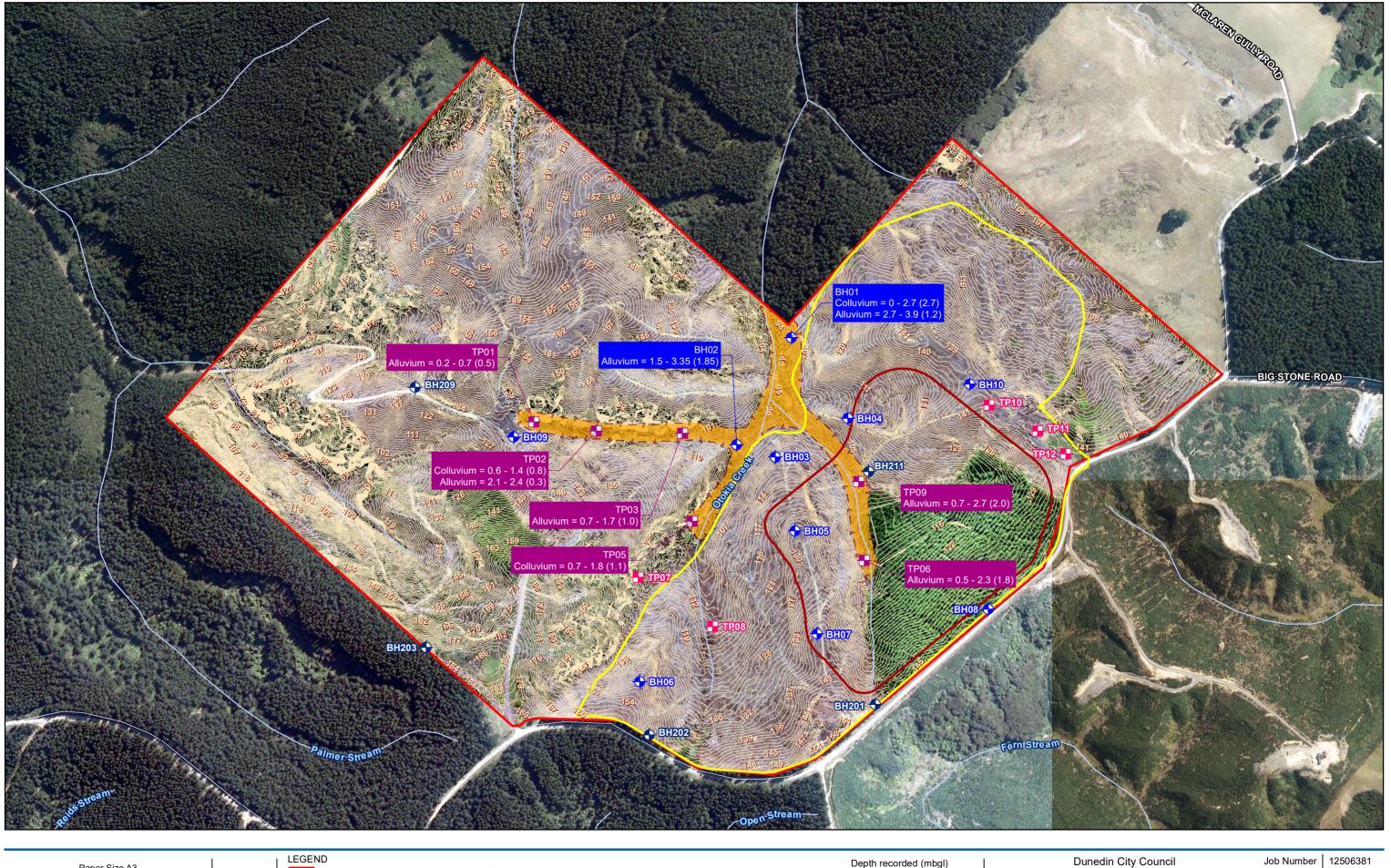
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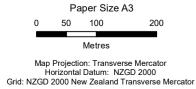
Alluvium / Colluvium

Borehole

Cross Section B-B'

Henley Breccia







Site boundary Landfill operational extent Landfill liner extent Inferred colluvium / alluvium extent

Phase 1 investigation borehole Phase 1 investigation test pit

Phase 2 investigation borehole

Waterways Contours (1m) Phase 1 trial pit investigation

Depth recorded (mbgl) Colluvium/Alluvium = 0.5 - 1.0 (0.5)

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Colluvium / Alluvium Extent

Figure 9

## 3.3 Hydrogeology

#### 3.3.1 Hydraulic Conductivity

Hydraulic conductivity estimates of the differing geological units at the site, determined from hydraulic testing during the site investigation (Appendix A) are presented in Table 1.

**Table 1: Estimated Geological Unit Hydraulic Conductivity Ranges** 

Geological Unit	Hydraulic Conductivity Range (m/s)	Reference/Justification
Alluvium	1.3 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	BH01a permeability testing
Loess	5.3 x 10 <sup>-10</sup> – 3.2 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	Constant head permeability test in a triaxial cell (Laboratory testing (GHD, 20219a))
Henley Breccia	3 x 10 <sup>-9</sup> – 3 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	Permeability testing

Testing has suggested a large range of hydraulic conductivity for the Henley Breccia, with a general trend of decreasing hydraulic conductivity with increasing depth evident. Higher permeability results were generally recorded in gravelly or sandstone layers, likely to be the result of weathering and relaxation in the upper materials resulting in greater jointing and fracturing (increased secondary porosity). Lower permeability results were generally recorded in the unweathered breccia (Table A 3 in Appendix A).

#### 3.3.2 Hydraulic Gradients, Groundwater Recharge and Flow

#### **Groundwater Levels and Hydraulic Gradients**

Groundwater level monitoring at the site has indicated differing seasonal and rainfall response between shallow and deep monitoring wells. Continuous monitoring results presented in Figure A 3 (Appendix A) demonstrates greater response to rainfall within the shallower BH02A compared to deeper BH02B, resulting in occasional reversal of vertical hydraulic gradients. Recent drought conditions have been recorded at the site, within only 35.4 mm of rainfall occurring between 1 December 2020 – 20 March 2021 (Appendix A). This has correlated with a long term decline in shallow groundwater levels over this period. The greatest groundwater level fluctuation has been recorded in BH03aA, where the March 2021 level was 1.79 m lower than that recorded in November 2019. Conversely, groundwater levels in deeper monitoring wells have generally recorded more subdued fluctuations. Additionally, groundwater levels in the majority of deeper monitoring wells are recorded to have increased between July 2020 and March 2021. This may be due to a lag time in recovery from more severe drought conditions in early 2020.

As displayed on Figure 7 and Figure 8, the highest static groundwater levels at the site were recorded in BH10B (121.54 m RL), BH09 (120.13 m RL) and the existing monitoring well (NE Gate) (118.93117.70 m RL) and BH09 (118.22 m RL) located on the elevated ridges (ground level 133 – 145 m RL) in the eastern and western extents of the site, respectively. These bores are screened at approximate elevations between 103 m RL and 119 mRL, respectively. BH201, although located at similar ground elevation (144 m RL) to the NE Gate bore (145 m RL), is screened at a lower elevation of 90 m RL. The groundwater level recorded within BH201 is approximatelywas 97.125 m RL, with the apparent differences in groundwater elevation between wells indicating that downward vertical hydraulic gradients are typically present within the Henley Breccia. This is consistent with the topographical setting, where slow percolation to a deep groundwater system is expected in areas elevated above the broader regional setting.

Groundwater levels in the alluvium at BH01A and Henley Breccia at BH01B were recorded to be very similar to one another and at ground level; potentially under slightly artesian conditions in November 2019 (Table 2). Vertical hydraulic gradients appear to be changeable at BH02 as groundwater within the nested monitoring wells respond differently to rainfall recharge (Figure A 3). Very minor downward vertical gradients have been consistently recorded within the nested monitoring well installed in the shallow Henley Breccia at BH03. Nested monitoring wells in boreholes BH04 and BH211 have also consistently recorded downward vertical hydraulic gradients (Table 2), with the brown siltstone fine-grained, low permeability reddish brown layer identified in this area, separating the nested -monitoring well screens in boreholes BH03, BH04 and BH211, and likely increasing the vertical gradients at these locations.

The-reddish brown low permeability layer-brown siltstone layer, and decreasing permeability of Henley Breccia with depth, is interpreted as retarding percolation of groundwater. This has resulted in the formation of a localised shallow groundwater system within the alluvium (BH01A and evidenced in the moist to saturated conditions in a number of the test pits included on Figure 9 and the surrounding shallow Henley Breccia above the brown siltstone low permeability layer (BH02A, BH02B, BH03A, BH04A and BH211A).

Table 2: Vertical Hydraulic Groundwater Gradients (Updated May 2021)

Monitoring Well	Date	Shallow Monitoring Well Groundwater Level (m RL)	Deep Monitoring Well Groundwater Level (m RL)	Screen separation (m)	Downwards Vertical Hydraulic Gradient
BH01	25/11/19	95.96 (BH01A)	95.99 (BH01B)	6.0	- 0.005
BH02	13/7/20	97.47 (BH02A)	96.67 (BH02B)	4.0	0.2
	24/03/21	96.18 (BH02A)	97.12 (BH02B)		- 0.24
BH03	13/7/20	102.71 (BH03A)	102.45 (BH03B)	2.5	0.1
BH04	25/11/20	106.36 (BH04A)	103.54 (BH04B)	5.5	0.51
BH211	28/01/20	104.55 (BH211A)	101.12 (BH211B)	10.5	0.33

Downward <u>vertical</u> gradients are expected to dominate the deeper groundwater system but differences in permeability and dipping of layers of the Henley Breccia is expected to promote some horizontal groundwater movement. Comparison of groundwater levels in screens of similar elevation in the deep groundwater system (BH201, BH202, BH211B), suggest a horizontal hydraulic gradient for the deeper groundwater in approximately a south east direction towards the Pacific Ocean.

Horizontal hydraulic gradients in the localised shallow groundwater system are expected to be more influential and are interpreted to be towards the northwest, following topography towards Otokia Creek. Minor artesian groundwater conditions <u>occasionally</u> recorded at BH01A, BH01B and BH02A, and groundwater seeps observed towards the bottom of the valley during site visits, indicate that the shallow groundwater system discharges to the Otokia Creek. The alluvium and colluvium itself is likely to be recharged from rainfall, run off and groundwater recharge from the shallow Henley Breccia towards the base of the valleys.

#### **Groundwater Recharge and Flow**

Groundwater is expected to be recharged at different rates across the site due to the different properties of the surficial materials. Low groundwater recharge rates are anticipated to occur

through the low permeability loess materials located on the ridges and valley slopes. Instead, the loess soils are interpreted to promote run-off of excess water generating flow to the base of the valleys, where alluvium and colluvium materials have been deposited. The alluvium and colluvium is inferred to have much higher permeability than the loess and is expected to receive greater recharge directly from rainfall. Runoff generated across the loess soils is also expected to provide additional groundwater recharge through these units.

Groundwater flow from the localised shallow groundwater system within the 69.2 ha local Otokia Creek catchment (approximately at the location of BH01) is calculated using Darcy's Law to be approximately 3,6003,000 m³/year (Table 3). Approximately 800 m³/year of this is considered to be contributed from the valley where the proposed Smooth Hill landfill will be located (Table 3).

Total rainfall across the 69.2 ha catchment area is predicted to be approximately 560,200 m³/year, when based on an annual average of 809 mm (calculated by the weather generator model (WGEN) in HELP (Appendix C)). This indicates that horizontal flow through the shallow groundwater system is less than 1% of the total rainfall over the catchment area.

Recharge to the deeper groundwater is constrained by the low permeability loess, with the muted groundwater response in deeper monitoring wells to seasonal changes in rainfall, supporting the inference of limited percolation from the shallow groundwater. Given that horizontal flow from the permeable shallow groundwater system is predicted to be less than 1% of total rainfall, recharge to the deep system is considered likely to be no greater than this. As such, Allowing a component of loss to the deeper groundwater system of less than that flowing to the shallow system (given significantly lower permeability and muted response to seasonal changes in rainfall), total recharge of groundwater across the site is expected to be less than 2% of total rainfall.

The catchment of the deep groundwater system is not constrained to the topographically defined Otokia Creek surface water and shallow groundwater system catchments. Instead, the deep groundwater system forms part of a larger, currently undefined, unit within the Henley Breccia in the elevated coastal range between the Taieri Basin and the coast.

Flow has not been estimated within the deep groundwater system as discharge to the Pacific Ocean is considered to be negligible (Rekker and Houlbrooke, 2010).

Table 3: Estimated Groundwater Flow in Shallow Groundwater System (Updated May 2021)

Parameter	Adopted Value	Justification			
69.2 ha Otokia Creek catchment					
	650 m²	Saturated aquifer thickness = 6.5 m			
Area (A)		(Difference between groundwater level (103.3 m RL) and top of fine grained low permeability layer at BH03 (96.8 m RL))			
		Aquifer width = 100 m			
		(Approximate width of valley at location of BH01 where alluvium is anticipated)			
Hydraulic Conductivity (K)	6.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> m/s	Average based on maximum recorded Henley Breccia permeability (BH02A) and alluvium permeability (BH01A) during hydraulic testing.			
		Average change in head = 4.4 m			
Hydraulic	0.022	(Head difference between BH01 and BH02 = 1.5 m. Head difference between BH01 and BH03 = 7.3 m)			
Gradient (i)		Distance = 200 m			
		(Approximate distance between BH01 and BH02/BH03)			
Discharge (Q)	2,976 m <sup>3</sup> /year	Q = AKi Darcy's Law			
Proposed Smoot	h Hill Landfill su	b-catchment			
	96 m²	Saturated aquifer thickness = 3.0 m			
Area (A)		(Estimated based on groundwater levels at BH02A, BH01A and TP09, and top of fine-grained low permeability layer)			
		Aquifer width = 32 m			
		(Approximate width of valley at toe of proposed landfill where alluvium is anticipated)			
Hydraulic Conductivity (K)	1.3 x 10 <sup>-5</sup> m/s	Hydraulic testing of alluvium (BH01A)			
	0.02	Change in head = 4.0 m			
Hydraulic Gradient (i)		(Estimated head difference between toe of landfill and BH01)			
Gradient (I)		Distance = 193 m			
		(Approximate distance between toe of landfill and BH01)			
Discharge (Q)	787 m³/year	Q = AKi Darcy's Law			

#### 3.3.3 Groundwater and Surface Water Quality

Groundwater quality sampling was undertaken at the site between 6 and 25in November 2019 and March 2021. Surface water quality sampling was undertaken in July 2020. Surface water sampling was also scheduled to be undertaken in March 2021 however samples were not collected as -the majority of the stream was dry during this time, with only stagnant isolated pools of water present. The groundwater and surface water results are compared against the ANZG (2018) 95% freshwater protection criteria and the Otago Regional Plan Discharge Threshold (2016) for nutrients as presented in Table A 5 in Appendix A. Nitrate-N concentrations at BH01A (10.8 - 26.7 mg/L), BH03A (4.32 mg/L), BH03B (4.35 mg/L) and BH201 (3.37 mg/L) were recorded to exceed the Otago threshold of 1.0 mg/L. All other bores recorded nitrate-N at concentrations less than 0.46 mg/L. The ammonia as N concentrations were also recorded to exceed the Otago Regional Plan threshold of 0.2 mg/L at BH02B (0.27 mg/L), BH03B (0.36 mg/L), BH04B (0.28 - 0.37 mg/L), BH201 (1.61 - 2.59 mg/L), BH209 (0.3 mg/L) and BH211B (0.36 mg/L).

Davis (2014) reported that application of fertiliser at a forestry plantation in Ashley, Canterbury, increased nitrate-N concentrations to a maximum recorded concentration of 39.3 mg/L in the root-zone soil drainage water. However, it should be noted that this concentration was recorded prior to any dilution in groundwater. The Ashley plantation site had pallic soils, which are typically derived from loess. David (2014) also reported that harvesting, as has occurred recently at the Smooth Hill site, can lead to a short-lived increase in leaching loss of nitrate-N.

It is interpreted that the greatest concentrations of nitrate-N, recorded within BH01A, have resulted from runoff from the site recharging into the shallow alluvium. The elevated ammoniacal-N concentrations in BH201, where groundwater is 46.45 mbgl, indicates that the influence of inorganic nitrogen has been present at the site for an extended period of time, given the low permeability and low percolation rates within the Henley Breccia.

Anaerobic groundwater conditions are inferred in the monitoring wells installed in borehole BH02, as indicated by elevated concentrations of iron and low concentrations of sulphate. Dissolved oxygen (DO) concentrations and the oxidation reduction potential (ORP) were also low in BH02 during monitoring, with DO recorded betweenas low as 1.86 and 2.510.58 mg/L, and ORP between +59.2 and as low as -23.3 mV (Table A 4 Appendix A). This has likely resulted in elevated ammoniacal-N relative to other inorganic nitrogen, with -any nitrate-N in groundwater at the location being preferentially used by microbes under the reducing conditions. Reducing conditions are also inferred to be present in monitoring wells BH201 and BH04B given the low concentrations of sulphate, and the presence of ammoniacal-N.

Trace metals in groundwater were measured at concentrations above the ANZG water quality criteria in <u>seven locations</u> for copper, <u>five locations for nickel</u>, <u>eight locations for zinc and one location for cadmium</u>. The elevated concentrations of soluble trace metals is interpreted to be a function of the reducing conditions apparent in groundwater across much of the site.

The relatively consistent water chemistry in the nested monitoring wells at boreholes BH02 and BH03 support inference of downward percolation of water in the Henley Breccia. Likewise, the differences in key parameter concentrations measured at the monitoring wells in boreholes BH04 and BH211 suggests the fine-grained low permeability brown siltstone-layer located between these two screens retards downward percolation to some extent, despite the downward vertical hydraulic gradient.

The difference in parameter concentrations at monitoring wells BH01A and BH01B, with higher concentrations of nitrate-N in BH01A, are expected to reflect the lack of downward water movement in the valley floor.

No exceedances of the adopted water quality criteria were recorded within surface water samples at SW1 and SW2. Surface water sampled at SW3 recorded one exceedance of the ANZG criteria for copper (Table A 5 in Appendix A). It is noted that approximately 40 mm of rainfall was recorded in Musselburgh, Dunedin (Agent 15752) over the 7 days prior to the samples being collected on 6 July 2020 (NIWA, 2021). It is considered likely that the surface water samples are not representative of groundwater baseflow to the Otokia Creek and mostly comprise stormwater runoff and interflow.

#### 3.4 Surface Water Interactions

An upper branch of the Otokia Creek originates within the site boundary at Smooth Hill. This stream was observed to be flowing during a number of site visits in winter and spring 2019, and winter 2020, however was not flowingconfirmed as ephemeral in the vicinity of the proposed Smooth Hill landfill footprint during site visits in January 2020 and March 2021 as far north as the culvert beneath McLaren Gully Road. Site observations in spring 2019 during the summer months indicate that when the stream is flowingstream flow through the culvert underadjacent to McLaren Gully Road the flow is less than 10 litres/second.

Minor artesian groundwater levels were recorded during November 2019 at the base of the valley in the alluvium at BH01A and in the Henley Breccia at BH01B and BH02A, indicating that Otokia Creek baseflow is in part contributed to from groundwater derived from the site. During rainfall events, the low permeability of the loess is expected to result in relatively high runoff, flowing directly to the Otokia Creek, or recharging the relatively permeable alluvium at the base of the valley either as interflow or groundwater proper. The high runoff, and recent harvesting of forestry at the site, is also likely to result in high sediment loading within the runoff, some of which is expected to be discharged to the Otokia Creek.

During dry conditions (observed in January 2020 and March 2021), shallow groundwater levels drop below the Otokia Creek stream bed in the base of the valley near the site, with perennial baseflow not present until much further downstream (beyond the McLaren Gully road culvert).

As discussed in Section 2.3, a small section of the site (approximately 9,000 m²) lies within the Open Stream surface water catchment south of the site. Construction of an embankment comprised of engineered clean fill will be undertaken in this area, with no placement of waste proposed. A catchpit at the edge of the landfill boundary with Big Stone Road will convey runoff from this area through a culvert which will discharge to the Open Stream catchment (see Drawing 51-12506381-C302).

#### 3.5 Conceptual Hydrological and Hydrogeological Model

The current understanding of the groundwater and surface water at the proposed Smooth Hill landfill site is that a localised shallow groundwater system is present as a function of the distribution of permeable alluvium and weathered Henley Breccia within the topographical lows of the valleys. This shallow system supports groundwater levels near the surface in the valley floor and contributes baseflow to the downstream perennial sections of the Otokia Creek. Low rates of infiltration through the loess and seepage from the shallow system to the deeper low permeability unweathered Henley Breccia occurs, with this slow downward percolation constituting the deeper groundwater system.

# 3.5.1 Deep Groundwater System

Groundwater within the Henley Breccia is subject to vertical downwards hydraulic gradients with minor rainfall recharge occurring through the low permeability loess materials that overlie the breccia across the majority of the site.

It is not known where the groundwater divide occurs in the elevated coastal region between the Titri Fault and the coastline, however if this follows topography it is expected the divide is located along the north south trending ridgeline in the western portion of the site designation between Big Stone Road and McLaren Gully Road. Under this assumption groundwater within the deep system to the east of this ridgeline would flow to the south east and discharge towards the coast. It is anticipated that groundwater recharge at the small section of site that lies within the Open Stream surface water catchment forms part of the deep groundwater system south of Big Stone Road that flows south east towards the coast.

Groundwater quality of the deep groundwater system is represented by samples from BH03B, BH04B and BH201.includes elevated concentrations of nitrate-N (BH03B and BH201), and ammoniacal-N (BH03B, BH04B, BH201, BH209 and BH211B), which together with the downward vertical hydraulic gradients measured in nested monitoring wells across the siltstone layer, infersupports inferences that some recharge from the shallow groundwater system is occurring. These elevated concentrations of inorganic nitrogen are likely to have been derived from forestry operations. Nitrate is anticipated to have undergone both denitrification and dissimilatory nitrate reduction to ammonium (DNRA) under reducing conditions. Elevated concentrations of nickel and zinsoluble trace metalse are also likely to result from the reducing groundwater conditions and enabling leaching from minerals in the breccia material.

The deep groundwater system within the Henley Breccia is not considered as a viable groundwater resource in the Otago Regional Council Lower Taieri Groundwater Allocation Study (Rekker and Houlbrooke, 2010), given the low permeability and minimal potential yields. There are no recorded active groundwater takes from the Henley Breccia. The nearest recorded borehole is greater than 1.5 km west of the site (I45/0001), and no recorded bores or consents are located south east of the site (Figure 5).

While groundwater in this deep unit is considered to flow towards the Pacific Ocean, meaningful discharge is not anticipated to be occurring. In addition, there are no environmental receptors within 2 km of the site that are likely to be impacted by the deep groundwater system. It is noted that regardless of deep groundwater flow direction, the rates of deep groundwater flow are so low that potential impacts to receptors would be negligible.

#### 3.5.2 Shallow Groundwater and Surface Water System

A localised shallow groundwater system is considered to have formed in the base of the valley at the site. The deposition of relatively permeable alluvium and colluvium in the topographical lows has formed a shallow unit which receives recharge directly from rainfall, as well as from runoff over the low permeability loess soils and groundwater from the shallow Henley Breccia.

The shallow Henley Breccia underlying the alluvium and colluvium typically has a greater permeability than the low permeability breccia that hosts the deep groundwater system, due to the presence of gravel and sandstone layers and due to relaxation of the rock mass and weathering. Groundwater from the shallow Henley Breccia is inferred to discharge into the alluvium and colluvium unit, with water levels in BH01A and BH01B demonstrating an upward vertical hydraulic gradient. Horizontal groundwater flow directions in the shallow Henley Breccia also suggests groundwater flow follows topography towards Otokia Creek. This shallow groundwater system is anticipated to be the source of baseflow for the Otokia Creek, which is currently understood to be ephemeral up-stream of BH01 and becoming perennial a short distance downstream of BH01 (although periods of no flow have been observed in 2020/2021 following low rainfall). Otokia Creek is also likely to receive runoff during rainfall events, which has the potential to transport a substantial sediment load given the steep topography and recent deforestation at the site. This is discussed further in the landfill design report (GHD, 20219c).

A discontinuous <u>fine-grained</u> <u>brown siltstonelow permeability</u> layer within the Henley Breccia, distinct in its colouration, <u>possibly a historic lake deposit</u>, underlies the shallow breccia in a number of <u>locations</u>. This layer is interpreted as <u>providing a degree of</u> separation <u>between</u> the localised shallow groundwater system <u>and</u> the deep groundwater system, with recharge from the shallow to deep units impeded by <u>this</u> layer. The approximate elevation of the <u>fine-grained</u> <u>siltstone-low permeability</u> layer indicates that it may have been eroded at the locations of BH01 and BH02.

Groundwater quality in the shallow groundwater system is considered to reflect the recent land use at the site, with fertiliser applied to the local forestry and recent disturbance likely to have resulted in elevated nitrate-N concentrations in the alluvium and shallow breccia at BH01A and BH03A, respectively. The site has been used for forestry for over 20 years and no other notable source of nitrate has been identified at the site.

Given the absence of groundwater use, the assessment of effects to groundwater and surface water focuses on the impact of landfill development on runoff and groundwater discharge to Otokia Creek. There are no recorded active surface water takes from Otokia or McColl Creeks, therefore risks will be assessed for environmental receptors only.

An assessment of the effects to the Open Stream surface water catchment has been excluded from this report, as placement of clean engineered fill is the only proposed activity in this area. A catchpit and culvert will convey rainfall run off to the Open Stream catchment (see Drawing 51-12506381-C302), therefore the proposed activities in this area are considered to have a very low potential effects and unlikely to significantly impact surface water or groundwater flow and quality within the Open Stream catchment. Furthermore, groundwater recharge is also considered unlikely to be impacted as the landfill waste will not overlie this section of the Open Stream catchment.

# 4. Assessment of Effects

The proposed landfill at the Smooth Hill site has the potential to influence groundwater and surface water levels, flow and quality in the vicinity of the site. To assess the potential impacts to groundwater and surface water, the landfill activity has been considered in the context of the conceptual hydrological and hydrogeological model, with water balance and analytical models developed to represent key processes and support analysis of potential effects.

The following sections outline the assessment and the predicted effects on groundwater and surface water.

## 4.1 Landfill Activity

#### 4.1.1 Potential Adverse Effects

Placement of the proposed landfill has the potential to impact surface water and groundwater levels due to a reduction in recharge through the loss of infiltration area, runoff interception and removal of groundwater via subsurface drainage. The proposed landfill also has the potential to influence groundwater and surface water quality in the vicinity of the site in the event leakage of leachate were to occur through the landfill liner into the groundwater system.

#### 4.1.2 Landfill Design

The proposed Smooth Hill landfill comprises a capacity of approximately <u>36 Mm<sup>3</sup></u> to provide for the safe disposal of municipal solid waste for a period in excess of 35 years, and will occupy a footprint of approximately <u>18.644.5</u> Ha of the 87 Ha designated for the landfill.

Construction of the landfill each stage will involve removal of un-consolidated surficial materials, followed by creation of planar surfaces for the placement of the landfill liner. Depth of excavation will typically be between two and 10 metres and include removal of all loess and some of the underlying weathered and unweathered rock. Most excavated materials (excluding those that are unsuitable) will then be used to form the landfill profile, liner and capping. Excavated weathered rock will be used for engineered fill.

Following excavation and filling, a 200 mm layer of selected soils will be placed where necessary to provide a construction base for the compacted clay layer of the landfill liner. A 10 m high toe bund will be constructed at the northern low point of the landfill to facilitate placement of waste and contain leachate.

The landfill has been designed to include five stages, which will be constructed and receive waste in a consecutive manner, with filling commencing within the central northern sections (Stage 1) and then progressing clockwise around the remainder of the footprint from the northeast (Stage 2, Stage 3 and Stage 4 – see Drawings C210 to C214). Stages 1 and 2 will be in the north eastern portion of the landfill footprint, separated by the natural ridge from Stages 3, 4 and 5 in the south western portion. Each stage will be developed sequentially in a number of sub-stages. Each <a href="sub-stage">sub-stage</a> will progress through; exposed liner, open waste, daily cover, intermediate cover and final cap.

The Design Report (GHD 202<u>1c</u>0) specifies that any liner system must comply with either a Type 1 or Type 2 liner system as set out in WasteMINZ. In the Design Report, and for the purpose of this assessment, it has been assumed that a Type 2 -liner will be utilised. This comprises 600 mm compacted clay base layer with a permeability of 1x10<sup>-8</sup> m/s or less, overlain by a 5 mm geosynthetic clay liner (GCL) and 1.5 mm HDPE flexible membrane liner (FML). A 300 mm leachate drainage layer and overlying geotextile will be placed on top of the liner. If a

Type 1 liner system was considered the findings from this assessment would be approximately the same with respect to leachate leakage, as the 600 mm compacted clay layer in a Type 1 system requires a permeability of  $1x10^{-9}$  m/s or less which is an order of magnitude lower than for a Type 2 liner system.

The leachate collection system will comprise the 300 mm drainage layer and perforated pipework in the drainage media to transfer leachate to the leachate sumps at the low point of the landfill liner. Two separate systems will be installed to collect leachate from Stages 1 and 2, and Stages 3, 4 and 5. Leachate pumps and risers will convey the leachate to storage tanks, from where it will be transported to the Dunedin City Waste Water Treatment Plant (WWTP). Leachate generation will be minimised by reducing the exposure of waste. Daily cover materials will generally be won from earthworks at the site. The low permeability loess from the site is considered viable for use as intermediate (300 mm) and final cap (600 mm) material.

During the operational phase of the landfill, any stormwater that comes into contact with waste will be treated as leachate. However, diversion of clean stormwater will be undertaken to separate it from waste where possible, and directed to a sediment retention pond (SRP) and a flow attenuation basin (see Drawing C303). SRPs will also be used for stormwater from stockpile 1 and the workshop area. After passing through an SRP, stormwater will generally be diverted to the attenuation basin before discharge to the Otokia Creek, except during development of Stage 1 of the landfill. Due to elevation constraints during Stage 1, after treatment through an SRP stormwater will be discharged via a pipe through the toe bund to Otokia Creek. Once Stage 1 is complete the pipe will be sealed and all stormwater directed via the perimeter swale to the attenuation basin (Design Report 2021a).

All runoff from the completed landfill surface will be directed to <a href="thean">thean</a> attenuation basin which will discharge to the Otokia Creek catchment. The catchment area of the attenuation basin will be 69.2 ha, which is larger than the landfill footprint (44.5 ha) as natural runoff flow paths for the valley immediately north-west of the proposed landfill (where BH09 and BH02 are situated (Figure 5)) will also be intercepted along with other stormwater from the facilities area.

The attenuation basin and all SRPs- will comprise an upstream forebay area to provide initial treatment and downstream pond where water will be retained (see Surface Water Report, 2021 GHDd). Water within the attenuation basin will either soak to ground or discharge via low-level pipe or over the spillway to the Otokia Creek.

The attenuation basin consists of an upstream forebay area and a downstream area separated by a gabion basket (see Drawings 51-12506381-C306 and C307). The forebay will be excavated approximately 1.5 m (to approximately 95.5 m RL) into the existing ground surface and provide capacity for 700 m³. The unlined forebay provides initial treatment and soakage for stormwater and groundwater collected from a subsoil drainage network. During periods of higher rainfall, water will overflow from the forebay and through a gabion basket, reducing potential velocities, into the unlined downstream area. Water in this area is retained by a small dam and will either soak into the underlying ground or discharge via a low level pipe or spillway to the Otokia Creek tributary downstream. This area may be planted with wetland type flora.

To control groundwater beneath the landfill, a network of subsoil drains will be constructed beneath the lining system. These will provide groundwater drainage under all stages of the landfill development, directing drainage to an access manhole immediately before either discharging to the attenuation basin or being directed to storage for use on site as non-potable waterthe Otokia Creek catchment. The manhole facilitates monitoring for leachate impact on groundwater quality, in the event that leachate seeps through the landfill liner. Where monitoring of groundwater indicates unacceptable changes in groundwater quality, the groundwater will be intercepted and treated as leachate. The perforated HDPE pipes of groundwater drainage system will be installed to a minimum elevation of 99.5 m RL along the northern low point of the

landfill (Drawing C308). Existing ground level at the minimum elevation of the subsoil drains ranges between approximately 100 and 107 m RL.

#### 4.1.3 Landfill Closure and Aftercare

Placement of the final cap after completion of the landfill will include an upper topsoil and / or growth layer, and surface vegetation, likely grass, will be established. Surface contour drains to manage stormwater that falls on the cap will also be connected to the perimeter drainage system that reports to the attenuation basin. Stockpile sites will be graded to conform to the adjacent topography and vegetated.

Post-closure aftercare activities will include operation and maintenance of:

- Landfill gas extraction, treatment and destruction system.
- Leachate collection system.
- Stormwater systems.
- Landfill cap, including fill in locations of differential settlement, repair of surface erosion and vegetation maintenance.
- Remaining site infrastructure.
- Ongoing environmental monitoring.

#### 4.1.4 Leachate Management

Landfill leachate will be produced where rainfall percolates through waste and due to decomposition of the waste. Rates of generation are expected to be at their highestwill peak during operation of the landfill as more waste is placed. However, this is mitigated as much as possible through careful management of the active landfill face including the use of daily and intermediate cover. Rainfall that falls on the exposed liner prior to placement of waste Where it cannot be directed to the surface water system, rainfall that falls on the exposed liner prior to placement of waste will also report to the leachate collection system. Placement of the final cap is designed to minimise leachate generation, however leachate will continue to be generated and report to the collection system after landfill closure.

The landfill liner is designed to minimise leakage of leachate and will be designed to meet the landfill guideline specifications for either a Type 1 or Type 2 liner (WasteMINZ, 2018). The primary containment layer is the HDPE geomembrane. This is used in both the Type 1 and Type 2 liner systems. For the Type 2 liner system this leakage is mitigated through intimate contact with the underlying GCL or for Type 1 by the compacted clay layer. Individual sheets of HDPE are welded together and all welds tested for potential leaks. The HDPE geomembrane is practically impermeable and strict quality control measures are used to promote liner integrity during placement. However, for the purposes of assessing environmental effects a minimum level of leakage through the membrane is assumed based on the assumption that multiple imperfections in liner installation could occur. Leachate leakage is also minimised to the extent practicable by use of an underlying compacted clay layer, as for a Type 1 liner, and through intimate contact of the HDPE with the underlying GCL for a Type 2 liner.

For the Type 2 liner system this leakage is mitigated through intimate contact with the underlying GCL or for Type 1 by the compacted clay layer. The rate of leachate leakage is largely controlled by the head of leachate on top of the liner. The minimum leachate collection system requirement in the WasteMINZ (2018) technical guidelines states that the leachate head is not to exceed 300 mm above the liner.

Monitoring of the following will be undertaken <u>during operation and after closure to assess</u> whether <u>significant</u> leachate leakage is occurring:

- Groundwater collected in the subsoil drainage system prior to discharge to <u>the Otokia</u>
   <u>Creek catchment.</u>
- The attenuation basin, comprising stormwater runoff and groundwater, prior to discharge to the Otokia Creek <u>catchment</u>.
- Down hydraulic gradient groundwater monitoring wells to provide advance warning of potential impacts to surface water quality through seepage of groundwater to the surface water system.-

A landfill management plan is <u>being</u> developed to define monitoring requirements for the site. Appendix D provides <u>recommendations</u> with <u>respect to</u> monitoring.

#### 4.2 Landfill Water Balance and Leachate

#### 4.2.1 Assessment Methodology

To inform the assessment of potential effects to surface water and groundwater the Hydrologic Evaluation of Landfill Performance (HELP) software was used to predict average run-off, evapotranspiration, leachate generation and leakage during different phases of construction and after closure. The HELP model provides analytical estimation of water movement and prediction of a water balance for the landfill. Landfill design, material properties and location specific weather data are used in developing the model. Appendix C presents the full methodology and results for the leachate generation, reporting times and leakage assessment.

#### 4.2.2 Landfill Runoff

The rainfall runoff predicted to report to the attenuation basin during operation and after closure of the landfill is presented in Table 4. During landfill operation, the <u>worst-case</u> scenario for runoff will occur after the landfill footprint is fully occupied, but sections of exposed liner and open waste are still present in the final stage of development which report all runoff to the leachate collection system. After placement of <u>the intermediate and final capping layer, and the majority of the intermediate capping layers</u>, (which will occur progressively as the landfill is developed), all-rainfall runoff will be directed to the attenuation basin before discharge.

During landfill operation, a minimum of approximately 12.7% of rainfall runoff is predicted to report to the attenuation basin, with the remainder either infiltrating into the landfill or undergoing evapotranspiration. After landfill closure, the percentage of rainfall that reports to the attenuation basin increases to approximately 13.814%. This equates to between approximately 45,00018,000 m³/year to 49,00021,000 m³/year of runoff from the 44.518.6 ha landfill area before and after closure, respectively.

Table 4: Rainfall runoff predicted to report to the attenuation basin (Updated May 2021)

Landfill Phase	Worst case area during operation (m²)	Runoff to attenuation basin (m³/year)	Percentage of total Rainfall (%)*
Exposed Liner	10,000	0	
Open Waste	2,500	0	
Open Waste with Daily Cover	11,500	0	

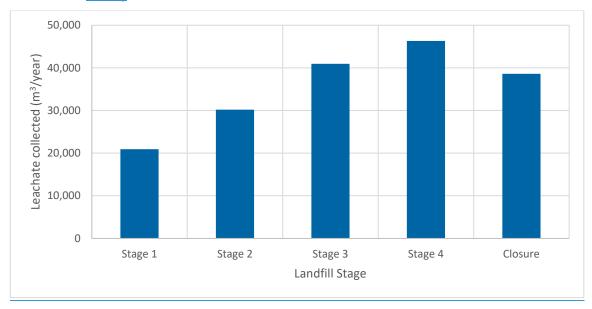
Final Cap	186,000	21,135	14 %
Landfill Phase	Area after closure (m²)	Runoff to attenuation basin (m³/year)	Percentage of rainfall over landfill (%)*
Total	186,000	18,330	12 %
Final Cap	159,000	18,067	
Intermediate Cap	3,000	264	

<sup>\*</sup> Assuming annual average of 809.5 mm over 44.518.6 ha

#### 4.2.3 Leachate Generation and Leakage

Figure 10 presents a summary of the landfill leachate predicted to be collected in the leachate collection systems during operation and after stage closure. There are two drainage collection systems for the proposed landfill, which separate the leachate collection in Stages 1 and 2 from leachate collection in Stages 3, 4 and 5. The predicted leachate volumes reported to the collection systems during operation will not occur concurrently as each landfill stage will be closed before the next one is opened. The largest leachate volumes are collection volumes are likely to occur during operation of stage 45, with a total predicted leachate volume of approximately 99,00046,310 m³/year for the whole landfill (worst case for stages 3, 4 and 5 combined with closed stages 1 and 2). After complete landfill closure, the total leachate predicted to be collected from all five stages is approximately 38,58490,000 m³/year.

Figure 10: HELP Model landfill leachate to collection system (Updated May 2021)



A summary of the predicted leachate leakage through the landfill liner during operation and after stage closure is presented in Figure 11. As with leachate generation, the leachate leakage during landfill operation will not occur concurrently due to sequential stage construction. The maximum leachate leakage is likely to occur during operation of stage 4 and after landfill closure5, with a predicted leakage rate of 0.263.0 m³/year. (generated from operational stage 5 and closed stages 1, 2, 3 and 4). The predicted total leachate leakage from all stages after landfill closure is approximately 1.9 m³/year.

0.30
0.25
(see 1 Stage 2 Stage 3 Stage 4 Closure

Landfill Stage

Figure 11: HELP Model leachate leakage through the landfill liner (Updated May 2021)

#### 4.2.4 Leachate Quality

Leachate from a Class 1 (municipal) landfill is generated due to the interaction of waste with infiltrating water and the release of liquids directly from the waste. Leachate can have varying quality, dependent upon the relative proportion of different waste types, landfill design, age of the landfill and local environmental setting. Typically, contaminant concentrations in leachate are highest when waste is exposed <u>during</u> operation, and decrease with closure and as the landfill ages. Decomposition of putrescible material and the transition of the landfill waste <u>over time</u> from an aerobic to anaerobic state, and the generation of organic acids, also plays a key role in determining leachate quality, influencing microbial reactions, solubility and physiochemical reactions of leachate constituents.

Decomposition of putrescible waste and the leachate generating environment is often defined to occur in three stages:

- 1. Aerobic degradation, generating heat and producing organic compounds and carbon dioxide.
- 2. Anaerobic degradation where large organic molecules are broken down into simple compounds such as hydrogen, ammonia, water, carbon dioxide and organic acids.
- 3. Methanogenic degradation where organic acids break down to form methane gas and other products.

Table 5 outlines an upper quartile for the highest leachate constituent concentrations of eight New Zealand landfills, provided in the Centre for Advanced Engineering Landfill Guidelines (CAE, 2000).

Table 5: Upper quartile of the highest leachate constituent concentrations

Parameter	Upper Quartile Concentration – Class 1 Landfills (mg/L excluding pH) <sup>(1)</sup>	
Aluminium	7.9	
Ammoniacal Nitrogen	705	
Arsenic	0.17	
Boron	12.3	
Cadmium	0.0063	
Calcium	378	
Chloride	1730	
Chromium	0.17	
Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus	3.4	
Iron	183	
Lead	0.13	
Magnesium	193	
Manganese	5.4	
Nickel	0.19	
Nitrate Nitrogen	0.86	
рН	8.1 pH Units	
Potassium	630	
Silica	36	
Sodium	1165	
Sulphate	292	
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	1220	
Zinc	1.2	
Total VOC	6.5	
Total SVOC	4.4	

Upper quartile of the highest leachate concentrations recorded in eight consented municipal solid waste (MSW) Class 1 Landfills in New Zealand (CAA, 2000¹). Note some landfills did not provide concentrations for all parameters.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The more recently published guidance (WasteMINZ, 2018) make use of the same data from eight New Zealand Class 1 landfills. Data from this more recent document has not been used owing to inaccuracies in the presented leachate chemistry.

#### 4.3 Catchment Water Balance

Table 6 presents the water balance comparison of the existing environment with the <u>worst-case</u> <u>operational</u> landfill scenario and after landfill closure <u>within the 69.2 ha Otokia Creek catchment area</u>.

Total rainfall over the Otokia Creek proposed landfill attenuation basin-catchment area (69.2 ha) is predicted to be approximately 560,200 m³/year (based on annual average of 809.5 mm). Actual evapotranspiration and runoff for the existing environment has been predicted using the weather generator model (WGEN) in HELP (Appendix C) to be approximately 218,300218,400 m³/year and 334,600335,900 m³/year, respectively. As discussed in Section 3.3.2, groundwater recharge for the existing environment is anticipated to comprise less than 2 -% of total rainfall.

With the landfill proposed to occupy <u>18.644.5</u> ha of the catchment, the remaining <u>24.750.6</u> ha will continue to contribute runoff at the same rate as under the existing environment. The ongoing contribution from the landfill footprint area to the <u>catchment</u> is dependent upon the stage of development. Table 4 outlines the worst case for the reduced net runoff to the <u>catchment</u>.

The changes to the shallow groundwater system have assumed that no further shallow groundwater will be contributed from the landfill sub-catchment (Table 3), which will reduce the existing flow from approximately 3,000 m³/year to 2,200 m³/year. The changes to the deep groundwater system assume an even distribution of recharge across the 69.2 ha Otokia Creek catchment. With loss of recharge across the 18.6 ha landfill footprint this would reduce recharge to the deep groundwater system by approximately 27 %, from approximately 3,000 m³/day to 2,200 m³/day.

Table 6: Catchment Water Balance (69.2 ha) (Updated May 2021)

	Existing Environment	Worst Case During Landfill Operation	Landfill Closure	
Inputs (m³/year)				
Rainfall	560,200			
Outputs (m³/year)				
Evapotranspiration	218,300	241,200	246,100	
Runoff	335,900	268,300	271,100	
Shallow Groundwater System	3,000	2,200	2,200	
Deep Groundwater System	3,000	2,200	2,200	
Leachate Collection System	-	46,300	38,600	
Leachate Leakage	-	0.26	0.26	

The combined runoff to the <u>catchment</u> from both the landfill (Table 4) and the <u>intercepted valley</u> to the north-west is likely to be a <u>minimum of remaining 50.6</u> ha is estimated at approximately <u>173,600268,300</u> m³/year <u>during the worst case operational scenario</u>(Table 6). This is a reduction of <u>nearly 50approximately 20</u>% compared to the existing environment. <u>After closure, the entire landfill will contribute runoff, which is predicted to increase to 271,100 m³/year.</u>

An increase in evapotranspiration is predicted to occur during landfill operation and closure in comparison to the existing environment due to a <u>relative</u> increase in water infiltration and soil moisture retention within the <u>surface-landfill capping</u> soils <u>compared to the existing environment</u>, <u>as well as a 'good grass' cover for the final cap, which allows for increased evapotranspiration.</u>

The existing scenario is considered to have 'poor grass' cover due to onsite forestry operations and the presence of scrub vegetation.

In terms of groundwater impacts from landfill construction two aspects are considered:

- Table 6 indicates a reduction in recharge to both the shallow and deep groundwater systems beneath the landfill footprint.
- In addition, a groundwater discharge rate of up to 87 m³/day is predicted from sub-surface drains beneath the landfill following drain installation. This water will be stored and used on site as part of a non-potable water supply or allowed to discharge to Otokia Creek catchment (further discussed in 4.4.1 below). The value of 87 m³/day is an increase from values previously reported. The increase relates primarily to the assumed inclusion of a groundwater drain along the up gradient base of the toe bund (see C308).

This reduction in recharge to groundwater during the course of landfill operation and postclosure, will likely result in downward adjustment of groundwater levels to a new steady state reflecting the loss of recharge. This is predicated to eventually reduce below the level of the sub-surface drains. In the long-term, groundwater diversion through the sub-surface drains is expected to be negligible.

#### 4.4 Effects to Shallow Groundwater and Surface Water

## 4.4.1 Assessment Methodology

Estimates of groundwater recharge and discharge for the existing environment, described in Section 3.3.2, provide the basis for assessing the potential impacts to shallow groundwater. A water balance approach has been used in combination with simplistic analytical groundwater flow equations (Darcy's Law) to predict changes to the shallow groundwater system and subsequently surface water.

Assessment considers the potential adverse effects of the following scenarios:

- Predicted effects excluding the potential mitigation measures of soakage of stormwater to ground-down gradient of the landfill, representing an upper bound for potential impacts or a sensitivity scenario.
- 2. Predicted effects including the mitigating influence of stormwater soakage to ground down gradient of the landfill, representing the expected outcome.

Of these scenarios, Scenario 2, which considers the normal operation of the landfill and current climatic conditions, is considered appropriate for the purpose of assessing effects to the environment associated with the landfill. Scenario 1 is provided for context to the sensitivity of the predicted effects.

# 4.4.2 Scenario 1 - Potential Upper Bound for Effects to Shallow Groundwater

#### **Groundwater Recharge and Flow**

After the placement of the 44.518.6 ha landfill footprint, there will be no further recharge to the shallow groundwater system from rainfall infiltration over the area of the landfill. Assuming an even distribution of recharge across the entire 69.2 hano further contribution to the Otokia Creek

catchment from the landfill sub-catchment this would reduce anticipated to recharge to the shallow groundwater system by approximately 67 % and reduce shallow groundwater flow at the site from approximately 3,6000 m³/year to approximately 1,2002,200 m³/year. This reflects the upper bound for potential influence on groundwater recharge and flow, assuming no soakage of stormwater to ground.

#### **Groundwater Levels and Gradients**

Groundwater flow in the shallow groundwater system at the site is predicted to reduce from approximately 3,0600 m³/year to 2,200 1,200 m³/year, where loss of recharge across the landfill feetprint is considered in isolation. Assuming this scenario, Using Darcy's Law to back calculate the discharge (by reducing saturated aquifer thickness and change in groundwater head in Table 3 by the same factor), groundwater levels in the shallow groundwater system are predicted to reduce by approximately less than 2 - 31 m in the immediate vicinity of the landfill. The implications of this are threefold:

- A reduction in groundwater discharge to the Otokia Creek.
- A potential shift downstream where the stream transitions from ephemeral to perennial stream flow.
- A potential impact on water levels in any wetlands located immediately downstream of the landfill.

The <u>less than 12-3</u> m change in shallow groundwater levels and the potential effects described above will be confined to the immediate downstream vicinity of the landfill. With increased distance downstream, the impact on groundwater levels will diminish as the contribution of groundwater from the wider catchment increases and the proportional contribution from the 44.518.6 -ha associated with the landfill decreases. This is further discussed in Section 4.4.4.

Placement of sub-surface drainage to ensure dewatered conditions beneath the landfill are not expected to intercept groundwater in the southern extent of the footprint, where groundwater has been encountered at relatively deep levels. However, in the northern section of the landfill footprint, near the toe of the landfill, there is potential for interception of groundwater within the shallow groundwater system. The sub-surface drainage in this area will be installed to a minimum elevation of 99.5 m RL across an area where existing ground levels range between approximately 100 – 107 m RL. Groundwater levels recorded in the shallow groundwater system in nearby monitoring wells have been recorded to maximum levels of 97.5 m RL (BH02A), 103.3 m RL (BH03A), 104.55 mRL (BH211A) and 106.4 m RL (BH04A), where ground levels are 107.5 mRL, 107.0 mRL and 108.2 mRL, respectively. Groundwater levels recorded above the minimum elevation of the sub-surface drainage (99.5 m RL) are generally in monitoring wells located in elevated areas along the valley sides, (BH03A and BH04A), whereas the drains are proposed to be located within the existing valley bottoms where groundwater levels are lower. This inference is supported by (BH02A). trial pit TP09, located approximately 25 m south east of the proposed minimum elevation of sub-surface drainage, which was excavated from ground level (101 mRL) to an elevation of 98 mRL with no groundwater encountered (Figure 6).

Although sub-surface drainage may provide initial lowering of groundwater levels within the localised shallow groundwater system, it is anticipated that this will be for a relatively short period of time as groundwater levels are expected to be reduced below the elevation of the drains due to loss of recharge with placement of the landfill liner (Section 4.3). Significant volumes of groundwater are therefore not anticipated to be abstracted through the subsoil drainage system over the life of the landfill, with the maximum estimated discharge in the order of 87 m³/day (Table 7). It is noted that this water will be abstracted and used as part of the non-potable water supply for the site or discharged to Otokia Creek catchment.

<u>Table 7: Estimated groundwater discharge from sub-soil drains</u>
(Updated May 2021)

Parameter	Adopted value	Justification		
Initial saturated aquifer thickness (H)	9.55 m	Difference between maximum recorded groundwater level at BH211A (104.55 mRL) and approximate elevation of siltstone layer in BH211 (95 mRL)		
Saturated aquifer thickness after drawdown (h)	4.5 m	Difference between minimum elevation of sub-soil drainage (99.5 mRL) and approximate elevation of siltstone layer in BH211 (95 mRL)		
Hydraulic conductivity (K)	3.2 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> m/s	Maximum Henley Breccia permeability recorded during hydraulic testing (BH02A)		
Radius of influence (R <sub>0</sub> )	27.1 m	$R_0 = 3000~(H-h)\sqrt{K}$ Sichart & Kryieleis (note $H$ - $h$ is in feet and $K$ is in m/s) (Jacob, 1950)		
Distance to the line source (L)	13.5 m	$R_0 = 2L$ (Powers et. al, 2007)		
Unit length of trench (x)	120 m	Length of sub-soil drainage at minimum elevation of 99.5 mRL		
Sub-soil drains discharge (Q)	87 m³/day	$\frac{Q}{x} = \frac{K(H^2 - h^2)}{2L}$ Flow to a drainage trench in an unconfined aquifer (Powers et. al, 2007)		

## 4.4.3 Scenario 2 – Predicted Effects to Shallow Groundwater

The attenuation basin and SRPs are designed to provide additional water quality polishing with respect to sediment and are also designed to moderate stormwater runoff originating across the flows downstream of the landfill and associated facility areas. The two sections of thattenuation basin has no proposed lining in the base, which will allow infiltration of stormwater to the underlying groundwater system while stormwater is ponded prior to discharge. This recharge is anticipated to provide sufficient soakage to greatly mitigate the loss of groundwater recharge and the associated effects described in 4.4.2. In addition, while some of the groundwater abstracted from the sub-soil drainage may be directed for non-potable use some will also be allowed to discharge to the Otokia Creeksystem catchment and further supplement the surface water system. However, this has not been assumed when evaluating the predicated effects as the rate of groundwater collected is likely to reduce significantly with time from an initial rate in the order of 87 m³/day.

The current groundwater conditions down gradient of the landfill, where groundwater levels are have previously been recorded near surface, provide limited opportunity for stormwater to soak to ground as there is no storage capacity within the shallow aquifer. With the proposed landfill development and loss of recharge across the landfill footprint, the lowering of groundwater levels will provide capacity for soakage of stormwater from the attenuation basin. Alluvium and

colluvium in the gully-valley floor, and the excavation of the unlined forebay into these materials, is expected to promote soakage, such that at times when stormwater is generated it is expected that soakage to ground downstream of the landfill will occur. The forebay capacity (designed to hold 1% AEPattenuation basin capacity provides the means to capture a significantly greater volume of stormwater for soakage than is estimated to presently recharge the shallow groundwater system (approximately 3,6000 m³/year), with this expected to greatly mitigate loss of groundwater flow through the valley floor.

So while the catchment is expected to see changes in where groundwater recharge occurs, the influence of the landfill on groundwater levels and flow in the shallow aquifer is expected to be less than minor.

### 4.4.4 Effects to Surface Water Level Flow

Assessment of potential effects to surface water flow considers the two scenarios above.

Under the upper bound for effects scenario (Scenario 1), which excludes soakage of stormwater from the landfill attenuation basin, a decrease in groundwater flow by approximately 2,400800 m³/year (equivalent of 0.038 litres/second) and decrease in groundwater levels by up to 3-1 m down gradient of the landfill is predicted. This would result in decreased baseflow in Otokia Creek and subsequent potential movement of the semi-perennial flow transition to further downstream. The distance between the proposed landfill and McLaren Gully Road, where-beyond which the Otokia Creek tributary has is confirmed as having-perennial flow, is approximately 1 km. Ground elevation reduces by approximately 20 m over this distance. Assuming a linear surface gradient, the predicted reduction in groundwater levels due to landfill placement is anticipated to move the transition location for semi-perennial stream flow up to 50 3645 m further downstream from its current location, although this will also be mitigated by the contribution of groundwater from the wider catchment.

Under Scenario 2, with <u>clean</u>-stormwater diverted <u>from the landfill</u>-to the <u>attenuation basin</u>, moderation of stormwater runoff and soakage of stormwater to ground is expected to mitigate the predicted loss of baseflow and subsequent transition of perennial stream flow. With a high capacity to attenuate stormwater discharge from the site, the volume of stormwater soaking to ground is likely to be greater than that presently being recharged to the catchment and greatly mitigate loss of stream baseflow.

## 4.5 Effects to Deep Groundwater

Any change in groundwater levels due to reduced recharge will have a negligible impact on the deep groundwater system, which does not support any registered groundwater takes and is not considered to provide baseflow to any streams. All valleys in the vicinity of the site that host ephemeral streams are anticipated to have their own localised shallow system similar to that encountered and described at Smooth Hill.

With an estimated average horizontal permeability of 1x10<sup>-8</sup> m/s in the deep groundwater system of the Henley Breccia, and a distance of approximately 2.6 km from the south eastern edge of the site, it would take groundwater an average of 8,245 years to reach the Pacific Ocean along a direct flow path. The deep groundwater system is therefore considered to contribute negligible discharge to the Pacific Ocean.

## 4.6 Effects to Water Quality

### 4.6.1 Assessment Methodology

Existing contaminant flux from the shallow groundwater system towards the Otokia Creek has been estimated using concentrations recorded in groundwater samples collected at the site

(Appendix A Table A5), as well as estimated rates of shallow groundwater discharge (Section 3.3.2).

The leachate contaminant flux for leakage from the proposed landfill has been predicted using concentrations from Class 1 landfills across New Zealand (CAE, 2000), as presented in Table 5 (Section 4.2.4). The modelled rate of leachate leakage reflects the closed landfill scenario outlined in Section 4.2.3. A comparison of the contaminant flux has been undertaken between the shallow groundwater in the existing environment and the <a href="maximum rate of">maximum rate of</a> leachate leakage under the (observed during Stage 4 and after closure of the landfill closed landfill scenarios,) to provide an indication of the potential for long-term adverse influence on groundwater and surface water. The closed landfill scenario is considered an appropriate comparison for the existing situation, owing to the significant time involved with broad scale catchment water mixing compared to the temporary nature of the operational scenarios, and because it reflects the maximum landfill footprint and predicted leachate leakage.

## 4.6.2 Predicted Changes in Contaminant Flux

Table 8 presents the estimated contaminant flux in the shallow groundwater system under existing conditions for both the landfill sub-catchment and the full 69.2 ha sub catchment of the Otokia creek, and also resulting from the maximum predicted rate of leachate leakage and following mixing of leachate with the shallow groundwater system downgradient of the landfill for the closed landfill scenario. The results indicate that for the majority of parameters contaminant flux is predicted to reduce significantly following construction of the landfill. This is the result of the reduction in the existing groundwater flows described in Section 4.3 and the small amount of leachate leakage anticipated. Increases in contaminant flux are, however, predicted for iron, lead, dissolved reactive phosphorus (DRP) and ammoniacal-N following construction of the landfill. The predicted flux for a number of key parameters has been converted to concentration within the shallow groundwater system down-gradient of the landfill within Table 9, and compared against adopted water quality -criteria. The indicated concentrations are considered conservative in that geochemical equilibrium reactions, microbial reactions and adsorption have not been considered. Such reactions remove contaminant mass through precipitation of minerals and binding to aguifer materials respectively.

Table 8: Predicted Changes in Flux in Shallow Groundwater (Updated May 2021)

Parameter	Flux (kg/year excluding pH)						
	groundwater shallow groundwater		Leachate leakage (closed landfill – 0.26 m³/year)	Predicted shallow groundwater system down- gradient of landfill (2,200 m³/year)			
Aluminium	-	-	0.0021	-			
Arsenic	0.00025	0.00092	0.000045	0.00072			
Boron	-	-	0.0032	-			
Cadmium	0.000035	0.00013	0.0000016	0.000098			

Parameter	Flux (kg/year excluding pH)							
	Existing shallow groundwater system in landfill sub-catchment (800 m³/year)	Existing shallow groundwater system (69.2 ha Otokia Creek catchment – 3,000 m³/year)	Leachate leakage (closed landfill – 0.26 m³/year)	Predicted shallow groundwater system down- gradient of landfill (2,200 m³/year)				
Calcium	111.5	422.6	0.10	311.2				
Chloride	94.0	355.9	0.45	262.3				
Chromium	0.00008	0.00032	0.000046	0.00028				
Iron	0.026	0.097	0.048	0.12				
Lead	0.000021	0.000080	0.000034	0.000093				
Magnesium	36.3	137.6	0.051	101.4				
Manganese	0.25	0.94	0.0014	0.69				
Nickel	0.0038	0.014	0.000050	0.011				
Potassium	4.6	17.2 0.16		12.8				
Silica	-	-	0.0094	-				
Sodium	66.0	249.3	0.30	183.6				
Sulphate	128.6	488.4	0.076	359.9				
Zinc	0.0046	0.018	0.00032	0.013				
Total VOC	-	-	0.0017	-				
Total SVOC	-	-	0.0012	-				
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	0.35	1.3	0.32	1.3				
Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus	0.00088	0.0033	0.00090	0.0033				
Ammoniacal Nitrogen	0.012	0.045	0.18	0.22				
Nitrate Nitrogen	11.3	43.0	0.00022	31.7				
Total Inorganic Nitrogen	11.3	43.0	0.18	31.9				

<u>Table 9: Predicted contaminant concentration within shallow groundwater</u> system down gradient of landfill

Parameter	Water Quality Criteria (mg/L)	Predicted concentration (mg/L)	Predicted increase/decrease in shallow groundwater flux
Iron	-	0.054	Increase
Lead	0.0034 (1)	0.000042	Increase
Cadmium	0.0002 (1)	0.000045	Decrease
Chromium	0.001 (1)	0.00013	Decrease
Nickel	0.011 (1)	0.0049	Decrease
Zinc	0.008 (1)	0.0061	Decrease
Dissolved reactive phosphorus	0.035 (2)	0.0015	Increase
Nitrate	1.0 (2)	14.5	Decrease
Ammoniacal Nitrogen	0.2 (2)	0.10	Increase

ANZG (2018). Australian and New Zealand Guidelines for Fresh and Marine Water Quality. Default criteria values for freshwater – protection: 95% of species.

The flux of lead, DRP, ammoniacal-N and iron are predicted to increase following construction of the landfill. However, the predicted concentrations of lead, DRP and ammoniacal nitrogen within the shallow groundwater system down gradient of the landfill are not anticipated to exceed the adopted water quality criteria presented in Table 9. No applicable criteria is available for iron, however, this parameter is not considered to be of concern given concentrations greater than the predicted concentration were recorded in nine of the 14 samples collected from the shallow groundwater system, to a maximum of 4.69 mg/L (BH02A) (Appendix A – Table A5).

Nutrient transformation between nitrogen species, nitrate and ammoniacal nitrogen, is dependent upon a variety of environmental conditions, therefore total inorganic nitrogen is considered to represent a better measure for comparing nitrogen flux for the existing and landfill scenarios. This indicates that following placement of the landfill, total inorganic nitrogen (comprising both ammoniacal nitrogen and nitrate nitrogen) is estimated to reduce within the shallow groundwater system from approximately 43 kg/year to 32 kg/year.

## 4.6.3 Effects to Groundwater and Surface Water Quality

Under the existing environment, the influence of current and historical site activities is reflected in the quality of the shallow and deep groundwater, particularly in the form of nutrients, which are readily leached from soils.

Placement of the proposed Smooth Hill landfill is inferred to preclude recharge from rainfall/runoff to the shallow groundwater system beneath the landfill footprint. Predicted long term leachate leakage through the liner of 4.90.26 m³/year (1443 L/ha/year) is expected to

ORC (2016). Otago Regional Council. Regional Plan: Water for Otago. Schedule 16A: Discharge Thresholds for Discharge Threshold Area 2.

reflect the only recharge to groundwater across the landfill footprint area, with this decrease in infiltration predicted to locally lower groundwater levels (refer Sections 4.4.2 and 4.4.3). Widely distributed infiltration, low leakage rates and a significant thickness of unsaturated material below the liner is expected to significantly retard the rate of leachate percolation to groundwater, providing the opportunity for significant attenuation of contaminants.

On reaching and mixing with <u>shallow</u> groundwater, migration of leachate constituents will occur with groundwater flow. The rate of groundwater flow through the shallow aquifer is expected to be low, as a function of moderate permeability and a loss of driving head (a function of reduced groundwater recharge). Travel times for migration of groundwater through the shallow aquifer to the toe of the landfill are correspondingly expected to be protracted and potential for further attenuation of contaminant concentrations exists prior to influenced groundwater moving beyond the landfill <u>designation</u>.

The impacts of leachate leakage on groundwater quality down gradient of the landfill are expected to be limited in the context of the existing groundwater quality, with mixing with groundwater beneath the down gradient of the landfill footprint alone expected to provide greater than 1000-fold dilution. In addition, significant dilution is expected to occur as the catchment stormwater is preferentially enabled to soak to ground from the attenuation basin, which is expected to mitigate loss of flow to the shallow groundwater system to some extent. Soakage from the attenuation basin will further dilute groundwater with any residual landfill leachate influence by approximately three fold. Greater dilution is expected owing to the significant average volumes of stormwater (173,600268,000 m³/year) predicted to discharge through the attenuation basin to the 69.2 ha Otokia Creek catchment and the ability to moderate flows and temporarily retain stormwater in the SRPs and the attenuation basin in the forebay, promoting soakage to ground from the latter (Section 4.3).

Considering the reduction in contaminant flux and the levels of dilution predicted, the effects to groundwater quality in the immediate vicinity of the site are expected to be negligible.

As discussed in section 4.4.4 of this report, the tributary to Otokia Creek downstream of the landfill transitions from ephemeral to permanent flow prior to the Maclaren Gully Road culvert. This permanent flow will be supported by shallow groundwater discharge including a contribution from the groundwater discharge from beneath the landfill (although permanent flow has been observed to cease after extended periods of low rainfall). However, given the anticipated impact on groundwater quality is anticipated to be negligible immediately downstream of the landfill, the impact on the surface water quality in the stream is anticipated to be less as the landfill groundwater will be further diluted by groundwater seepage from the wider catchment in the surface water flow.

## 4.6.4 Surface water Quality Limits - Regional Plan

Schedule 15.2.2 of the regional plan establishes water quality limits for surface water. The relevant limits are:

Nitrate – nitrite 0.075 mg/l

Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus (DRP) 0.01 mg/l

Ammoniacal nitrogen 0.1 mg/l

E Coli 260 cfu/100ml

Turbidity 5 NTU

As described in Section 4.6.2 the total flux contribution for DRP and total nitrogen is expected to decrease in comparison to current shallow groundwater discharges from beneath

the landfill footprint. Therefore, on the assumption that shallow groundwater eventually discharges to the surface water system downstream from the landfill, no significant impact is anticipated on these parameters in surface waters.

As discussed in 4.6.2 a small increases in the total annual flux of ammoniacal nitrogen and DRP is expected in the shallow groundwater seepage but the associated seepage rate is very small (1,200 m³/year or less than 0.04 l/second). Furthermore, however, as discussed in 4.6.2 the predicted concentrations of these parameters are expected to be less than groundwater guideline criteria. Additionally, t the flux of total inorganic nitrogen is estimated to reduce from approximately 4373\_kg/year to less than 233 kg/year, and considering nutrient transformations between nitrogen species, the impact to groundwater and surface water quality is considered to be less than minor.

E.Coli is not anticipated to be a contaminant of concern associated with the groundwater system and turbidity is a storm water issue and discussed in the Sediment and Erosion Assessment Report (GHD 2020).

## 5. Summary and Conclusions

# 5.1 Effects to Shallow Groundwater and Surface Water Levels and Flow

Placement of the landfill is likely to reduce groundwater recharge within the 69.2 ha landfill attenuation basin catchment areaOtokia Creek catchment by approximately 267 %, with groundwater levels in the down gradient shallow groundwater system beneath the landfill predicted to reduce by approximately 2—3less than 1 m. Under a scenario which assumes no soakage of stormwater to ground (Scenario 1 Section 4.4.2), this would result in reduced discharge to the Otokia Creek, and the location where the stream transitions from ephemeral to perennial moving up to 50.45 m further downstream.

When moderation of stormwater flows and soakage of stormwater to ground from the attenuation basin is considered within the forebay and downstream wetland section of the (Scenario 2 Section 4.4.3), this is likely to mitigate the reduced groundwater recharge beneath the landfill footprint. This is expected to be predominantly mitigated by the discharge of stormwater from the attenuation basin, providing a source of recharge to the shallow groundwater system, and subsequently, baseflow for the Otokia Creek.

Although changes in groundwater recharge are expected at the site due to placement of the landfill, the influence on shallow groundwater and surface water levels, and flow are expected to be less than minor with respect to Otokia Creek baseflow.

## **5.2** Effects to Deep Groundwater System

The deep groundwater system is not considered to currently provide baseflow to any streams, and does not support any registered groundwater takes. The very low estimated hydraulic conductivity of the unit (less than 1x10<sup>-8</sup>-m/s), indicates that the deep groundwater system contributes negligible discharge to the Pacific Ocean. The reduction in recharge due to placement of the landfill is therefore likely to have a less than minor impact to the deep groundwater system.

## 5.3 Effects to Groundwater and Surface Water Quality

A comparison of the leachate contaminant flux for leakage from the proposed landfill to the groundwater in the existing environment indicates that contaminant flux is predicted to reduce significantly following construction of the landfill for the majority of parameters. The exception to this is lead, iron, DRP and ammoniacal nitrogen. As discussed in Section 4.6.2, lead, DRP and ammoniacal nitrogen are not predicted to exceed relevant groundwater quality criteria within the downgradient shallow groundwater system and iron is not considered to be at a concentration of concern. Additionally, with respect to ammoniacal nitrogen, the flux of total inorganic nitrogen is considered to be a more appropriate measure considering nutrient transformations between nitrogen species. Given the inferred use of fertilisers during current site conditions, total inorganic nitrogen is estimated to reduce from approximately 43 73-kg/year to 32less than 2 kg/year. The impact to groundwater from construction of the landfill is therefore considered to be less than minor.

## 5.4 Monitoring Recommendations

Monitoring of groundwater, discharge from sub-surface drainage and surface water is recommended to be undertaken before, during and after operation of the landfill. This will enable the existing environment to be further characterised, and for potential impacts from the

landfill to be monitored during operation and after closure. Monitoring is described in Ap	pendix

## 6. Limitations

This report: has been prepared by GHD for Dunedin City Council and may only be used and relied on by Dunedin City Council for the purpose agreed between GHD and the Dunedin City Council as set out in Section 1 of this report.

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## **Appendix A** – Hydrogeology Site Investigation

## A.1 Introduction

Two phases of <u>intrusive</u> site investigation were undertaken at the site to characterise the geological and hydrogeological conditions, and provide sufficient information to assess effects to groundwater and surface water that may be associated with the proposed activity. Conditions assessed included local geology, groundwater levels and hydraulic properties that may influence drainage and flow of groundwater within the vicinity of the proposed landfill.

This appendix provides details of the following site works:

- Appendix A.2 Geology and Elevation Survey
- Appendix A.3 Water Level Monitoring
- Appendix A.4 Hydraulic Testing (permeability analysis)
- Appendix A.5 Groundwater Quality (Groundwater Sample Analysis)
- Appendix A.6 Rainfall

The sections below outline the methodologies used; the data outputs are provided in the following pages.

## A.2 Geology

Ten boreholes were drilled at the site between 27 May and 17 June 2019 during the phase 1 site investigation (BH01 – BH10) by McNeil Drilling. The boreholes were drilled at PQ size (122 mm outer diameter) using rotary drilling methodology and a truck mounted UDR600 rig. An additional five boreholes were drilled at site between 24 October and 7 November 2019 during the phase 2 site investigation (BH201, BH202, BH203, BH209 and BH211) by Speights Drilling using a tracked, Maruka-mounted rig. BH201 and BH202 were cored to approximately 10 m bgl followed by wash drilling to termination depth. All other phase 2 investigation bores were advanced using rotary drilling methodology. All bores were drilled at PQ size.

Table A 1 below presents all site investigation bores, plus one borehole found to already be installed at the site from an unknown previous site investigation (adjacent to the north eastern site gate). All bore logs from the GHD investigations are presented in Appendix B.

The phase 1 bores (BH01-BH10) were surveyed by Woods Surveying in North Taieri Circuit (2000) projection and New Zealand Vertical Datum (2016). Coordinates and ground elevation for the phase 2 bores and the NE Gate existing bore were not surveyed, and were therefore estimated from Google Earth and a Stantec contour map (Stantec, *undated*).

**Table A 1: Boreholes and Monitoring Wells** 

Bore ID	Coordinates  North Taieri Circuit (2000)		Ground Elevation	Monitoring Well Screen (mbgl)
	Easting	Northing	(m RL) NZVD (2016)	
BH01	396465.5	788214.5	96.01	2 – 4 (BH01A) 8 – 9 (BH01B)
BH02	396358.6	788022.9	97.41	3 – 5 (BH02A) 7 – 9 (BH02B)
BH03	396428.4	787998.3	107.48	8.5 – 10.5 (BH03A) 13 – 15 (BH03B)
BH04	396563.6	788063.8	108.15	4.5 – 6.5 (BH04A) 12 – 15 (BH04B)
BH05	396459.8	787862.1	129.5	15 – 17 20 – 23
BH06	396168.3	787594	149.75	Not Installed
BH07	396493.7	787671.9	139.73	12 – 15 (BH07A) 16.8 – 19.8 (BH07B)
BH08	396809.7	787700.7	143.89	Not Installed
BH09	395951.8	788050.4	132.8	14.5 – 16.5
BH10	396788.3	788118.5	139.07	13.5 – 15.5 (BH10A) 18 – 20 (BH10B)
BH201	396593	787538	144	54 – 60
BH202	396181	787498	144	54 – 60
BH203	395779	787672	182	Not Installed
BH209	395775	788148	132	Not Installed
BH211	396592	787977	107	8.5 – 11.5 (BH211A) 22 – 25 (BH211B)
Existing Bore (NE Gate)	396955	787978	145	Unknown (Max bore depth 42.5)

## A.3 Groundwater Level Monitoring

Groundwater levels recorded by manual dip on 25 November 2019, and 13 July 2020 and 24 March 2021 are presented in Table A 2.

Groundwater levels were also recorded using Solinst pressure transducers (level loggers). These were installed within all monitoring wells at the site (excluding the existing bore and monitoring wells which were dry) to record groundwater levels between 9 November 2019 and 25 November 2019 (Figure A 1 and Figure A 2). Unfortunately, data was not able to be retrieved from the pressure transducer installed in BH02B in 2019. Pressure transducers were also installed within BH01B, BH02A, BH02B, BH03A and BH03B between 28 January 2020 and 13 July 2020 (Figure A 3). Groundwater levels were also collected using a dip meter during installation and retrieval to enable the data collected by the pressure transducers to be calibrated to relative levels.

The loggers were set to record at 15-minute intervals. A baro-logger was also installed in the air column in BH07 upstand for the duration of the monitoring period to record barometric pressure changes; this allowed compensation for atmospheric pressure changes in the recorded pressure head from each of the level loggers to be undertaken.

Table A 2: Manual Groundwater Levels (updated May 2021)

Monitoring Well	25/11	/2019	28/01	/2020	13/07	7/2020	24/03	/2021
<u>'</u>	mbtoc	m RL	mbtoc	m RL	mbtoc	m RL	mbtoc	m RL
BH01A	0.05	95.96	No readin	g possible	No readir	ng possible	0.90	95.66
BH01B	0.57	95.99	0.65	95.91	0.91	95.65	1.37*	95.20*
BH02A	0.82	97.47	1.22	97.07	0.94	97.35	2.11	96.18
BH02B	1.6	96.67	1.19	97.08	1.05	97.215	1.15	97.12
BH03A	4.55	103.29	5.05	102.79	5.13	102.71	6.34	101.51
ВН03В	4.34	103.24	4.82	102.76	5.13	102.45	6.12	101.47
BH04A	2.3	106.36	2.6	106.06	2.63	106.03	3.56	105.11
BH04B	5.19	103.54	4.71	104.02	4.53	104.2	4.4	104.33
BH05A	Dry		Dry	Dry	Dry		Dry	
BH05B	D	ry	Dry	Dry	22.85	107.25	21.39	108.71
BH07A	D	ry	Dry	Dry	Dry		Dry	
ВН07В	D	ry	Dry	Dry	Dry		Dry	
BH09	15.27	118.22	Not me	easured	14.03	119.46	13.37	120.13
BH10A	D	ry	D	ry	Dry		Dry	
BH10B	D	ry	D	ry	19.29	120.32	18.08	121.54
BH201	47.06	97.55	Not me	easured	47.27	97.34	47.49	97.12
BH202	48.15*	96.45*	Not me	easured	41.9	102.7	41.67	102.94
BH211A	3.23	104.19	2.87	104.55	3.48	103.94	3.12	104.30
BH211B	13.45*	94.0*	6.33	101.12	5.86	101.59	5.29	102.16
Existing bore (NE Gate)	26.37	118.93	27.26	118.04	27.93	117.37	27.6	117.70

<sup>\*</sup> Groundwater levels impacted by well development or groundwater sampling.

Figure A 1: Groundwater levels (excluding BH02B, BH202, BH211A & BH211B)

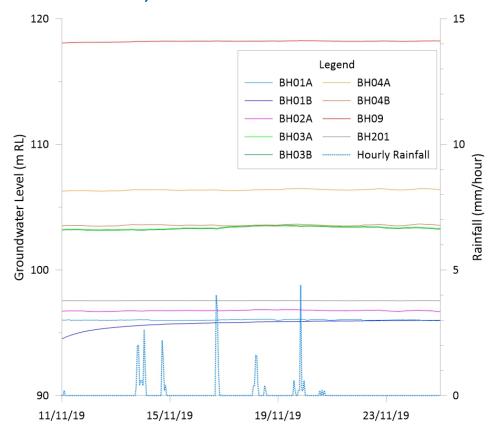


Figure A 2: Groundwater levels in locations where groundwater was still recovering following well development

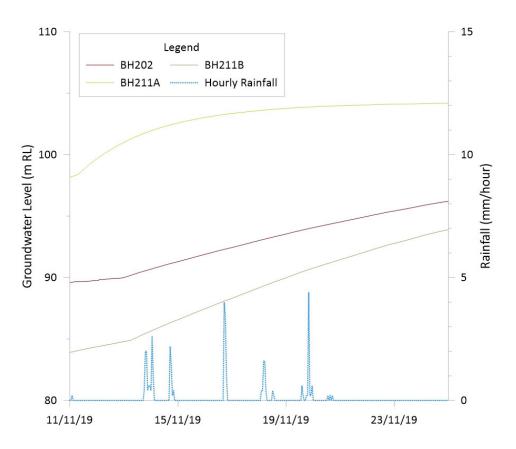
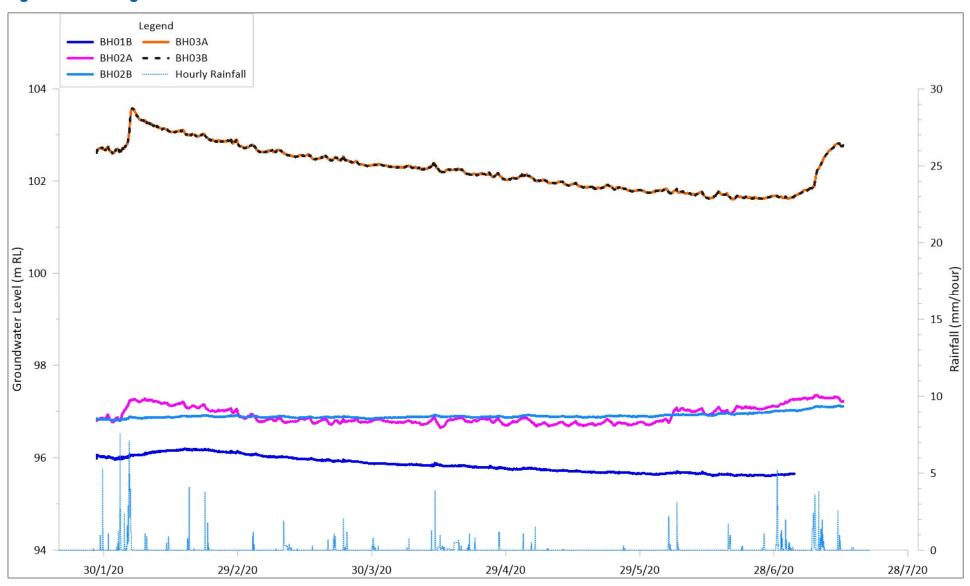


Figure A 3: 2020 groundwater levels



### A.4 Hydraulic Testing

Hydraulic permeability testing was undertaken at all boreholes installed at the site. Due to very slow recharge at the majority of monitoring wells, two methods of hydraulic testing were undertaken to obtain as much information as possible from the site.

The first method involved recording the groundwater recovery following removal of water during well development. The second method of hydraulic testing was undertaken using a solid displacement slug was also undertaken at a number of the bores. Results are presented in Table A 3.

The results from the recovery tests following development represent a minimum value of permeability due to non-instantaneous displacement which is likely to have impacted surrounding groundwater levels. Where hydraulic testing was undertaken with a displacement slug, comparison between the two methods was able to be undertaken. The comparison indicated that the rising head tests following well development underestimated permeability by between approximately half an order of magnitude (BH201) to over two orders of magnitude (BH02A). The discrepancy generally increases with increasing permeability, as development is likely to have had a greater impact to the surrounding groundwater where permeability is higher.

## A.5 Groundwater and Surface Water Quality

Groundwater samples were collected from a number of monitoring wells between 6 and 25in November 2019 and March 2021, and surface water samples were collected from Otokia Creek in July 2020. No surface water samples were able to be collected in March 2021 as the Otokia Creek was observed to be dry between the site and McClaren Gully Road.

During the November 2019 monitoring round groundwater was purged from wells BH01 – BH04 until they either went dry or a minimum of three well volumes was removed. BH201 was not able to be purged as the depth to groundwater was a significant constraint. After groundwater had recharged a grab sample was collected from each monitoring well using dedicated water bailers. A water quality reading was also obtained from BH01 – BH04 at this time (Table A 4). The samples were kept cool in a chilly bin, then couriered to Analytica Laboratories for analysis. The analytical results are presented in Table A 5.

During the March 2021 monitoring round, low flow groundwater monitoring was undertaken in BH01, BH02, BH03, BH04 and BH211. Grab samples were collected from all other monitoring wells due to the significant constraints of low permeability and depth to groundwater. Water quality readings were obtained from all sampled monitoring wells (Table A 4). The samples were kept cool in a chilly bin, then couriered to Analytica Laboratories for analysis. The analytical results are presented in Table A 5.

#### A.6 Rainfall

An on-site meteorological station was established in July 2020 and has been collecting rainfall data since installation. The data is presented in Figure A-4.

**Table A 3: Hydraulic Testing Results** 

Monitoring Well	Screen Lithology	Hydraulic Test Methodology*	Solution	Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Adopted Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Justification	
BH01A		FHT1	B&R	1.1 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>			
	Colluvium		Hvorslev	9.2 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
		FHT2	B&R	8.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
			Hvorslev	7.9 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
		FHT3	B&R	2.1 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.3 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	Geomean of displacement	
			Hvorslev	2.3 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.5 X 10	hydraulic testing	
		RHT1	B&R	2.5 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>		1 order of magnitude greater than hydraulic testing following development	
			Hvorslev	3.2 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>			
		RHT2	B&R	8.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
			Hvorslev	6.7 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
BH01B	Gravel	Rising head test following well development	B&R	5.3 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	5 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>		
	(Henley Breccia)		Hvorslev	5.3 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>			
BH02A	Gravel	Rising head test following well	B&R	1.8 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
	(Henley	development	Hvorslev	1.3 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
	Breccia)	FHT1	B&R	3.5 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	3.2 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	Geomean of displacement	
			Hvorslev	3.5 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	3.2 X 10 °	hydraulic testing	
		RHT1	B&R	2.9 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
			Hvorslev	2.9 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			

Monitoring Well	Screen Lithology	Hydraulic Test Methodology*	Solution	Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Adopted Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Justification	
ВН02В	Unweathered Henley Breccia	Rising head test following well development	B&R	1.7 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	2 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	1 order of magnitude greater than hydraulic testing following	
			Hvorslev	1.5 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>		development	
ВН03А	Sandstone /	Rising head test following well	B&R	3.8 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
	siltstone	development	Hvorslev	4.3 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
	(Henley Breccia)	FHT1	B&R	1.5 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	Geomean of displacement hydraulic testing	
	D. Godia,		Hvorslev	1.9 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 X 10		
		RHT1	B&R	1.4 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
			Hvorslev	1.5 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
внозв	Unweathered	danalara ant	B&R	6.1 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
	Henley		Hvorslev	4.3 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
	Breccia	FHT1	B&R	1.7E x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	Geomean of displacement	
			Hvorslev	1.7 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 X 10	hydraulic testing	
		RHT1	B&R	1.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
			Hvorslev	1.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
BH04A	BH04A Conglomerate	Rising head test following well	B&R	5.2 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>		Low permeability	
	/ sandstone	development	Hvorslev	7.9 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	_	potentially due to	
	(Henley Breccia)	FHT1	Did not reach 70% recovery	< 5.2 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>		insufficient well development.	

Monitoring Well	Screen Lithology	Hydraulic Test Methodology*	Solution	Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Adopted Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Justification	
BH04B	Slightly weathered Henley Breccia	Rising head test following well development	B&R	3.4 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
			Hvorslev	2.7 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	1.9 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>	Geomean of displacement	
		FHT1	B&R	2.2 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>		hydraulic testing	
			Hvorslev	2.1 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>		1 order of magnitude greater than hydraulic testing following development	
		RHT1	B&R	1.9 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
			Hvorslev	1.6 x 10 <sup>-7</sup>			
BH09	Henley	Rising head test following well development	B&R	4.1 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	6 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>		
	Breccia		Hvorslev	8.0 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>			
BH201	Henley	Rising head test following well	B&R	1.4 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>		Geomean of displacement hydraulic testing	
	Breccia	development	Hvorslev	1.6 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
		FHT1	B&R	8.9 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	6.2 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>		
			Hvorslev	9.4 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
		RHT1	B&R	4.4 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			
			Hvorslev	3.9 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>			

Monitoring Well	Screen Lithology	Hydraulic Test Methodology*	Solution	Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Adopted Hydraulic Conductivity (m/s)	Justification
BH202	Henley Breccia	Rising head test following well development	B&R	2.5 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>	< 3 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	1 order of magnitude greater than hydraulic testing following development. Static groundwater level has not yet been determined as bore recovery was still
			Hvorslev	3.8 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>		occurring during 25/11/2019 site visit.
BH211A	Henley	Rising head test following well development	B&R	7.5 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>		1 order of magnitude greater than hydraulic testing following development
	Breccia		Hvorslev	9.3 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>	8 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	
BH211B	Henley	Rising head test following well	B&R	5.6 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>		1 order of magnitude
	Breccia	development	Hvorslev	7.6 x 10 <sup>-10</sup>	< 6 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>	greater than hydraulic testing following development. Static groundwater level has not yet been determined as bore recovery was still occurring during 25/11/2019 site visit.

<sup>\*</sup> FHT/RHT = Falling/Rising Head Test undertaken using displacement slug

**Table A 4: Groundwater Quality Sample Parameters** 

Monitoring Well	Sample Date	Temperature (C)	рН	Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)	Conductivity (us/cm)	ORP (mV)
BH01A	6/11/19	14.3	6.5	2.43	1189	196.4
БПОТА	24/03/21	<u>13.0</u>	<u>6.57</u>	<u>0.76</u>	<u>1158</u>	<u>159.3</u>
BH01B	9/11/19	12.3	7.08	4.81	578	176.9
БПОТБ	24/03/21	<u>13.7</u>	<u>7.32</u>	<u>1.66</u>	<u>617</u>	<u>148.3</u>
BH02A	9/11/19	12.6	6.55	1.86	337.9	59.2
DI 102A	<u>25/03/21</u>	<u>14.1</u>	<u>6.85</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>625</u>	<u>1.2</u>
BH02B	9/11/19	12.3	6.12	2.51	575	-23.3
БП02Б	25/03/21	<u>13.5</u>	<u>8.22</u>	4.8	<u>1008</u>	<u>41.3</u>
BH03A	9/11/19	12.4	6.6	4.24	886	206.1
БПОЗА	25/03/21	<u>13.2</u>	<u>6.59</u>	<u>0.80</u>	<u>1259</u>	<u>81.6</u>
BH03B	9/11/19	12.3	6.81	7.07	923	196.5
DI 103D	<u>25/03/21</u>	<u>13.1</u>	<u>6.78</u>	<u>0.89</u>	<u>1309</u>	<u>83.1</u>
BH04A	9/11/19	12.8	6.75	7.14	1145	161.6
БПО4А	26/03/21	<u>18.2</u>	<u>6.81</u>	<u>1.88</u>	<u>1766</u>	<u>42.2</u>
BH04B	9/11/19	14.0	6.7	6.31	610	30.2
БП04Б	23/03/21	<u>12.5</u>	<u>6.96</u>	<u>0.49</u>	<u>1500</u>	<u>86.1</u>
<u>BH05B</u>	24/03/21	<u>12.8</u>	<u>6.99</u>	<u>4.74</u>	<u>1008</u>	<u>-1.4</u>
<u>BH09</u>	24/03/21	<u>10.9</u>	<u>7.2</u>	<u>5.89</u>	<u>790</u>	<u>82.4</u>
<u>BH10B</u>	26/03/21	<u>10.5</u>	<u>7.45</u>	<u>7.99</u>	<u>470.2</u>	<u>27.7</u>
BH201	25/11/19			Not measured		
DI IZU I	24/03/21	<u>13.3</u>	<u>7.56</u>	<u>5.71</u>	<u>757</u>	<u>78.0</u>

Monitoring Well	Sample Date	Temperature (C)	рН	Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)	Conductivity (us/cm)	ORP (mV)
BH202	24/03/21	<u>12.2</u>	<u>7.67</u>	<u>7.65</u>	<u>811</u>	<u>71.1</u>
<u>BH211A</u>	26/03/21	<u>16.6</u>	<u>7.54</u>	<u>0.72</u>	<u>889</u>	<u>28.7</u>
<u>BH211B</u>	26/03/21	<u>14.0</u>	<u>8.18</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>652</u>	<u>40.6</u>
Existing bore (NE Gate)	24/03/21	<u>11.8</u>	<u>7.08</u>	<u>6.14</u>	<u>522.8</u>	<u>66.4</u>

## Appendix A Table A 5 **Groundwater Analytical Results**



	_												Carbonate/ Bicarbonate/ CO2/ Hydroxide						Soluble Trace Elements												Т	otal Recov	otal Recoverable	
		Total Alkalinity (CaCO3)	Electrical Conductivity	Hd	Chloride	Ammonia as N	Nitrite-N (NO2-N)	Nitrate-N (NO3-N)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	Total Nitrogen	Sulphate	Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus	Total Phosphorus	Bicarbonate Alkalinity	Carbonate Alkalinity	Hydroxide Alkalinity	Free Carbon Dioxide	Arsenic <sup>1</sup>	Cadmium <sup>2</sup>	Chromium	Copper	Lead	Nickel	Zinc	Magnesium	Calcium	Sodium	Potassium	Iron	Manganese	Magnesium	Caldium	Iron Manganese	
		mg/L	μS/cm	рН	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L	mg/L m	g/L mg/l	
Water Qua	ity Criteria	-	-	-	-	0.2	1.0	1.0	-	-	-	0.035	-	-	-	-	-	0.013	0.0002	0.001	0.0014	0.0034	0.011	0.008	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	- 1.9	
Sample Name	Date Laboratory Number																																	
BH01A	6/11/19 19-40125-1	324	1610	7.3	145	0.03	0.05	26.7	0.81	28	182	-	-	-	-	-	-	<0.00050	0.000026	<0.00020	0.0025	<0.000050	0.0061	0.0078	44.6	138	79.9	5.41	0.12	0.159	-	-		
БПОТА	23/03/21 21-12139	437	1480	7.4	108	<0.005	0.058	10.8	0.18	11	202	<0.002	0.022	436	<1	<1	36.5	<0.0005	0.000086	<0.0002	0.00063	<0.00005	0.0036	0.0048	58.9	178	84.5	6.32	<0.005	0.376	-	-		
BH01B	9/11/19 19-40125-2	277	876	7.8	76.9	0.15	0.0056	0.0591	0.7	0.76	59.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.00088	0.000023	0.00023	0.001	0.00013	0.005	0.0068	18.3	69.9	67.8	6.3	0.021	1.66	-	-		
БПОТБ	23/03/21 21-12139	290	748	8.3	63.1	0.02	<0.001	0.227	0.22	0.45	17.6	<0.002	0.03	285	4.9	<1	3.1	<0.0005	<0.00002	<0.0002	0.0028	<0.00005	0.0027	0.0041	18.4	68.5	68	5.14	0.06	1.41	-	-		
BH02A	9/11/19 19-40125-3	238	538	7.2	39.3	0.11	0.0013	0.0919	0.57	0.66	0.68	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0092	<0.000010	0.00024	0.00052	0.000052	0.0032	0.0091	12.2	36.3	56.9	2	3.4	1.05	-			
	25/03/21 21-14269	233	530	7.5	37	0.15	<0.001	0.0223	1.5	1.5	0.55	<0.002	0.14	233	<1	<1	15.3	0.00093	<0.00002	<0.0002	0.00041	<0.00005	0.0017	0.0025	12.7	38.6	59.7	1.8	4.69	1.06	-	-		
BH02A Duplicate	25/03/21 21-14269	229	530	7.7	37	0.15	<0.001	0.0242	1.1	1.1	0.57	<0.002	0.12	228	1.2	<1	8.4	0.001	<0.00002	<0.0002	0.00043	<0.00005	0.0018	0.0038	12.7	38.4	59.5	1.8	4.6	1.07	-	-		
вно2в	9/11/19 19-40125-4	275	772	8	89.3	0.14	<0.0010	<0.0020	1.65	1.7	4.91	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0012	0.00013	0.00054	0.0033	0.00023	0.0238	0.0018	8.26	25.7	120	8.72	0.24	0.141	-			
	25/03/21 21-14269	366	943	8.4	101	0.27	<0.001	0.0246	3.4	3.4	0.7	<0.002	0.096	357	8.7	<1	2.8	0.0011	0.00006	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.00005	0.0063	<0.001	10.9	31.6	172	4.8	0.25	0.435	-	-		
ВН03А	9/11/19 19-40125-5	461	1800	7.4	109	<0.005		4.32	0.53	4.9	57.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	<0.00050		<0.00020		<0.000050		0.0063	34.1	135	53.3	14.1	0.018	0.909	-	-		
	25/03/21 21-14269 9/11/19 19-40125-6	551 497	1300 1310	7.4 7.5	85.4 106	0.04	0.0056	0.233 <b>4.35</b>	1.2 0.69	1.4 5.1	68.6 59.8	<0.002	0.006	550	1.4	<1	42	<0.0005 <0.00050	0.000059	<0.0002	0.0012	<0.00005 <0.000050	0.0055	0.0045 <b>0.0097</b>	42.7 38	170 144	52.4 65.2	16.3 13.5	0.057 <0.0050	1.09 1.45	-	-		
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	9/11/19 19-40125-7	248	1430	7.0	301	0.03	0.0163	0.0948	0.45	0.54	9.28	0.004	0.01	599	2.4	-	-	<0.0005		0.00023	0.00072	<0.00005		0.0033	24.5	63	161	4.6	0.015	1.68	-			
BH04A	25/03/21 21-14269	455	1650	7.5	274	0.05	0.001	0.0072	<0.8	<0.1	5.01	0.032	0.017	454	1.3	<1	28.9	<0.0005	<0.00019	<0.00023	0.0009	<0.00005	0.0044	0.0014	28.5	86.9	222	5.16	<0.005	0.649		-		
	9/11/19 19-40125-8	1088	2060	7.2	80.3	0.28	0.0061	0.029	0.93	0.96	44.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.00086	0.000032	<0.00020		<0.000050		0.0095	57.3	169	202	9.08	0.879	1.32	-	-		
BH04B	23/03/21 21-12139	1169	2030	7.8	55.7	0.37	<0.001	0.0024	0.56	0.56	15.6	<0.002	0.032	1161	7.2	<1	35	0.0024	<0.00002	0.00048	<0.0002	<0.00005		<0.001	56.7	137	301	8.43	7.11	0.71	-			
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BH10B	26/03/21 21-14269	403	812	8	28.9	0.02	0.0017	0.0898	<0.8	<0.1	35.3	<0.002	0.2	398	4.2	<1	7.2	0.00069	0.000066	<0.0002	0.0025	0.000088	0.0046	0.058	23.3	104	43.3	6.74	0.013	0.346	-	-	-   -	
BH201	25/11/19 19-41653	267	754	8.1	66.4	2.59	0.0068	0.0379	3.75	3.8	17.8	-	-	264	2.8	<1.0	4.7	0.0028	0.000061	0.0003	0.0011	<0.000050	0.013	0.01		-	-		-	1	-	-		
DH201	24/03/21 21-12139	284	791	8.3	91.1	1.61	0.0039	3.37	2.2	5.6	15.6	<0.002	0.31	279	4.7	<1	3.1	0.0056	<0.00002	<0.0002	0.00028	<0.00005	0.0014	0.0053	23.9	57.3	86.1	12.4	0.846	0.124	-	- [		
BH202	24/03/21 21-12139	285	749	8	70	0.14	<0.001	0.0082	0.9	0.91	26.4	<0.002	0.41	283	2.8	<1	5.3	0.0038	0.00003	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.00005	0.00092	<0.001	35.2	88.2	87.9	11.4	2.46	0.448	-	-		
BH209	24/03/21 21-12139	229	666	7.7	31.2	0.3	0.0044	0.139	<0.8	0.14	67.2	<0.002	0.94	228	<1	<1	9.9	0.0036	0.00447	<0.0002	0.00054	0.000082	0.0052	0.0083	10.2	16.5	105	19.3	0.32	0.27	-			
BH211A	26/03/21 21-14269	371	843	8.2	50.3	0.03	0.0066	0.464	1.3	1.8	16.8	<0.002	0.024	365	5.7	<1	4.4	0.00089	<0.00002	<0.0002	0.0017	<0.00005	0.0037	0.0044	12.5	40	137	5.03	0.065	0.176	-	-		
BH211B	26/03/21 21-14269	274	640	8.4	46	0.36	<0.001	0.0026	1.1	1.1	1.27	0.005	0.015	268	6.1	<1	2.2	0.0006	0.000035	<0.0002	<0.0002	<0.00005	0.00031	<0.001	7.42	22.7	107	7.27	0.083	0.177	-	-	-   -	
Existing Well	24/03/21 21-12139	343	881	7.6	76.8	0.11	<0.001	<0.002	<0.8	<0.1	29.2	<0.002	0.79	341	1.2	<1	17.9	0.00089	<0.00002	0.00034	<0.0002	0.000099	0.00091	0.0025	25.1	95.6	65.6	6.06	2.24	0.376	-	-		
SW1	6/07/20 20-24885-1	-	325	6.7	-	0.05	0.0045	0.322	1.49	1.8	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	<0.00050	<0.000020	<0.00020	0.00072	<0.000050	0.0013	0.0048	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.77	15.6 4	.48 0.95	
SW2	6/07/20 20-24885-2	-	340	6.7	-	0.03	0.003	0.0245	1.45	1.5	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	<0.00050		<0.00020	0.00028	<0.000050	0.0007	0.0024	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.02		.07 0.65	
SW3	6/07/20 20-24885-3	-	331	6.7	-	0.02	0.0014	0.0506	1.03	1.1	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	< 0.00050	<0.000020	<0.00020	0.012	0.00057	0.00083	0.0028	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.04	16.1 7	.45 0.81	

## Notes:

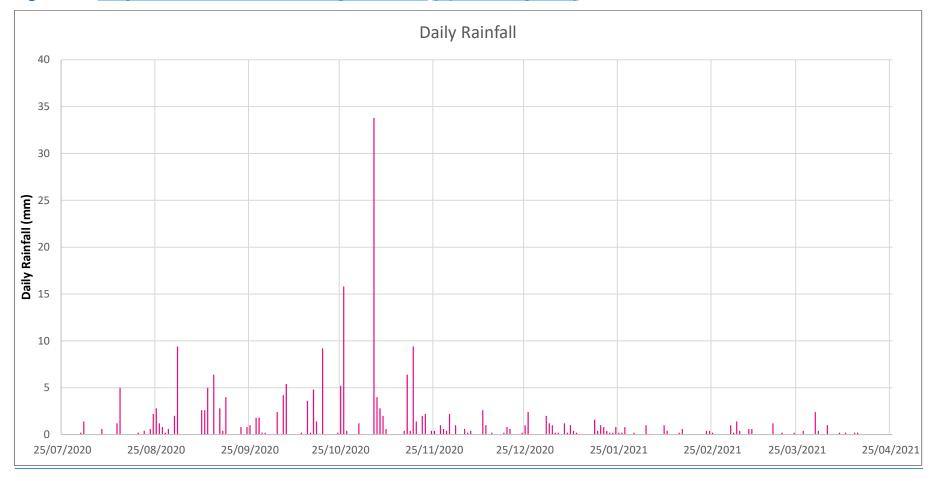
Shaded and **bolded** values exceed the corresponding water quality criteria.

Water Quality Criteria References
ORC (2016). Otago Regional Council. Regional Plan: Water for Otago. Schedule 16A: Discharge Thresholds for Discharge Threshold Area 2
ANZG (2018) Australian and New Zealand Guidelines for Fresh and Marine Water Quality. Default guideline values for freshwater - protection: 95% of of species.
bold and shaded indicates exceedance over screening values, - no screening value available in Otago Regional Plan or ANZG (2018)
1 - Value for Arsenic (AsV) used

2 - Value for Chromium (CrVI)

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Figure A 4: Daily rainfall at onsite meteorological station (Updated May 2021)



# **Appendix B** – Borelogs

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Smooth Hill Dam foundation Job Number: 12506381 Commenced: 6/06/2019 Completed: 6/06/2019 Easting: 396465.49 Northing: 788214.52 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 96.01 Datum: NZVD2016 Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition Consistancy / Relative density **Material Description** Number / RL (m) Depth ( ·°× 0.00 - 1.20 Fine to medium gravelly SILT, trace fine to coarse sand, trace clay; light yellow brown & orange brown. Stiff, moist, low plasticity. (COLLUVIUM?). COLLUVIUM `o× Gravel clasts comprise quartz and schist, sub angular to sub × o×

8 (MPa) Return Spacing (mm) eve Estimated Strength Method Defect Casing Flush SCR RQD Water POT 77 X 1.20 - 2.70 Inferred CORELOSS. Possible slip base & stream alluvium lost? Driller said it "was so soft, it was like drilling nothing". Tried pushing down with no water or rotation, but still could not retrieve core. Same for next coreloss zone at 3.0 m to 3.9 m. POT 20 2.70 - 2.90 Silty CLAY, trace fine sand; grey & orange brown. Soft to firm, moist, high plasticity. (ALLUVIUM?). М S-F 2.90 - 3.00 Silty fine to coarse SAND, trace organics; grey. Poorly graded. (ALLUVIUM?). POTT Note no moisture condition or density determined and logged. 0 3.00 - 3.90 Inferred CORELOSS. Possible alluvium loss? 3.90 - 4.40 Slightly weathered, light grey fine to coarse 100 POT SANDSTONE; moderately strong to strong; well indurated, no S defects. (HENLEY BRECCIA). 22 4.40 - 4.80 Slightly weathered, grey SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; poorly indurated, no defects. 4.80 - 5.28 Slightly weathered, light grey fine to coarse 5 SW SANDSTONE, very weak to weak, poorly indurated, no 98 POT 8W 5.28 - 5.38 From 5.28 m, becomes moderately strong to 80 strong, well indurated. SW 5.38 - 6.00 From 5.38 m, becomes very weak to weak, poorly 6 6.00 - 6.25 From 6.00 m, becomes moderately strong to SN strong, well indurated. 6.25 - 6.80 From 6.25 m, becomes very weak to weak, poorly BRECCIA 100 POT 6.80 - 7.80 Slightly weathered, light yellow brown & reddish brown SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; poorly indurated, no **JENLEY** From 6.9 m, becomes light grey & reddish brown. From 7.05m, becomes light grey with purple-brown layers. From 7.3 m to 7.4 m, becomes fin 7.80 - 8.30 Slightly weathered, light grey with purple-brown layers fine to medium SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; 53 POT poorly indurated, no defects. 53 8.30 - 9.00 Inferred CORELOSS in gravel layer. Gravel present on ends of core abutting this zone. Fine to medium gravel, quartz and schist clasts, sub angular to sub 9.00 - 9.50 Slightly weathered, grey and brown SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; poorly indurated, no defects. 100 PQTT 9.50 - 11.30 Slightly weathered, light grey with purple-brown layers fine to medium SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; 100 poorly indurated, no defects.

Hole No.

Hole Length

Scale @ A4

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: MF

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: 15.00m

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rounded.

9 00 - 9.50 Slightly weathered, grey and brown SILTSTONE;
very weak to weak; poorly indurated, no defects.

9.50 - 11.30 Slightly weathered, light grey with purple-brown
layers fine to medium SANDSTONE; very weak to weak;
poorly indurated, no defects.

Notes and Comments:

End of Hole @ 15.00m, Target Depth.

Looks like drill pad on slip debris pile. Scarp above (east) of pad.
Ground stripped -0.6 m, including all topsoil.
Plezo installed 10/06/2019, driller has been unable to recover core from last run. keeps
Ribbertarea systables 10/06/2019.

Shear Vane Id:

Orientation:

Ground Water Level

Contractor: McNiells

Equipment: Mounted Rig

Shear Vane Id:

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH01 Client : Dunedin City Council : 2 of 2 Sheet Site : Smooth Hill Dam foundation Hole Length : 15.00m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 6/06/2019 Completed: 6/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396465.49 Northing: 788214.52 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 96.01 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JS Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density (MPa) Defect Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Strength Number Method Casing Depth ( SCR RQD From 10.5 m: 10 mm thick bedding visible. 100 POT 100 97 POT  $\Delta$ 97 11.30 - 13.10 Unweathered, grey BRECCIA; moderately strong to strong; fine to medium gravel size clasts, coarse sand matrix, matrix supported, well indurated, no defects.  $\nabla$ Clasts are quartz and schist, angular to sub rounded, 300-600 mm bedding. Δ. Δ HENLEY BRECCIA Δ From 11.7 m: very few ΔΖ  $\triangle$ 100 POT  $\Delta$ 100 ^. ^ 13.10 - 15.00 From 13.1 m, becomes weak to moderately strong, fine to coarse gravel clasts, clast supported, moderate Δ Δ to well indurated. Δ Note - As of end of 07/06/2019, driller has been unable to  $\triangle$ recover core from last run. keeps slipping out of barrel. Will try ΔΔ POT Δ Δ Δ 122mm ΔΔ Δ End of Hole @ 15.00m, Target Depth. 16 18 -19 **Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 15.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNiells Date Time Looks like drill pad on slip debris pile. Scarp above (east) of pad. Ground stripped  $\sim$ 0.6 m, including all topsoil. Piezo installed 10/06/2019. Equipment: Mounted Rig

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Box 1 of 5: 0.00 m to 4.80 m



Box 2 of 5: 4.80 m to 7.20 m



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Box 3 of 5: 8.20 m to 10 .20 m



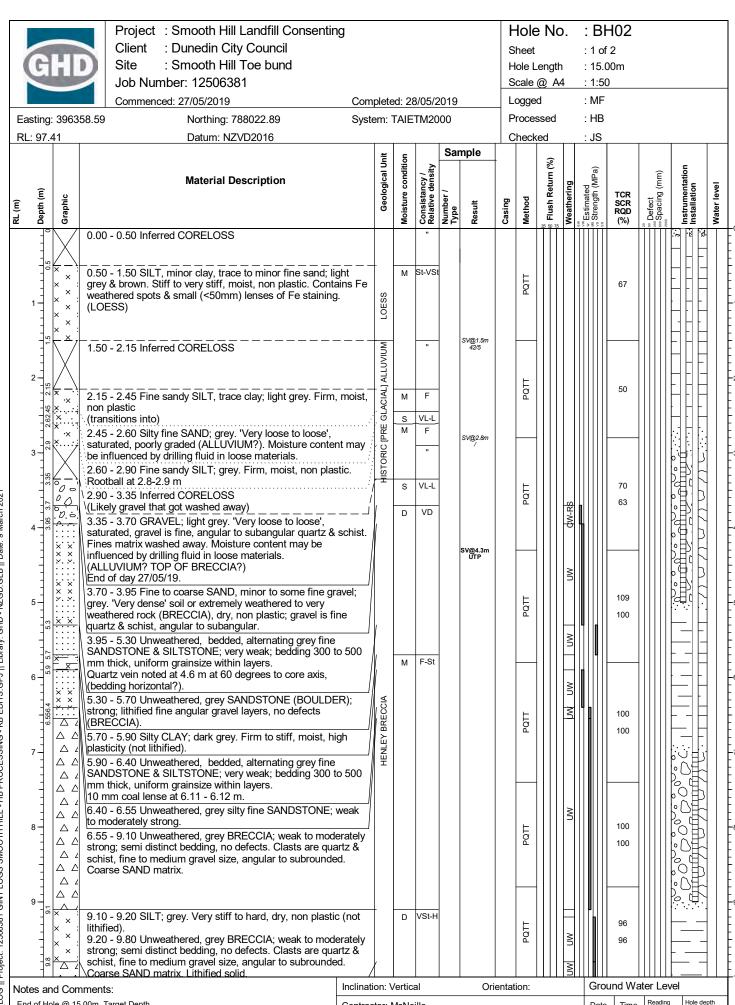
Box 4 of 5: 10.20 m to 12.40 m



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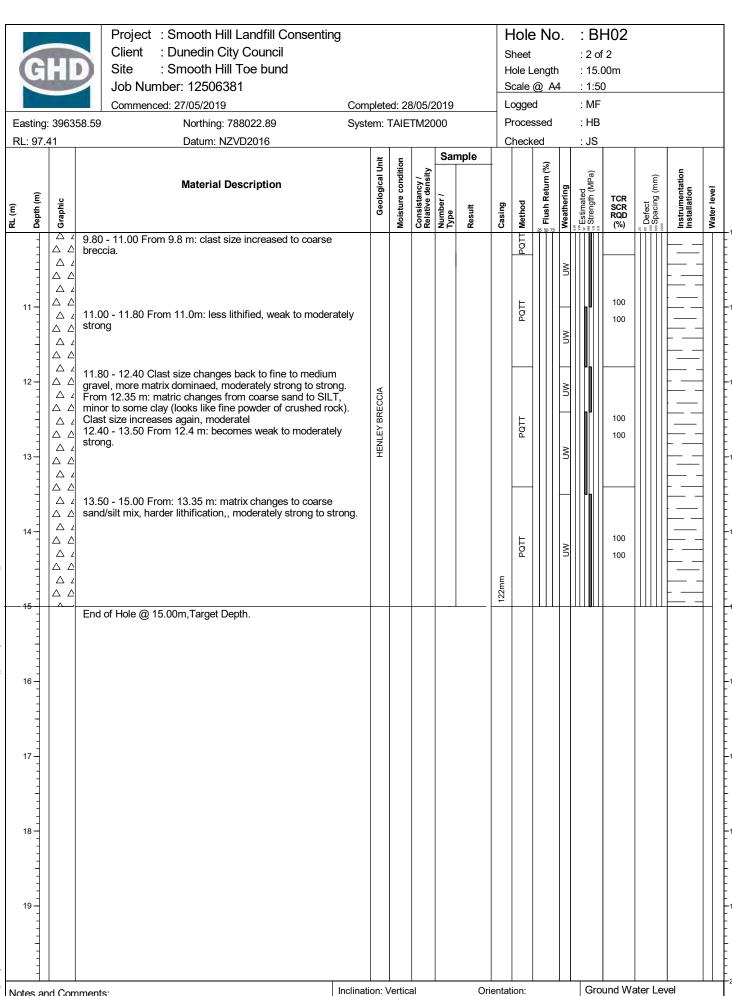


Box 5 of 5: 12.40 m to 15.00 m (EOH)



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End of Hole @ 15.00m, Target Depth. Reading (mbgl) Contractor: McNeills Date Time Groundwater SWL at 0.23 mbgl (31/05/2019). Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id: GEO1826 Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols



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Groundwater SWL at 0.23 mbgl (31/05/2019).

End of Hole @ 15.00m, Target Depth.

Contractor: McNeills

Date Time

27/05/19 00:00 15

Equipment: Mounted Rig

Shear Vane Id: GEO1826



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Box 1 of 6: 0.0 m to 3.7 m



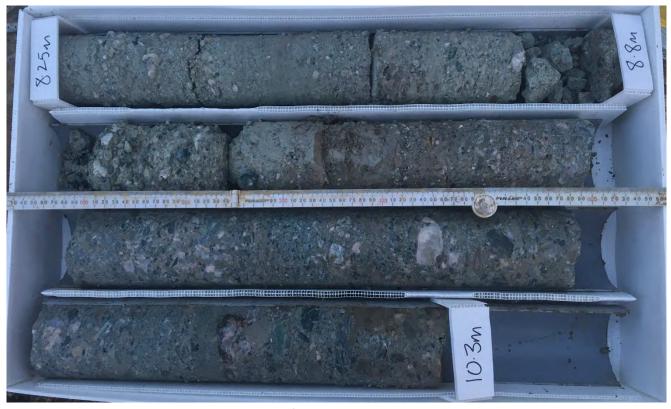
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Box 3 of 6: 5.8 m to 8.25 m



Box 4 of 6: 8.25 m to 10.3 m



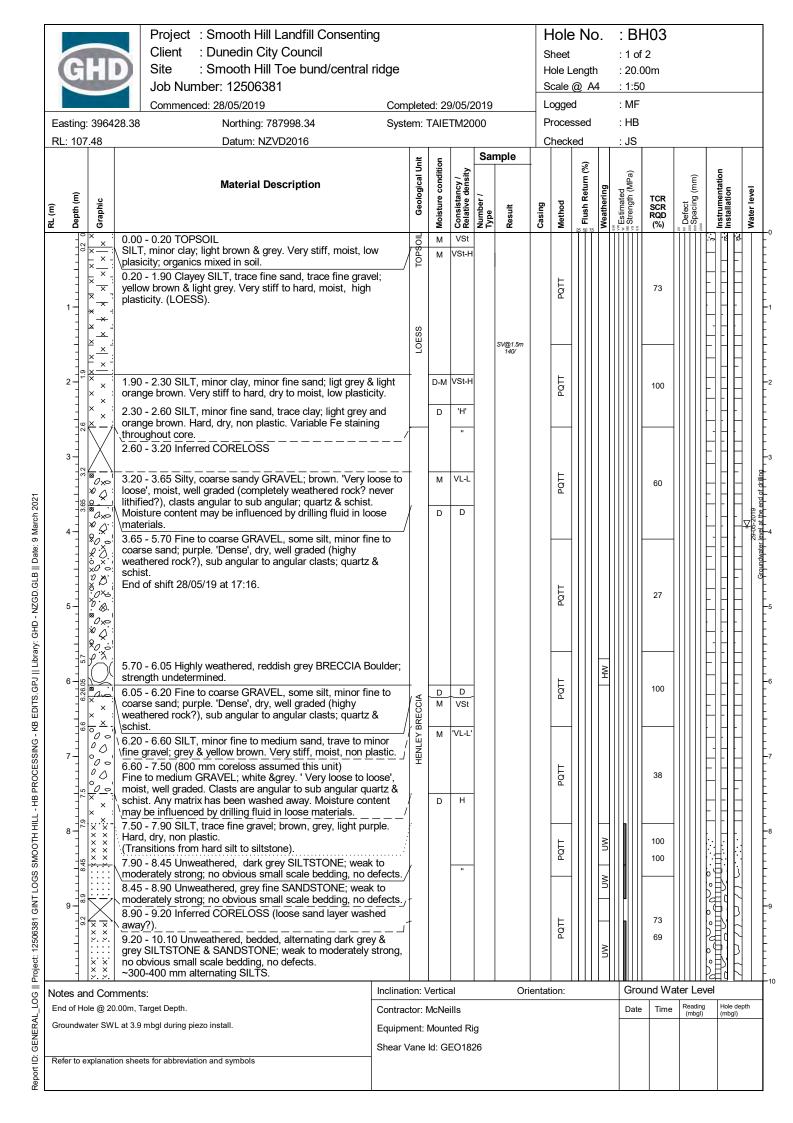
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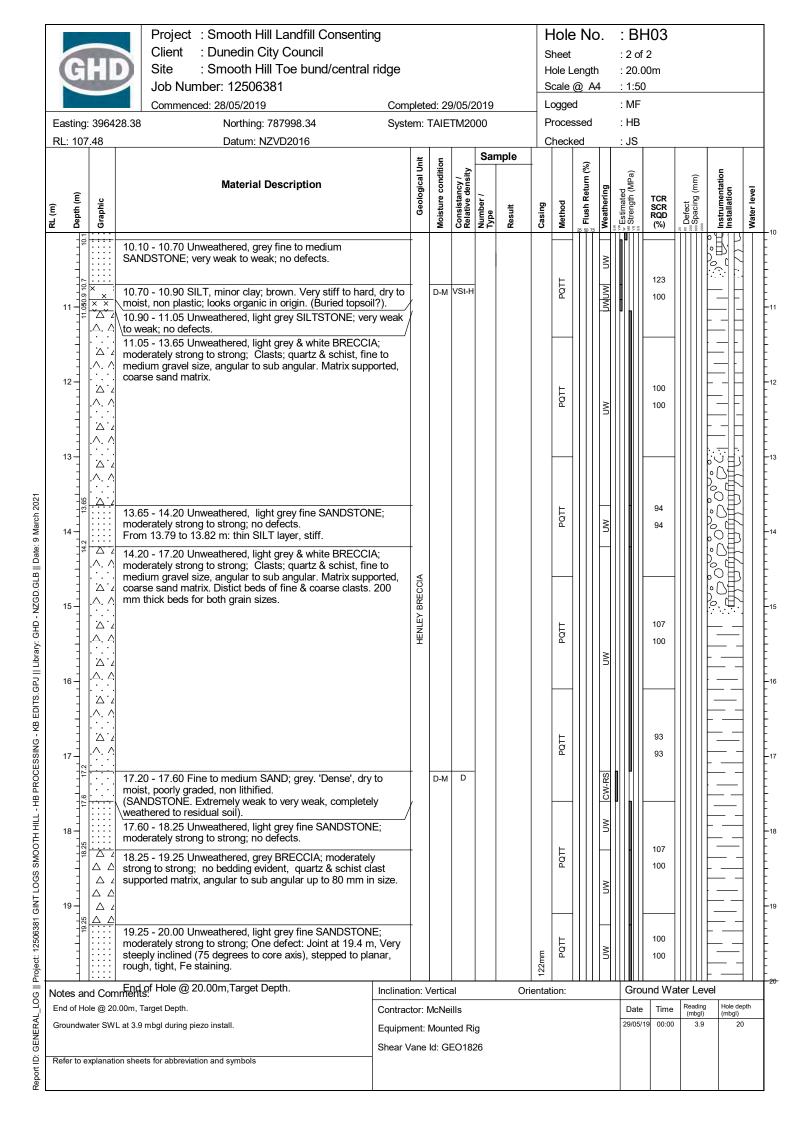


Box 5 of 6: 10.3 m to 12.55 m



Box 6 of 6: 12.55 m to 15.0 m (EOH)







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Box 1 of 8: 0.0 m to 2.6 m



Box 2 of 8: 2.6 m to 6.25 m



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Box 3 of 8: 6.25 m to 9.25 m



Box 4 of 8: 9.25 m to 11.05 m



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Box 5 of 8: 11.05 m to 13.3 m



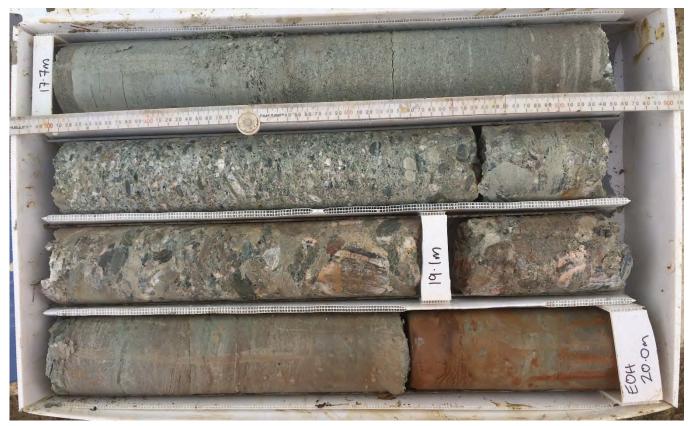
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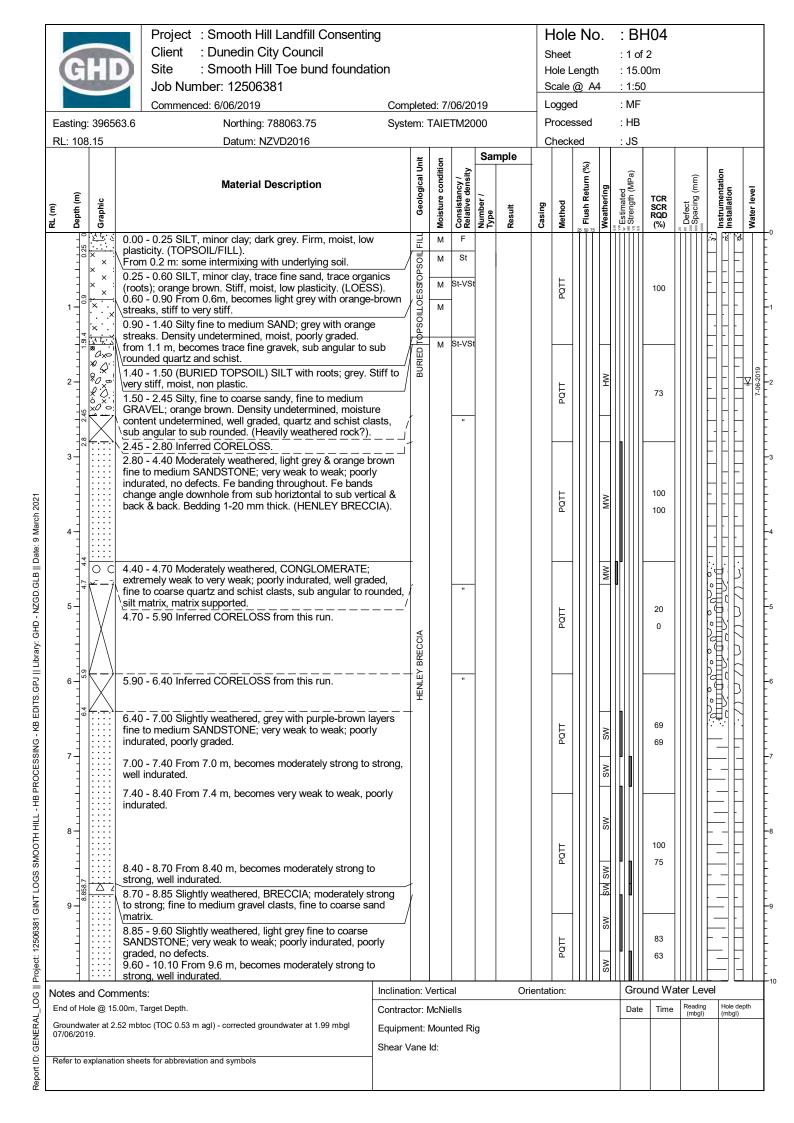
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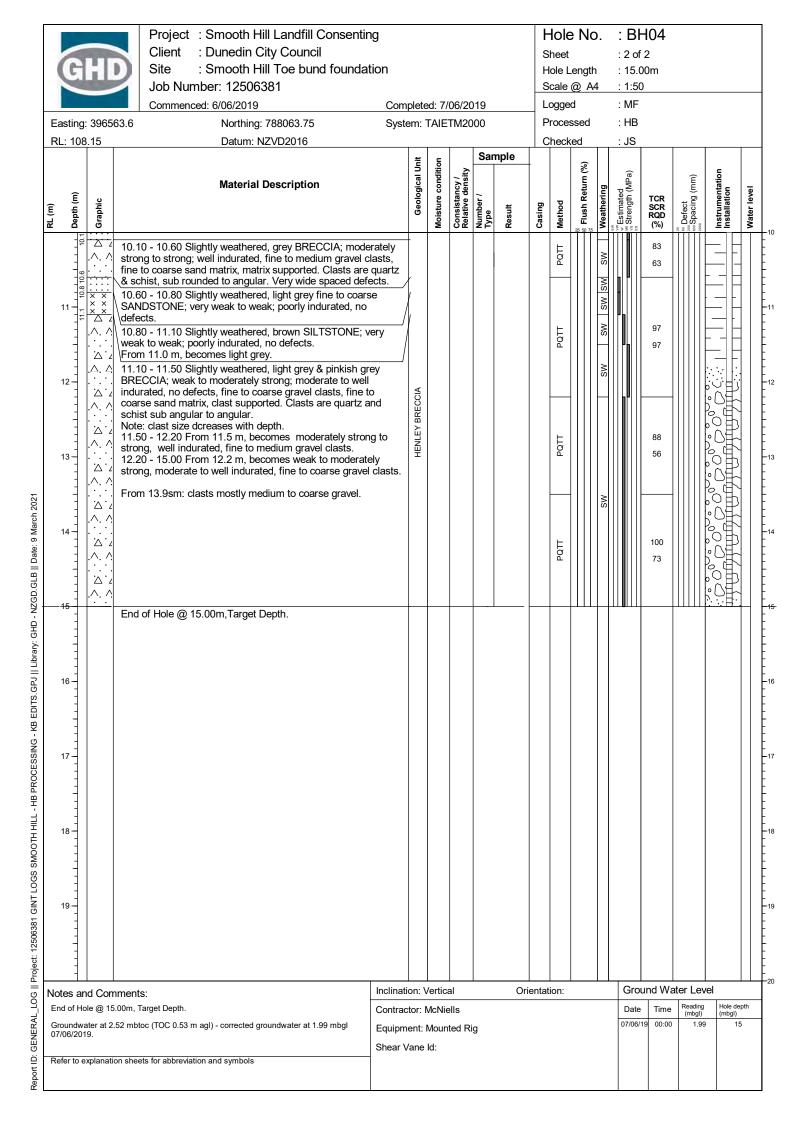


Box 7 of 8: 15.6 m to 17.7 m



Box 8 of 8: 17.7 m to 20.0 m (EOH)







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Box 1 of 6: 0.0 m to 2.7 m



Box 2 of 6: 2.7 m to 5.9 m



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Box 3 of 6: 5.9 m to 8.7 m



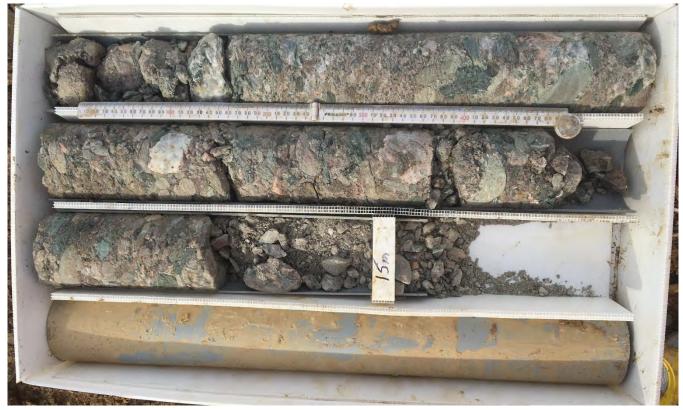
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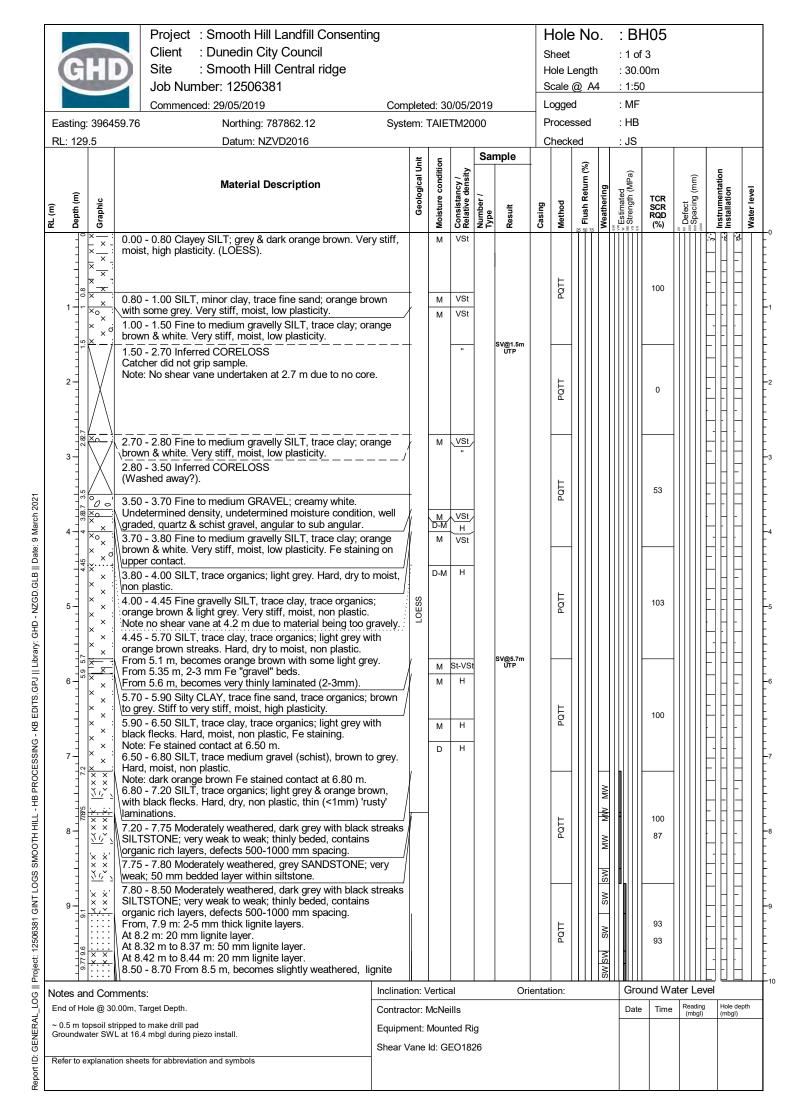
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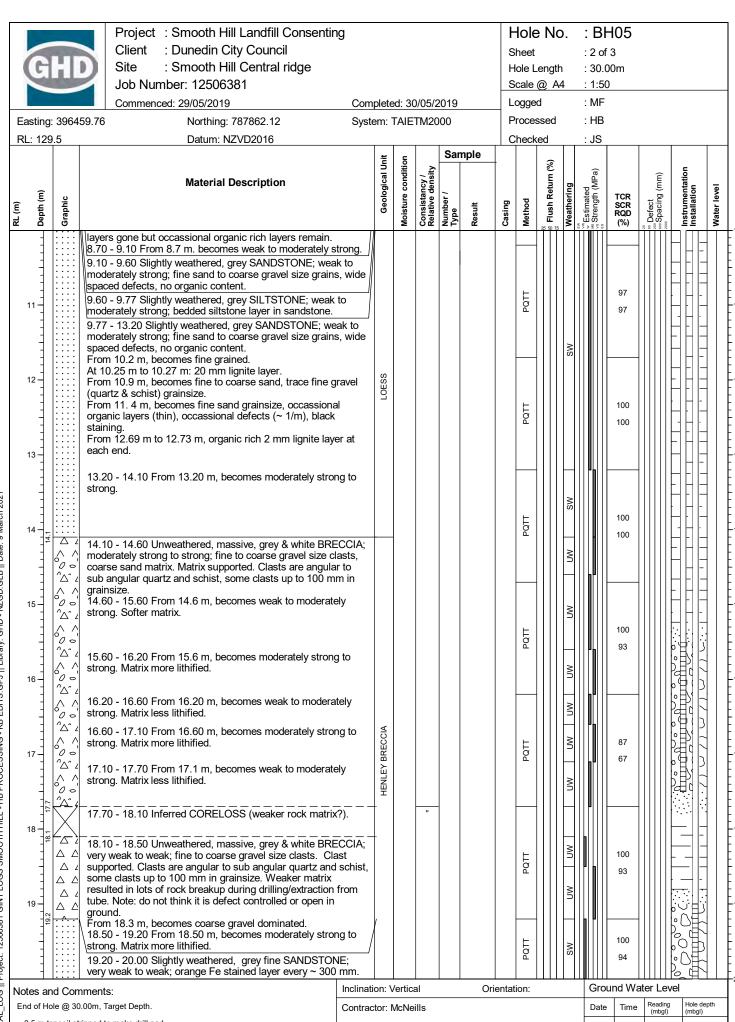


Box 5 of 6: 11.1 m to 13.5 m



Box 6 of 6: 13.5 m to 15.0 m (EOH)





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~ 0.5 m topsoil stripped to make drill pad Groundwater SWL at 16.4 mbgl during piezo install.

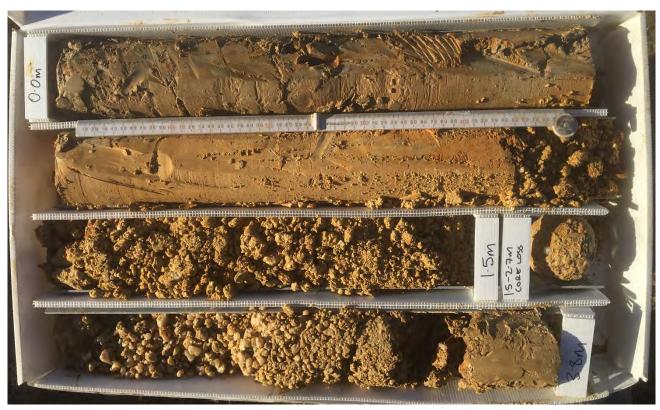
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Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id: GEO1826

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH05 Client : Dunedin City Council : 3 of 3 Sheet Site : Smooth Hill Central ridge : 30.00m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Logged : MF Commenced: 29/05/2019 Completed: 30/05/2019 Processed : HB Easting: 396459.76 Northing: 787862.12 System: TAIETM2000 Checked RL: 129.5 Datum: NZVD2016 : JS Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density (MPa) Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** eve Weathering Estimated Strength Number / Method Defect Casing RL (m) Depth ( SCR RQD Water Core breaks on Fe stained layers but unlikely layers are open in ground. The weakest plane is what breaks during handling. 100 Pot The Fe stained layers probably indicate time gaps in 94 depositional history. 20.00 - 20.55 From 20.0 m, very weak to weak, occassional slightly weathered, grey siltstone layers (bedding) up to 50 21 20.55 - 20.65 From 20.55 m, becomes moderately strong to 103 POT 20.65 - 21.80 From 20.65 m, becomes very weak to weak. 100 21.80 - 21.95 From 21.8 m, becomes weak to moderately strong. 21.95 - 22.00 At 21.9 m: slightly weathered, grey SILTSTONE (20 mm bedded layer).  $\Delta$ 22.00 - 22.40 From 22.0 m, becomes moderately strong to Δ strong Δ 22.40 - 24.10 Slightly weathered, grey pinkish white 87 Δ 23 POT BRECCIA; moderately strong to strong; clast supported, fine to Δ 87 coarse gravel size clasts, angular to sub angular quartz and Δ schist clasts. Δ From 23.8 m, becomes fine gravel size clasts with occassional || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL - HB PROCESSING - KB EDITS.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 9 March 202º coarse gravel clasts. Δ Δ ΔΔ 24.10 - 24.30 From 24.1 m, becomes very weak to weak. Soft Δ matrix. Δ S. POTT 24.30 - 24.65 From 24.3 m, becomes moderately strong to Δ 100 strong. BRECCIA ΔΔ 24.65 - 24.75 From 24.65 m, becomes very weak to weak. Δ Soft matrix. 25 Δ 24.75 - 26.65 From 24.75 m, becomes moderately strong to **JENLEY** strong. Hard matrix (well indurated). Δ Note: from 25.3 m to 26.65 m, clast size increasing. ΔΔ Δ ΔΔ POT Δ 26 87 ΔΔ Δ ΔΔ 26.65 - 26.80 SILT; brown. Hard, dry, non plastic. Breaks Н D down from completely weathered to residual, brown VD SILTSTONE; extremely weak to very weak. 26.80 - 27.20 Silty SAND; light grey. 'Very dense', dry, Н CW-RSWmoderately graded. 27.20 - 27.30 From 27.2 m, becomes SILT brown. Hard, dry, POT non plastic.  $\dot{\Delta}$ 27.30 - 27.80 From 27.3 m, becomes fine to medium SAND; brown. 'Dense', dry, poorly graded. Breaks down from  $\triangle$   $\triangle$ completely weathered to residual, brown fine to medium Δ SANDSTÓNE; very weak. Δ 27.80 - 28.40 Slightly weathered, light brown, grey, white  $\triangle$   $\angle$ BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong; clast supported, fine to ΔΔ coarse gravel size quartz and schist clasts, angular to sub  $\triangle$   $\angle$ angular. 29 Δ 28.40 - 30.00 From 28.4 m, becomes unweathered, Δ PQTT moderately strong to strong, clast size increases. Δ Δ Δ Δ 122mm Δ Notes and Comments: Find of Hole @ 30.00m, Target Depth. Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation: GENERAL LOG End of Hole @ 30.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Date Time ~ 0.5 m topsoil stripped to make drill pad Groundwater SWL at 16.4 mbgl during piezo install. 30/05/19 00:00 30 Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id: GEO1826 ≘ Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols Report I



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Box 1 of 14: 0.0 m to 3.8 m



Box 2 of 14: 3.8 m to 5.8 m



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Box 3 of 14: 5.8 m to 7.88 m



Box 4 of 14: 7.88 m to 9.93 m



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Box 5 of 14: 9.93 m to 11.87 m



Box 6 of 14: 11.87 m to 13.9 m



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Box 7 of 14: 13.9 m to 15.87 m



Box 8 of 14: 15.87 m to 18.45 m



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Box 9 of 14: 18.45 m to 20.1 m



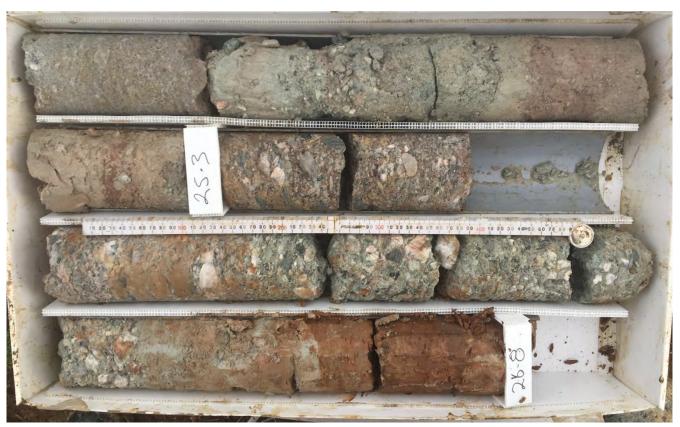
Box 10 of 14: 20.1 m to 22.08 m



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Box 11 of 14: 22.08 m to 24.5 m



Box 12 of 14: 24.5 m to 26.8 m



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Box 13 of 14: 26.8 m to 29.0 m



Box 14 of 14: 29.0 m to 30.0 m (EOH)

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH06 Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet · 1 of 3 Site : Southwest Ridge Hole Length : 30.00m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 13/06/2019 Logged : MF Completed: 14/06/2019 Processed : HB Easting: 396168.25 Northing: 787593.98 System: TAIETM2000 Checked RL: 149.75 Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Flush Return **Material Description** Estimated Number Graphic Method Casing Depth ( SCR RQD Top 250 mm dug out for drill pad (TOPSOIL) SILT, trace to minor clay, trace fine to medium sand, trace fine VSt × gravel; grey and orange-brown. Very stiff, moist, low plasticity × 83 LOESS POT × 17 × Highly weathered, yellow-brown SILTSTONE; extremely weak; no defects (HENLEY BRECCIA) Highly weathered, thinly bedded, yellow-brown silty fine SANDSTONE; extremely weak; no defects; iron-staining in layers and spots; trace organics throughout; 100 POTT 89 2.70 m: 170 mm layer gravelly SANDSTONE ≩ POTT POT 4.90 m: 200mm loose sand/pebbly layer; likely coreloss depth GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 7 August 2019 HENLEY BRECCIA 5.50 - 5.70 m: Fine gravel (quartz and schist, angular to 4 sub-angular) layer POT 143 6.70 - 7.20 m: moderately weathered, very weak to weak || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: Moderately weathered, yellow-brown SILTSTONE; very weak × × × × × × × to weak, very widely spaced defects 7.30 - 7.75 m: light grey with black flecks 142 7.75 m: orange-brown with black streaks; break on bedding POTT plane, dark iron-staining on face Moderately weathered, grey, fine to coarse SANDSTONE; extremely weak to very weak 8.10 - 8.70 m: CORELOSS Moderately weathered, fine to medium SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; widely spaced defects 100 POT 9.25 m: tight break, iron-stained face, staining decreases for 50 mm above and below break 9.72 m: 15-20 mm dark brown layer Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: GENERAL\_LOG End of Hole @ 30.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Date Time Groundwater not encountered.

Equipment: UDR600 (truck mounted)

Shear Vane Id:

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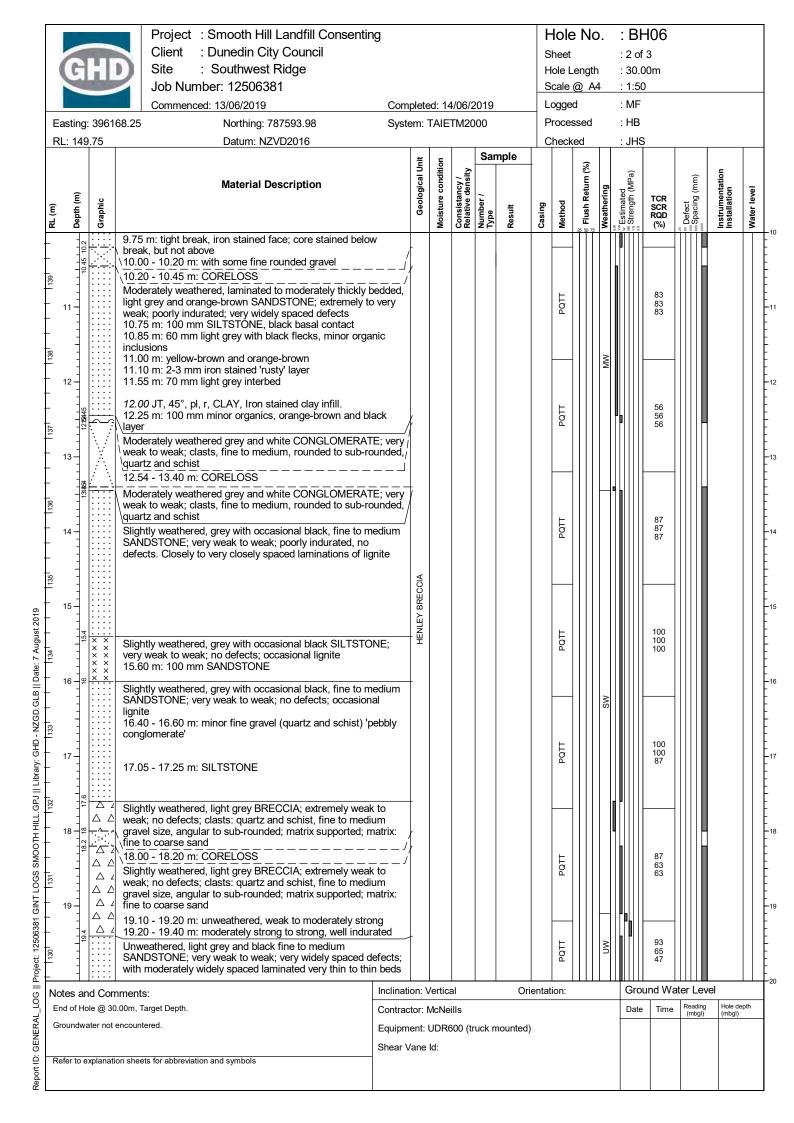
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Defect Spacing (mm)

Reading (mbgl)

Water level



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GENERAL LOG

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End of Hole @ 30.00m, Target Depth.

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Groundwater not encountered.

Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Ground Water Level

Contractor: McNeills

Equipment: UDR600 (truck mounted)

Shear Vane Id:

Ground Water Level

Date Time Reading (mbgl) Hole depth (mbgl)

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: MF

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Strength (MPa)

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Estimated

Defect Spacing (mm)

Water level

: 30.00m



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Box 2 of 13: 2.4 m to 4.6 m



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Box 3 of 13: 4.6 m to 7.2 m



Box 4 of 13: 7.2 m to 10.0 m



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Box 5 of 13: 10.0 m to 13.2 m



Box 6 of 13: 13.2 m to 15.6 m



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Box 7 of 13: 15.6 m to 17.7 m



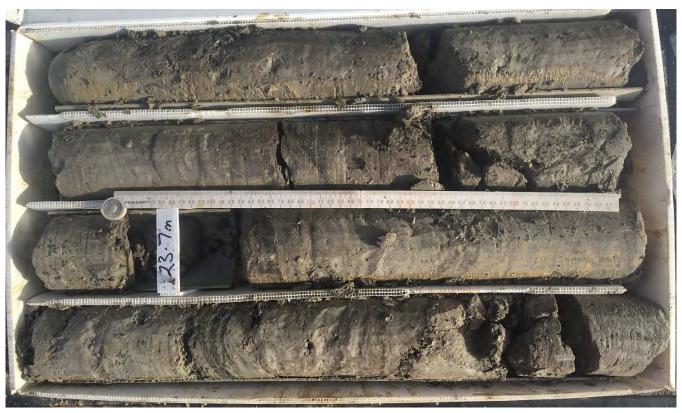
Box 8 of 13: 17.7 m to 20.2 m



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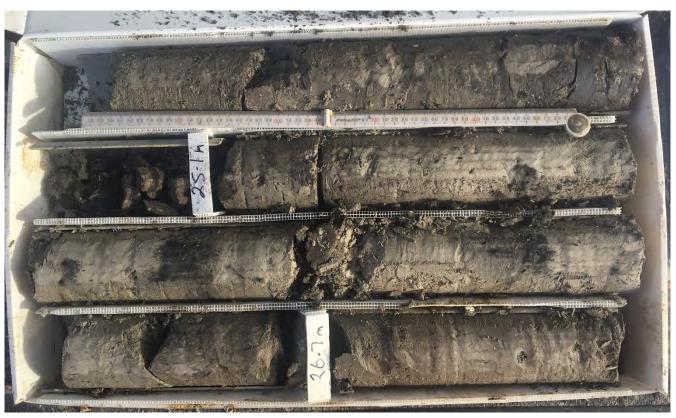
Box 9 of 13: 20.2 m to 22.2 m



Box 10 of 13: 22.2 m to 24.7 m



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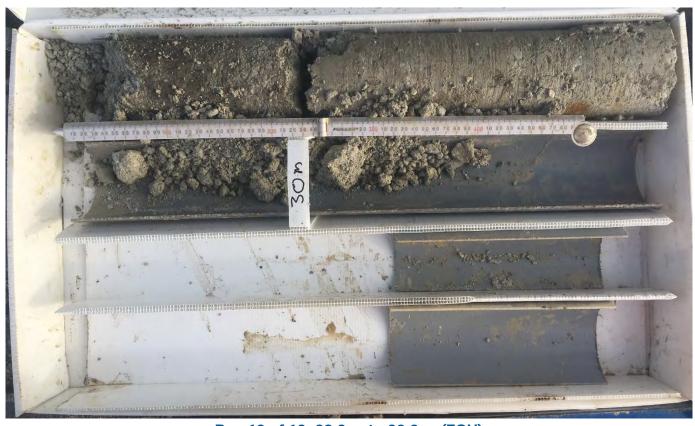
Box 11 of 13: 24.7 m to 27.0 m



Box 12 of 13: 27.0 m to 29.3 m



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Box 13 of 13: 29.3 m to 30.0 m (EOH)



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Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Smooth Hill Central ridge

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 30/05/2019 Completed: 4/06/2019 Hole No. : BH07

Sheet : 1 of 2 : 20.00m Hole Length

Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Logged : MF

Easting: 396493.65 Northing: 787671.87  RL: 139.73 Datum: NZVD2016					System: TAIETM200						heck	ssed ed		: HB : JS				
(E)	Depth (m)	Graphic	Material Description		Geological Unit	Moisture condition	Consistancy / Relative density		Result	Casing	Method	Flush Return (%)	Weathering	***Estimated	TCR SCR RQD (%)	Defect	Instrumentation Installation	Water level
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	2-	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×	2.05 - 2.80 From 2.05 m, Fe staining in layers for 250 r 2.80 - 3.40 From 2.8 m, no gravel, Fe stained layers co		roess	D	Н				РОТТ				85			
	4.1 3.93.75 3.4	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×	3.40 - 3.75 SILT, some clay; light grey & yellow brown vorange brown layers. Hard, dry, non plastic. Fe stained throughout.  3.75 - 3.90 Clayey SILT, trace fine sand, trace organics to brown. Stiff to very stiff, moist, high plasticity. Possib	layers s; grey	- / !	D M D	H St-VS	-			PQTT				100			
	2 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	× × × × × × × ×	\organic origin. 3.90 - 4.10 SILT, some clay; light grey & yellow brown vorange brown layers. Hard, dry, non plastic. Fe stained throughout. 4.10 - 4.80 Grades into: Moderately weathered, thinly laight grey & yellow brown SILTSTONE; very weak; widelspaced defects. (HENLEY BRECCIA). 4.80 - 5.95 From 4.8 m, becomes moderately weathere alternating bedded SILTSTONE & fine SANDSTONE; vorange in the same statement of the same statement of the same statement of the same statement of the same same statement of the s	with layers ayered, layered, l							PQTT		MW		100			
	6-99	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×	weak to weak; bedding 200-400 mm thick.  Note at 5.17m: 2 x 5-8 mm organic rich layers. 5.95 - 7.20 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered grey & yellow brown BRECCIA; weak to moderately strocoarse sand matrix, matrix supported. Clasts are fine to gravel quartz and schist, angular to sub rounded.	ong;	BRECCIA						PQTT		SW-MW		100			-
	8-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	\( \lambda \)	7.20 - 8.10 From 7.2 m, becomes very weak to modera strong. Matric less indurated.  8.10 - 8.80 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered grey & brown silty fine SANDSTONE; very weak to moderate.	l, light	HENLEY						РОТТ		WW-WW		100 93			
	9 9 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	strong.  8.80 - 9.33 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered grey & yellow brown BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong.  8.80 - 9.33 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered grey & yellow brown BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong weak to moderately and schist, angular to sub round Note: less indurated matrix.  9.33 - 9.40 From 9.33 m, becomes extremely weak, no indurated silty GRAVEL (some components as breccia 9.40 - 9.70 From 9.44 m. becomes weak to moderately		ong; ed. n	-						РОТТ		SW-Nakwaswa/karw-mw		100 97			-   -   -   -   -   -   -
Notes and Comments:			Inclinati	on: \	/ertica	al		Or	ientat	ntation:				ound Wa	ater Lev			
End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth.  ~ 300 mm topsoil & 100-200 mm loess stripped to make drill pad.  Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols		Contractor: McNeills  Equipment: Mounted Rig  Shear Vane Id:  Date Time Reading (mbgl)								Hole der (mbgl)	pth							

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH07 Client : Dunedin City Council : 2 of 2 Sheet Site : Smooth Hill Central ridge : 20.00m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 30/05/2019 Completed: 4/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396493.65 Northing: 787671.87 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 139.73 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JS Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** eve Estimated Number / Method Defect Casing RL (m) Depth ( SCR RQD Water matrix more indurated, fine to coarse gravel clasts. 9.70 - 10.00 From 9.7 m, becomes fine to medium gravel size Δ ^ 10.00 - 10.10 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered, grey SILTSTONE; very weak to weak. 100 POTT 10.10 - 10.25 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered, 100 grey SANDSTONE; very weak to weak. 10.25 - 10.65 Slightly weathered to moderately weathered, fine to medium grained, grey BRECCIA; very weak to weak. Note at 10.60 m: minor break on bedding plane, Fe staining. Ь 10.60 - 10.80 BP, 70°, pl, r, VN, CLAY, Fe staining 10.65 - 11.00 Slightly weathered, dark grey fine sandy 100 SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; occassional organic layers POT up to 10 mm thick. 100 11.00 - 13.00 From 11.0 m, becomes unweathered Note at 11.7 m: End of shift 30/05/2019 Ô 13.00 - 13.30 Unweathered, CONGLOMERATE; weak to moderately strong; fine gravel to coarse sand.  $\hat{\Delta}$ 13.30 - 14.70 Unweathered, light grey & white fine to coarse || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL - HB PROCESSING - KB EDITS.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 9 March 202º BRECCIA; very weak to weak; no defects. Clasts quartz and schist, sub angular to sub rounded, matrix supported, medium  $\nabla$ 83  $\langle \rangle$ POTT to coarse sand matrix, weakly indurated. Λ. / 78  $\nabla$ Λ. / 14.70 - 15.10 Unweathered, grey SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; no defects. **JENLEY** 15.10 - 15.50 Unweathered, grey fine to medium 92 PQTT ≷ SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; no defects. 15.50 - 15.80 Unweathered, grey SILTSTONE; very weak to ≥ weak; no defects. 15.80 - 17.30 Unweathered, light grey fine gravelly fine to coarse SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; no defects. No Note inferred boundary at at approximately 17.3 m - unsure of coreloss location. 40 POT 33 17.30 - 19.50 Unweathered, brown SILTSTONE; very weak to weak: no defects. From 17.65 m, becomes dark grey. 18 47 POT From 17.85 m, becomes grey. 27 19 78 POT 78 19.50 - 20.00 Unweathered; light grey, white & purple BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong; no defects. Coarse sand matrix, matrix supported, medium to well indurated. Notes and Comments: 

End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation: GENERAL LOG End of Hole @ 20.00m. Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Date Time ~ 300 mm topsoil & 100-200 mm loess stripped to make drill pad. 04/06/19 00:00 20 Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id: ≘ Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols Report I



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Box 2 of 8: 2.7 m to 4.8 m



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Box 3 of 8: 4.8 m to 7.0 m



Box 4 of 8: 7.0 m to 9.1 m



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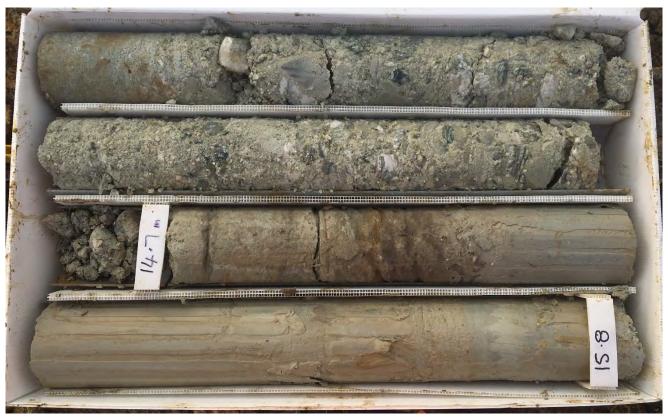
Box 5 of 8: 9.1 m to 11.2 m



Box 6 of 8: 11.2 m to 13.2 m



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Box 7 of 8: 13.2 m to 15.8 m



Box 8 of 8: 15.8 m to 20.0 m (EOH)

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH08 Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet · 1 of 2 Site : Big Stone Road : 20.00m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 11/06/2019 Logged : MF Completed: 11/06/2019 Processed : HB Easting: 396809.71 Northing: 787700.67 System: TAIETM2000 Checked RL: 143.89 Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Defect Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Estimated Number / Method Casing Depth ( SCR RQD TOPSOIL; silt, trace to minor clay, trace fine sand; dark grey М ഉ and yellow-brown. Very stiff, moist, low plasticity; trace roots VSt SILT, trace clay, trace fine sand; grey mottled orange-brown. Very stiff, moist, low plasticity (LOESS) × POT 0.60 m: more orange-brown mottled grey 68 × × × × × 1.50 m: grey and brown mottled orange iron stained inclusions 1.84 - 2.86 m: CORE LOSS POT 23 Fine sandy SILT, trace clay, light grey-brown. Very stiff, dry, ·× SV@3m 194 kPa low plasticity POT .× 3.00 m: light grey and orange; iron stained laminations 100 × SV@3.5m UTP SILT, trace to minor clay, trace coarse sand (rusty); light grey VSt-H × POT and orange-brown. Very stiff to hard, moist, low plasticity 90 D-M VSt-H SILT, minor to some clay; brown with black flecks and streaks. Very stiff to hard, dry to moist, high plasticity; trace to minor organics (BURIED TOPSOIL) Highly weathered, grey, orange-brown and yellow-brown BRECCIA; very weak to weak; no defects; clasts: quartz and schist, sub-angular to sub-rounded, fine gravel size; matrix: х х Х Х GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 7 August 2019 fine to coarse sand; matrix supported POT Highly weathered, grey and orange-brown SILTSTONE; ΔΖ extremely weak to very weak; no defects  $\triangle$ Highly weathered, grey, orange-brown and yellow-brown ΔΔ BRECCIA; very weak to weak; no defects; clasts: quartz and  $\triangle$ schist, sub-angular to sub-rounded, fine to medium gravel, matrix: fine to coarse sand; matrix supported 6.20 - 6.90 m: CORELOSS (inferred silty GRAVEL) POT 7.7 0 0 0 0 0 0 **BRECCI** Fine to medium GRAVEL; orange-brown, white, yellow-brown 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: and grey. Poorly graded; inferred silt matrix from minimal matrix recovery; gravel, quartz and schist, angular to HENLEY sub-rounded. -169. Moderately weathered, grey, orange-brown and white BRECCIA, weak, gravel quartz and schist, angular to sub-rounded, fine to medium gravel; matrix: fine to coarse sand; matrix supported Δ POT Slightly weathered, light grey SILTSTONE; very weak to weak; Δ no defects (grades into next unit) Δ Slighty weathered, light grey fine to coarse SANDSTONE; very Δ weak to weak; no defects Δ Slightly weathered, light grey and grey BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong; no defects; no visible bedding; matrix: fine ΔΔ Δ to coarse sand, matrix supported; clasts: quartz and schist, Δ 93 93 93 sub-rounded to angular, fine to medium gravel size POTT Δ 9.00 - 14.10 m: unweathered, fine to coarse gravel size clasts, || Project: clast supported Δ Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: 50 End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Date Time Groundwater not encountered. No piezos were installed Equipment: UDR600 (truck mounted) Shear Vane Id: GEO2288 ≘ Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH08 Client : Dunedin City Council : 2 of 2 Sheet Site : Big Stone Road : 20.00m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 11/06/2019 Completed: 11/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396809.71 Northing: 787700.67 System: TAIETM2000 Checked RL: 143.89 Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density (MPa) Defect Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Estimated Strength Number / Method Casing Depth ( SCR RQD Δ Slightly weathered, light grey and grey BRECCIA; weak to POT  $\triangle$ moderately strong; no defects; no visible bedding; matrix: fine 93 93 to coarse sand, matrix supported; clasts: quartz and schist, Δ sub-rounded to angular, fine to medium gravel size (continued Δ from layer starting at 8.1m)  $\triangle$ ΔΔ Δ POTT Δ 11.20 m: fine to medium gravel sized clasts, moderately strong Δ  $\triangle$ 11.60 m: fine to coarse gravel clasts, weak to moderately Δ ΔΔ Δ ΔΔ Δ POT Δ Δ HENLEY BRECCIA ΔΔ Δ Δ Δ Δ Δ Δ 14.10 - 14.60 m: CORELOSS POT Unweathered, grey silty fine to medium SANDSTONE; very weak to weak; no defects; no visible bedding GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 7 August 2019 100 POT 16.40 m: 100 mm breccia interbed Fine to coarse grained SANDSTONE, moderately strong to strong, with very closely spaced very thin interbeded of gravelly 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: 100 sandstone; fine gravel. POT 17.50 m: weak to moderately strong, moderately well indurated 18 Δ Unweathered, light grey, grey and white BRECCIA; moderately strong to strong; no defects; no visible bedding; matrix: fine to Δ coarse sand; clasts: schist and quartz, angular to sub-rounded, Δ fine to coarse gravel size, clast supported  $\triangle$ POT  $\triangle$ Δ Δ Δ 19.20 m: clasts predominantly medium to coarse gravel sized Δ Unweathered, light grey fine to coarse SANDSTONE; 100 100 100 PoT || Project: moderately strong to strong; no defects; well indurated; no visible bedding Notes and Comments: Find of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. **Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: GENERAL\_LOG End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Time Groundwater not encountered. No piezos were installed. 11/06/19 00:00 20 Equipment: UDR600 (truck mounted) Shear Vane Id: GEO2288 ≘ Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols

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Box 1 of 8: 0.0 m to 3.7 m



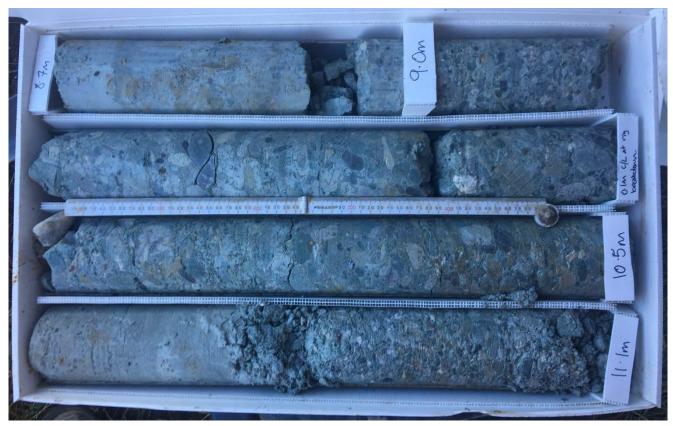
Box 2 of 8: 3.7 m to 5.7 m



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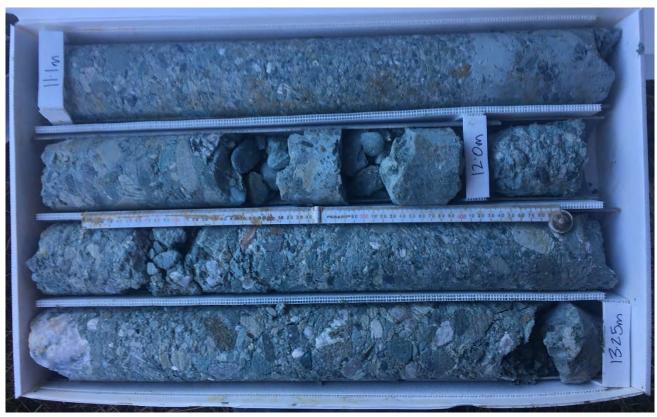
Box 3 of 8: 5.7 m to 8.7 m



Box 4 of 8: 8.7 m to 11.1 m



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Box 5 of 8: 11.1 m to 13.25 m



Box 6 of 8: 13.25 m to 15.9 m



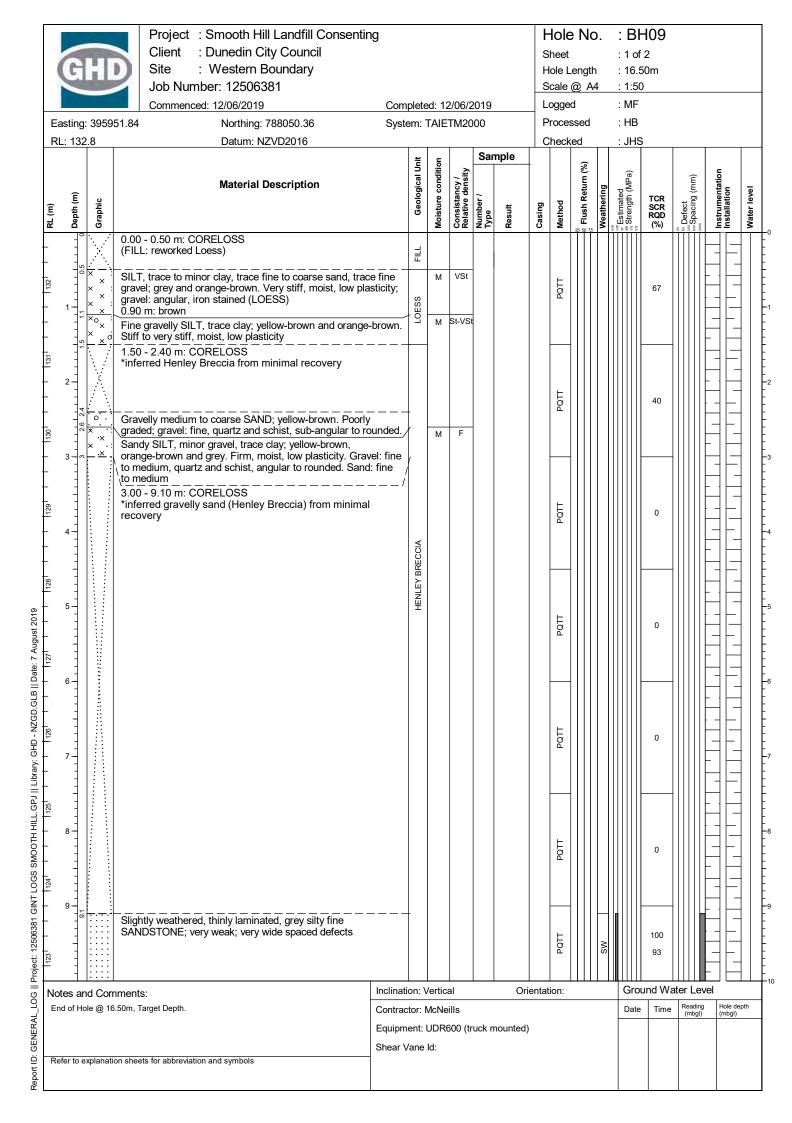
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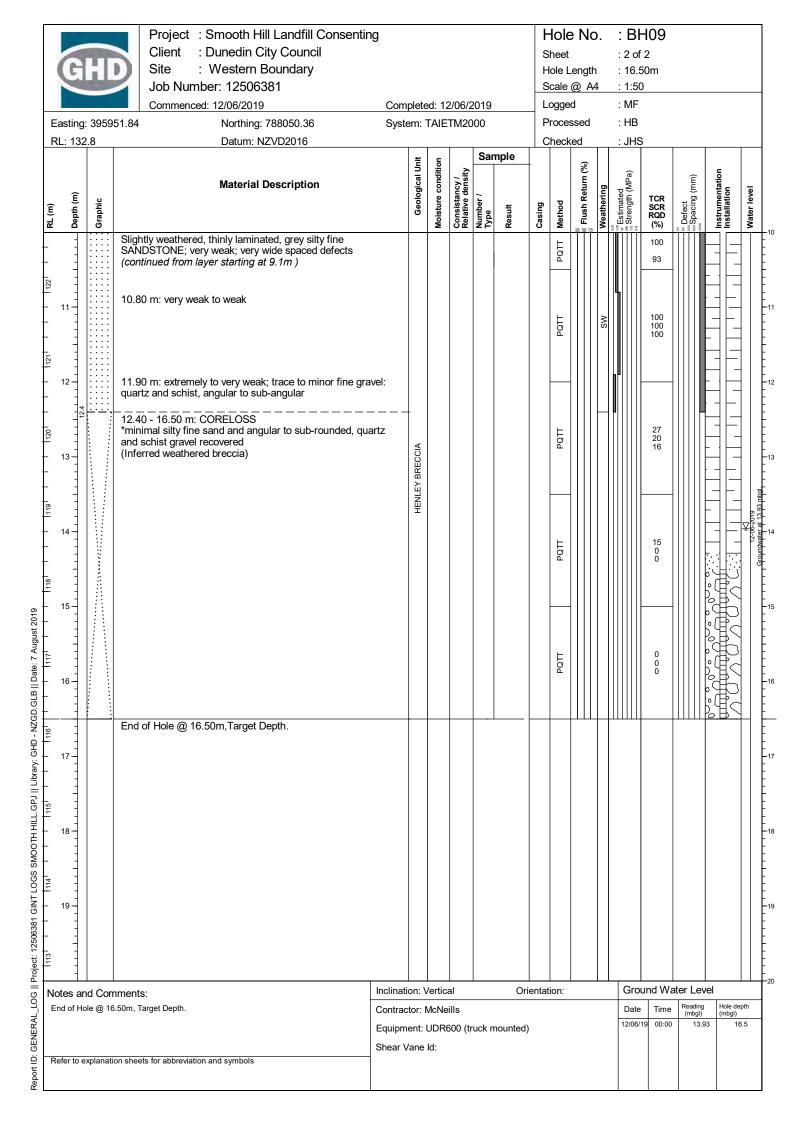


Box 7 of 8: 15.9 m to 18.0 m



Box 8 of 8: 18.0 m to 20.0 m (EOH)







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Box 1 of 3: 0.0 m to 9.6 m



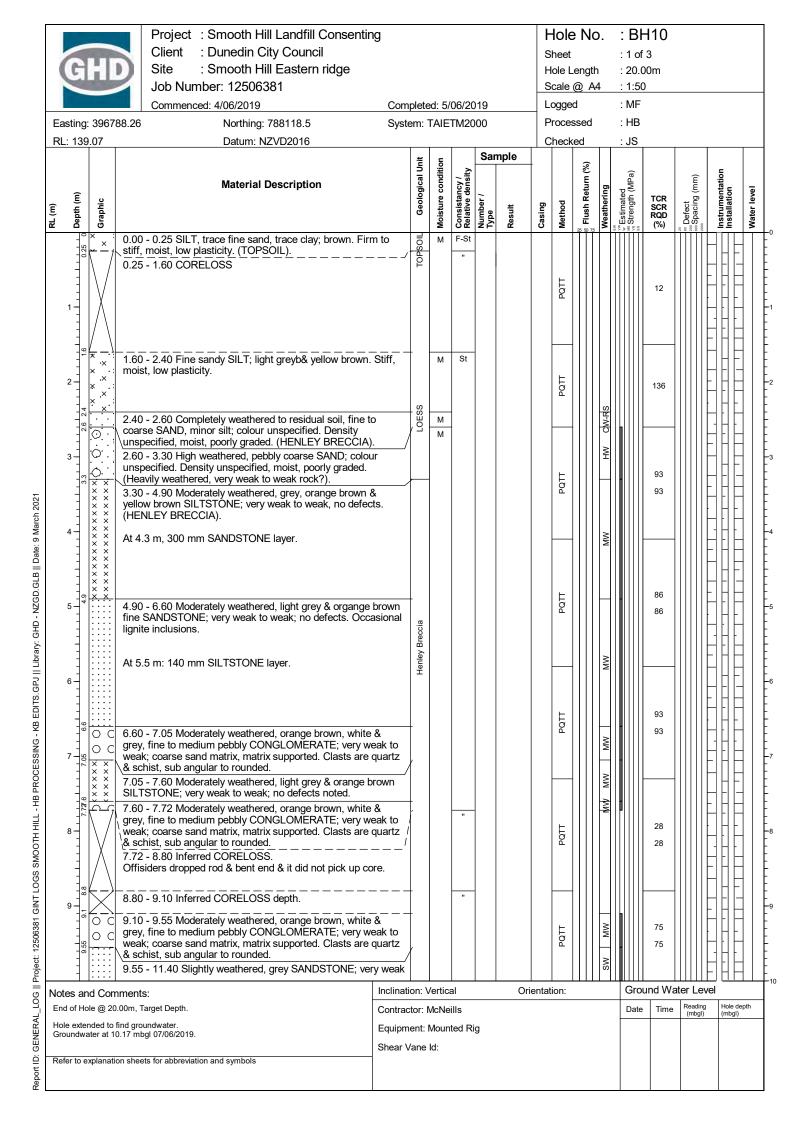
Box 2 of 3: 9.6 m to 11.7 m



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Box 3 of 3: 11.7 m to 16.5 m (EOH)



RL: 139.07

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Smooth Hill Eastern ridge

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 4/06/2019 Completed: 5/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396788.26 Northing: 788118.5 System: Datum: NZVD2016 Checked : JS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Weathering Estimated TCR SCR RQD Depth (m) Number / Method Defect Casing RL (m) to weak; thinly bedded (1-10 mm). Only artificial breaks. From 10.4 m, becomes yellow brown, fine to coarse SANDSTONÉ. 106 POT 81 11.40 - 11.60 From 11.4 m, becomes weak to moderately 11.60 - 17.40 From 11.6 m, becomes very weak to weak. 12 114 POT From 15.5 m: lignite content increases. 96 From 15.6 m: 40 mm lignite. From 15.8 m: 100 mm lignite rich layer. 13 92 PQTT 92 15 Henley Breccia 89 POTT 89 16 17 103 POT 100 17.40 - 17.65 From 17.4 m, becomes moderately strong to strong, well indurated. 17.65 - 19.20 From 17.65 m, becomes very weak to weak, poorly indurated. 18 100 POT 100 19 19.20 - 19.80 From 19.2 m, becomes weak to moderately strong, moderate to well indurated. 100 POTT 100 19.80 - 20.00 From 19.8 m, becomes moderately strong to **Ground Water Level** Orientation: Inclination: Vertical Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Time Hole extended to find groundwater. Groundwater at 10.17 mbgl 07/06/2019. 07/06/19 00:00 10.17 20 Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id:

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: 20.00m

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : BH10 Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 3 of 3 Site : Smooth Hill Eastern ridge Hole Length : 20.00m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 4/06/2019 Completed: 5/06/2019 Logged : MF Easting: 396788.26 Northing: 788118.5 Processed : HB System: RL: 139.07 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 \*\*\*Estimated \*\*\*Strength (MPa) Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Weathering Depth (m) TCR SCR RQD (%) Number / Type Casing Method strong, well indurated. End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. GENERAL\_LOG || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL - HB PROCESSING - KB EDITS.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 9 March 2021 25 26 Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 20.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: McNeills Date Time Hole extended to find groundwater. Groundwater at 10.17 mbgl 07/06/2019. Equipment: Mounted Rig Shear Vane Id:

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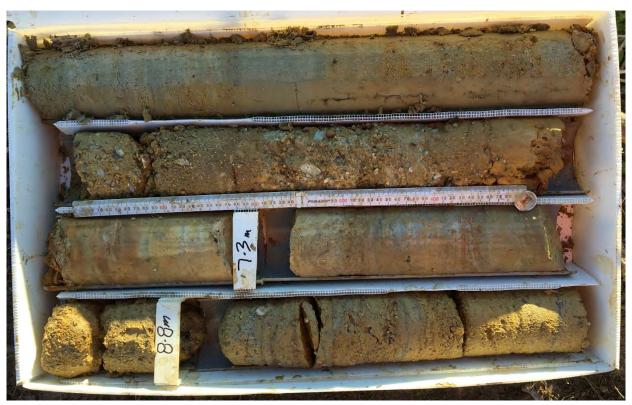
Box 1 of 8: 0.0 m to 3.2 m



Box 2 of 8: 3.2 m to 5.8 m



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Box 3 of 8: 5.8 m to 9.2 m



Box 4 of 8: 9.2 m to 11.6 m



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Box 5 of 8: 11.6 m to 13.8 m



Box 6 of 8: 13.8 m to 16.0 m



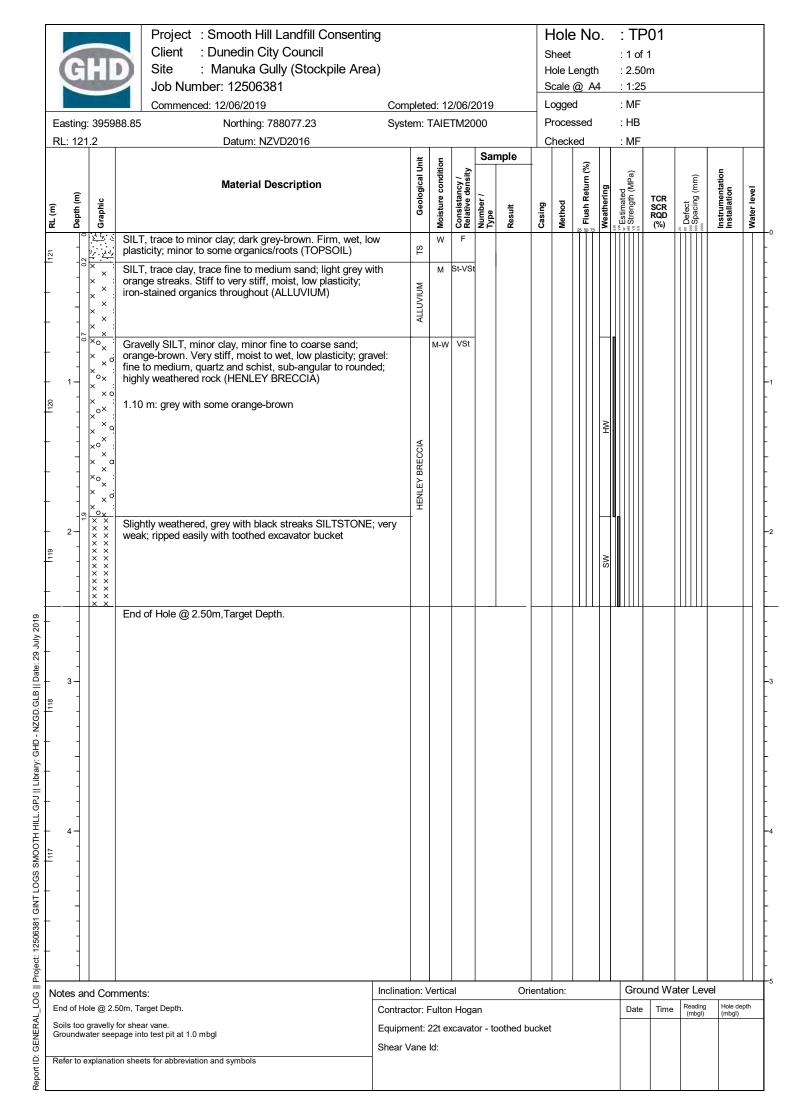
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Box 7 of 8: 16.0 m to 18.4 m



Box 8 of 8: 18.4 m to 20.0 m (EOH)





Client : Dunedin City Council

Site : Manuka Gully (Stockpile Area)

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 12/06/2019

Completed: 12/06/2019

Hole No.

Hole Length

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2-			SILT, minor clay, trace to minor fine sand; brown. Firm, low plasticity; wood fragments throughout layer, most at (BURIED TOPSOIL)	top	BURIED TOPSOIL	M	F		SV@1.8m 90/33 kPa									
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Shear Vane Id: GEO2288

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : TP03 Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 1 of 1 Site : Manuka Gully (Stockpile Area) : 2.00m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:25 Commenced: 12/06/2019 Completed: 12/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396262.16 Northing: 788048.16 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 102.61 Datum: NZVD2016 Checked : MF Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 \*\* Estimated Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Weathering TCR SCR RQD Depth (m) Number / Method Casing SILT, trace to minor fine sand, trace to minor clay; brown. Soft, moist to wet, low plasticity; minor organics/roots (TOPSOIL) TOPSOIL Silty SAND, trace clay; light grey with brown streaks. Moist, poorly graded; sand is fine (ALLUVIUM) М × Ç Gravelly SILT; grey. Wet to saturated, well graded; gravel: fine to coarse `o× Slightly weathered, grey SILTSTONE; extremely to very weak; no defects - ripped easily (HENLEY BRECCIA) 兕 End of Hole @ 2.00m, Target Depth. Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 29 July 2019

Water level

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**Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 2.00m, Target Depth. Contractor: Fulton Hogan Date Time Test pit sides too soft to get shear vane readings. Groundwater encountered at 1.2 mbgl. 12/06/19 00:00 1.2 Equipment: 22t excavator - toothed bucket Shear Vane Id: Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols



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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Southwest Gully Base

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 13/06/2019

Completed: 13/06/2019

Logged : MF Processed

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Hole Length

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: 3.30m

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: HB Northing: 787868 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 125 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : MF Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 \*\* Estimated Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Weathering TCR SCR RQD Depth (m) Number / Method Casing SILT, minor clay; brown. Soft, wet to saturated, low plasticity; W-S minor organics throughout (TOPSOIL) TOPSOIL Silty fine to medium SAND; grey and yellow-brown. 'Loose', wet, poorly graded (COLLUVIUM) 'L' Fine to coarse SAND, minor to some silt; grey with black s 'L' streaks. 'Loose', saturated, poorly graded; organics throughout COLLUVIUM <u>\\i,</u> Tree trunks and branches with some gravel. Groundwater outflow from base of layer <u>\1 /</u> 11, SILT, minor clay, trace fine sand; grey with yellow-brown St streaks. Stiff, moist, low plasticity; highly weathered rock (HENLEY BRECCIA) HENLEY BRECCIA Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 29 July 2019 ××××××××× Slightly weathered, SILTSTONE; ripped easily End of Hole @ 3.30m, Target Depth. **Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 3.30m, Target Depth. Contractor: Fulton Hogan Date Time 13/06/19 00:00 1.9 3.3 Equipment: 22t excavator - toothed bucket

Easting: 396585.7

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

Client : Dunedin City Council

: Gully East of Central Ridge Site

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 13/06/2019

Northing: 787800.45

Completed: 13/06/2019

System: TAIETM2000

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Hole Length

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Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Southwest Gully Base

Job Number: 12506381

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Easting: 396303 RL: 115 Depth (m)

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

Client : Dunedin City Council

Site : Gully Between Southern Ridges

Job Number: 12506381

Scale @ A4 : 1:25 Commenced: 28/05/2019 Completed: 28/05/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Northing: 787682 System: TAIETM2000 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : MF Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Defect Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Neathering Estimated TCR SCR RQD Number / Method Casing SILT, minor clay, trace fine sand; dark grey. Firm to stiff, moist, low plasticity;, minor organic matter (FILL) 긆 0.50 m: grass and trees - buried surface, saturated S SILT, minor clay, trace fine sand; dark grey. Firm to stiff, wet, low plasticity; trace to minor organics (BURIED TOPSOIL) F-St BURIED TOPSOIL SILT, minor to some clay, trace fine sand; light grey and St-VSt yellow-brown. Stiff to very stiff, moist, low plasticity; trace organics (LOESS) LOESS × × × × × × × × SILT, some coarse sand, minor fine gravel; light grey. Stiff to St-VSt very stiff, moist, non-plastic; gravel comprises quartz and schist; highly weathered rock (HENLEY BRECCIA) HENLEY BRECCIA × × End of Hole @ 4.50m, End of Reach. **Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 4.50m, End of Reach. Contractor: Fulton Hogan Date Time 28/05/19 00:00 4.5 Equipment: 22t excavator - smooth bucket Shear Vane Id:

Hole No.

Hole Length

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: 4.50m

Client : Dunedin City Council Site : South East Gully Outflow

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 13/06/2019 Completed: 13/06/2019

Sheet : 1 of 1 : 3.00m Hole Length Scale @ A4 : 1:25

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Hole No.

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

: Dunedin City Council Client Site : Future Laydown Area

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 10/06/2019 Completed: 10/06/2019

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Hole Length

Scale @ A4

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: TP10

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: 3.60m

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: HB Easting: 396820.11 Northing: 788079.25 System: TAIETM2000 Datum: NZVD2016 Checked : MF Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Weathering Estimated TCR SCR RQD Depth (m) Number / Method Casing SILT, trace to minor clay, trace fine sand; dark grey. Very stiff, moist, low plasticity; tree roots throughout (TOPSOIL) 16 SILT, minor clay; light grey and yellow-brown. Very stiff, moist, М VSt V@0.5r 136/62 kPa low plasticity, root webs throughout (LOESS) SV@1m 194 kPa SILT, minor fine sand, trace clay, orange-brown and light grey. VSt Very stiff, dry, low plasticity SV@1.5m 194 kPa LOESS SV@2m 194 kPa SILT, minor fine sand, trace clay; orange-brown. Very stiff, dry, D VSt low plasticity, iron-stained horizon SILT; orange-brown and grey alternating. Very stiff, dry, D VSt /@2.5m UTP Highly weathered SILTSTONE (HENLEY BRECCIA) Н HENLEY BRECCIA 3.00 - 3.60 m: hard, root webs visible in places End of Hole @ 3.60m, Target Depth. **Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 3.60m, Target Depth. Reading (mbgl) Date Contractor: Fulton Hogan Time EOH at 3.6 mbgl, too hard to dig/end of reach. Groundwater not encountered. Equipment: 22t excavator Shear Vane Id: GEO2288 Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols



Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Future Laydown Area

Job Number: 12506381

Commenced: 10/06/2019

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. : TP12 Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 1 of 1 Site : Future Laydown Area : 4.40m Hole Length Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:25 Commenced: 10/06/2019 Completed: 10/06/2019 Logged : MF Processed : HB Easting: 396596.93 Northing: 787986.46 System: TAIETM2000 RL: 142.28 Datum: NZVD2016 Checked : MF Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density Strength (MPa) Defect Spacing (mm) Flush Return **Material Description** Water level Weathering Estimated TCR SCR RQD Depth (m) Number / Method Casing SILT, minor clay, trace fine sand, dark grey and brown. Stiff to very stiff, moist, low plasticity. Trace to minor roots (FILL) 분 3V@0.4m 139/44 kPa Sandy SILT, grey. Very stiff, dry, non-plastic; some large roots extend to approximately 1.2 m bgl; trace organics; sand is fine D VSt (BURIED TOPSOIL). V@1m UTP Sandy SILT; light grey, light yellow-brown and orange-brown. D VSt Very stiff, dry, non-plastic; sand is fine; occasional roots to 1.2 m bgl; strength increases with depth (LOESS) SV@2m UTP LOESS 2.50 m: 50-100 mm iron-stained layer Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 29 July 2019 ·×. × ·× 3.60 m: 50-100 mm iron-stained layer .× Highly weathered, SILTSTONE (HENLEY BRECCIA) 兕 V@4.4m UTP End of Hole @ 4.40m, Target Depth. **Ground Water Level** Orientation: Inclination: Vertical Notes and Comments: GENERAL LOG End of Hole @ 4.40m, Target Depth. Contractor: Fulton Hogan Date Time EOH at 4.4 mbgl, deepest excavator could excavate soil. Groundwater not encountered. 10/06/19 00:00 4.4 Equipment: 22t excavator Shear Vane Id: GEO2288 ≘ Refer to explanation sheets for abbreviation and symbols

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Client : Dunedin City Council Site : Southern Boundary

Job Number: 12506381

Hole No. : BH201

Sheet · 1 of 7 Hole Length : 61.00m Scale @ A4 : 1:50

Commenced: 29/10/2019 Logged : MF Completed: 1/11/2019 Processed Northing: 787540 System: TAIETM2000 : MF Datum: NZVD2016 Checked : JHS Sample Geological Unit Moisture condition 8 Consistancy / Relative density (MPa) Return Spacing (mm) **Material Description** eve Estimated Strength Number Method Defect Casing Flush Depth ( SCR Water I Clayey SILT, trace fine sand; dark grey. Soft, moist to wet, M-W ഉ high plasticity; minor to some organic matter, reducing with VSt × SILT, minor clay, trace fine sand; grey and orange-brown. Very POT × stiff, moist, low plasticity (LOESS) 100 × LOESS × 1.00 - 1.90 m: grey and brown × × × SILT, trace clay; light grey with orange-brown streaks. Very VSt POT stiff, moist, non-plastic, completely weathered (HENLEY 96 × SILT, some clay to clayey; red-brown, orange-brown and grey. F-St × Firm to stiff, moist, high plasticity; minor rock fragments; completely weathered VSt-H SILT, trace to minor clay; red-brown. Very stiff to hard, moist, low plasticity; completely weathered 100 POT Moderately weathered, grey and yellow-brown, moderately 62 thickly bedded, fine to medium grained SANDSTONE; very weak; very widely spaced defects 4.20 - 5.00 m: fine to coarse sand 4.60 BP, 10°, pl, r, Fe-stained, black 4.90 - 5.00 m: grades into breccia 5 Σ. 88 POT Moderately weathered, brown, grey, orange-brown and ΔΔ 34 red-brown BRECCIA; extremely to very weak; very widely Δ spaced defects; matrix supported; fine sandy silt matrix; clasts Δ are angular to subrounded, quartz and schist, fine to coarse Δ gravel. Soil description: fine to coarse gravelly, fine sandy silt ΔΔ Δ HENLEY Δ Δ 6.12 JT, 15°, pl, r, clean Â 100 6.15 JT, 85°, pl, r, clean Δ POT Δ 70 6.17 JT, 20°, pl, r, clean Δ 6.30 - 6.45 m: transition from moderately to slightly weathered Δ Slightly weathered, grey and light grey BRECCIA; very weak to weak; no defects; matrix supported; fine sand matrix; clasts Δ Δ are angular to subrounded, quartz and schist, fine to coarse ΔΔ gravel Δ 7.00 - 7.90 m: weak to moderately strong 7.20 - 7.90 m: clast supported Δ 100 7.50 - 7.90 m: medium to coarse gravel POT Δ Slightly weathered, grey and light grey BRECCIA; extremely to 48 Δ very weak; no defects; matrix supported; fine to medium sand Δ matrix; clasts are angular to subrounded, quartz and schist, fine to coarse gravel. Soil description: fine to coarse gravelly,  $\triangle$   $\triangle$ Δ fine sandy silt Δ Slightly weathered, grey and light grey BRECCIA; weak to moderately strong; no defects; matrix supported; fine to Δ 100 POT medium sand matrix, clasts are angular to subrounded, quartz Δ and schist, fine to coarse gravel 29 Δ 9.10 - 9.35 m: 250 mm light grey, fine grained SANDSTONE Ground Water Level Inclination: Vertical Orientation:

Notes and Comments:

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End of Hole @ 61.00m, Target Depth.

0.0 - 10.8 m PQTT coring 10.8 - 61.0 m wash drilling

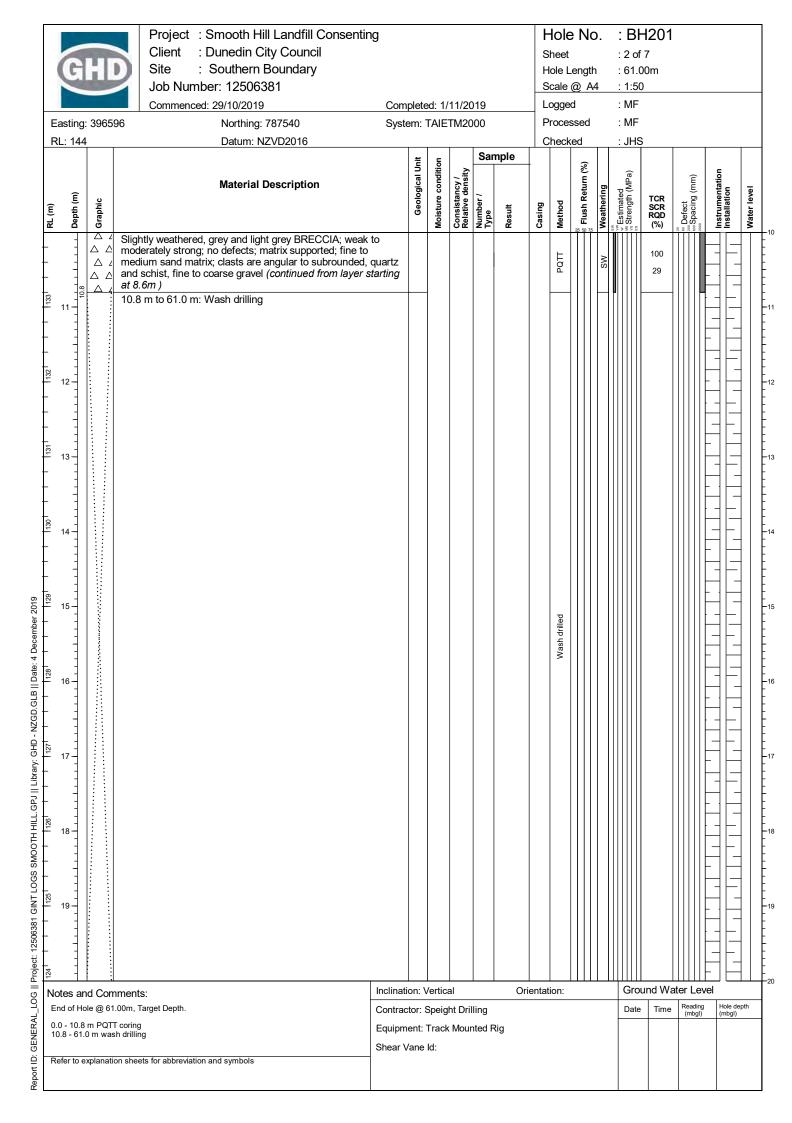
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Contractor: Speight Drilling

**Equipment: Track Mounted Rig** 

Shear Vane Id:

Reading (mbgl) Date Time



: BH201 Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting Hole No. Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 3 of 7 Site : Southern Boundary Hole Length : 61.00m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 29/10/2019 Completed: 1/11/2019 Logged : MF System: TAIETM2000 Processed : MF Easting: 396596 Northing: 787540 RL: 144 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Estimated Strength (MPa) Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Weathering Depth (m) Number / Method Casing 10.8 m to 61.0 m: Wash drilling (continued from layer starting Wash drilled GENERAL\_LOG || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB || Date: 4 December 2019 25

Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 61.00m, Target Depth.

0.0 - 10.8 m PQTT coring 10.8 - 61.0 m wash drilling

Report ID:

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Inclination: Vertical

Orientation:

**Ground Water Level** 

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Defect Spacing (mm)

TCR SCR RQD

Water level

Contractor: Speight Drilling

Equipment: Track Mounted Rig

Reading (mbgl) Time

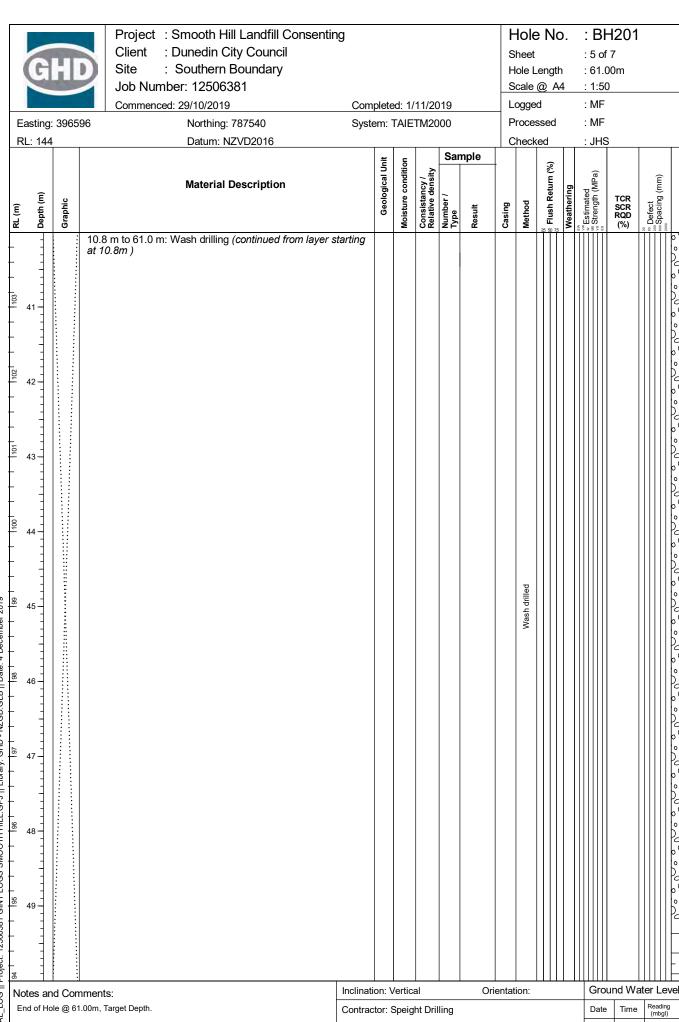
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Shear Vane Id:

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Equipment: Track Mounted Rig

Shear Vane Id:

Water level

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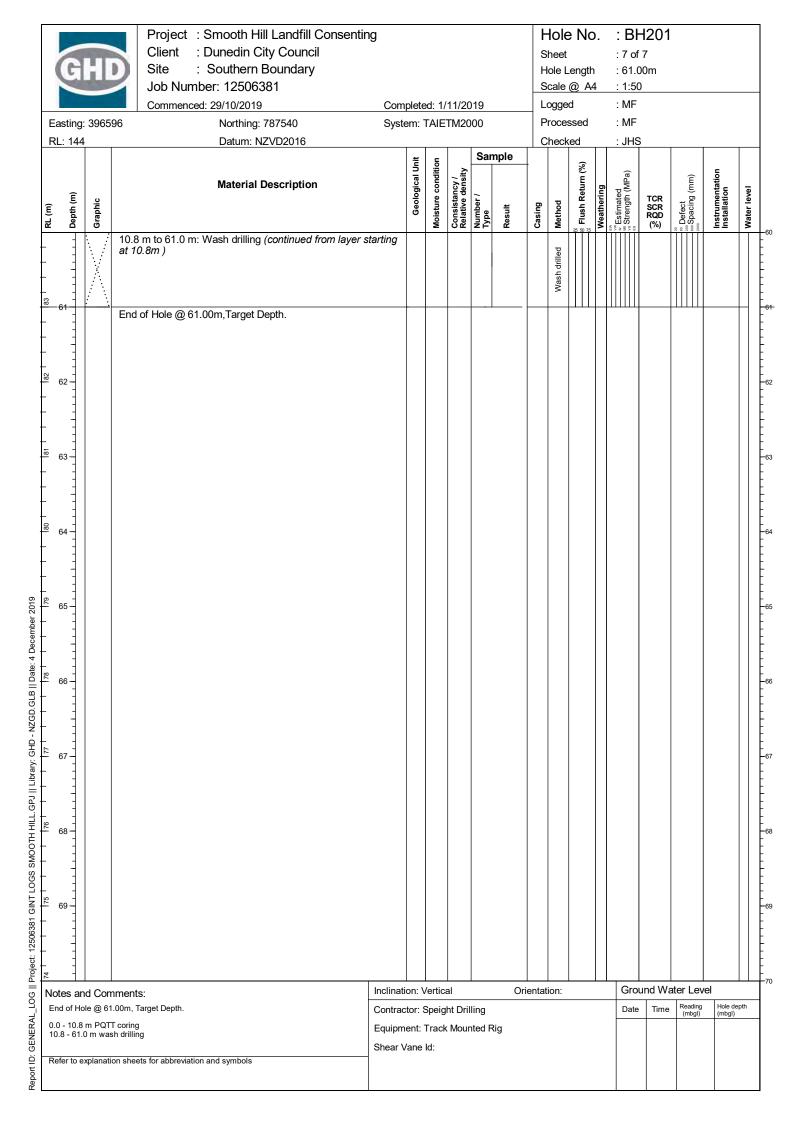
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Water level

Shear Vane Id:

Equipment: Track Mounted Rig





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Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.8 m	



Box 1 of 5: 0.00 m to 2.30 m



Box 2 of 5: 2.30 m to 4.50 m



Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	28/10/2019 Completed	01/11/2019
Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
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Box 3 of 5: 4.50 m to 6.80 m



Box 4 of 5: 6.80 m to 9.00 m

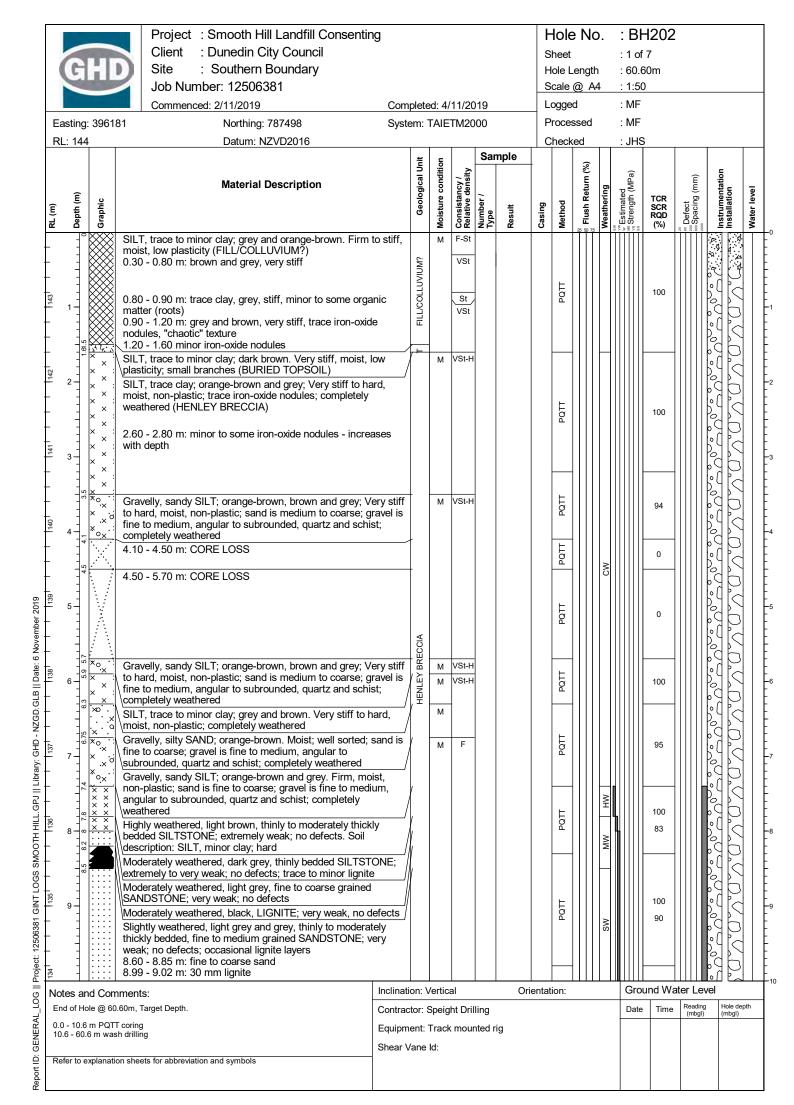


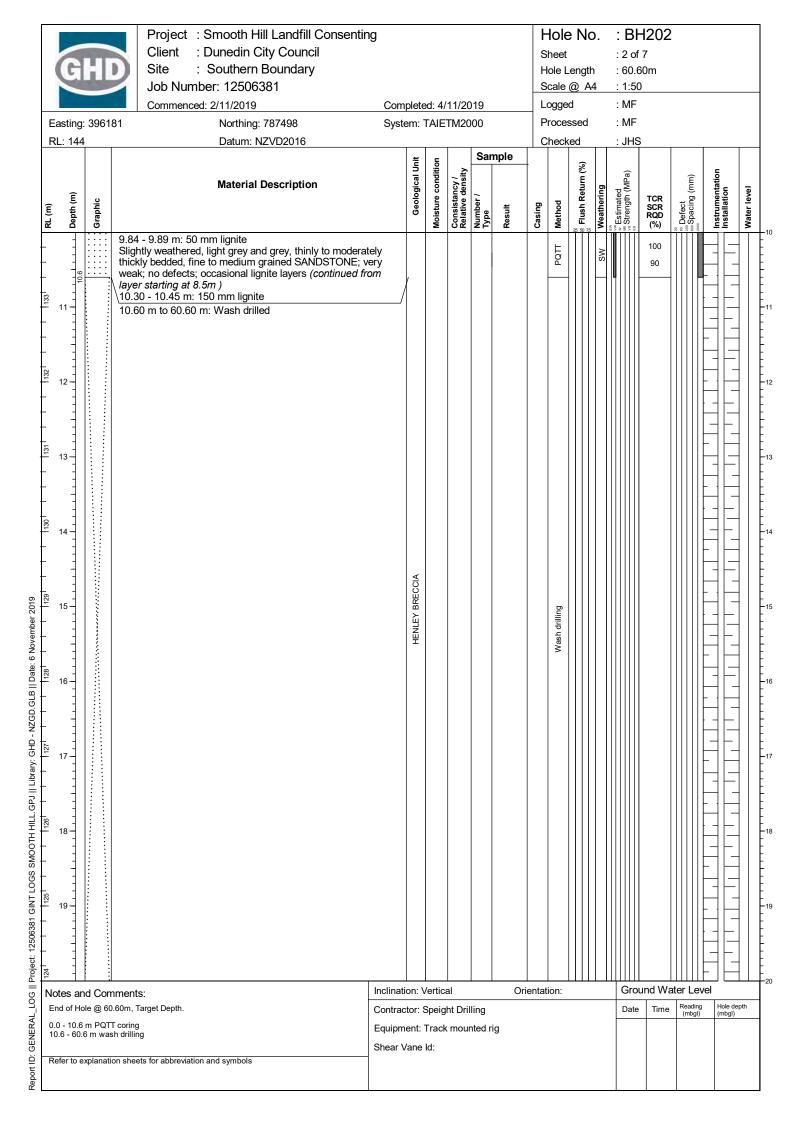
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.8 m	



Box 5 of 5: 9.00 m to 10.80 m

10.80 m to 61.00 m (EOH) - Wash drilled, no core recovered





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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting

: Southern Boundary

Hole No. : BH202

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Water level

Reading (mbgl)

Time

Report ID:

End of Hole @ 60.60m, Target Depth. Contractor: Speight Drilling Date 0.0 - 10.6 m PQTT coring 10.6 - 60.6 m wash drilling Equipment: Track mounted rig

Shear Vane Id:

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Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting : BH202 Hole No. Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 5 of 7 Site : Southern Boundary Hole Length : 60.60m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 2/11/2019 Completed: 4/11/2019 Logged : MF Northing: 787498 System: TAIETM2000 Processed : MF Easting: 396181 RL: 144 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Estimated Strength (MPa) Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Weathering Depth (m) TCR SCR RQD Number / Method Casing 10.60 m to 60.60 m: Wash drilled (continued from layer starting at 10.6m) HENLEY BRECCIA Wash drilling GENERAL\_LOG || Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ || Library: GHD - NZGD GLB || Date: 6 November 2019 Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments:

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End of Hole @ 60.60m, Target Depth. 0.0 - 10.6 m PQTT coring 10.6 - 60.6 m wash drilling

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**Ground Water Level** 

Contractor: Speight Drilling

Equipment: Track mounted rig

Shear Vane Id:

Reading (mbgl) Date Time

Defect Spacing (mm)

Water level

Project : Smooth Hill Landfill Consenting : BH202 Hole No. Client : Dunedin City Council Sheet : 6 of 7 Site : Southern Boundary Hole Length : 60.60m Job Number: 12506381 Scale @ A4 : 1:50 Commenced: 2/11/2019 Completed: 4/11/2019 Logged : MF Northing: 787498 System: TAIETM2000 Processed : MF Easting: 396181 RL: 144 Checked Datum: NZVD2016 : JHS Sample **Geological Unit** Moisture condition 8 Estimated Strength (MPa) Consistancy / Relative density Flush Return **Material Description** Weathering Depth (m) TCR SCR RQD Number / Method Casing 10.60 m to 60.60 m: Wash drilled (continued from layer starting at 10.6m) HENLEY BRECCIA Wash drilling Project: 12506381 GINT LOGS SMOOTH HILL.GPJ | Library: GHD - NZGD.GLB | Date: 6 November 2019 55

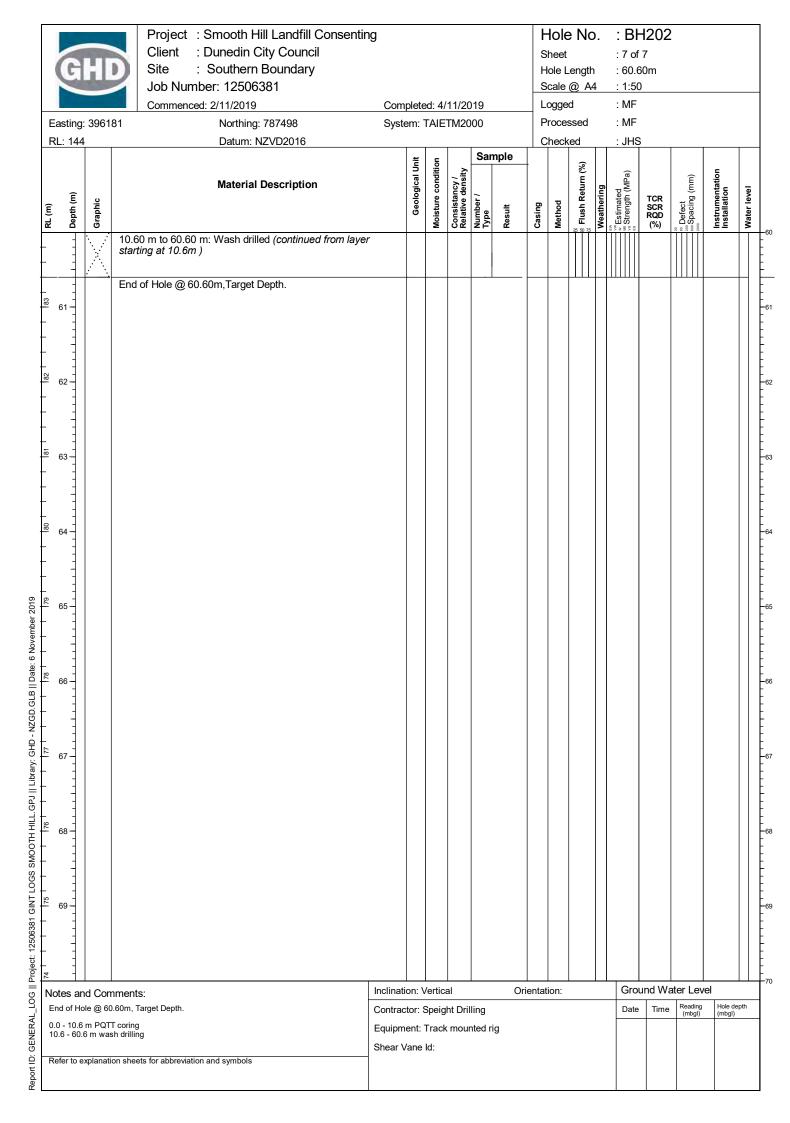
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**Ground Water Level** Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Notes and Comments: End of Hole @ 60.60m, Target Depth. Reading (mbgl) Contractor: Speight Drilling Date Time 0.0 - 10.6 m PQTT coring 10.6 - 60.6 m wash drilling Equipment: Track mounted rig

Shear Vane Id:

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Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	02/11/2019 Completed	04/11/2019
Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.6 m	



Box 1 of 4: 0.00 m to 2.30 m



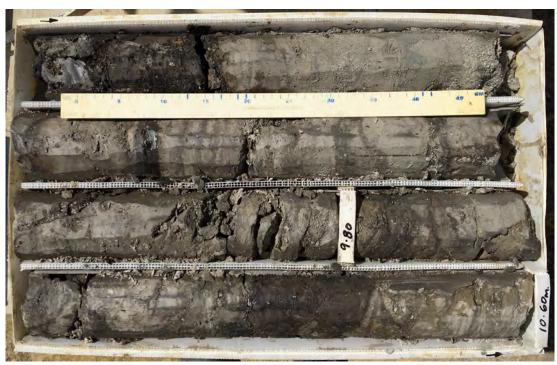
Box 2 of 4: 2.30 m to 6.10 m



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Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.6 m	



Box 3 of 4: 6.10 m to 8.30 m

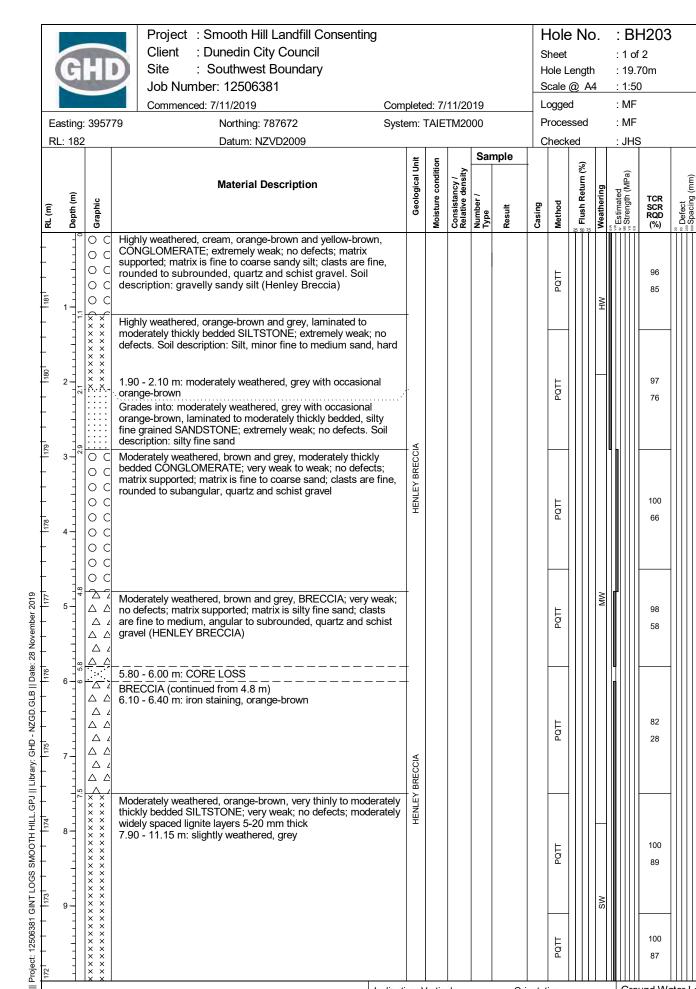


Box 4 of 4: 8.30 m to 10.60 m



Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	02/11/2019 Completed	04/11/2019
Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.6 m	

10.60 m to 60.60 m (EOH) - Wash drilled, no core recovered



Notes and Comments: 50 End of Hole @ 19.70m, Target Depth. Groundwater not encountered

Inclination: Vertical Orientation: Contractor: Speight Drilling

**Ground Water Level** 

Water level

Equipment: Track mounted rig

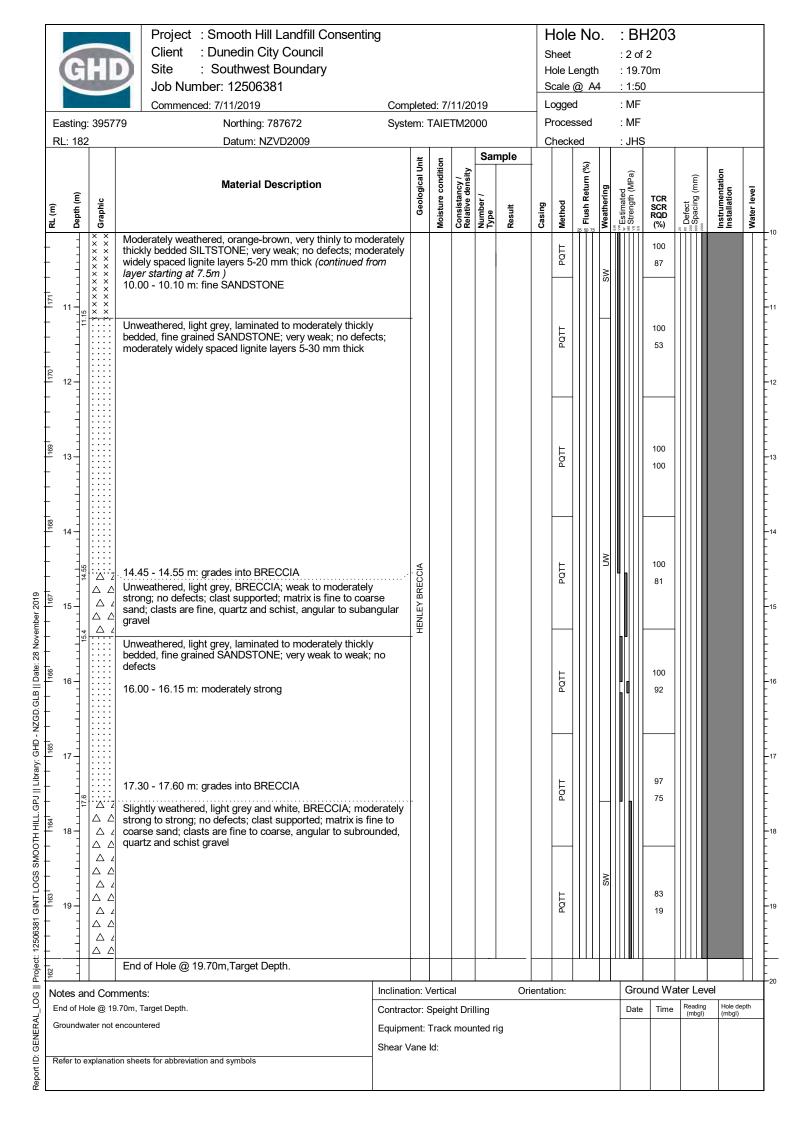
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Site	Smooth Hill	Logged By	MF	
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 19.7 m	



0.00 m to 2.30 m



2.30 m to 4.60 m



Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	07/11/2019 Completed	07/11/2019
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m to 19.7 m	



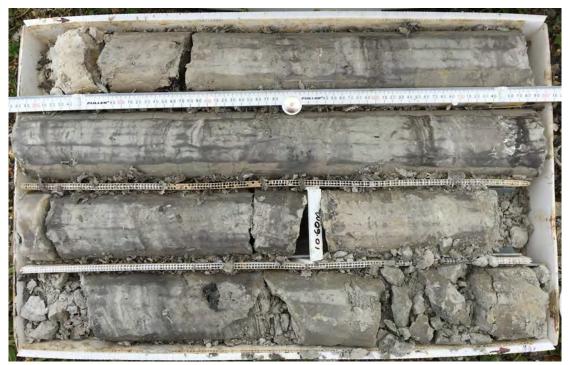
4.60 m to 6.90 m



6.90 m to 9.20 m



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9.20 m to 11.30 m



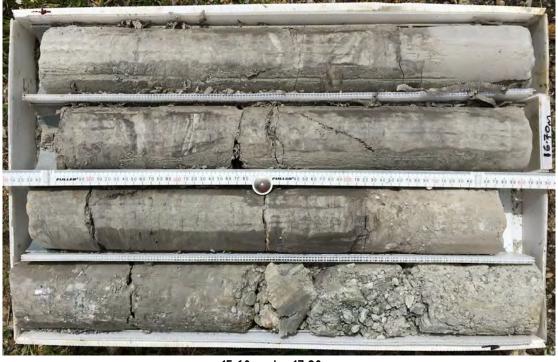
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m to 19.7 m	



13.40 m to 15.60 m



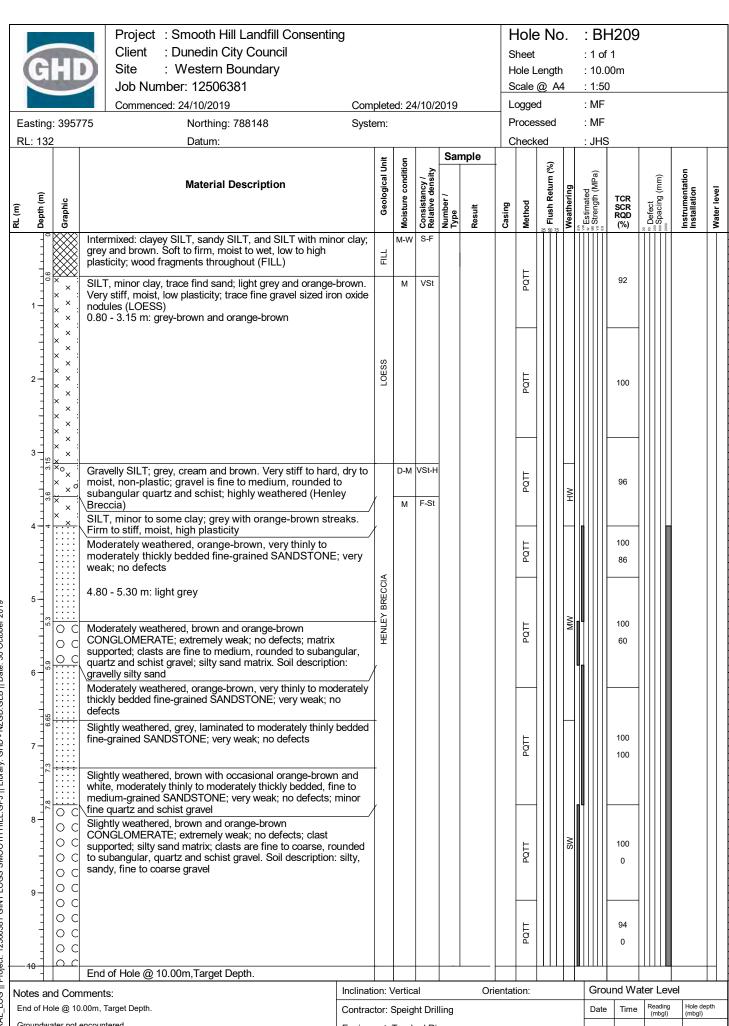
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m to 19.7 m	



17.90 m to 19.70 m (EOH)



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Site	Western Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.0 m	



Box 1 of 5: 0.00 m to 2.40 m



Box 2 of 5: 2.40 m to 4.70 m



Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	24/10/2019 Completed	24/10/2019
Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.0 m	



Box 3 of 5: 4.70 m to 7.15 m



Box 4 of 5: 7.15 m to 9.20 m



Project	Waste Futures WS3 – Smooth Hill	Commenced	24/10/2019 Completed	24/10/2019
Site	Southern Boundary	Logged By	MF	
Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 10.0 m	



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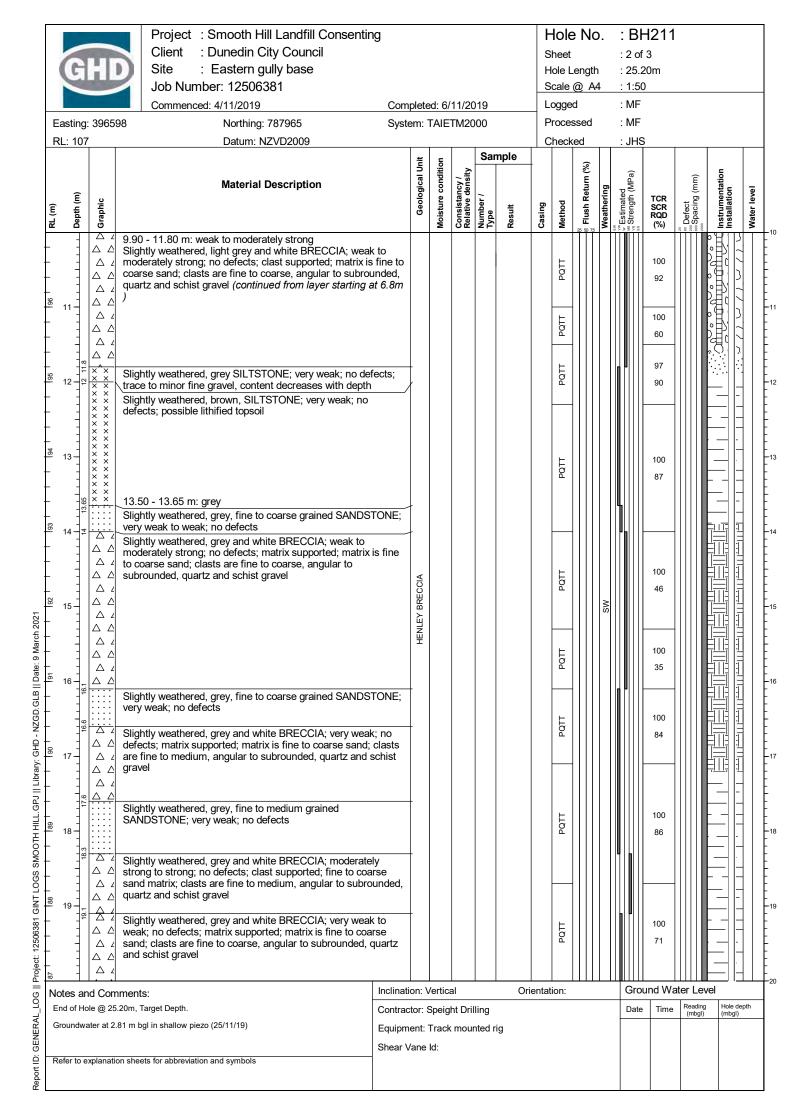
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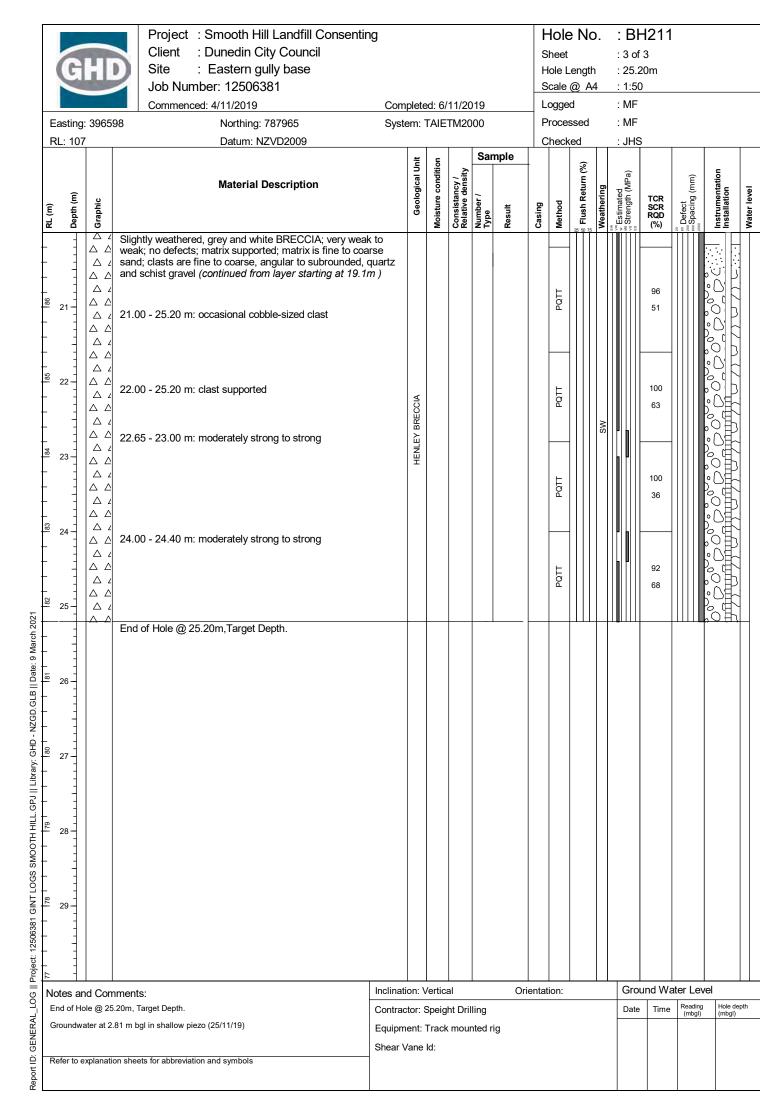
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Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m – 25.2 m	



0.00 m to 2.80 m



2.80 m to 6.20 m



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Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m to 25.2 m	



6.20 m to 8.50 m



8.50 m to 10.70 m



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Job#	12506381	Checked By		
Client	Dunedin City Council	Core Depth	0.0 m to 25.2 m	



10.70 m to 12.80 m



12.80 m to 14.90 m



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14.90 m to 17.20 m



17.20 m to 19.50 m



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19.50 m to 21.70 m



21.70 m to 23.90 m



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23.90 m to 25.20 m (EOH)

## **Appendix C** – Technical Appendix



## Technical Appendix

## 1. Introduction

This technical appendix outlines the assessment of leachate generation and leakage for the proposed Smooth Hill landfill, and has been prepared to support both the landfill design and an assessment of environmental effects (AEE), as presented in the following reports:

- GHD, 20210. Waste Futures Smooth Hill Landfill. Concept Design Report.
- GHD, 20219. Waste Futures Smooth Hill Landfill. Assessment of Effects to Groundwater.

## 1.1 Landfill Design

The flow balancing of the landfill leachate collection system requires that the following hydraulic aspects are considered in the design of the proposed Smooth Hill landfill:

- Flow capacity of the leachate drainage pipework.
- In-landfill storage basin capacity.
- Leachate pump station capacity and rising main size.
- · Leachate above ground storage (prior to discharging off site).

Additionally, restricting the maximum leachate head to less than 300 mm is a minimum requirement for leachate collection systems within the WasteMINZ technical guidelines for disposal to land (WasteMINZ, 2018).

To inform the hydraulic design, leachate generation and reporting times to the leachate collection system have been estimated for storm events of varying rainfall intensity.

#### 1.2 Assessment of Environmental Effects

The following aspects of the proposed Smooth Hill Landfill are required to be understood to inform assessment of potential environmental effects:

- Likely volume of leachate leaking to ground, as a function of landfill area, stages of development and expected liner performance.
- The landfill water balance during construction and after closure, including runoff, evapotranspiration and leachate generation.

## Leachate Assessment Methodology

### 2.1 Introduction

The leachate assessment comprised analysis of the following:

- 1. Seasonal and average leachate generation and leakage, to support landfill cover design and assessment of environmental effects (AEE), with this analysis described in Section 2.2.
- 2. Storm event leachate generation and flow to the leachate collection system to support hydraulic design of the collection system, with this analysis described in Section 2.3.

## 2.2 HELP Modelling and Landfill Leachate Balance

Leachate generation, leakage to ground and leachate head above the liner was assessed using the Hydrologic Evaluation of Landfill Performance (HELP) software (Berger and Schroeder, 2013). HELP 3.95D is a quasi-two-dimensional hydrologic model for conducting water balance analysis of landfills and cover systems. The model utilises weather, soil and design data to account for the effects of surface storage, runoff, infiltration, evapotranspiration, soil moisture, lateral subsurface drainage, vertical drainage and leakage through soil and geo-membrane liners.

Four different landfill profiles were modelled to assess leachate generation and leakage. The water balance estimated for each were applied for the five the four stages of landfill stages development to provide the whole of landfill water balance at different times through the landfill operational lifecycle.

The results of this assessment provide information to support landfill capping design, and assessment of environmental effects.

#### 2.2.1 Landfill Profile and Cover

Four landfill profiles, in different phases of landfill development, were considered in predicting the landfill water balance:

- Open waste.
- Daily cover.
- Intermediate cover.
- Final cap.

Additionally, a profile was modelled to represent existing conditions at the site to assess changes to the water balance and quantify potential effects to groundwater.

A liner only profile (prior to placement of waste) was not modelled with HELP, as all rainfall is assumed to report to the leachate collection system. Average annual rainfall of 809.5 mm was adopted for this profile from the results of the weather generator model (discussed further in Section 2.2.3).

All landfill profiles comprised a landfill liner, discussed further in Section 2.2.2, overlain by a 300 cmm gravel drainage layer and municipal waste. A municipal waste thickness of 100 cmm was adopted for open waste, daily cover and intermediate cover landfill phases. A municipal waste thickness of 1,400 cmm was adopted for the final cap phase, to represent the final average waste thickness across the landfill. The profile characteristics adopted are presented in attached Table A 1. Soil values of total pore volume, field capacity and wilting point were adopted from published USDA soil textures (Schroeder et al., 1994), however saturated hydraulic conductivity was modified for a number of the soil units. Justification for the adopted soil textures and saturated hydraulic conductivity is presented in Table 1.



Table 1: Justification for adopted soil texture and saturated hydraulic conductivity

Profile	Soil Unit	Adopted USDA Soil Texture <sup>(1)</sup>	USDA saturated hydraulic conductivity (cm/s)	Adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity (cm/s)	Justification
Existing Environment	Silt loam	23 – Silt Loam (moderately compacted)	<u>9x10<sup>-6</sup></u>	<u>1x10<sup>-5</sup></u>	On site top soil described as silt with trace to minor clay.  Hydraulic conductivity higher than triaxial permeability test  results (ranging from 5.3x10 <sup>-8</sup> cm/s – 3.2x10 <sup>-6</sup> cm/s) to account for macro pores.
Landfill Open Waste	Upper Municipal Waste Layer (Layer 1)	21 - Gravel	3x10 <sup>-1</sup>	3x10 <sup>-3</sup>	Poor soil moisture retention expected due to high heterogeneity and poor compaction. Plastics in the waste are also likely to channel the drainage, limit the spreading of infiltration, and restrict the wetting of the waste <sup>(2)</sup> . Adopted, saturated hydraulic conductivity therefore similar, but slightly greater than, that of municipal waste.
Landfill Daily Cover	Daily Cover (Layer 1)	9 – Silt Loam (slightly compacted)	1.9x10 <sup>-4</sup>	1x10 <sup>-3</sup>	On site top soil described as silt with trace to minor clay, however lower soil moisture retention characteristics and increased saturated hydraulic conductivity adopted as site won material will have significant open macro-pores allowing water transmission. Slight compaction.
Landfill Intermediate Cover	Intermediate Cover (Layer 1)	28 – Silty Clay (moderately compacted)	1.2x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1x10 <sup>-4</sup>	On site loess largely described as silt with trace to some clay to silty clay. Increased adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity to account for lower clay content. Minor compaction and contouring.

Profile	Soil Unit	Adopted USDA Soil Texture <sup>(1)</sup>	hydraulic hydraulic conductivity (cm/s) Adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity (cm/s)		Justification	
Landfill Final Cap	Topsoil (Layer 1 & 2)	28 – Silty Clay (moderately compacted)	1.2x10 <sup>-6</sup> 1x10 <sup>-4</sup>		On site loess largely described as silt with trace to some clay to silty clay. Increased adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity to account for lower clay content. Minor compaction and contouring.	
	Barrier Clay (Layer 3)	28 – Silty Clay (moderately compacted)	1.2x10 <sup>-6</sup>	5x10 <sup>-6</sup>	On site loess largely described as silt with trace to some clay to silty clay. Increased adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity to account for lower clay content. Moderate compaction.	
	Soil (Layer 4)	28 – Silty Clay (moderately compacted)	1.2x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1x10 <sup>-4</sup>	Represents layer 1 of intermediate cover which will be present before placement of final cap.	
All Landfill Profiles	Municipal Waste	18 - Municipal Waste (312 kg/m³)	1x	10 <sup>-3</sup>	No changes to USDA soil texture characteristics.	
(Landfill Waste and	Drainage Layer	21 – Gravel	3x	10 <sup>-1</sup>	No changes to USDA soil texture characteristics.	
Liner)	FML Geomembrane	35 – High Density Polyethylene (HDPE)	2x*	10-13	No changes to USDA soil texture characteristics.	
	GCL	17 – Bentonite Mat	3x10 <sup>-9</sup>	5x10 <sup>-9</sup>	Adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity increased slightly to match GRI-GCL3 requirement for a typical GCL.	
	Clay	28 – Silty Clay (moderately compacted)	1.2x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1x10 <sup>-6</sup>	On site loess largely described as silt with trace to some classilty clay. Adopted saturated hydraulic conductivity anticipate be achieved using site won loess materials.	

<sup>1)</sup> Schroeder et al., 1994.

<sup>2)</sup> Berger and Schroeder, 2013.



## 2.2.2 Landfill Liner and Slope

The landfill liner, as presented in the profiles in attached Table A 1, is proposed to comprise a 600 mm clay base layer, overlain by a 5 mm geosynthetic clay liner (GCL) and 1.5 mm flexible membrane liner (FML).

The following landfill liner defects and condition, were adopted within the HELP model with regards to the FML:

FML comprised a high density polyethylene.

• Pinhole density: 2 / hectare.

Installation defects: 25 / hectare.

Installation quality: Poor.

Two liner slope scenarios were modelled for each <u>landfill profilestage of the landfill</u> (Table 2), which reflect different liner slopes between <u>benched the</u> (low gradient) <u>base</u> and battered (high gradient) areas of the landfill. For each slope scenario, the average distance to the leachate drain was adopted. <u>The areas assessed during each For each stage</u> of the landfill development <u>are also provided in Table 2.</u>; it was assumed that at any given point in time the bench to batter ratio would be approximately 3:7, with this being generally consistent with the whole of landfill distribution of liner slopes.

**Table 2: Landfill Stage** 

Stage	Slope Type	Liner Slope	Average Flow Path Distance to Leachate Drain (m)	Area (m²)
All stages	Base	4%	<del>270</del> 50	<del>32,600</del> 44,000
1	Batter	<del>25</del> 20%	<b>4</b> 50	<del>70,542</del> <u>17,000</u>
2	Batter	<u>20%</u> 25%	<del>140</del> <u>75</u>	<del>66,788</del> <u>61,000</u>
3	Batter	<u>20%</u> 25%	<del>160</del> 90	<del>50,276</del> 113,000
4	Batter	<u>20%</u> 25%	<u>100</u> 150	<del>55,123</del> <u>142,000</u>

## 2.2.3 Weather and Rainfall Runoff

Synthetic weather files were generated for a 50 year period using a weather generator model (WGEN), a stochastic model used to generate daily weather variables. Taulis and Milke (2005) from the University of Canterbury developed climate parameters for Dunedin, Otago, which were used within the Weather Generator to generate inputs for:

- Evapotranspiration
- Precipitation
- Air Temperature
- Solar Radiation

In developing the HELP climate data, the following user defined parameters and values were also included:

- Maximum leaf area index:
  - o 3.5 was adopted for all landfill phases
- Evaporative zone depth:
  - o 1 cm was adopted for open waste
  - 15 cm was adopted for daily cover, intermediate cover and final cap

The evaporative zone depth was reduced for the open waste profile to account for rapid infiltration of rainfall through the shallow layers of municipal waste, which is expected to be very heterogeneous and poorly compacted, resulting in poor soil moisture retention. Plastics in the waste are also likely to channel the drainage, limit the spreading of infiltration, and restrict the wetting of the waste (Berger and Schroeder, 2013). For the same reason, a 10 cm thick drainage layer was specified as layer 1 of the open waste soil profile (attached Table A 1).

Rainfall runoff within the HELP model is determined through application of a runoff curve number. The parameters utilised for determination of the curve number include soil texture, surface slope, compaction, surface vegetation and average surface flow path length. The adopted criteria for each landfill phase and stage are presented in attached Table A 2 and Table A 3, respectively. Sensitivity analysis was undertaken to assess whether changes in surface slope of the intermediate and final cap profiles influenced the HELP model water balance. The analysis indicated that there was very little difference in water balance with slope changes between a 5% and 33% slope. A 33% slope was therefore adopted for all intermediate and final cap landfill profiles (attached Table A 2). A 0.1% slope was adopted for open waste and waste with daily cover to simulate an approximately flat surface (attached Table A 2).

#### 2.2.4 Landfill Development Stages and Landfill Leachate Balance

Water balances for the <u>fourfive</u> stages of landfill development (Drawing No. 51-12506381-01-C201) were determined, considering progressive development from Stage 1 to Stage <u>45</u>. For each stage of the landfill development, with the exception of the completed and closed landfill, a worst case scenario of open landfill area is assumed, with the operational areas of the landfill comprising the following:

- 10,000 m<sup>2</sup> of exposed liner.
- 2,500 m<sup>2</sup> of exposed landfill waste with no cover.
- 11,500 m<sup>2</sup> of exposed landfill waste with daily cover.
- Intermediate and final cap areas varying depending on the total footprint each stage of landfill development.

## 2.3 Storm Event Leachate Reporting Times

The time for leachate to report to the leachate drainage system was modelled using Geostudio 2018 SEEP/W finite element numerical modelling software. This allowed for analysis of rainfall infiltration through open (un-covered) waste material, and estimation of the time for leachate to reach the drainage layer.

Model set up is described in Table 3.

Table 3: Model Set Up

Parameter	Adopted Value	Justification
Model dimensions	0.1 m wide x 14 m thick	Width chosen to ensure sufficient mesh density
		Average thickness of waste layer in landfill
Waste Hydraulic Conductivity	2.15 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> m/s	High permeability of recently placed waste (Uniform Sand - SEEP/W Database)
Waste Volumetric Water Content Function	Uniform Sand Function (SEEP/W Database)	Low residual water content
Drainage Layer Hydraulic Conductivity	3 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> m/s	Particle size density (PSD) hydraulic conductivity analysis of drainage layer aggregate.
Drainage Layer Volumetric Water Content Function	Uniform Sand (SEEP/W Database)	Low residual water content
Rainfall Boundary Condition	Water rate for each rainfall event (detailed in Table 4)	HIRDS* rainfall intensity data
Drainage Layer Boundary Condition	0 m water pressure head	Simulates leachate removal from the drainage layer

<sup>\*</sup> High Intensity Rainfall Design System (HIRDS) v4 Depth Duration Frequency (DDF) for site coordinates.

Table 4: Rainfall rate from HIRDSv4 DDF rainfall depths

10 Year Annual Recurrence Interval (ARI)	Rainfall depth (mm)
2 Hour	27.5
12 Hour	65.1
48 Hour	115

The following assumptions were adopted for the model:

- No evaporation or runoff was allowed for (100% of rainfall was assumed to infiltrate into the waste).
- The average final landfill waste thickness was adopted (14 m).
- The model assumes the waste is homogeneous.

## 3. Results

## 3.1 HELP Modelling

HELP model outputs from each model profile and stage are detailed in attached Table A 4 and Table A 5, and are further discussed in the sections below.

#### 3.1.1 Leachate Generation

Attached Table A 6 presents the HELP model results of leachate collected through the drainage layer for both the final closed landfill, and the worst case landfill state, which comprises a combination of landfill profiles including exposed liner, open waste, intermediate waste and final cap. Attached Table A 7 presents the HELP model results for leachate collection for closed landfill stages modelled using final cap profile only. A summary of the leachate predicted to be collected during operation and after stage closure is presented in Figure 1. There are two drainage collection systems for the proposed landfill, which separate the leachate collection in Stages 1 and 2 from leachate collection in Stages 3, 4 and 5.

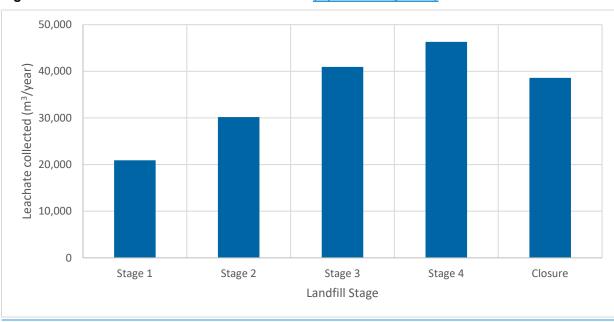


Figure 1: HELP Model landfill leachate collection (Updated May 2021)

The predicted leachate volumes reported to the collection systems will occur sequentially-during operation will not occur concurrently as each landfill stage will be closed before the next one is opened (ie. when stage 2 is operational, stage 1 will be closed and covered with final cap). The largest leachate volumes are likely to occur during operation of stage 54, with a total predicted leachate volume of approximately 98,52546,310 m³/year for the whole landfill. Approximately 57,699 m³/year of this will be generated from operational stage 5 and closed stages 3 and 4. The remaining leachate of approximately 40.826 m³/year will be generated from closed stages 1 and 2.

After complete landfill closure, the total leachate predicted from all five stages to report to the collection system is approximately 89,58838,584 m³/year, with around 40,826 m³/year reporting to the drainage system for stages 1 and 2, and around 48,762 m³/year reporting to the drainage system for stages 3, 4 and 5.

## 3.1.2 Leachate Leakage

Attached Table A 7 presents the areas considered for leachate generation, and the results of leachate leakage through the landfill liner, respectively, comprising a combination of landfill profiles including exposed liner, open waste, intermediate waste and final cap. A summary of the predicted leachate leakage through the liner during development of the landfill and after closure is presented in Figure 2.

The maximum leachate leakage is predicted to occur during operation of stage 5after closure, with an estimated leakage rate of 2,950261 litres/year (3.00.26 m³/year) (generated from operational stage 5 and closed stages 1, 2, 3 and 4). The predicted total leachate leakage from all stages after landfill closure is approximately 1,884 litres/year (1.9 m³/year).

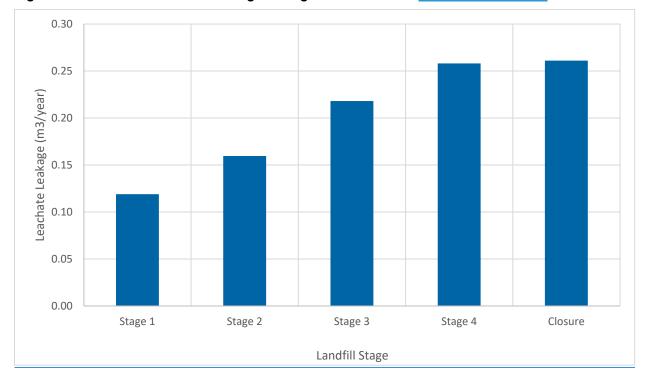


Figure 2: HELP Model leachate leakage through the landfill liner (Updated May 2021)

#### 3.1.3 Leachate Head above the Liner

The minimum leachate collection system requirement in the WasteMINZ (2018) technical guidelines states that the leachate head not to exceed 300 mm. The maximum head recorded through the full 50 year HELP model was 52.1 mm under the slope scenario 1 open waste landfill profile induring both stages 1 and 2. The HELP model results in attached Table A 4 indicate that the average predicted head above the liner is 19.23.6 mm for the open waste landfill profile. This reduces to average predicted head above the liner of approximately 9.91.8 mm, 8.31.5 mm and 7.41.4 mm for daily cover, intermediate cap and final cap landfill profiles, respectively.

## 3.2 Storm Event Leachate Reporting Times

The results of the SEEP/W leachate modelling is presented in Figure 3, with Table 5 presenting the percentage of total rainfall reporting to the drainage layer for each of the ARI events. The results indicate that peak leachate reporting rates through 14 m of landfill waste occur approximately 4 to 5 days after the start of each rainfall event for the three ARI events modelled. It is anticipated that rainfall events with varying intensity would also respond within this approximate timeframe for the same thickness of waste. Reporting times would be expected to be faster for a smaller waste layer, and greater for a larger waste layer, due to the respective reduced and increased flow path lengths.

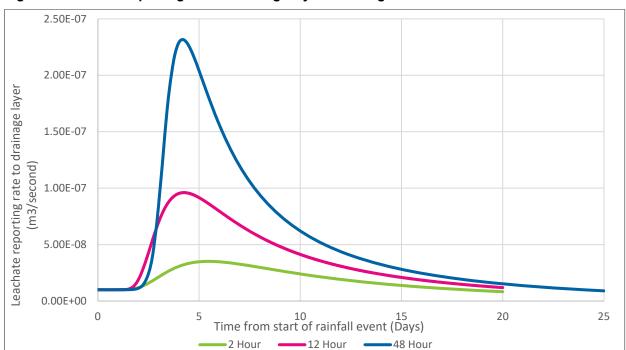


Figure 3: Leachate reporting rate to drainage layer following 10 Year ARI rainfall event

The results also demonstrate that increasing the length of the rainfall event corresponds with increasing reporting rates during peak flow. Infiltration resulting from the two and twelve hour events appears to travel through the waste within approximately 20 days, while infiltration from the 48 hour event took approximately 25 days. Rainfall events that last longer than 48 hours are therefore anticipated to take longer than 25 days to report to the landfill drainage system for a similar waste thickness as that modelled.



Table 5: Percentage of total rainfall reporting to leachate drainage layer through 14 m of waste

10 Year Annual Recurrence Interval (ARI)					Time since	commence	ement of ra	infall event				
	1 Hour	4 Hours	12 Hours	1 Day	2 Days	3 Days	4 Days	5 Days	10 Days	15 Days	20 Days	25 Days
2 Hour	0.1 %	0.4 %	1.7 %	2.5 %	5.2 %	9.3 %	16 %	24 %	63 %	86 %	100%	-
12 Hour	0.05 %	0.2 %	0.63 %	1.3 %	2.8 %	8.2 %	19 %	31 %	71 %	90 %	100 %	-
48 Hour	0.03 %	0.1 %	0.36 %	0.7 %	1.4 %	3.9 %	16 %	32 %	73 %	88 %	96 %	100 %



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## **Attachments**



**Table A 1: HELP Model Soil Profiles** 

Scenario	Layer No.	Layer Description	Soil Texture Description*	Layer Type**	Layer Thickness (cm)	Saturated Hydraulic Conductivity (cm/s)	Total Pore Volume (Vol/Vol)	Field Capacity (Vol/Vol)	Wilting Point (Vol/Vol)
Existing Environment	1	Top soil / loess	Silt Loam - moderately compacted	<u>VPL</u>	<u>100</u>	1.0E-05	<u>0.461</u>	0.360	0.203
	1	Municipal Waste	Gravel	VPL	10	3.0E-03	0.397	0.032	0.013
	2	Municipal Waste	Municipal Waste (312 kg/m³)	VPL	90	1.0E-03	0.671	0.292	0.077
andfill Open	3	Gravel Drainage	Gravel	LDL	30	3.0E-01	0.397	0.032	0.013
Waste	4	FML	HDPE	GML	0.15	2.0E-13	-	-	-
	5	GCL	Bentonite Mat	BSL	0.5	5.0E-09	0.75	0.747	0.4
	6	Clay	Silty Clay - moderately compacted	VPL	60	1.0E-06	0.452	0.411	0.311
	1	Daily Cover	Silt Loam – slightly compacted	VPL	15	1.0E-03	0.501	0.284	0.135
	2	Municipal Waste	Municipal Waste (312 kg/m³)	VPL	100	1.0E-03	0.671	0.292	0.077
Landfill Daily	3	Gravel Drainage	Gravel	LDL	30	3.0E-01	0.397	0.032	0.013
Cover	4	FML	HDPE	GML	0.15	2.0E-13	-	-	-
	5	GCL	Bentonite Mat	BSL	0.5	5.0E-09	0.75	0.747	0.4
	6	Clay	Silty Clay - moderately compacted	VPL	60	1.0E-06	0.452	0.411	0.311
	1	Intermediate Cover	Silty Clay – moderately compacted	VPL	30	1.0E-04	0.452	0.411	0.311
I	2	Municipal Waste	Municipal Waste (312 kg/m³)	VPL	100	1.0E-03	0.671	0.292	0.077
Landfill Intermediate	3	Gravel Drainage	Gravel	LDL	30	3.0E-01	0.397	0.032	0.013
Cover	4	FML	HDPE	GML	0.15	2.0E-13	-	-	-
Cover	5	GCL	Bentonite Mat	BSL	0.5	5.0E-09	0.75	0.747	0.4
	6	Clay	Silty Clay - moderately compacted	VPL	60	1.0E-06	0.452	0.411	0.311
	1	Topsoil	Silty Clay Loam – moderately compacted	VPL	10	1.0E-05	0.445	0.393	0.277
	2	Topsoil	Silty Clay Loam – moderately compacted	LDL	5	1.0E-05	0.445	0.393	0.277
	3	Clay cap	Silty Clay – moderately compacted	BSL	60	5.0E-06	0.452	0.411	0.311
Landfill Final	4	Soil	Silty Clay – moderately compacted	VPL	50	1.0E-04	0.452	0.411	0.311
	5	Municipal Waste	Municipal Waste (312 kg/m³)	VPL	1400	1.0E-03	0.671	0.292	0.077
Сар	6	Gravel Drainage	Gravel	LDL	30	3.0E-01	0.397	0.032	0.013
	7	FML	HDPE	GML	0.15	2.0E-13	-	-	-
	8	GCL	Bentonite Mat	BSL	0.5	5.0E-09	0.75	0.747	0.4
	9	Clay	Silty Clay - moderately compacted	VPL	60	1.0E-06	0.452	0.411	0.311

<sup>\*</sup> U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) soil textural classification system reported in Schroeder et al., (1994).<sup>1</sup>
\*\* VPL = Vertical Percolation Layer. LDL = Lateral Drainage Layer. GML = Geomembrane. BSL = Barrier Soil Layer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Schroeder, P. R., Dozier, T.S., Zappi, P. A., McEnroe, B. M., Sjostrom, J.W., and Peyton, R. L. (1994). "The Hydrologic Evaluation of Landfill Performance (HELP) Model: Engineering Documentation for Version 3," EPA/600/R-94/168b, September 1994, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Research and Development, Washington, DC.

Table A 2: Parameters for determination of runoff curve number for each landfill phase

Scenario	Soil Texture	Surface slope	Surface Vegetation	
Existing Environment	Silt loam	<u>10%</u>	Poor Grass	
Landfill Open Waste	Municipal Waste	0.1%	Bare Soil	
Landfill Daily Cover	Slightly compacted silt loam	0.1%	Bare Soil	
Landfill Intermediate Cover	Moderately compacted silty clay	33%	Poor Grass	
Landfill Final Cap	Moderately compacted silty clay loam	33%	Good Grass	

Table A 3: Parameters for determination of runoff curve number for existing environment and each landfill stage

StageScenario	Average Surface Flow Path Length (m)
Existing Environment	<u>500</u>
Landfill Stage 1	150
Landfill Stage 2	2 <u>00</u> 50
Landfill Stage 3	<u>200</u> <del>100</del>
Landfill Stage 4	300
5	400

Table A 4: HELP Model Leachate Results (Updated May 2021)

			OW	DC	IC	FC	OW	DC	IC	FC	OW	DC	IC	FC
Stage	Liner Slope	Average Distance to Drain (m)	Average Annual Total Leachate Leakage (mm/year) /m²				Average Annual Total Leachate Collected from Drainage Layer (mm/year) / m <sup>2</sup>				Average Head on top of FML (mm)			
All stages	4%	50	0.006	0.00327	0.00273	0.00246	538.800	275.662	229.513	207.203	3.562	1.816	1.513	1.364
1	20%	50	0.00143	0.00073	0.0006	0.00056	541.354	276.624	229.524	207.202	0.743	0.378	0.32	0.287
2	20%	75	0.00206	0.00106	0.00089	0.00081	538.85	276.465	231.338	207.292	1.11	0.567	0.475	0.425
3	20%	90	0.00245	0.00126	0.00106	0.00096	538.85	276.465	231.337	207.291	1.331	0.681	0.57	0.51
4	20%	100	0.00271	0.0014	0.00119	0.00107	538.916	277.541	233.654	207.517	1.48	0.759	0.64	0.568

<sup>\*</sup> OW = Open Waste. DC = Daily Cover. IC = Intermediate Cover. FC = Final Cap.

Table A 5: HELP Model Runoff and Evapotranspiration Results (Updated May 2021)

	Open Waste	Daily Cover	Intermediate Cover	Final Cap	Open Waste	Daily Cover	Intermediate Cover	Final Cap
Stage			nual Total Runoff /year) / m²		Average A	Annual Actual Evar	ootranspiration (mm/	/year) / m²
1	0.649	20.919	92.297	113.975	270.158	512.902	478.663	488.504
2	0.600	20.073	90.362	113.9	270.158	512.947	487.784	488.21
3	0.600	20.073	90.362	113.9	270.158	512.947	487.784	488.21
4	0.537	18.922	87.876	113.628	270.158	513.021	487.954	488.276

Table A 6: Predicted leachate collected through the drainage layer under worst case operational landfill phases (Updated May 2021)

Landfill Stage	Exposed liner*		Open Waste		Daily Cover		Intermediate Cover		Final Cap		- Total Leachate Collected	
	Area	Leachate	Area	Leachate	Area	Leachate	Area	Leachate	Area	Leachate	Total Eddinate Collected	
	(m²)	Collected (L/Yr)	(m <sup>2</sup> )	Collected (L/Yr)	(m²)	Collected (L/Yr)	(m²)	Collected (L/Yr)	(m²)	Collected (L/Yr)	(L/Yr)	(m³/Yr)
1	10,000	8,095,000	2,500	1,348,788	11,500	3,173,214	28,000	6,426,446	9,000	1,864,825	20,908,272	20,908
2	10,000	8,095,000	2,500	1,347,073	11,500	3,175,468	33,000	7,608,848	48,000	9,948,205	30,174,594	30,175
3	10,000	8,095,000	2,500	1,347,090	11,500	3,176,759	32,000	7,386,447	101,000	20,933,922	40,939,218	40,939
4	10,000	8,095,000	2,500	1,347,222	11,500	3,186,537	3,000	697,979	159,000	32,983,269	46,310,008	46,310
Closure			•		-				186,000	38,580,691	38,580,691	38,581

<sup>\*100%</sup> of rainfall assumed to report from exposed liner. Annual average rainfall of 809.5 mm adopted.

Table A 7: Predicted leachate leakage through landfill liner during landfill development and after closure (updated May 2021)

	Exposed waste		Exposed waste with Daily Cover		Intermediate Cap		Final Cap		Total	
Landfill Stage	Area (m²)	Leachate Leakage (I/Yr)	Area (m²)	Leachate Leakage (L/Yr)	Area (m²)	Leachate Leakage (L/Yr)	Area (m²)	Leachate Leakage (L/Yr)	(Litres/year)	(m³/Yr)
1	2,500	15	11,500	29	28,000	60	9,000	17	119	0.12
2	2,500	11	11,500	23	33,000	55	48,000	72	160	0.16
3	2,500	10	11,500	21	32,000	49	101,000	139	218	0.22
4	2,500	10	11,500	21	3,000	5	159,000	223	258	0.26
Closure			-	-			186,000	261	261	0.26

## **Appendix D** – Monitoring Plan

Monitoring of surface water and groundwater is proposed to be undertaken during preconstruction, construction, operation and after landfill closure at the locations and frequency proposed in Table D 1. The location of the groundwater monitoring wells and surface water monitoring points are presented in Drawing 51-12506381-C309. The parameters proposed to be analysed in the water samples are presented in Table 5 in Section 4.2.4 of the main report. Establishment of baseline data will be required for at least 18 months prior to construction commencing. The data collected as part of this study will be included as part of the baseline monitoring database and samples will continue to be collected and analysed on a quarterly basis.

**Table D 1: Water Monitoring Locations and Frequency** 

Monitoring Point	Frequency		
Groundwater sample from subsoil drainage system prior to discharge to <u>wetlands or pumped for non-potable use</u> (GW7)attenuation basin.	Continuous monitoring of pH, EC and Ammonia for duration of consent once subsoil underdrains established  Monthly monitoring of full set of parameters for the duration of the consent		
Groundwater monitoring wells <sup>(2)</sup> (GW1 – GW6, and BH202 on Drawing <del>51-12506381-C309</del> )	Quarterly monitoring for the duration of the consent		
Surface water monitoring <sup>(3)</sup> (SW1 – SW67 on Drawing 51-12506381-C309)	Continuoues monitoring of pH, EC and Ammonia for stormwater discharge from Stage 1 of the landfill – when flows occur (SW2)  Monthly monitoring for the duration of the consent (when flows occur) for all locations		
Wetland monitoring - Monitoring of wetland features downstream of the landfill (within 100m of the attenuation basintoe bund) to identify any long term changes in water levels associated with landfill development	Continuous monitoring – data loggers		

- 1) Groundwater monitoring wells to be sampled either by low flow, or purge 3 well volumes followed by a grab sample
- Sample flowing water only (not stagnant), ensure sample from centre of water column to avoid bottom or surface sediment/debris. <u>See Surface Water report for further background</u>

Parameter trigger levels, and contingency actions should trigger levels be exceeded, will be detailed in the landfill management plan (LMP).

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