Message

From: Musante, Jason [Musante.Jason@epa.gov]
Sent: 12/22/2021 11:32:14 PM
To: Martha Petterez [martha.petterez@lacity.org]; Castellana, Ben [castellana.ben@epa.gov]
CC: Wise, Robert [Wise.Robert@epa.gov]; Helmlinger, Andrew [Helmlinger.Andrew@epa.gov]; green.jay@epa.gov
Subject: Slauson Tanker site info request

Hello Ms. Petterez –

Dr. Castellana has been deployed to assist with an emergency situation on the island of Oahu involving the contamination of a drinking water system impacting nearly 4,000 military families. Therefore, there will be a delay in accommodating your request. Please also provide the timeframe in which any information is desired. This is especially important so we may balance any urgent need you have with our primary mission essential emergency response functions. Additionally your request is rather broad in nature and I would encourage you to work with Andrew Helmlinger and Dr. Castellana from the EPA Office of Regional Counsel to refine your request. This will ensure there are no conflicts with any federal enforcement or cost recovery actions that may be concurrent to any investigation by the city attorney's office.

Thank you,

JASON MUSANTE
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REPORT OIL OR CHEMICAL SPILLS
NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER: **800.424.8802**
REGION IX DUTY OFFICER: **800.300.2193**

From: Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org>
Sent: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 3:47 PM
To: Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov>
Cc: Musante, Jason <Musante.Jason@epa.gov>; Wise, Robert <Wise.Robert@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Fwd:

Hello Ben,
Thank you for your response. I am looking for any/all paperwork you have related to this incident including but not limited to the response and clean up effort.
Thank you,
Martha

On Tue, Dec 21, 2021 at 3:44 PM Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov> wrote:

> Hi Martha,

I am out of the office on a response right now. Are there specific documents you are looking for? Is this with regard to the emergency response effort or the soil cleanup afterward? There is a report from our contractor that I can get when I am back in town; it's very brief and focused on pollution response/cleanup.

Sincerely,

Ben Castellana, Ph.D.

On-Scene Coordinator

US EPA Region 9

Superfund Emergency Response

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From: Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org>
Sent: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 3:31 PM
To: Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov>
Cc: Musante, Jason <Musante.Jason@epa.gov>; Wise, Robert <Wise.Robert@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Fwd:

Hello Ben,

I am just following up on this email from a while ago. Please let me know if you have any information to provide.

Thank you,

Martha

On Mon, Nov 8, 2021 at 11:08 AM Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org> wrote:

> Hi Ben,

I'm sorry about that, the location is 210 W. Slauson Ave, Los Angeles and the date was March 17, 2019.

On Mon, Nov 8, 2021 at 10:31 AM Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Martha,

For what site is this request about? There was no information in the email train below.

Sincerely,

Ben Castellana, Ph.D.

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From: Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org>
Sent: Monday, November 8, 2021 10:16 AM
To: Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov>
Subject: Fwd:

Hello Ben,

Please see the email below.

Thank you,

Martha Petterez

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **Wise, Robert** <Wise.Robert@epa.gov>
Date: Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 6:00 PM
Subject: Re:
To: Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org>

Ben will get those. He is on vacation right now. He will take of it when he gets back.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 21, 2021, at 5:33 PM, Martha Petterez <martha.petterez@lacity.org> wrote:

Hi Robert,

You mentioned Start Contractor keeps logs and notes. Did I get the name wrong? I can't find any contact information. If you have it I would really appreciate it.

Thank you,

Martha Petterez

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