To: Jackson, Peter W.[jackson.peter@epa.gov]
From: Pellegrini, Janet
Sent: Thur 10/24/2013 9:32:35 PM
Subject: RE: NPDES permit for American Energy Corporation - Bennoc Refuse Area.- Social/ Economic Justification Report Oct 18, 2012

With an anti deg analysis, does the permittee have to meet downstream designations up to a certain mileage past the exact point of discharge?

From: Jackson, Peter W.
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2013 4:16 PM
To: Pellegrini, Janet
Subject: RE: NPDES permit for American Energy Corporation - Bennoc Refuse Area.- Social/ Economic Justification Report Oct 18, 2012

Janet, I found one interesting thing so far – the antideg review you sent me (done by OEPA I assume) refers to Captina Creek as a Superior High Quality Water, but the segment where Piney Creek enters Captina all the way to the Ohio River actually has a higher antidegradation designation, Outstanding State Water. (Superior High Quality Water applies to the North and South Forks which are upstream from the Piney Creek confluence.) The difference is that SHWQ has a lower level of protection than OSW…

Pete

From: Pellegrini, Janet
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2013 3:03 PM
To: Gill, Dan
Cc: Kuefler, Patrick
Subject: RE: NPDES permit for American Energy Corporation - Bennoc Refuse Area.- Social/ Economic Justification Report Oct 18, 2012

Dan,

In my review of all of the October 8, 2013 submissions I did not find a resubmission of the original antideg application and antidegradation analysis (Social/Economic Justification Report, dated October 18, 2012) conducted by OEPA.

In my review of the attached which was submitted to EPA in November 2012, the OEPA's

October 18, 2012 antideg Social/Economic Justification Report, is missing page 2.

Could you send the complete document to EPA asap, that includes page 2.

Thanks much,

Janet

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From: Gill, Dan [mailto:dan.gill@epa.state.oh.us]
Sent: Tuesday, October 08, 2013 9:51 AM
To: Pierard, Kevin; Kuefler, Patrick
Cc: Pellegrini, Janet
Subject: NPDES permit for American Energy Corporation - Bennoc Refuse Area... part 1

Mr. Pierard,

My original email on this was bounced back due to attachment size – I'm breaking down further and sending as a series of 8 emails…

Attached are the documents pertaining to Ohio EPA's submission of a draft NPDES permit for the American Energy Corporation's Century Mine Bennoc Refuse Disposal Area. A hardcopy

will be sent in today's mail. Let us know of any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Dan Gill, M.S., P.E.

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