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Conference call December 12, 1996

Attendees:

**EDMC**

Chris Burford, John Carleton, Larry Gadbois, Jake Jakobosky, Dan Landeen, Geoff Tallent, Paul Ward, Jamie Zeisloft, Darci Teel, Jena Lewinsohn, Kay Kimmel.

John to Jena: not a metals issue, the chemistry is different, but the framework may be of benefit. Blackbird Mine - BLM land has tailings, big NRDA focus on fish, water resources. Chris has lots of info. Jena: just approved a restoration plan on that site. will get their framework and pathways.

All on now. Jamie opened and update on FWS. Dan Audet is more than willing to meet, but has questions for trustees. Hypothetical/Real site? Exercise /Real Study? Look at Cr, & whole reach not just specific areas. Do we want to get into pathway & injury studies? If we want this to be realistic, how far do we involve Dan and does he have funding. ALSO, David Olson wants to present the N-springs shoreline to the trustees. bec of gw flow to river, soil is contam, now how do we deal with the soil that extends to the river itself. David wants to involve trustees early. [] on Cr, do we look at Sr, too? Larry- separate pathways, receptors, areas. Sees as unconnected and could separate. Impacts from Sr- localized impacts, but sensitive individuals are diff from Cr, but big unknown, not the plethora of toxicity data as with Cr. Jamie-sees need to collect more data. N-springs going into FS w/ limited data, don't know what the data gaps are. Sugg: Cr in river, pathway studies on TH, FR meet with David, have Dan Audet too. Larry: near term info David might need would feed into FS and protect ecology as well as focus on ecolo impacts of alternatives. Jamie: Clarkston we agreed to look on this as an eco exercise, do we want Dan to look at the more realistic side? Larry: yes. go for it. Jamie: inside info: talked with legal, mgmt, bhi - as trustee we have resp which include PASs and injury studies. There is no DOE objection to these trustee responsibilities. Not sure of getting technical experts together, but will when there's funding. Chris: another issue is just that of getting the experts together to help fulfill the trustee respon. Jamie: apparently Hanford is the most active in NRDA. Al Alm is expected to sign a letter combining eco risk assessment and injury studies. What a change!

Jamie will ask Dan to look at the real Cr data and develop an exercise from that, try to get Dan to participate in the David Olson presentation. PAS discussion. Jamie notified the NRDA complex team that the trustees will be writing their own. Chris: CTUIR will probably contract that out. Not happy with where we're at.

Jamie: Jay and others met on the borrow area issue. soil, gravel, basalt. purpose of the eis is landuse planning and ?. How borrow areas are addressed in the eis is of concern. Basalt would be a tiered document and looked at again. Soil was based on narrow studies which don't satisfy NEPA. Jay to write comments

to that effect. Will be Sched a meeting with eis folks - rich holten, tom ferns, + - and layouta path forward to adequately analyze borrow sites. Mitigation to mcgee ranch was not addressed in the studies. Jamie & jay want a more comprehensive look at borrow areas. Chris: that's their #1 point - borrow areas and looking at the whole picture of health and eco risk, and sitewide analysis of resources required. Once these done, easy to write a CLUP. Jamie: very limited list of criteria on looking at the sites, but need doe to say yes these are limited studies and need to be expanded first before involved the technical people. Dan wants list of concerns for the January meeting or before if the meeting is scheduled sooner. talking strictly of borrow areas, not concerns on the whole picture of the eis. Chris: tribes will want to participate and let's get a letter put together on the tribal concerns - 12/16 10am. *Maybe can sched DOE meeting after the January nrtc meeting and trustees can disc with Jay.*

Jamie: CRCIA ? Larry: jan 10 milestone [deadline] for input on planning/funding for CRCIA. CRCIA is to provide sitewide tools for consistent approach for analyzing risk. Still some divisiveness on what the focus of CRCIA is. *Bob Stewart wants to be on the agenda for February.* Larry notes that a trustee should come visit the CRCIA bec that perspective is very much needed. Jamie talked with Mike Thompson and got a copy of a change request that is older, but contains information pertinent to the crcia and trustee council. regards data collection and injury studies. doc says crcia will collect data but crcia will not do injury studies. doc helps understand why crcia won't do injury studies. AI: Kay get milestone change mailed out.

January meeting at BLM office and Kay & Jake coordinate getting info out on hotels and such. This may need to be two full days. AGREED, now check with Dan.

Geoff: Bylaws? faxed out. Dan signed and sent theirs out. Jamie also getting letter done. Others working on, chris says this is less urgent as an admin item and may be delayed.

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Chris Burford  
Bill Beckley - not available  
Larry Gadbois  
John Carlton  
Jake Kaboski  
Suzan Hughes - not available  
Dan Landeen -  
Jay - not available  
Geoff  
Preston - out of town  
Paul Ward

Jan. Mtg.

- David & Phil - N-Springs
- Larry Keep Chromium separate from N-Spring Strontium  
Thursday all day ↗ Friday ↗

\* DOE - Need to let your counterparts in DOE know what we are doing & why.

\* Darcy - ✓ resources for technical support on NRTC NOAA injury studies.

Kay - ✓ on Liz block replacement/standin let someone there know what/when we are doing

Also - NOAA contact & be sending them information if they refuse to participate - Do we need that in writing?