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We are in receipt of your comments are in the process of reviewing them. A response will be prepared to address the comments as quickly as possible.

Thank you.

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Mr. Bowyer, et al.,

Attached please find EPA's comments regarding the W. Slauson Tanker Fire Excavation Workplan. The Excel spreadsheet is a tabulated version of the same comments in pdf document. These comments do not cover any potential LARWQCB concerns or input, so please expect comments from Robert Ehe under separate cover.

My biggest concerns revolve around protecting the health and safety of workers and the surrounding residential neighbors, as well as ensuring that the Solis family has input on the end points of the soil excavation and backfill conditions at 216 W. Slauson.

From my point of view, it's ok to proceed with planning the excavation (setting a date, etc.), provided these comments are addressed in a timely manner. I would like concurrence from LARWQCB and a representative of the Solis family before granting a final go ahead. I believe that the house at 216 will be demolished on, or about October 7, so perhaps that would be a good deadline for comments.

If there is a need for a meeting to hammer out technical issues, I can offer up a conference room in our downtown Los Angeles offices. I would need about a week to arrange that. Please speak up if you think it would be helpful.

Feel free to contact me regarding questions or concerns about these comments and/or EPA's expectations during the excavation.

Sincerely,

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Hello Ben and Robert,

Please find attached the workplan for the soil excavation in association with the property located at 210 W. Slauson in Los Angeles, California. The schedule for this work is contingent on the removal of the existing building at 216 Slauson, and the acquisition of any necessary permits from the City of Los Angeles and SCAQMD.

If you have any questions with respect to this workplan, please feel free to call.

Thank you.

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