

## Bjornsen, Alan

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**From:** Michael Catches Enemy [ostnrranrd@gwtc.net]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 14, 2010 10:03 AM  
**To:** Bjornsen, Alan; 'Wilmer'  
**Cc:** 'Joni Tobacco, NRRRA WA'; 'Theresa Two Bulls, OST Madam President'  
**Subject:** RE: Tribal letter

Alan,

Alan,

I have no idea at this time. The THPO office is not in a position right now as we have no paid staff working in it. Our THPO Officer, Mr. Wilmer Mesteth is a volunteer at this time. This is one of many requests such as this to be a part of a MOA, PA, MOU, etc. just so you're aware.

I've included

Respectfully,

**Michael Catches Enemy**  
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**From:** Bjornsen, Alan [mailto:Alan.Bjornsen@nrc.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 14, 2010 8:16 AM  
**To:** Michael Catches Enemy; 'Wilmer'  
**Cc:** Joni Tobacco, NRRRA WA  
**Subject:** RE: Tribal letter

Okay. Thank you. Do you have a time frame for when the Tribe will make a decision to participate?

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**From:** Michael Catches Enemy [mailto:ostnrranrd@gwtc.net]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 14, 2010 9:47 AM  
**To:** 'Wilmer'  
**Cc:** Bjornsen, Alan; Joni Tobacco, NRRRA WA  
**Subject:** FW: Tribal letter

Wilmer,

For your review and consideration. I've included Ms. Joni Tobacco, NRRRA Water Administrator as well for her review and input.

Respectfully,

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**From:** Bjornsen, Alan [<mailto:Alan.Bjornsen@nrc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 13, 2010 4:39 AM  
**To:** [ostnrranrd@gwtc.net](mailto:ostnrranrd@gwtc.net)  
**Subject:** FW: Tribal letter

Mike,

As a result of our telephone conversation, yesterday, I am attaching the letter explaining the proposed Nichols Ranch ISR facility in the Powder River Basin of Wyoming. The facility site is close to the Pumpkin Buttes, and a Memorandum of Agreement is currently being prepared. The letter, as you will read asks if the Oglala Sioux would like to be a signatory on the MOA. If you have any questions about the proposed project or the MOA you may contact me at one of the means listed below.

Thank you.

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