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Subject: RE: FPN E19902 Slauson Tanker Fire

Thank you, Deryck, for the quick reply; I hope the move is a good one for you!

Hi Michael, I look forward to working with you again on this cleanup! I will make sure that Bowyer Environmental keeps you in the loop on the schedule. Do you know if your office would handle the permitting for the former residence demolition at 216 W. Slauson?

EPA will focus on three goals:

- Removal of oil-contaminated soils where runoff could affect Waters of the United States per the Clean Water Act,
- Worker safety, pursuant to 29 CFR part 1910.120, as directed under 40 CFR part 300.150,
- And protection of the surrounding community through perimeter monitoring under 40 CFR part 300.

I recognize that AQMD has a stake in monitoring VOCs and fugitive dust during site activities, and I hope we can guide the PRP's contractor toward a single monitoring plan that covers all regulatory needs, and is not duplicative.

Once the shallow soil contamination is removed, the PRP will have fulfilled their requirements under the Emergency Response; any remaining site contamination will fall under LARWQCB jurisdiction. The Water Board case manager is Robert Ehe, and he is cc-ed on this message.

Please feel free to reach out with questions and/or concerns about the upcoming field effort, and I will do the same.

Sincerely,

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Hi Ben,

Thank you for the update. I have now moved on from the Toxics Group and Inspector Michal Haynes is now your primary contact. He is cc'd on this email. Thank you,

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Hi Deryck,
Are you still the AQMD contact for the Slauson Tanker Fire (210 W. Slauson Ave, Los Angeles)? The RP is finally getting a workplan finalized for the soil excavation, and I wanted to get the stakeholders together to see if we can get this done before the rainy season.

FYI – the principal holdup has been the disposition of the residence at 216 W. Slauson, which is now in the permit phase for demolition. Once that's out of the way, the excavation can proceed. I am trying to facilitate permitting agencies as best as possible so we don't have another release to Waters of the United States.

Cheers,

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