

**From:** Groves, Amber  
**To:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)  
**Cc:** [Garret Johnson](#)  
**Subject:** Re: State Lea 407 #1 sampling results  
**Date:** Friday, July 21, 2017 8:56:07 AM

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Good morning, Garret,

NMSLO agrees with NMOCD on backfill approval.

Thank you,  
Amber

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 21, 2017, at 8:25 AM, Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)> wrote:

Good morning Garret:

NMOCD grants approval for backfilling for 1RP-4717. For closure, please submit all laboratory results with chain of custody documents, georeferenced photos of remediation and post-backfilling, and a concise summary of activities in one electronic package (preferably in pdf format).

Please inform if you have questions.

Thanks,  
Olivia

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**From:** Garret Johnson [<mailto:garret@faenergyus.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 4:31 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Cc:** Groves, Amber <[agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)>  
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Ok, we will not move forward until further notice. I understand you are at a conference this week and that obviously limits your time to focus on matters like this, but if there is any way you could provide a verdict by tomorrow morning, I would greatly appreciate it. We had scheduled the backfill for Thursday once we obtained the secondary sample results, as my boss is pushing to have the site released by the end of July before the bond is to be renewed. In hindsight, scheduling the work was premature on my part without having been given formal approval to proceed. Regardless, the crew has brought some equipment to location and are prepared to begin in the morning if allowed. I apologize for this urgent request, I just wanted you to know that we are ready to go as soon as possible and are hoping to begin in the morning if it all possible. Please let me know what you decide. Once again, I apologize for this last minute

request.

Garret

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 4:24 PM  
**To:** Garret Johnson <[garret@faenergyus.com](mailto:garret@faenergyus.com)>  
**Cc:** Groves, Amber <[agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: State Lea 407 #1 sampling results

Garret:

Just to clarify, this does not imply backfill approval.

Olivia

Sent from Samsung Mobile

----- Original message -----  
From: "Yu, Olivia, EMNRD"  
Date:07/19/2017 09:52 (GMT-07:00)  
To: Garret Johnson  
Cc: "Groves, Amber"  
Subject: RE: State Lea 407 #1 sampling results

Good morning Garret:

Please submit documents to SLO for like approval.

Thanks,  
Olivia

Sent from Samsung Mobile

----- Original message -----  
From: Garret Johnson  
Date:07/19/2017 09:40 (GMT-07:00)  
To: "Yu, Olivia, EMNRD"  
Cc: "Groves, Amber"  
Subject: RE: State Lea 407 #1 sampling results

Olivia,

I have received the laboratory analysis of the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of samples collected, conducted by Larson and Associates. Further excavations were made to a depth of 12' in areas with elevated TPH and chloride levels. At these depths, we found the TPH and chloride levels to be in accordance with your guidelines. The analytical report in regards to the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of sampling can be found in "Table 2". Additionally, I have provided a scaled map of the sample points – sidewall sample locations are marked on the map.

Please let me know as soon as possible when we may begin to backfill the site. I have a crew ready to begin this week if we are allowed to do so.

Thank you,  
Garret

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 03, 2017 12:54 PM  
**To:** Garret Johnson <[garret@faenergyus.com](mailto:garret@faenergyus.com)>  
**Cc:** Groves, Amber <[agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: State Lea 407 #1 sampling results

Garret:

Please address these concerns regarding the corrective actions for 1RP-4717:

1. At the East location with elevated TPH levels, permissible TPH levels ( $\leq 5000$  mg/kg) must be obtained and maintained for a minimum of 2 ft. further in depth.
2. North location shows elevated chloride levels. Please obtained  $\leq 600$  mg/kg chloride levels and maintained for minimum of 5 ft. further in depth.
3. Sidewall samples of the excavated areas also need to be laboratory tested for horizontal delineation.
4. In the subsequent report, indicate sample locations on a scaled map and include laboratory analytical reports.

Please note that each sample location must have confirmatory laboratory analyses from the depth first obtained permissible levels as well as the bottom depth. Please confirm. Like approval from SLO is required.

Thanks,

Olivia

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**From:** Garret Johnson [<mailto:garret@faenergyus.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 3, 2017 9:26 AM

**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>

**Subject:** State Lea 407 #1 sampling results

Good morning Olivia,

I have attached a quick recap touching on the results of our sampling a few weeks ago. It seems that one of the samples had high levels of TPH and will require further remediation. The plan is to remove the contaminated dirt and collect a sample from beneath the previous sample point. Let me know if you have any additional requirements or requests.

Thank you,  
Garret

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