

# **BIO-BRANE**<sup>™</sup>

ADVANCED WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM H<sub>2</sub>O Innovation's Bio-Brane<sup>™</sup> is an advanced wastewater treatment system that employs membrane bioreactor (MBR) technology in combination with Bio-Wheel<sup>™</sup> technology for process aeration. The combination of these two advanced technologies allows both extremely high effluent quality while off-setting the increased energy requirements associated with membrane air scouring.

Swan Lake, Manitoba, Canada, 567 m3/d (104 gpm)

# SYSTEM DESIGN

Other advantages of the Bio-Wheel™ such as improved nutrient removal and resistance to process upsets are also achieved, leading to a state-of-the-art approach to wastewater treatment.

The integration of fixed-film, suspended growth and membrane processes in Bio-Brane™ systems achieve a high effluent quality and low footprint associated with membrane filtration while maintaining a low level of energy consumption through the Bio-Wheel™ technology. The fixed-film growth also leads to the proliferation of mature bacteria that hold the potential to remove refractory compounds, further enhancing the effluent quality of the system.

### **TYPICAL EFFLUENT**

- BOD < 5 mg/L
- TSS < 5 mg/L
- AMMONIA < 0.5 mg/L
- PHOSPHORUS < 0.5 mg/L
- FECAL COLIFORMS < 200 CFU/100 ml (with UV option)



Corrugated plastic plate



**BIO-BRANE™ PROCESS** 



## **ADVANTAGES**

- Superior effluent quality
- Reduced energy requirementsImproved nutrient removal
- No offensive odors

- Reduced plant footprint
- Resistance to shock loads
- Reduced sludge production