# Submitting Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Questionnaire



Intended User: Authorized representatives of AER regulated licensees and assigned delegates

# Overview

This quick reference guide (QRG) describes how to complete the Questionnaire tab of the Record of Site Condition (RoSC) in OneStop.

By getting here you have already completed the Create and General tabs in your RoSC submission. See the following QRGs: *Submitting Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Create* and *Submitting Record of Site Condition (RoSC): General.* 

# **Complete Questionnaire**

Click Questionnaire on the left navigation bar.



# Intent

This section identifies which legislative role the submission intends to fulfill. Consider the following questions:

- What is the intent of submission?
- What submission best fulfills that intent?

The Submitting a Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Intent of Submission QRG details the specific intents of submission and submission types.

Note: The submission type does not need to match the title of the professional report(s) attached to the RoSC.

1. Select the intent from available options.

What is the intent of submission? *	Notice of Contamination	Contaminant Identification and Characterization	Contamination Management	Regulatory or Administrative Closure of Contamination

- You may select multiple submission types that fulfill one or both Contamination Identification and Characterization and Contamination Management intents. In certain cases (detailed below), the Notice of Contamination intent may also be selected.
- Submission types that fulfill the Notice of Contamination or Regulatory or Administrative Closure of Contamination intents, by default, may not be submitted together with submission types that fulfill the other intents.

# Important

The notice of contamination may only be submitted on its own and the user cannot select another intent. When "No" is the answer to the question, "Do you have a professional report that meets the *Alberta Environmental Site Assessment Standard* to submit with Notice of Contamination?", the remaining tabs in the RoSC form are optional.

However, when "Yes" is the answer to the question, "Do you have a professional report that meets the *Alberta Environmental Site Assessment Standard* to submit with Notice of Contamination?", the notice of contamination must be completed by also indicating one or both of Contaminant Identification and Characterization or Contamination Management intents.

- When indicating the submission(s) that best fulfill the intent(s), be aware the entire OneStop RoSC submission may be returned if requirements of any one of the identified submissions are not satisfied. Refer to Submitting a Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Intent of Submission QRG for details.
- 2. Where applicable, select the submission type that best fulfills your intent. Selections appear based on the intent of submission selection(s). Note that Notice of Contamination is both an intent and a submission type.

What submission best fulfills the Contaminant	Groundwater Monitoring Report
Identification and Characterization intent? *	Groundwater Monitoring Update
	Phase 2 Environmental Site Assessment Report
	Soil Monitoring Report
	Surveillance Monitoring Report
	Other

3. If **Contamination Management** was selected in Step 1, **and** an SSRA best fulfills the intent, answer an additional question.

Select **Yes** or **No**: Are you requesting a review and consultation of the Site-Specific Risk Assessment from the Regulator?

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Are you requesting review and consultation of the Site- Specific Risk Assessment from the Regulator? *	Yes	No	

**Note**: Ensure that conditions requiring an SSRA consultation are met for this submission type. See *Submitting a Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Intent of Submission QRG* for more information.

a) If **Yes**, a required text box will appear. Indicate what elements of the submission are beyond prescribed Tier 2 approaches.

Specify what aspect of the report you are seeking consultation (note this must be bey guidelines are not subject to review).				
Comments *				

- b) If No, proceed to Step 5.
- 4. If **Regulatory or Administrative Closure of Contamination** was selected in Step 1, **and** a Remediation Certificate Application best fulfills the intent, answer an additional question.

Select the remediation certificate type you are applying for from the drop-down list.

What kind of Remediation Certificate are you applying for? *	
	Limited Remediation Certificate Site-Based Remediation Certificate

5. Select **Yes** or **No**: Is the submission associated with *EPEA* approval?

Is the submission associated with an Environmental	Yes	No	
Protection and Enhancement Act Approval? *			

#### a) If **Yes**, select the approval status.



- b) If No, proceed to the next step.
- 6. Select Yes or No: Was the submission required by Letter of Direction or an Enforcement Order?



## c) If Yes, enter the required order number.

Was the submission required under an enforcement order or Environmental Protection Order? *	Yes No
Enter the order # *	

**Note**: Letters specifying requirements for annual updates, next submissions for a file, or other requests are **not** Letters of Direction or Enforcement Orders.

- d) If No, proceed to the next step.
- 7. Click (bottom right of screen).

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Save often. Your entry will be lost if you leave the page or close the wind	ow without saving.

## **Notice of Contamination**

The notice of contamination may be used for unreported, lower-risk situations where there is no ongoing incident resulting in substances being released to the environment. Users may submit the RoSC using the Notice of Contamination intent to fulfil the reporting requirements under the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* (*EPEA*), section 110 provided the following conditions **do not** apply:

- Situation involves an emergency
- Substance release is ongoing or uncontrolled (steps or procedures are required to minimize, control, or stop the release)
- Risk to public safety (e.g., an evacuation is underway or drinking water is affected)
- Observed or known impacts to water bodies or wildlife
- Oilfield waste has been released
- Substance release is at a mine site
- Substance release is associated with an activity that does not have a current AER licence number
- Situation is happening on a military base, international airport, First Nations, or national park land, or may cross the Alberta border

- Situation is a release to air or involves transportation of dangerous goods
- Uncertainty as to whether any of the above points apply to the situation

If any of the conditions above apply, report the substance release using the AER 24-hour Energy and Environmental Response Line 1-800-222-6514.

8. If **Notice of Contamination** was selected in **Step 1**, confirm if any of the conditions above apply in order to submit the notice of contamination. Click **View** to read the above conditions in a pop-up message box.

Confirm none of these conditions apply *	View	
	l confirm none of the conditions apply	One or more of the conditions apply
a) Click <b>View</b> to read the con	ditions.	

	none of these conditions apply			
i)	For unreported lower-risk situation environment, licensees may use the	s where there is no ongoing incident result OneStop Notice of Contamination for rep	ing in substances being released to the orting released substances to the AER.	
	If any of the below apply report the 222-6514.	substance release using the AER 24 hour E	nergy and Environmental Response Line 1-800	)-
	<ul> <li>The situation involves an eme</li> <li>The substance release is ongorelease).</li> <li>There is a risk to public safety</li> </ul>	rgency. ing or uncontrolled (steps or procedures a (e.g. an evacuation is underway or drinkinį	re required to minimise, control or stop the g water is affected).	
	<ul> <li>There are observed or known</li> <li>Oilfield waste has been releas</li> <li>The substance release is at a</li> <li>The substance release is asso</li> </ul>	impacts to waterbodies or wildlife. ed. nine site. ciated with an activity that does not have a	current AER licence number.	
	<ul> <li>The situation is happening on border.</li> <li>The situation is a release to ai</li> <li>There is uncertainty as to who</li> </ul>	Military, International Airport, First Nation r or involves transportation of dangerous g	s or National Park Land, or may cross the Albe goods. Inuation	rta
	If NONE of the above apply select "	CONFIRM" to proceed with the AER Notice	of Contamination.	
<b>mpc</b> f one /ou r	ortant e or more conditions a must report the situatio	pply, you <b>cannot</b> submit on by calling EDGE (1-80	a notice of contamination v 0-272-9600).	ia OneStop, and
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9. Select **Yes** or **No** whether you have a professional report that meets the *Alberta Environmental Site Assessment Standard* to submit with the notice of contamination.

Do you have a professional report that meets the Alberta Environmental Site Assessment Standard to submit with		No
Notice of Contamination?*		

a) If **Yes**, at least one submission type under Contaminant Identification and Characterization or Contamination Management is also required. Complete the RoSC form as usual (details below).

What is the intent of submission? *	Notice of Contamination	Contaminant Identification and Characterization	Contamination Management	Regulatory or Adm
	An additional intent of sub	omission selection is required when a professional re	port is available.	

#### Note

A notice of contamination may not be submitted in conjunction with any closure related submissions. To submit an RoSC that is associated with closure, the notice of contamination must first be submitted and then followed by a separate closure submission.

b) If **No**, fulfill the additional requirements that appear. No other intent of submission may be indicated.



Select the applicable Area(s) of Potential Environmental Concern.

Indicate the applicable Area(s) of Potential Environmental Concern from the	Well Centre
following list *	Pipeline
	Flare Pits
	Above Ground Storage Tanks
	Below Ground Storage Tanks
	Processing Area
	Buried Pits
	Drilling Waste Disposal Area
	Other APECs

i) For **Other APECs**, a mandatory text box appears. Enter additional information.

	✓ Other APECs
Comments *	

# a) Select the relevant chemical group(s) and/or substances released.

Select the Chemical Group(s) and / or Substances Released *		Chem	ical Group(s)	Substa	nce(s) Released	
Chemical Group(s) *	Light Hydrocarbons		Substance(s) Re	eleased *	Crude Oil	
	Heavy Hydrocarbons				Fuel / Lube Oil	
					Condensate	
	Salt and Other Inorganics				Produced Water	
	Metal(s)				Drilling Mud	
	Other Processing Chemical	s			Other Substance	

i) When **Other Processing Chemicals and Other Substance** is selected, a mandatory text box appears. Enter additional information.

Comments *		

b) Select a date within 90 days to submit the professional report associated with the notice of contamination, as required by *Remediation Regulation* section 2.2(1).

Substance(s) Released *	- <b>«</b>		Aug	ust 2	0 <b>2</b> 4		»
	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	28	29	30	31	1	2	3
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Under the Environmental Site Assessment Standard, a professional report is required. Indicate a date, within 90 days, that you will submit the professional report *							

## Important - Potential Compliance Date 1

This date may be used to inform the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.



## c) Review the Notice of Contamination Declaration.

otice of Contamination Declaration					
Notice of Contamination Declaration *	I conducted reasonable inquiries to obtain all relevant information and the information provided in this Notice of Contamination is to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete as of this date. I understand that if I have provided false, misleading or inaccurate information, I am subject to the enforcement of the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, Release Reporting Regulation, and the Remediation Regulation.				
	I agree to submit this information electronically as part of the AERs electronic reporting system. I also acknowledge that the date of this notification can be used as a measure of future compliance with the Remediation Regulation.				

#### i) Enter your name and select the date.

	l agree
Authorization Representative name *	
Date *	

Note: the date must be on or before the current date.

#### Important

When submitting a notice of contamination, the remainder of the RoSC form is not required (provided no professional report is available), including the declarations found within the Confirmation tab. Proceed to validation to complete the RoSC.

# Stakeholders

1. Click the Stakeholders tab.

Intent Stakeholders

2. Landowners: Select all the landowners / jurisdictions that apply.

Landowners	
(Select all that apply)	Freehold
	E Federal
	Public Lands
	□ IOGC
	Other (explain below)

a) For Public Lands, add the Public Lands Act (PLA) disposition number.

	🗹 Public La	nds
	IOGC	
	Other (explain below)	
PLA Disposition Number *	Add	Remove

3. Click and enter the **disposition number** in the row provided.

	PLA Disposition Number 🌲
	LOCI
Tip	

To remove a row of information, click the box beside the row you wish to remove. Click **Remove**.

- 4. For **IOGC**, enter the **surface lease number** in the Comments box (e.g., OSXXXX). There may be additional IOGC reporting requirements.
- 5. For **Other**, enter comments in the space provided.

	✓ Other (explain below)
Comments	

6. Occupants: An occupant can be the property owner, operator, or other person that rents or leases the property. Select all **occupants** that apply.

a) For **Other**, enter comments in the space provided.

Occupants		
	(Select all that apply)	Operator
		Landowner
		Other (explain below)
	Comments	

- 7. Other: Select all other parties that apply.
  - a) For Other, enter comments in the space provided.

	C	Other		
			(Select all that apply)	Offsite parties     Developer     Municipality
				First Nations     Other (explain below)
			Comments	
8.	Click	Save		

# Site Characterization

1. Click the Site Characterization tab.



2. Land Use: Select the Current Land Use from the drop-down list.

Specify the land use classification that best describes the current, future, and more sensitive land use for the site. Refer to section 3.2 of the *Alberta Tier 1 Soil and Groundwater Remediation Guidelines (AENV, 2007a, as amended)* for more details on land use classifications.

Current Land Use *	
Future Land Use *	Agriculture Commercial
ise more sensitive *	Industrial Natural Area Residential/Parkland

3. Select Future Land Use from the drop-down list.

Future Land Use *	
se more sensitive *	Agriculture Commercial Industrial Natural Area

4. Select Yes or No: Is the adjacent land use more sensitive?

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Adjacent land use more sensitive *	Yes	No	

a) If Yes, select the land use from the drop-down list.

If yes, select land use *	
	Agriculture Commercial Natural Area Residential/Parkland

- b) If **No**, proceed to the next step.
- 5. Applicable Guidelines: Select **Yes** or **No** Does all analytical data collected on the site meet Tier 1 guidelines, including Tier 1 guidelines using appropriate background values?

Applicable Guidelines		
Does all analytical data collected on the site meet Tier 1	Yes	No
background values? * ()		

Select Yes if all relevant analytical data meets Tier 1 soil and groundwater guidelines, including Tier 1 background values. Relevant data includes Contaminants of Concern (COC) associated with Areas of Potential Environmental Concern (APEC) and/or known substance releases. Ensure the answer is supported in the professional report(s) that accompany the RoSC.

## Tip

If **Yes** response (site meets Tier 1), complete only the Professional Reports tab. Tabs that follow are optional: Guidelines Applied, Soil and Groundwater Details, Contaminant Details, and Remedial Measures.

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If Tier 1 background was used, indicate the background values within the "Background Concentrations that exceed Tier 1 guidelines" table in the Contaminant Details tab.

- Select No if all relevant analytical data does not meet Tier 1 soil and groundwater guidelines (e.g., a COC concentration exceeding Tier 1).
- Select No when relevant analytical data meets site-specific Tier 2 guidelines. Enter site-specific guidelines in the Contaminant Details section.
- Select No when COCs that are not listed in Tier 1 guidelines have been identified, even if Tier 1 guidelines are otherwise met.
- Select No if the submission provides minor exceedance justifications in support of a Contamination Review for Reclamation.

Yes	No

- a) If No, select Yes or No to answer the following questions:
  - Has information been communicated to all affected third parties?

- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines at existing water well receptors (including domestic, industrial, irrigation, and livestock watering water supply wells)?
- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in surface water or wetland?
- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in a dugout?
- Has vapour testing for intrusion into buildings been completed? This applies to the sampling and analysis of air/vapours, not routine field screening of soil samples or groundwater monitoring wells.

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#### Note

If any of the following questions are answered **Yes**, the table Receptor Concentrations Exceeding Laboratory Limit of Detection is mandatory:

- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines at existing water well receptors (including domestic, industrial, irrigation, and livestock watering water supply wells)?
- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in surface water or wetland?
- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in a dugout?

## **Guidelines Applied**

1. Click Guidelines Applied tab.

Stakeholders Site Characterization Guidelines Applied

2. Select all guidelines that apply to the site.

Guidelines Applied		
(Select all that apply.) 🟮		
Remote green zone	Biogenic interference calculation	D050-equivalent salinity guidelines
Tier 1 with background	Site-specific risk assessment	✓ Tier 1
Tier 2A subsoil salinity tool	Tier 2 modification	Tier 2 pathway exclusion
Surface water quality guidelines	Tier 2B subsoil salinity tool	Tier 2C subsoil salinity tool
Minor Exceedance Justification	Sulphur Remediation Guidelines	Native Prairie Protocol
<ul> <li>Directive for Monitoring the Impact of Sulphur Dust on Soil</li> </ul>	Other (explain in comment box)	
Comments:		

 a) Tier 1 is a default selection: Select Yes or No to answer the related questions or unselect the guideline if it does not apply.



- 3. Select Yes, No, or To Be Determined: Does the site meet the guideline(s) selected above?
  - b) If **Yes**, completing the Remedial Measures section is optional.

Does the site meet the guideline(s) sel al	ected Yes bove?	No	To Be Determined
The Remedial Measures se	ection is now o	ptiona	I

Note: "Yes," can be selected when Minor Exceedance Justification is a selected guideline.

A validation error appears if Contamination Review for Reclamation has been selected as the submission type, and "No" is selected as the answer to the question, "Does the site meet the guideline(s) selected above?"

Comments:				
Does the site meet the guideline(s) selected above?	Yes	No	To Be Determined	
You have indicated a Contamination Review for Reclamation intent but have not indicated you have met an applicable guideline. I a Contamination Review for Reclamation under those conditions.				

The RoSC is considered administratively incomplete under these conditions and cannot be submitted. Ensure that closure submissions indicate a guideline has been met.

4. Select Yes or No: Are screening guidelines being applied to the site?

Are screening guidelines being applied at the site?	Yes	No	

5. Based on your guideline selection(s) in **Step 2**, additional questions will appear. Select **Yes** or **No** to answer the questions.

Example:

Guidelines Applied	Remote Green Zone
(Select all that apply.) <b>3</b>	The site meets the expectations laid out in the Subsoil Petroleum Hydrocarbon Guidelines for Remote Forested Sites in the Green Area (AEP, 2014)?
Remote green zone	Adjustment has been applied only to petroleum hydrocarbon parameters?

a) For **Other**, enter comments in the space provided. Select **Yes** or **No** to answer additional questions that appear.

	Other
✔ Other (explain in comment box)	Have contaminants not listed in Tier 1 guidelines been identified at the site?
	Are previous versions of guidelines being applied at the site? Yes No
Comments:	Are guidelines from a jurisdiction outside Alberta being applied?
	Is the site impacted by 3rd party contamination? Yes No To Be Determined

**Note**: You may indicate a site that is impacted by third-party contamination. In cases where the site is impacted by third-party contamination and the remainder of the site meets applied guidelines, the Remedial Measures section becomes optional, similar to if guidelines were met in Step 3.



### Tip

In the event a site meets guidelines aside from third-party contamination:

- Select No to meeting guidelines on the question, "Does the site meet the guideline(s) selected above?" and.
- Yes to "3rd party contamination aside, does the remainder of the site meet the applied guidelines?"

This enables a closure-related review in cases where the site is impacted by third-party contamination.

6. Click Save

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## Soil and Groundwater Details

1. Click the Soil and Groundwater Details tab.



- a) When Tier 2 guidelines have been applied, enter site-specific information instead of using Tier 1 default values.
- 2. Soil Details: Select the **Soil particle size**, the most appropriate governing soil particle size on the site. If unsure, select **Most Stringent**.

Soil particle size 🜖	Coarse	Fine	Most Stringent
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3. Data will auto-populate the form based on the selection. Revise entries as needed.

**Note**: When "Most Stringent" is selected, the coarse default values will be shown on the screen, although the most stringent default values are used in the AER's appraisal of this information.

Organic carbon content (g/g) 🚯		
Bulk density (g/cm3) 🕚		
Water content (g/g) 🟮		
Тір		
Hover over the informat	ion icon 🏮 for deta	ils about each requirement.
hay Default Tier 1 value herwise, e for coarse and fine soil is 0.005		

4. Groundwater Details - Tier 1 default values are auto-populated in this section. Revise entries as needed.

Groundwater Details			
Hydraulic conductivity (non-aquifer) (m/y) 🟮	32		
Hydraulic gradient (non-aquifer) (m/m) 🕚	0.028		
Hydraulic conductivity in DUA (m/y) 0	32		
Hydraulic gradient in DUA (m/m) 🛙	32		

- a) If the shallow groundwater interval at a site meets the definition of a DUA, enter the **same hydraulic** conductivity and gradient values for both non-aquifer and DUA.
  - Non-aquifer refers to the shallow interval governing near surface lateral groundwater transport.
  - DUA refers to the uppermost domestic use aquifer as per the definition in the Alberta Tier 1 Soil and Groundwater Remediation Guidelines.
- 5. Enter the **Thickness of DUA (m)**. This field is auto-populated. If a DUA was not encountered at the site, or if unknown, enter the Tier 1 default value of 5 m.

Thickness of DUA (m)	5
5avo	

6. Click

## **Contaminant Details**

1. Click Contaminant Details tab.

Soil and Groundwater Details Contaminant Details

Yes

No

2. Screening Questions: Select **Yes** or **No** for each of the following screening questions: L

These questions provide insight into several risk thresholds that the AER evaluates for review purposes:

- Do any background samples exceed the applicable Tier 1 guideline by 10 times or more?
- Are there any active contamination sources at the site?

**Note:** An active source is any source contributing contaminant mass to the environment that requires removal or control.

– Have any contaminant guidelines from jurisdictions outside of Alberta been applied at the site?

**Note**: While no Tier 1 guideline exists for soil, chloride is not considered as a contaminant that requires guidelines from outside jurisdictions. **Do not** answer "Yes" to this question for chloride.

Are any of the following receptors impacted by contamination associated with the site: a dugout, an off-site water supply well, or DUA?

**Note**: Use professional judgement when answering this question. This question is focused on receptors that require management and are defined in the *Alberta Tier 1 Soil and Groundwater Remediation Guidelines* sections 4.2 and 4.3.

Are non-aqueous phase liquids (NAPLs) currently present at site?

**Note**: Use professional judgement to indicate whether NAPL is currently a relevant concern on a site. For example, do not answer "Yes" if NAPL was observed historically but has been remediated.

- Do any contaminant plume lengths or widths associated with the site exceed 200 m?
- Is there an existing dwelling within 100 m of the site?
- 3. Background concentrations that exceed Tier 1 guidelines If applicable, click

Provide details about the background parameters that exceed the Alberta Tier 1 guidelines. This table should be populated even if the site meets derived Tier 2 guidelines.

- a) A blank row appears on the table. Provide the required details:
  - Type
  - Chemical Group
  - Chemical not listed in Tier 1 (non-editable unless "Chemical not listed in Tier 1" is selected in Chemical Group)
  - Specific Chemical
  - Depth/Screen Zone
  - Max Concentration

In the table's columns, select the option from a drop-down list or enter a value in the field.

#### Examples:

Chemical Group* 🗘	Chem	
Filter		
General and Inorganic Pa	rameters	
Metals		
Hydrocarbons Chlorinated Aliphatics		Chemical not listed in Tier 1*
Chlorinated Aromatics		

4. Optional: Add or remove rows in the table as needed.

Tip			
То	remove a row of infor	nation, click the box beside the row you wish to remove. Click Remove	e.
	Type* ‡	G Type <sup>4</sup> :	
	Ť	a	

5. Receptor concentrations exceeding laboratory limit of detection - If applicable, click Add.

Enter details on the current maximum concentrations of **COCs or contaminants associated with APECs** that exceed laboratory detection limits. This table is required if any of the following questions in the Site Characterization tab are answered **Yes**:

- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines at existing water well receptors (these are domestic, industrial, irrigation and livestock watering water supply wells)?
- Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in surface water or wetland?

– Are concentrations above applicable guidelines in a dugout?

A validation error appears if the Receptor Concentrations Exceeding Laboratory Limit of Detection table is not filled out.

Rec	Receptor Concentrations Exceeding Laboratory Limit of Detection 3				
	Filter by				
	Add Remove				
		Type* 🗘	Contaminant Group* ≑	Chemical not listed in Tier 1* 🗘	Specific Contaminant* ‡
				No items a	dded
A Ye	Vou have indicated, under the Site Characterization, that a receptor has measurable concentrations of a contaminant above a guideline. Ensure the receptor is populated.				

- a) A blank row appears on the table. Provide the required details:
  - Type
  - Contaminant Group
  - **Chemical not listed in Tier 1** (non-editable unless "Chemical not listed in Tier 1" is selected in Chemical Group)
  - Specific Contaminant
  - Receptor
  - Max Concentration
- 6. In the table's columns, select the option from a drop-down list or enter a value in the field.

#### Examples:

Receptor* ‡	
Filter	Specific Contaminant* 🗘
Dugout Surface Water Body Well	Filter

- 7. Optional: Add or remove rows in the table as needed.
- 8. Contaminated Areas: Click Add . The Contaminated Area window opens.

Zontaminated Area	*
Contaminated Area Details	
Potential Receptors (measurement in metres) 0	
Contaminated Area Dimensions	
Contaminant Details	
Characterization / Delineation	
Environmental Site Assessment Plan	
Remediation Status of Area	
Validate Cancel	Add

- a) Complete each section of the form. Click **Add**. **Do not** close the Contaminated Area window until you have fully completed the form and clicked **Add**, otherwise, your entry will be lost.
  - Contaminated Area Details
  - Potential Receptors

#### Important

- For distance, provide lateral distance from the edge of the contaminated area to the edge of the nearest receptor in the direction of groundwater flow. Where groundwater flow direction is not known, use the shortest distance in any direction.
- Professional judgement is needed to determine which receptor represents the nearest. It is expected that a qualified environmental professional completes the RoSC and inputs the applicable distances to the nearest receptor. The transverse distances should be associated with the same receptor as the one in the direction of groundwater flow (i.e., both distances are associated with the same, nearest receptor).

**Note:** Indicate the distance to receptor equal to the maximum search area, if no receptor was found within the survey, up to a maximum of 5000 m. (i.e., If a water well survey was conducted within a 1 km radius of the site, the potential receptor distance for water well should be 1000 m.)

For transverse distances, provide distance from the edge of the contaminated area to the edge of the nearest receptor perpendicular to groundwater flow. Where groundwater flow direction is not known, assume flow direction is toward the receptor and indicate a transverse direction of 0 m.

#### Important

Indicate a distance of 0 m for **Distance(s) to Surface Water Receptor** if the contaminated area is within a wetland.

• Contaminated Area Dimensions

The edge of the contaminated area can be defined as the closest distance that meets the requirement for delineation defined in section 2.1.2 of the *Alberta Tier 1 Soil and Groundwater Remediation Guidelines*.

In the absence of complete delineation, the AER may accept professional judgement based on laboratory data supported with field observations and geophysical surveys. Effort should be made to conservatively approximate any areas still under assessment.

• Contaminant Details

Ensure reported contaminants align with the professional report(s) informing the RoSC. Report the maximum concentrations observed in the given contaminated area for **all COCs that exceed Tier 1** (laboratory detection limit in the case of residential/parkland setting or within 100 m of a dwelling).

• This includes contaminants that have Tier 2 guidelines applied whether they meet or exceed applied Tier 2 guidelines. The maximum concentrations of COCs without Tier 1 guidelines should also be included (e.g., chloride in soil).

For contaminants in soils, only enter the maximum observed and the given depth increment it was observed in, **not** the maximum observed in each depth increment.

• Site-Specific Guidelines

If site-specific guidelines have been developed for specific contaminants, enter the numeric guideline value. If a guideline was developed and the result was the exclusion of a particular contaminant (i.e., no guideline needed), enter the contaminant concentration and leave the site-specific guideline blank. Units for the site-specific guideline are assumed to be the same entered for maximum concentration.

• Characterization/Delineation

Refer to the *Alberta Tier 1 Soil and Groundwater Remediation Guidelines* for clarity on expectations about delineation. Select the most appropriate description for the current level of delineation at the site:

- Complete: The contamination is vertically and laterally delineated to allow all applicable exposure pathways and receptors to be properly assessed. Potential migration patterns have been considered.
- Fair: There are some gaps in the delineation of the contamination, but a reasonable assessment of the risk is possible.
- Poor: There are major gaps in the delineation, or the risk cannot be adequately assessed.
- None: The delineation of the identified contamination is deficient, or it is not possible to estimate the contamination risk.
- N/A: The above selections do not apply to describing the delineation of the area.
- Other: A comment box appears for providing further information.

The level of delineation should be aligned with the tool used to draw the geospatial polygon in the **General** section (i.e., hexagon draw likely would have complete or fair delineation, while the point tool may have poor or incomplete delineation. See *Submitting Record of Site Condition (RoSC): General* QRG for more information).

Environmental Assessment Plan

This section outlines the next steps within the contaminated area. Are there plans to further develop the conceptual model?

If **Yes**, do you plan to further delineate the contaminated area? If **Yes**, select the submission date for the report detailing the results of further delineation.

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#### Important – Potential Compliance Date 2

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.

Remediation Status of Area

Select the most appropriate remediation status within the contaminated area. This is **not** remedial measures but specifically remediation (as defined in the *Remediation Regulation*). If **Remediation to be implemented on a specific date** is selected, select the expected submission date for the report detailing the results of the remediation implementation.

## Important – Potential Compliance Date 3

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.

9. Once you have completed the form, click

a) Complete the required fields that appear in red. Click Validate.

Remediation Status of Area	
Select the appropriate remediation status	
that apply to the contaminated area?	A This field is required.

10. Once all required fields have been completed, click

The window closes. Details entered in the form appear in the Contaminated Areas table.

Area Name 🌻	Length 🌲	Width ‡
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11. Optional: To view and update site details, check the box beside the site you wish to view or update.

C	Click	View	
	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	Area	Name 🌲
	<	Jenne	er Site

The Contaminated Area window opens displaying site details.

a) Revise your entry if needed. Click

12. Optional: Add or remove rows (sites) in the table as needed.

## **Remedial Measures**

The section identifies anticipated dates of various milestones and requirements for contamination management at the site, with the expectation that dates will be more exact closer to the RoSC submission date.

The AER may receive this information in fulfillment of RAP obligations under the Remediation Regulation.

The anticipated dates are expected to be exact (to the best of your knowledge) at the time of submission and aligned with any dates entered for individual contaminated areas, as applicable.

- 1. Select Yes or No: Are there any plans for further site assessment?
  - a) Select **Yes**, if there are existing plans for delineation, groundwater or soil monitoring, or other conceptual site model development activities (including risk assessment).



b) If **Yes**, click the **calendar** and select the submission **date** for reporting the results of the site assessment to the AER.



**Note:** The date must be greater or equal to the current date.

#### Important – Potential Compliance Date 4

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.

2. Select **Yes** or **No:** Does the site associated with your submission have a previously accepted Remedial Action Plan or Risk Management Plan?

Does the site associated with the submission have a previously accented Remedial Action Plan or Rick	Yes	No	
Management Plan? *			

- a) If **No**, proceed to **Step 3**.
- b) If Yes, does your submission contain a request to change the previously accepted plan? Select Yes or No.



- i) If No, proceed to Step 3.
- ii) If **Yes**, a mandatory comment box appears. Indicate which elements of the RAP or RMP have been changed.



3. Select the most appropriate remediation status of the site from the drop-down list.



- Remediation has been completed for the site: Select this option when remediation was required and has been completed.
- Remediation is not required: Select this option when the need for remediation has been evaluated and determined to not be required.
- Remediation is ongoing on all or part of the site: Select this option when remediation was previously
  determined as required and is currently underway on an area or the entirety of the site.

 Remediation is planned on a specific date: Select this option when remediation is planned and will begin on a given date. Click the calendar and select the date when remediation is anticipated to begin.



#### Note

This date should match the date identified in the relevant contaminated area – Remediation Status of Area (Potential Compliance Date #2).

- Remediation on part or all of the site has occurred and the site does not meet applicable guideline(s). Further remedial measures are required: Select this option when remediation has been completed but a guideline may not be met, and ongoing remedial measures are required.
- Remediation requirement will be evaluated after site-specific guideline development: Select this
  option when it is unclear whether remediation will be required on the site, and further site assessment is
  required before the need for remediation can be confirmed.

Click the calendar and select the date when a report detailing the finalized site-specific guidelines is expected to be submitted to the AER.

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Briefly describe what elements of the Remedial Action or Risk Management	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
Plan have been modified. *	28	29	30	31	1	2	3
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Select most appropriate dropdown for the remediation status of the site	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Specify the submission date for the report that details the finalized site-specific an idelines * 0							

#### Important – Potential Compliance Date 5

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.

4. Select Yes, No, or N/A: Are exposure control measures being implemented?

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- Exposure control mechanisms should be evaluated if there is a potential for adverse effects (e.g., a Tier 1 exceedance).
- Select No if formal exposure control measures are required but are not yet implemented. Click the calendar
  and select the date for when a report detailing the implementation of exposure control measures will be
  submitted to the AER.

Remedial Measures										
Are there any plans for further site assessment? 0	V~	-Voc No								
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	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
ls remediation currently occurring or planned to occur at the site? ()	30	31	1	2	3	4	5			
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
Select the date that the remediation was implemented or	13	14	15	16	17	18	19			
the date of anticipated remediation implementation	20	21	22	23	24	25	26			
Are exposure control measures being implemented? 0	27	28	29	30	1	2	3			
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
Select the anticipated date of implementation of exposure control measures	1									

# Important – Potential Compliance Date 6

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided.

- Select Yes if exposure control measures are currently being implemented.
- Select N/A if exposure control measures were evaluated and not required.

Note: An active surface lease / disposition may serve as an administrative exposure control instrument.

5. Click the calendar and select the date for when a report demonstrating that remedial measures are complete will be submitted to the AER.

Select most appropriate dropdown for the remediation	«	October 2024					»	
status of the site	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	
Specify the date when remediation is expected to	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	
commence *	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Are exposure control measures being implemented? * 🟮	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
Specify the submission date for the report detailing the	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	
implementation of exposure control measures *	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
When do you expect remedial measures to be complete?							_	
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The AER appreciates that this anticipated date may not be exact during a facility's operational stage. Remedial measures, in its various formats, are expected to be undertaken until formal site closure.

 a) If the submission represents the final RoSC (i.e., you are applying for closure), ensure that a guideline is met making the Remedial Measures section optional.

Remedial Measures							
Are there any plans for further site assessment? <b>0</b>	Vac	,	No				
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Is remediation currently occurring or planned to occur at the site? ()	30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Select the date that the remediation was implemented or 1	3	14	15	16	17	18	19
the date of anticipated remediation implementation	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Are exposure control measures being implemented? ()	27	28	29	30	1	2	3
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
When do you expect remediation to be complete							

## Important – Potential Compliance Date 7

This date may be used for the AER Compliance Assurance Program. Ensure that a professional report and RoSC is submitted on or before the date provided. 6. Select Yes or No: Does the date correspond to the anticipated end of life of the site?



**Note:** Select **Yes** if you anticipate needing remedial measures until closure, or as a mechanism of closure (such as ongoing risk management under an RMP until a site is closed).



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## **Professional Reports**

- 1. Select **Yes** or **No**: Has the professional report associated with this RoSC submission been included within a linked "Related OneStop Submission?"
  - b) If **Yes**, there is no need to add the report in the RoSC.
- 2. If **No**, add the report. Click Add .A row is added to the table.
  - a) Enter the name of the Author.
  - b) Select the **Report Date** from the calendar.
  - c) Enter the Report Title.
  - d) Locate and Attach Report.

Author* 🗘	Report Date* ‡	Report Title* 韋	Attach Report* ≑
			Attach File

3. Optional: Add and remove rows (reports) in the table as needed until all data pertinent to the RoSC submission have been added.

Note: Upload limit is 100 MB per report. An error appears if the limit is exceeded.



5. Click Next at the bottom of the screen or click Confirmation on the left navigation bar to move to the next



6. See Submitting Record of Site Condition (RoSC): Confirmation QRG.