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John,

The Canyon FS contains an ERDF Cost of \$77/cubic meter. There is a lot of debate as to the accurate cost, which is closer to \$130/cubic meter.

This memo provides some background. If I get time tonight, I will make one additional formal comment to the Canyon FS.

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Vince Panesko

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 >From: "Paul Rudnick" <prudnick@pacific-rim.org>
 >To: "Vince Panesko" <vince@owt.com>
 >Subject: Re: ERDF Costs
 >Date: Tue, 18 Nov 1997 11:00:00 -0800
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 >According to our source Owen Robertson of DOE (ERDF Project Manager) the
 >cost based on expanding ERDF to 6 cells is approximately \$130/cubic yard.
 >At 4 cells the life-cycle cost is approximately \$137/cubic yard, and at 2
 >cells its \$178/cubic yard. The day we released this paper to several
 >different people a gentlemen from Bechtel met with me to give me there new
 >life-cycle cost estimate of \$78.5/cubic yard based on 6 cells. The guy I
 >met with didn't believe this figure was correct, believing it to be much
 >higher. DOE the day after that came out with a new figure when discussing
 >ERDF with the HAB which was an official \$80/cubic yard. The figure is
 >tough to calculate as you know.

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 >HOpe this helps.

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 >Paul

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 >> From: Vince Panesko <vince@owt.com>
 >> To: gballew@pacific-rim.org; prudnick@pacific-rim.org
 >> Subject: ERDF Costs
 >> Date: Monday, November 17, 1997 9:58 PM

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 >> In the U-Plant Canyon Feasibility Study, they quote ERDF burial costs as
 >> \$77

>> per cubic meter.

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 >> The 77 consists of \$60 for loading the trucks and transportation and
 >> \$17 for construction and capping of one ERDF cell.

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 >> Somehow I get the feeling that ERDF life cycle costs are not included.

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 >> Do you know what the actual life cycle costs of ERDF are?

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