



MEMORANDUM

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DATE: 4 October 2012

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SUBJECT: Monthly Report – September

Processed Samples Received

No processed samples were received during September 2012.

AOGCC Samples Received

No AOGCC samples were received during September 2012.

Data Reports Published

[Data Report #405](#) Petrotechnical Resources of Alaska and TestAmerica Laboratories, Inc., 2012, Geochemical analyses of oil and gas cuttings from the Brontosaurus #1, Walakpa #1, S. Barrow #14, and S. Barrow #19 wells, 41 p.

Donations Received

We would like to thank Nancy Darigo, Mike Gray, and URS Corp. (Alaska) for their kind donation of 32 near-shore marine sediment Vibracore samples, representing 16 borehole station locations near the West Dock Causeway, Prudhoe Bay, Alaska. A subsequent GMC data report will be released in October, 2012.

Visits

There were **9 visits*** to the GMC for **September 2012**, including representation from:

Aeon Biostratigraphic Services, On-line Exploration Services, the University of Alaska, Anchorage, and URS Corp.

Industry (oil/gas) 6, Industry (mining) 1, Public 0, Academia 1, State 0, Federal 0: Total 9

* The GMC was unable to accept public visits for much of September due to wind storm damage and a scheduled cleaning of the warehouse.

cc: Rodney A. Combellick, Deputy Director of DGGS