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Coal Combustion Residuals Landfill Run-on and Run-off Control System Plan (Version 2.0)

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1.0 Introduction

1.1 Important Note

Based on the calculations conducted as part of the development of this run-on and run-off control system plan, the current stormwater ditch located to the east of Cell 4 of the landfill will need to be modified according to the design presented in the CCR landfill closure and post-closure care plan before elevating the eastern berm of Cell 4 above its current elevations and depositing CCR in Cell 4 above the current elevations of the eastern berm.

1.2 Overview and Site Description

Gainesville Regional Utilities (GRU) owns and operates a coal combustion residuals (CCR) landfill according to the requirements of Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 257, Subpart D (CCR rule). The CCR landfill is approximately 22 acres in size and was constructed with a slurry wall containment system that was keyed into an existent natural clay layer underlying the landfill; the landfill does not have an engineered bottom liner system. The landfill is organized into four approximately equal-area (5.5-acre) cells, sequenced from Cell 1 (west) to Cell 4 (east).

§257.81(c) of the CCR rule requires the development of a run-on and run-off control system plan that documents that the CCR landfill is designed, constructed, operated, and maintained with:

- a run-on control system to prevent flow onto the active portion of the landfill during the peak discharge from a 24-hour, 25-year storm
- a run-off control system from the active portion of the landfill to collect and control at least the water volume resulting from a 24-hour, 25-year storm

The south and west sides of the landfill were regraded in 2019 to expand the capacity of the southern and western stormwater channels to handle run-off from a 24-hour, 25-year storm as the pre-existing channels were not adequately sized to handle run-off from this storm event. The current stormwater channels encompass a large fraction of the south and west side areas. The regraded stormwater run-off channels were seeded to control erosion. An additional culvert was also added on the southeast corner of the landfill. This report presents a revision of the first version of the run-on and run-off control plan prepared in 2016, incorporating the recent changes in the stormwater run-off management system of the landfill.

1.3 Report Organization

This Run-on and Run-off Control System Plan is organized into eight sections. Section 1 presents an overview of the plan and a description of the CCR landfill. Section 2 discusses the preclusion of site runon and provides a summary of the capacity evaluation of run-off management infrastructure. Section 3 describes the steps GRU will take to prepare the run-off control system for a major storm event. Section 4 describes the steps GRU will take to maintain the run-off control system following a major storm event. Section 5 discusses system modifications needs and provisions for amendment of the plan. Section 6 discusses record-keeping, notification, and publicly-accessible internet site requirements. Section 7 lists the references used in the development of this plan. Section 8 includes a certification from a qualified professional engineer stating that this run-on and run-off control system plan meets the requirements of §257.81.



2.0 Run-on and Run-off Management

Run-on and run-off are defined in the CCR rule (§257.53) as:

- <u>Run-on</u> any rainwater, leachate or other liquid that drains over land onto any part of a CCR landfill or lateral expansion of a CCR landfill
- <u>Run-off</u> any rainwater, leachate or other liquid that drains over land from any part of a CCR landfill or lateral expansion of a CCR landfill

2.1 Exclusion of Run-on

The existing site topography surrounding the landfill precludes the possibility of run-on from the surrounding areas into the landfill. As depicted in drawings Y67-3, and Y81-2 of B&M (1981), a berm exists on the northern side of the northern drainage ditch with a V-shaped drainage ditch at its toe would preclude run-on from the north of the landfill. The exterior extents of the modified stormwater channels on the south and the west sides of the landfill appear to be at a slightly higher elevation than the surrounding forested areas on these sides of the landfill. An open field lies directly east of the paved access road that borders the landfill on its eastern side. As presented in drawing Y67-3 of B&M (1981), this field was graded at a 0.4% slope to drain away from the landfill to the east-southeast. These grades around the landfill would preclude run-on from the land areas adjacent to the east, west, or the south of the landfill.

2.2 Run-off Classification and Management

The run-off from the landfill can be classified into CCR contact water and stormwater run-off. Contact water is the precipitation that has come in contact with CCR. Stormwater run-off includes precipitation that has not come in contact with CCR. CCR contact water will be routed through a series of downdrain pipes that will be incrementally installed along the northern side and slope of the landfill as filling progresses. The downdrain pipes will discharge to a large ditch in the northern portion of the landfill (i.e., northern drainage ditch) that collects and temporarily stores water that has come into contact with CCR.

Stormwater running off the eastern, western, and southern soil-covered side slopes will be intercepted and routed to the southeast corner of the landfill by stormwater channels located on these sides and eventually discharged to a stormwater pond located to the south of the landfill by means of corrugated high-density polyethylene culverts located on the southeast corners of the landfill. Figure 2-1 presents a layout of the landfill with important features of the run-off control system that will be referred to throughout this plan. The stormwater run-off from the northern slope will be intercepted by the northern drainage ditch and managed as contact water until stormwater channels are installed on this side of the landfill to divert the stormwater run-off from the northern drainage ditch. The stormwater run-off intercepted by the stormwater channel located north of the northern drainage ditch is routed to a culvert located on the northeast corner for eventual discharge into the forested area on the west of the landfill.





Figure 2-1. CCR Landfill Layout with Run-off Control Infrastructure (image from Google Earth, 12/05/2018)

2.2.1 CCR Contact Water - Downdrains

A conceptual landfill phasing plan was developed as part of the best management practices guidance document (IWCS 2020), which includes information on the size, number, arrangement, and location of downdrain pipes. The phasing plan includes the progressive filling of the landfill with active areas sloped at 2% to provide drainage of the contact water towards the north. Five (12)-inch diameter, high-density polyethylene (HDPE) downdrain pipes will collect the contact water accumulated along the inside edge of the northern peripheral containment berm and route it to the northern drainage ditch; each pipe has an inlet located at the inside toe of the berm. The pipe then protrudes through the containment berm, and runs down the northern side slope below grade, and underneath the unpaved access road (located between the landfill and the northern drainage ditch), and daylights into the northern drainage ditch. Appendix A includes downdrain cross-sections from IWCS (2020).

2.2.1.1 Critical Area

The critical area considered for CCR contact water generation volume and rate used to evaluate the capacity of the downdrain system was the bottom-most active area during initial filling. The best management practices guidance document (BMP) calls for the filling of Cells 1 and 2 (i.e., Basin 1) and then for the filling of Cells 3 and 4 (i.e., Basin 2). The largest, bottom-most active area of the initial fill phase for Basin 2 is larger than Basin 1 and is approximately 342,000 square feet, as presented in Appendix 2.



2.2.1.2 Capacity Evaluation

The capacity of the downdrain system was evaluated by assuming a worst-case scenario involving the complete obstruction of both downdrain pipes used for Basin 2 during its initial fill phase. In this event, CCR contact water will accumulate along the inside toe of the northern containment berm. Based on the geometry of the peripheral containment berms included in the phasing plan of the BMP, and as shown in Appendix C, there is a sufficient volume to contain the accumulated liquid associated with the design storm in the area inside the northern containment berm. Once the obstructions were removed, and as shown in Appendix C, it is estimated that the pipes would discharge the complete volume of accumulated liquid in approximately 5.3 hours.

2.2.2 CCR Contact Water – Northern Drainage Ditch

2.2.2.1 Critical Area

The maximum area discharging to the northern drainage ditch includes the landfill filling areas, the area of the landfill northern side slope, the area of the access road that lies between the landfill mound and the northern drainage ditch, and the area of the ditch itself.

2.2.2.2 Capacity Evaluation

The capacity of the northern drainage ditch was evaluated on a volumetric basis under the scenario where existing pump infrastructure (i.e., a pump station located at the eastern end of the ditch) was offline for the duration of the design storm event. Based on the geometry of the northern drainage ditch as presented in drawings from B&M (1981) and the calculations presented in Appendix D, the volume of the northern drainage ditch is not sufficient to handle the total run-off expected from a 24-hour, 25-year design storm. It was assumed that the northern drainage ditch will be pumped down to contain minimal liquids before the onset of a 24 hour, 25-year storm event. However, an existing basin located in Cell 4 of the landfill has sufficient capacity to temporarily store 150,000 ft³ of run-off corresponding to the Cell 4 drainage basin. Procedures for managing the run-off from this area are detailed in Section 3.2.

It should be noted that temporary storage of the run-off within Cell 4 is needed only in the event that GRU does not have the capability to actively pump liquids from the northern drainage ditch to the CCR impoundment during a 24-hour, 25-year storm event. It should also be noted that the temporary storage of liquids in Cell 4 is not a preferred approach for managing the liquids. The contact water volume estimation based on the current area represents the maximum contact water volume that would drain to the northern drainage ditch over the remaining life of the landfill as this area would decrease over time as the landfill expands vertically. As the CCR disposal continues in the landfill, the area of landfill contributing to contact water generation would decrease, and the area of the side slopes increase. Based on the current disposal rate, it is estimated that enough landfill area, which currently has exposed CCR, would become parts of the western and southern exterior slopes to route an additional 79,100 ft³ of stormwater as run-off instead of as contact water. The northern drainage ditch at that point (representative of filling Phase 15 as shown in Appendix A of IWCS (2020)) would have adequate capacity to contain the contact water from the remaining working face area of the landfill at that point.

2.2.3 Stormwater Perimeter Ditches and Culverts

There are two ditch and culvert pairs which collect and divert stormwater away from the landfill:



- Southwest Channel and Culvert located along the western and southern sides of the landfill, this channel collects stormwater from the landfill's western and southern side slopes. The channel terminates at two 36-inch HDPE culvert pipes that discharge to the stormwater pond located to the south of the landfill.
- **Eastern Ditch and Culvert** located along the eastern side of the landfill, this ditch collects stormwater from the landfill's eastern side slope. The ditch terminates at dual 24-inch HDPE culvert pipes, which discharge to the stormwater pond located to the southeast of the landfill.

2.2.3.1 Critical Areas

The maximum stormwater generation rate for these stormwater ditches/channels would occur when the landfill reaches final grades. Therefore, the final grading plan included in the landfill's closure and postclosure care plan (IWCS 2016) was used to calculate the maximum areas and corresponding maximum discharge rates to each stormwater ditch/channel and culvert pair. Calculations estimating the maximum discharge rates to these ditches and culverts can be found in Appendix B.

2.2.3.2 Capacity Evaluation

An evaluation of the ditches and culverts capacities to handle the stormwater run-off associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm is presented in Appendix D and E, respectively. Based on the calculations and the configuration of the stormwater infrastructure, it was estimated that the southwestern channel, southeastern culverts, and eastern culvert pipes appear to have sufficient capacity to handle the maximum stormwater run-off flows expected during the active life of the landfill.

However, based on the calculations, the eastern drainage ditch will need to be expanded according to the geometry presented in the IWCS (2016) CCR Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Care Plan before depositing CCRs in Cell 4 above the current elevations of the eastern berm.

3.0 Preparation for Major Storm Events

3.1 Inspection of Run-off Control Features

At least 48-hours prior to a major storm event (e.g., tropical storm, hurricane), GRU will inspect and (as necessary) repair/maintain the following run-off control infrastructure:

- **Downdrains/Culverts** ensure downdrain/culvert inlets and outlets are free of obstruction and that there is no evidence of pipe damage along the entire pipe lengths
- **Ditches** ensure ditches are free of vegetation or sediment obstruction and that vegetation height is optimal.

3.2 Northern Drainage Ditch Management

To prevent overtopping of the northern drainage ditch, GRU will take the following steps:

- 1. Pump out/drain all existing water in the Cell 4 basin area. All water in the Cell 4 basin area will be managed as CCR contact water.
- 2. Pump out all existing water in the northern drainage ditch
- 3. Plug the existing internal culvert pipe located in the northern section of Cell 4 using an inflatable pipe plug before the storm event to contain the contact water and stormwater, which would drain to Cell 4, within Cell 4.





4. During the storm event, GRU will monitor the liquid levels in the northern drainage ditch and the Cell 4 basin area to ensure that liquid does not overtop/overflow either the ditch or berm surrounding the Cell 4 basin area.

4.0 Run-off Control Following a Major Storm Event

4.1 Inspection of Run-off Control Features

Following the completion of a storm event, GRU will inspect and repair any damage to the run-off control infrastructure included in the pre-storm inspection.

4.2 Northern Drainage Ditch Management

Following the storm event, GRU will pump out all accumulated liquid from the northern drainage ditch to the ash ponds of the CCR surface impoundment system. GRU will then remove the inflatable plug from the internal culvert pipe located in the northern section of Cell 4. GRU will then pump out all accumulated liquid from Cell 4 to the northern drainage ditch and eventually to the ash ponds of the CCR surface impoundment system.

5.0 Run-on and Run-off Control System Plan Updates and Amendments

Per §257.81(c)(4), GRU will revise the run-on and run-off control system plan every five years. The 5-year interval will begin at the point the initial plan is placed in the operating record. As required by §257.81(c)(2), GRU will amend this plan whenever there is a change in conditions that would substantially impact the plan in effect.

6.0 Record Keeping, Notifications, Publicly-Accessible Website Requirements

GRU will place a copy of this and any updated/amended run-on and run-off control system plans in the operating record as it becomes available (per \$257.105(g)(3)) and within 30 days of placement in the operating record, will send a notification of the availability of the plan to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (per \$257.106(g)(3)) and will post a copy of the plan to its publicly-accessible website (per \$257.107(g)(3)).



7.0 References

- B&M (1981). Construction Drawings. Deerhaven Generating Station Unit 2. City of Gainesville/Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Utilities Board. Prepared by Burns & McDonnell, Kansas City, Missouri.
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- IWCS (2020). Best Management Practices Guidance Document for Managing Coal Combustion Residuals at the Deerhaven Generating Station- Version 6.0. September 2020.



8.0 Professional Engineer Certification

This plan was prepared under the supervision, direction, and control of the undersigned, registered professional engineer (PE). The undersigned PE is familiar with the requirements of 40 CFR 257.81 and certifies that this CCR Landfill Run-on and Run-off Control System Plan meets the requirements of 40 CFR 257.81.

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APPENDIX A. PLAN-REFERENCED DRAWINGS



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ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

GRU DEERHAVEN CCR LANDFILL PERIPHERAL STORMWATER CHANNEL

WELL/PIEZOMETER LOCATIONS

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INV = INVERT ELEV = ELEVATION JBPRO = JBROWN PROFESSIONAL GROUP LB = LICENSED SURVEYING BUSINESS LS = LICENSED SURVEYOR NL = NAIL& DISK

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APPENDIX B. PEAK DISCHARGE CALCULATIONS



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B STORMWATER PEAK DISCHARGE RATE

This calculation package estimates the peak run-off discharges that must be accepted by the downdrain pipes located along the northern portion of the landfill; the ditches located along the western, southern, and eastern sides of the landfill; and the culvert pipes located at terminus of these ditches based on the precipitation expected from a 24-hour, 25-year storm event. Based on the geographic location of the CCR landfill and the National Weather Service Hydrometeorological Design Studies Center website, the site-specific rainfall from a 24-hour, 25-year storm was estimated to be 7.27 inches (NOAA 2020).

The landfill areas considered in this analysis include:

- 1. The initial phase active area for Cells 1 and 2 (i.e., Basin 1) and Cells 3 and 4 (i.e., Basin 2)
- 2. The final grade side slope areas and swale areas for the western and southern ditches
- 3. The intermediate and final side slope and swale area for the eastern ditch

The peak discharge for each basin is found according to the following (USDA 1986) Equation (1):

$$q_p = q_u * A_m * Q_r * F_p \tag{1}$$

Where,

q_p = peak discharge (cfs)

q_u = unit peak discharge (csm/in)

A_m = drainage area (mi²)

$$Q_r = run-off(in)$$

F_p = pond and swamp adjustment factor (= 1.00 for 0% pond and swamp area)

Run-off, Qr, was calculated using (USDA 1986) Equation (2):

$$Q_r = \frac{(P - 0.2S)^2}{P + 0.8S} \tag{2}$$

Where,

P = Rainfall (inches)

S = Potential maximum retention after run-off begins (inches)

S can be found by determining the curve number for the run-off area, as presented in the following (USDA 1986) Equation (3):

$$S = \frac{1000}{CN} - 10$$
 (3)

Where,

CN = curve number based on site surface soil conditions.

The soil type used for future cover at the site is unknown. Therefore, for conservative design, and based on a review of Appendix A of Technical Release 55 (USDA 1986), hydrologic soil group D (clay



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loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay, silty clay, or clay) was selected to estimate run-off from intermediate and final cover soils. Hydrologic soil group D (clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay, silty clay, or clay) "newly graded area" was used to represent the CCR working faces of Basin 1 and Basin 2 without grass cover. For other areas, including CCR surfaces with "good condition" grass cover (grass cover >75%), the run-off curve number is estimated as 80 for hydrologic soil group D. For a newly-graded area with no vegetation, Table 2-2a (USDA 1986) provides a run-off curve number estimate of 94 for hydrologic soil group D for "newly graded area." It was assumed that the landfill areas are 0% swamp or pond. Therefore, F_p was assumed as 1.0.

The critical (or greatest) q_u is found by determining the critical (or shortest) time of concentration, T_c , by using the plot in Exhibit 4-II from USDA (1986). The appropriate curve used in this plot is found by solving the ratio of initial abstraction to precipitation, where the equation for initial abstraction has been generalized for agricultural watersheds and is represented as (USDA 1986) Equation (4):

$$I_a = 0.2 \times S$$

(4)

Where,

Ia = Initial abstraction, or run-off loss (inches)

The potential maximum retention, initial abstraction, run-off, and ratio of initial abstraction to precipitation for each soil type are shown in the table below.

| Table 1. Run-off Parameters of Hydrologic Soil Groups |
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|---|

| Area | Hydrologic Soil Group | Curve Number (CN) | Potential Maximum Retention (inches) | Initial Abstraction (inches) | Run-off (inches) | Iª/b |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| Cover Soil | D | 80 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 4.9 | 0.07 |
| CCR with more than 75% Grass Cover | D | 80 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 4.9 | 0.07 |
| CCR Working Face | D | 94 | 0.64 | 0.13 | 6.6 | 0.02 |

As estimated based on location and NOAA (2020), the P (i.e., 25-year frequency, 24-hour rainfall) for the site is 7.27 inches, and the I_a/P for both areas is below the range of values listed in Exhibit 4-II of USDA (1986) and shown on the next page. Since I_a/P for both areas are below the range of values listed in Exhibit 4-II, it was assumed that the maximum unit peak discharge (q_u) for all the drainage basins in this analysis is 1000 csm/in (the maximum y-intercept of I_a/P in USDA (1986) Exhibit 4-II). This provides a conservative estimate of the unit peak discharge that could occur at the site.







Table 2 presents the area of Basins 1 and 2 and the corresponding estimated peak discharge rates. Tables 3 and 4 present the estimated peak discharge rates for the swales and road-crossing culverts, respectively. It is important to note that the contributing areas outlined in the tables include the area of the swales themselves. The areas presented in the table were evaluated using AutoCAD Civil 3D 2013 and the site's phasing plan and closure plan design drawings.

Table 2. Downdrain Pipe Basins

| | | | Unit Peak Discharge. | Peak |
|---------|----------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Basin | Contributing Area (ft²) | Area (mi²) | q _u (csm/in) | Discharge, q _p (cfs) |
| Basin 1 | 301,000 | 0.01079 | 1000 | 70.8 |
| Basin 2 | 342,000 | 0.01226 | 1000 | 80.4 |



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Table 3. Ditch Drainage Basins

| | Contributing | Area | Unit Peak Discharge, | Peak Discharge, |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Basin | Area (ft ²) | (mi²) | q _u (csm/in) | q _p (cfs) |
| West (Final Grades) | 170,000 | 0.00610 | 1000 | 30.1 |
| South (Final Grades) | 284,000 | 0.01019 | 1000 | 50.4 |
| East (Final Grades) | 107,000 | 0.00384 | 1000 | 19.0 |
| East (@ 190 ft elevation) | 25,900 | 0.00093 | 1000 | 4.6 |
| Northern Drainage Ditch-Based | | | | |
| on December 2019 | | | | |
| Topographic Conditions | 832,000 | | | |

Table 4. Culvert Pipe Basins

| Basin | Contributing | Area | Unit Peak Discharge, q _u (csm/in) | Peak Discharge, |
|-------------|--------------|---------|---|--------------------|
| West+South | | () | | |
| (Final | | | | |
| Grades) | 454,000 | 0.01629 | 1000 | 80.5 |
| East (Final | | | | |
| Grades) | 107,000 | 0.00384 | 1000 | 19.0 |

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APPENDIX C. DOWNDRAIN CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

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C.1 DOWNDRAIN BASIN CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

Based on the current phasing plan for the CCR landfill, the initial phase of Basin 2 (i.e., Cells 3 and 4) has the largest area that can contribute to CCR contact water run-off. The purpose of the calculations in this section is to estimate whether the low-lying area at the inside toe of the northern peripheral containment berms has the capacity to temporarily retaining CCR contact water generated from a 24hour, 25-year design storm under worst-case conditions where both underdrain inlets are obstructed. A general schematic of a cross-section of Basin 2 is presented in Figure 1.



Figure 1. Basin 2 Downdrain Area Cross Section

The area of this cross-section can be found as:

$$A = \frac{D^2}{2} \left(\frac{1}{S_1} + \frac{1}{S_2} \right)$$
(1)

Where,

 S_1 = Slope of working face area (ft/ft)

S₂ = Slope of containment berm (ft/ft)

D = Maximum liquid depth (ft)

The capacity (volume) of the basin can then be calculated as:

 $Volume = A \times W$ (2)

Where,

W = east-west width of the basin area

The total CCR contact water generated in Basin 2 was calculated by multiplying the total area of Basin 2 (see Appendix B) and multiplying it by the precipitation associated with the 24-hour, 25-year design storm. Table 1 provides a summary of the values used for the input variables in the Basin 2 downdrain basin capacity evaluation, and Table 2 provides a summary of the calculation results.

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Table 1. Inputs for Basin 2 Downdrain Basin Capacity Calculation

| Parameter (unit) | Value |
|--|---------|
| Area contributing to flow (ft ²) | 342,000 |
| P (inches) | 7.27 |
| S ₁ , slope of the working face | 0.02 |
| S ₂ , slope of the berm | 0.33 |
| Width of cross section (ft) | 585 |
| D, Design Depth (ft) | 4.00 |

| Table 2. Outputs for Busin 2 Bownaram Busin cuputity culculation |
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| Total CCR Contact Water Generated (ft ³) | Basin Capacity (ft ³) |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| 207,000 | 248,000 |

As presented in Table 2, the downdrain basin area located in Basin 2 is estimated to be able to retain approximately 248,000 ft³ of liquid while the total volume of CCR contact water that could be generated from the initial phase of the Basin 2 area (i.e., the working area during landfill phasing) during a 24-hour, 25-year storm is 207,000 ft³. Therefore, the capacity of the downdrain basin areas is considered acceptable.

C.2 DOWNDRAIN PIPE DRAINAGE TIME CALCULATIONS

This section estimates the time it takes for the two downdrain pipes of the initial phase of the Basin 2 area to drain the volume of CCR contact water that would be retained under a worst-case scenario where the underdrain outlets were obstructed during the storm event. The following assumptions were made for this calculation:

- It was assumed that the initial segment (i.e., the relatively horizontal leg of the pipe immediately following the inlet) of the downdrain pipe is sloped at a 2% grade.
- The pipe was assumed to flow full the entire duration when draining the filled basin.

Manning's equation gives the pipe flow velocity (m/s) as Equation (1):

$$V = \frac{1.49R^{2/3}i^{1/2}}{n} \tag{1}$$

Where,

i = hydraulic gradient (ft/ft)

n = Manning's roughness coefficient

R = hydraulic radius (ft)

R for a full flowing pipe is given by the following Equation (2):

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$$R = \frac{A_w}{P_w} = \frac{L}{4}$$

Where,

D = the inner diameter of the pipe (ft)

$$A_w$$
 = cross-sectional area of flow (ft²) = $\frac{\pi}{4}D^2$

 P_w = perimeter of the flow area = πD

The continuity equation gives the flow rate (ft^3/s) as Equation (3):

$$Q = VA_w$$

Which may be simplified to:

$$Q = 0.464 \frac{D^{8/3} i^{1/2}}{n} \tag{4}$$

Table 3. Inputs for Downdrain Pipe Drain Time Calculations

| Parameter (Unit) | Value |
|------------------|-------|
| ID (ft) | 1.00 |
| i (-) | 0.02 |
| n (for HDPE) | 0.012 |

Table 4. Outputs for Downdrain Pipe Drain Time Calculations

| Parameter (Unit) | Value |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Q, Pipe flow rate (cfs) | 5.47 |

The total amount of time it will take to drain the total volume of accumulated contact water (as estimated in the previous section) can be estimated by dividing the total volume by two times (i.e., there are two downdrains) the flow rate estimated from Equation 3. Based on the values calculated previously, it is estimated that it will take approximately **5.3 hours** to drain the total volume of CCR contact water that would be retained as a result of a 24-hour, 25-year design storm for the initial phase of Basin 2 for a worst-case scenario where both underdrains were obstructed prior to the onset of the storm.

(3)

(2)

APPENDIX D. DITCH CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

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D.1 V-SHAPED EAST DITCH CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

This section of the calculation package estimates the maximum elevation that Cell 4 can be filled to before it will be necessary to reconfigure the existent v-shaped eastern ditch. The eastern ditch will accept and transport run-off from the eastern side slope of the landfill. As the height of CCR in Cell 4 increases, the total area of the eastern side slope increases. In order to estimate the maximum area that the ditch can collect run-off from without overtopping, it is first necessary to evaluate the maximum flow that the ditch can accept without overtopping. Figure 1 presents a general cross-section schematic of the eastern ditch.



Figure 1. Current East Ditch Cross Section

As presented in the figure,

- S₁ = the horizontal distance associated with each foot of vertical rise of the inside (i.e., landfill) slope of the v-shaped ditch (ft)
- S₂ = the horizontal distance associated with each foot of vertical rise of the outside slope of the vshaped ditch (ft)
- D = the design liquid depth (ft)

The following additional design assumptions were used:

- The inside slopes of the v-shaped ditch are the same and are sloped at 4 horizontal to 1 vertical (4:1).
- The ditch is longitudinally sloped at 0.2%, towards the dual culvert pipe drain inlet.

Based on these assumptions, Manning's and the continuity equation were used to estimate the maximum flow that the eastern ditch can accept without overtopping. Manning's equation is presented below:

$$V = \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} i^{1/2} \tag{1}$$

Where,

V = velocity (ft/s)

- n = Manning's roughness coefficient (0.05 for excavated or dredged channel, channel not maintained, with weeds and brush uncut including dense weeds as high as the flow depth, normal value (Chow 1959))
- i = hydraulic gradient, or longitudinal slope of the channel (ft/ft)



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R = hydraulic radius (ft),

$$\mathsf{R} = \frac{A}{P_W}$$

Where,

A = cross-sectional flow area (ft²)

P_w = wetted perimeter (ft)

Because both inside slopes of the ditch have the same configuration (i.e., $S_1 = S_2$), and

$$A = S_1 D^2$$

$$P_W = 2D(1 + (S_1)^2)^{0.5}$$

To calculate the max flow that the eastern drainage ditch can accept (Q_{max}), equation (2) was used: $Q_{max} = A \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} i^{1/2}$ (2)

Where,

 Q_{max} = maximum ditch design flow (ft³/s)

A summary of the input values used to calculate the capacity of the Eastern Drainage Ditch is presented in Table 1.

Table 1. Inputs Parameters for Existing Eastern Drainage Ditch

| Parameter | | Value |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------|
| S, side slope | Horizontal component | 4 |
| of ditch | Vertical component | 1 |
| D, Ditch depth (ft) | | 1 |
| i, longitudinal slope (ft/ft) | | 0.002 |
| n, Manning's coefficient | | 0.05 |

Based on the calculations presented above, and using the input values presented in Table 1 that are representative of the current geometry of the eastern ditch, it is estimated that the current ditch can convey stormwater at a maximum flow of:

3.29 ft³/s

The total area that would contribute to this flow rate was back-calculated from the equations presented in Appendix B as:

18,500 ft²

Excluding the adjacent berm side slope and the adjacent paved access road, the total area that the existing eastern drainage ditch currently collects is:

18,100 ft²

The eastern ditch is adequately sized to handle stormwater run-off from th current drainage basin area that contributes run-off to this ditch. However, GRU will need to expand the capacity of the



eastern drainage ditch according to the design presented in the site's closure and post-closure care plan prior to depositing CCR in Cell 4 above the current level of the berm.

D.2 SOUTHERN AND WESTERN DITCH CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

As estimated in Appendix B, the run-off from a 24-hour, 25-year design storm event that must be handled by the west and south ditches is 30.1 cfs and 50.4 cfs, respectively. Since the west ditch flows directly into the south ditch, the south ditch must be able to accommodate the max flow from both west and south contributing areas (i.e., 80.5 cfs). The maximum flow rate that the ditch can handle was estimated using Manning's and the continuity equations to assess whether the ditch is adequately sized to convey the stormwater run-off associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm. A representative cross-section of the layout of the western and southern ditches is presented in Figure 2



Figure 2. Drainage Ditch Cross Section showing variables in Equation (3) and Equation (4)

The ditch dimensions and longitudinal slope used to estimate the capacity of the south ditch were estimated from the as-built drawing (Appendix A). The estimated dimensions are presented as follows:

- i. The south stormwater ditch is a v-shaped channel with slope of 4:1 (H:V) (S_2 :1 as shown in Figure 2) on the landfill side and a slope of 12:1 (H:V) (S_1 :1 as shown in Figure 2) on the south side.
- ii. The average longitudinal slope of the south ditch is approximately 0.0018 (V:H) (0.18%).
- iii. The minimum depth for the west and the south ditch was observed to be at the southeast corner and is approximately 2.6 ft.

Based on the above, Manning's and the continuity equation were used to estimate the maximum flow rate that the southern ditch can handle. Manning's equation is presented below:

$$V = \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} s^{1/2}$$
(3)

Where,

V = velocity (ft/s)

- n = Manning's roughness coefficient
- s = longitudinal slope of channel (ft/ft)



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R = hydraulic radius (ft),

$$R = \frac{A}{W_p}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}S_2(D)^2 + \frac{1}{2}S_1(D)^2$$
(4)

$$W_P = \sqrt{D^2 + (S_2 D)^2} + \sqrt{(D)^2 + (S_1 D)^2}$$
(5)

Where,

A = cross-sectional flow area (ft²)

W_P = wetted perimeter (ft)

D = the design liquid depth (ft)

 S_1 = the incremental horizontal distance for each vertical foot of the outside (i.e., with respect to the landfill) slope of the ditch

 S_2 = the incremental horizontal distance for each vertical foot of the inside (i.e., with respect to the landfill) slope of the ditch

To calculate the max flow that the critical cross-section could handle, equation (6) was used

$$Q_{max} = A * \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} s^{1/2}$$
(6)

Where,

 Q_{max} = maximum ditch design flow (ft³/s)

Table 3 presents a summary of the inputs used in the calculations and the resulting flow depth. A Manning's roughness coefficient of 0.033 was selected as the maximum value of the range presented by Chow (1959) for excavated or dredged channels (short straight grass and few weeds).

Table 2. Inputs for Additional V-Shaped Ditch Capacity Calculations

| C side clane of ditch | Horizontal component | 4 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----|
| S ₁ , side slope of altern | Vertical component | 1 |
| S side clone of ditch | Horizontal component | 12 |
| S ₂ , side slope of altern | Vertical component | 1 |
| D, Ditch depth (ft) | | 2.6 |
| s, longitudinal slope (ft | 0.0018 | |
| n, manning's coefficier | 0.033 | |

Table 3. Outputs for Additional V-Shaped Ditch Capacity Calculations

| P, wetted perimeter | 42.03 |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| A, Flow Area (ft ²) | 54.08 |
| R, hydraulic radius | 1.29 |
| Vmax, max velocity | 2.27 |
| Q _{max} (cfs) | 122.84 |



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The maximum flow capacity of the ditch (122.8 ft^3/s) exceeds the anticipated 80.5 ft^3/s peak run-off rate associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm. Therefore, the existing design of the southwest ditch (comprised of the connected western and southern ditches) at the landfill is estimated to be adequately sized.

D.3 NORTHERN DRAINAGE DITCH CALCULATIONS

The calculations in this section estimate the maximum quantity of run-off that the northern drainage ditch can accept without overtopping. The northern drainage ditch is a trapezoidal-shaped ditch. Based on a section and layout drawings included in the as-built construction drawings from B&M (1981) that are included in Appendix A, the ditch bottom is 8 ft wide, side slopes are 4:1 (horizontal:vertical), and the depth is 7 ft. The average cross-sectional area of the ditch is approximately 252 ft². The ditch length is approximately 1320 ft. The storage capacity of the ditch is estimated to be 332,600 ft³.

The maximum quantity of run-off that would be directed towards the northern drainage ditch was based on the current area of the landfill, excluding the southern, western and eastern side slopes; the run-off from these slopes would be routed to stormwater ditches and these sides and eventually to the stormwater pond located on the south side of the landfill.

Based on the topographic conditions of the landfill in December 2019, the total area that would contribute run-off to the northern drainage ditch is approximately 832,000 ft². Based on the most recent google imagery available (Imagery date 12/5/2018), approximately 513,000 ft² of this area appears to be without any grass cover, and the balance 319,000 ft²appears to have more than 75% grass cover. The total volume of run-off from these areas is estimated by multiplying the depth of run-off (4.9 inches for landfill areas with 75% grass cover and 6.6 inches for areas without any grass cover as calculated in Appendix B). The total run-off volume is estimated to be approximately 411,700ft³.

Therefore, the expected volume of run-off that will be discharged to the northern drainage ditch exceeds the capacity of the northern drainage ditch by **79,100 ft³**.

A summary of the input values used in the volume calculation is presented in Table 4.

| Inputs | | |
|---------------------|-------|--|
| Ditch Length (ft) | 1,320 | |
| Ditch Depth (ft) | 7.00 | |
| Side Slope | 4:1 | |
| Width of the bottom | 8 | |
| (ft) | | |

Table 4. Input Values for Northern Drainage Ditch Capacity Estimate

The next section evaluates the ability to temporarily retain the contact water and stormwater from the Cell 4 drainage basin within the Cell 4 area until the pumping of water accumulated in the northern drainage ditch to the CCR impoundment system is initiated to create the capacity to accept more liquids.

D.3 CELL 4 BASIN AREA CAPACITY CALCULATIONS



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Based on the topographic conditions in December 2019, contact water/stormwater from approximately 272,000 ft² area of the landfill would run off to the Cell 4 area. Based on the estimated run-off of 4.9 to 6.6 inches, approximately 111,000 to 150,000 ft³ of the liquids volume associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm would run-off to Cell 4. The approximate area of the low-lying basin area in Cell 4 is estimated to be 90,000 ft². The average liquid depth associated with the run-off volume is estimated to range from 1.23 to 1.67 ft. Using a topographic map from BSMI (2010) (refer to Drawing #6 in Appendix A), the minimum elevation of the top of the Cell 4 peripheral berm is 188.5 ft, and the topographic survey conducted in December 2019 suggests that the maximum elevation of CCRs in Cell 4 is 186 ft. Therefore, there is at least 2 feet of headspace from the CCR elevation to the top of the surrounding Cell 4 berm. The estimate suggests that the contact water and stormwater run-off draining to Cell 4 can be temporarily contained within the cell footprint during the design storm event.

The liquids storage capacity of the low-lying basin area in Cell 4 exceeds the excess volume of runoff calculated in the previous section. Therefore, as long as GRU follows the procedures outlined in the Run-on and Run-off Control System Plan, including the use of the low-lying basin in Cell 4 to temporarily store the run-off, GRU should be able to manage the total volume of run-off associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm without overtopping the northern drainage ditch.

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APPENDIX E. CULVERT PIPE CAPACITY CALCULATIONS

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E <u>CULVERT PIPE FLOW CALCULATIONS</u>

Determine the minimum culvert pipe inner diameter necessary to handle the peak stormwater discharge rate from the southern and eastern ditches, as determined in Appendix B.

Manning's equation gives the pipe flow velocity (ft/s) as equation (1):

$$V = \frac{1.486 \, R^{2/3} i^{1/2}}{n} \tag{1}$$

Where,

i = slope of the pipe (ft/ft)

n = Manning's roughness coefficient

R = hydraulic radius (ft)

R for a full flowing pipe is given by the following Equation (2):

$$R = \frac{A_w}{P_w} = \frac{D}{4} \tag{2}$$

Where,

D = the inner diameter of the pipe (ft)

$$A_w$$
 = cross-sectional area of flow (ft²) = $\frac{\pi}{4}D^2$

 P_w = perimeter of the flow area = πD

The continuity equation gives the flow rate (ft^3/s) as equation (3):

 $Q = VA_w$

Or can be solved for pipe flow velocity (m/s) by rearranging terms,

$$V = \frac{4Q}{\pi D^2} \tag{3}$$

Equation (1) can be rearranged to solve for R so that:

$$R = \left(\frac{Vn}{1.486 \, i^{1/2}}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

From equation (2), D = 4R

Therefore, the necessary inner diameter of a pipe can be found as equation (4):

$$D = 4 \left(\frac{Vn}{1.486 \, i^{1/2}}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \tag{4}$$

Substituting equation (3) into (4)

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$$D = 4 \left(\frac{4Qn}{1.486 \pi D^2 i^{1/2}}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

Or by factoring out D,

$$D = 4^{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{4Qn}{\pi i^{1/2}}\right)^{\frac{3}{8}}$$
(5)

Therefore, using the peak flows estimated in Appendix B, the slopes of each of the culverts, and using a Manning's roughness coefficient of 0.012 for smooth-walled plastic pipe (each presented in Table 1 below), the minimum required inner pipe diameter for each of the culvert pipes is presented in Table 2:

Table 1. Inputs for Culvert Pipe Diameter Calculations

| | Sout | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|--------|-------|
| Culvert Pipe Location | P-1 P-1a | | East |
| Discharge (cfs) | 80. | 19.0 | |
| Number of Culverts | 1 1 | | 2 |
| Discharge into each Culvert (cfs) | 40.25 40.25 | | 9.5 |
| n (for HDPE) | 0.012 | 0.012 | 0.012 |
| i (ft/ft) | 0.0145 | 0.0198 | 0.013 |

Table 2. Outputs for Culvert Pipe Diameter Calculations

| | South | | East |
|--------------------------------------|-------|------|------|
| Culvert Pipe Location | P-1 | P-1a | |
| Required ID (inches) | 27.0 | 25.4 | 16.0 |
| Existing/Designed Pipe Size (inches) | 36 | 36 | 24 |

Therefore, as shown in Table 2, the current culverts are adequate to handle the peak run-off associated with a 24-hour, 25-year storm event.