Message

From: Zieba, Kyle [Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov]
Sent: 9/22/2020 8:38:27 PM
To: Brancho, Jennie [Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov]; Kim, Lena [Kim.Lena@epa.gov]; Pratt, Stacie [Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov]
CC: Rogers, Rick [rogers.rick@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Thank you for the additional information. I'll use these updated bullets to craft an email to send out tomorrow.

From: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Zieba, Kyle <Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov>; Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>; Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
Cc: Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Hi Kyle,

I have made a couple of revisions to the document like we had discussed. Please let me know if this version looks alright to you.

Thank you,

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From: Zieba, Kyle <Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov>
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Also, what date did MDE initially refer this case to EPA and why?

From: Zieba, Kyle
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Cc: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>; Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
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Thanks folks.

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

I will most likely send an email to the Senator with the bullets.

From: Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 1:30 PM
To: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>; Zieba, Kyle <Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov>
Cc: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>; Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
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Stacie, Jennie- thank you- in my opinion, these fit the bill and I expect will more than adequately support Kyle in her reaching out.

Kyle- feel free to reach out directly to Jennie, copying me, with follow-up questions.

If not further questions (for now), we/ECAD would ask that you let us know when you respond to this inquiry (if by email, share that with us; if by phone call, let us know how that went for situational awareness).

Thx!

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From: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 1:01 PM
To: Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>; Zieba, Kyle <Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov>
Cc: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>; Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
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Hi Lena and Kyle. Will this meet your needs? **Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**
Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP) Please advise. Jennie is my POC for this matter. Kyle – You will be reaching out, correct?

Thanks.

From: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 12:32 PM
To: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
Cc: McLaughlin, Kaitlin <McLaughlin.Kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Stacie, Kaitlin,

Attached is a draft of brief summary **Ex. 5 DP / Ex. 7(A)**

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Thanks,

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From: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 11:28 AM
To: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>
Cc: McLaughlin, Kaitlin <McLaughlin.Kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

You don't need much – Ex. 5 DP / Ex. 7(A) Ex. 5 DP / Ex. 7(A) There no rush - Within the next few days.

Thanks.

From: Brancho, Jennie <Brancho.Jennie@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 10:49 AM
To: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
Cc: McLaughlin, Kaitlin <McLaughlin.Kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Hi Stacie,

I can try to pull something together. I have not been able to review the response to the 308 yet, but I'll see what I have. When do you need this by?

Thanks,

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Jennie – Please see the e-mail below. This is related to Horizon Management – Not sure which one, though. Can you help me pull together some bullets so that Kyle can provide to the Senator? We also may need some additional background from the State on this, but I'm not sure how much will be needed. If so, please coordinate with Kaitlin.

Thanks.

From: Zieba, Kyle <Zieba.Kyle@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 9:05 AM
To: Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>; Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>; McLaughlin, Kaitlin <McLaughlin.Kaitlin@epa.gov>
Cc: Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>; Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>
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A few bullets from your program folks with some context would be fine

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Subject: RE: QUESTION for KYLE: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Kyle, thanks. Pls let us know best approach to support your answer. Would it be:

- A few bullets from our pgm folks?
- A quick phone call/mtg with pgm contact?

Let us know,
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Thanks for looping me in, Lena.

OPA (i.e., State and Congressional Liaisons) responds to any questions from all elected officials based on the program's input.

From: Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2020 8:57 AM
To: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>; McLaughlin, Kaitlin <McLaughlin.Kaitlin@epa.gov>
Cc: Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>; Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>;

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Stacie, thanks for the heads up.

KYLE- pls advise on whether you would answer this question (below) with ECAD pgm input.

Thanks!
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Cc: Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>; Kim, Lena <Kim.Lena@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Hi Kaitlin. Do you know anything about this site?

Lena – How do we handle these types of request from Senator's offices? Do we respond directly?

Thanks.

From: Elfreth, Sarah Senator <Sarah.Elfreth@senate.state.md.us>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 10:55 AM
To: Pratt, Stacie <Pratt.Stacie@epa.gov>; Rogers, Rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
Subject: Sands Rd in Anne Arundel County, MD

Dear Stacie and Rick,

I hope you are both having a great start to your week.

I am reaching out about an environmental issue we have in our state legislative district that we'd like an updated status on. In Sands Rd, in Anne Arundel County Maryland, there has been a compounding land fil, wastewater, and others that are not only causing a disruptive amount of truck traffic to the historically African American community, but they have had decades of health concerns.

Tyler Abbott from the MD Dept of Environment referred this case to you both and I would like to follow up to see it's current status and if there's anything we can do to assist or any additional information I can help provide.

Thank you for your time and assistance.

Best,
Johntel

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