

**From:** [Linton, Ron](#)  
**To:** ["Lister, Joel"](#)  
**Cc:** [VonTill, Bill](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Re: NRC-LOI  
**Date:** Wednesday, November 18, 2015 10:58:59 AM

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Joe;

Thank you for the update. I'll have our "Major Uranium Recovery Licensing Applications" chart on our uranium recovery website updated and put your response in our Agencywide Documents Access and Management System.

Ron

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**To:** Linton, Ron  
**Subject:** [External\_Sender] Re: NRC-LOI

Ron,

Good morning.

In response to your inquiry of the mill I provide the following:

The Mt. Taylor Mine has received the DP-61 Mine Water Discharge Permit from the State of New Mexico as of a couple of weeks ago and we are scheduled to have a Public Hearing on December 04, 2015 of the mine standby permit to active status.

We anticipate receiving the active mine permit in the first quarter of 2016, The mill project will be accelerated once we receive the revision of the current standby permit to active status. The mill application is targeted for late 2019 to first quarter 2020.

Thanks,

Joe

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**From:** Linton, Ron <[Ron.Linton@nrc.gov](mailto:Ron.Linton@nrc.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 10, 2015 1:20 PM  
**To:** Lister, Joel  
**Subject:** --EXTERNAL--RE: NRC-LOI

Joe:

Can you provide NRC with an update to your plans for the Mt. Taylor Mill application? The mill application only, not the mine site. We would like to take the Mill application off our "applications list" if it is not expected in the near future (3 yrs. out). It can always be added back on with an updated letter of intent. Since it is a conventional, we don't expect it in anytime soon. We currently don't have an expected application date on the list, it is just listed as TBD and we would like to show a specific date.

Thanks.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, November 12, 2014 11:23 AM  
**To:** Linton, Ron <[Ron.Linton@nrc.gov](mailto:Ron.Linton@nrc.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: NRC-LOI

Ron,

This is going out today.

Thanks and have a big turkey day,

Joe