From: Norquist, Bruce
To: Ohori, David, EMNRD

Subject: [EXT] Re: Mt. Taylor Mine - Disposal Cell and SWRP Expansion

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David, I apologize for not responding to this email before now. I just found it in my "Junk" email folder. I only check that folder once or twice a year, when I back up my emails. I am not sure why your email went there but I will blame the GA email system.

To answer your questions (in red text):

- 1. What are the current footprints (in acres) of the disposal cell and reclaimed SWRP?
 - a. The current disposal cell is contained within the SWRP, so the current SWRP footprint is 11.5 acres and the existing disposal cell footprint, contained within the SWRP is 4.6 acres
- 2. What is approximate volume of the current disposal cell.
 - a. The approximate volume of the current disposal cell is 99,300 cu. yds.
- 3. What is approximate volume of the proposed expanded disposal cell at full buildout?
 - a. Full buildout includes the north and east extension areas. The anticipated approximate volume at full buildout of the expanded areas would be 260,000 cu. yds. Combining the expanded disposal cell areas with the existing disposal cell would equal 360,000 cu. yds., approximately.
- 4. What will be the footprints of the proposed expanded disposal cell and the SWRP at full build-out?
 - a. The final footprint of the expanded disposal cell (expanded areas only) would be 7.8 acres. Adding the expanded and existing disposal cell areas together, the greater disposal cell area would be 12.4 acres. The SWRP area will remain the same, 11.5 acres. The combined SWRP and Expanded disposal cell (including the existing disposal cell) would be 19.3 acres.

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Hi Bruce,

Happy Monday! I have some questions regarding the size of the disposal cell and SWRP:

- 1. What are the current footprints (in acres) of the disposal cell and reclaimed SWRP?
- 2. What is approximate volume of the current disposal cell.
- 3. What is approximate volume of the proposed expanded disposal cell at full buildout?
- 4. What will be the footprints of the proposed expanded disposal cell and the SWRP at full build-out?

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks.

-David

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