






Daily Field Report - SaskPower

Information


-  P3C Veg Management (41062196)
-  X-Terra Environmental
-  Friday, February 14th 2025, 3:11 PM (CST -06:00)

Project Details

Proponent:	 SaskPower
Location:	 Various
Project Name:	 P3C Veg Management (41062196)
Vendor and Foreman:	 Davey Tree - Parker Lavoie
X-Terra Project Number:	 25600
Environmental Monitor:	 Jeff Kardas
ENV File Number:	 22-01-00321

Project Activities

Project Activities:

-  06:00- Left Saskatoon for project site at structure #173 on P3C transmission line.
- 07:00 – Arrive at structure #173. Met Davey tree crew (2 members). Reviewed Davey hazard and risk assessment (HARA) and signed on. Completed X-Terra HARA and reviewed AHPP with Davey crew. Davey crew agreed to conditions and signed onto permit. Crew sprayed herbicide between structures #173-#174.
- 08:30 – Head to structure #510 (structure #403 does not have landowner permission so will not be completed). The vegetation to be sprayed at this location is within a tributary to Moose Mountain Creek (a fish-bearing wetland). As such, a 90m buffer must be applied for herbicide application. As such, no herbicide was sprayed at this location. Crews had previously sprayed part of structure #510 on July 10 without an environmental monitor. As the vegetation sprayed was located within a tributary to Moose Mountain Creek, this is a non-compliance. The arborist foreman noticed the crew was spraying before they finished spraying all of structure #510 and had them stop immediately after noticing. Photos of the area sprayed are provided below.
- 10:00 – Head to structure #520 and #527. Vegetation to be sprayed at both locations is located within a tributary to Moose Mountain Creek and was not sprayed.
- 13:00 – Head to structures #588-591. A total of three 30m wetland buffers were marked out to avoid spraying herbicide at structures #591 and #588.
- 17:00 – Finish day and head back to accommodation. Complete DFR.

Total Hours Worked:

= 11

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA Completed/Reviewed X-Terra Tailgate:

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA Reviewed/Signed Crew Tailgate:

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA Reviewed Permit(s) with Crew(s)

X-Terra Equipment Onsite:

☒ None

Weather and Ground Conditions:

☒ Sunny, wind 10-17 km/hr, temperatures 20-30°C.
Dry ground conditions.

Environmental Protection Measures and Mitigation:

☒ All permit conditions in Ministry of Environment Permit #22-01-00321 were followed.

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Wildlife Observations:

☒ Western Meadowlark, American Crow, American Robin, Red-tailed Hawk, Brown-headed Cowbird, Brewer's blackbird

Future Monitoring Requirements (how many monitoring days left, are crews returning from break, etc.):

☒ No further monitoring required for the completed project areas.

Additional Photos



Viewing clean side by side.



Viewing east to structure #510. Tributary to Moose Mountain Creek was sprayed without environmental monitor present previously (July 10). Resulted in non-compliance.



Viewing north to wetland at structure #588.



Viewing west to wetland at south side of ROW between structures #588-589.



Viewing southeast to wetland between structures #591-592.



Viewing east to tributary to Moose Mountain Creek at structure #520.

Signatures

Jeff Kardas , *Manager, Reclamation & Remediation*

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