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David,

Stacey, Tina Alvarado and I conducted a call with Tim Hardy (LOOP Counsel) discussing NEPA requirement needs and the need to conduct ESA consultation. For NEPA purposes he understands additional information (i.e. Environmental Impact Document) from the company will be needed to support a NEPA EIS or EA. In addition, he understands ESA consultation is required and we informed him of meetings we are having next week with USFWS, NOAA and US Coast Guard. The purpose of this multi-agency meeting is to discuss Louisiana Offshore Oil Port (LOOP) NPDES permit, dissolved oxygen standard concern, identify species impacted, Biological Evaluation needs, timing and next steps. He was going to reach out to his clients today.

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