



Wood Buffalo Environmental Association  
**Ambient Air Monitoring Station**  
**Site Documentation**

AMS 06- Patricia McInnes

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## General Site Information

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### Station

|                          |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Station ID               | AMS 06           |
| Station name             | Patricia McInnes |
| Date station established | 1998             |

### Location

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Station street address | Carteret Street, Fort McMurray         |
| Legal land description | 10-26-089-10 W4                        |
| Airshed Zone           | Wood Buffalo Environmental Association |
| Latitude               | 56°45'4.96" North                      |
| Longitude              | 111°28'36.10" West                     |
| UTM East               | 470849                                 |
| UTM North              | 6289812                                |
| Nearest community      | Located in Fort McMurray               |
| Community population   | 76000                                  |
| Census Year            | 2023                                   |

### Owner/Operator/Approval Holder

|                             |  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Operating Agency            | Wood Buffalo Environmental Association                     |
| Address of Operating Agency | Unit 3, 805 Memorial Drive, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9K 0K4 |
| Name of Approval Holder     | Wood Buffalo Environmental Association                     |
| Approval number             | N/A  |
| Contact Name                | Wood Buffalo Environmental Association                     |
| Address                     | Unit 3, 805 Memorial Drive, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9K 0K4 |
| Phone number                | 780-799-4420   |
| Email address               | info@wbea.org  |

### Site Description

|   |                    |                |
|---|--------------------|----------------|
| Land use by sector                      | 0 – 90 degrees     | Residential    |
|   | 91 – 180 degrees   | Residential    |
|   | 181 – 270 degrees  | Sports Grounds |
|   | 271 – 360 degrees  | Sports Grounds |
| Site elevation (m)<br>(above sea level) | 362 M              |                |
| Angle of elevation to nearby buildings  | Greatest angle     | 0              |
|   | Building direction | N/A            |
| Airflow restrictions                    | North              | N/A            |
|   | East               | N/A            |
|   | South              | N/A            |

|                               |                           |              |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
|                               | West                      | N/A          |
| Distance to nearest trees (m) | North                     | N/A          |
|                               | East                      | N/A          |
|                               | West                      | 28m          |
|                               | South                     | 4m           |
| Sample manifold               | Type                      | All glass    |
|                               | Inlet height above roof   | 1 metre      |
| Wind Sensors                  | Type                      | Cup and vane |
|                               | Height above ground (m)   | 10           |
|                               | Distance from station (m) | 0            |

## Site Influences

### Localized Sources (within 20 metres of station)

| Type                    | Distance (m)  | Description  |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| Recreational Complex    | About 20-50 meters, north to northwest of the Station | Maintenance of sports fields and recreational complex, possible PM and NOx Sources |
| Residential Subdivision | South and southwest of the station                    | Wood burning in household stoves and backyard firepits                             |

### Roadway Influences

| Type             | Traffic Volume | Distance (m) | Description |
|------------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
| Residential Road | High           | 30           | Paved road  |

### Major Point Sources

| Facility Name                       | Source Type           | Distance from site (km) | Compass direction from site |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Fort McMurray Water Treatment Plant | Water treatment plant | 4                       | South east                  |
| Eveready                            | Asphalt production    | 4                       | North                       |
| Suncor / Syncrude                   | Oil Sands Production  | 15                      | North                       |

## Station Equipment

Equipment Owner: WBEA

### Analytical Equipment

| Parameter                     | Make                    | Model     | Serial Number     | Date Instrument Installed | WBEA Data Start Date |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Continuous</b>             |                         |           |                   |                           |                      |
| SO <sub>2</sub>               | Thermo Scientific       | 43i       | 1160290013        | 2020                      | January, 1999        |
| TRS                           | Teledyne/API            | 43i-TLE   | 1218153358        | 2019                      | January, 1999        |
| THC/CH <sub>4</sub> /NMHC/THC | Thermo Scientific       | 55i       | 1118148495        | 2020                      | January, 1999        |
| NOx/NO/NO <sub>2</sub>        | Thermo Scientific       | 42i       | 1172750022        | 2016                      | January, 1999        |
| NH <sub>3</sub>               | Teledyne/API            | T 201     | 808               | 2020                      | August, 2006         |
| O <sub>3</sub>                | Thermo Scientific       | 49i       | 1300156234        | 2022                      | January, 1999        |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub>             | Teledyne/API            | T640      | 871               | 2020                      | January, 1999        |
| <b>Time-Integrated</b>        |                         |           |                   |                           |                      |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> A           | Thermo Scientific       | 2000i     | 2000I203861308    | 2018                      | -                    |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> B           | Thermo Scientific       | 2000i     | 2000I204851408    | 2018                      | -                    |
| PM <sub>10</sub> A            | Thermo Scientific       | 2000i     | 2000I202151205    | 2018                      | -                    |
| PM <sub>10</sub> B            | Thermo Scientific       | 2000i     | 2000IW20205251411 | 2018                      | -                    |
| PAH                           | Tisch                   | TE-1004BL | 1001099           | 2016                      | -                    |
| VOC                           | Tisch                   | TE-123    | 1021              | 2016                      | -                    |
| Dustfall                      | Advantage Manufacturing | -         | -                 | 2022                      | -                    |

### Meteorological Equipment

| Parameter | Make    | Model  | Serial Number | WMO Site Class | Date Instrument Installed | WBEA Data Start Date |
|-----------|---------|--------|---------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| AT/RH     | Vaisala | HMP155 | N3840525      | Class 3        | 2020                      | January, 1999        |
| WS        | Met One | 010C-1 | B10015        | Class 3        | 2021                      | January, 1999        |
| WD        | Met One | 020C-1 | E4854         | Class 3        | 2016                      | January, 1999        |

### Support Equipment

| Name               | Description        | Make                | Model  | Serial Number |
|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|---------------|
| Datalogger         | Datalogger         | Campbell Scientific | CR3000 | 10957         |
| Zero air generator | Zero Air Generator | Teledyne/API        | 701    | 261           |

|                         |   |                        |                |                  |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| HVAC                    | Heating and air conditioning system.<br>Wall mount unit | BARD                   | 2 ton          | 314H183561152-02 |
| Shelter / Building      | Air monitoring portable                                 | ITB                    | 8 x 16 trailer | 09 14786         |
| Gas Dilution Calibrator | Mass flow controlled gas dilution                       | Teledyne/API           | T700           | 3566             |
| Thermal Oxidizer        | TRS Converter   | Global                 | G150           | 2022-195         |
| Thermal Oxidizer        | NH3 Converter   | API                    | T501           | 484              |
| Tower                   | Aluma Tower   | Aluma                  | T135           | N/A              |
| Hydrogen Generator      | Hydrogen Generator                                      | Peak Scientific Canada | 63-0100        | 771056335        |

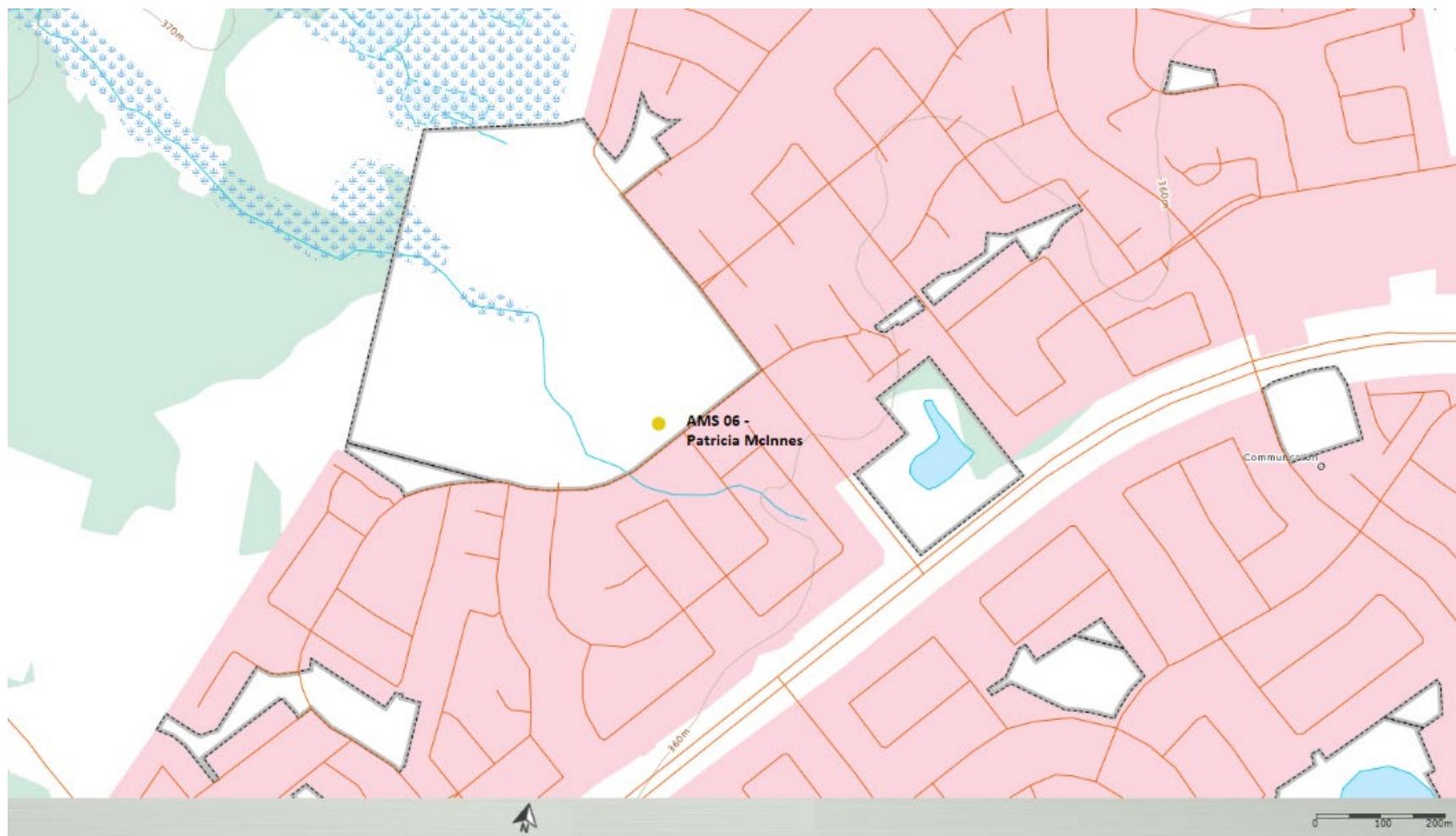


Figure 1 – Area topographic map showing AMS 06



Figure 2 – Aerial image showing AMS 06

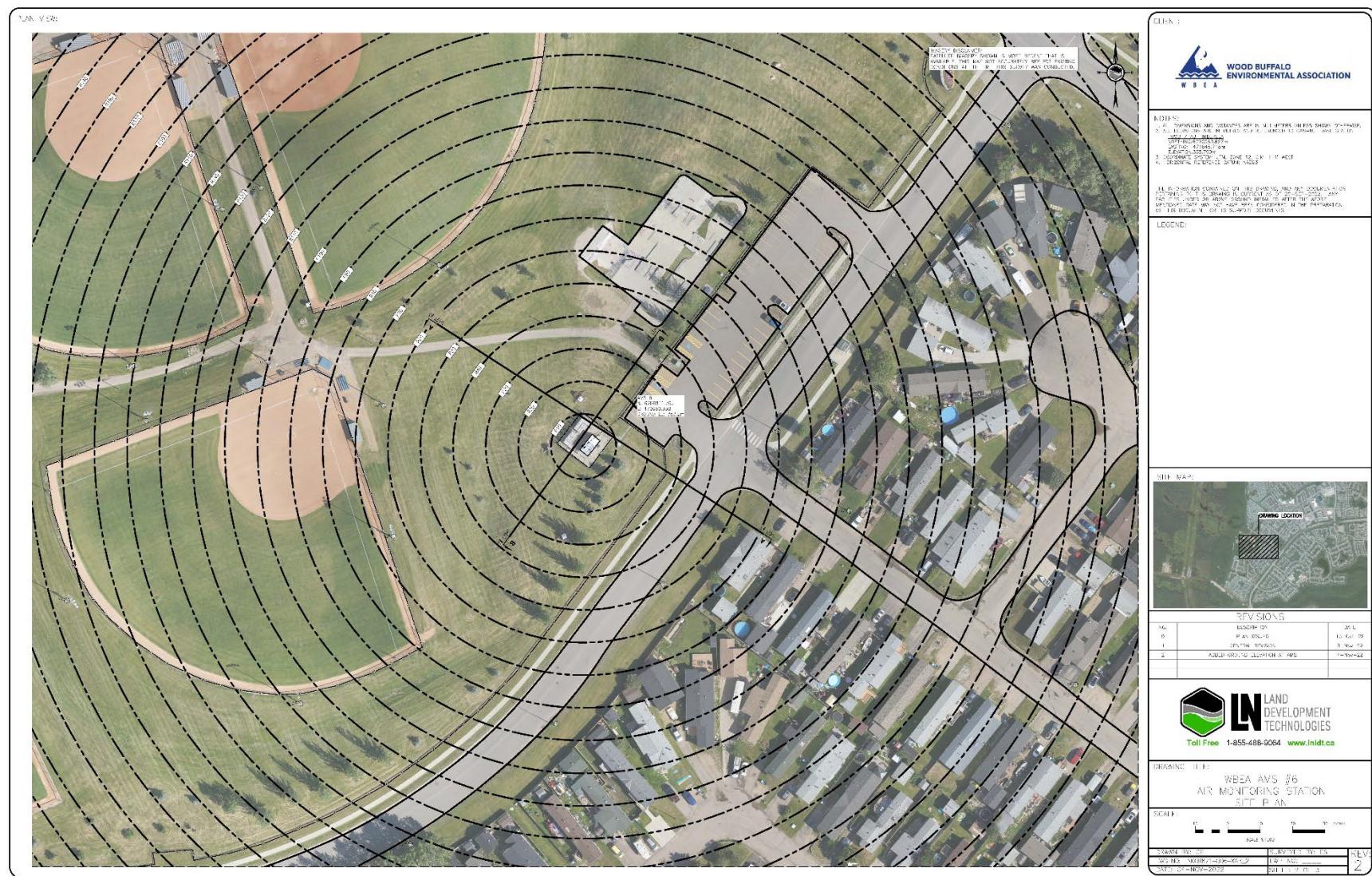


Figure 3 – Plan view image for AMS 06 site

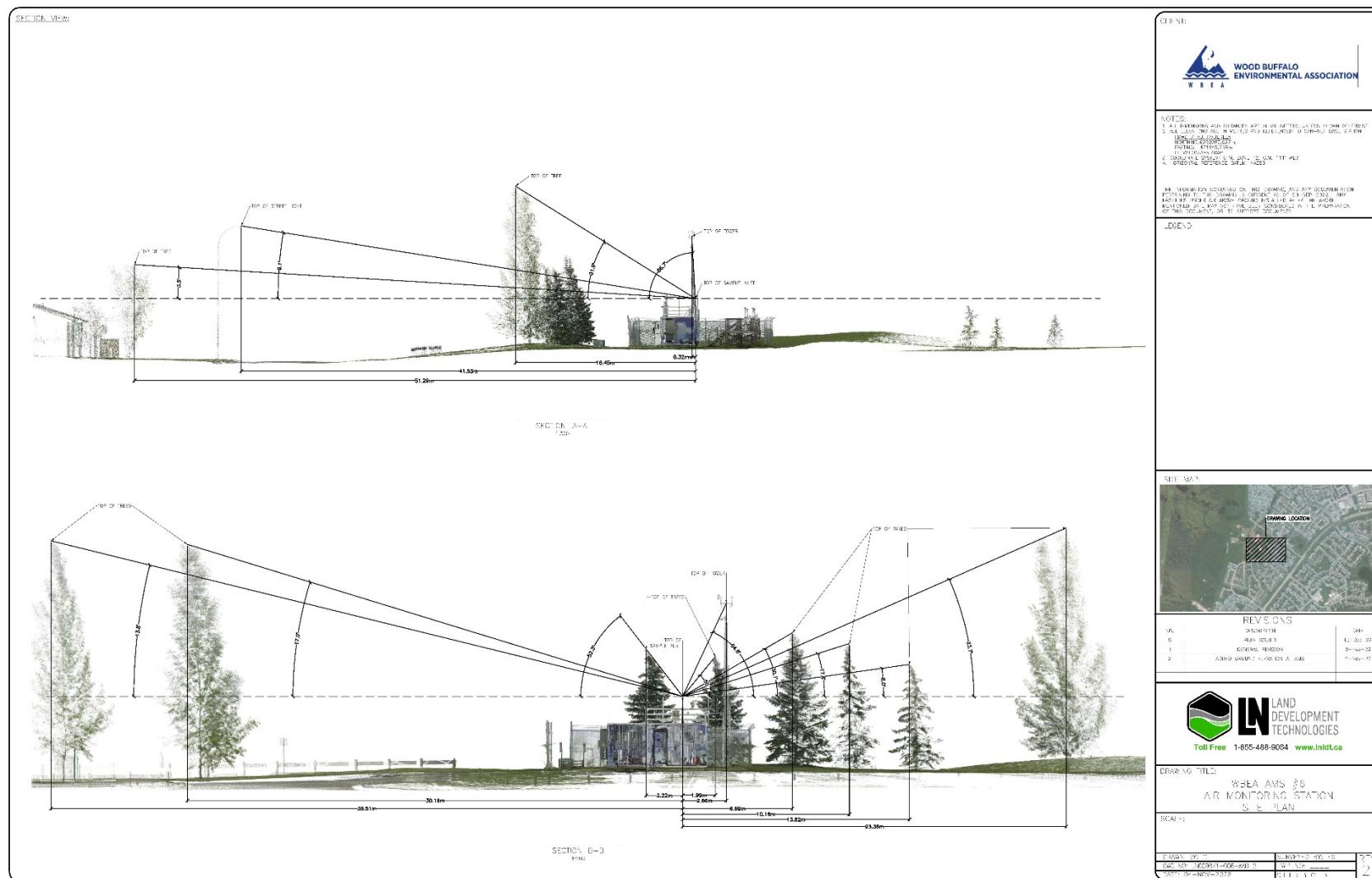


Figure 4 – Elevation view image for AMS 06 site

## Site photos

The following photos show the environment surrounding the monitoring station.



Figure 5 – Environment looking North



Figure 6 – Environment looking East



Figure 7 – Environment looking South



Figure 8 – Environment looking West



Figure 9 – Meteorological Tower

## Station Photos

The following photos show the monitoring station and instrumentation.

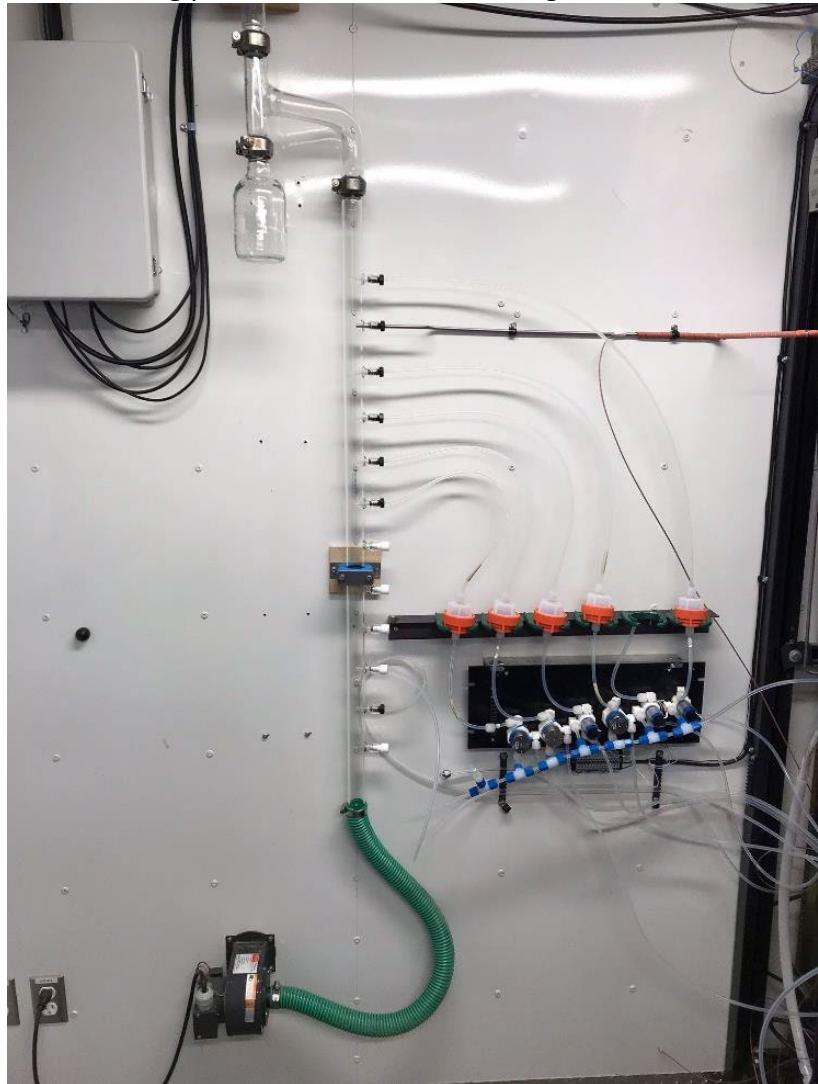


Figure 10 – Photo showing the sample manifold



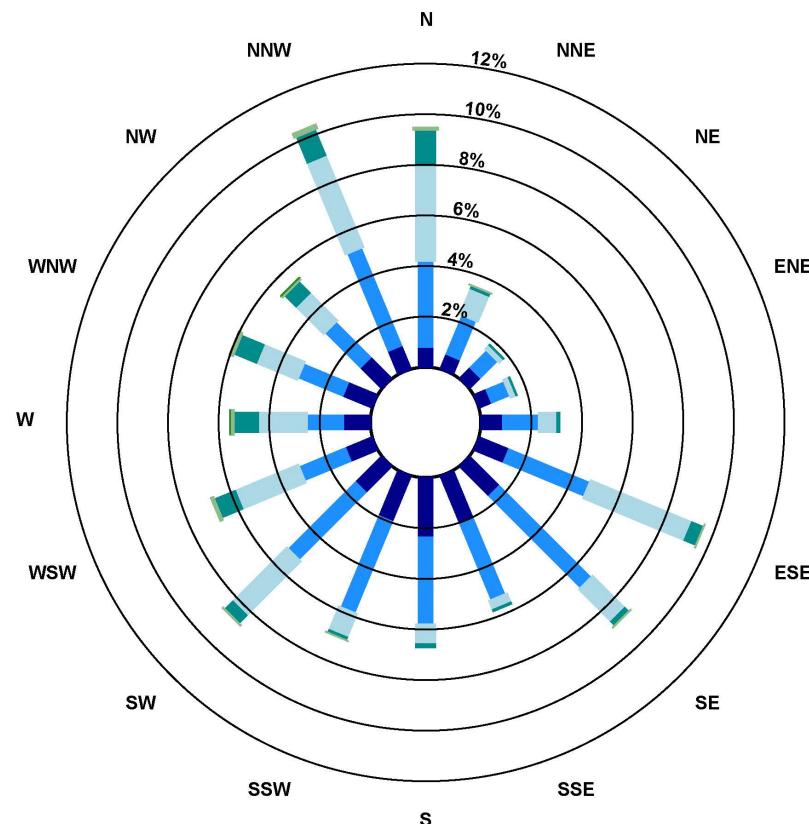
Figure 11 – Curb shot of the monitoring station



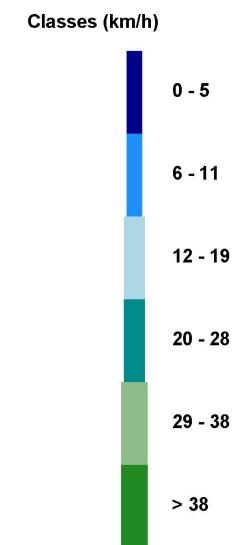
Figure 11 –Photo of the front and the back of instrument rack



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Wind Rose 2019 - 2024



Wind Speed (WS) - km/h  
Patricia McInnes



Total Number of Valid Hours: 43530

Figure 12 – Windrose (2019-2024)