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Mike Stubblefield called. He noticed you weren't on this email and asked me to forward it to you.

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Lady and Gentlemen

We have revised the Remediation Plan and have tried to address several administrative problems identified with the previously-submitted (and withdrawn) plan.

As stated in the transmittal letter, if OCD and/or BLM wish to meet and work out some additional details – we are available to do so. Such a meeting might avoid an OCD hearing to appeal a denial.

We look forward to working through this project. As produced water recycling expands, these types of releases will occur from time to time. Creating a protocol to avoid routine dig-haul-dispose will be another way that OCD will be encouraging recycling.

Thanks all.

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