To: Chow, Eugenia[Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov]
From: Jeryl Gardner
Sent: Tue 6/20/2017 6:50:23 PM
Subject: RE: AML sites

Hi Eugenia,

I asked SPS and ARC about giving you and Mindy a tour on the afternoon of July 27th.

They are both available but SPS, through Taurus Massey, will be the primary tour facilitator.

Feel free to reach out to Taurus to set up your site visit. (Contact info below)

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I will try to accompany you, but I am not sure at this point of my availability due to our anniversary plans still being somewhat dynamic.

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Sent: Friday, June 16, 2017 4:30 PM
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Subject: RE: AML sites

Hi Jeryl,

Just talked to Mindy, she is interested in seeing the Anaconda site, so that would be great if you could help coordinate. Should I work primarily w/you to set it up or Dante? I need to check schedules and will get back to you on timing.

Oh yes, sorry about the confusion w/the new format. It must have been Hawaii that agreed to use the new format this year. So will the NV format be the same as this year except for the electronic only format? or were there other changes?

Thanks,

Eugenia

From: Jeryl Gardner [mailto:JGARDNER@ndep.nv.gov]
Sent: Friday, June 16, 2017 3:22 PM
To: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: AML sites

Hi Eugenia,

Sounds good on the site visits.

Re: report submittals; we had discussed not considering use of the EPA format for FY17, but possibly considering it for FY18 work.

Dang that understaffing!

Thanks,

Jeryl

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From: Chow, Eugenia [Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov]
Sent: Friday, June 16, 2017 2:04 PM
To: Jeryl Gardner
Subject: RE: AML sites

Hi Jeryl,

Thanks for the ideas! Let me discuss w/Mindy and get back to you on the site visits. Not sure if we have time for Anaconda as we wouldn't get to Carson City before 1pm or so. In addition, since the deferral discussions are still ongoing, it may not be the best choice.

Thanks for the reminder on workplan amendment request. Sorry, it totally slipped off my radar as we've been trying to deal w/ budget issues for the grants. I will get you a response shortly.

For the format for the electronic submittals, would it be possible to include all the info that is required in the new guidance that I forwarded to you earlier this year? Let me know if you want me to send it again.

As far as the QAPP, I have asked Joe periodically, and each time, he tells me he's almost done, but, still nothing. I will call again on Mon, but not sure if I will get anything. I think the QA group is very understaffed (they're down at least 2 people due to retirements), he's just overloaded and his boss has basically prioritized other work over this project. I don't know if you've seen the terms and conditions in the new grant amendment, but the QA folks even put in language which says that NDEP can move forward w/their work while the QAPP is being reviewed.

Eugenia

From: Jeryl Gardner [mailto:JGARDNER@ndep.nv.gov]
Sent: Friday, June 16, 2017 12:33 PM
To: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: AML sites

There is one -the Anaconda Mine Site!

Don't know if we could squeeze a tour in there, but she would like it for sure.

I think you've been there, right?

If you think you might want to go I could probably arrange a tour with SPS or ARC.

I don't think I would have the time available but you never know.

That time frame is also right around the time that the NPL deferral may be signed and formalized (if current indications are accurate). But, that would not make any difference (at least in my mind), just because it shifts from EPA lead to NDEP lead. EPA will still have a role at the site, and would always be welcome to participate in site visits.

Let me know if you think you would be interested, and I will mention it to Jeff and Greg as well.

There are a couple other very small and insignificant AML sites in the general vicinity, but I don't think she would learn much from an overall AML perspective from those sites.

Another possibility is a tour of some of the Carson River Mercury Superfund Site, even though it is not being managed currently by the AML Program, it is technically an AML site.

Let me know what you think, and I'll see what I can do to facilitate.

On another note, I don't think you replied to may email (maybe a month ago?) about the proposed site report deliverables for this month and subsequently for July-August timeframe. We are working on the reporting format being generated by the new geodatabase, and I should have a draft final of one on my desk Monday. One question I had for you was on the format to be submitted electronically only this year, with no physical copies.

I plan to submit a subset of this year's work/reports to you by the end of June (all the desk research work).

Also, is there any update/progress report at all on the AML QAPrP EPA review?

Thanks, talk to you soon.

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From: Chow, Eugenia [Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov]
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To: Jeryl Gardner
Subject: AML sites

Hi Jeryl,

Mindy wanted me to ask if there were any AML sites close to Carson City that are of interest and we could potentially visit on the afternoon of 7/26? I thought they were all pretty far out, but she asked me to double check.

Thanks,

Eugenia