# Restoration Advisory Board Meeting

October 14, 2020







### **RAB Agenda**

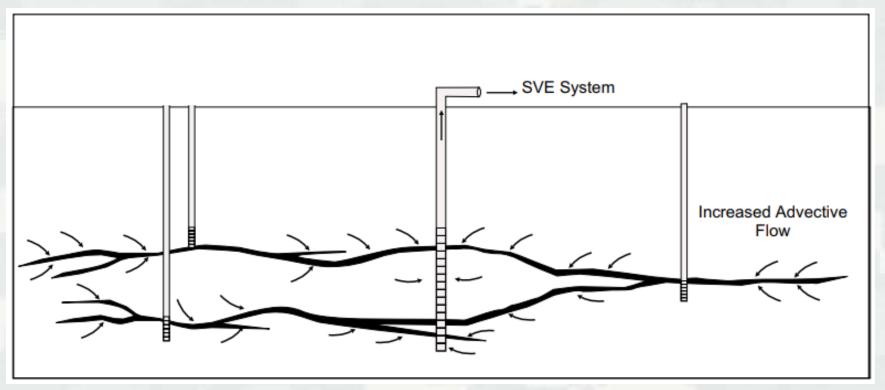
- January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Meeting Minutes
- Subject Matter
  - ▶ Soil Vapor Extraction Pilot Test
  - ► Supplemental Remedial Investigation Report
  - ► Feasibility Study Update
  - ► PFAS Site Investigation Report
  - ▶ Richmond Middle School Sampling
- Question and Answer
- Adjourn







# Enhanced Permeability Pilot Concept



Modified After USAF Final Guidance on Soil Vapor Extraction Optimization, June 2001









### **Enhanced Permeability Pilot Status**

- Baseline soil gas sampling late May 2020
- Enhanced Extraction wells up and running on June 25<sup>th</sup>, Deep zone wells up and running August 10<sup>th</sup>
- Currently conducting monthly soil gas sampling to monitor effectiveness
- Since June, approximately 62kg of TCE has been removed from AOC 2 and 20kg of TCE from AOC 9. Or about 14.8 gallons total TCE.







#### **AOC 2 SVE Influent Concentrations**

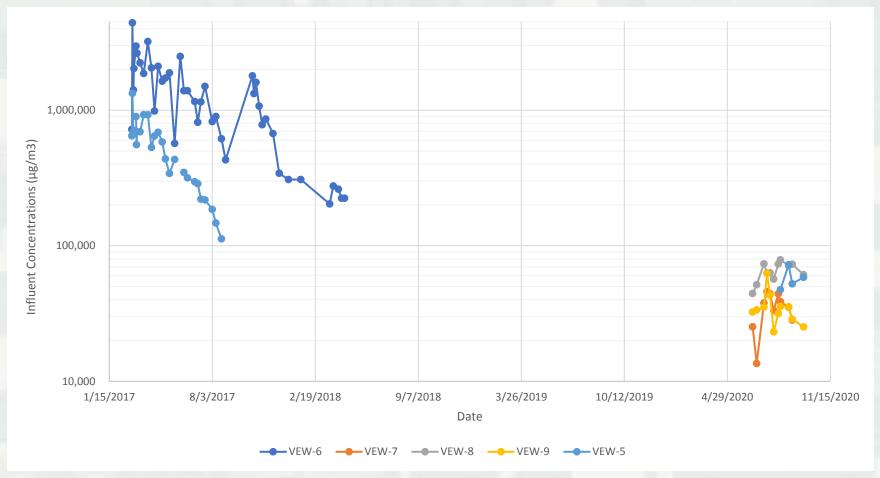








#### **AOC 9 Influent Concentrations**









#### **Feasibility Study Update**

- Addressed NHDES comments last month.
- Minor changes since RAB review of report.
  - More robust risk assessment summary.
  - ➤ Supplemental Rivercrest human health assessment, concluded drop in soil gas concentrations and corresponding drop in future risk. TCE only risk driver.
  - ► Addressed NHDES comments regarding Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs). Recognize State and federal effluent air and State leaching to soil standards.
- Army looking to finalize report in November.

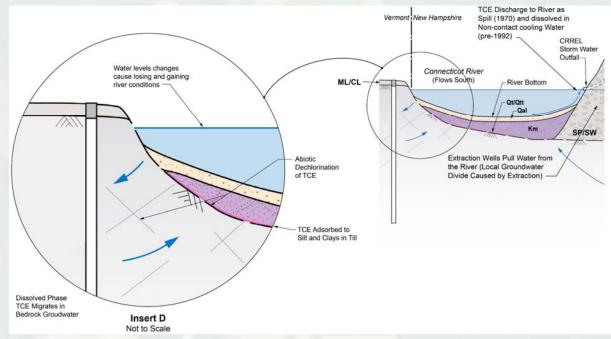






### Supplemental RI Report

- Draft Status
- Preliminary results for surface water and sediment show no significant risk to ecological or human receptors.
- Draft Final Report to Vermont DEC, NHDES, and RAB scheduled for January 2021.
- A Supplemental Feasibility Study is not anticipated
- Supports a Groundwater Reclassification to nonpotable use in a portion of Norwich, VT.









## Perfluorooctane Sulfonate and Perfluorooctanioic Acid Groundwater Sampling

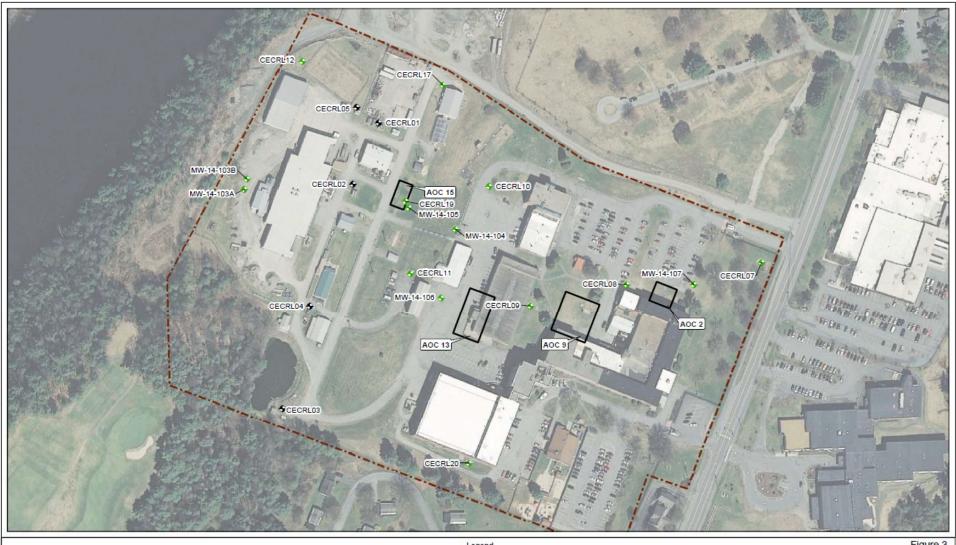
- Conducted Phase I groundwater sampling for PFAS in October 2017 as per NHDES request.
- No known use of PFAS at CRREL.
- Two documented fires at CRREL in 1961-62? and 1970, fires mostly predate use of PFAS in fire suppression foams. It is not known if AFFF used in 1970 above ground storage tank deflagration.











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Legend

Overburden Well

Production Well

AOC Boundary

CRREL Property Boundary

Figure 3
Overburden Monitoring Well Locations

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GW-1 PFHxS 0.018 PFNA 0.011 0.015

Overburden Well Production Well

AOC Boundary --- CRREL Property Boundary Results presented in micrograms per Liter (ug/L)

**Bold** indicates detection J - Value is Estimated

U - Non-Detect

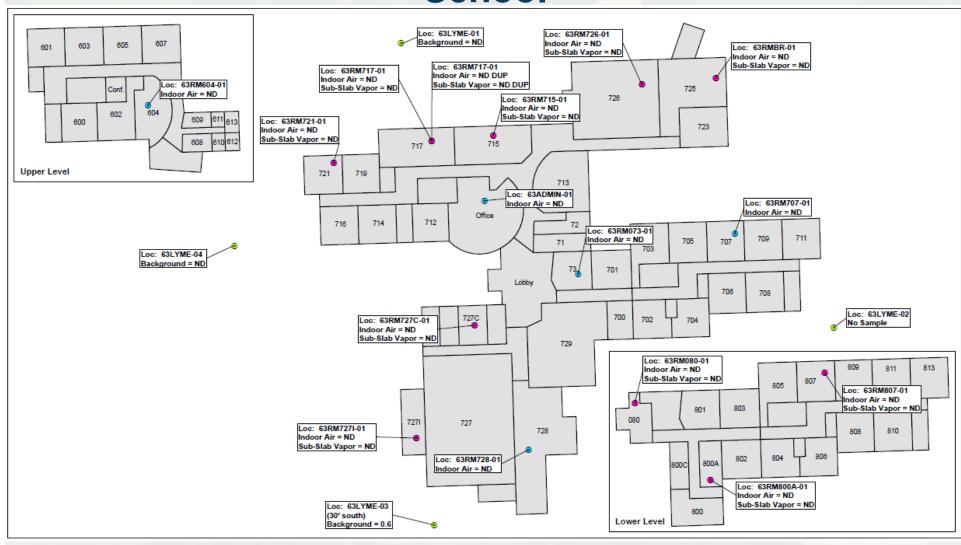
PFHxS - Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid PFNA - Perfluorononanoic acid

PFOS - Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid PFOA - Perfluorooctanoic acid

PFAS Results

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## All is Non-Detect in the Richmond Middle School



### **Upcoming Work**

- Continued monitoring of the Main Lab, FERF, and LMO
- Routine sampling of sub slab depressurization systems and enhanced permeability pilot test
- Issue the Final Feasibility Study
- Finish the Draft Supplemental Remedial Investigation for the CT River
- Anticipate Proposed Plan late 2021
- Synoptic soil gas sampling in 2021







