

OGMCOAL - Quarterly sampling events at the Coal Hollow Mine

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Hello Kirk,

I am sending this email as a followup to our conversation earlier today. We discussed the need to incorporate the monthly UPDES analytical data from each of the outfalls into the quarterly upload of data submitted to the Divisions water quality database. This would also include any "no discharge" measurements collected. As part of your permit special conditions (Item 4 under Attachment A), please note the requirement to monitor for selenium "where water leaves the minesite during operational and reclamation phases". You can add selenium to the list of parameters in addition to the parameters required per your UPDES permit.

Erik - perhaps you and Kirk could coordinate consolidating all the data since Kirk performs the UPDES sampling and you perform the quarterly sampling on all other surface and groundwater points at the mine. Please note that 4th Quarter 2010 data was due on March 31, 2011, and as a result, the data from the outfall locations is overdue. If you could submit this information as soon as possible and notify Kevin Lundmark that it has been uploaded to the Division's water database, we would appreciate that. Kevin will be preparing the Division water monitoring reports.

Please feel free to give me a call if either of you have questions.

Sincerely,

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