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Subject: RE: Cn Follow Up question
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Peter –

Sorry for the delayed reply, but I had to get some info from Burns & McDonnell because they will be dealing with most of the mapping and data analysis during the environmental review. Here is what they provided:

- We use ArcGIS, currently moving to ArcPro but versions shouldn't matter as all versions of Arc files work across the different versions or we can do the conversion (Note: OEA also has ArcGIS capabilities);
- If we can get either geodatabase files (.gdb) or shapefiles from ArcGIS, that would certainly be our preference and easiest to process. Version of ArcGIS they are using shouldn't be an issue as long as they send geodatabase or shapefiles
- Geodatabase most preferred but shapefiles work just fine
- We can also accommodate Google Earth kmz files
- We can also accommodate CAD files, prefer to get those as .dwg files. These would need to be in a projection/coordinate system and they'd need to provide the coordinate system used (NAD 83 for example – doesn't need to be this, just as an example but we need to know the system used for proper conversion into ArcGIS – cautionary note, if these aren't set up properly in CAD, they are essentially useless for GIS so certainly prefer not to get CAD files unless they have been set up in the coordinate system properly). If all they have are CAD files, might be best to create kmz files of them so they can QA/QC them before sending to us. Unless we open them and they project in Australia or the middle of the Indian Ocean or such, we may not know if they are accurate or not.

I have cc'd Josh Wayland of OEA on this reply. Josh will be taking the lead for OEA on the environmental review process in this case. However, Danielle and I will continue to be involved of course.

Please let us know if you have any follow-up questions.

Thanks,

Dave

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Dave,

We were wondering what sort of GIS system you all use. In talking with consultants, it sounds like there are a few options and we are not sure if the one our folks use will be compatible with the system you use. Any clarification on this would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Peter

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