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Anthony Graham
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Dear Anthony:

I am in receipt of your November 13, 2023 recommendation regarding future Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB) Site-Specific Advisory Board meetings being scheduled in September and October. Thank you for taking the time to discuss and develop the recommendation.

As you know, the federal government operates on a fiscal year that runs from October 1 – September 30. I agree that scheduling the EM SSAB Chairs meeting during the first part of October is not advised. In the future, we will not consider the first several weeks of October as viable date options. However, we will still consider dates in September.

The portion of your recommendation that focuses on scheduling of Nevada Site Specific Advisory Board meetings will be taken into account by the EM Nevada Program Office. The reason being is that local board meetings are determined by the field offices and not EM Headquarters.

Again, thank you for your recommendation and also your service on the EM SSAB in Nevada.

Sincerely,

Kelly K. Snyder

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Designated Federal Officer
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