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Bruni,

Anne and I thank you for your efforts in organizing and conducting the meeting today with US EPA contractors, US EPA, DTSC, and us representing the CBA to discuss the proposed plan for the monitored natural attenuation (MNA) remediation of the B-zone groundwater at the B&B site. We felt that this meeting was very successful in supporting discussion of a number of key technical issues of concern with the MNA approach in effecting expedient remediation of this zone. We would like to receive a list/affiliations of those who attended this meeting via telephone.

We will be preparing a summary of the discussion of the issues and items included in the “MNA Discussion May 1, 2012” summary prepared by ECO & Associates, the US EPA/Corps of Engineers contractor for the B&B Superfund site. As I mentioned during our discussion today, I had raised and discussed many of the issue issues I raised again today in our reports and comments submitted to CBA. Those reports are available on the CBA B&B Superfund site website (http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/bbdoc.htm) and include:

- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., “Comments on Eco & Associates, ‘Cap Repair Completion Report, Final, Brown & Bryant Superfund Site, 600 South Derby Street, Arvin, California, Contract No. W912PP-10-D-0014 Task Order 0006,’ Submitted to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Albuquerque NM, April 20 (2012),” Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, April 26 (2012).
- www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/Cap_Repair_Rpt_comments.pdf
- Lee, G. F., Jones-Lee, A., “Comments on Groundwater Chloroform Pollution Issues for City of Arvin Well and B&B Superfund Site,” Letter to Fernando Pantoja, Manager of City of Arvin Community Service Division, Letter report by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, April 1 (2012).
http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/ChloroformGroundwater_comments.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., “Comments on Eco & Associates, ‘Final Site-Specific Work Plan [Monitored Natural Attenuation] Brown & Bryant Superfund Site in Arvin, CA,’ Contract No. W912PP-10-D-0014, Prepared for US Army Corps of Engineers, Albuquerque, NM, by Eco & Associates, Orange, CA, January 26, 2012,” Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, March 29(2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/Eco_MNA_WP_comments.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., “Comments on Panacea, Inc., ‘Preliminary Fate and Transport Modeling – Final, Brown & Bryant Superfund Site, Arvin, CA,’ Prepared for US Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles, CA, prepared by Panacea, Inc., LaMirada, CA, June 2004,” Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, March 29(2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/Panacea_FateTransModel_comments.pdf

- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., "Comments on 'Post-Closure Site Control Plan Including Operations & Maintenance Requirements, Brown & Bryant, Arvin Facility Superfund Site, First Operable Unit Remedial Action, Arvin, California,' Prepared by Morrison Knudsen Corporation, Irvine, CA, July 2000," Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, March 16 (2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/Postclosure_Site_Control_Plan_comments.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., "Comments on Revised 'Operation and Maintenance Manual Brown & Bryant, Arvin Facility Superfund Site, First Operable Unit Remedial Action, Arvin, CA,' prepared for CA DTSC by URS Corp. Issued January 12, 2012," Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, March 15 (2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/OM_Manual_comments.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., "Comments on 'Value Engineering Study – Brown & Bryant Operable Unit No.2 Superfund Site' developed by US Army Corps of Engineers for US EPA Region 9, dated March 22, 2010," Comments submitted to CBA by G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, February 12 (2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/value_engr_rpt_com.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., "B&B Site Visit and Meeting with CBA and US EPA," Report to CBA from G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, January 18 (2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/BB-site-visit1-13-12Report.pdf
- Lee, G. F., and Jones-Lee, A., "Comments on 'Third Five-Year Review Report for Brown and Bryant Superfund Site Arvin, California,' Prepared by: US Army Corps of Engineers Environmental and Munitions Center of Expertise, Omaha, NE, Prepared for: US Environmental Protection Agency Region 9, San Francisco, CA, dated September 2011, (made available by the US EPA January 5, 2012)," Report to CBA from G. Fred Lee & Associates, El Macero, CA, January 9 (2012).
- http://www.gfredlee.com/CBA_BBSite/2012/USACE3rd5yrRpt-com.pdf

If you or other have questions or comments on any of those reports/comments, please bring them to my attention.

Thank you again for arranging and hosting this very productive meeting. I believe we are making significant progress toward the remediation of the groundwater pollution in the A and B Zones.

If you wish, feel free to forward this email to the others who participated in the meeting.

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