

Wu, Irene

From: Swain, Patricia - FSME
Sent: Friday, March 19, 2010 3:54 PM
To: Patrick Laplante; John Stamatkos
Cc: Yu, Irene; Bjornsen, Alan; Shroff, Behram
Subject: FW: Call Information

Pat / John,

Bill Von Till had a conversation with Kelly Bott who is with the Wyoming air folks; the email below indicates her "guess" as to what EPA is looking for re: analysis of air quality issues.

Thanks,
Patti

From: VonTill, Bill
Sent: Monday, March 15, 2010 1:10 PM
To: Bott, Kelly
Cc: Bubar, Patrice; Hsueh, Kevin; Davis (FSME), Jennifer; Swain, Patricia; Moore, Johari
Subject: RE: Call Information

That is very helpful. I will ask staff in our Environmental Review Branch to contact you if any addition follow up is needed.

Thanks

From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 15, 2010 1:06 PM
To: VonTill, Bill
Subject: RE: Call Information

I spoke with our NSR permitting staff, and based upon the information we have, the facilities that we are aware of are not located in any area with greater restrictions. The proposed non-attainment area is not yet official, and a State Implementation Plan (SIP) for that area has not been developed. That SIP will likely contain measures that are more restrictive that will bring the area back into attainment. However, like I said, I don't believe these facilities are located within that area as it is currently defined.

In the proposed nonattainment area, we have an interim permit policy that requires new permitted emissions to be offset on a 1.1:1 ratio for NOx and a 1.5:1 ratio for VOCs. Note that it is interim, and I believe that it is only applicable in Sublette County. We also ask for more in terms of emissions reporting in the area. Oil and gas operators in Sublette County also submit emergency contingency plans to be implemented in response to forecasts for weather conditions that are favorable for high ozone events.

My take on the EPA letter is that they would like to see a quantitative modeling analysis similar to what we would see in a project-specific EIS. I would guess what they are looking for is preparation of a detailed emissions inventory that would account for all project-related sources. It looks like they are also looking for a modeling analysis, though they mention a screening analysis, which is usually less rigorous and time-consuming than a full modeling analysis.

It is my understanding that the Wyoming AQD permits these facilities through our New Source Review Program. However, the drill rigs associated with these facilities are not permitted, which means there is no opportunity for additional controls and/or mitigation for those drill rigs without a more rigorous analysis.

Please let me know if you still need additional information.

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Thanks much,
Kelly

From: VonTill, Bill [Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 15, 2010 10:46 AM
To: Bott, Kelly
Subject: RE: Call Information

We are looking for information on areas in Wyoming where they may be greater restrictions on uranium milling operations such as non-attainment areas. In case you haven't seen it already, see the attached EPA letter.

Thanks

From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 15, 2010 12:32 PM
To: VonTill, Bill
Subject: RE: Call Information

Hi Bill,
I am already double booked for Wednesday afternoon. As it is also Spring Break, several staff members are out of the office. Are you specifically looking for information about the non-attainment area? If you could give me an idea of the type of information you are looking for, perhaps I can find someone to cover the call tomorrow.
Thanks much,
Kelly

From: VonTill, Bill [Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 15, 2010 5:35 AM
To: Bott, Kelly; Bjornsen, Alan; Hsueh, Kevin; Davis (FSME), Jennifer; Swain, Patricia
Subject: RE: Call Information

Kelly,

Sorry to hear about your emergency. I can't do Wednesday morning but could that afternoon. We have to make some quick decisions so I really don't want to push this to Friday. Is there someone else on the staff that could talk to us?

Thanks

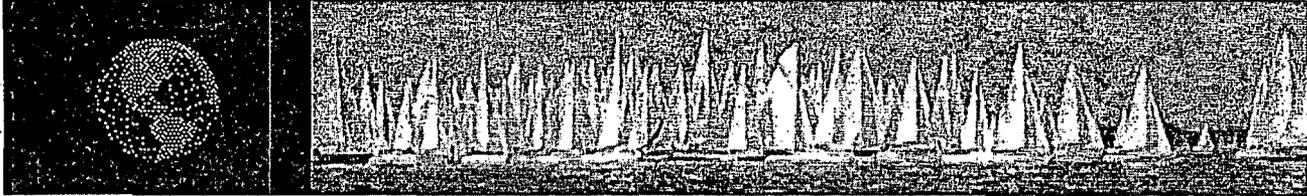
From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 12, 2010 11:06 AM
To: VonTill, Bill; Bjornsen, Alan; Hsueh, Kevin; Davis (FSME), Jennifer; Swain, Patricia
Subject: RE: Call Information

Bill,
I would like to request that we reschedule this call. I've had a family emergency and will be out of the office next Monday and Tuesday. Is there any way we can push this to Wednesday morning or anytime next Friday?
Thanks much,
Kelly

From: VonTill, Bill [mailto:Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 12:37 PM

To: Bott, Kelly; Bjornsen, Alan; Hsueh, Kevin; Davis (FSME), Jennifer; Swain, Patricia
Subject: Call Information

From: confirmations@mymeetings.com [mailto:confirmations@mymeetings.com]
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Subject: Conference Details (MAR 16, 2010--03:00 PM ET--Conf# 6639022)



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Contact:	MR TROY MCNAIR
Phone number:	1-301-415-7026
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Call time:	03:00 PM EASTERN TIME
Duration:	1 hr 30 min
Service level:	Unattended
Number of lines:	Total=5 Dialout=0 Meet Me=5 Meet Me Toll=0
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From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 1:47 PM
To: VonTill, Bill
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

Sounds good. I'll wait for the call in information. Thanks

From: VonTill, Bill [Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 10:55 AM
To: Bott, Kelly; McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Swain, Patricia; Bjornsen, Alan
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

How about 1:00 pm MST, 3:00 EST, on Tuesday then?

Thanks

From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 11:23 AM
To: VonTill, Bill; McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Swain, Patricia; Bjornsen, Alan
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

I can probably make 1:00 on Tuesday work (or even tomorrow at 1:00). Please let me know what works for you.

The AQD developed a fair amount of documentation to support the Governor's recommendation for nonattainment. That is on our website at:

<http://deq.state.wy.us/aqd/Ozone%20Nonattainment%20Information.asp>

There is a map showing the proposed nonattainment area in the technical support document (follow "technical analysis" link). There is a relatively small portion of Sweetwater county - in the northwest portion.

As you are probably aware, the EPA announced that they will reconsider the ozone standard in the 60-70ppb range. This means that the designation for nonattainment will be further delayed and the area may change depending on the final standard.

From: VonTill, Bill [Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 9:10 AM
To: VonTill, Bill; Bott, Kelly; McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Swain, Patricia; Bjornsen, Alan
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

Even more specifically, what part of Sweetwater County. I assume the most Western part.

Thanks

From: VonTill, Bill
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 10:52 AM
To: 'Bott, Kelly'; McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Swain, Patricia; Bjornsen, Alan
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

Thanks Kelly,

We can get a telecon scheduled (separate e-mail).

We are particularly interested in a map that may show the area defined in this link to see if it is anywhere near our proposed projects:

<http://www.pinedaleonline.com/news/2009/04/Whatozonenonattainme.htm>

Thanks

From: Bott, Kelly [mailto:kbott@wyo.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 10:34 AM
To: VonTill, Bill; McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Swain, Patricia
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

Hello Bill,

I have been in training this week, so apologize for not getting back to you sooner. I am happy to work with you to set up a call. Will next Wednesday morning work?

Thanks much,
Kelly Bott

From: VonTill, Bill [Bill.VonTill@nrc.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2010 7:44 AM
To: McKenzie, Don
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Bott, Kelly; Swain, Patricia
Subject: RE: SEIS follow-up

Don,

Kelly is not in this week, do you have another contact for air?

Thanks

From: McKenzie, Don [mailto:dmcken@wyo.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 08, 2010 10:52 AM
To: VonTill, Bill
Cc: Frederick, Kevin; Bott, Kelly
Subject: SEIS follow-up

Bill,

As much as I would like to be a part of your follow-up discussions about deep well disposal and air quality, it may be most timely for you to contact WDEQ managers directly regarding the disposal issues under the UIC program and the general air quality issues in Wyoming. Mr. Kevin Frederick manages the UIC program for Wyoming and can be reached at

307-777-5985. Mr. Frederick appears to be available the first three days of this week if you would like to contact him. Ms. Kelly Bott is in charge of NEPA reviews related to air quality in Wyoming. Her phone number is 307-777-6088. I understand she may be out of the office this week, but possibly available next week.

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