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The monthly Mid-Atlantic Environmental Laboratories, Inc. newsletters, current and past, are posted in the Client Services section on our website at <http://www.midatlanticenvlabs.com/newsletters.html> .

MAEL QA Manager Elected NJ ELAC Chair

Sharon O'Toole, the Quality Assurance Manager at Mid-Atlantic Environmental Laboratories, Inc., has been elected to chair the NJ Environmental Laboratory Advisory Committee for 2009. Sharon had served as the committee's secretary for 2007 and 2008. Go to <http://www.nj.gov/dep/oqa/elac.html> for more information about NJ ELAC, including past minutes and 2009 schedule.

NJSCC Impact to Groundwater and SPLP

New Jersey's Remediation Standards rule (<http://www.nj.gov/dep/srp/regs/rs/>) and Technical Requirements for Site Remediation <http://www.nj.gov/dep/srp/regs/techrule/> both require site specific remediation standards that are protective of groundwater. Several methods are available for this including soil-water partition equation, Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP), SESOIL Model and SESOIL/AT123D Model. Explanations and guidance documents for each of these are available through links at http://www.nj.gov/dep/srp/guidance/rs/igw_intro.htm .

Standard Methods Update

Standard Methods 21st edition still has not been published in the federal register but NELAC laboratories are mandated to use the most current version, which, for Standard Methods is the online version. NJDEP will be opting for the most stringent version.

New Analytical Report Format

MAEL has changed their report format to better serve our clients as well as to keep up with NELAC requirements. Compound CAS numbers and qualifiers are now part of the new format. Please let us know what you think of the new report format as well as any suggestions you might have, by contacting us at mael@midatlanticenvlabs.com

Invoices Now Online

MAEL has begun posting invoices online, however some clients also require hard copy and this will still be provided. . If you need any assistance getting on to the site to access this data, please do not hesitate to give us a call (302-654-1340) or e-mail us (mael@midatlanticenvlabs.com).