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Alexis –

Thank you for your patience in our responding to your May 25th follow up inquiry regarding the Exide clean up. I am attaching a letter that summarizes EPA Region 9's involvement with the Exide facility in Vernon, CA. Please let me know if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Regards,

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Hi Brent – do you all have on hand, or can point me to resource to understand Region 9's involvement in the Exide clean up to date in Vernon, CA? And broadly, when/how EPA does get involved in contamination issues (on heels of Flint, maybe you guys have a FAQ somewhere?)

We have gotten some inquiries as to why the federal agencies were not/are not more engaged. I understand RCRA is delegated to CA DTSC, but I am trying to understand bigger context. I cc'd

Iain Hart who is helping me research this issue.

Many thanks,

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