### **TRADEWORKS ENVIRONMENTAL INC**

**Empowering Nature for a Sustainable Future** 

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## **COMPANY OVERVIEW**

TradeWorks Environmental is a woman-owned, cleantech solution provider headquartered in Ontario, Canada.

We offer sustainable solutions for hard-to-treat organic waste and wastewater.



#### WHAT WE DO

Avoid capital expenditure by optimizing existing biological treatment systems and targeting microbes for specific objectives

#### WHY WE DO IT

We believe everyone has a responsibility to be good stewards of the planet, and we have a unique opportunity to educate and share solutions for sustainable organic waste and wastewater treatment

#### HOW WE DO IT

Through tailored analytics and technical support, we customize each solution based on treatment needs and site conditions

## **THE PROBLEM**

Wastewater treatment facilities are responding to a growing number of challenges with limited funding and expansion opportunity.

The industry needs innovative solutions to improve efficiency and performance of treatment systems without additional footprint.



## **OUR SOLUTIONS**

Combine process, equipment, and analytics to address wastewater treatment challenges and optimize existing systems



YDRO PROCESS® MICROORGANISMS 25+ microbial strains to enhance biological performance and achieve target objectives



**YDRO PROCESS**®

Tailored solutions using an analyticsbased application approach



PRIME SCREEN™ Biologically enhanced primary screening for wastewater treatment

### **APPLICATIONS OF YDRO PROCESS®** MICROORGANISMS



Lagoon-based System Rehabilitation

Improve performance and water quality, minimize odors

Ydro Process<sup>®</sup> microorganisms can be applied in lagoon-based plants to

revitalize aging systems and enhance treatment performance. Our solution

accelerates degradation of accumulated organic matter to avoid dredging



Ydro Process microorganisms



PRIME SCREEN\*\*

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reducing sludge production.

#### Boost performance with fine screening

**Collection System Application** 

Reduce HiS, FOG and Sludge

Combined with the Ydro Process® collection system application, this very fine screen achieves equal or better effluent quality than traditional primary clarification. By reducing organic loading by 25% to 40% and removing fine inert material, the screen can reduce energy requirements for aeration, protect the integrity of downstream processes and equipment and reduce maintenance costs. The operating environment is cleaner and safer, because contact with sewage and screenings is eliminated by the automated bagging system.

Specialized Ydro Process® microorganisms degrade FOG and take up

Sulphur to prevent H<sub>2</sub>S. Collection system dosing reduces the organic load

to increase treatment capacity and reduce operational costs. By leveraging

benefits provided by the Ydro Process# in the collection system, treatment

performance is enhanced while minimizing common conveyance issues and



Wastewater

Treatment Plant

Ydro Process microorganiams

#### Wastewater Treatment Plant Optimization Enhance BNR and reduce excess sludge

The Ydro Process<sup>®</sup> uses an analytics-based approach to enhance biological treatment. Results include enhanced biological nutrient removal (BNR) and reduced sludge production. The application of the Ydro Process\* significantly increases the rate and efficiency of degradation and drives overall optimization of the treatment process.



Digestion

Feedstock

Ydro Process microorganisma

Ydro Process microorganisms

#### Optimize overall performance and increase total energy output

Anaerobic Digestion

and minimize odors.

By increasing digestion efficiency rates and methane concentration in the produced biogas, the Ydro Process® can significantly improve energy recovery, reduce retention time, and minimize the need for scrubbing in anaerobic digestion systems.





#### **Composting Process Optimization** Increase efficiency and system capacity

The integration of Ydro Process<sup>®</sup> microorganisms in composting systems improves the degradation rate and increases processing temperature. This leads to reduced processing time and a significant improvement in treatment capacity and final product quality.











## **BENEFITS OF OUR SOLUTIONS**

- Reduce odors, H<sub>2</sub>S and Fats, Oils and Grease (FOG) in wastewater collection systems and organic waste treatment
- Reduce organic loading to treatment facilities
- Decrease excess sludge production
- Minimize negative treatment byproducts
- Increase treatment system performance and capacity
- Improve energy efficiency
- Avoid expensive upgrades
- Calculate and monetize carbon credits

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## **UNIQUE DIFFERENTIATORS**

- Each solution is tailored for the site conditions and treatment objectives
- Analytics-based application of microbes, specialized for performance targets
- **Cost-effective alternative** to conventional treatment
- Integrates into existing systems, requiring no additional infrastructure footprint
- **Expert team** serves as an **extension of the staff,** providing a level of technical support and monitoring not traditionally offered





### DOSING YDRO PROCESS® MICROORGANISMS IN COLLECTION SYSTEM



Wastewater released into the system



Ydro Process® microorganisms dosed into target manholes/lift stations within collection system



Wastewater Treatment Plant benefits from reduced organic loading



Wastewater released into the system



Ydro Process<sup>®</sup> microorganisms dosed into manholes or lift stations in the collection system



PRIME SCREEN™ filters out fine materials





Wastewater treatment plant benefits from reduced organic loading

## HALIFAX WATER – MUNICIPAL

# Timberlea WWTP - decommission of facility due to performance challenges

#### Primary Targets Objectives:

1. Enhance Nitrification to compliance

#### Secondary Objectives:

- 1. Evaluate the technology's efficacy:
  - Collection system odor & FOG control
  - Wastewater Treatment Plant optimization
  - Anaerobic Digestion Stage Biogas enhancement
  - Sludge Reduction

### **Results:**

- <u>Avoided</u> decommission of the facility and Ydro Process<sup>®</sup> has become part of the standard operations
- Enhancement of biological nutrient removal process
- Expand program application





### PRIME SCREEN™ Collection System Application/Very Fine Screening at the headworks

### **Objectives**:

### **Collection system application**:

 Eliminate Odors & FOG clogging in Collection System & Lift Station (EPA issues)

### **Fine Screen to remove:**

- 1. Hair, strings, rags, stickers, fibrous solids, etc.
- 2. Protect the overall integrity of the system

Project date: Ongoing Client: City of Delphos, Place: Delphos Ohio, USA



### COVERED AERATED STATIC PILE COMPOSTING – YDRO PROCESS® INTEGRATION

### **Objectives:**

- 1. Increase Composting Performance and Efficiency
- 2. Reduce Composting Processing Time
- 3. Improve Degradation Rate & Efficiency
- 4. Increase Processing Temperature
- 5. Increase System Capacity & Cycles
- 6. Minimize & Control Odors

Project date: July 2019 Place: Ontario

### **TRADEWORKS ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS**







#### **Social Responsibility**

Eliminate odors, trucks in the streets, sewer back-flows, etc., generated by wastewater & waste management

#### **Environmental Responsibility**

Reduce energy demand Reduce by-product disposal Reduce overall carbon footprint of system to levels incomparable to current methods and technologies

#### **Economic Benefits**

Reduce annual O&M costs by 10% - 25% ROI: 3-10 Months





#### TO LEARN HOW YOU CAN JOIN THE MOVEMENT FOR A CLEANER EARTH, CONTACT US

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"Each one of us holds a responsibility to future generations to be our best, to do our best and, to leave our best behind."