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From: Axelson, John
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 9:04 AM
To: 'Gene'
Cc: Willis, Rob; 'Steve Fritzler'; Baldwin, Debbie; Lindblom, Steven; Young, Rob
Subject: RE: Gebauer NOAV 200273766

Gene,

Thank you for submitting the additional groundwater data. I just wanted to follow up to confirm that COGCC agrees with the proposed timeline to complete the closure requirements and pit lining by the end of August 2011. As we discussed when we met, the closure requirements will be met when you have cleaned out any residual E&P waste from the pits and collected soil samples from the bottom of each pit. The soil sample results should be submitted with a Form 27 to verify that closure requirements have been met. Please include a sample location diagram and any E&P waste disposal documentation with the Form 27. If the sample results verify no remaining impacts greater than Table 910-1 standards, we will approve the Form 27 and you can continue with pit lining.

I meant to mention that if you plan to remove or relocate the buried concrete water vault, you should also treat it like a pit. A sample should be collected from below the vault after you remove it to verify no associated impacts. That information should also be included with the Form 27. If it will continue to be used in its current location, then no additional sampling will be required at this time.

Also, as we discussed, the pit lining will require submittal and approval of a Form 15 and Form 2A. Those Forms along with the Form 27 should be submitted well in advance of August, to allow adequate time for review and processing. The Form 15 & 2A should be submitted to Rob Young in the Denver office. If you have any questions about those Forms, Rob can be reached at 303-894-2100 ext. 5144.

Please give me a call if you have any questions. Thanks again for your cooperation to resolve the NOAV.

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From: Gene [<mailto:gfritzler@bresnan.net>]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2011 1:52 PM
To: Baldwin, Debbie
Cc: Willis, Rob; Axelson, John; 'Steve Fritzler'
Subject: Gebauer

Dear Debbie:

Thank you for your time last Wednesday to discuss the status of the production pits at the Gebauer No. 1 lease. It is our goal to move forward and resolve the current NOAV. As such, we will agree to line the skim pit and the evaporation pit. Fritzler Resources Inc actions in voluntarily lining the pits does not present an admission of liability nor of interpretation.

John Axelson, P.G.
Environmental Protection Specialist

As we discussed, we anticipate that the work will be substantially completed by the end of August. As the work is completed, it is our understanding that we will submit the appropriate forms for each pit. It is also our understanding that once the work is completed, the NOAV will be fully resolved.

Please let us know if this is not your understanding of the process.

We have also attached the additional groundwater data from the boring we recently installed approximately 65 feet directly west (down gradient) of the pits. As you will note, no BTEX or petroleum hydrocarbons were detected in the groundwater.

We look forward to working with you to resolve this matter expeditiously.

I spoke with John recently and also discussed our progress.

Please call or email if you have any questions.

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