From: Brock, Frank
To: Kraft, Nicole
Subject: RE: orange county camp ground
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Just talked to Mr. Sandor. He expressed frustration that the county health dept., DEC, etc. won't approve the closure plans for the septic system built on the wrong property and was looking to EPA for closure requirements. I told him that, unlike the industrial waste drywell requirements that we have that he is familiar with, we really do not have specific sanitary septic system closure requirements, as we expect local governments to have such requirements. He indicated that their plan is to remove the septic tank, drainage structure, gravel, piping, etc. that re-grade with clean soil.

I also advised him that our information request letter would likely go out tomorrow to Mr. Smith. I told him that we consider the facility to be non-residential so they must inventory any system designed to serve 20 or more persons per day. We discussed the difficulty of converting that to design flow but he suspects that most of the septic systems are likely going to be considered "large capacity" and under EPA jurisdiction. He indicated that the laundry room is still closed pending resolution of all of the issues. He stated that his firm has been spending a lot of time the past couple of years figuring out the construction of each system, how much flow it is receiving versus its design, etc. and will be meeting with DEC at some point to revise the SPDES permit and with the county health department to make sure that each system meets design requirements for the flow it is receiving.

From: Kraft, Nicole
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2013 11:13 AM
To: Brock, Frank
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You can expect a call from Michael Sandor. Consultant for the camp ground. I told him we sent an info request. He just trying to figure out if it is regulated and how to close.

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