Message

**From**: Lindstrom, Andrew [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=04BF7CF26AA44CE29763FBC1C1B2338E-LINDSTROM, ANDREW]
**Sent**: 9/27/2016 5:55:52 PM
**To**: Detlef Knappe [knappe@ncsu.edu]; Sun, Mei [msun8@uncc.edu]; Strynar, Mark [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=5a9910d5b38e471497bd875fd329a20a-Strynar, Mark]
**Subject**: RE: FW: Data for Cape Fear paper

Detlef,

That's fine.

I'm trying to anticipate questions we're going to get from our managers. The identity of sources and receptors is always a sensitive topic and I think our guys will favor a discrete approach. So identification by job title alone would be sufficient.

Thank you,

Andy

**From:** Detlef Knappe [mailto:knappe@ncsu.edu]
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 27, 2016 1:49 PM
**To:** Lindstrom, Andrew <Lindstrom.Andrew@epa.gov>; Sun, Mei <msun8@uncc.edu>; Strynar, Mark <Strynar.Mark@epa.gov>
**Subject:** Re: FW: Data for Cape Fear paper

Andy,

Although it is pretty clear now who the utilities are, I think the utilities like the semi-anonymous approach.

Detlef

On 9/27/16 1:02 PM, Lindstrom, Andrew wrote:

> Mei,
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> It is excellent that the utilities would like to be co-authors.
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> Does that mean we should identify the water plants by municipality in the text and map? Identify by GPS coordinates in the SI? Both?
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> I think the cover letter is very good. It makes a very strong case for publication. The manuscript also looks very strong.
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> I have entered the data into our publicly accessible database. This is still sort of an experimental system for us so I don't know if we will have any issues.
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> We cannot advise you to submit the paper until we have clearance from our management. I'm hoping this will come within a week or two.
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> Thank you very much,
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> Andy

**From:** Sun, Mei [mailto:msun8@uncc.edu]
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 27, 2016 12:25 PM
**To:** Strynar, Mark <Strynar.Mark@epa.gov>; Lindstrom, Andrew <Lindstrom.Andrew@epa.gov>
**Cc:** Detlef Knappe <knappe@ncsu.edu>
**Subject:** Re: FW: Data for Cape Fear paper

Andy and Mark:

Just an update from the utilities: all utilities had reviewed the paper and agreed to co-authorship. So we are ready to submit the paper at this point.
Do you have any feedback on the cover letter that I sent to your last week?

Thank you.

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On Thu, Sep 22, 2016 at 1:54 PM, Sun, Mei <msun8@uncc.edu> wrote:

> Mark and Andy
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> Please find in the attachment our graphic abstract and cover letter for this paper, and let me know if you have any comments. Besides, we want to change the title a bit to make it shorter and more appealing, and added one sentence in line 114. Hope these won't cause extra trouble in your internal review. Thank you.
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> On Thu, Sep 22, 2016 at 10:48 AM, Strynar, Mark <Strynar.Mark@epa.gov> wrote:
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> > This should do fine. Let me see if I can get this started.

Thanks,

Mark

**From:** Sun, Mei [mailto:msun8@uncc.edu]
**Sent:** Thursday, September 22, 2016 10:05 AM
**To:** Strynar, Mark <Strynar.Mark@epa.gov>
**Cc:** Detlef Knappe <knappe@ncsu.edu>; Lindstrom, Andrew <Lindstrom.Andrew@epa.gov>
**Subject:** Re: FW: Data for Cape Fear paper

Hi Mark

Do you need the raw data (e.g., LCMS peak areas) or the processed data (concentration, removal percentage, etc)? Now I have all data and plots in three different excel files (attached). I can combine them to one if that's what you need, but it will be large and hard to identify what is what.

Best,

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On Thu, Sep 22, 2016 at 7:20 AM, Strynar, Mark <Strynar.Mark@epa.gov> wrote:

Sorry Mei,

Sent this to your old NCSU email.

Mark

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**From:** Strynar, Mark
**Sent:** Thursday, September 22, 2016 7:18 AM
**To:** Mei Sun <msun4@ncsu.edu>
**Cc:** Detlef Knappe <knappe@ncsu.edu>; Lindstrom, Andrew <Lindstrom.Andrew@epa.gov>
**Subject:** Data for Cape Fear paper

Mei,

Under Federal law we at the EPA are now required to make any data pertinent to the work we publish publically available. We have to upload it to a site called Science Hub here in the Agency. Now as part of the process our high level management is asking if we have done so yet with respect to your paper. In the past we have been told this needs to be done before the paper is published. However, now they are saying before the paper is cleared by them. We have not so I am asking you for an Excel spreadsheet of the pertinent data so I can do so. As we upload it we can choose to keep the data embargoed until the paper is published.

There is really no guidance on what needs to be in the Science Hub so I think summary data that went into the creating of the Tables and Figures, and SI would be good.

Thanks,

Mark

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