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Subject: RE: Active Water/Wastewater Construction Projects - Governor's Stay at Home Order
Attachments: Sinkhole_4-5-18SJM.pdf

Dave,

Thank you for letting me to know. Under the PCD, CRW was suppose to notify EPA when it completed the work on the sinkhole covered under the PCD. See enclosed letter.

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We don't have active contracts for construction on interceptors right now. We completed Front Street Ph. 1 last year and are still finalizing approach for Front Street Ph. 2 and Paxton Creek Interceptor.

All original sinkholes have been remediated, but we continue to respond to new findings, and yes, that work is included under the category of "wastewater collection/conveyance system – high priority repairs.

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Dave,

Are any of these projects in the Partial Consent Decree. The work in the Front Street interceptor and the sink hole repairs along the Paxton interceptor are in the CD, are these one and the same.

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Importance: High

Victor, Maria,

CRW has seen guidance from various State and Federal departments related to water/wastewater construction and are hoping to clarify whether our projects may proceed during the travel restrictions and what type of documentation is required.

Can you help us clarify if our projects require waiver to proceed? If waiver is required, could you advise the most efficient means of processing?

Specific Projects:

- Front Street P.S. – General Construction - Only work to maintain conveyance of sewage is continuing (Bar Screen Emergency Repair). The other three contracts (Electrical, Plumbing & HVAC) are not working, and we're delaying construction activities until restrictions are lifted.
- Anaerobic Digester Rehabilitation – Electrical Construction - We're in the middle of critical electrical switchgear/MCC switchover work that is scheduled for completion next week. General Construction – Completing water tightness treatment of Digester No. 2, which is critical path task to operational transition to work on the other digester.
- Wastewater Collection/Conveyance System – High Priority Repairs. We're planning to continue execution of repair work required to avoid sewer back-ups and sinkholes. We've delayed all "non-essential" work until after restrictions are lifted. We also plan to continue to identify and remediate emergency defects.
- Cameron Street Water Main Lining – We are in the second phase of a multi-year program to rehabilitate a critical section of failing water distribution main in Cameron Street (1880's cast iron with a history of breaks). We plan to keep working on schedule because of the severity of the need and to coordinate schedule with PennDOT's planned improvements for the impacted stretch.

We appreciate your guidance. Thanks for your help!

Take care,
Dave

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