

Questions & Answers
Service Oil Company
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Question:

Your spec requires the sampling of "all wells" but does not mention how many wells this is, as many other specs do. Please provide this information in your responses.

Answer:

There are nine (9) existing wells associated with the Service Oil site (MW-1, MW-2, P-3, MW-4, MW-5, MW-6, P-7, MW-8, MW-9). P-7, MW-8 and MW-9 are located in the wetland area east of the source property.

There are eleven (11) existing wells associated with the Madden Petroleum site (MW-1, MW-1P, MW-2, MW-3, MW-4, MW-5, MW-6, MW-7, MW-8P, MW-9, MW-10). MW-5 and MW-8P, which are located immediately north of the Service Oil Shed on the Service Oil Company property, are associated with the Madden site.

A map indicating the location of the wells for both sites is provided on the bidding web site.

Please note that while all wells for the Service Oil site are required to be sampled as per the bid specification, for the Madden site a more limited number of wells are required for the first round (see bid specification for Madden petroleum site).

Question:

The spec implies, but does not actually say, that, for the purposes of bidding, the bedrock can be assumed to be drillable with HSA. Should we assume that? This is, after all, a "specified scope of work."

Answer:

Existing piezometers on the Service Oil site were drilled with hollow stem augers (HSA). The existing piezometers associated with the Madden site were reportedly installed with HSA and air rotary methods. The specified scope of work is to install the top of the piezometer screen fifteen (15) feet below the bottom of the water table monitoring well screen. Bidding consultants should be prepared to use competent bedrock drilling techniques, if necessary, to install the required piezometer.