

Incident Notification

Incident Date: November 23, 2021

Title: **Reportable Discharge of Tailings Management Facility (TMF) Reclaim Water**

Description: Due to an equipment failure on the TMF reclaim water pipeline, inside the TMF pumphouse, reclaim water filled the secondary containment area and started flowing outside of the pumphouse. Approximately 10 m³ of reclaim water was discharged around the pumphouse.

Resolution: The reclaim water pumps were shutdown after discovering the discharge. Some of the reclaim water was collected using a vacuum truck and disposed of in the Tailings Neutralization Circuit. The remaining frozen reclaim water was scraped up with a loader and disposed of in the TMF. Provincial and federal regulators were notified and a follow-up report will be submitted to regulators.

