**To:** bryan.johnston@la.gov[bryan.johnston@la.gov]
**Cc:** Robinson, Jeffrey[Robinson.Jeffrey@epa.gov]
**From:** Toups, Brad
**Sent:** Mon 8/10/2015 7:43:54 PM
**Subject:** RE: Question about the LOOP permit

Thanks Bryan,

He is correct. It is also true that the permit went to public notice on 6/17.

It is also my understanding that our review could run concurrent with the public comment period, as follows:

EPA and LDEQ have agreed the 45-day EPA review period, required by Section 505(b)(1) of the

Clean Air Act and 40 CFR 70.8(c)(1), may be concurrent with the State's public comment period

on the draft permit. This EPA's 45-day review period will begin when EPA receives the proposed

draft permit and SOB (and any other requested document EPA deems necessary for the permit

review) from LDEQ, but not any sooner than the beginning of the public comment period. The

public review and EPA review periods may not run concurrently if any person submits a

comments or if a hearing is held on the proposed draft permit. In such case, the EPA 45-day

review period will begin no earlier than the close of the public comment period or the date of

hearing, whichever date is later. If any public comment is received, a new 45-day review period

will begin after EPA receives from LDEQ the revised proposed permit, SOB, BFD, RTC, or any

other document EPA deems necessary for the permit review.

We look forward to the RTC.

Brad

**From:** Bryan Johnston [mailto:Bryan.Johnston@LA.GOV]
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 12:44 PM
**To:** Toups, Brad
**Cc:** Robinson, Jeffrey
**Subject:** RE: Question about the LOOP permit

Brad:

Kermit says he transmitted the proposed permit to EPA on June 15, making June 16 day 1. He will still respond to the comments.

Thanks,

BDJ

**From:** Toups, Brad [mailto:Toups.Brad@epa.gov]
**Sent:** Friday, August 07, 2015 3:29 PM
**To:** Bryan Johnston
**Cc:** Robinson, Jeffrey
**Subject:** Question about the LOOP permit

Hi Bryan,

I just received a hard copy of the Issued Loop LLC permit in the mail. It appears that LDEQ did not consider our comments on the permit. Can you let me know why that was the case?

Thanks

Brad Toups