From: Long, Noah
To: Jordan, Deborah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA"s Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health
Date: Thursday, October 17, 2013 1:53:48 PM

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From: Jordan, Deborah [mailto:Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2013 2:52 PM
To: Long, Noah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

How is 3:30? I could do other times too.

From: Long, Noah [mailto:nlong@nrdc.org]
Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2013 1:51 PM
To: Jordan, Deborah
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Totally understood. Glad you are back to work. Thursday would be best.

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Hi Noah,

As I'm sure you know, EPA was shut down from Oct. 1 until today.

Could we reschedule for next week? Wednesday late afternoon is good for me, and I also have times on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Let me know what's good for you.

Debbie

From: Long, Noah [mailto:nlong@nrdc.org]
Sent: Friday, October 04, 2013 10:04 AM
To: Jordan, Deborah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

I just tried your office. Feel free to call me if you are checking email. Otherwise we can reschedule.

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From: Jordan, Deborah [mailto:Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, September 26, 2013 7:18 PM

To: Long, Noah
Subject: Re: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

Does 10:00 work? I'm booked from 11-2.

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From: Long, Noah <nlong@nrdc.org>
Sent: Thursday, September 26, 2013 6:05:00 PM
To: Jordan, Deborah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

I have to be at a hearing at 2:30. Could we do a little earlier?

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From: Jordan, Deborah [mailto:Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2013 8:16 PM
To: Long, Noah
Subject: Re: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

Does 2:00 PDT work?

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From: Long, Noah <nlong@nrdc.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2013 10:56:23 PM
To: Jordan, Deborah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

Sure, I will be in NM at a wolf hearing (of all things), but can talk on the phone. Let me know what time works best for you.

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From: Jordan, Deborah [mailto:Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2013 7:54 PM
To: Long, Noah
Subject: Re: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

Hi Noah,
I'm out of town all week as well as the first part of next week (if we aren't shut down on Tuesday). Does next Friday work for you?

Deborah

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From: Long, Noah <nlong@nrdc.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2013 10:18:04 PM
To: Jordan, Deborah
Subject: RE: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

Hi Deborah,
I have to say I was quite surprised to see this come out, particularly so quickly. Any chance you can talk on the phone tomorrow or meet up in person in SF on Friday?
Best,
Noah

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From: U.S. EPA [mailto:usaepa@service.govdelivery.com]
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To: Long, Noah
Subject: News Release: EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

For Immediate Release: September 25, 2013

EPA's Latest Proposal for Navajo Generating Station Cuts Emissions, Protects Health

SAN FRANCISCO – Today, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency announced a supplemental proposal to reduce emissions from Navajo Generating Station (NGS), one of the largest sources of harmful nitrogen oxide (NOx) emissions in the country. The 2,250 megawatt power coal-fired power plant is located on the Navajo Nation, less than 20 miles from the Grand Canyon, near Page, Arizona and the Utah state line.

On February 5, EPA issued a proposal to reduce by 73 percent the visibility impacts of NGS on eleven National Parks and Wilderness Areas. As part of that proposal, EPA asked the public to submit alternative scenarios that would achieve greater visibility benefits through different mechanisms. In response, a coalition of stakeholders from various sectors developed and submitted to EPA an alternative that establishes a lifetime cap in NOx emissions, accommodates different future ownership scenarios, and ensures greater emission reductions than EPA's initial proposal.

The coalition, known as the Technical Work Group (TWG), is composed of the Central Arizona Water Conservation District, the Environmental Defense Fund, the Gila River Indian Community, Navajo Nation, the Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement District, the Department of the Interior and Western Resources Advocates.

Today's supplemental proposal adds TWG's alternative as a third option now available for public comment prior to final agency action. EPA conducted a rigorous review of the TWG alternative to ensure that it meets the requirements of the Clean Air Act.

"These creative alternatives achieve greater emissions reductions at NGS while giving tribes and

owners more flexibility," said Jared Blumenfeld, EPA's Regional Administrator for the Pacific Southwest. "This is good news for visitors to national parks and for public health."

NGS is co-owned by the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, Salt River Project, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, Arizona Public Service, Nevada Power Company and Tucson Electric Power.

Although not formally part of the today's action, the TWG plan also includes commitments by the U.S. Department of the Interior to achieve 80 percent clean energy for the federal share in NGS by 2035, and to complete a study on renewable energy options for the plant by the National Renewable Energy Laboratory. The TWG plan also includes a guarantee that the environmental review for NGS will consider clean energy generation options.

EPA is requesting comment by January 6, 2014, on today's supplemental proposal and the initial February proposal. The public will have five opportunities to attend open houses and public hearings in Arizona during the week of November 12:

November 12: LeChee, Ariz.

Open House/Hearing: 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

LeChee Chapter House

(Coppermine Road, 3 miles south of Page)

November 12: Page, Ariz.

Open House: 3 p.m. – 5 p.m., Public Hearing: 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Page High School Cultural Arts Building,

434 Lake Powell Blvd.

November 13: Kykotsmovi Village

Open House: 3 p.m. – 5 p.m., Public Hearing: 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Hopi Day School

Quarter-mile East Main Street

November 14: Phoenix, Ariz.

Open House: 3 p.m. – 5 p.m., Public Hearing: 6 p.m. – 10 p.m.

Phoenix Convention Center

100 North 3rd Street

November 15: Tucson, Ariz.

Open House: 3 p.m. – 5 p.m., Public Hearing: 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Pima Community College West Campus

Proscenium Theatre, Center for the Arts Building

(2 miles west of I-10 on St. Mary's Road)

For additional information on the proposed rulemaking and opportunities to provide input, please go to: http://www.epa.gov/region9/air/navajo/index.html#proposed

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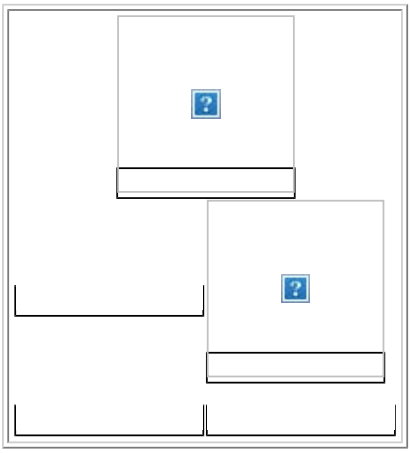

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