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OSC Matlock reported that the facility continues to manage the surface and ground water seeping into the interceptor trench. A large amount of water is being pumped to an onsite tank for temporary storage. A connection was fastened to the excavated pipe in the trench, which has been discharging water. The connection will allow for pumping water directly from the pipe.

Yesterday the booms along the impacted shoreline were ripped free due to high water and ice flow in the river. Multiple layers of booms have been repositioned near the shoreline. The site team is focused on the rising water level in the Elk River and on the booms are being maintained to ensure their integrity.

Sampling of the onsite monitoring wells, which had been scheduled for yesterday, has been pushed back until today. A surface water sample from the upgradient sump (outside of containment area) is scheduled to be re-sampled today. Based on the analytical data from this sample, the facility is hoping to route this water around the facility and into the River.

EPA shipped two samples (pipe discharge into the intercept trench, and seep from impacted slope) to the Region 3 lab in Fort Meade yesterday. The samples were delivered to the lab this morning.