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Highlights of Past Week

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Navajo Generating Station (NGS): On August 28, Jared Blumenfeld and representatives from the Air Division hosted consultation, on EPA's proposed Best Available Retrofit Technology (BART) determination for NGS, with President Ben Shelly of the Navajo Nation and his representatives from the Navajo Nation's Department of Justice and Environmental Protection Agency. Letty Belin, from the Department of the Interior, and David Palumbo, from the Bureau of Reclamation, also attended. President Shelly raised concerns about the potential economic impacts to the Nation of our BART proposal and of the Technical Work Group Alternative to BART, which was signed by the Navajo Nation and six other stakeholders. The Navajo Nation provided additional documents to EPA for consideration in our rulemaking and expressed interest in a new five-factor BART analysis for this facility that gives more weight to the potential economic impacts to the Nation and determines that a less stringent level of control is BART. (Contact: Anita Lee, 2-3958)

Press Stories, Significant Policy, Regulatory, or Legal Actions

[redacted]

Grant Announcements

Nothing to report.

Legislative Engagement

Nothing to report.

Travel, Public / National Meetings, and Speaking Engagement for Division Director

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Other Information

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Internal to Region 9

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Confidential Information

Nothing to report.