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To: "gilbert.paine"
Subject: RE: Pit Remediation Project # 9614 Fahey Oil & Gas
Date: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 8:23:00 AM

Good morning, Mr. Paine.

Thank you for providing the update. As you know, my email from August 16, 2016 (COGCC doc #2526761) granted a one-time extension for the closure of the pit at Antelope Farms 1-24 to be completed by September 30, 2016. As of that date, the facility will be out of compliance with the conditions of approval for this remediation project (document #1727424).

The information that you've provided documents work that has been completed on the subject pit. A phone conversation that I had with Mr. Fahey on 9/16/2016 indicated that additional excavation would be completed by 9/20/2016 and that more confirmation samples would be collected from the excavation walls that had shown high concentrations of TPH (GRO/DRO/Motor Oil). The COGCC is aware that backfill cannot be completed until analytical results for the new confirmation samples are received from the lab, which should have been collected yesterday (or today), according to my phone conversation with Mr. Fahey. **Please provide field photos of the additional excavation along with a map of sample locations and depths before the September 30th deadline, to document additional work that has been done on the pit. Also provide a copy of the Chain of Custody documentation for the second round of confirmation samples.**

Field photos indicate that E&P waste is currently being stockpiled on location. Please ensure **the proper disposal of E&P waste (impacted soils) from the pit excavation before the September 30th deadline and document the disposal by submitting waste manifests and gate tickets from the disposal facility.**

Thank you,

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Mr. Steven Arauza:

The intent of this Email is to inform you & COGCC of the progress in the closure of the pit at the Antelope Farms 1-24, Project # 9614 for Fahey Oil & Gas. After a wetter than normal Spring & Summer we finally got started, I am attaching a log of events to catch you up with our progress, I am also attaching pictures to show the work we have done. As you know by the results of the lab tests from Test America that we just sent you we have more excavating to do & more samples to be tested . If you have any questions please contact us.

thanks

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