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Priscilla,

This is a memo to confirm what we talked about during our field visit to the Rilda sediment pond and topsoil pile sites today (6/19/2008)

As I understand:

- 1) Energy West can haul the sediment pond excavated soil material to the Topsoil Storage area for storage.
- 2) Energy West will conduct volumetric calculations to determine volume of exist topsoil and substitute topsoil.
- 3) Energy West will conduct field paste pH and EC analysis to determine the material's potential for substitute topsoil designation prior to hauling to storage area.
- 4) Samples will be taken on four (4) foot intervals with the first sample at the surface and the last sample at the designed depth.
- 5) Energy West will submit to Priscilla, the results of the field soil sample analysis no later than Monday, 6/23/2008.
- 6) Soil samples will also be sent to our contract lab for the full suite analysis for substitute topsoil.
- 7) If lab analysis are positive, no permitting is needed. If lab analysis are negative, Energy West will amend Volume 11, Soils Section to redesignate the Topsoil Storage and Subsoil Storage areas as general soil storage areas.
- 8) A colorful marker fabric will be used to separate the topsoil from the substitute topsoil if needed. Ideally, the soil piles will be separated at the Topsoil Storage Area.
- 9) At the completion of the haulage and storage activities, the soil piles will be reseeded and hydromulched.

Please confirm my understanding of the site visit.

Thank you very much for making a special trip to the mine site and helping resolve this soil storage issue.

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Even if you're on the right track, you'll get run over if you just sit there.

- Will Rogers -