



The Challenge: Receding waters of the Colorado River Basin and leaching of toxic contaminates into canal waterways

The Threat: Drinking water and irrigation water shortages and Toxic Leachate Contamination

The Solution: Stop canal channel water loss to ground, stop ingress of toxic leachates

Pro-Seal CCO Stabilization, Environmentally Sound, Seamless, Hydrophobic, and Contains Toxic Leachates

- NSF Guidelines Compliant
- o GO Green Certified Compliant
- Red Line Certified Compliant
- NSF Certified Compliant
- US EPA Compliant

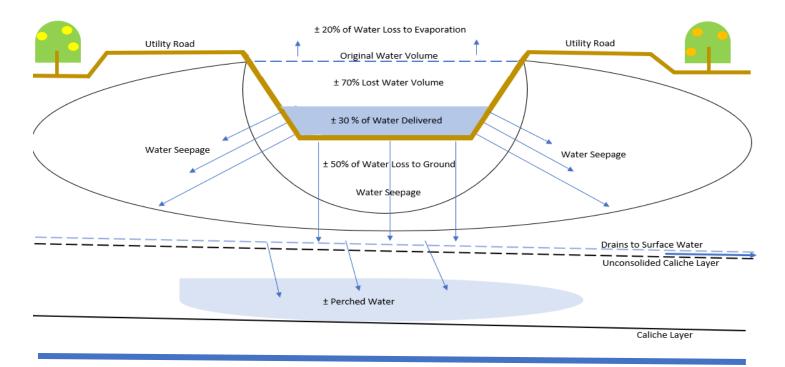
- USFDA Compliant
- USACE ASTM Compliant
- o LARR Compliant
- o CSI Compliant
- Contains RCRA 8 Metals At Newest EPA ppb Requirements





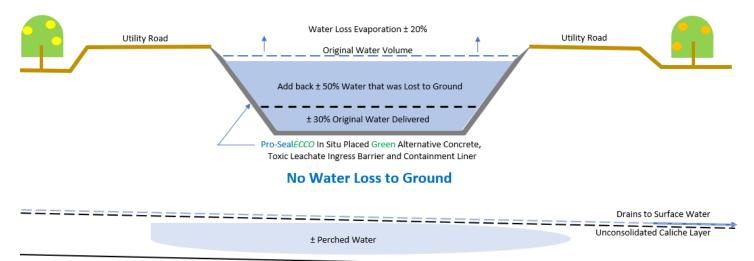
# Challenge:

Losing Earthen Canal



# Solution:





• Deliver 60% more water!

• Efficiency increased 72.5% !



Caliche Layer



## What is it?



Left, native soil with Pro-Seal ECCO® Nano Novel Matrix Material added to create alternate concrete, with up to 14,000 psi. Mixed in situ (in place), structurally stabilizing the soil creating a continuous hydrophobic (non-water absorbent) toxic leachate containment barrier.

Nano Novel Matrix properties. these are peculiar to the nano and sub-nano levels, a few examples:

Helix/Hexahedron Tetrahedron

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Above, Nano Novel matrix properties are strong physical, electrical, magnetic, and chemical bond-

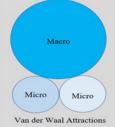
strength of bond. These properties are only avail-

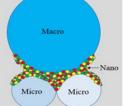
ing properties combining, creating a dynamic

able at the nano and sub-nano particle scales.

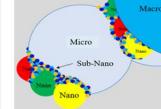
Necklace

## How does it work? The science:





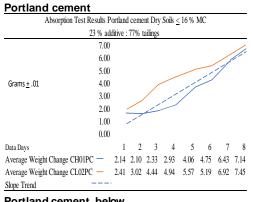
Novel Properties Level 1 Reactions This level limits the This level increases reaction points. the reaction points by millions.



Novel Properties Level 2 Reactions Pro-Seal ECCO at this level increases the reaction points by trillions.

With Pro-Seal ECCO Nano Novel Matrix materials we get trillions more reactions in the same footprint. Nanotechnology allows us to custom engineer the site soil creating structure, therefore generating far superior bond strengths.

**The proof:** Independent testing from Dr. J. Lee, U of A and Colorado School of Mining.



# **ASTM 642 Absorption**

Left, Portland cement absorbed 18,333 - 28,420% more moisture than Pro-Seal ECCO Nano Novel Matrix material. Results: Portland cement is hydro-philic (absorbent).

Right, Pro-Seal ECCO rejected all Pro-SealECCO water. is hydrophobic (non-absorbent). Pro-SealECCO material will not allow water to wick through or pass through it to ground.

#### Pro-SealECCO

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Absorption Test Results NanoCrete Treated Specimens Dry Soils ≤16% MC 23 % additive : 77% tailings 0.70 0.60 0.50 Grams + .01 0.40 0.30 0.20 0.00 2 5 Data Davs 3 4 6 7 8 1 Average Weight Change CH01NC — 0.00 0.05 0.35 0.55 0.18 0.12 0.07 0.05 Average Weight Change CL02NC — 0.00 0.22 0.43 0.74 0.45 0.27 0.09 0.03 Slope Trend

Top left, EPA TCLP: 50% Portland cement mix specimens placed in pH 3.4 acidic acid, 72 hours, and tumbled. Result: RCRA 8 leaching accelerated, failed in ppm.

Bottom left, EPA TCLP modified: 23% Pro-Seal ECCO mix specimens placed in pH 3.0 sulfuric acid, 30 days, and tumbled. Result: RCRA 8 leaching contained, passed in ppb.

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Portland cement, below

Tailings ICP-EOS Analysis Leach Results From Portland cement polymerizd Mine Tailings Tumbled and Submerged Acidic Acid Solution, pH 3.4											3.4			
Туре	In ppm	Na	Mg	Al	Κ	Ca	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Ni	Cu	Zn	As
FE A	LW1	1650.98	7.39	1.598	6.234	26.89	0.0415	0.02	0.02	0.711	1.27	0.035	6.42	0.265
CU B	LW 2	2791.21	2.21	1.792	7.186	22.07	0.902	0.043	0.025	0.093	1.09	0.073	5.47	0.499

#### Pro-SealECCO, below

Tailings	ICP-EOS Analysis Leach Results From NanoCrete Treated FE Tailings									
	In ppb	Ag	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Hg	Pb	Se	
Fe	Raw Tailings	1.00	1.32	100.10	0.11	2.10	0.00	2.30	1.20	
Fe	NanoCrete Treated Tailings	0.0140	0.0500	0.0330	0.0100	0.0068	0.0000	0.0150	0.0020	
% Change	-	99%	96%	100%	91%	100%	N/A	99%	100%	
Change +/-		+	+	+	+	+	N/A	+	+	





# How Is Pro-SealECCO applied/installed?



Begin with water losing canal.



Spread Pro-Seal ECCO® NanoCrete.



Drum roll for tight compression.



Clean out and reshape.



In situ mix Pro-Seal ECCO<sup>®</sup>: NanoCrete, BedROC, and rock.



End with water retention and efficiency.



Spread specified rock screen line.



Back drag for light compression.

- Its Green!
- Deliver 60% more water!
- Efficiency increased 72.5% !
- It makes ECCOnomic sense!

# Make a significant "Environment Positive Impact" decision now.

- Custom designed stabilization matrix designed to specific site soil and use.
- The install is rapid and ready for use just hours after instillation.
- The material is hydrophobic, stopping water lost to ground.
- The material is a Green Nano Novel matrix material.
- Minimal pieces of equipment required per crew.
- Go Green, reduce the carbon footprint.
- Deliver up to 60% more water.

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