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**Fwd: Midterm - Bond**

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From: **Cheryl Parker** <cherylparker@utah.gov>

Date: Tue, Jan 20, 2015 at 9:35 AM

Subject: Re: Midterm - Bond

To: Gregg Galecki &lt;ggalecki@bowieresources.com&gt;

Greg,

I apologize I meant to get a hold of you last week, but have been busy and didn't get around to it.

1. You are welcome to change the unit cost on any of the line items with appropriate cost references. Jeremiah references the DOGM Reclamation guide for typical application 3 tons/ac for hay but doesn't reference the cost of \$210/ton. All I need is a reference and year of the dollar amount to approve it. 2014 R.S Means and 2014 Nevada SRCE use \$0.15/lb (\$300/ton).

2 The 25% seeding is a line item cost is required by OSM (OSM Handbook for Calculation of Reclamation Bond amounts, 4/5/200, page 18-19) to cover the risk of various weather and site conditions that could result in partial failure of the initial seeding effort.

Feel free to give me a call or send me a message if you have any other questions or concerns.

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On Thu, Jan 15, 2015 at 1:18 PM, Gregg Galecki <ggalecki@bowieresources.com> wrote:

Cheryl,

I see I need to re-submit the bond to complete the midterm. The only modification I have is a relatively significant modification to the Reveg sheet concerning hay. There are two (2) items I would want to modify/discuss:

- 1) The added line-item at the bottom listed as "25% of Initial Seeding"; I'm not sure why that item is needed since seeding is addressed in each category.
- 2) The "Mulch - Hay 1" material only" with costs listed as ~\$81/MSF.

I have attached 'your' Reveg sheet and in Column V added the re-calculated hay numbers. There is a note at the bottom (in red) outlining and referencing the basis. This is also supported by Jeremiah Armstrong's extensive field experience in working for the NRCS prior to coming to Skyline. You'll note, these two (2) modification reduce the reveg costs by ~\$608,000!

I figured we would resolve this prior to re-submittal. Let me know what your thoughts are as this is due back to the division by early February.

THanks,

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