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Date: August 24, 2023 *Refer To*: N3B-2023-0259

Carol Johnson Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 1201 Elm Street, Suite 500 (6 ECD-WR) Dallas, Texas 75270-2102

Subject: NPDES Permit No. NM0030759 – Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures for PJ-SMA-9.2, S-SMA-3.61, and S-SMA-3.62

Dear Ms. Johnson:

This letter and enclosures are being submitted in accordance with the requirements of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. NM0030759, for discharges of stormwater at Los Alamos National Laboratory. The permit was issued to Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) and the U.S. Department of Energy Environmental Management Los Alamos Field Office (EM-LA), effective August 1, 2022. The 2022 Sampling Implementation Plan includes three new site monitoring areas (SMAs): PJ-SMA-9.2, S-SMA-3.61, and S-SMA-3.62. As specified in Part I, Section D.l(a), "Installation of Enhanced Control Measures," states "Permittees shall certify completion of installation of control measures under this subpart to EPA, with a copy to NMED, within 30 days of completion of all such measures at the Site."

Accordingly, the documents for certification of baseline control measures completed at PJ-SMA-9.2, S-SMA-3.61, and S-SMA-3.62 are included as Enclosures 1, 2, and 3, respectively. Table 1 identifies the permitted features, SMAs, and sites applicable to the certification. The certification was signed in accordance with 40 Code of Federal Regulations 122.22(b), "Signatories to permit applications and reports," and will also be posted to the Individual Permit public website (https://ext.em-la.doe.gov/ips).

Permitted Feature	SMA	Sites
J011	PJ-SMA-9.2	40-001(c)
S006B	S-SMA-3.61	60-004(f)
S006C	S-SMA-3.62	60-002

Table 1SMAs Included in This Submittalof Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures

If you have any questions, please contact Christian Maupin at (505) 695-4281 (christian.maupin@em-la.doe.gov) or Brian Harcek at (505) 692-4261 (brian.harcek@em.doe.gov).

Sincerely,

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Troy Thomson Program Manager Environmental Remediation N3B-Los Alamos

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Brian Harcek, Acting Co-Director Office of Quality and Regulatory Compliance U.S. Department of Energy Environmental Management Los Alamos Field Office

Enclosure(s): One hard copy with electronic files:

- 1. Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at PJ-SMA-9.2 (EM2023-0488)
- 2. Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at S-SMA-3.61 (EM2023-0489)
- 3. Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at S-SMA-3.62 (EM2023-0490)

cc (letter with hard-copy enclosure[s]): Shelly Lemon, NMED-SWQB

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Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at PJ-SMA-9.2

August 22, 2023

NPDES PERMIT NO. NM0030759

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NEWPORT NEWS NUCLEAR BWXT-LOS ALAMOS, LLC CERTIFICATION OF BASELINE CONTROL MEASURES

PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2

Sites: 40-001(c)

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT OF AUTHORIZATION

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."

Amanda White, Senior Manager Water Program Tech2Solutions

Michael Erickson, Director Water Program Newport News Nuclear BWXT-Los Alamos, LLC



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NEWPORT NEWS NUCLEAR BWXT-LOS ALAMOS, LLC CERTIFICATION OF BASELINE CONTROL MEASURES

PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2

Sites: 40-001(c)

PJ-SMA-9.2 is a new site monitoring area (SMA) associated with the 2022 issuance of NPDES Permit No. NM0030759 (the Permit).

In accordance with the Permit, the design, installation, and documentation of baseline control measures that are reasonably expected to achieve compliance with target action levels identified in the Permit, for all sites within the identified SMA drainage area, have been completed. Included in this document are photos (listed in Table 1 and shown on pages 2–6) and a map (Figure 1) of the baseline control measures to be certified.

Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Type of Control Measure	Control Measure	Erosion Control	Run-Off Control	Run-On Control	Sediment Control
1. JPG	J01103140001	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes
2. JPG	J01103140002	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes
3. JPG	J01103140003	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes
4. JPG	J01103140004	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes
5. JPG	J01103140005	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes

Table 1Baseline Control Measure Descriptions

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PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2

Sites: 40-001(c)

Photos:



Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Type of Control Measure	Control Measure	Photo Angle
1. JPG	J01103140001	Berm	Coir Log	Looking south

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PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2



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2. JPG	J01103140002	Berm	Coir Log	Looking south

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PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2



Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Type of Control Measure	Control Measure	Photo Angle
3. JPG	J01103140003	Berm	Coir Log	Looking east

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PF: J011

PJ-SMA-9.2

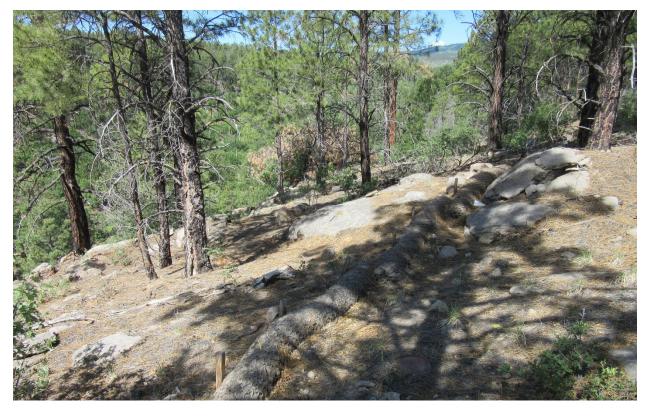


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4. JPG	J01103140004	Berm	Coir Log	Looking west

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5. JPG	J01103140005	Berm	Coir Log	Looking east

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PJ-SMA-9.2

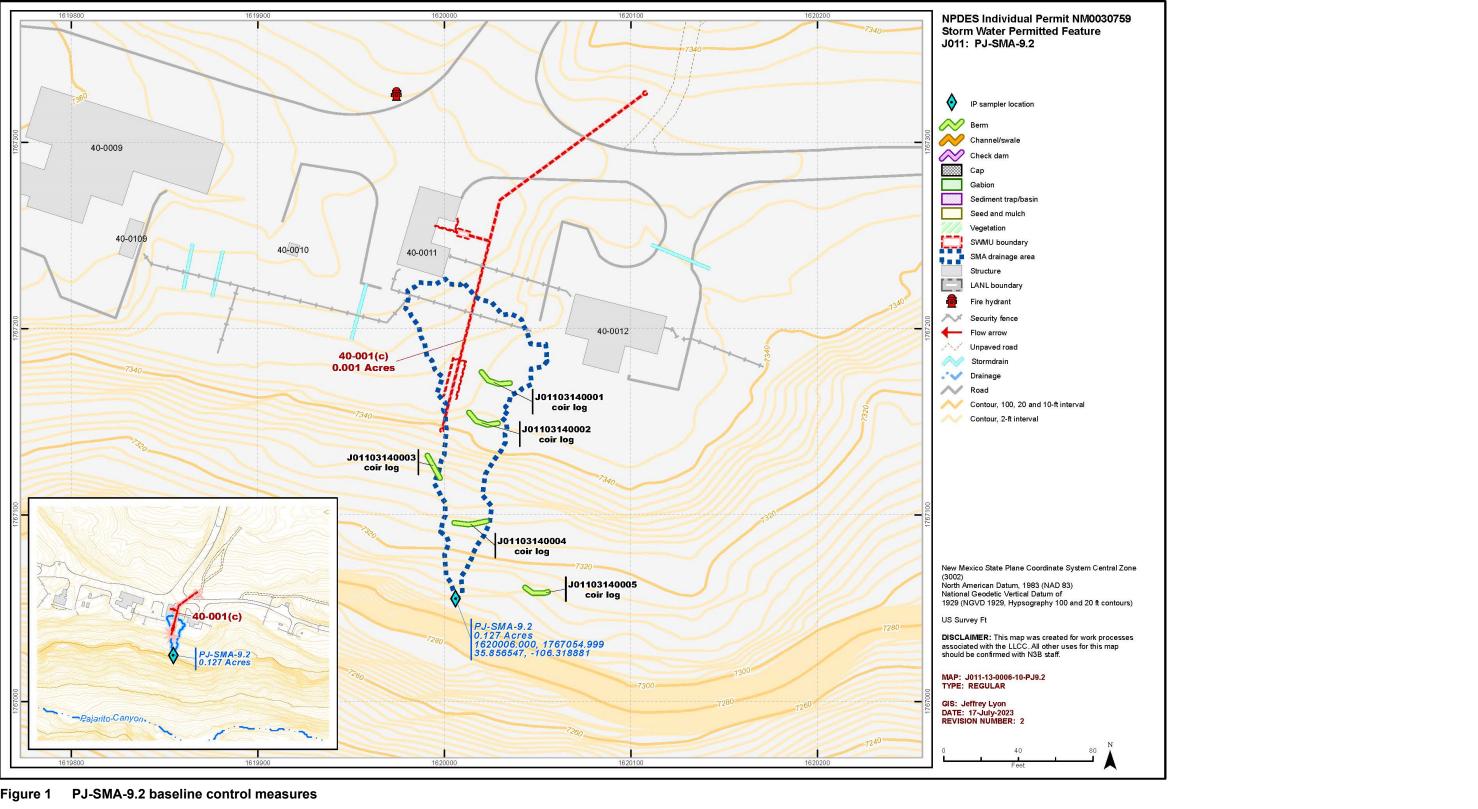


Figure 1 PJ-SMA-9.2 baseline control measures

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Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at S-SMA-3.61

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PF: S006B

S-SMA-3.61

Sites: 60-004(f)

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PF: S006B

S-SMA-3.61

Sites: 60-004(f)

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1. JPG	S006B03100001	Berm	Gravel Bags	No	Yes	No	Yes
2. JPG	S006B08030002	Сар	Asphalt Cap	Yes	Yes	No	No
3. JPG	S006B03040003	Berm	Asphalt Berm	No	Yes	No	Yes

Table 1Baseline Control Measure Descriptions

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PF: S006B

S-SMA-3.61

Sites: 60-004(f)

Photos:



Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Type of Control Measure	Control Measure	Photo Angle
1. JPG	S006B03100001	Berm	Gravel Bags	Looking north

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PF: S006B

S-SMA-3.61

Sites: 60-004(f)



Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Type of Control Measure	Control Measure	Photo Angle
2. JPG	S006B08030002	Сар	Asphalt Cap	Looking west

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PF: S006B

S-SMA-3.61

Sites: 60-004(f)



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3. JPG	S006B03040003	Berm	Asphalt Berm	Looking east

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S-SMA-3.61

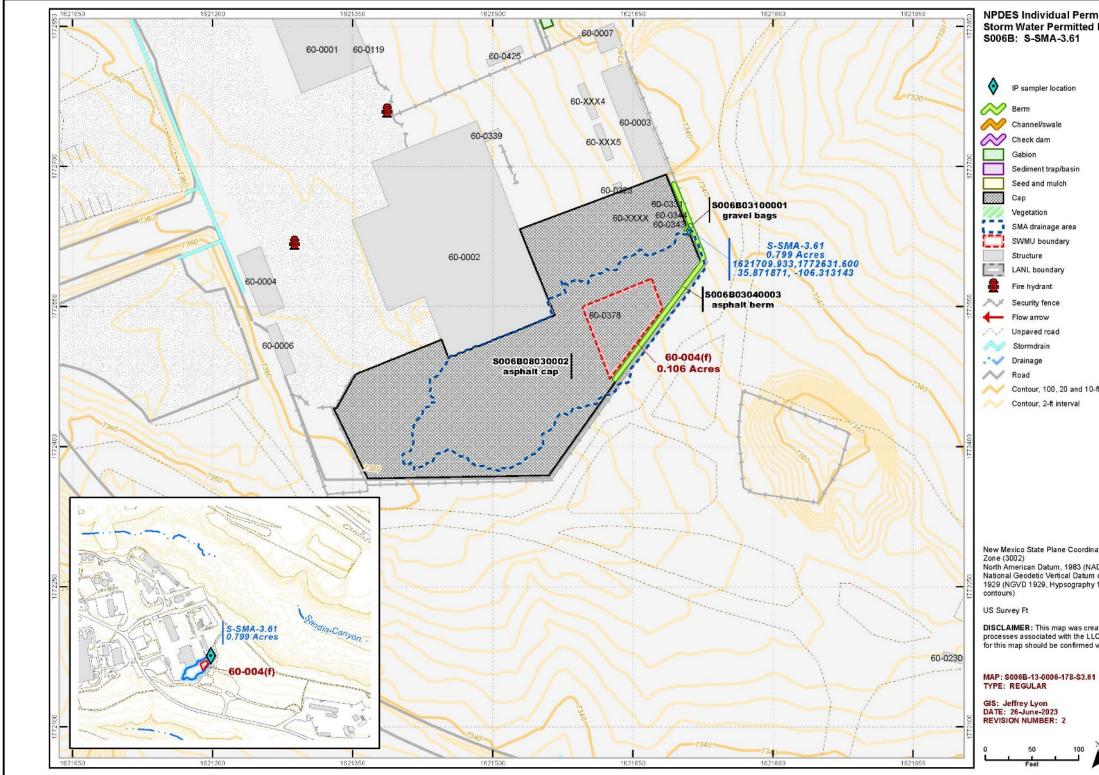


Figure 1 S-SMA-3.61 baseline control measures

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Site: 60-004(f)

Certification of Installation of Baseline Control Measures at S-SMA-3.62

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PF: S006C

S-SMA-3.62

Sites: 60-002

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		Type of Control	Control	Erosion	Run-Off	Run-On	Sediment
Photo ID	Control Measure ID	Measure	Measure	Control	Control	Control	Control
1. JPG	S006C06010001	Check Dam	Rock Check Dam	No	Yes	No	Yes
2. JPG	S006C06010002	Check Dam	Rock Check Dam	No	Yes	No	Yes
3. JPG	S006C03140003	Berm	Coir Log	No	Yes	No	Yes

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PF: S006C

S-SMA-3.62

Sites: 60-002

Photos:



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1. JPG	S006C06010001	Check Dam	Rock Check Dam	Looking south

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PF: S006C

S-SMA-3.62

Sites: 60-002



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2. JPG	S006C06010002	Check Dam	Rock Check Dam	Looking south

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PF: S006C

S-SMA-3.62

Sites: 60-002



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3. JPG	S006C03140003	Berm	Coir Log	Looking east

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S-SMA-3.62

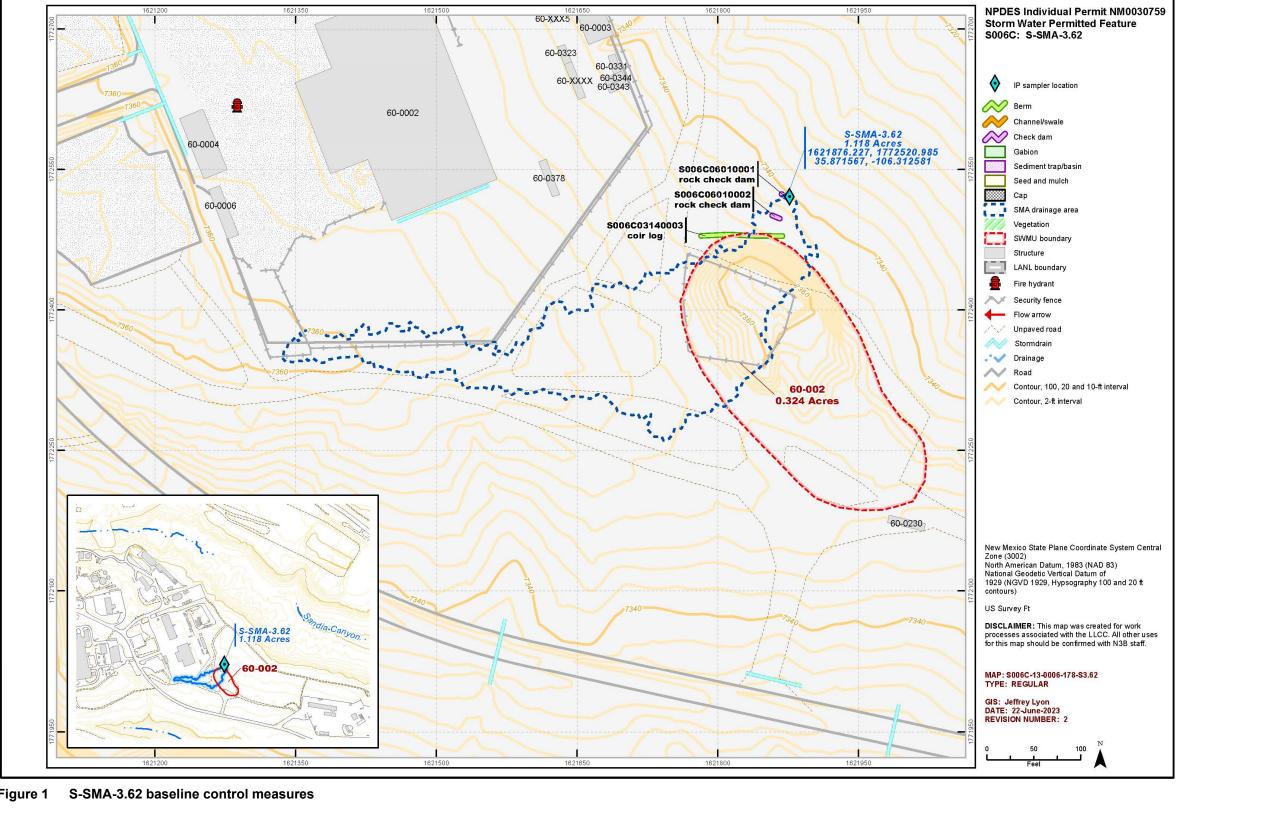


Figure 1 S-SMA-3.62 baseline control measures

PF: S006C

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Site: 60-002