Good Afternoon Sherry,

Groundwater Elevations were successfully collected by USGS Staff yesterday at the Haskell Lake Area Petroleum Contamination Site. A detailed update provided below.

Access:

Mr. Larsen did inform me that another provision of access has been imposed by Mr. Larsen, than being that Mr. Larsen would collect his own groundwater elevation data and that this activity has been approved by the WDNR.

Mr. Larsen was present at the site and directly observed USGS groundwater elevation measurements at the 4 well nests on the Kozak's property as well as all USGS activities at all site wells. Mr. Larsen also collected his own water level measurements from all site wells.

Well Status Issues- MW20- Not on the Kozak's property:

The MW20 well cap was buried beneath water and bentonite clay (picture attached). The material was scooped out by USGS to access the well cap. The material smelled heavily of petroleum and showed sheet. The IDW was contained in Ziploc bags.

Thank you for your help facilitating the collection of the much needed water elevation measurements at the Haskell Lake Area Petroleum Contamination Site. We will share the elevation data with EPA on receipt.

Sincerely,

Kristen Hanson

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Subject: RE: Field Schedule- USGS water levels Haskell Lake Area Petroleum Contamination Site

Hi Sherry,

Mrs. Kozak's wishes will certainly be upheld. No Tribal nor USGS vehicles will be parked on the Kozak's property for the work scheduled Wednesday.

Kristen

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Subject: FW: Field Schedule- USGS water levels Haskell Lake Area Petroleum Contamination Site

Kristen,

When Bob called the Kozaks today, Mrs. Kozak reminded him that no vehicles are to be parked on their property for the USGS work.

Please honor this request too.

Thanks,

Sherry

From: Kamke, Sherry
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Thanks, Kristin. We communicated the timing to REI and plan to call the Kozaks directly next.

Dave Larsen reminded me that access approval is contingent upon all party's entering the Kozak property accompanied by REI personnel.

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Good Morning Sherry,

I received your voicemail from Friday at 3:36 and understand that Kozak's have agreed to property access for collection of water level data by USGS. I also understand, more detailed scheduling information is needed.

USGS is expected onsite on Wednesday, March 1st around 10am. I will keep you apprised if anything changes between now and Wednesday's scheduled event.

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Subject: RE: Access Agreement

Dear Erik,

Thanks for the good news.

Have a good weekend.

Richard

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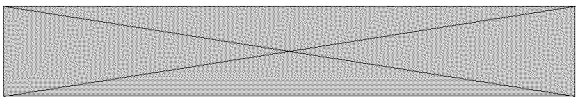

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Richard:

As I mentioned in my voicemail, after productive discussions with the Tribal staff yesterday, EPA's Bob Egan approached the Kozaks today to arrange for access for the USGS work, which the Kozaks have granted. The Kozaks did request that their contractor, REI, be there when the

USGS was there to check the water table, to which Bob agreed. I will keep you informed as to the timing of this work. My understanding is that EPA program staff will also communicate this information to their Tribal program counterparts.

Thank you for your assistance in addressing this issue.

Regards,

Erik

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