



**REPORT OF ADDITIONAL ASBESTOS ABATEMENT
PROJECT MONITORING**

**Prince William County Department of Public Works
Bennett School
Manassas, Virginia**

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MACTEC Project 3553-04-0287



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**Subject: Report of Additional Asbestos Abatement Project Monitoring
Bennett School
Manassas, Virginia
MACTEC Project 3553-04-0287**

Dear Mr. West:

MACTEC Engineering and Consulting, Inc. (MACTEC) is pleased to present this report of asbestos abatement project monitoring during the removal of overlooked asbestos-containing materials (ACM) at Bennett School. Our services were provided at your request in accordance with MACTEC proposal PROP03WASH-424 and our existing contract with Prince William County Department of Public Works (PWCDPW), Contract 2125NA2, Modification #1, dated April 2, 2003 and Purchase Order DP042094. This report includes project information, our scope of services, project summary, and recommendations. Also included are Appendix A – Summary of Air Monitoring and Appendix B – Field Notes.

Project Information

The Bennett School is located at 9300 Lee Avenue in Manassas, Virginia. PWCDPW contracted Waco, Inc. (WACO) to remove asbestos-containing wallboard glue dots and pipe insulation from the school. MACTEC was requested by PWCDPW to conduct asbestos abatement project monitoring during the removal activities. The additional abatement monitoring was conducted due to the fact that some ACM black board glue dots were overlooked during previous ACM abatement efforts.

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Scope of Services

MACTEC provided on-site air sample collection and analysis, project observation, and reporting services for the asbestos abatement project. MACTEC representative, Mr. Kebret Andarge, Commonwealth of Virginia licensed project monitor, was onsite during the project to observe work practices, and to perform project monitoring duties. The abatement of asbestos-containing glue dots behind blackboards and pipe insulation was performed on March 3, 2004 in the following locations: southeast and southwest third floor rooms of the historic building that is to be preserved and remodeled by PWCDPW.

MACTEC observed the abatement contractor's operations to document that the abatement activities were conducted in compliance with applicable Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), and Commonwealth of Virginia regulations.

Project Summary

Summary of Contractor Work Practices and Work Area Engineering Controls

Prior to abatement, regulated work areas were established around each project area. Engineering controls employed for the removal of asbestos-containing wallboard glue dots included critical barriers, negative pressure enclosures (NPE), air filtration units equipped with High Efficiency Particulate Air (HEPA) filters, and HEPA vacuums. Access to the work areas was restricted through the use of one-stage decontamination chambers. NPEs constructed around the project areas consisted of, single layer, six-mil polyethylene sheeting on the floors. Glove bags were utilized for removal of a five-foot section pipe insulation. Critical barriers consisting of two layers of six-mil polyethylene sheeting were installed over ceiling and wall vent openings, penetrations, entrances/exits, and windows.

Gross removal of the asbestos-containing wallboard glue dots, was performed through the use of hand scrapers. Gross removal of pipe insulation was conducted using manual tools inside polyethylene glove bags. As the asbestos-containing materials were removed from the substrate, they were promptly placed into six-mil polyethylene bags, properly labeled for asbestos waste. HEPA vacuums and dampened cloths were employed for the fine cleaning phase of the abatement work.

Project Monitoring

Prior to commencement of abatement activities MACTEC performed a pre-abatement inspection to assure NPE integrity. Glove bags were smoke tested to assure proper isolation of the asbestos-containing pipe insulation.

During the course of abatement, ambient air samples were collected inside and outside the work areas to document the presence of airborne fibers within the work areas and the potential migration of airborne fibers from the work areas. The air samples collected inside and outside the work areas during the gross removal and fine cleaning phases of the abatement process measured airborne fiber concentrations less than or equal to the EPA post-abatement reoccupancy level of 0.01 fibers per cubic centimeter of air (f/cc). A summary of the Phase Contrast Microscopy (PCM) asbestos laboratory results are attached in Appendix A – Summary of Air Monitoring Results.

Ambient air monitoring conducted during the course of abatement was performed in accordance with OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1926.1101, using procedures outlined in the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) 7400 Method for asbestos air sample collection and analysis. This method involves the collection of airborne fibers on a 25mm diameter 0.8-micron pore size mixed cellulose ester filter using a pre-calibrated air-sampling pump. The air samples were analyzed on-site by MACTEC by Phase Contrast Microscopy (PCM) in accordance with the NIOSH 7400 Method. The MACTEC asbestos analytical laboratory successfully participates in the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA) Proficiency Analytical Testing program.

Following gross removal and fine cleaning for each work area, MACTEC conducted a final visual inspection for visible dust and debris. After a successful visual inspection, the abated areas were sprayed with an encapsulant.

MACTEC released the regulated areas for containment dismantlement based upon the ambient air samples collected inside the work areas throughout the abatement process measuring below the EPA recommended clearance level of each individual air sample measuring below 0.01 f/cc by PCM analysis. A summary of the PCM asbestos laboratory results are attached in Appendix A - Air Monitoring Results.

Waste Disposal

The asbestos-contaminated waste was double-bagged in six-mil thick polyethylene bags and transported into a locked storage dumpster during the abatement work for the shift. The asbestos waste bags were then transported from the job site at the completion of the abatement work for the day. MACTEC understands that appropriate waste manifests and receipt documents will be provided by WACO to the appropriate PWCDPW representative.

Recommendations

WACO performed the removal of the asbestos-containing materials in accordance with EPA, OSHA, and Commonwealth of Virginia regulations. MACTEC recommends that the removal of the above-mentioned asbestos containing materials be considered complete and the areas to be considered successfully abated and cleared for reoccupancy.

Closing

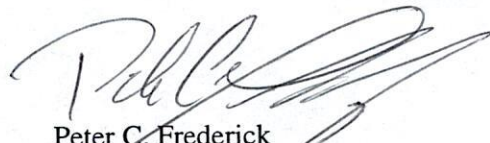
We appreciate the opportunity to provide service to PWCDPW on this project. Should you have any questions following your review of our report, or if we may be of further service, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

MACTEC ENGINEERING AND CONSULTING, INC.



Kebret T. Andarge
Staff Environmental Scientist



Peter C. Frederick
Principal Scientist/Project Manager

Enclosures: 1. Appendix A – Air Monitoring and Laboratory Bulk Sample Results
 2. Appendix B – Field Notes



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ABATEMENT MONITORING FINAL INSPECTION

Project Number: 3553-04-0287 Client: PW/C PW Date: 03/03/04

Building/Location Name: Bennett School Project Address: 9300 Lee Avenue

Specific Work Area Location: 3rd floor of historic School building
Type/Quantity of Material Removed: Chalk Board glue dots.

FINAL VISUAL INSPECTION

Visible debris: ☒ Pass ☐ Fail If No, describe why: _____

Settled dust: ☒ Pass ☐ Fail If No, describe why: _____

Hand wipe: ☒ Pass ☐ Fail If No, describe why: _____

Flashlight: ☒ Pass ☐ Fail If No, describe why: _____

Corrective Actions Requested: _____

Work Area Final Visual Inspection: ☒ Pass ☐ Fail

SEALANT

Is sealant a different color from substrate? ☒ Yes / ☐ No If No, describe why: _____

Are all exposed surfaces coated? ☒ Yes / ☐ No If No, describe why: _____

FINAL CLEARANCE

Asbestos

Clearance criteria: AHERA Maryland Washington, DC Virginia-PCU SPECIFICATIONS

Describe protocol: _____

Clearance level: ☒ 0.01 f/cc ☐ 70 str/mm² Other: _____

Aggressive: Yes / ☒ No Boxfans: Yes / ☒ No Leafblower: Yes / ☒ No

Number of samples inside containment: 4 Number of samples outside containment: 2

Lead

Clearance criteria: EPA HUD SPECIFICATIONS

Wipe sample location(s): _____

Clearance level: Floors: 40 µg/ft² W. Sills: 250 µg/ft² W. Troughs: 400 µg/ft² Other: _____

Additional Comments: _____

MACTEC IH Representative: Kebret Andarge MACTECT IH Rep Signature: Kebret Andarge

MACTEC QA/QC Review: Jm



UWA: Outside Work Area Ambient
IWA: Inside Work Area Ambient
P: Personal
F: Final Clearance
W: Wipe
FB: Field Blank

SAMPLE DATA SHEET

Reviewed by: *jm*

PROJECT: *The Bennett School* PROJECT LOCATION: *9300 Lee Avenue*
MACTEC PROJECT NUMBER: *3553-04-0287* MACTEC PERSONNEL: *Robert Andarge*
CLIENT: *PWC.pw* SAMPLE DATE: *03103104* PAGE: *1* of *1*

Sample Number	Sample Type	Work Area (Room)	Sample Location	Pre-post Calibration	Flow Rate (L/min)	Time On/Off	Time (min)	Volume or Area	Fibers / Field	Result	Activity during sampling
KA030304		2nd floor	Room to the east	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	08:00 / 11:00	180	540	$\frac{6}{100}$	<0.01	Abatement
-01	IWA	2nd floor old Bldg.	Center of Room	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	08:00 / 11:00			$\frac{9}{100}$	<0.01	
-02	IWA		Room to the west	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	08:00 / 11:00			$\frac{2}{100}$	<0.01	
-03	OWA		Center of Room	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	08:00 / 11:00			$\frac{7}{100}$	<0.01	
-04	IWA		East Room Hallway	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	11:00 / 14:00			$\frac{11}{100}$	<0.01	
-05	IWA		West Room	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	11:00 / 14:00			$\frac{4}{100}$	<0.01	
-06	OWA		Center of Room	3.0 / 3.0	3.0	11:00 / 14:00					
-07	FB	Field	Blank								
-08	FB	Field	Blank								



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DAILY WORK PRACTICE OBSERVATIONS

Project Number: 3553-04-0287 Client: PWC PW Date: 03/03/04
Building/Location Name: Bennett School Project Address: 9300 Lee Avenue

Specific Work Area Location: 3rd floor of historic school building
Type/Quantity of Material to be Removed: chalk board glue dots

Initial Daily Inspection

NPE, Glovebags or Other Containment Intact (Yes) / No If No, describe: _____
NPE / Glovebag Smoke Tested: (Yes) / No If deficiency, describe corrective action: _____
AFUs functioning properly (Yes) / No If No, describe: _____
Appropriate Number of AFUs Functioning in Work Area: (Yes) / No Number of AFUs in Work Area: 1
Manometer Functioning Properly Yes (No) If No, describe: NA
Other Deficiencies Noted none

Daily Observations

Wet Methods Used: (Yes) / No Amended Water Used: (Yes) / No HEPA Vacuums Used: (Yes) / No
Waste Bagged While Wet: (Yes) / No Bags Properly Labeled: (Yes) / No Bags Double Bagged: (Yes) / No
Waste Bags Stored at Work Area: (Yes) / No Storage Location of Waste Bags: Designated Dumpster
Workers Using PPE at All Times: (Yes) / No If No, describe: _____
Smoking, Eating, Drinking, Chewing Tobacco, or Applying Cosmetics in Work Area: Yes / (No)
Workers Utilizing Hygiene Facilities: (Yes) / No If No, describe: _____
Negative Pressure Readings: _____
Time: _____
Describe any deficiencies observed during work shift: _____

Final Daily Observations

All ACM Removed as Part of the Scope of Work: (Yes) / No If No, why: _____
Any Remaining ACM Within the Work Area: Yes / (No) If Yes, describe: _____
Total Number of Bags/Drums of Waste Generated for the Shift _____
Work Area Sealed and Secured at End of Shift: (Yes) / No / (NA) AFUs Remaining Operational: (Yes) / No / (NA)
Hygiene Facilities and Areas Outside Work Area Clean and Free of Clutter: (Yes) / No
Other Notes _____

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MACTEC IH Rep Signature: Kebret Andarge

MACTEC QA/QC Review: jm

APPENDIX A
SUMMARY OF AIR MONITORING
SAMPLE RESULTS

Air Sample Results Summary Table

SAMPLE DATE	SAMPLE NUMBER	SAMPLE TYPE	SAMPLE LOCATION	FLOW RATE (L/min)	TIME (min)	TOTAL VOLUME (Liters)	FIBERS PER	RESULT (f/cc)	ACTIVITY DURING SAMPLING
03/03/04	KA030304-01	IWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Center of Room to East	3.00	180	540	6/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-02	IWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Center of Room to West	3.00	180	540	9/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-03	OWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Hallway	3.00	180	540	2/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-04	IWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Center of West Room	3.00	180	540	7/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-05	IWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Center of East Room	3.00	180	540	11/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-06	OWA	Second Floor, Old Building, Hallway	3.00	180	540	4/100	<0.01	ACM Removal
03/03/04	KA030304-07	FB	Field Blank	N/A	N/A	N/A	0/100	N/A	Field Blank
03/03/04	KA030304-08	FB	Field Blank	N/A	N/A	N/A	0/100	N/A	Field Blank

Sample Types:

OWA: Outside of Work Area IWA: Inside of Work Area

P: Personal F: Final Clearance FB: Field Blank W: Lead Wipe

Air samples were analyzed by the MACTEC Engineering & Consulting, Inc. (MACTEC) asbestos analytical laboratory by Phase Contrast Microscopy (PCM) in accordance with the NIOSH 7400 Method.

The MACTEC analytical laboratory successfully participates in the AIHA Proficiency Analytical Testing program.



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APPENDIX B
FIELD NOTES

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RECORD OF DAILY ACTIVITY

PROJECT: The Bennett School
MACTEC PROJECT NUMBER: 3553-04-0287
CLIENT: PWCPCW MACTEC PERSONNEL: Kebret Andarge
DATE: 03/03/04 WORK LOCATION: 9300 Lee Avenue.

TIME LINE	
0700	Arrived at the Bennett School to perform project monitoring test during ACM removal process.
0710	Met with WACO and discussed today's scope of work. WACO will remove asbestos containing glue dots from two classrooms in addition to a five foot pipe the ^{KT} chase insulation via glove bag.
0730	performed a visual inspection on a glove bag and smoke-tested it and granted WACO the permission to start removal.
0800	Set-up three low volume pumps that are calibrated at 3.0 liters per ^{KT} per minute to collect the ambient PCM air samples.
0815	Glove bag removal is completed and WACO requested a final visual inspection.
0840	performed a final visual inspection on the 5-foot abated pipe.

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RECORD OF DAILY ACTIVITY

PROJECT: The Bennett School
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AGENT: PWCPU MACTEC PERSONNEL: Kebret Andarge
DATE: 03/03/04 WORK LOCATION: 9300 Lee Avenue.

ME LINE	
0900	Waco started glue dot removal from the two class rooms.
1000	Work is still in progress.
1100	replaced the PCM cassettes.
1115	Started sample analysis.
1130	Waco workers started lunch.
1200	Waco workers are back from lunch.
1330	Waco completed glue dot removal and requested a final visual inspection.
1345	Performed a final visual inspection and granted waco the permission to encapsulate the abated walls.
1400	Collected the second batch of the samples for analysis.
1415	Started sample analysis.
1500	sample analysis is complete. and KT
1510	left the site for the day.

PRELIMINARY SUBMITTAL SUBJECT TO FINAL REVIEW

Final Review jm

PRE - ABATEMENT WORK AREA CHECKLIST

Project Number: 3553-03-0287 Client: PWCPW Date: 03/03/04

Building/Location Name: Bennett School Project Address: 9300 Lee Avenue

Specific Work Area Location: 3rd floor of historic Building

Type/Quantity of Material to be Removed: Chalk Board glue dots

WORK AREA ISOLATION:

Decontamination Chamber: ☒ 1-Stage ☐ 2-Stage ☐ 3-Stage Proper Airlocks: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Utility Shutdown: ☒ HVAC System ☒ Electricity ☒ Gas Other: _____

Pre-cleaning of surfaces: ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA If No or NA, describe why: _____

Barrier Tape Used to Designate Work Area: ☒ Yes ☐ No OSHA and State Signage: ☒ Yes ☐ No State: _____

Critical Barriers: ☒ Yes ☐ No ☒ Doors/Windows ☒ Vents/HVAC ☒ Floor Drains Other: _____

Layers of Poly for Containment: 1 Walls 1 Floors _____ Ceilings 1 Unmovable Equipment

If no containment, describe isolation controls: _____

Negative Pressure Required: ☒ Yes ☐ No Number of AFUs installed in work area: _____ Backup available: Yes / No

Calculation of Required # of AFUs: _____

Number of Air Changes per Hour: _____ Type of Manometer Used: _____

HYGIENE FACILITIES

Shower Functional: Yes / No / ☒ NA If No or NA, describe hygiene facilities: Bucket of water

Hygiene Facilities Clean and Sanitary: ☒ Yes ☐ No Adequate Amount of Towels, Soap, etc.: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Shower Has Separate Hot and Cold Water: Yes / No Shower Drain Has Proper 5 μ M Filter: Yes / No

Describe Hygiene Facilities Other Than Shower/Decontamination Chamber: _____

ABATEMENT PERSONNEL AND PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Do workers have appropriate training, licenses, and medical records on-site: ☒ Yes ☐ No Records Reviewed: ☒ Yes ☐ No

NIOSH Approved Respirators: ☒ Yes ☐ No If No, describe why: _____

Type of Respirators: HEPA / half face Dual Use Cartridges: Yes / ☒ No If Yes, type: _____

Type of Coveralls: Disposable or Launderable Head Covering and foot/shoe coverlets: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Other Types of PPE Required: eye protection

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MACTEC QA/QC Review: mm

METHOD OF REMOVAL

Describe the method of removal, including specific tools used, special equipment such as glovebags, a Blastrac, Infra-red machines, bead blaster, Peel-A-Way, etc.

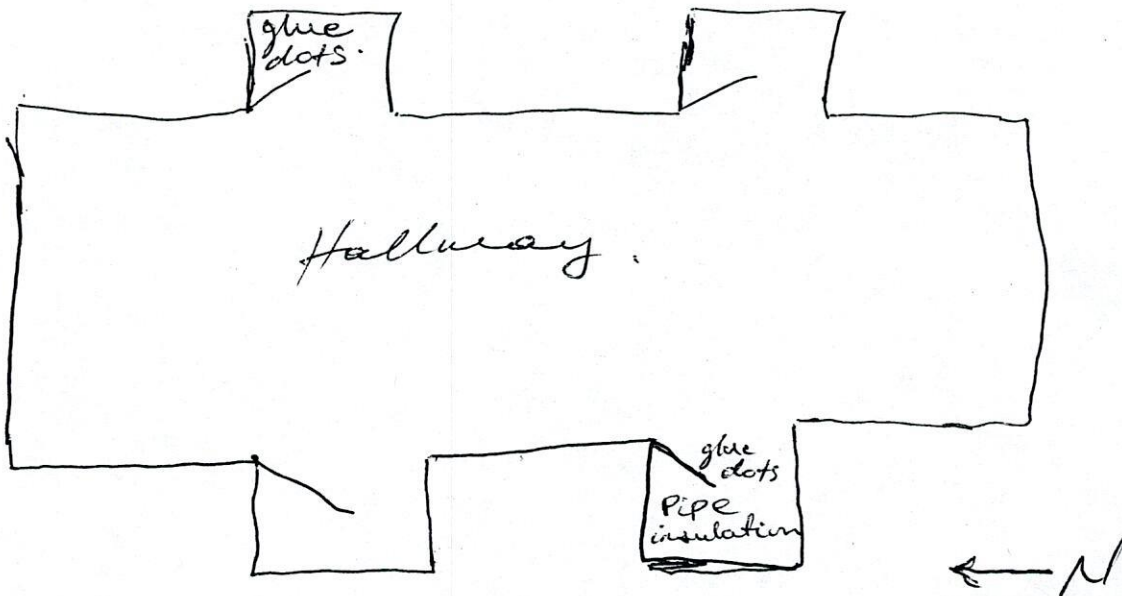
Removal of glue dots using hammer and short handle scrapers.

Describe worker engineering control practices that will be used during the removal process:

Work area was isolated using a poly on the entrance.

Glovebags Used for Project: Yes / No G-bags Negative Pressure Supplied by: HEPA Vacuum / HEPA AFU
Each G-bag Smoke Tested: Yes / No Drop Cloth Used: Yes / No 2 Workers per G-bag: Yes / No
More Than One G-bag Combined to Make a Larger G-bag: Yes / No

DRAWING OF ABATEMENT WORK AREA OR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS



PRE-ABATEMENT INSPECTION OF WORK AREA: PASS / FAIL

Corrective Actions Requested Prior to Approval: _____

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