

Scenario Worksheet

Practice and Scenario Description:

Information Type	Data
Region	Delta States
State	Louisiana
Discipline Group	Environmental Engineering
Practice Code/Name	360 - Closure of Waste Impoundment
Scenario ID	6

Scenario Name	Liquid Waste Impoundment Closure with 25% Liquids and 75% Solids
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Scenario Description	<p>This practice scenario includes the decommissioning of an earthen liquid waste impoundment (embankment or excavated type) where the estimated volume of waste to be removed is approximately 25% liquid/slurry waste and 75% sludge/solid waste of the structural storage capacity of the structure. The purpose of the practice is to address resource concerns related to water quality degradation due to excess nutrient and pathogens in ground and/or surface waters and air quality impacts from greenhouse gases, particulate matter and associated precursors, and objectionable odors.</p> <p>Associated practices: Nutrient Management (590), Critical Area Planting (342)</p>
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Before Practice Situation	<p>An existing lagoon or waste storage pond is no longer functioning correctly or is not being used for its intended purpose. It poses a safety hazard for humans and livestock and is a threat to environmental sustainability by the potential for impacts to water and air quality.</p>
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After Practice Situation	<p>This scenario assumes a waste storage pond, with top dimensions of 110 ft x 110 ft, 8 ft total depth with 2:1 side slopes. The total structural storage volume equals 63,851 cubic feet. The volume of liquid waste to be pumped approximately equals 25% of the structural volume (25% X 63,851 CF = 15,963 CF). The volume of solid waste to be removed approximately equals 75% of the structural volume (75% X 63,851 = 47,888 CF). The volume of earthwork (earthfill and excavation) required to breach the embankment and/or fill in the impoundment and perform final grading of the site is approximately 50% of the structural volume. The volume of earthwork will include 60% as excavation and 40% as compacted earthfill. Structural removal, as necessary, may include the removal and disposal of the synthetic liner, sealing or removal and disposal of waste transfer components and other appurtenances associated with closure of the facility. Decommissioning of a liquid waste storage impoundment includes agitating, removing, and spreading liquid/slurry waste material, removing solid/sludge waste remaining in the bottom. All waste material shall be land applied in accordance with Nutrient Management (590). If present, the synthetic liner will be removed and properly disposed of. All inflow devices and associated appurtenances will be removed and properly disposed of. The embankment will be breached and the excavation filled in with the embankment material or hauled in earthfill. The disturbed areas shall be vegetated in accordance with Critical Area Planting (342). Closure of the waste impoundment will address water quality degradation, air quality impacts and safety hazards by removing and properly utilizing the waste from the impoundment. The site will also become available for another use.</p>
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Scenario Feature Measure	Cubic feet of structural storage
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Scenario Unit	Cubic Foot
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Scenario Typical Size	63851
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Cost Summary:

Cost Category	Scenario Cost	Scenario Cost/Unit
Materials	\$0.00	\$0.00
Equipment/Installation	\$18,626.01	\$0.29
Labor	\$530.28	\$0.01
Mobilization	\$783.75	\$0.01
Acquisition of Technical Knowledge	\$0.00	\$0.00
Foregone Income	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$19,940.04	\$0.31

Cost Details:							
Cost Category	Component ID	Component Name	Component Description	Unit	Price (\$/unit)	Quantity	Cost
Equipment/Installation	956	Manure, compost, injection	Loading, hauling and injecting manure/compost by ground equipment. Includes equipment, power unit and labor costs.	Gallon	\$0.01	119401	\$1,194.01
Equipment/Installation	1633	Spreading, manure sludge	Loading, hauling and spreading manure solids/sludge by ground equipment on nearby fields. Includes equipment, power unit and labor costs.	Cubic Foot	\$0.28	47888	\$13,408.64
Equipment/Installation	48	Excavation, Common Earth, side cast, small equipment	Bulk excavation and side casting of common earth with hydraulic excavator with less than 1 CY capacity. Includes equipment and labor.	Cubic yard	\$1.91	709	\$1,354.19
Equipment/Installation	49	Earthfill, Roller Compacted	Earthfill, roller or machine compacted, includes equipment and labor	Cubic yard	\$3.53	473	\$1,669.69
Equipment/Installation	931	Hydraulic Excavator, 1 CY	Track mounted hydraulic excavator with bucket capacity range of 0.8 to 1.5 CY. Equipment and power unit costs. Labor not included.	Hours	\$83.29	12	\$999.48
Mobilization	1140	Mobilization, large equipment	Equipment >150HP or typical weights greater than 30,000 pounds or loads requiring over width or over length permits.	Each	\$249.71	1	\$249.71
Mobilization	1139	Mobilization, medium equipment	Equipment with 70-150 HP or typical weights between 14,000 and 30,000 pounds.	Each	\$133.51	4	\$534.04
Labor	231	General Labor	Labor performed using basic tools such as power tool, shovels, and other tools that do not require extensive training. Ex. pipe layer, herder, concrete placement, materials spreader, flagger, etc.	Hours	\$18.57	12	\$222.84
Labor	233	Equipment Operators, Heavy	Includes: Cranes, Hydraulic Excavators >=50 HP, Dozers, Paving Machines, Rock Trenchers, Trenchers >=12", Dump Trucks, Ag Equipment >=150 HP, Scrapers, Water Wagons.	Hours	\$25.62	12	\$307.44