To: LaPoma, Jennifer[LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov]
From: Robert Law
Sent: Tue 8/16/2016 8:59:56 PM
Subject: RE: FW: LPRSA - Follow up - Benthic ecologist discussion

Thanks you. Let's discuss whether we want set up a call-in number.

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I'll have to confirm if Chuck will attend in person or via phone. He won't be back until week of the meeting though.

From: Robert Law [mailto:rlaw@demaximis.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 4:30 PM
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Cc: Willard Potter <otto@demaximis.com>; William Hyatt <william.hyatt@klgates.com>
Subject: Re: FW: LPRSA - Follow up - Benthic ecologist discussion

Jen:
John Connolly will also be attending. Can you please confirm your attendee list so we can provide an attendee list to building security and have the right count for lunch.

Attendees should go to 10th floor after checking in at either security desk with a picture ID (groundfloor at McCarter and Raymond or 6th Floor from the parking garage) the receptionist will direct you to Conference Room 10A.

Thank you.

R/
Rob

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>>> "LaPoma, Jennifer" <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov> 8/16/2016 4:16 PM >>>
Rob and Bill,

For the benthic biomass meeting on the 24th we will be prepared to discuss the following:

- Benthic Biomass Assumptions:
  - Spatial and Temporal Variability
  - Modeled Feeding Guilds and Selection of Dominant (Representative) Taxa
  - Impacts on Feeding Matrix
- Benthic Predictions compared to BSAFs
- Carp Ventilation Construct:
  - Literature
  - Evaluations of other Sites/Models

If time permits, we would like a status update on the CPG's action items from the 6/29 bioaccumulation model meeting. I have those items as follows:

- Calibration:
  - River Segmentation
  - Time Period
  - Tissue Samples Selected
- Water-partitioning and Data Passing update
- Growth-Rate Allometrics
- Verification with Long-Term Runs and Time-Varying Bioaccumulation Model
- Sensitivity and Uncertainty Update (alternative calibrations)

I see the first bullet as the main purpose of the meeting, but since J. Clough and J. Toll will be in the same room together I think it would be worthwhile to have a follow up discussion on the BSAF and carp ventilation topics (if time permits). Let me know if this approach works or if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Jennifer LaPoma

From: LaPoma, Jennifer
Sent: Wednesday, August 10, 2016 11:08 AM

To: 'Robert Law' <rlaw@demaximis.com>
Cc: Willard Potter <otto@demaximis.com>
Subject: RE: LPRSA - Follow up - Benthic ecologist discussion

Hey Rob,

We can meet in person on August 24th at K&L's office in Newark.
Let us know what time works for you guys.

In addition to myself we will have:
J. Clough
Dr. Prezant
S. Kirchner
Tony Gendusa or John Marton (of CDM)

Chuck's away until that week so I don't know whether he can attend in person or if he will call in. Also, Ed or James may join us as well.

I will send a separate email over the next couple of days with a list of the topics we will seek to cover so we can make sure it properly aligns. If Toll and Clough are in the same room it may be worthwhile to have the follow up conversation on carp ventilation.

Thanks,
Jen

From: Robert Law [mailto:rlaw@demaximis.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 09, 2016 10:56 AM
To: LaPoma, Jennifer <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov>
Cc: Willard Potter <otto@demaximis.com>; William Hyatt <william.hyatt@klgates.com>
Subject: RE: LPRSA - Follow up - Benthic ecologist discussion

Jen:
I don't recall that but based on the experience from the June meetings the face to face meetings were more effective than calls. This is an important issue and we believe if it is best addressed with an in-person meeting.

Thanks

R/
Rob

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>>> "LaPoma, Jennifer" <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov> 8/9/2016 10:49 AM >>>
Thanks Rob. We weren't planning on an in-person meeting since we discussed a conference call during our meeting on the 29th. I'll see if our folks are available that day for travel.

From: Robert Law [mailto:rlaw@demaximis.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 09, 2016 10:44 AM
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Subject: Re: LPRSA - Follow up - Benthic ecologist discussion

CPG representatives (M Johns, J Toll, B Potter and R Law) are available for a meeting on August 24; the CPG would like to have a face to face meeting with Region 2's representatives and will host it at K&L's Offices in Newark.

Thank you.

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>>> Robert Law 8/8/2016 9:35 AM >>>
Jen:
I will check. Who will be participating for Region 2?

Thank you.

R/
Rob

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>>> "LaPoma, Jennifer" <LaPoma.Jennifer@epa.gov> 8/4/2016 5:12 PM >>>
Hey Rob,

Are you and your team be available on August 24th to have the benthic ecologist call that was identified as an action item from the June 29th Bioaccumulation Model Meeting?

We're going to hold that date until we hear from you. If that doesn't work we could pull some early September dates as well.
Could you also please let me know who will join the call on behalf of CPG.

Thanks,
Jennifer LaPoma