To: Ayala, Wanda[Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]; Kluesner, Dave[kluesner.dave@epa.gov]
From: Tony Bianchini
Sent: Thur 5/23/2013 6:47:35 PM
Subject: Availability session logistics meeting

With the long holiday weekend fast approaching, I wanted to follow up about scheduling our meeting to discuss the presentation, display boards and other logistics for June 5th. I will be out of the office on Monday and Tuesday for the holiday, but available all day tomorrow, all day Wednesday, Thursday afternoon and all day Friday next week.

Thank you.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 11:44 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Cc: Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: RM 10.9 website

Hey Tony:

Can you please include the following in the "For more information" section:

For more information on the cleanup of the Lower Passaic River, visit the project website at www.ourpassaic.org, or contact David Kluesner, US EPA at Kluesner.dave@epa.gov or (212) 637-3653

From: Kluesner, Dave
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 11:06 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com; Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: RM 10.9 website

Tony, thank you. The website looks great. Wanda will reach out to you shortly with my one suggested addition. Thanks again.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 3:53 PM
To: Ayala, Wanda; Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RM 10.9 website

Wanda and David,

Here's our project website: www.rm109.com. It follows text from the final version of the final sheet.

Did you have any edits/additions to the Lyndhurst website content draft. I would like to send this to them sometime this week. Thank you.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 10:37 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Probably. David is out until tomorrow. Will confer with him and let you know.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 10:20 AM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Great. Thank you. Here's the final version.

Do you know if we're planning to chat (me, Rob Law, you, Stephanie and David) about the public presentation for the meeting.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 9:48 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Good morning Tony:

Stephanie just gave the clear for the fact sheet. Just one thing, can you please remove my contact information from the fact sheet only.

Thanks!

Wanda Ayala

Community Involvement Coordinator

Public Affairs Division

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www.epa.gov/region2

https://blog.epa.gov/greeningtheapple/

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"If passion drives you, let reason hold the reins"

- - Benjamin Franklin

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Friday, May 17, 2013 3:18 PM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Hi Wanda,

Do you have an ETA on this? Wanted to get printer working on it before the end of the day.
Thanks.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 17, 2013 8:40 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Will have Stephanie look it over one last time before giving the clear to finalize. Will let you know as soon as I hear back from her.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 16, 2013 8:32 PM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Here's the final version of the fact sheet. As I mentioned, Rob Law made minor edits to it and added in Stephanie's paragraph about transportation of material. We also removed the graphic of the cap as Rob mentioned to me that it may be changing.

Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 10:21 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Good morning Tony!

CPG Logo and signature.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 10:18 AM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Thanks for clarifying this. I spoke with Rob Law and he agreed to the edit. Rob had some minor edits to the fact sheet and I'll send you back a final version by Friday.

Also for the cover letter. Is it okay to put our Logo and sign it generally as the Lower Passaic River Study Area Cooperating Parties Group or did EPA also want to put their logo and a name on it?

Tony Bianchini

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Email: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com

From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2013 11:10 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: FW: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Tony:

Below is the clarification from Stephanie. Please let me know if this clarifies the issue with you or if you prefer we can get on the phone together the three of us.

From: Vaughn, Stephanie
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2013 10:30 AM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Hi Wanda,

Bridges will need to be opened daily. This was a change from a much earlier version of the design. Here's the relevant text from the final design report:

Several of the bridges will need to be opened to support mobilization and demobilization of equipment. Bridge

openings will also be required to support the transport of dredged materials and capping materials to and from

the Removal Area. It is anticipated that five bridges will require opening to support the transport of materials to

and from the project site: the DeJessa Park Avenue Bridge (RM 10.37), Rutgers (Route 7) Bridge (RM 8.53), Clay

Street Bridge (RM 5.83), Bridge Street Bridge (RM 5.41), and the Penn RR at Center Street Bridge (RM 4.75). In

order to minimize the disruption of surface traffic, these openings will be coordinated to occur at night.

Hope this helps clarify the issues.

Thanks,

Stephanie

From: Ayala, Wanda
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2013 10:13 AM
To: Vaughn, Stephanie
Subject: FW: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Stephanie can you please clarify this issue with Tony. I followed the language you provided and he's asking about it.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Monday, May 13, 2013 9:20 AM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Hi Wanda,

Under ***Transportation of Material, it says bridges will need to be opened. Should it say "not" need to be opened."***

Sediment will be transported daily down the River on small barges. Bridges will need to be opened.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 10, 2013 11:44 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Here it goes with Stephanie's edits.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 09, 2013 12:23 PM
To: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Here's the word version.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 09, 2013 11:54 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Can you send me the word version of the fact sheet, what I have is a PDF. I need to make the edits because Stephanie noted them on a hard copy of the document.

Thanks!

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 09, 2013 11:32 AM
To: Ayala, Wanda; Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Hi Wanda,

That statement is accurate. The bridges will be opened once when the large dredging equipment travels up to RM 10.9 at start of work and they will be opened again when project is completed. The "daily transport" of the removed sediment will be moved down to the Bay by smaller equipment and the bridges will not have to be opened daily as a result.

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 09, 2013 10:40 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com; Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

On the fact sheet under transportation of material, there is a statement that says "This daily transport will not require opening of any bridges crossing the river" can you verify that for accuracy and I will then proceed to make the edits to the fact sheet provided by Stephanie and will forward to you. Will let you know about the locale and date under a separate email.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 08, 2013 6:38 PM
To: Ayala, Wanda; Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Wanda,

Sorry for just getting back to you. Was out of the office this afternoon. That's the most up to date version of the fact sheet. We've separately sent out the attached document to stakeholders. This notice was sent to adjacent property owners, boat clubs and crew teams, but not to the 600 residents on the mailing list who live around the park in Lyndhurst and on River Road in Nutley. Let me know what changes you'd like to make to the fact sheet. It will likely take a 2-3 days to have the CPG review it, but I'll work to move it through the review process quickly.

Any word on availability of the Senior Center on 22nd or 29th?

I would be happy to talk anytime tomorrow about the fact sheet. I'm free up until 4 p.m. on my cell phone.

Thanks very much.

Tony Bianchini

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From: Ayala, Wanda [mailto:Ayala.Wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, May 08, 2013 1:42 PM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com; Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Hey Tony:

Is there a more current version of this fact sheet? I met with Stephanie Vaughn this morning and she seems to think this version is an outdated one because it does not reflect actions that have taken place

since the last discussion/meeting and does not reflect other steps that have since happened (opening of bridges crossing the river). I'm just trying to facilitate not having to duplicate work that has already taken place, so can you verify that there is not another version. If we have to rework the fact sheet (lots of changes), it will most likely delay the date of the meeting, if changes need to be approved by the PRP group. Let me know before I proceed.

I will make the changes to the letter and forward to you separately.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 07, 2013 11:42 AM
To: Kluesner, Dave
Cc: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Here's the fact sheet. Cover letter will be sent later today.

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From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 07, 2013 9:58 AM
To: 'Kluesner, Dave'
Cc: 'Ayala, Wanda'; 'Ray Germann (rgermann@hgpa.com)'
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Thanks David. Tomorrow at 11:30 a.m. would work for me. I'll give you a call then.

Look forward to working with you Wanda.

Tony Bianchini

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From: Kluesner, Dave [mailto:kluesner.dave@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, May 06, 2013 5:33 PM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Cc: Ayala, Wanda
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Tony, let's talk tomorrow. I am available from 11:30 to 1:00 or at 4:00. I am copying Wanda Ayala, a community involvement coordinator that I am asking to assist in our outreach efforts. Tomorrow I expect to hear back from Mayor Giangeruso's office as to whether the senior center is available for the 22nd of May, with alternate date of 29th of May.

From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Monday, May 06, 2013 10:04 AM
To: Kluesner, Dave
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

Thanks for the update David. I'm free from 1-3 p.m. today. Tomorrow is pretty wide open as well. What time works for you?

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From: Kluesner, Dave [mailto:kluesner.dave@epa.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 03, 2013 4:06 PM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Cc: rgermann@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: Re: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

My apologoes for not getting in touch with you earlier in the week. I need to re-group on the May 22 mtg date. Ray Basso may have a conflict. I need to discuss with the team on Monday. Let's talk in the PM of Monday. Thanks for the mailing list.

From: Tony Bianchini
Sent: Friday, May 03, 2013 10:38:11 AM
To: Kluesner, Dave
Cc: rgermann@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: River Mile 10.9 mailing list

David,

Per our previous discussion, attached is a proposed mailing list for individuals and groups that would receive the May 8th cover letter/public availability session invite and fact sheet.

This list includes the following groups:

- Boating and Yacht clubs
- Non-profit organizations (CAG and PRC)
- High school/college crew teams
- Property owners (Adjacent property owners, Lyndhurst residents who live within 3 blocks and in the viewshed of the Riverside County Park and residents who live in the viewshed of the park across the River in Nutley)

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

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From: Tony Bianchini [mailto:tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 01, 2013 4:05 PM
To: 'Kluesner, Dave'
Cc: rgermann@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 communications plan

David,

Attached is the revised RM 10.9 communications plan with your suggested edits/additions included. Please note that I added three yacht clubs to the stakeholder list to reflect your comment about adding mariners clubs that use the River.

Please let me know if you have any further edits. Thank you.

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From: Kluesner, Dave [mailto:kluesner.dave@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 08, 2013 4:10 AM
To: tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com
Cc: 'Ray Germann'; Vaughn, Stephanie; Basso, Ray
Subject: RE: River Mile 10.9 communications plan

thank you Tony

From: Tony Bianchini [tbianchini@lowerpassaiccpg.com]
Sent: Friday, April 05, 2013 3:01 PM
To: Kluesner, Dave
Cc: 'Ray Germann'
Subject: River Mile 10.9 communications plan

David,

Just wanted to let you know that we're finalizing the suggested River Mile 10.9 communications plan and we will get it to you Monday or Tuesday of next week.

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