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AND EMAILS**

# Rosemont Copper Project EIS Cooperating Agency Coordination Meeting 02/18/2010 DRAFT Agenda

**Location:** Federal Building, 300 West Congress, Tucson, Arizona, Room 4B  
**Facilitator:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

## AGENDA

09:30 – 09:40

**Welcome**

Ciapusci

09:40 – 10:00

**DEIS Rollout Process**

Ciapusci

- > Distribution and Notice
- > Communication Plan
- > Comments from Agencies and the Public

NDA - FED. REGISTER  
LEGAL NOTICES

10:00 – 10:30

**Public Involvement Toolbox**

Schewel

- > Government Briefings
- > Public Meetings and Testimony Hearings
- > Media Information
- > Web-based Social Media

MAILING LIST

NEWS RELEASES  
MEDIA STORIES  
OP-EDS  
LINKS ON WEBSITE

10:30 – 10:45

**BREAK**

10:45 – 11:00

**Cooperating Agency Roles**

Ciapusci

- > Joint Public Involvement Processes
- > Agency Contacts

11:00 – 11:30

**Responding to Comments Process**

Ciapusci

- > Content Analysis
- > FEIS

LIMEHOUSE - KNOW HOW TO USE => STAFF/CONSTITUENTS  
INSTRUCTS FORTHCOMING  
ONLINE PROCESS  
ACCESS FOR ALL  
EASY TO USE  
SERVIA NF USED FOR  
SEQUOIA  
NM DEIS

TWITTER  
≠ COMMENT  
METHOD

ASK FOR Q&A - FROM THEM TO US  
- FROM THEIR  
AREAS OF  
RESPONSIBILITY

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**Tribes:** Tohono O'odham Nation  
**Federal:** Air Force, Army COE, BLM, Smithsonian Whipple Observatory  
**State of Arizona:** AZDEQ, AZMMR, AZDWR, AZGF, AZGS, AZSMI, AZSLD, AZSP, ADOT  
**Local:** Pima County, City of Tucson, Town of Sahuarita

## INVITED GUESTS

**Consultants:**  
Cheniae & Associates

MAILING LIST -  
INFO RE: MTGS  
COMMENT DEADLINES  
MILESTONES

PROJECT-SPECIFIC WEBSITE -  
FACT SHEETS  
BULLETINS  
REPORTS  
ANNOUNCEMENTS  
NOTICES  
MAPS  
COMMENTS  
NRS...

PUBLIC MAILINGS/POSTERS  
PUBLIC MTGS  
COMMENT PERIODS  
COMMENT DEADLINES

NOTICE - DELS AVAILABILITY - PRIMARY - FEDERAL REGISTER + EPA.  
WE SEND TO EPA, THEY PUBLISH IN F.R. - INFLUENCES TIMELINES.  
THEY CONTROL.

COMM PLAN - WHO WILL DO WHAT, WHEN.  
"PAPER OF RECORD" - OFFICIAL PAPER NOTICE PUBLISHED IN - AZ STAR  
NW EXPLORER, GV NEWS, IDEAS FROM COOPERATORS.  
UA WILDCAT AZ ADMIN RECORD - STATE GOVT. - DEQ PUBLISHES  
STUD RE: APP THERE

EPA - AZ REPUBLIC / CAPITOL TIMES, AZ STAR.  
AGENCY COMMENTS - TREATED DIFFERENTLY THAN PUBLIC  
PRINT ENTIRE LETTER W/ RESPONSE. JUST PRINT COMMENT  
ON LETTER HEAD

INTERNAL REVIEW - COOP AGENCIES GET DOC. + ASKED FOR COMMENTS  
TO GET TO CAMERA READY. THE NOT PRINTED.  
THEN AGENCY COMMENTS.

TIMELINE - APRIL DELS - IN MOV W/ COMPANY.  
INFO MGT CONFIDENTIALITY - KEEP INTERNAL TO THOSE WHO  
NEED TO KNOW.

D. ENV. DEQ -  
INDIV. PER. AQUA PERMITS  
MIT H2O POLLUTION. STATUTE  
PUBLIC HEARING - EVENT - TIED TO LICENSING TIMELINES  
30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD  
WILL SEND LINK / PIO CONTACT

NO PERMIT - ROSEMONT COVADATE - NO PUBLIC PROCESS - RM FILL MTL -  
AGMT CO + DEQ. RE. COMPLY RE - STORE H2O.

AIR QUALITY - DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO PIMA CO.  
WATER - NO PUBLIC PROCESS.

AGRD - BLM AUTH. FOR MAPS  
OCCUPANCY CONCURRENCE - AUTH TO OCCUPY PUBLIC  
PUBLIC PROCESS - WILL SEND CONTACT. LANDS  
COORD. W/ OWS.

RES - Utility loss - separate entity - low EPA separate  
RMP CE - potential of public process. will send comment.

ARCH - Joe JOATHM - ARCHITECT.

DISPERSED DECISION, DECISION RISKED = SEPARATE ENTITY

USE USE MINE PLAN AS PROPOSED ACT.  
SET OF ACT, DECISION FROM TO PROPOSED SCOPING  
LEVEL OF MITIGATIONS.  
THREE PAGES - P1 / B2 AND FROM CORNER OF BUSINESSES.  
ROD & DAMS TO BE MADE IN MPO => FINANCING  
IF PROPOSED / AS PLAN NOT SELECTED.  
PROJECT NOT PROCEED UNTIL THE PERMIT IS THE  
DECISION MAKES HERE.

LEVEL - REASONING NEED PERMIT FOR DAMS? WITH CHECK.  
KURTIN - GOOD SITUATION IN AVOIDANCE OF MR / DUIS ASSETS -  
CORPORATE TIMELINES.

MINE INSPECTOR - RE COMPARISON PLAN APPROVAL - GARRETT  
APPROVAL PROCESS.

FOR MARCH 15. 2007 MARCH 15.  
MINE INSPECTOR

CONCENT ANALYSIS  
SCOPE - 16,000 COMMENTS, 11,000 URGENT  
MINE INSPECTOR

GROUP OF CONCENT ANALYSIS FOR CIRCLES - START LOCUS 074 -  
RECEIVE OUR COMMENTS. START IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT => A  
FEW DAYS AFTER PERIOD CLOSURE, ALL COMMENTS, AND SUBMITTALS  
=> START HERE TO REPORT TO US ~ MONTH OR SO AFTER PERIOD CLOSURE  
UNIQUE? LOW LEVEL GROUP SOME TO GIVE SIMILAR RESPONSE?

DISPERSED PART - RESOURCES - CORRECT?<br>PERMIT - CORRECT OR - CORRECT

APPROVAL PROCESS

BIF

RM/RS

Howe  
Kim

RES

RM/RS

ADEQ - COMMENTS RE: APP - WE DON'T NEED TO KNOW UNLESS  
AFFECT US. COCS HELP US, WE HELP THEM.

JOHN - APP

TOHONO OIOWHAM + USFWS HAVEN'T SIGNED MOU. HAVE STATUS OF  
CONSULTATION, +/OR POTENTIAL CO-OP AGENCY, SO CAN PARTICIPATE  
AT CO-OP W/O MOU. ? TRIPS - NAT P BUT USFWS - ESA  
ACCEPTED INVITATION (HAVEN'T ACCEPTED INVITATION.  
SO NO DRAFT MOU SENT.

W) AND NOW ALL OTHERS SIGNED MOU'S, CAN ADD MORE.

COMPANIES BUY + SELL EACH OTHER AFTER - SOMETIMES EFFECT, SOMETIMES NOT  
THAT THRU) MONTH - CO-OP AGENCY MTGS.

MARK - AIR FORCE.

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**Facilitator:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

## **AGENDA**

09:30 – 09:45	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
09:45 – 10:15	<b>Overview of IDT Conceptual Alternative Development Progress</b>	<b>Roth</b> EIS Process Manager
10:15 – 10:30	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:30 – 11:30	<b>Electrical Transmission Considerations</b>	<b>Weinstein &amp; Wood</b> EPG Consultants
11:30 – 12:30	<b>LUNCH</b>	
12:30 – 2:00	<b>Optional Workshop</b> Forest and EPG Consultants will host workstations to display materials and discuss the conceptual alternatives and electrical transmission routing	

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**Presenters:** EPG Consultants  
**Consultants:** Cheniae & Associates

# Rosemont Copper Project EIS

## Cooperating Agency

### Coordination Meeting

6/18/2009  
9:30 AM to 12:00 PM  
Federal Building  
300 West Congress  
Tucson, Arizona  
Conference Room 4B

Meeting Called by: Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Facilitator: Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison  
Type of Meeting: Information Sharing

## Agenda

09:30 – 09:45	Welcome	Reta Laford, Deputy Forest Supervisor
09:45 – 10:45	Project Website	John Able, Project Webmaster
10:45 – 11:15	Update	Reta Laford, Deputy Forest Supervisor
11:15 – 12:00	Open Discussion	Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

Invited Attendees:

- Cooperating Tribes  
Tohono O'odham Nation
  
- Cooperating Federal Agencies  
Air Force, 162d Fighter Airwing  
Army Corps of Engineers  
USDI Bureau of Land Management
  
- Cooperating State Agencies  
Arizona Department of Environmental Quality  
Arizona Department of Mines and Mineral Resources  
Arizona Department of Water Resources  
Arizona Game and Fish Department  
Arizona Geological Survey  
Arizona State Land Department  
Arizona State Mine Inspector  
Arizona State Parks
  
- Cooperating Local Governments  
City of Tucson  
Pima County  
Town of Sahuarita

**Rights of Mining Claimants  
Coronado National Forest  
June 2009**

The General Mining Act of 1872 confers a statutory right to enter upon public lands open to location in pursuit of locatable minerals, and under valid existing mining claims to conduct mining activities, in compliance with federal and state statutes and regulations. The Multiple-Use Mining Act of 1955 confirms the ability to conduct mining activities on public lands, locate necessary facilities, and conduct reasonable and incidental uses to mining on public lands, including National Forest System lands. Forest Service mining regulations at 36 C.F.R. Part 228 subpart A, correspondingly recognizes the rights of mining claimants.

The National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) requires Federal agencies to prepare an environmental impact statement prior to undertaking a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. NEPA also requires Federal agencies to study, develop, and describe appropriate alternatives to any proposal which involves unresolved conflicts concerning alternate uses of available resources.

A proposed mine plan of operations is a starting point in the environmental impact statement process and is one of the alternatives considered. Forest Service mining regulations and policies establish a process to approve a plan of operations for mining activities on National Forest System lands and to ensure such plans minimize adverse environmental impact. Feasible alternatives which allow the claimant to reasonably exercise their statutory rights and vested property rights in minerals, while seeking to minimize adverse environmental impacts on National Forest surface resources, are also included in the statement.

The regulations implementing NEPA also require that a no-action alternative be included in an environmental impact statement. Forest Service Handbook 1909.15 Chapter 14.2 clarifies that the no-action alternative provides a baseline for estimating the effects of other alternatives. The no-action alternative presents that no action or activity would take place from the planning effort, thus the mine plan of operations would not be approved.

Although the Forest Service may reasonably regulate mining activities to protect surface resources, there are statutory and constitutional limits to its discretion when reviewing and approving a mining plan of operations. The Forest Service cannot categorically prohibit mining activity or deny reasonable mineral operations under the mining laws. Selection of a no-action alternative is outside the discretion of the Responsible Official.

In practice, the Forest Service works with the mining applicant to develop an acceptable legally-compliant plan of operations as an alternative to be considered during the NEPA process, thereby precluding selection of the no-action alternative.

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1052  
6227 plan  
991-9226.

## ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT EIS COOPERATING AGENCY STATUS (6/18/09)

### INITIAL INVITATIONS

(Summary: 12 invitations, 1 decline, 5 in review, 6 formal agreements)

TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS	INVITATION DATE	MOU STATUS
TOHONO O'DHAM NATION (including Tribal Liaison Coordination)	07/10/08	In Review
FEDERAL AGENCIES	INVITATION DATE	RESPONSE
DEPT. OF THE AIR FORCE, 162D FIGHTER AIRWING	07/10/08	MOU 3/27/09
DEPT. OF ARMY, CORPS OF ENGINEERS, LOS ANGELES DISTRICT	07/10/08	Letter 8/21/08 <sup>1</sup>
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	07/10/08	Declined 10/14/08
USDI BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, TUCSON FIELD OFFICE	07/10/08	In Review
ARIZONA STATE AGENCIES	INVITATION DATE	RESPONSE
ARIZONA DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	07/18/08	MOU 5/19/09
ARIZONA DEPT. OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES	07/18/08	MOU 4/14/09
ARIZONA DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION	07/18/08	In Review
ARIZONA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT	07/18/08	In Review
ARIZONA STATE LAND DEPT.	07/18/08	MOU 5/28/09
LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	INVITATION DATE	RESPONSE
PIMA COUNTY	07/18/08	MOU 6/9/09
TOWN OF SAHUARITA	10/09/08	In Review

<sup>1</sup>Corps of Engineer policy prohibits signing MOUs. They sent a letter of cooperation parameters.

### INITIAL INQUIRIES

(Summary: 20 inquiries, 13 declines, 2 unknown, 4 in review, 1 formal agreement)

FEDERAL AGENCIES	INQUIRY DATE	MOU STATUS
DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION, ARIZONA DIVISION	07/22/08	Declined 8/26/08
DEPT. OF ENERGY, WESTERN AREA POWER ADMINISTRATION	07/18/08	Declined 7/31/08
USDI BUREAU OF RECLAMATION	07/10/08	Declined 9/12/08
USDI U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY	07/18/08	Declined 8/14/08
DEPT. OF LABOR, MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION	07/18/08	Declined 8/06/08
USDI BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN INDIANS	07/15/08	Declined 9/04/08 <sup>2</sup>
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION	07/16/08	Unknown
USDI FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE	07/18/08	Unknown
OFFICE OF SURFACE MINING RECLAMATION	07/14/08	Declined 5/11/09
ARIZONA STATE AGENCIES	INQUIRY DATE	RESPONSE
ARIZONA DEPT. OF ADMINISTRATION, RISK MANAGEMENT	07/18/08	Declined 5/18/09
ARIZONA DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY	07/18/08	Declined 8/15/08
ARIZONA DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES	07/18/08	In Review
ARIZONA GEOLOGICAL SURVEY	07/18/08	MOU 4/20/09
ARIZONA STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE	07/22/08	Declined 7/31/08
ARIZONA STATE MINE INSPECTOR	07/18/08	In Review
ARIZONA STATE PARKS	07/18/08	In Review
ARIZONA WATER BANKING AUTHORITY	07/22/08	Declined 5/11/09
LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	INQUIRY DATE	RESPONSE
CITY OF TUCSON	07/21/08	In Review
COCHISE COUNTY	07/21/08	Declined 6/08/09
SANTA CRUZ COUNTY	07/18/08	Declined 8/29/08

<sup>2</sup>Office of the Special Trustee for American Indians declined, but forwarded inquiry on to Bureau of Indian Affairs.

*ADOT - IN REVIEW*

*APPROVED - MOU MAY 14*

*MUST ASSESS - NO TIME +/OR BUDGET +/OR SPECIAL EXPERTISE.*

# ROSEMONT - COOPERATING AGENCY COORDINATION MEETING

RETA - CORE VALUES - NEPA PROCESS

NO ACTION ALTERNATIVE WORKING W/ OTHERS - WHAT OF OTHERS

RIGHTS OF MINOR CLAIMANTS (HO) - LEGAL / REASONABLE / LEGAL DILEMMA BEYOND OUR DISCRETION - DISCUSS FORMALLY W/ TEAMING

SOUTH INDIAN MONKEY TRAP - VALUE RIVALRY. COLONUT - HOLD - RICE

WEBSITE - CONTRACTOR THROUGH US W/ TIME - NEWER / BETTER TECHNOLOGY.

PUBLIC JUNE 1, BETA PERIOD NOW [A] 10 TEAM PUBLIC LOS PERITOS

- W/ PUBLIC - TRANSPARENCY / PARTICIPATION / COLLABORATION (OBAMA)

http://rosemontef.us "INTERNAL USE DURING BETA PERIOD" OF JUNE  
"ADMINISTRATIVE RECORDS" BASIC SET OF DOCS THAT UNCOVER SENSITIVE OF SOCIAL + BASE TO MAKE DECISION. NO PROTECT RECORDS. STUDIES

WHEN AC. IS COMPLETE GOES W/ + BECOMES PUBLIC. NOT WORKING COPIES / PARTS. + SUPPLY COMMENTS.

COOP. AGREEMENT - CORRESPONDENCE PUBLIC QUICKLY.

CAN REQUEST THEIR INFO BECOME PART OF ADMIN. RECORDS. HELPS OR CAN INFORMALLY GIVE INFO TO SPECIALISTS. US MAKE BETTER DECISIONS.

WEBSITE = SUBSET OF ADMIN RECORDS. DATA SETS / ELEMENTS

REPORTS - INCLUDE ASSUMPTIONS RE: WHAT WAS / WAS NOT STUDIED + EVEN IF REQUESTED BY COOP. AGENCY. (JUNIA F-PMA (C))

REQUEST TECHNICAL DOCS. FROM COMPANY + REFORMAT PDFS => SEARCHABLE.

BREAD CRUMBS - TO FOLLOW BACK HOME

ALL PRODUCTS THEY SUBMIT AS FINAL W/ W/ RECORDS.

COMPANY TECHN. DOCS NOW BEING REVIEWED BY OUR SPECIALISTS - WHAT'S ADEQUATE, WHAT'S NEEDED - -

ALL CONTENT OF WEBSITE = PUBLIC DOMAIN.

ADMIN. RECORD COMPLETE WHEN DECISION SIGNED (9/2010). LWWB - DISC 'TILL THEN.

NEPA - FOR ALL FEAS BUT AGENCIES WRITE OWN REGS. TO IMPLEMENT. USFT - USDA

USFS - MANAGE SURFACE ONLY. BLM - SURFACE + SUBSURFACE. NIM - USPOI

DIFFERENT MINERAL REGS.

JUNE 1 - PUBLIC CAN NAVIGATE SITE. IF REGISTER CAN GET EMAIL UPDATES.

SOME FEATURES FOR INTERNALS ONLY.

TOP-LEVEL NAVIGATION - PUBLIC ACCESS.

1 PUBLIC BLOG, 1 INTERNAL BLOG. < WILL BE FOLLOWED / HIGHLIGHTED AT SOME POINT.

## UPDATE

10 TEAM WORKING ON ISSUES FROM COMMENTS / LIVE STATEMENTS, + NEED NEPA ALTERNATIVES TO PROPOSED ACTION - OTHER WAYS TO MEET PURPOSES + MITIGATE.

AGUSTA = PARENT COMPANY. ROSENANT = AZ. CORPORATION. DOING THEIR WORK - CONTINUES.  
 JW CA - WORKING FOR US / UNDER OUR DIRECTION. SUBMIT RESULTS - WE  
 POST ON WEBSITE - UNDER REVIEW.

PROJECTS SINCE 1969. STATE - UNIQUE TO AZ - UNPRECEDENTED - GOVT ASKED  
 BEST COOPERATOR TEAMS TO WORK W/ OUR SPECIALISTS WORKING ON REPORTS/STUDIES. MINIMUM REQ.

MONTHLY MEETINGS. AFTERNOON WORK GROUP MEETINGS.

FIELD TRIPS / PRESENTATION: RECLAMATION. ALTERNATIVE ROUTES TO BRING  
 NEPA TRNG SESSION AS PART OF MONTHLY MTG. - 1 CITY / 1 TOWNSHIP. POWER UN.

ALSO STAKE - WHOVE BEEN THROUGH PROCESS, LESSONS LEARNED => BE MORE  
 RIG PICTURE WHAT'S IMPORTANT EFFECTIVE

## Minerals Fact Sheet

Many questions are asked about Forest Service Minerals, prospecting and mining claims. Together with the pamphlets, Staking A Mining Claim, Mining in National Forests, Questions and Answers About the 1872 Act . . ., Questions and Answers-Recording of Mining Claims, and How to Obtain National Forest Maps, this fact sheet answers those questions most frequently asked.

The Forest Service provides no mining or prospecting information. Popular publications on this can be obtained from the Arizona Department of Mineral Resources, New Mexico State Bureau of Mines and Mineral Resources, USDI Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and similar sources.

We have no information as to areas in which prospecting might be successful. It is the obligation of the prospector to determine what area might be worthy of an effort to find mineral.

We have no information of specific claims that might be for sale. You obtain this information from the same sources as for private land.

The mining laws (and thus the privilege of prospecting, locating claims, and mining under those laws) apply to most National Forest land. However, not all land within National Forest boundaries is National Forest land; some is privately owned. The privately owned land is distinguished on maps available from the Forest Service and on records maintained in the various Forest Service offices and open for public inspection; the Regional Office of all Forests in the Region, Supervisor's Offices for each district. Similar records are maintained by the BLM.

Some National Forest land is withdrawn from operation of the mining laws. Usually you can see evidence on the ground of why this is the case: campgrounds, Ranger Stations, and the like. In other cases withdrawals are for future developments and are reflected only in the records. In withdrawals for power purposes a special law applies (Public Law 84-359) and prospecting and mining are subject to special restrictions.

Claims may already exist in an area you are interested in and you could be considered a "claim-jumper" if you prospected there. You may find evidence of them on the ground (monuments, signs, notices, excavations, etc.) or in the county records. The Federal Land Policy and Management Act passed on October 21, 1976, requires recordation of claims with the BLM. As a result BLM maintains the official record on mining claims.

Bureau of Land Management regulations [in Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)] control mineral-oriented activities authorized by the mining laws. Forest Service regulations (Title 36 CFR) control non-mineral activities. You are expected to observe both.

It is well to contact the local District Ranger or Forest Supervisor before engaging in any surface disturbing activity or off-road vehicle use: there may be local prohibitions on such activity.

A mining claim gets its validity from compliance with the "discovery" requirement of the Mining Law. Performance of annual labor (assessment work), payment of taxes, and uncontested existence for many

## Rosemont Submittals for Scoping Report

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A<sup>17</sup> TUCSON, AZ, (May 29, 2008) *DRAFT*

A<sup>18</sup> News Release: May 30, 2008 – “Next Public Hearing for Proposed Rosemont Copper Project”

A<sup>19</sup> News Release: June 20, 2008 – “Next Public Hearing for Proposed Rosemont Copper Project”

A<sup>24</sup> News Release: June 27, 2008 – “Announcing the ‘Rosemont Mine Comment Line’ /Phone 888-726-7176 to Record a Comment”

L<sup>635</sup>  
T<sup>19</sup> - News Release: July 10, 2008 - “Next Steps in the Rosemont Scoping Process/Expanding the Conversation”

L<sup>675</sup>  
J<sup>14</sup>  
D<sup>RAFT</sup> - News Release: November 21, 2008 - “Decision About ‘Working Group’ Announced/Environmental Analysis of Proposed Rosemont Copper Project Remains on Schedule/Forest Service Considers Other Opportunities to Enhance Public Involvement”

A<sup>10</sup>  
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Schedule  
Forest Service Considers Other Opportunities for Public Involvement**

TUCSON, ARIZONA ( November 26, 2008)

TUCSON, AZ, (May 29, 2008)

NEW WEBSITE SERVICE -  
BACK TO POSTING.

18 LOOPS

# Rosemont Copper Project EIS Cooperating Agency Coordination Meeting January 20, 2011 Agenda

**Location:** Pima County Public Works Building, 201 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson, Arizona, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room

**Facilitator:** Mindee Roth, Project Manager

## AGENDA

9:30	Welcome, Project Update	Roth, Laford
10:00	Words from Forest Supervisor	Upchurch
10:30	Technical Reports and draft DEIS Literature Cited 350 DOCS	Roth
10:45	Break	
11:00 – 12:00	Mitigation Lands Policies	Blaine, Lindenlaub

MARJORIE BLAINE - ACOE

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Rosemont Copper Company (Cheniae & Associates - Gordon Cheniae, Brian Lindenlaub, Westland Resources)  
National Park Service (Meg Weesner, Saguaro National Park East)

ACOE - MITIGATION BY LAW - ONLY AGENCY.  
IMPACTS TO WZOS OF US.

- SHARE MTR MGT LETTER AS COOPS WERE CC'D.
- "ADVISORY" - ADVICE IS IN THE LAW. THIS GROUP DOES NOT PROVIDE THAT. MINOR
- AIR QUALITY - BOB LEFEVRE TALKED W/ WOLFE SPECIALIST, PHINA OJ, SMP TO ENSURE UNDERSTAND EFFECTS OF PROPOSAL ON AIR QUALITY. PHINA CA PERMIT - ~~ADVICE~~ FROM EPA RE. WHICH PERMIT IS APPROPRIATE. ⊕ COORDINATION.
  - MEG - NPS IN 25 YEARS AIR QUALITY MONITORING.
  - EPA INVOLVED EARLY ON + WORK CLOSELY W/ US.
  - RETA - ⊕ COOPERATION / SEQUENCE OF EVENTS.
  - DARK SKIES REPORT RECEIVED, WE SENT TO SMITHSONIAN - CONVERSATION TO ENSURE WE UNDERSTAND REPORTS' CONTENT + COMPLETE + UTILITY - LOOKED @ RIGHT THINGS.
  - BLM / ACOE REVIEWED INTERNAL WORKING DRAFT - COMMENTS BEING ADDRESSED.
  - EARLY FEB SIT TOGETHER + DISCUSS COMMENTS NOT EASILY ADDRESSED.
  - ASKED COOPS FOR MITIGATION - INCORPORATED A NUMBER INTO ALTS. SHARE W/ RCC - SEE THEIR IDEAS ... LESSEN / AVOID IMPACTS.
  - IS COOPERATORS NOW. DEV. MOU CNF / NPS WORKING ON WHO WE MISSED - BRING 'EM IN.
- INTERNAL WORKING DRAFT - SHARE WITH LESS ROUGH - ASK COOPS FOR INPUT - INCORPORATE, INCORPORATING INTERNAL COMMENTS NOW.
  - CAN'T SAY WITHN SHARE W/ COOPS - W/ A COUPLE OF MONTHS MINOR THINGS REASONABLE.
  - RETA - WON'T SHARE 'TIL SHE'S HAPPY W/ IT - APPROPRIATE QUALITY. NOT WASTE TIME.
- DOCS W/ NPS DOCS, MANY OF WHICH ARE ON WEBSITE (W/3).
  - TECHNICAL REPORTS PREPARED BY RCC / SUBS + REVIEW NOES + MEMOS
  - LITERATURE CITED IN DOCS - DRAFT AT ELI IS DRAFT - SAME MAT FAN OUT + OTHERS COME UP. PLACEHOLDERS.
  - CO DELIBERATIVE WORK PRODUCT. WEB TEAM ≠ QUALITY + TIMELINESS = CO TO START REVIEWING MATERIAL. UNDER MOU PRODUCE OF CONFIDENTIALITY.
  - NEW CONTRACT SET UP FOR WEB SERVICES - WAITING FOR PASSWORDS, PERMISSIONS ETC. KEEP SAME SITE / DESIGN / FORMAT.
  - NO FORMAL REVIEW ASMT. SELECT AS APPROPRIATE + COMMENT.
  - TWO FOLDERS W/ TECH. REPORTS, LIT. CITED, TABLES SHOWING WHERE MATERIAL ARE
  - DOCS NOT SHARED, IT'S PRELIMINARY, TOO DRAFT, NEED WORK WANT TO GIVE PRODUCT W/ ROOM TO COMMENT BUT NOT SO WRON.
  - SWCA - 2-3 DRAFT BIO REPORTS DUE THIS WEEK. AGENCY TO AGENCY COMMENT.
  - MTR'S CAMERON - IF STANDS BY THURS / MONTH - MINOR ADVISE IF CHANGE. A TIME LOOPS TO SHOW UP.
  - MINOR ADVISE COOPS TO PRESENT IF TOPICS BEING MADE OR DISCUSS THEIR ?'S.
  - RETA DEFERRED AUTHORS OF TECH REPORTS OR OTHER QUALIFIED EXPERTS. COOPS TO ADVISE IF SOMETHING NOT COVERED.
- TOPICS STILL BEING WORKED ON -
  - AIR QUALITY - GOING UP WITHN, ANSWERING, NEW REPORTS... BEING REVIEWED BY
  - AIR H2O + BIOLOGICAL - THIRD PARTY EXPERTS - END OF MONTH OR REVIEW - DO WE UNDERSTAND, WHAT TO DO WITH THEM... COMPLIANCE

# DENIMS - AORQ

WE KNOW, TWO... HOW TO FILL? UNDERSTAND?

- BIO
- AIR QUALITY
- UTILITY LINE SIGHTING & ROUTING - WORK W/ TEP - ROUTES, WHAT GOES STAYS -- SHOULD BE FAIRLY COMPLETE RE-TECH INFO LATE JAN/ EARLY FEB
  - ⇒ PUBLIC DOC - EFFECTS ON COMMUNITIES, SOCIAL --
- RETA BRIEFED RE-STAGE IN-PROCESS, IOWA THAS THREAT TO PAY ATTN TO -
  - TRIBAL RIGHTS / ALI THAMES CULTURE
  - SOCIOECONOMICS - QUALITY OF LIFE, LIVELIHOODS
  - ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE - DISPROPORTIONATE AFFECT ON DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES. WE HAD BEEN LOOKING @ THOSE TOPICS.
- RETA - REVIEW, EDITING --
- MINNESOTA - DUES → COORS / RO -- 30-DAY REVIEW, TECH INFO / CIVIC WORK ON <sup>CA</sup> UP FRONT, BACKGROUND UNDERSTOOD SO REVIEW + COMMENT = INFORMED COMMENT.
- PUBLIC COMMENT - NEPA HAS 45 DAYS - WE PLAN 90 DAYS, PUBLIC MTGS, RECORDED COMMENT, POST DOC. COMMENT TOOLS. CONTENT ANALYSIS GROUP - SPOT LAKE CITY, CAN OPEN DIALOGUE BOX + COMMENT ON SPECIFIC INFO, MEET ALL NEEDS, - NEED CULTURAL STUFF, MANY RETURN, BILL ALMA, FEB, 3 REFERRAL LIST, SUM. NEED TO LOOK UP W/ TRIBES - BILL G. SETTING UP MTHLY T-01 / SOUTHERN TRIBES GROUP
- RESTART OF LUCASINE TUNING / TUNING CLOCK. FEB, ASKED FOR MORE TIME AS "RULE SAYS CAN DO (DENNIS),
- QUESTION RE - KOREAN FIRM INVESTED? RETA - WHOSE OWNERS FOLLOW RULES / REGS / PERMITS
- ENFORCE MPO - BRING IN MINNESOTA EXPERTS, GENIL - FOLLOW MPO, NOTICE CHANGES NOT COVERED UNDER NEPA - NEW - IN SCOPE? MINOR MOVES ETC OK? <sup>PSHARE WEBSITE</sup>
- TWO NEW PROPOSALS - HARSHAW / HARSHAW, + GREATZEMINS, WEBSITE - SOPA - LIST OF PROJECTS GOING UNDER NEPA REVIEW. WANT TO FS AS PROPOSAL YET, CO-EXPLORATORY WORK ON OWN LANDS, TIMEFRAME - EXPLORATORY WORK - SPECULATIVE, THEN MUST SUBMIT PROPOSAL OF OPS TO FS. WE CONSIDER IF GOOD ENOUGH / ADEQUATE TO START NEPA. NO FS INVOLVEMENT 'TIL MPO SUBMITTED.
- FOLKS USE SOPA TO WD PROJECTS THEY WANT TO BE NOTICED ABOUT, CONTACTS INCLUDED
- REVIEW OF NEW INFO UNDER NEPA - WD IF REQ. NEW NEPA EXPLORATION DISCOVERY SMALL OPS PLAN ONLY GOOD FOR ONE YEAR.
- JIM - FACTS / SCIENCE / WHAT WE NEED TO KNOW TO MAKE BEST POSSIBLE DECISIONS, LIMITATIONS OF DECISION ~~BASE~~ BASE. ⊕ COOP INVOLV.

DELAY. WANT SOMETHING WORTH REVIEWING - IF IT'S NOT - DON'T WANT TO PUT IT OUT.  
INSUFFICIENT QUALITY. DECISION AS EXPEDITIOUSLY AS POSSIBLE. A PLAYERS INTERESTS -

MARGORIE - ACOE

BROWN UNDERSTANDS - WESTLAND RESOURCES - RCP REP FOR INFO - RESPONSE TO MARGORIE'S ?

SEC 404 - ACOE MITIGATION REQ. 33 CFR 332.

SCOPE OF ANALYSIS - LIMITED TO AREAS WITH JURISD. = WATERS IN AREA  
w/ 45 A H2OS OF US - REQUIRE MITIGATION FOR LOOK @ RIPARIAN  
AREA ADJACENT TO WATERS = ACCOUNT FOR WATERS/RIPARIAN HABITAT  
ALSO UPLAND BOKFSE ← NO MITIGATION REQ. ACOE.

DEU - WORK W/ WESTLAND + RCP TO SEE CONCEPTUAL MITIGATION. FINAL  
MITIGATIONS IN FEIS. AS APPENDIX - COMMENT.

HO - IF MITIGATION BANK - MUST REVIEW - NONE IN AZ.

IN- LIEU OF FEE PROGRAM - SPONSOR SEND MIT. PLAN, COST/ A. CORPS ESTABLISHES  
APPLICANT PAYS SPONSOR, SPONSOR DOES MITIGATION. SPECIFIC PROCEDURES RATIO.  
NONE IN THIS H2OS W/ ENOUGH AREA FOR MIT. SO PERMITTED MITIGATION = HO  
RESPONSIBILITY

CANAD DO COMBO - IN- LIEU FEE / PERMITS

MIT. RATIO - ACOE ESTABLISHES, NEVER LESS THAN 1:1. NO LOSS OF WESTLANDS.  
WANT FUNCTIONAL INTMT OF WESTLANDS ON SIZE FROM WESTLAND, + OTHERS ON SIZE =  
AREA IMPACTED : AREA MITIGATED.

MITIGATION = DISTRICT - REQUIREMENTS. MAY LOOK @ PUBLIC COMMENT.

RESTORATION - IN PERPETUITY. MAYBE PASSIVE USE TAKING. RC LEFT AS HABITAT.

APPROVNT REQ. TO MAINTAIN + PROTECT IN PERPETUITY.

- INDIRECT + CUMULATIVE EFFECTS - IMPACTS TO H2OS - DIRECT - STUFF DISCHARGED IN WASH  
FLOW TRUNCATED TO LOWER END ← INDIRECT EFFECTS  
OF SYSTEM = SYSTEM IMPACT BUT FLOW DIMINISHED / ELIMINATED. - CONSIDER  
TOTAL AREA + RATIO

DON'T MITIGATE FOR CUMULATIVE IMPACTS - OCCUR OUTSIDE ACOE SCOPE OF ANALYSIS.

BRIAN - RCP - 45 A DIRECT EFFECTS

- CULTURAL SITES W/ RIPARIAN ZONES W/ ACOE JURISD. FS LEAD CULTURAL / TRIBAL CONSULTATIONS

DO CONSULTING, SIGN MORE AS CONSULTANT IF ON PVT - ACOE TAKE LEAD / ADDRESS TO TRIBAL

- PREFER IN-KIND HABITAT / MITIGATION. NO FULCRUM ASSESSMENT IF NOT CONSULTATION.  
POSSIBLY - OUT OF KIND, BOTTOM OF LIST. IF OUT OF KIND - FINAL ASSESSMENT SAY  
HIGHER RATIO.

- W/ WOLFE CONNECTIVITY PART OF MITIGATION? PREFER PARCELS THAT DON'T BECOME ISLANDS

WANT AREAS CONNECTED TO OTHER CONSERVED AREAS, CONNECTIVITY IMPORTANT,

BROWN - RCP - COMBO PKG OF MITIGATIONS. LANDS NEAR RCP. + OFFSITE PARCELS.

MARGORIE - NOT @ POINT OF LOOKING @ WHAT ALL IMPACTS ARE. RCP HAS TO DO IMPACTED  
STREAMS IN PERMIT APP TO ACOE, CNF HAS LIST / DESCRIPTIONS OF STREAMS, ASSESSING EFFECTS.

JURISDICTIONAL DELINEATION ACOE WANTS SPATIAL. ACOE DOESN'T HAVE - HAS AREAS IMPACTED BY  
FOUR. RCP CAN RELEASE - ACOE RELEASE FIGURE FOR PUBLIC NOTICES, DEIS ETC.  
MARGORIE. E. BLAINE @ USAACE - ARMY. MIL



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**ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT  
JANUARY 2011 STATUS SUMMARY**

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1. **OUTSTANDING NEEDS:** Status updates regarding air quality model review, hydrology model calibration and sensitivity data and analysis, geochemistry sampling, visual quality analysis, biological species reviews, utility needs and route selection process, paleontological survey needs, web management services, HEC model files and reports, and edits to the draft DEIS.
2. **EIS TIMELINE:** The schedule agreed to on May 26, 2010 is outdated. No new schedule has been agreed to at this time.
3. **COORDINATION EFFORTS:** Status of the 404(b)(1) report and efforts to identify mitigation lands with the Army Corps of Engineers. 1-18 NTG

Sincerely,

MELINDA D. ROTH  
Special Assistant

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Regional Office Ecosystem Analysis and Planning (Davis)  
Nogales District Ranger (Copeland)

cc: SWCA Environmental Consultants  
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*Handwritten notes:*  
 HAS TO GO OUT 1/27/11 -  
 PERMITS FINANCING  
 DEMONSTRATE  
 ALREADY APPROVED EVERYTHING ELSE  
 JIM - IF NOT - BOTH KNOW WITH  
 NOT LUR VS NOT EXPOSURE WITH  
 CUE. EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES  
 JAMIE => ACOE



OUTSTANDING NEEDS - VISUAL - REVIEW DEBBY'S INFO } INFO TO CLARIFY  
- REVIEW RCP INFO } CORRECT INFO

- EXPAND RATIONALE IN DELS FOR "ITEMS NOT CONSIDERED IN DETAIL"  
RCP TO PROVIDE WEEKLY UPDATE ON SIX DEPT. BRIEFING ITEMS.

RIO RCP TO PROVIDE COLLECTION OF EXISTING INFORS - JAGUAR + DECELOT, <sup>GIVEN TODAY</sup>  
MAY OR MAY NOT CHANGE DETERMINATION OF HAVING SIGNIFICANT EFFECT. <sup>TO -</sup>  
WITH WHAT WE HAD - CAME UP W/ ADVERSE CALL. <sup>TO UPDATE FROM CNF PRESENT ANSWERS ON</sup>

AIR QUALITY - CNF WORKING W/ WQ AIR SPECIALIST + RCC CONSULTATION IN ORDER  
- RCP SUMMARIZE RAISED ISSUES + ?'S + PROVIDE CLARIFYING INFO. REVIEW

UTILITY LINES - RCC CLARIFIED LINE FROM S. FOR <sup>VIOULATE/</sup> AFTER DISCUSSION W/ ANDERSON.  
CONSTRUCTION + BACK UP POWER, REMOVED <sup>DEPENDENT ON CAA COMPLIANCE</sup> CLOSURE. DONE

- ALSO NOT CONSIDERED IN DETAIL - GENERATOR CONST. POWER, UNDERGROUND DONE  
- GENERATIONS NEEDED FOR BACK-UP POWER. DONE  
- S. EXISTING <sup>46</sup> KV LINE NOT REMOVED POST-USE  
- RCC PROVIDE CLARIFYING LETTER ON CONST. POWER LINE, ETC. 1-7-11.  
- REC APP. DRAFTED. - CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY  
RCC REVIEWED FOR CONSISTENCY W/ MPO.

(TRILLO LINE GOES TO RCC HELVETIA RANCH HOUSE - NOT ON CNF LINE. BOOSTER STATION WENT IN SO NOW OPTION FOR RCP. RCC HASN'T ASKED FOR IT.)

H2O GEOCHEM - PIT LAKE PRODUCTIVE STUDY <sup>FOR 1</sup> IN REVIEW W/ SRK -  
- INFILTRATION <sup>IF + J</sup> STUDY <sup>FOR 1</sup> SEVERAL FS QUESTIONS + RCC  
CNF + TECH. EXPERTISE ON GEOCHEM - RIBER CONCAW <sup>ANSWERS AS</sup>  
(UR) PROVIDE THAT EXPERTISE <sup>TO SOME EXTENT</sup> + MUIT BE SATISFIED. (PART OF SRK REVIEW.  
- + CONTRACTORS → USGS

LDALD-SWCA - WORLD CLASS SUBS FOR GEOCHEM - SELECT INDICATORS, NOT JUST CO. NAME. SAME FOR RCC.

WESTSIDE GROUND H2O MODEL - RCC PROVIDE BASIS OF PROTECTION <sup>EX.</sup>  
SITE SPECIFIC DRILLING / MONITORING, UPDATED INFO TO OUR MODEL TO LOCAL AREA, SUPPORTING RATIONALE. <sup>GIVEN TODAY</sup>. TWO MONTHLY LETTERS, INCLUDE FOR MWH REVIEW. (MONTGOMERY WATSON)  
SURFACE H2O - RCC PROVIDE HEC MODEL FILES HEREAS - DONE.

BASELINE DATA - RCP PROVIDED - PRECIP DATA, MET, ETW...

WES - CNF HAS OUTSTANDING NEEDS. LOOK TO SWCA FOR SERVICE.

NO DECISIONS/AGMTS MADE.

PAZED RCC AGREED TO SURFACE SURVEY. (NON-CRITICAL FOR DELS AS HAVE CHAOTIC) RCL REVIEW DONE (TECHNICAL MODEL + MITIGATION)

BLM REVIEW SUBMITTED.

COE REVIEW PENDING

TRIBAL / SOCM - CNF W/ SWCA REVIEWING W/ RE. BRUNNIE MTO W/ TRIBES

ROSEMONT REVIEW OF DEL @ SAME TIME SHARE W/ JIM + S. AZ. TRIBLES.

COOPS + DM WES AS INTERNAL WORKING DRAFT.

CONFIDENTIALITY - IN MOU.

RCC EXCUSE SELVES FROM MTGS WHEN APPROPRIATE - EX WAGNER  
SEEN CH. 3 / CH. 4.

RCC SUPPORT DELS TO COOPS / WES WHO PREFERRED ACT. ON TIME UP  
W/ PREFERENCE ASPENS AND FOLKS SHARING EXPERTISE (MINOES).

DOCUMENT EDITORIAL CLEAN UP BY SWCA.

RESPONSE  
TO DANCE

- APPROPRIATE UNDER NEPA TO WORK W/ PROPOSER. HAVE MTO W/ COOPS
  - NOT ADVISORY OR DECISIONARY
- TIMELY RESPONSE NEEDED.

TIMELINE - JIM - KEEP SETTING DATES + PUSHING IT BACK.

OUTSTANDING NEEDS MORE IMPORTANT.

IT'S IN MOU.

THREE W/ FINISH TO PRESS JAMIE 3 THINGS BLM COMMENTS  
ALOE COMMENTS

THEN THESE FED. AGENCIES KNOW ISSUES.

BY END OF JAN - KNOW WHAT GO TO PRESS (JAMIE)

NO-COOPS INPUT, OR WORK REVIEW, COMMENTS VERY ON HAND

TO ANSWER. RETA - JAN KNOW IF CAN ANSWER Q'S OF 3 FED. AGENCIES

JAMIE - RCP A ONE-PROJECT COMPANY.

JAMIE WHOSE RAZE BY MIDDLE OF FEB. OR MARCH.

RCC NEEDS DRAFT, AFS LAND MANAGERS, TRIBES, USFS CONSULT...

+ SHARE HOWAL + BOB. PRACTICE AT FINAL LEVEL FINAL DOESN'T  
HAVE TO BE PERFECT.

NOT VIOLATE  
RACA  
(RETA)

CNF -

JS

**Rosemont Copper Project  
Cooperating Agency  
Special Topic Meeting  
Heritage Resources**

**04/22/2010  
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM  
Federal Building  
300 West Congress  
Tucson, Arizona**

**Meeting Notes**

## Mitigation Lands Concept

Facilitators: Debby Kriegel and Larry Jones

### Discussion:

#### Participants:

USFS Coronado National Forest

USDI BLM

⇒ Tohono O'odham Nation

Pima County

SWCA

Cheniae and Associates

#### Handouts:

• Agenda

• Cumulative Effects

• Maps

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- Figure 1. Location, Coronado National Forest
  - Excerpt from Snowbowl EIS – Page 77 (Interpretive Themes and Related Resources) – Map of the Sky Island region and locations of proposed National Heritage Area
  - Excerpt from Snowbowl EIS – Page 79 (Interpretive Themes and Related Resources) – The diverse biotic communities located in the proposed National Heritage Area
  - Resolution of the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council (opposing the Proposed Rosemont Copper Project); Resolution Number 09-569 dated October 22, 2009

1. Update on Heritage Specialist and Cultural Data Reports

2. Archeological Survey 2007 and Ethnography/Ethnostory Reports

a. SWCA is incorporating final resource specialist comments

b. Rosemont has expressed concern that the report has not yet received wide distribution – could lead to project delays

3. Archival Record Search

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a. Initiated for the four (4) conceptual alternatives

b. Noted that changes in methodology used for survey protocol from surveys done for ANAMAX and earlier mining proposals will result in different numbers of recorded sites

c. Data upgrades are in progress

4. Tribal Interactions Overview

a. Ethnohistory draft nearing review status

PPT: Class I survey overview (*Note: A copy of this CD is available from Mary Farrell, Coronado Forest Archeologist, but due to its exempt status under FOIA the CD is not included in the materials documentation package for this meeting*)

⇒ Distributed CD copies of the Class I overview (FOIA Exempt information) to Pima County, USDI BLM, and Rosemont contractor (Gordon Cheniae of Cheniae and Associates)

1. Participants viewed Class I Inventory loci maps and survey location maps

2. Described report components

3. Described resource specialists evaluation of data that is needed to sufficiently develop mitigation options

#### Cumulative Effects

1. Resource specialists requested assistance in defining spatial and temporal bounds of analysis for tribal and cultural resources

2. Handout – Page 77 and 79 excerpts from Snowbowl EIS Chapter 3

3. Overview of cumulative effects analysis resources

4. Discussion topics

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a. Magnitude of threshold compromise

b. Indirect effects as a means of informing cumulative

i. Adjacency

ii. Displacement

iii. Access restrictions

iv. Growth and infrastructure

v. Cultural/spiritual landscape of living communities

vi. Multicultural landscapes

vii. Mitigation lands concept

1. Determined that mitigation concepts need coordination, especially for issues of entitlement and desirability
  - c. Displaced values and activities if access is reduced or eliminated
  - d. Spiritual/cultural connections
5. Identification of archeological values and impacts
  - a. Habitation
  - b. Special use sites
  - c. Evaluation of range uses
  - d. Continuity of use
6. Irretrievable resource commitments
7. Multilayered nature of cultural resource issues
8. Need for holistic research designs – not site-by-site
9. Structure hierarchy of archeological values
  - a. Community
  - b. Site type
  - c. Proximate sites
  - d. Complimentary activities
10. Process for incorporation of indirect effects analysis in chapter 3 of the DEIS

**Action Items:**

- ⇒ • Provide comments on survey and inventory to SWCA
  - Provide SWCA spatial and temporal boundaries for indirect effects
- ⇒ Next Meeting of Heritage Subgroup – May 14, 2010 @ 1:00 pm. (time and date tentative)
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**ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT  
SEPTEMBER 2009 STATUS SUMMARY**

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The project status summary and meeting agenda are as follows:

- 1. SWCA ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS PROJECT STATUS BRIEFING**
- 2. FOREST ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT STATUS**  
Suggested modifications to Draft Environmental Impact Statement components and scheduling.
- 3. MOU AND COLLECTION AGREEMENT**  
Suggested modifications to the MOU, including Attachment I, and to the Collection Agreement and Annual Operating Plan.
- 4. PROJECT EXPENDITURES**  
Expenditures for the month of August 2009 total \$55,591.13 (see attached Transaction Summary and Transaction Register).

Sincerely,

  
BEVERLEY A. EVERSON  
Forest Geologist



Sturgess

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Attachments:

Transaction Summary for August 2009

Transaction Register for August 2009

cc: Regional Office Geology and Minerals (Cordts)  
Regional Office Ecosystem Analysis and Planning (Davis)

cc: SWCA Environmental Consultants  
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9-16 1400 MARC.

NEXT MTE. OCT. 5 1400 GVB  
THU OCT. 21 1300 LIB



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### ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT SEPTEMBER 16, 2010 STATUS MEETING

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- 1. FINANCIAL STATUS** August forest expenses total \$38,991.34, bringing the balance of funds to \$125,983.84 through August 2010.
- 2. TECHNICAL REPORTS AND INFORMATION** Numerous groundwater and geochemistry reports received September 9<sup>th</sup> are being inventoried and reviewed now. 404(b)(1) analysis received by the Corps on September 7<sup>th</sup>. Discuss additional or outstanding information needs.
- 3. DEIS PROGRESS STATUS AND SCHEDULE** Compiled DEIS from SWCA today. Two week internal review planned. External review of Chapter 2 is dependent on Corps status and determination on alternatives. Corps has indicated comments on the 404(b)(1) expected by September 21<sup>st</sup>. Weekly conference calls between the Forest, Corps, and Westland continue.
- 4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLANNING UPDATE**

Sincerely,

*Melinda Roth*  
MELINDA D. ROTH  
Special Assistant

Attachments: FY10 Financial Summary, Tracking Report Summary, Tracking Report Details

cc: Regional Office Geology and Minerals (Cordts)  
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cc: SWCA

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Financial Review  
in "Bonds" list

SWCA - some domain  
BA -  
PREPARE NOT 100%  
7/17 JUST BEFORE  
PRINTING.

7/17/10  
MISSING -  
VISIONS  
SOME HEALTHY  
DARK SKIES  
WRITING -  
SPOT AREA, NATURAL  
HOLES IN GEOLOGY  
WAY ON  
REUSE CH. 3/17/10  
WAITING LIST OF  
APPROPRIATE  
DR. POLYMER REPORT ON  
SOCIO-ECONOMIC - WAITING ON  
WAIT FOR MAJORITIES RESPONSE  
ON 404 BEE INPUT. DIVE 2-11  
SWCA WILL ADD RATE OTHER  
RARELY MET CORPS  
REQ 6TH ALT.

ADDITIONAL RF SENSITIVE SPECIES -  
KNOW THERE'S SUITABLE HABITAT BUT HAVEN'T SURVEYED  
YET. SO - BE CONSERVATIVE W/ DEIS - THEN SURVEY.  
RF SENSITIVE SPECIES INCLUDED ON CNF LIST.  
MAY TEND TOWARD LISTING.  
OR - MAY AFFECT INDIVIDUALS BUT NOT TRENDS TOWARD LOSS OF POPULATION

SUMS DONE 9-17  
SUBMIT TO  
RESUBMIT TO  
DSSBY 9-30

REC'D DARK SKIES TECH. REPORT  
LAST WEEK. SMITHSONIAN WILL  
REVIEW.

TM3 - AIR QUALITY  
CHECK W/ SANDRA ROBERTS RE: PRINTING OPTIONS.  
COORD W/ MINDEE.  
BELAINE ULRICH - CORP - # MTR, CITIES, FORMATS - BEFORE  
PUBLISHED.

TRIMIE 5) ALL - CONGRESS JOURNAL + HOLTRAP - PROCESS



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### ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT AUGUST 31, 2010 STATUS MEETING

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1. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLANNING UPDATE**
2. **COORDINATION ACTIVITIES** Coordination with the Army Corps, BLM, EPG and Cooperating Agencies continues. Postcard to the public mailing list regarding DEIS format choices will be mailed soon.
3. **DEIS PROGRESS STATUS AND SCHEDULE** Chapter 1 review comments by Cooperating Agencies, Rosemont, and the Regional Office have been incorporated. Chapter 2 internal draft targeted for review distribution to Cooperating Agencies and Rosemont on September 16<sup>th</sup> pending completion of Army Corps 404(b)(1) Alternatives Analysis and Regional/Washington office review. The current DEIS working draft will be delivered to the Forest on September 15<sup>th</sup> for internal review.
4. **TECHNICAL REPORTS STATUS AND DELIVERY SCHEDULE** The ability to incorporate hydrology and other materials into Chapter 3 is contingent upon the timeliness and quality of products provided.

Sincerely,

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# **Rosemont Copper Project EIS Cooperating Agency Coordination Meeting 02/18/2010 DRAFT Agenda**

**Location:** Federal Building, 300 West Congress, Tucson, Arizona, Room 4B  
**Facilitator:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

## **AGENDA**

09:30 – 09:40	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
09:40 – 10:00	<b>DEIS Rollout Process</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Distribution and Notice</li><li>➤ Communication Plan</li><li>➤ Comments from Agencies and the Public</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
10:00 – 10:30	<b>Public Involvement Toolbox</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Government Briefings</li><li>➤ Public Meetings and Testimony Hearings</li><li>➤ Media Information</li><li>➤ Web-based Social Media</li></ul>	<b>Schewel</b>
10:30 – 10:45	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:45 – 11:00	<b>Cooperating Agency Roles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Joint Public Involvement Processes</li><li>➤ Agency Contacts</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Responding to Comments Process</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Content Analysis</li><li>➤ FEIS</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>

## **INVITED COOPERATING AGENCIES**

**Tribes:** Tohono O'odham Nation  
**Federal:** Air Force, Army COE, BLM, Smithsonian Whipple Observatory  
**State of Arizona:** AZDEQ, AZMMR, AZDWR, AZGF, AZGS, AZSMI, AZSLD, AZSP, ADOT  
**Local:** Pima County, City of Tucson, Town of Sahuarita

## **INVITED GUESTS**

**Consultants:**  
Cheniae & Associates

ROSEMONT MTO 1-26-10

PUBLIC  
PROCESS

DEIS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

90 DAYS COMMENT PERIOD ON DEIS. PHONE-IN ⊕⊕⊕

FIRST + LAST MTGS IN TUCSON.

COOP AGENCIES THERE - TO VALIDATE SOME ACTS NOT LEGALLY PERMISSIBLE.

IF THEY HAVE PERMITS. ADEQ, AOWR

CONGRESSIONALS, LOCAL GOV, COOP AGENCIES - WHAT DO YOU WANT TO SEE?

COMMENTS NEEDED THAT IMPROVE THE WORK WE'VE DONE / IMPROVE THE DOCUMENT.

FOUNT GANIT PURCHASE INSURANCE (RE-OTHER GROUPS SETTING UP). ⊕ + ⊖

T.O. NATION - BASED ON CHAPTER HOUSES - SAN XAVIER CLOSEST.

TANDON

• TUCSON TWO DATES x 2 FIRST + LAST FRI. PM / SAT. ALL DAY

• (SAHURITA / GREEN VALLEY) • VAIL • ELGIN / PATAGONIA / SINOITA - SATURDAY

1 / WEEK FIRST WEEK

MIDDLE - SOLICIT INVITATIONS TO MTGS

END - 1 / WEEK

HEARINGS  
SAT CONCURRENT  
HEARINGS LATER  
FACTS -  
BASED INFO w/  
TRANSLATION

60 TO 70 OTHER MTGS OF  
INVITATION.  
BRIEFING PAPER -  
SCHEDULES / FORMATS  
TO WORK W/ FOLKS.  
RE: ELGIN - FEEB STOCK.

HIRE LOCAL LE + FS LE.

MARCH  
ANNOUNCE LE + FS + COOP

COURT REPORTERS

AGENCY MTO - LIMIT TO PERMITTING ACTIVITY.

DEIS END OF APRIL? SCOPING EARLY MAY.

PUBLIC - MAILINGS / POST CARDS

ROSEMONT BY ~~CAF~~ WEBSITE

NR ON WEBSITE

NRs - TUS / SEAT / CONGRESSIONALS

AT START - ALL MAILING LISTS -

PAID ADS - SCOPING REPORT P.9

THEN WEEK BEFORE NR FOR GEO. AREA.

ALL-STAR / STAR - EAST FOR GEO. LOC.

PSAS - STAR SPANISH SECTION ON TELEMUNDO ETC. + ON T.O. TRUSAL RADIO STATION.

CNF TWITTER

+ PHONE / MAIL / EMAIL

SWCAF DIZART ADS NOW FOR APPROVAL.

~~POSTING FILES ON WEBSITE PEOPLE PRINT / POST~~

SHOW IN STREETS

INFO PACKET - USE HQS VS FOLDER.

EXC26 - SUMMARY, EIS CD - AVAILABLE

FILES OF  
NO AVAILABILITY  
FED REG. NOTICE

CO. BOOK ROOMS, US - CONSENT

• REVERAUS / FOOD / SAFETY PLAN...

SHARE SCHOOLS ETC.

RURAL / RURAL -  
SERVED BY RURAL /  
ELGIN.

PATAGONIA -  
ADEQ WASTE  
CALCULATI -

WOULDN'T HAVE  
CAPACITY THE  
FIRST TIME.

+ LE -  
MARSHAL -  
DIDN'T SHOW  
UP.

# Rosemont Copper Project EIS Cooperating Agency Coordination Meeting 11/19/2009 Agenda

**Location:** Federal Building, 300 West Congress, Tucson, Arizona, Room 4B  
**Facilitator:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

## AGENDA

09:30 – 09:45	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
09:45 – 11:15	<b>Review: Alternative Process</b>	<b>SWCA</b>
	<b>Workshop: Alternative Creation</b> Discussion of another alternative developed by cooperating agencies	<b>SWCA</b>
11:15 – 11:30	<b>Open Discussion</b>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
11:30 – 1:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
1:00 – 2:00	<b>OPTIONAL DISCUSSION – Compensatory Land Mitigation</b>	
	<b>OPTIONAL WORKSHOP – Continuation of Alternative Creation</b>	

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**Presenters:** SWCA Environmental Consultants  
**Consultants:** Cheniae & Associates

*16 PAGES DISMISSED -  
RESEARCHING FOR  
JUSTIFICATION - SOME  
AGAIN BEING CONSIDERED -  
EX. BACEAU.*

*Tom M*

*DQUA-DQL-TIME TRADE*

*POW*

*003&MF JAB*



*806-1746*

*RM REPORT -  
GROWTH -  
DAMNION / CONSENT*

*PIMA CO REPORT, 700 -  
NUSTA - OCT 28*

*PIMA CO - 2007 -  
UNRES, DEV.*

WCA -

ALTS - ALTS = OPTIONS TO ACCOMPLISH

PURPOSE + NEED. SUBSTITUTE FOR PROPOSED ACTION.

CEO REQUIREMENTS - ALTS PART OF ENV. PROPOSED PLAN, NO PLAN + ANOTHER ONE OR MORE. NO PLAN - REQ. IT ESTABLISHES A BASELINE FOR COMPARISON - IS A CONTROL GROUP.

ROSEMONT COOPERATIVE  
AGREEMENT 11-19-09

40 CFR 1502.14 EXPLORE / OBJECTIVELY EVALUATE ALL REASONABLE ALTS,  
+ JUSTIFICATION FOR ELIMINATION OF OTHERS.

FJ DECISION SPACE (FROM ABOVE) =

LEGALLY PERMISSIBLE WITH REASONABLE MITIGATIONS.

REASONABLE ALTS CAN INCLUDE THOSE CONSIDERED TO BE UNDESIRABLE BY  
PROPOSER OR ~~THE~~ LEAD AGENCY OR IS OUTSIDE LEAD AGENCY'S JURIS D.  
ALTS CONSIDERED - REASONABLE NOT FROM PUBLIC / AGENCY.

ALT THAT CONSIDERS SPECIAL RESOURCE CONCERN / ISSUES

ALT THAT PROVIDES MORE COMPREHENSIVE BENEFIT IN TERMS OF  
MEETING THE PURPOSE + NEED THAN THE ~~THE~~ PROPOSED PLAN.

ALTS SHOULD REDUCE SOME ENV. IMPACTS. TRADE-OFFS.

RESPECTFUL DISAGREEMENTS APPROPRIATE AMONG TEAM.

ISSUE - DRIVEN.

NOT CONSIDERED - IMPACTS CAN'T BE REASONABLY ANALYZED.

IMPLEMENTATION IS SPECULATIVE.

RESULTS IN SIMILAR OR GREATER HARM THAN ANOTHER ALT.

IS AS DEFECTIVE AS ANOTHER ALREADY REJECTED BY AGENCY.

IS NOT CONSISTENT WITH PURPOSE + NEED.

ALTS MUST MEET PURPOSE + NEED + BE ISSUE - DRIVEN.

STEPS - REVIEW COMMENTS

ELIMINATE ALTS FROM SO PLAN THAT DON'T MEET PURPOSE + NEED

WORK COOPERATIVELY TO FIND " DON'T DECREASE ENV IMPACTS

ALT. SOLUTIONS TO RESOURCE CONFLICTS.

↓ ALTS FOR DECISIONS OUT OF SCOPE

↓ ISSUES / DETAILS UNRELATED TO PROJECT ALTS.

WIN - STAY / LOSS / NO RESPONSE TO PROCESS

LOSE - STAY / NO RESPONSE

DRAW - ALTS ELIMINATED

MAY BE GOOD, BUT DON'T  
MAKE IT THROUGH THE FILTER.

MITIGATION = SOMETHING THAT CAN BE APPLIED TO ALL ALTS.

CHANGES  
GROUNDWATER FLOW -

KEY ISSUES -  
VIEW FROM  
HOW

SURFACE H2O QUALITY / QUANTITY

WATER IMPACTS LOSS OF

DIRECT / INDIRECT WILDLIFE HABITAT +

RIP RESOURCES → CULTURAL SITES

RECURRING

NIGHT SKIES -

EFFECTS.

SUBJECT  
PUBLIC

PIT = SINK,

FAR - REASONABLE

EFFECTS



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MTG-AGENDA



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### ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT SEPTEMBER 2009 STATUS SUMMARY

Dear Mr. Sturgess:

This meeting serves to fulfill the Forest's commitment to consult with you and keep you informed of progress made in the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) review of the Rosemont Copper Project and to hold monthly meetings to discuss progress and any important issues and/or needs, pursuant to Item D4 of our Memorandum of Understanding (MOU #03-MU-11030510-010, as modified).

The project status summary and meeting agenda are as follows:

**1. RECENT HAPPENINGS**

Newspaper articles, lawsuit filed, Jensen trip.

**2. CONCEPTUAL ALTERNATIVES**

Jeanine is prepared to issue a memo to the ID Team with the range of alternatives and conceptual alternative footprints identified, including the six alternatives we have been exploring as well as additional alternatives. Need Rosemont Copper Company input on the possibility of substituting the McCleary/Barrel - Phased Tailings alternative for the MPO.

**3. PROJECT SCHEDULE AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT STATUS**

The Forest Service is reviewing the Draft EIS product shared on October 16<sup>th</sup> to identify holes, foundational weaknesses, and information gaps. This review, along with Rosemont's outstanding reports timeframes, is what is needed to establish an amended project schedule.

**4. PROJECT EXPENDITURES SUMMARY FOR FY2009**

Estimated expenditures for the month of September total \$103,161.27. Expenditures for FY 2009 are estimated to total \$612,432.27.

**5. COLLECTION AGREEMENT AND ANNUAL OPERATING PLAN**

Discuss a draft annual operating plan. There are some unknowns that may require a later modification.



6. **LANDFORM GRADING AND REVEGETATION SPECIALIST CONTRACT**  
Discuss how to move this need forward.
7. **PROJECT RECORD DIRECTION**  
SWCA has received direction from the Forest Service and should begin compiling the record.
8. **ROSEMONT TALUSSNAIL STATUS**  
US Fish and Wildlife Service has ~~determined~~ that this species may warrant listing as threatened or endangered.  
*Compiled info*

Sincerely,



MELINDA D. ROTH

Attachments:

FY 2009 Financial Summary  
Landform and Grading Design Consultation Proposal  
US Fish and Wildlife Service Talussnail Memo

ec: Regional Office Geology and Minerals (Cordts)  
Regional Office Ecosystem Analysis and Planning (Davis)

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Dear Mr. Sturgess;

As the designated Forest Service contact for the Rosemont Copper Project, I am providing you the following monthly meeting status summary / agenda. This monthly meeting will fulfill Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Item D4 to consult with and keep Proponent informed of progress made in the NEPA review and to hold meetings with the Proponent on a monthly basis to discuss progress and any important issues and/or needs.

## MARCH STATUS SUMMARY / AGENDA

### 1. REVIEW OF ROLES

**Forest Service** – Agency management oversight of this project will be provided by the newly assigned Deputy Forest Supervisor, Reta Laford. Forest Supervisor, Jeanine Derby, retains agency decision making authority. I am the designated Forest Service point of contact for all matters related to the preparation of the environmental impact statement (MOU Item D3).

**Proponent** – Your company's communications with the Forest Service and the Prime Consultant are limited to matters of budget, schedule, and fulfillment of information requests (MOU Item C8).

**Prime Consultant** – The Prime Consultant is under supervision of the Forest Service (MOU Item E1).

### 2. SCOPING

**Formal Comment Period** – The formal comment period on the proposed action has been extended to May 19, 2008.

**Additional Open House** – An additional open house will be held at the Cienega High School in Vail, AZ, on April 5, 2008, from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Availability of Received Comments** – Received comments will be simultaneously available to the Proponent and public, subject to FOIA considerations, via the internet. Comments received during the first scoping period will be posted shortly after April 18, 2008, corresponding with the original comment period. Other comments received during the scoping period will be posted shortly after May 19, 2008, corresponding with the close of the formal comment period.



**Listening Session (Hearing)** – A listening session (hearing) is being planned prior to the close of the formal comment period on the proposed action.

### **3. COOPERATING AGENCIES**

**Identification of Potential Cooperating Agencies** – With consideration of the comments received on the proposed action, the Forest Service will identify other agencies to inform and invite to participate as cooperating agencies. Notice and invitation to potential cooperating agencies will be made after the close of the formal comment period.

### **4. COST-RECOVERY AGREEMENT**

**Hydrology Expertise** – The Forest Service is considering hiring an additional hydrologist, which may entail an adjustment of the Cost-Recovery Agreement.

### **5. SCHEDULE**

The following items are still in progress: identification of agency interdisciplinary team, public participation plan, and public scoping meetings. Scoping comment evaluation will be ongoing, but the final scoping report will be slightly delayed due to extension of the formal comment period. Other post-scoping targets remain on track.

Now that the NEPA process is underway, at a minimum I will hold monthly coordination meetings between the Forest Service and Proponent (MOU Item D4). I may also hold meetings as the agency deems appropriate. To facilitate the exchange of information and future meetings, I will provide advance notice similar to the format of this letter.

Sincerely,



Beverley Everson  
Forest Geologist

3-7-08

Tom, Melissa, Bev, John,  
Gus, ME  
Travis, Reta

MIKE LINDSW - R3 GEOLOGIST.

NO PRECEDENT FOR DENYING MPO (MINING PLAN OF OPS).

NO AXN - NO PRECEDENT FOR USING IT. UNCLEAR AS TO WHAT IT WILL BE.

POSSIBLE MINE WON'T HAPPEN? ALTERNATIVES POSSIBLE - NOT W/ PRECEDENT OF FT TO DENY IT. (Tom). MAJORITY OF PIT ON PVT. LAND, ALTERNATIVES NOT DEVELOPED TO SAY WHAT NO AXN WILL BE. IF REASON TO BREAK PRECEDENT - CONCLUSIVE ROSEMONT COULD MINE ON PVT LANDS. NO ARES YET, NOT ANALYZED. DO NEPA - SO PUBLIC CAN ASK QUESTIONS.

How FT STOP IT? - "RADICALLY NEUTRAL"

LOOK @ IMPACTS PROTECT WILL HAVE ON NE LANDS + MAKE RECOMMENDATION BY RULE - ENTIRE LEGAL PROCESS FOLLOWED UNUSUAL + PUBLIC HEARD + COMMENTS IN DECISIONS WE MAKE IN FUTURE (FAVE).

NOT OUT TO TO PREVENT SOM - MOVE THIS PIECE OF LAND INTO THE FUTURE w/ SUSTAINABLE NAME.

BEV: ADVANTAGE PROP. ALLOWING TO STATUTORY + REGULATORY DIRECTION.

FAVE: VERY WELL - DEMAND PROCEEDED.

F: PUBLIC RESOURCE = CHANGES THE LAW. WE ACT W/ CONFINES OF CURRENT REGS. CONGRESSIONAL HEARING - HAVEN - SAID "I."

T: PROMPT TO REQ. OF LAW TO RESPOND TO MPO - COME TO PUBLIC...

IS AUTHORITY TO DENY IT? NO. SPARK ON BASIS OF AUTHORITY. IF WE HAVE LIMITED ALTERNATIVES - KEEP IN MIND OF WHAT WE CAN CONTROL + ITS PROJECT RELATED TO.

BEV: NOT LEGAL PART OF BEV. IMPACTS PROTECT WILL HAVE ON LAND + NE REGS

WE EXECUTE, NOT UNDER THE PROGRESSIVE THERE. F

LAW IS ~~SUBJECT~~ EXPL WITH ADVICE TO LANDS WE HAVE, NOT LAND WE WANT TO OPEN NO AXN ARE DEVELOPED IN DEFS. RETURN TO LEG. GUIDELINES FOR NEPA = PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT => BEV. REASONABLE RANGE OF ALTERNATIVES.

F: FT GUARANTEE OF WHAT WE MANAGE.

WE GET TOO EARLY IN THE PROCESS TO ASK TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION. IS

T: MPO HOUSE - TAKE THEIR Frustration/THAT => SPECIFIC ISSUE STATEMENT.

PLAN - ANALYZE UNDER REGS OF NEPA. FT ACCEPTED, NOT APPROVED, FULL NEPA

PROTECTS, QUALITY IMPACT, <sup>COMMITTEE</sup> FROM PUBLIC WHAT ISSUES ARE. Tom

K: NO AXN ACT - CONSIDERS W/ PROCESS OF EIS - LINDSW COMMENTS.

T: PROTECT PROPOSING PURPOSE AXN (MPO) IF NOT FT PROPOSED AXN - EVALUATED

IF APPROPRIATE APPROVES IT, OR HOW APPROVED TO BE APPROVED.

M AXN = NO AXN W/ FT, NOT PROTECT.

LEG REGS REG. NO AXN, + FOR PURPOSES OF ESTABLISHING A BASELINE FOR ANALYSIS. <sup>THE</sup> PURPOSE UNDER NEPA FOR BASIS OF EVAL. NOT USUALLY THOUGHT. NEPA IS

IF PUBLIC THINKS THE  
SELECTION - THAT  
MAY BE CHOSEN.  
MAY BE APPROVED  
MAY BE  
TOOL.

USE LINDEN'S COMMENTS IN NR.

TO START DESIG DON'T NEED TO KNOW ALL DETAILS - EX, GROUND H2O - DESIG =  
DEV. REASONABLE RANGE OF ALTERNATIVES. LATER INTO PROCESS - TO H2O SOURCES.

COMMENTS - EX. 30 DAYS - TRAINING CAN EXTEND.

- NOI IN FEDERAL REGISTER TUES. OR WED. NR TUES. OR WED.

NOT DUMB - DELAY UNTIL HAVE WHAT'S NEEDED. H2O. BONDING TO SUPPORT RISK.

ABCE - REGULATORY PAPER → RJ PAO → COBEW.

- MOU - DISCUSS DISCLOSURE BY ROSSMONT, FS ⊕ RECOMMENDATIONS.

- ALL SCANNED/SCANNED DOCS - JOHN WILL REMOVE SIGNATURES.

- PUBLIC MEETS. WED. AM = PRIVATE DEADLINE. REFLECTIVE LISTENING.

VIABLE PROJECT? FOR ANALYSIS TO DETERMINE. ROSSMONT PROPOSES IT IS. AMANUEL WITH

PERIODIC DATA TO DETERMINE, COMPANY'S CALL - THEIR \$ RISK, INVESTMENT... MUCH

COULD CHANGE DURING THE PROJECT - INFLUENCE ECONOMIC VIABILITY.

TOUGH QUESTIONS - PUT IN COMMENTS, WRITE DOWN. GETS INTO PROCESS DESIGNS TO

ACCOMMODATE THEM.

INTERNAL ?'S REFLECTIVE OF WHAT EXTERNAL ?'S ARE.

FACT SHEET PRESENTED W/ WEBSITE = THEY CAN READ INFO, FORM OPINION, COMMENT.

BEGINNING OF PROCESS - OTHER OPPEN TO COMMENT.

2 PROPOSALS - ROSSMONT'S PROPOSAL  
FS PROPOSAL AXN.

↑ EIRA TECH  
↑ ENGINEERING - BACKGROUND.  
JAMIE, DANNY ARNOLD WILL BE THERE

ROSSMONT PARTICIPATION - THEM TO (NON-ADVOCATE) ANSWER ?'S DESCRIBE WHAT THEY PROPOSED.

PER KIM - MARY + JOHN FEL. HARD TO SELL LT. "STRONGPOINTS."

MINE - CLARIFY PROPOSAL TO CNF, PERIOD, TRAINING - FACTUAL, DONT COMPROMISE NEPA.

FS CASUAL UNIFORMS W/ NAME TAG.

Rosemont MPO review meeting August 28, 2007

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2011 PUBLIC MTGS.

• REVISE NOI -  
SCHEDULE + MTG PLANS

• DEIS PUBLISHED = NOA  
SERENA <sup>HALL</sup> CHECKING LOCATIONS

APPROPRIATE LE - INTERVENE BEFORE ESCALATE.  
SAFETY PLAN

MELISSA - POSTCARDS DUE TO REQUEST FORMAT PREFERENCE FOR DEIS

ROSEMONT/STRONGHOLD HAVE MAILING PERMIT.

AGENCY SITE  
PROJECT SITE

WEBSITE - SOPA - NEW FEATURE = ATTACH DOCUMENTS = DELIVERY OPTION  
FEATURE - CAN READ IT TO BLIND

LIMEHOUSE ONLINE COMMENT SERVICE      AQUALITE - <sup>NATIONAL</sup> CONTRACT - FUTURE CONTENT ANALYSIS

ROSEMONT PROJECT (2) VIDEO + PERSON

1-8-11 TULSON MTGS - PRESENTATION =>

HEARING W/ STENOGRAPHER

COURT REPORTER  
COURT STENOGRAPHER

FIRST - SIMS ON SIDE LINES W/ TABLE INFO FOR DISCUSSIONS + Q+A.

FOR INDIVIDUAL COMMENTS

SAT. IF AUDIO RECORDING - FOR HEARING ONLY (SEPARATE CONTRACTOR).

SIMS BAR - COURT RECORDER CAN READ BACK TO ENSURE GOT IT CORRECTLY.

PRESENTATION - PRE-SCRIPTED VIDEO CLIPS.

FIRST MTG SAT. 10-1300 OPEN HOUSE 1300 PRIOR => HEARING

OFFER POLITICOS FIRST MIC. SENATE -> CONGRESS -> LOCAL

1 POC LINEUP AS SPEAKER CARDS - # AT COME IN, SPEAK IN THAT ORDER.

AS ENTER BLDG, LIKE TAKING TICKETS.

PROPOSE ↓ SIGN-W FOR ATTENDEES, SPEAKERS PROVIDE INFO ON SPEAKER CARDS.

SIDE BAR COMMENTS - FOLKS SIGN CARD LIKE SPEAKER CARD.

ONE PROP BOX W/ LE.

MAIL COMMENT FORMS BLACK+WHITE => P.O. BOX USED FOR THAT PURPOSE ONLY.

COOP. AGENCY BOOTHS @ <sup>1ST</sup> TUS MTG, W/ INFO RE - THEIR ROLE/SPECIALTY.

2ND TUS MTG - HEARING ONLY - @ END - SAT.

NEW CONF MIND - WEEK PRIOR TO FIRST SAT MTG USE SOME VIDEO FROM PRESENTATION.

FS - PROCESS, ROSEMONT INVITED - (PROBABLY NOT PARTICIPATED),

1. TULSON SAT. 1-8-11

2. BENSON WED. 1-12-11

3. SAHURTA SAT. 1-15-11

4. ELGIN SAT. 1-22-11

5. VAIL SAT. 1-29-11

6. TULSON SAT. 1-7-11

HAVE FT<sup>2</sup> REQUIREMENT.  
PATAHOMA TOO SMALL.

REGISTRATION  
NO SIGN-W -  
TALLY APPEAR  
+ SPEAKER  
CARDS

NEW CONF

OP-ED

FS  
- FS LEO - HS  
MSG/MTG TO  
COORS - HS/RL

- SWCA - CLICK PEOPLE IN
- COLLECTION OF COMMENTS
- NAME TAGS DISTINGUISH FS/SWCA/CO.
- CLICK FOLKS IN
- SPEAKER CARDS
- LE
- SAFETY PLAN
- POST CARDS. - <sup>VERBAL COMMENTS</sup>
- COURT REPORTER - <sup>RECORDED COMMENTS</sup>

ROSEMONT/STRONGPOINT/TETRA TECH

- STMT IN VIDEO PRESENTATION
- REPRESENTATIVE
- BEHIND THE SCENES
- PRE-PREPARED PREZ/MTG HELP
- PROVIDE SMS WHEN OURS CAN'T MAKE MTGS
- MODERATORS - ANNOUNCER + CARDS - VERBAL +
- PAID ADS (REC. COPY/PRODUCT FROM SWCA) VISUAL
- SIGN LANGUAGE
- AVOID RECORDING

OP-ED - SUNDAY

MAKE MEDIA PROCESS CLEAR @ PRESS CONFERENCE.

PROPOSAL PROCESS PLAYERS ROLES PLACE IN PROCESS NEXT STEPS

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

MTGS - SMS - TALKING POINTS THEY GENERATE, TRAW TO BRING TO KEY POINTS. ASSUME ANTHONY SAID WILL BE RECORDED (PHONE, UWB TUBE ---) PRE-MTG MTG W/ FS SMS/SWCA TECH. SPECIALISTS

SPEAK FROM DEFS.

SAFETY PLANS - SWCA GENERATE, USE PREVIOUS ONES/BLUEPRINTS.

LE - ROSEMONT - LOCAL + FS

CLOSER TO MTGS - 1 LEO / MTG FOR FS EMPLOYEE PROTECTION.

" - PRE-SITE VISITS - OUR GROUP + CHRIS/LE REIA, MARY, SENSMA, MELUJA, JONATHAN.

EXERCISES - NO BOOTHS. CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE. SCHOOL RULES <sup>BE</sup> WHERE

THEY CAN SET UP = WE DON'T HOST EXTERNAL GROUPS. PUBLIC / GROUPS FOLLOW FACILITY RULES. INGRESS/EGRESS. INTERNAL/CO-OP AGREEMENTS - MOU.

GRANT INVITE TO COOP AGREEMENTS - RETA + I

REFRESHMENTS - H2O

HQS - OFFER CD DEFS OR CD EXECUTIVE SUMMARIES

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY PRIMARY CD (W/ WEBSITE) - ROSEMONT, AGENCY, COMMENT LINE.

COMMENT CARDS (W/ WEBSITE)

POSTER BOARD - TOPIC <sup>KEY RESOURCE AREA</sup> REASON KEY POINTS - H2O, VISUAL... FIGURES FROM DEFS W/ MATHS OF ACTS.

SWCA PROMULCE, STRONGPOINT REVIEW / CRITIQUE - FRESH EYES.

FS PREZ - RETA + STRONG POINT

PROFESSIONAL MODERATORS - ROSEMONT. AFTER TIMES UP, STOP RECORDING.

+ PEOPLE TO QUE SPEAKER - TIME LEFT, CARA

SIGN LANGUAGE @ THIS MTG, ANNOUNCE ON AD - SIGN @ HEARING, AVAILABLE FOR ASK HOUSES

MRS (+ MARYANN) HOW TO COMMENT IN SWHWT + SPANWHT.

ASK ABLE FOR PHONE RECORDING B/E. COURT REPORTERS TRANSCRIPT, SWCA PROMULCE CD.

*PUBLIC PROCESS*

DRAFT – NOT FOR PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION – Public Process Ideas for EIS

Objectives:

1. Give everyone the opportunity to learn about the draft EIS
2. Give everyone who wants it a chance to comment
3. Ensure equity and consistency of formats and opportunities in all locations
4. Ensure that all who attend have the chance to get information or comment
5. Make the sessions convenient, if possible, for attendees

Locations/Geography:

1. Tucson
2. Vail
3. Sahuarita/Green Valley
4. Green Valley
5. Elgin/Sonoita/Patagonia
6. Tucson

Format:

1. Follow the same format at each location. More populated areas might need larger venues or longer meetings times.
2. Begin with a presentation to frame expectations (20 to 30 minutes?) on NEPA process and key points of DEIS
3. Followed by an open house format for questions if someone wants details on a specific topic following presentation
4. Followed by a public hearing time period
5. Have a court reporter-type person(s) in a corner or off to the side immediately following the overview presentation to accommodate those who have already read the DEIS and want to comment and leave – time limit for comments?
6. End each meeting with public hearing-type comments with first-come, first speak. process and 2- or 3-minute time limit
7. Allow information tables outside the meeting location, but follow the 75-foot stipulation used with polling places. Table participants must register in advance.

Outreach for Communications

1. Postcard/mailing to those who commented previously
2. EIS website – USFS
3. News releases to media
4. Paid advertising
  - a. English and Spanish
  - b. Print and radio?
5. Social media such as Twitter
6. Plan to elected officials

Possible timing

Week 1 – public meeting

Tucson – Friday or Saturday (4/23-4/24)

Week 2 – public meeting

Sahuarita – Mid week late afternoon and evening (4/25-5/1)

Week 3 – No meetings, let people utilize other comment options (5/2-5/8)

Week 4 – public meetings

Green Valley – mid week (5/9-5/15)

Patagonia – Friday or Saturday (5/14 or 5/15)

Week 5 – No meetings (5/16-5/22)

Week 6 – public meetings

Elgin – mid week (5/23-5/29)

Vail – mid week (5/23-5/29)

Week 7 – No meetings (5/30-6/5)

Week 8 – No meetings (6/6-6/12)

Week 89 – public meeting

Tucson – Friday or Saturday (6/18 – 6/19)

Ongoing opportunities for everyone to comment throughout entire comment period

1. At public process events
  - a. In writing – return forms there or by mail or fax
  - b. With court reporter
2. Online
3. Phone line recording
4. Email
5. Fax
6. Traditional mail – letters or forms

## DEIS Public Participation Draft Plan

*As of 2/4/10*

Trigger: DEIS published

Strategy: One meeting per community except for two in Tucson

- Same format for all if at all possible (exceptions only if dictated by location limitations)
- Stenographer/court reporter at each from the beginning
- Overview presentation followed by open house format followed by hearing with open mic. If location dictates, presentation will be given followed by open house in one large room and hearing with open mic in another room with stenographer ongoing throughout the event.

Coordination:

- USFS/SWCA proposing that Rosemont will arrange for and contract with the venues (with agreement from USFS on the specific locations), provide for audio-visual, furniture, law enforcement and refreshments (if any), as well as DEIS cds made available to the public

Week 1

- **Op Ed** – from USFS about legal framework, public participation process, overview of DEIS contents, dates (same information to be in the cover letter of DEIS and on website) and locations for meetings sent to Star and Wick publications and requested to run on **Sunday**

Week 2

- **News conference** with USFS, Rosemont invited to participate to reiterate the points above and to give the press a Q & A for the meetings – **mid week**
- **Tucson**– First meeting. USFS would like to do both **Friday night/Saturday** for the first meeting due to high turnout expected. Locations suggested: Tucson Convention Center or Tucson Music Hall/Leo Rich Theater combo (across a plaza from each other)

Week 3

- **Sierra Vista** – Evening or Saturday
- **Sahuarita/Green Valley** – Saturday (if SV is in evening) Sahuarita HS suggested venue

Week 4

- **Elgin** – Saturday (High School suggested as only feasible venue. Logistics discussed were presentation and hearing in the one large room and open house information in smaller rooms)
- **Vail** – mid week (Cienega HS suggested as venue)

Weeks 5 and 6

- No meetings

Week 7

- **Tucson** – Saturday

# IAP2 Spectrum

## of Public Participation



International Association  
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Increasing Level of Public Impact 

### Inform

To provide the public with balanced and objective information to assist them in understanding the problem, alternatives, opportunities and/or solutions.

### Consult

To obtain public feedback on analysis, alternatives and/or decisions.

### Involve

To work directly with the public throughout the process to ensure that public concerns and aspirations are consistently understood and considered.

### Collaborate

To partner with the public in each aspect of the decision including the development of alternatives and the identification of the preferred solution.

### Empower

To place final decision-making in the hands of the public.

Public participation goal

Promise to the public

We will keep you informed.

We will keep you informed, listen to and acknowledge concerns and aspirations, and provide feedback on how public input influenced the decision.

We will work with you to ensure that your concerns and aspirations are directly reflected in the alternatives developed and provide feedback on how public input influenced the decision.

We will look to you for advice and innovation in formulating solutions and incorporate your advice and recommendations into the decisions to the maximum extent possible.

We will implement what you decide.

Example techniques

- Fact sheets
- Web sites
- Open houses

- Public comment
- Focus groups
- Surveys
- Public meetings

- Workshops
- Deliberative polling

- Citizen advisory committees
- Consensus-building
- Participatory decision-making

- Citizen juries
- Ballots
- Delegated decision

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FOR DEVELOPING PUBLIC  
PARTICIPATION PLANS

STEP 1 - GAIN INTERNAL COMMITMENT

2 - TALK TO STAKEHOLDERS

3 - DETERMINE THE LEVEL OF IMPACT THE PUBLIC CAN HAVE ON THE DECISION.

4 - ESTABLISH THE PARTICIPATION OBJECTIVES + INTEGRATE THEM W/ NEED OBJECTIVES.

5 - DEVELOP PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLAN

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USE THIS

NEPA Step	Milestone	Communication	Task	Spectrum of Engagement	Delivery Method(s)	Frequency/ Number	Audience	Manager	Approver	
NOI	Publish in Federal Register	News Release	Publish	Inform	Email, Internet	1	Media, Key Stakeholders, Congressionals, CNF FLT, IDT, Consultants, CNF Frontliners, RO, Proponent	Able	Derby	
	Publish on website	Web Page	Publish Online	Inform	Internet	1	All	Able	Able	
Scoping	Comment Period	Scoping Meetings	Open House	Inform/Consult	Public Meeting	6	Public, Congressionals, Cooperating Agencies, Media	Able		
			Hearing	Consult	Public Meeting	3	Public, Congressionals, Cooperating Agencies, Media	Able		
	Scoping Report	Document	Publish	Inform	Distribute	1	All	Everson		
			Publish Online	Inform	Internet	?	All	Everson		
			Presentation	Involve	Public Meeting	3	All	Able	Laford	
	Issues and Alternatives	Hosted Community Forums	Key Stakeholder Meeting	Informal Small Group Dialog	Involve	Informal Meeting	As Needed	Invited Key Stakeholders	Able	Laford
			Water Forum (Sahuarita)		Involve	Public Meeting	1	All	Able	
			Transportation Forum (Sonoita)		Involve	Public Meeting	1			
			Socio-Economic Forum (Vail)		Involve	Public Meeting	1	All	Able	Laford
			Mine Design Forum (Tucson)		Involve	Public Meeting	1	All	Able	
		Wildlife Forum (Green Valley)		Involve	Public Meeting	1	All	Able		
Draft EIS	Publish	News Release	Publish	Inform	Email, Public	1	All	Able	Derby	
		DEIS Comment Period	Hearing	Consult	Meeting	3	All	Able	Laford	

MEDIA/  
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## Rosemont Copper DEIS Rollout Public Participation Timeline

### **Prior to DEIS release:**

Develop talking points/FAQs for dissemination and posting on website at time of DEIS release.

Develop op-ed piece for printing on a Sunday one or two weeks before the release of the DEIS. Post link on website, send link out on TWITTER.

Hold press conference the week following the op-ed printing to discuss the history of the proposal, legal framework, process used to develop DEIS, DEIS, process to release the DEIS, and process for public involvement. Timing of this would be just prior to the DEIS release.

Send/post to website News Release out just prior to release of DEIS.

### **Following DEIS release:**

Shortly after the DEIS release, host open houses/hearings weekly beginning in May. Each meeting will have educational opportunities as well as a two- to three-minute per person opportunity to speak. Comment forms will be provided and can be filled out on site or mailed in. A court stenographer will be present at each meeting to record comments. Comments can also be made online through Limehouse, on a phone recording, through email, by FAX or by traditional mail.

### **Week one:**

Public meeting in Sierra Vista, mid-week evening.  
Public meeting in Sahuarita/Green Valley, Saturday.

### **Week two:**

Public meeting in Elgin, Saturday.  
Public meeting in Vail, mid week evening.

### **Week five:**

Public meeting in Tucson.

PUBLIC  
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January 25, 2010

**DRAFT DELIBERATIVE PRODUCT**  
**Public Participation Plan**  
**for**  
**Rosemont Copper Project DEIS Comment Period**

Locations, number of meetings, structure of meetings:

- One meeting per week, beginning in May
- Elgin – Saturday Open House
- Patagonia – Hearing
- Sahuarita – (covers Green Valley and Tohono Nation) School
- Tucson – 2 meetings, one early and one late in comment period, TCC? County to validate parking passes?
- Vail – H.S.

Provide a stenographer at small group meetings

Get strategic buy-in from elected officials

Have a Safety Plan, LE plan

How do we get the word out:

- Postcard to mailing list
- CNF website
- News Releases
- Paid announcements – AZ Daily Star, Sahuarita Sun, GV News, Spanish, T.O. radio, twitter
- Prepare products now
- Phonenumber worked well during scoping

Notice of Availability – understand the FR process, timeframes, coordination with EPA...

Have information available at meetings – DEIS Summary, CD, NOA, comment form

SWCA – outline of our game plan, share with Rosemont

Next meeting – 2/4, room 6V6 after Status meeting

**ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT**  
**FY10 Financial Summary**

	Expenditures	Deposits	Balance
Estimated Rollover Funds from 2009			\$128,679.73
October Expenditures	\$ 22,984.74		\$105,694.99
November Expenditures	\$ 74,816.67		\$ 30,878.32
December Expenditures	\$ 48,356.33		\$ (17,478.01)
January Deposit		\$363,870.50	\$346,392.49
January Expenditures	\$ 76,506.87		\$269,885.62
February Expenditures	\$101,884.02		\$168,001.60
March Expenditures	\$ 15,620.99		\$152,380.61
April Expenditures	\$ 62,957.57		\$ 89,423.04
May Expenditures	\$ 27,899.39		\$ 61,523.65
Supplemental Deposit		\$ 37,152.00	\$ 98,675.65
Quarterly Deposit		\$181,935.25	\$280,610.90
June Expenditures	\$ 58,137.44		\$222,473.46
FY09 Rollover Adjustment	\$ 9,000.00		\$213,473.46
July Expenditures	\$ 48,498.28		\$164,975.18
August Expenditures	\$ 38,991.34		\$125,983.84
Quarterly Deposit		\$181,935.25	\$
September Expenditures	\$		\$
Estimated Rollover Funds from 2010			\$

**HORST J. SCHOR**  
**DRAFT PROPOSAL FOR INITIAL CONSULTING ASSIGNMENT**  
**ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT**

October 12, 2009

Three day trip to Tucson and the project site consisting of:

1. First day – **am** flight in - **pm** introductory meeting and initial review of plans and documents.
2. Second day – all day office meetings and field trip to site.
3. Third day – **am** follow up meetings and discussions, **pm** return flight

While there, I would like to review any full size plans available including maps of the existing topography and hydrology, aerial photos, mine grading and drainage plans and proposals, available geologic and soils maps and any geotechnical reports and findings, EIS documents as well as anything else that would help me formulate a picture of the situation and to arrive at possible alternative approach concepts to it.

I would to also like to be informed of the following:

1. A brief history of events that led to the current stage
2. The mine proponent's position regarding his proposal
3. A summary of the various inputs both pro and con that have been received so far
4. The local, regional, state and federal agency positions and **politics** of this proposed project

I am estimating the cost to be as follows:

Three days consulting: 3 days x 8 hours x \$250/hr = \$6,000

Travel expenses ..... = \$1,500

Total estimated proposal.....=**\$7,500**

The travel expense estimate is based upon a round trip flight from Orange County to Tucson, two nights accommodation in Tucson, three days car rental and gas, three days meals.

## HORST J. SCHOR RESUME/BIOGRAPHY

Mr. Schor's professional career spans more than 30 years and has included civil engineering and land planning for, and the management of the development of large scale hillside mixed use Planned Communities in southern California, i.e. Anaheim Hills 4,300 acres and Talega, 3,000 acres both in the County of Orange. During this time he developed his Landform Grading and Revegetation Concept to replicate natural slope and landforms as a means to mitigate for natural topography and landscape destroyed by human activities or natural processes.

Since 1991 he has been an independent consultant to private and public entities specializing in Land Development Projects and in Landform/Geomorphic Creation or Restoration Projects for various private clients and public entities, such as The City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Syncrude Oil of Alberta, Canada, the State of Kentucky EPA, the Virginia Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, the State of New Mexico Land Office, Chevron Mining Corporation and the Navajo EPA Water Quality Division.

In 1999 he was appointed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency to a six member panel of experts as a landform/geomorphic restoration specialist to develop improvements in the mining reclamation process in the mountain top removal/valley fill of coal mining in the Appalachian Mountains. He also participated in numerous forums conducted by OSM (Office of Surface Mining), EPA, Mining Engineers Panels, and others.

He has provided mine reclamation consulting in diverse locations including the oil sands operations at Fort McMurray in Northern Alberta, Canada, coal mining in the Appalachian Mountains and on the Navajo Reservation, and most recently, in northern New Mexico on a large molybdenum mine.

He holds degrees in Civil Engineering and Land Surveying and in Geography with a specialization in Urban Planning. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Articles on his "*Landform Grading and Revegetation*" concept have been published by the American Society of Civil Engineers Geotechnical Journal, the Urban Land Institute, Landscape Architect and Specifier News, the Los Angeles Times and others. He has also received an Award of Merit from the American Planning Association for his concepts.

Mr. Schor has regularly presented his concepts as a guest lecturer at the University of Wisconsin College of Engineering, the University of California at Irvine and also, at the invitation of the University of Dresden's, (Germany) School of Landscape Architecture.

In 2007 John Wiley & Sons, Inc. published his book entitled "*Landforming; an Environmental Approach to Hillside Development, Mine Reclamation and Watershed Restoration.*"

**September 10, 2008**  
**Proposed Rosemont Copper Company Project**  
**IDT Meeting Agenda**

**Location:** National Advanced Fire and Resource Institute, 3265 East Universal Way, Tucson, Arizona, 520.799.8787, Link to Web site with map:  
[http://www.nafri.gov/Assets/NAFRI\\_areamap.pdf](http://www.nafri.gov/Assets/NAFRI_areamap.pdf)

**Attendees:** Rosemont Copper Project Interdisciplinary Team Members

**Agenda:**

8:30 – 9:00 - Refreshments and sign-in

9:00 – 9:30 - Welcome and opening statement from Jeanine Derby

9:30 – 10:00 – NEPA timeline (Teresa Ann Ciapusci and Tom Furgason)

10:00 – 10:15 – Break

10:15 – 11:15 - Team & Other Operations (Reta Laford):

Project Initiation Letter

Ethics and conduct for Federal employees

Roles of Forest Service and SWCA team members. Roles of proponent & their consultants

Communication strategy

Memorandum of Understanding between Forest Service and Rosemont Copper Company

11:15 – 11:30 – Discussion

11:30 – 12:30 – Lunch (participants can bring a lunch or eat at local restaurants)

12:30 – 1:00 - Rosemont Junction area history (Bill Gillespie)

1:00 - 1:30 - Overview of project, and ore deposit geology (Bev Everson)

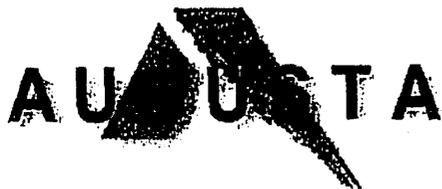
1:30 – 1:45 - Discussion

1:45 – 2:00 – Break

2:15 – 3:00 - Legal framework, locatable minerals direction and policy, and patenting (Mike Linden)

3:00 – 3:30 - Webex (John Able)

3:30 – 4:00 - Team meeting scheduling, close-out (Everson)

**Fellow Shareholders,**

I am pleased to provide you with an update on Augusta's activities for the first quarter of 2009.

Augusta's flagship property is the Rosemont property in Arizona, where we are developing a large, low-cost copper mine that when developed will be the third largest copper mine in the US and will account for about 10% of US copper production. Rosemont's forecast production of high quality copper concentrates are already in strong demand from potential customers. We believe this is one of the best copper development opportunities available anywhere in the world due to the near-term timing, the quality of the product, the robust economics and the low geopolitical risk.

During the quarter we published an updated feasibility study that confirmed Rosemont as a low-cost, low-risk project and provided the basis for continued discussions on financing the project. We also made significant progress toward completing basic engineering and securing the necessary permits to get the Rosemont mine into production. We have now paid deposits on all critical long lead-time capital equipment and are gearing up to break ground in the latter half of 2010 following regulatory approval, expected in July 2010.

***Feasibility Study***

The updated feasibility study released in January also incorporates the best in sustainability and environmental practices. Rosemont is located in one of the world's most enviable mining jurisdictions and is well serviced with existing infrastructure, including paved highway access and nearby transmission lines, rail lines and direct connections to a major ocean port.

Using a long-term copper price of US\$1.85 per pound and the planned total investment of US\$ 897 million, the project generates an after tax, unleveraged net present value of US\$1.2 billion using a 5% discount rate, with an after-tax internal rate of return of 17.8% and full capital payback in 5 years.

Cash costs were estimated in the range of US\$0.52-\$0.62 per pound of copper, net of by-product credits, placing Rosemont in the lowest quartile compared to industry average costs. With current known mineral reserves the mine will operate for 21 years, although with ongoing exploration and a continued strong copper outlook we are confident it will extend much longer given the sizeable resource base.

***Detailed Engineering***

We continued to advance the civil engineering design work during the first quarter to ensure we remain on track for completion. Work continues on the finalization of the process flow diagrams. Full engineering is now 35% complete.

***Permitting***

During the quarter we also continued to move forward with the federal, state, and local permitting processes. A critical component for project approval is completion of an Environmental Impact Statement, which is currently under way and scheduled for completion by the end of 2009. We have already secured the water use and mineral processing permits, and by the end of this year we expect to also have the land reclamation, water reclamation and air quality permits in place. The approval process will conclude with a Record of Decision from the US Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management in July 2010, after which time we can begin construction of the mine.

***Financing***

In February we raised \$5 million in a private placement that provided the company with additional funds to complete the detailed engineering and permitting work. The financing was subscribed entirely by Kestrel Holdings Ltd., a private company held by Vancouver mining entrepreneur Ross Beaty. Mr. Beaty is well regarded in the mining industry and has led a number of highly successful exploration and development companies. His investment in Augusta sent a strong signal to the market about the inherent value in the company. We now have a strong base of knowledgeable long-term shareholders who understand the project and will support its development.

Longer term, we have a need to raise \$900 million to build the mine and our focus this past quarter was to identify and explore financing alternatives. Market conditions have not been favourable for large debt financings; however the demand for Rosemont's high quality copper concentrates and the robust economics of the project will drive our financing strategy. We have advanced a number of financing alternatives that will allow us to raise the capital required for the ongoing development of Rosemont.

***Share Price***

During the first quarter we continued to meet with shareholders and the investment community to keep them apprised on development activities. We attended several large investor conferences and conducted road shows in Toronto and New York. Recently we also launched a series of "virtual" shareholder meetings that allowed us to meet with potential institutional investors using web-based video technology. We are working hard to communicate openly with investors and potential customers to ensure the market for our shares reflects fair valuation levels.

This is a very exciting time for Augusta as we work diligently to complete engineering and permitting and move Rosemont to construction in 2010. Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,



Gil Clausen  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
May 11, 2009

# **Rosemont Copper Project EIS Cooperating Agency Coordination Meeting 02/18/2010 DRAFT Agenda**

**Location:** Federal Building, 300 West Congress, Tucson, Arizona, Room 4B  
**Facilitator:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci, Cooperating Agency Liaison

## **AGENDA**

09:30 – 09:40	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
09:40 – 10:00	<b>DEIS Rollout Process</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Distribution and Notice</li><li>➤ Communication Plan</li><li>➤ Comments from Agencies and the Public</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
10:00 – 10:30	<b>Public Involvement Toolbox</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Government Briefings</li><li>➤ Public Meetings and Testimony Hearings</li><li>➤ Media Information</li><li>➤ Web-based Social Media</li></ul>	<b>Schewel</b>
10:30 – 10:45	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:45 – 11:00	<b>Cooperating Agency Roles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Joint Public Involvement Processes</li><li>➤ Agency Contacts</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Responding to Comments Process</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Content Analysis</li><li>➤ FEIS</li></ul>	<b>Ciapusci</b>

## **INVITED COOPERATING AGENCIES**

**Tribes:** Tohono O'odham Nation  
**Federal:** Air Force, Army COE, BLM, Smithsonian Whipple Observatory  
**State of Arizona:** AZDEQ, AZMMR, AZDWR, AZGF, AZGS, AZSMI, AZSLD, AZSP, ADOT  
**Local:** Pima County, City of Tucson, Town of Sahuarita

## **INVITED GUESTS**

**Consultants:**  
Cheniae & Associates

November 12, 2009

## ATTACHMENT 2

## EIS Timeline

## Rosemont Copper Project

## Notes:

1. Timeline is contingent upon Proponent provision of necessary data/information.
2. Timeline is contingent upon the absence of unavoidable adverse unforeseen events (e.g., complex wildfire on Forest, serious injury or illness of key player, etc.).
3. Timeline contingent upon Proponent's support of SWCA to meet the needs of the Forest for analysis.
4. Forest Service will adjust its analysis approach to improve efficiency where possible.

Task	2010 Accomplishment
Internal review of DEIS.	1 <sup>st</sup> quarter (January- March)
Publish Notice of Availability and 90-day comment period in Federal Register.	April 2010
Hold public meetings, hearings, and accept public comments.	2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter (April-June)
Comment analysis. FEIS supplemented or revised to incorporate comments. Internal review completed.	3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter (July-September)
ROD issued.	4 <sup>th</sup> quarter (October-December)

April 30, 2010

**DRAFT ATTACHMENT 2**

**EIS Timeline**

**Rosemont Copper Project**

**Notes:**

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2. Timeline is contingent upon the absence of unavoidable adverse unforeseen events (e.g., complex wildfire on Forest, serious injury or illness of key player, etc.).
3. Timeline is contingent upon Proponent's support of SWCA to meet the needs of the Forest for analysis.
4. Timeline assumes no new major issues surface during the DEIS comment period requiring additional analysis to be incorporated into the FEIS.
5. The volume and complexity of DEIS comment content analysis is unknown and may substantially impact this timeline.
6. Timeline assumes 30-day Regional (and other Agency/Department) review periods.
7. Timeline assumes 30-day publication turn-around.
8. Forest Service will adjust its analysis approach to improve efficiency where possible.

Task	Timeframe
Publication of DEIS.	1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2011
Federal Register Notice of Availability and 90-day comment period.	1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2011
Hold public meetings (eg open houses, hearings) and accept public comments.	1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> quarters 2011
Comment analysis.	2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter 2011
FEIS supplemented or revised to incorporate comments. Internal review completed.	1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2012
ROD issued.	2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter 2012



## PRESS RELEASE

### Rosemont Copper Reacts to Public Comments

**TUCSON, ARIZONA, March 19, 2008 (TSX/AMEX: AZC)** –Rosemont Copper officials reacted quickly to clarify apparent concerns related to a US Forest Service meeting, held yesterday to explain the project and capture public comment.

“Rosemont has had a community outreach team in place for several months – with no connection whatsoever to the Forest Service – in response to comments that we needed to provide more interaction with the community. As part of that effort, and to make the public participation process more robust, we recently have encouraged people to make their opinions, questions and comments about the project known,” said Jamie Sturgess, vice president of sustainable development.

As a result, Sturgess added, Rosemont provided a setting for project supporters to gather at a local restaurant and provided transportation to those who requested it to the Forest Service public scoping meeting held on Tuesday regarding Rosemont’s plan of operations. The offsite meeting allowed for coordination of hopeful jobseekers and project supporters in a setting where advocacy was not in conflict with the neutral purpose of the public meeting.

Sturgess also noted that mining opponents were allowed to set up tables, solicit contributions through T-shirt sales, and distribute literature at the door to the public meeting, and the entire affair was conducted without incident.

“Apparently there may have been confusion among some attendees that this meeting was an opportunity to learn about the jobs Rosemont Copper will provide and to apply for those positions. We regret any confusion that may have resulted,” Sturgess explained. “We want to clarify that the Forest Service in no way had any involvement in our supporter meeting or in creating the confusion. Any negative perception that may result should not reflect on the Forest Service in any way because they held a neutral, open meeting to seek comments and we commend that,” Sturgess said.

He added the company, however, is very encouraged by the high level of interest in the 500 new jobs for which Rosemont ultimately will be hiring. Sturgess underscored that these new jobs are not immediate and construction will not occur until 2010 or later, pending completion of the public review process.

“We encourage the public to participate in this process” Sturgess said. “And we also hope that those with differing positions will be held to the same stipulations regarding advocacy.”

The Forest Service Tuesday night kicked off a public involvement process under the National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA) to solicit questions and comments from the public regarding Rosemont’s plan to operate its southern Arizona copper mine. In addition to providing technical information about the mine plans, the Forest Service distributed an overview and definitions to help the public understand the details. That information included the fact that “the estimated workforce for the proposed mine and mill would total 500 full-time employees, who would earn an average annual wage of \$59,000 plus benefits.”

**ABOUT ROSEMONT COPPER COMPANY** - The Rosemont project is located in Pima County, approximately 30 miles southeast of Tucson, Arizona, and contains a potentially world class open-pit copper/molybdenum/silver deposit. Arizona, the copper state, produces 65 percent of the United States’ supply of copper on only a quarter of one percent of the state’s land. Domestic copper sources are increasingly important, particularly with growth in sales of energy-efficient products, hybrid cars and solar energy systems. The Rosemont property has had a long history of ranching and mining activity dating back to the 1800s.

For additional information please visit [www.augustaresource.com](http://www.augustaresource.com) or contact:

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### CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD LOOKING INFORMATION

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**Public Participation for the  
Rosemont Copper Project DEIS**  
*Draft, deliberative and not for public distribution*  
7/27/10

Tentative Release & Public Meeting Schedule:

**DECEMBER**

- Wednesday, Dec. 15  
DEIS released to public for review
- Sunday, Dec. 19 (?)  
OpEd from USFS

**JANUARY**

- Week of Jan. 3 (?)  
News Conference to explain format of meetings: proposal, process, players, roles, steps, and how to be involved
- Saturday, Jan. 8  
**Tucson** open house (10 a.m. to 1 p.m.), presentation (1 p.m.) hearing (1:30 p.m.)  
Potential venues: Convention Center
- Wednesday, Jan. 12  
**Benson** open house and hearing  
Potential venues: TBD
- Saturday, Jan. 15  
**Sahuarita/Green Valley**  
Potential venues: Sahuarita High School Cafeteria & Theater
- Saturday, Jan. 22  
**Elgin**  
Potential venues: Elgin Elementary MPR & Classrooms
- Saturday, Jan. 29  
**Vail**  
Potential venues: Cienaga High School Cafeteria & Theater

**MARCH**

- Saturday, Mar. 5  
**Tucson**, hearing only  
Potential venues: Convention Center

Meeting Preparation:

USFS will send Press Releases and Twitter broadcasts to the standard CNF media email list and post to the website 1 week prior to each meeting.

Public service announcements also will be played on Tohono O'odham and Telemundo radio stations.

Postcards will be sent by SWCA for USFS announcing all meeting dates and locations and will include other ways to submit a comment in English or Spanish.

**Meeting Format:**

Estimated Attendees - Tucson 300+, Outlying regions 200+

Entrance – Each attendee will be given a speaker card upon entrance. A counter will track the number of people who enter the building, but, if given the ok by USFS, there will be no sign-in sheet.

Open House – The open house will precede the presentation and public hearing. In Tucson this will include exhibit tables staffed with subject experts. Cooperating Agencies will be invited to have information tables and will be asked to limit the focus of their information to the role they are playing in the process/permitting. At the other meetings it will be experts only, due to capacity constraints.

Presentation – This will include both pre-taped video segments and a live introduction

Public hearing – Political officials will have the first opportunity to speak. Others need to turn in card to the card collector. These speakers cards will be numbered as collected and will be called in order turned in.

Other Comments - There will be a drop box for written or anonymous comments. A law enforcement officer will stand nearby to ensure security. Each of these comments will be recorded and stamped with the date of receipt. Comment forms will also be available for those who chose to send them to the PO Box.

Court reporter – A court reporter will be available at all sessions from the start of the open house period through the presentation and hearing to take comments from those who want to speak in person rather than write comments or use phone or online options, but who do not want to get up in front of the large group with a microphone.

Other interested parties – If any other groups want to set up tables or distribution information, they will not be permitted to do so on any portions of the venue property being used and contracted for the specific meeting at that location. They will be required by USFS to set up outside of those parameters and not have any effect on liability issues.

**Meeting needs:**

- Postcards (SWCA)
- Invitation to elected officials (USFS)
- Ads (SWCA, Rosemont/Strongpoint)
- Invitation to cooperating agencies (USFS)
- Phone service for comments (USFS)
- Venues (Rosemont/Strongpoint)
- Certificates of Insurance/Liability (Rosemont)
- Safety plan (SWCA)
- Local law enforcement (Rosemont/Strongpoint)
- USFS law enforcement (USFS)
- Projector (Rosemont/Strongpoint)
- Audio recording (Rosemont/Strongpoint) – For the presentation only. Court reporters (SWCA) will read back transcripts in the sidebars
- Tables with chairs for comment and displays (Strongpoint)
- Posters (Strongpoint)
- Preprinted card for Spanish speakers (USFS)
- Speaker cards (SWCA)
- Comment cards (SWCA)
- Rules signs (Melissa)
- Station signs (Melissa)
- Clipboards (Melissa)
- Van rental (Melissa)
- Pens (Melissa)
- Comment submission box (Melissa)
- Stop watch (Melissa)
- Time reminder cards (Melissa)
- Nametags to differentiate the organizations (SWCA)
- Refreshments (Rosemont/Strongpoint)
- DEIS Executive Summary with website info (SWCA, USFS)
- DEIS CD (SWCA, USFS)

Staffing to include:

- Specialists (USFS)
- Moderators (Rosemont)
- Court reporters (2) (SWCA) - one for the general presentation/open mic and one for the sidebars
- Sign language interpreter for Tucson events (Strongpoint)
- Attendee counter (SWCA or USFS)
- Speaker card collector (SWCA or USFS)
- 3 misc helpers

Outstanding Questions:

1. Do we need to have a sign-in sheet? (Heidi)
2. What is law enforcement responsible for? Can they remove hecklers as needed? (Strongpoint)
3. With the changes in Arizona's gun laws, does the USFS have guidelines if people want to bring their weapons to the public meetings? (USFS)
4. What are venue rules about booths in parking lots, etc? (Strongpoint)
5. Will there be free parking available at the Convention Center? (Strongpoint)
6. Would any of the Cooperating Agencies (such as Sahuarita) be willing to provide their facilities at no cost?

# Cooperating Agencies

## ***What is a cooperating agency relationship?***

The *Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ)* regulations at [40 CFR 1500-1508](#) make the cooperating agencies partners in environmental analysis process. The cooperating agency relationship is distinctive, moving beyond consultation to engage officials and staff of other tribal, federal, state, and local agencies in a working partnership. The cooperating agencies share skills and resources to help shape environmental analyses so that decisions resulting from those analyses better reflect the policies, needs, and conditions of their jurisdictions and the citizens they represent.

## ***What is the Forest Service cooperating agency policy for environmental analyses pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)?***

The Forest Service established its cooperating agency policy in a 1998 letter that states:

Congress intended that the Federal government cooperate with State and local governments to achieve “productive harmony, and fulfill the social, economic, and other requirements of present and future generations of Americans.” Creating that productive harmony requires considerable effort; however, because of the complex jurisdictional and management issues related to Federal lands and the fact that State and local governments as well as Indian Tribes own and manage lands which are often near, adjacent to, or intermingled with Federal lands. As an outgrowth of these land ownership patterns, Federal, State, local, and tribal government entities have increasingly sought to coordinate their decisions as a means of improving land management. By embracing closer cooperation during the environmental analysis process, all levels of government can better assess the context of Federal actions and can better integrate decisionmaking within their jurisdictions.

## ***Why are cooperating agencies necessary in the NEPA process?***

In the American political system, different spheres of government—federal, tribal, state, and local—have respective areas of responsibility, authority, and expertise. NEPA calls on federal, state, and local governments to cooperate with the goal of achieving “productive harmony” between humans and their environment by allowing federal agencies (as lead agencies) to invite tribal, state, and local

governments, as well as other federal agencies, to serve as cooperating agencies in the preparation of environmental impact statements.

The Forest Service has a large and complex responsibility in managing a portfolio of public lands that encompass varied terrain, from desert landscapes to the open spaces surrounding many rapidly growing urban areas. The challenge is to manage this portfolio on behalf of all Americans, while recognizing the considerable local and regional consequences its decisions may have. The Forest Service must act in conformity with federal laws, regulations, and policies while seeking to accommodate local needs, laws, and values. Utilizing cooperating agency principles and requirements assists the agency with meeting these challenges by ensuring that its decisions benefit from the varied skills and knowledge, including knowledge of local conditions and values, of its governmental partners.

### ***What do cooperating agencies bring to the NEPA process?***

Harmonizing national, regional, and local governance entails at least three key tasks. As Matthew McKinney and William Harmon have noted in their list of Common Characteristics of Western Resource Disputes, these include (1) integrating the involvement of multiple parties with competing interests and values; (2) removing obstacles to sharing and validating relevant information; and (3) resolving conflicts among institutions and policies.

- **Multiple Parties.** Tribal, state, and local government officials are at times in a better position than are federal land managers to engage the communities and interest groups most likely to be affected.
- **Complex Information.** Effective discussion between federal agencies and their publics is often blocked by deeply incompatible views of the “facts” regarding both current environmental and socioeconomic conditions and how these will be affected by a proposal. Resolution often requires the lead agency and cooperating agency partners to engage in joint fact-finding and to seek agreement on where to find valid information and how to interpret it.
- **Conflicting Policies and Institutions.** The challenge of managing public lands can reveal significant disagreements in jurisdictions and mandates, not only between federal, state, local, and tribal governments, but also among different federal or state agencies. The cooperating agency relationship offers a forum in which to discuss and, if possible, reconcile divergent policies and plans for the common good.

***How do cooperating agency relationships assist the Forest Service in addressing challenging intergovernmental cooperation?***

Although challenging, intergovernmental cooperation in the management of lands and resources can yield great benefits for the public. By providing a framework for intergovernmental efforts, the cooperating agency relationship can help achieve the following objectives:

- Gain early and consistent involvement of cooperating agency partners;
- Incorporate local knowledge of economic, social, and environmental conditions, as well as state and local land use requirements;
- Address intergovernmental issues;
- Avoid duplication of effort;
- Enhance local credibility of review processes;
- Encourage cooperating agency support for planning decisions; and
- Build relationships of trust and cooperation.

The cooperating agency relationship is one tool among many that can advance joint efforts among governmental partners. Each party may have some lessons to learn—and some past practices to unlearn. Experience has shown three lessons that are important to success when working across governmental boundaries.

1. Tribal, state, and local partners need to recognize that the cooperating agency relationship is a forum for sharing information and expertise, not for asserting or relinquishing authority. Engaging in a cooperating agency relationship neither augments nor diminishes an agency's jurisdiction or authority.
2. Forest Service managers and staff should acknowledge that the cooperating agency relationship requires new ways of doing business. Engaging with government partners as cooperating agencies is not another form of consultation or public involvement. Cooperating agencies expect and deserve to be given a significant role in shaping plans and environmental analyses—not merely commenting on them—commensurate with their available time and knowledge.
3. All parties will find the cooperating agency relationship most productive when they emphasize mutual, rather than individual, gains and seek solutions that meet others' needs as well as their own.

***What types of organizations may serve as cooperating agencies?***

The cooperating agency relationship is limited to governmental entities: tribal governments, state government and its agencies, local governments and their agencies, and other federal agencies.

***What governmental entities are eligible to be granted cooperating agency status?***

State agencies, local governments, tribal governments, and other federal agencies may serve as cooperating agencies. Other than its provision for tribes, the Council on Environmental Quality regulations recognize two criteria for cooperating agency status: jurisdiction by law and special expertise:

- “*Jurisdiction by law*” means agency authority to approve, veto, or finance all or part of the proposal. *Jurisdiction by law* offers a very specific basis for cooperating agency status: authority to approve, deny, or finance all or part of a proposal [40 CFR 1508.15].
- “*Special expertise*” means statutory responsibility, agency mission, or related program experience. *Special expertise* provides a broader window for cooperating agency status, emphasizing the relevant capabilities or knowledge that a federal, state, tribal, or local governmental entity can contribute to an undertaking [40 CFR 1508,26].

For the Rosemont Copper Project the Forest Service is executing a Memorandum of Understanding (*MOU*) with each cooperating agency that establishes the cooperating agency relationship and identifies the basis for each cooperating agency’s eligibility to participate in the environmental study and development of the environmental impact statement documents.

***What discretion do federal agencies have when requested to serve as cooperating agencies?***

A federal agency eligible on the basis of jurisdiction by law must serve as a cooperating agency when so requested [40 CFR 1501.6]. A federal agency eligible on the basis of special expertise, and a tribal, state, or local entity eligible on either basis may choose whether or not to serve as a cooperating agency when so requested.

***Does a cooperating agency relationship require the Forest Service and the cooperators to make decisions by consensus?***

No. The Forest Service will collaborate with the cooperating agencies to arrange for collection of resource, environmental, social, economic, and institutional data and information, or to share data that is already assembled and available. Collaboration mandates methods, not outcomes. It brings diverse parties together to seek broadly acceptable solutions to what are usually complex problems. It does not imply that the parties will achieve consensus. The Forest Service remains the final decision maker on matters within its jurisdiction.

***How does the involvement of cooperating agencies affect the Forest Service responsible official's role in the development of the Rosemont Copper Project Environmental Impact Statement?***

The Forest Service responsible official for the Rosemont Copper Project is the Forest Supervisor for the Coronado National Forest. Involvement of cooperating agencies makes the Forest Supervisor's leadership of the Rosemont Copper Project environmental study process even more essential. In guiding the environmental study efforts, the Forest Supervisor faces the challenge of reconciling agency policy objectives with the needs and values of local, regional, and national constituencies. This requires a serious commitment to collaborative problem solving. A common thread that runs through each step in the analysis process is the role of the Forest Supervisor who must establish a vision and lead the way, and must be committed to the environmental study effort for it to succeed.

***Does collaborating with cooperating agencies limit the range of issues and solutions the Forest Supervisor will consider?***

Because a key reason to involve other units of government is to benefit from their distinctive perspectives and expertise, innovative approaches should be encouraged. Nonetheless, collaboration increases the need to establish practical parameters for the environmental study process. The Forest Supervisor is responsible for clarifying for cooperating agencies the purpose and need for undertaking the environmental analysis. This purpose and need would include, where appropriate, the range of potential issues and alternatives consistent with statutory and regulatory requirements. Such limits are best established through clear criteria and a well-developed statement of purpose and need. An example of how the Forest Service provided such clarification for cooperating agencies in the Rosemont Copper Project comes from the "[Rights of Mining Claimants](#)" handout provided to cooperating agencies at the June 18, 2009, Cooperating Agency Coordination meeting.

***Do potential cooperating agencies have a say in determining the objectives and ground rules of the lead agency-cooperating agency relationship?***

Yes, the Forest Service negotiated a Memorandum of understanding with each cooperating agency to establish a cooperating agency relationship that reflects the views of all parties and signatories.

***Is it appropriate to extend a project schedule to accommodate the needs of cooperating agencies?***

Normally, no. The schedule for the Rosemont Copper Project environmental study was negotiated and established in a separate Memorandum of Understanding with the project proponent, Rosemont Copper Company (08-MU-11030510-010). That document provides a process for further adjustment of the schedule, but does not require the Forest Service to change the schedule to accommodate cooperating agency preferences or desires. With the exception of other federal agencies having jurisdiction by law, no government entity is required to participate as a cooperating agency. The preferences of cooperating agencies regarding the pace and direction of the environmental study process do not supersede the need to adhere to the established schedule.

***If effective collaboration with cooperating agencies would be compromised by adhering to an established planning schedule, what are some solutions?***

The Forest Service and the cooperating agencies have a number of options:

- Vary the level of a cooperating agency's involvement. The Council on Environmental Quality regulations make it clear that cooperating agencies may negotiate a level of involvement consistent with their available staffing and resources [40 CFR 1501.6(c)]. The cooperating agencies may vary the time and resources they commit by determining which meetings to attend, whether to offer data or analyses, or both, and at what stage of document preparation to comment.
- Seek ways to reorganize the planning schedule for greater efficiency, without modifying the deadline for plan completion.
- Improve the efficiency of collaboration between the cooperating agencies and the Forest Service interdisciplinary team. For the Rosemont Copper Project, the Forest Service has provided a dedicated Cooperating Agency Liaison position that is responsible for facilitating the speed and focus of these interactions.

***May the cooperating agencies use their expertise to prepare (rather than merely reviewing and commenting on) sections of the Rosemont Copper Project Environmental Impact Statement or the technical analyses on which it is based?***

Yes, but only at the invitation of the Forest Service interdisciplinary team leader and after demonstrating that it possesses expertise and resources to complete the task in a timely manner [40 CFR 1501.6(a)].

***What discretion does the Forest Service have to determine the scope of a cooperating agency's special expertise?***

The criterion of special expertise emphasizes the relevant capabilities or knowledge that a cooperating agency can contribute to the environmental analysis. The Forest Service is required to offer cooperating agency status to potentially eligible government entities when preparing an environmental impact statement [40 CFR 1508.26]. It is the Forest Service responsible official's responsibility, however, to determine which entities possess special expertise relative to the Rosemont Copper Project and the nature of their expertise.

***Is knowledge of local "custom and culture" a sufficient basis for including local governments as cooperating agencies under the special expertise criterion?***

Yes. Leaders of local governments are presumed to possess special expertise concerning the history, institutions, and social and economic conditions of their jurisdictions. This knowledge is often relevant to assessing baseline conditions and potential effects of analysis alternatives.

***How should the criterion of special expertise be applied to tribes?***

Because tribes have culturally distinctive uses and understandings of land and resources, a tribe's special expertise may be wide-ranging. Some of the topics on which tribes provide comment may be similar to those expressed by local governments, such as the effects of a proposed planning decision on tribal employment and income. Other information and advice may be grounded in culturally specific knowledge, such as the need for access to ceremonial places or the medicinal value of certain plant species. Sharing tribal knowledge of "custom and culture" through the cooperating agency role may create special challenges in managing information appropriately.

***Does inviting a tribe's participation as a cooperating agency satisfy the Forest Service's obligation to consult on a government-to-government basis?***

No. Consultation involves a formal effort to obtain the advice or opinion of another agency as required by statute or regulation. This responsibility is particularly important in the Forest Service's government-to-government relationship with tribes. Once formal consultation has been initiated, tribal officials may decide to use the cooperating agency role as a convenient way to communicate their views or contribute their expertise, but this is at the tribe's option, not the Forest Service's.

***Will the Forest Service compensate cooperating agencies for their participation in development of the Rosemont Copper Project Environmental Impact Statement?***

No. Cooperating agencies normally cover the costs of their own participation, including salary, travel and other expenses [40 CFR 1501.6(b)(5)].

***Under what circumstances may the cooperating agency relationship be terminated?***

The cooperating agency relationship is not primarily a forum for advocacy. If the Forest Service and one or more of its cooperating agency partners find that they cannot work together toward a common goal, and efforts at dispute resolution have been unsuccessful, it is appropriate to terminate the cooperating agency relationship.

Factors identified by the Council on Environmental Quality as suggesting the need to consider termination include a cooperating agency's unwillingness to accept the Forest Service's key decisions as lead agency; deliberately violating key procedural agreements (such as the restriction of pre-decisional documents); and deliberately misrepresenting the environmental impact statement process or its findings.

Council on Environmental Quality Factors Supporting Termination of Cooperating Agency Relationships:

- The cooperating agency cannot accept the lead agency's final decision-making authority regarding the scope of the analysis, including authority to define the purpose and need for the proposed action.

- The cooperating agency is not able or willing to provide the data and rationale underlying its analyses or assessment of alternatives.
- The cooperating agency releases predecisional information (including working drafts) in a manner that undermines the agreement to work cooperatively before publishing draft or final analyses.
- The cooperating agency consistently misrepresents the process or the findings presented in the analysis and documentation.

This list of factors is not exhaustive. The Memorandum of Understanding established between the Forest Service and each Rosemont Copper Project cooperating agency includes provisions for termination, as well as other ground rules, such as procedures for dispute resolution.

***Is disagreement over substantive matters raised in the environmental study process a valid basis for terminating the cooperating agency relationship?***

No. While the Forest Service remains the decision maker for matters within its jurisdiction, the cooperating agencies are not required to concur in all findings (such as the effects anticipated from a particular alternative). Working through disagreements within the environmental analysis effort often results in stronger, better-justified findings and decisions. If disagreements cannot be resolved, the dissenting agency's view may be documented in the environmental impact statement or its underlying Administrative Record.

***May the Forest Service share predecisional documents with cooperating agencies whose actions are governed by the Arizona Public Records Law requirements?***

Yes. In the environmental study process, the main reason to keep predecisional material from public view is to encourage candid discussion among all members of the environmental study team, including the cooperating agencies, the Forest Service interdisciplinary team, the Forest Service's NEPA contractor, and the proponent (Rosemont Copper Company and its subcontractors). For this reason, each cooperating agency's Memorandum of Understanding with the Forest Service contains a section regarding information management.

The information management section includes the agreed upon limitations on the distribution and sharing of pre-decisional, draft, and deliberative materials and products developed for the Rosemont Copper Project. The Forest Service has stated its intent to provide as much transparency in the

Rosemont Copper Project environmental analysis process as is prudent within the bounds of ensuring deliberative space for the decision maker. To that end, the agency has committed to share publicly available products and materials on its [www.RosemontEIS.us](http://www.RosemontEIS.us) website as soon as the materials are available for release to cooperating agencies and the public. Materials and products that are constrained from release by other factors, such as a state public records requirements or the need to protect the confidentiality of proprietary, trademark, contractual, or statutorily restricted information may be retained by the Forest Service without release as provided for in the Freedom of Information Act or other agency requirements.

***Are documents provided by the cooperating agencies subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA, 5 U.S.C. 552)?***

In most cases, no. The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) exempts from release documents involving “inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters, which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency.” (FOIA exemption 5, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(5)). As lead federal agency, the Forest Service could assert this exemption to protect from disclosure those documents prepared by cooperating agencies that contributed to the development of the Rosemont Copper Project Environmental Impact Statement. Such documents satisfy both requirements of exemption 5: (1) they are predecisional and (2) they are part of the Forest Service’s deliberative process. Note that communications from a cooperating agency may not qualify as exempt from release under FOIA exemption 5 where that agency is advancing a competitive position that would be detrimental to another party.

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***Limitations on FOIA Exemption 5***

*In some circumstances, [FOIA exemption 5] may also apply to documents generated outside of an agency. Documents prepared by outside consultants at the request of the agency and recommendations or advice from Congress or the States can be protected if those documents played a role in the agency’s deliberative process and the outside parties are not advocating their own interests in seeking a Government benefit at the expense of others. Note also that the release of a document by a cooperating agency may be considered a waiver of the lead federal agency’s deliberative process privilege, thus precluding withholding documents under FOIA exemption 5.*

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***Are meetings between the Forest Service and cooperating agencies subject to the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA, 5 U.S.C.A. App. 2)?***

Normally, no. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) applies whenever a federal agency official establishes, manages, or controls a committee, board, or similar group for the purpose of obtaining consensus advice or recommendations on issues or policies within the agency official's responsibility.

Meetings among representatives of governmental entities, however, are exempt from the requirements of FACA when they involve intergovernmental activities associated with managing or implementing federal programs (2 U.S.C. 1534(b)) [2]. This is a broad exemption. Effectively, any meeting supporting the Forest Service's project-level activities would be exempt if the cooperating agencies or representatives of other government entities were providing information, guidance, or analysis related to their responsibilities or expertise.

***Does participation as a cooperating agency prevent that agency from appealing the Forest Service's the Record of Decision?***

No. A cooperating agency may appeal the Forest Service's Record of Decision as long as it meets the requirements of Forest Service appeal procedures. By becoming a cooperating agency, a government entity does not lose rights otherwise available to it, including the right to appeal the Forest Service's Record of Decision.

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[1] Executive Order 13175 – Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments Our Nation: under the law of the United States, in accordance with treaties, statutes, Executive Orders, and judicial decisions, the United States has recognized the right of Indian tribes to self-government. As domestic dependent nations, Indian tribes exercise inherent sovereign powers over their members and territory. The United States continues to work with Indian tribes on a government-to-government basis to address issues concerning Indian tribal self-government, tribal trust resources, and Indian tribal treaty and other rights. (E.O. 13175, Section 2(b), November 6, 2000).

[2] The Intergovernmental Exemption to FACA: The Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App.) shall not apply to actions in support of intergovernmental communications where

(1) meetings are held exclusively between Federal officials and elected officers of State, local, and tribal governments (or their designated employees with authority to act on their behalf) acting in their official capacities; and

(2) such meetings are solely for the purposes of exchanging views, information, or advice relating to the management or implementation of Federal programs established pursuant to public law that explicitly or inherently share intergovernmental responsibilities or administration. (2 U.S.C. 1534(b))



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Subject Fw: Lis of docs for Cooperators

Hey Everyone,

FYI, here's a list of documents that we are considering putting up on our website for cooperating agency review. I would like to have some discussion of this list tomorrow in the IDT meeting, so please take a look at the list today or early tomorrow morning if you have a chance to.

Thanks!

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Here it is. I put ? next to documents that you might want to decide strategically whether or not to release. Otherwise, it is noted what docs are huge, might contain cultural sites or that we don't have yet.

Just fill in the columns appropriately on how you want to handle the various documents and send back so we can get working on compiling them.

Thanks!

Melissa Reichard  
NEPA Planner



2007/04/26	2007 Mineral Resource Update for the Rosemont Project Pima County, Arizona, USA	William L. Rose, P.E., WLR Consulting, Inc	Augusta completed a 40-hole diamond drilling program on the deposit, consisting of resource, geotechnical, and metallurgical holes. Previously, Augusta carried out a 15-hole drilling program. The results of both of these drilling programs	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012370, 011894,	yes			
2007/06/01	Baseline Geochemical Characterization Report	Tetra Tech	Characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials	Cited by WestLand in 011882. (96)	yes			
2007/06/01	Dry Tailings Facility Design	Tetra Tech	Dry tailings storage facility engineering analyses and design documents		yes			
2007/06/01	Geologic Hazards Assessment	Tetra Tech	Geologic hazard assesemnt for the Rosemont Copper Project.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012400,	yes			
2007/06/01	Geotechnical Study	Tetra Tech	Site investigation included borehole drilling, test pit excavating, surface geology mapping, field penetration and hydraulic testing, geotechnical logging of boreholes, geophysical ground surveys, and laboratory testing of selected samples	Cited by Westland in 011882. (99)	yes			
2007/06/01	Leaching Facilities Design	Tetra Tech	Presents the leaching facilities engineering analyses and design documents	Cited by WestLant in 011882. (101)	yes			
2007/06/01	Operational Areas Soil Salvage Estimates	Tetra Tech	This report estimates the soil salvage extents and volumes associated with the Rosemont operational areas. The estimates are based on Tetra Tech's Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources Report dated June 2007.		yes			
2007/06/01	Site Water Management Plan	Tetra Tech	Intent of the Site Water Management Plan is to demonstrate how storm flows and sediment yeild will be managed during the active mine life, as well as long-term for reclamation and closure.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012408, 012398, 012425, 011884, 011896, 012400, 012064. (R-108)				
2007/06/01	Storage Area Soil Salvage Estimates	Tetra Tech	This report estimates the soil salvage extents and volumes associated with the Rosemont waste rock and dry tailings storage areas. The estimates are based on Tetra Tech's Survey		yes			
2007/06/01	Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources	Tetra Tech	Specific objectives of the soil resources assessment included the following: describe soil profiles or pedons, and document soil characteristics; sample and analyze physical and chemical		yes			
2007/06/01	Waste Management Plan	Tetra Tech	Augusta will manage materials on-site to minimize the amount of waste created and to ensure wastes do not become mixed, contaminated, or mismanaged.	Cited by WestLand in 011882.	yes			
2007/06/12	Liquefaction and Stability Analyses - Rosemont Dry Tailings Facility	Alyssa Kohlman, Ana Mohseni, Jiny Carrera, Tetra Tech	This memo presents the results of liquefaction and slope stability analyses of the proposed dry tailings facility at the Rosemont Mine in Arizona.	Appendix M of 012064				
2007/06/29	Viewshed Analysis	Tetra Tech	Viewshed analysis was performed on the operational areas at various times during life of the Rosemont Copper facility. The rationale for the viewshed analysis was to look at the visible	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064.	yes			
2009/01/20	Rosemont Aquifer Protection Permit Application Liner Leakage Calculations	Michael Thronbrue, Elton Smith, Tetra Tech	The purpose of this memo is to document the calculations used to evaluate the level of engineering control achieved for various liner systems as part of the BADCT analysis for APP	Appendix P of 012064. Cited by				
2009/12/15	Dry Stack Facility Stability Analysis	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.	Slope stability analyses were conducted by AMEC Earth & Environmental (AMEC) in support of the proposed alternate	Appendix C2 of				
2010/01/14	Minimum Thickness Analysis for Waste Rock Placed Over Spent Heap Leach Ore Material	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents Tetra Tech's infiltration and seepage modeling associated with a waste rock cover over the	Appendix O of 012398;				
2010/01/28	Rosemont Dry Stack Tailings Facility Drainage Bench Analysis	Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses the design of stormwater conveyance channels associated with the Dry Stack Tailings Facility at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix H of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech				
2010/03/12	Waste Rock Storage Area - Stability Analysis	Ana Mohseni, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the results of a slope stability analysis performed for the Waste Rock Storage Area associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix C1 of 012308				
2010/04/02	Heap Leach Facility Flood Surface Analysis and Stormwater Controls	Tetra Tech	This tech memo describes the hydrologic & hydraulic methodology used to manage and control storm runoff near the proposed Rosemont Heap Leach Facility.	Appendix L of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398, 012424				
2010/04/06	Rosemont Heap Leach Facility Stormwater Management Analysis	Greg Hemmen, P.E. & Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses select stormwater components associated with the design of the Heap Leach Facility at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix P of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398. (R-337)				
2006/06/05	Conceptual Heap Leach Pad Design Layout	Vector - Colorado, LLC	This report presents conceptual design and cost estimates for the development of the Heap Leach Pad proposed for the project.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 011897, 012064. (R-128)	yes			

012312	2008/11/01	Rosemont Copper Company Filtered Tailings Dry Stacks Current State of Practice Final Report	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.	Filtered tailings (dry stacks), although new to many mining jurisdictions are becoming more common for operating mines and for projects in the evaluation stage.		yes			
011978	2009/04/15	Rosemont Copper Company Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility Final Design Report	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.	This report addresses the detailed engineering of the Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012408, 012121, 012337, 012398, 011980, 012444, 012401, 012428, 012308, 011884. (R-146)	yes			
011981	2009/05/01	Process Water Pond, Temporary Storage Pond, and Settling Basin Design Report	M3	This report discusses the design of the Process Water Pond. It also addresses the design of the Temporary Storage Pond and the Settling Basin.	Appendix B is 012400; Appendix C is 012401; Appendix E of 012398.	yes			
011979	2009/05/03	Preliminary Review Rosemont Dry Stack Tailings Final Design Report	Dale Ortman, PE, Consulting Engineer	Review by D. Ortman of information contained in <i>Rosemont Copper Company Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility Final Design Report April 15, 2009</i> . Review does not include any confirmatory analyses or other supporting calculations.					
012400	2009/05/04	Rosemont Copper BADCT Analysis for the PWTs Ponds	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech; David Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech	Process Water (PW) & Temporary Storage (TS) ponds have been designed to meet or exceed the Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology (BADCT).	Appendix B of 011981; also part of Appendix E of 012398;				
012401	2009/05/04	Rosemont Copper BADCT Analysis for the Settling Basin	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech; David Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech	This technical memorandum has been prepared to demonstrate the Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology that will be employed for the Settling Basin at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix C of 011981; also part of Appendix E of 012398				
011980	2009/05/07	Rosemont Heap Leach Facility Permit Design Report Volumes 1 and 2	Tetra Tech	This report presents detailed, permit-level design documentation for the leaching facilities associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This documentation is part of the Aquifer Protection Permit application submitted to ADEQ.	Vol 1 & 2. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398, 012429, 012308. (R-276).	yes			
012306	2009/09/01	Responses to Dry Stack TSF Comments Provided by Dale Ortman.	John F. Lupo, Ph.D., P.E., Principal Engineer, AMEC Earth & Environmental, Inc.	AMEC Earth and Environmental has reviewed the comments provided by Dale Ortman, which were received via email on August 17, 2009.					
012403	2010/04/02	Rosemont Copper Company Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility Stormwater Management	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.	This report addresses the detailed engineering of the Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility stormwater management facilities.	Appendix A of 012398. Cited by				
012423	2010/04/02	Rosemont Waste Rock Storage Area Stormwater Management	Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses stormwater management and the design of detention ponds and stormwater conveyance channels for the final reclaimed surface of the Waste Rock Storage Area associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix G of 012398				
012426	2010/04/05	Rosemont Pit Diversion Channel Design	Francisco Barrios P.E. & Greg Hemmen P.E. Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses the hydrologic and hydraulic calculations performed for the Pit Diversion Channel as part of the site water management for the Open Pit area at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix D of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398.				
012424	2010/04/05	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Design	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech; Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides Tetra Tech's design analysis related to the use of flow-through drains at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix J of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech				
012428	2010/04/05	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Sizing	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech; Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses the design and sizing of the flow-through drains associated with the base concept of the Rosemont Ridge Landform at the proposed Rosemont Copper	Appendix K of 012398				
012427	2010/04/05	Rosemont Dry Stack Tailings Facility Stormwater Management	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech; Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses stormwater management for the final reclaimed surface of the Dry Stack Tailings Facility associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix I of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech				
013414	2010/02/17	Rosemont Mine Landforming Evaluation of Mine Waste Slope Geometry	Golder Associates, Inc.	Golder theoretically evaluated the erosion stability limits of 3 basic landform geometries to determine if it was feasible to engineer stable, natural-looking landforms from mine waste materials at the Rosemont site.		yes			

2010/03/25	Rosemont Alternative Landform Project	Horst J. Schor	Revised landform plan						
2010/05/19	Landform Design Report for the Rosemont Mine Project	H.J. Schor	This Landfor Design Study was performed at the request of the CNF & SWCA to develop an alternative to the design of certain mine waste rock and tailings deposits proposed by the		yes				
2006/07/01	Monitoring Protocol and Quality Assurance Project Plan for	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	This document presents the monitoring and quality assurance protocol for an ambient air quality and meteorological	Need searchable					
2007/11/30	Rosemont Aero and Geophysical Surveys Project Soil, Watershed, and Air Report	Robert LeFevre, Forestry and Watershed Program Manager	There are no effects to floodplains, wetlands, or watersheds (or soil for air for that matter).						
2009/04/08	Summary of Ambient Air Quality and Meteorological Data Collected from Startup Through the First Quarter 2009 Rosemont Copper	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	Ambient air quality and meteorological measuerments have been collected at the Rosemont Copper Mine site commencing April and June 2006 through the first quarter of 2009. The purpose of the monitoring program is to provide	Need searchable pdf.	yes				
2009/07/07	Summary of Ambient Air Quality and Meteorological Data Collected During the Second Quarter 2009 at the Rosemont Copper Mine Monitoring Site Pima County, Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	This report summarizes ambient air quality and meteorological measurements collected at the Rosemont Copper Mine monitoring stations.	Need searchable pdf					
2009/10/30	CALPUFF Modelling Protocol for Rosemont Copper Project to Assess Impacts on Class I Areas	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	This document presents an air dispersion modeling protocol that will be followed to assess impacts of emissions from the proposed new Rosemont Copper Project on Air Quality		yes				
2009/10/30	Modeling Protocol to Assess Ambient Air Quality Impacts From the Rosemont Copper Project	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	This document presents an air dispersion modeling protocol that will be followed to assess ambient air quality impacts from the proposed Rosemont Copper Company Project		yes				
2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Application for a Class II Permit Rosemont Copper Project	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	This document presents the information necessary for the Pima County Department of Environmental Quality (PDEQ) to process the Rosemont Copper Project application and issue a						
2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company CALPUFF Modelling Report to Assess Impacts In Class I Areas	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	The Federal Land Manager (FLM) requested an air impact analysis to be submitted as part of the EIS to demonstrate the protection of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). Additionally the U.S. Forest Service evaluation requires an Air Quality Related Values (AQRV) impact analysis to ensure that Class I area resources (i.e., visibility, flora, fauna, etc.) are not adversely affected by the projected						
2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Emission Inventory Information Years 1, 5, 10, 15, and 20 Rosemont Copper Project Southeastern Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	The Rosemont Copper Project has the potential to emit regulated air pollutants throughout the life of the mine. Emissions of potential pollutants are calculated using emission unit process rates, emission factors, and pollution control efficiencies (if applicable).						
2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Executive Summary Air Quality Information Rosemont Copper Project Southeastern Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	The Rosemont Copper Project will employ modern practices for minimizing emissions to the extent practical. This includes utilization of control devices where feasible and fugitive control measures where control devices are not feasible. Fugitive emissions from unpaved roads will be reduced 90% by the application of water and/or dust palliatives.						
2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Modeling Report to Assess Ambient Air Quality Impacts	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.	The Federal Land Manager (FLM) requested an air impact analysis to be submitted as part of the EIS to demonstrate the protection of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). Thus, the objective of the dispersion modeling will be to quantify the maximum predicted ambient impacts due		yes				
2010/08/23	Rosemont Copper Company Addendum to: CALPUFF Modeling Report to Assess Impacts in Class I	Applied Environmental Consultants	Modeling results presented herein are being provided as an addendum to the report titled "Rosemont Copper Company: CALPUFF Modeling Report to Assess Impacts in Class I Areas"						
2009/03/11	Agave Survey of the Rosemont Holdings and Vicinity	WestLand Resources, Inc.	Rosemont retained WestLand Resources to conduct a variety of biological studies to support special status species, such as the federally listed lesser long-nosed bat. The Palmer's agave has been identified as the primary foraging plant for the	Need references from this report.	yes				
2009/03/11	Lesser Long-Nosed Bat Survey of the Rosemont Holdings and Vicinity	WestLand Resources, Inc.	A detailed study of lesser long-nosed bats and their potential use of the Rosemont Property was undertaken with initial site visits in 2006, ultrasonic acoustic surveys in 2007 and 2008, and the wide-ranging surveys for potential roost sites and	Cited by WestLand in 012013. (123) Need	yes				
2009/03/11	Pima Pineapple Cactus Survey of the Proposed Rosemont Project Waterline Alignment	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand Resources was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima Pineapple cactus along an approx. 15.77 mile long proposed waterline as part of the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.						
2009/04/24	2008 Ranid Survey of the Rosemont Holdings	WestLand Resources, Inc.	Rosemont has authorized WestLand Resources to conduct a variety of baseline biological studies for Chiricahua leopard frogs within and in the vicinity of the Rosemont holdings		yes				
2009/06/05	Addendum to the Pima Pineapple Cactus Survey of the Proposed Rosemont Project Waterline Alignment	WestLand Resources, Inc.	In October 2008 WestLand Resources surveyed for Pima Pineapple cactus (PPC) along a 15.77-mile, 120-ft wide corridor for a proposed waterline between Sahuarita and Helvetia, Pima County, Arizona. The area was about 229 acres; 35 live PPC were found	Attachment B to report 012014					
2009/09/17	Revised Status Report: Talusnal Surveys and Literature Review in the Rosemont Project Area and Vicinity.	WestLand Resources, Inc.	As part of ongoing baseline biological studies, WestLand is conducting studies of <i>Sonorella</i> , including surveys to determine the distribution of <i>Sonorella</i> within and in proximity to the proposed copper mine. The purpose of this report is to provide a summary of the work that has been conducted between July 2008 and the present and to provide the status of work that is ongoing.						

012014	2009/12/18	Pima Pineapple Cactus Survey: Proposed Rosemont Project Santa Rita Road Waterline	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand Resources was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima Pineapple cactus along an approx. 22.4 linear miles of proposed waterline, including alternate	Attachment B is 012395	yes			
012015	2009/12/21	2009 Ranid Survey of the Rosemont Holdings and Vicinity	WestLand Resources, Inc.	As part of the baseline biological studies effort, WestLand has conducted surveys of the Rosemont Holdings and their vicinity for ranids, particularly the Chiricahua leopard frog.					
012013	2010/01/14	Rosemont Holdings 2009 Bat Roost Survey	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand Resources conducted a survey of 37 mining features within the Rosemont Holdings and vicinity to determine if they were being used as bat roosts.	don't have electronic copy; transmittal scanned				
013445	2010/02/03	Saguaro and Agave Survey: Proposed Santa Rita Road Waterline for the Rosemont Project	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand was retained by Rosemont to survey for agave and mature saguaros along approximately 22.4 linear miles of proposed water line.					
012336	2010/04/15	Talus Snails ( <i>Sonorella</i> , Helminthoglyptidae) and Tails Slopes of the North Ridge of the Santa Rita Mountains, Pima County, Arizona	Robert J. Schmalzel, Robert Archer, P.E. WestLand Resources, Inc.	This report characterizes the distribution and diversity of talus snails ( <i>Sonorella</i> spp.) along the "North Ridge" of the Santa Rita Mountains in Pima County, Arizona.	Need references from this report.				
013227	2010/07/28	Field Surveys for <i>Hexalectris colemanii</i> in Southeastern Arizona	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand Resources was asked by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for <i>Hexalectris colemanii</i> on the entire "Rosemont Area" (all areas included in the Rosemont Mine Plan of Operations and the alternatives developed by the Coronado National Forest as part of their National Environmental Policy Act review of the Plan of Operations). These surveys were conducted during May and June, 2010, when inflorescences of this orchid sprout or are in flower.	need to get lit cited from WestLand	yes			
013226	2010/08/13	Pima Pineapple Cactus Survey for the Rosemont Mine Southern Utility Line Alternative, East of Sahuarita, Pima County, Arizona	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand Resources, Inc. (WestLand), was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima pineapple cactus (PPC; <i>Coryphantha scheeri</i> var. <i>robustispina</i> ) along the southern utility line alternative as part of the proposed Rosemont Project	need to get lit cited from WestLand				
013785	2010/11/12	Evaluation of Seven Forest Sensitive Plant Species	WestLand Resources, Inc.	In this memorandum, WestLand analyzes the distribution of the seven species considered and present results of extensive field surveys of five of the species. The seven species	get references				
012109	2009/05/20	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation	Rosemont plans to operate within the intent of Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code as long as mine safety and operations is not compromised. The entire mine site is regulated by the		yes			
012085	2009/12/30	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo Barrel & McCleary Alternative	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation	Rosemont plans to operate within the intent of Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code as long as mine safety and operations is not compromised. The entire mine site is regulated by the Mine Safety and Health Act (MSHA) which establishes	check doc for more accurate summary	yes			
012086	2009/12/30	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo Tailings Conveyor Option 'Barrel Only'	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation	The 'Barrel Only' option refers to an option to route the mine tailings conveyor so that the tailings stack is limited to the Barrel Canyon location.		yes			
012088	2010/01/12	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo Tailings Conveyor Option 'Scholefield Canyon'	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation	The information and results in this Tech Memo are to show the results for using the Scholefield Canyon as the depository for the mine tailings.	Sealed 1/12/2010	yes			
012087	2010/01/12	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo Tailings Conveyor Option 'Sycamore Canyon'	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation	The information and results in this Tech Memo are to show the results for using the Sycamore Canyon as the depository for the mine tailings.	Dates in report do not agree. Sealed	yes			
013423	2010/09/01	An Assessment of the Impact of Potential Mining Operations at the Rosemont Copper Mine on the Night Sky of Southern Arizona	Dark Sky Partners, LLC	This study examines the sky glow that would arise from open pit copper mining operations in the Rosemont Copper Mine (RCM) in the Santa Rita Mountains of Southern Arizona.					
012304	2008/10/01	Background Ambient Noise Study.	Tetra Tech	Tetra Tech proposed a study involving concurrent ambient noise monitoring at multiple locations within or near the proposed mining operations area and a preliminary evaluation of noise attenuation between the proposed mining operation and the residences. This report presents the results of that	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012041. (R-181)	yes			
012041	2009/04/01	Supplemental Noise Study	Tetra Tech	To assess the noise impact of the proposed Mine, Tetra Tech conducted sound measurements, noise modeling, and noise predictions for the area around the Project site		yes			
012089	2010/01/09	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Noise Analysis	Roberty Sculley, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Barrel and McCleary Alternative facility layouts.		yes			
012092	2010/01/15	Barrel Only Alternative Noise Analysis	Roberty Sculley, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Barrel Only Alternative facility layouts.		yes			
012090	2010/01/15	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Noise Analysis	Roberty Sculley, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative facility		yes			
012091	2010/01/15	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Noise Analysis	Roberty Sculley, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative facility layouts.		yes			
012093	2010/01/23	Partial Backfill Alternative Noise Analysis	Roberty Sculley, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Partial Backfill Alternative facility layouts.		yes			
013232	2010/04/01	Onsite Riparian Habitat Assessment	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand field teams have mapped and described riparian habitat within portions of the Rosemont Copper Company (Rosemont) claim holdings in the Santa Rita Mountains in Pima	Need to get lit cited from	yes			
012305	2007/08/20	The Impact of the Rosemont Mine on the Economies of Pima County,	George F. Leaming, Ph.D., Western	A report on the expected impacts of Augusta Resource Corporation's Rosemont Mine on personal income, business					

2007/12/01	Mining's Potential Economic Impacts in the Santa Rita and Patagonia Mountains Region of	Josef E. Marlow, Ph.D, Land and Resource Economist, Sonoran	Due to a significant increase in mineral exploration and development activities in the area over the last few years, concern has arisen among various stakeholders about		yes			
2009/11/01	An Assessment of the Economic Impacts of the Rosemont Copper Project on the Economies of the	Dr. Madan Singh, Arizona Department of Mines and Mineral	This report summarizes the results of an economic impact analysis of the Rosemont Copper Project..		yes			
2010/03/01	The Economic Impact of the Arizona Copper Industry 2009	George F. Leaming, Ph.D., Western Economic Analysis Center	AZ's economy gained almost \$9.3 billion & 52,500 AZ residents had jobs in 2009 as a result of the combined direct & indirect contributions of the copper industry to personal, business, and government income in the state.					
2010/08/16	Analysis of Economic Costs of the Proposed Rosemont Copper Project	Thomas Michael Power, PhD, Consulting Economist, Power	The Mountain Empire Action Alliance, a community organization dedicated to maintaining the quality of life and livelihoods in the greater Sonoita Basin, commissioned Dr.					
2010/09/10	Non-Market Values Associated with National Forests	Thomas Michael Power	Comments related to Socio Economics - provided by Mountain Empire Action Alliance.					
2007/01/01	Geologic Map of the Rosemont area, northern Santa Rita Mountains, Pima County, Arizona	Bradford J. Johnson, Charles A. Ferguson, Arizona Geologic	AZ Geologic Survey created a 1:12,000 scale geologic map of the rocks exposed on the surface above the Rosemont deposit. This report and accompanying map are the products					
2007/04/23	Geophysical Investigations Report - Rosemont Mine Project, Vail, Arizona	Zonge Geosciences, Inc.	Reported results of the geophysical investigation conducted at the project site.	Appendix F1 of 012047				
2007/11/01	Geochemical Characterization, Addendum 1	Tetra Tech	This is an addendum to Tetra Tech's Baseline Geochemical Characterization Report presented June 2007.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012105,				
2007/11/30	Rosemont Aero and Geophysical Surveys Project Soil, Watershed, and Air Report	Robert LeFevre, Forestry and Watershed Program	There are no effects to floodplains, wetlands, or watersheds (or soil for air for that matter).					
2008/10/10	Tailings Geochemistry	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech	To date, 4 samples of tailings material have been generated; all samples have been or are scheduled to be tested for acid-generating capacity, metals content, and/or metal release.					
2008/11/10	Geochemistry Sample Update	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech; David B. Levy, Tetra Tech	This memo provides an update of all acid-base accounting (ABA) and Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP) testing conducted to date, including all supplemental 2008 test	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012095,				
2008/11/19	Magnetic Survey of the Rosemont Mine Facility	HGI Hydrogeophysics	Reported results of the magnetic survey.	Appendix F2 of 012047				
2009/02/01	Geotechnical Addendum, Volumes 1, 2, and 3	Tetra Tech	The report presents an addendum to the 2007 Geotechnical Study report (Tetra Tech, 2007). This report presents findings from both the 2006 and 2008 geotechnical investigations.	012396 & 012397 are	yes			
2009/03/24	Tailings Geochemistry	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech	To date, 4 samples of tailings material have been generated; all samples were tested for acid-generating capacity and metals release using standard static and short-term leaching	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012095,				
2009/10/07	Bolsa Quartzite - Acid-Base Accounting Properties and	David Levy, Tetra Tech	This memo presents the ABA (acid-base accounting) and HCT (humidity cell test) results for all Bolsa (Quartzite) samples					
2009/11/02	Rosemont Geochemical Sample Composite Method	Jamie Joggerst, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the method used to composite samples tested for the Rosemont Copper Project geochemical characterization work.					
2009/12/16	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative.		yes			
2010/01/08	Rosemont Copper Project Waste Rock Material Characterization	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of the anticipated physical properties of the waste rock materials that will be placed on the outer surfaces of the Rosemont Ridge Landform	Appendix A1 of 012308.				
2010/01/10	Barrel Only Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization fo the tailings and waste rock materials for the Barrel Only Alternative.		yes			
2010/01/10	Partial Backfill Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Partial Backfill Alternative.		yes			
2010/01/10	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative.		yes			
2010/01/10	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative.		yes			
2010/01/26	Rosemont Site Surface Soils Geochemistry	David Levy, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents an assessment of the potential for leaching of pollutants from surface soils from seepage					
2010/02/01	Geochemical Evaluation of Rosemont Kinetic and Short-Term Leach Test Data	Tetra Tech	Evaluation of the adequacy of existing kinetic and STLT data	Appendix C of 012105				
2010/02/01	Sample Adequacy Evaluation for Rosemont Geologic Materials	Tetra Tech	Assessment of the degree to which results from geochemical testing represent overall tendencies.	Appendix B of 012105				
2010/03/11	Soil Erosion Estimates	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo documents the calculations used to compare the potential soil erosion that could result from various closure configurations for the Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix B of 012308. Cited by				
2010/08/23	Physical and Mechanical Properties of Tailings and Waste Rockfill Materials	AMEC Earth and Environmental	AMEC has prepared this memorandum at the request of Rosemont Copper to provide responses to the April 14, 2010 letter received from ADEQ.	Attachment 8 of 013311.				
2010/08/30	Rosemont 2006-2008 Tailings Material Sample Sources	Michael Dieckhaus, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides details related to the source of the tailings material samples analyzed in 2006, 2007, and 2008 as part of the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.					

013385	2010/08/30	Rosemont Tailings Geochemistry Sample Sources	Michael Dieckhaus, Tetra Tech	In addition to the tailings samples prepared in 2006-2008, six (6) new samples were prepared to better characterize the dry stack tailings associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper	Attachment 9 of 013311.				
013402	2010/08/31	Rosemont Waste Rock Segregation Plan	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a Waste Rock Segregation Plan associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project	Attachment 15 of 013311.				
013838	2010/10/26	Rosemont Geochemical Sample Selection	Amy L. Hudson, Tetra Tech	Review comments from SRK Consulting have indicated that the samples selected for geochemical characterization are concentrated in the center of the Rosemont deposit. This response intends to provide additional detail and clarity regarding the approach to sampling and the spatial distribution of the waste rock and pit wall rock samples.	Attachment 4 of 013786.				
013793	2010/11/01	Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources for the Rosemont Mining Area - Revision 1	Tetra Tech	This report presents an update to the June 2007 Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources. The original survey area was expanded from the Mine Plan of Operations to include other alternatives being considered in the Environmental Impact Statement for the Rosemont Copper Project.	get references				
013791	2010/11/23	Rosemont Preliminary Geochemistry Review Response to Comments	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents responses to the specific comments presented by SRK in a Technical Memorandum titled Preliminary Geochemistry Review - Proposed Rosemont Copper Project	get references				
012700	1989/01/01	Tectonic Setting of Arizona through Geologic Time. In Arizona Geological Society Digest.	William R. Dickinson	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012047, 011902, 011903, 012064. (R-35)	Not a searchable pdf	yes			
012666	1995/01/01	The Helvetia Area Porphyry Systems, Pima County, Arizona: Porphyry Copper Deposits of the American Cordillera	S.A. Anzalone	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012047, 011894, 011902, 011903, 012064. (R-5)		yes			
012050	2009/04/01	Traffic Analysis Report	Tetra Tech	A traffic analysis was completed to examine the existing traffic conditions along State Route 83 and to assess potential future traffic on AZ-83 associated with Rosemont Copper Company's	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012120,	yes			
012051	2009/05/11	State Route (SR) 83 Scenic Road Evaluation for Rosemont	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This technical memo presents a summary of requirements for the Arizona state level designation of a Scenic Road. The		yes			
012372	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis Acceleration Lane	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents design alternatives for the proposed Primary Access Road associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.	Was part of 012052				
012373	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis Bypass Lane	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents design alternatives for the proposed Primary Access Road associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.	Was part of 012052				
012371	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis Stop Sign and Speed Reduction	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents design alternatives for the proposed Primary Access Road associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.	Was part of 012052				
012375	2009/06/15	Wide Load Truck Turnouts for State Route 83	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents two potential locations for wide load truck turnouts along SR 83. This memo also discusses the design criteria used for the turnouts as well as their	Was part of 012052				
012374	2009/06/25	State Route 83 School Bus Stop Improvements	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents potential improvements for the current school bus stops along AZ-83. This memo also discusses the design criteria used for the improvements as	Was part of 012052				
012052	2009/07/01	AZ-83 Roadway Assessment	Tetra Tech	An assessment which analyzed the current roadway geometry and safety conditions was completed along AZ-83 between Interstate 10 and State Route 82.	012371-012375 were	yes			
012099	2009/12/15	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative.		yes			
012100	2010/01/08	Barrel Only Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Barrel Only Alternative.		yes			
012102	2010/01/09	Partial Backfill Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Partial Backfill Alternative.		yes			
012101	2010/01/09	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative.		yes			
012103	2010/01/12	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative.		yes			
012120	2010/02/23	Rosemont Traffic Study - Additional Scenarios	Seri Park, Tetra Tech	This Technical Memorandum presents the results of 3 additional scenarios analyzed as a supplement to the April 2009 Traffic Study Report and their impact on AZ-83. These additional scenarios include: Scenario 3 (No Canyon)		yes			
012054	2009/06/29	Viewshed Analysis	Tetra Tech	Viewshed analysis was performed on the operational areas at various times during life of the Rosemont Copper facility. The rationale for the viewshed analysis was to look at the visible					
012056	2009/12/31	Rosemont Copper Project KOP Viewshed Analysis	Joel Carrasco, Francisco Barrios, Ashley Keepers, Tetra Tech	This technical memo presents a viewshed analysis based on the Key Observation Points (KOPs) associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. Twelve proposed KOP locations were identified outside the perimeter of the Project site					
012181	2010/03/08	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative being considered in the USFS EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012185. (R-250)	yes			

2010/03/08	Barrel Only Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the Barrel Only Alternative being considered in the USFS EIS for the Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives.		yes			
2010/03/08	Mine Plan of Operations Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the MPO facility layouts being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each		yes			
2010/03/08	Partial Pit Backfill Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the Partial Pit Backfill Alternative being considered in the USFS EIS for the Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives.		yes			
2010/03/08	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative being considered in the USFS EIS for the Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives.		yes			
2010/03/08	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative being considered in the USFS EIS for the Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives.		yes			
2007/05/10	PWTS Pond - Stability and Seepage Analyses	Ana Mohseni, Tetra Tech	This memo presents the results of seepage and slope stability analyses of the proposed Process Water Tailings Storage (PWTS) pond at the Rosemont Mine in Arizona.	Appendix O of 012064				
2007/11/19	USFS - SW 1: Rosemont Stream Classification	Richard Pearce, Tetra Tech	Forest Service requested data related to stream channels and flow characteristics near the Compliance Point Dam. In response to FS, field data, observations and a basic hydrographic survey of the streams and overbank areas were collected in the reach near the Dam.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064. (R-119)				
2007/11/20	Rosemont Copper Company Mine Plan of Operations	Michael J. Pearce, Maguire & Pearce PLLC	Water rights data requested by CNF for MPO.	Hard copy has dividers that e-copy does not - page count is slightly different				
2007/11/28	Rosemont Ridge Perimeter Stormwater Retention Basins Issue Number: FDD-2; Item Number: 14	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech	This memo summarizes the hydrologic analysis performed for the area along the north and south perimeter of the Rosemont Ridge Landform. This analysis was done in order to assess the potential stormwater storage capacity of the depression between the facility tow and the adjacent natural ridgeline.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064. (R-118)				
2007/11/30	Rosemont Aero and Geophysical Surveys Project Soil, Watershed, and Air Report	Robert LeFevre, Forestry and Watershed Program Manager	There are no effects to floodplains, wetlands, or watersheds (or soil for air for that matter).					
2007/12/03	Rosemont Project Preliminary Springs Assessment [Issue No. SW-2; Item No. 12]	WestLand Resources, Inc.	A preliminary evaluation of springs within the Rosemont Project Area has been completed by Errol L. Montgomery & Associates.	Part of the MPO (not sure which				
2008/02/13	Updated Groundwater Monitoring Program for Rosemont Mine (FS MPO Comments - Item No. 6 [GW-...])	James Davis, Errol L. Montgomery & Associates	This memo describes current plans for implementation of the groundwater monitoring program for the Rosemont Project.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064.				
2008/12/01	Update to ADWR Model in Sahuarita/Green Valley Area	Marla Odom, Hale Barter, Errol L. Montgomery &	This tech memo describes updates to the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) Tucson Active Management Area Model in the vicinity of Sahuarita and Green Valley.	Cited by Montgomery &				
2009/02/26	Results of Phase 2 Hydrogeologic Investigations and Monitoring Program Rosemont Project, Pima County, Arizona	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.	In accordance with the Phase 2 hydrogeologic characterization program for the proposed Rosemont Mine, 27 groundwater wells and 3 multi-level groundwater piezometers were constructed in the vicinity of the proposed mine for	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012433, 012121				
2009/04/07	Rosemont Copper Project Design Storm and Precipitation Data/Design Criteria	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech	This memo was developed to solidify various design criteria for use at the Rosemont Copper Project site by various consulting groups. The goal of this analysis was to review info generated	Appendix B of 012398; Attachment	yes			
2009/04/24	Results of Construction, Development, and Testing for Production Water Well (D-17-	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.	Production water well RC-2 was installed near the NE corner of the Kanarco 20-acre property in Section 21, Township 17 South, Range 14 East, for Rosemont Coppe Company for	Cited by Montgomery &	yes			
2009/04/27	Second Update to ADWR Model in Sahuarita/Green Valley Area	Marla Odom, Hale Barter, Jim Davis, Errol L. Montgomery &	This tech memo describes updates to the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) Tucson Active Management Area Model in the vicinity of Sahuarita and Green Valley.	Cited by Montgomery &	yes			
2009/04/29	Rainfall Run-off Volumes - Rosemont Heap Leach Facility	Elton Smith, Tetra Tech	This memo provides the potential volume of stormwater run-off that will be captured by the Heap Leach Pad and associated					
2009/04/30	Groundwater Flow Modeling Conducted for Simulation of Rosemont Copper Project	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.	Montgomery & Associates conducted groundwater flow modeling investigations for simulation of mine supply groundwater pumping from proposed locations near					
2009/05/05	Evaluation of Rosemont Geochemical Testing Results and Local Water Quality	David Levy, Tetra Tech	The objectives of this memo are to address questions related to acid rock drainage and livestock grazing.					
2009/05/21	Analysis of Long-Term, Multi-Well Aquifer Test November 2008 through January 2009 Rosemont Project, Pima County, Arizona	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.	Additional investigations for the Phase 2 hydrogeologic characterization program for the proposed Rosemont mine, included a long-term multi-well aquifer test. This test was conducted to further assist with evaluation of the aquifer	Cited by Montgomery & Associates				
2009/05/28	Rosemont Copper Project Area - Modified Infiltration Rate	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech; Elton Smith, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the results of an infiltration analysis performed for the Rosemont Copper Project.					

012070	2009/07/01	Rosemont Copper Water Supply Project Design Concept Report	Stantec Consulting, Inc	This report presents updated recommendations for the water supply facilities and project design criteria. Recommendations and design criteria are conceptual and should not be considered final.		yes			
013408	2009/07/31	Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination for the Rosemont Project, Pima County, Arizona	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand has completed a preliminary jurisdictional determination pursuant to USACOE Regulatory Guidance Letter D8-02, of areas that may be considered by the ACOE as					
012399	2009/09/10	PMP Storm Estimation	Elton Smith, Tetra Tech	This memo discusses the methodology behind the estimation of the Local and General Probable Maximum Precipitation	Attachment 2 of				
012592	2009/12/04	Review Comments of Rosemont Numerical Groundwater Model	Nathan W. Haws, Toby Leeson, MWH	This memo presents the findings of MWH's review of the development and simulation results of the numerical					
012434	2010/01/14	Heap Leach Facility Infiltration, Seepage, and Fate and Transport Modeling/Treatment Options	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents Tetra Tech's infiltration, seepage, fate, and transport modeling associated with the final design of the Heap Leach Facility for the proposed Rosemont Copper	Appendix E of 012121; Appendix				
012104	2010/01/27	Rosemont Hydrology Method Justification	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech; Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech	This tech memo discusses the selection of the hydrologic methodology/design storm criteria applied to the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	012399 is Attachment 2 of this	yes			
012105	2010/02/01	Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model	Tetra Tech	Upon cessation of mining, the local water table will rebound from its lowered condition produced by dewatering pumps. Water from the surrounding aquifer and direct precipitation	012438 & 012439 are Appendices	yes			
012121	2010/02/01	Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Modeling Report	Tetra Tech	This investigation evaluates the environmental consequences of developing the Rosemont deposit, with a focus on the potential to impact the regional groundwater system following	Appendix E is 012434.	yes			
012179	2010/02/01	Technical Memorandum Review of the Proposed Rosemont Ranch Mine Hydrogeologic Analysis and	Tom Myers, PhD	The general conceptual flow model proposed by M&A for the Rosemont groundwater model is accurate with a few exceptions.					
012126	2010/03/01	Comparison of Natural Fluctuation in Groundwater Level to Provisional Drawdown Projections, Rosemont Mine	James Davis, Errol L. Montgomery & Associates	This tech memo compares the natural groundwater fluctuations of the system near the Rosemont property with the drawdown predicted by the hydrogeologic model.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012337. (R-343)	yes			
013406	2010/03/01	Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination: Santa Rita Road Waterline for the Rosemont Project	WestLand Resources, Inc.	WestLand has completed a preliminary jurisdictional determination pursuant to USACOE Regulatory Guidance Letter 08-02, of areas that may be considered by the ACOE as					
012418	2010/03/04	Baseline Regulatory (100-Yr) Hydrology and Average-Annual Runoff, Rosemont Copper Project	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted baseline regulatory (100-year) hydrology and average-annual runoff at the proposed Rosemont Copper	Appendix Q of 012398. Cited by				
012188	2010/03/05	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.		yes			
012189	2010/03/05	Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Barrel Only Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430.	yes			
012187	2010/03/05	Mine Plan of Operations Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Mine Plan of Operations being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012188.	yes			
012192	2010/03/05	Partial Backfill Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Partial Backfill Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This		yes			
012190	2010/03/05	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430.	yes			
012191	2010/03/05	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This analysis quantifies the potential impact of the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative on downstream stormwater flows and average-annual runoff.	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430. (R-328)	yes			
012419	2010/03/05	Post-Mining Regulatory (100-Yr) Hydrology and Average-Annual Runoff, Rosemont Copper Project	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted post-mining regulatory (100-year) hydrology and average-annual runoff at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix R of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012337, 012398, 012425, 012431. (R-312)				
012650	2010/03/31	Scholefield Tailings/Wash Avoidance Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment of the Scholefield Tailings/Wash Avoidance Alternative being considered by the United States Army Corps of Engineers for the RCC.					
012398	2010/04/01	Site Water Management Update Volumes 1-5	Tetra Tech	This report further develops the key site water management structures planned for the Rosemont Copper Project designed to protect the environment and Project facilities. This update is specific to the base reclamation concept of the Rosemont Ridge Landform	Finish combining into one electronic document				
013397	2010/04/05	Rosemont Infiltration Analysis - Revised	Monica Salguero, Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech	Revised tech memo regarding Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post mining conditions associate with the proposed Rosemont	Attachment C of 013396.				
012425	2010/04/05	Rosemont Infiltration Analysis	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech; Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post-mining conditions associated with the	Appendix S of 012398. Cited by				
012431	2010/04/09	Rosemont Baseline and Post-Mining Conditions - Sediment Delivery	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted average-annual sediment delivery for baseline and post-mining conditions at the proposed	Appendix T of 012398. Cited by				

2010/04/13	Rosemont Surface Water Quality Baseline Analysis	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a comparison for the stormwater monitoring data and Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP) data collected for the Rosemont Copper Project against applicable surface water quality standards (SWQS).	Appendix U of 012398. Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398. (R-340)				
2010/04/21	Updated Groundwater Modeling Report Proposed Rosemont Open Pit Mining Project	Tom Myers, PhD, Consultant, Hydrology and Water Resources	Myers completed a groundwater model to predict potential impacts of developing an open pit at the proposed Rosemont Mine.					
2010/07/01	Davidson Canyon Hydrogeologic Conceptual Model and Assessment of Spring Impacts	Tetra Tech	A description of the hydrologic dynamics and key physical processes that are governing groundwater-surface water interactions in Davidson Canyon which includes a discussion	Appendix A of 013794.				
2010/07/09	Hydrogeologic Framework Model	Grady O'Brien, Tetra Tech	Tetra Tech's groundwater flow modeling team has prepared a three-dimensional hydrogeologic framework model to support development of our regional groundwater flow models. This	Attachment A of 013312.				
2010/07/09	Hydraulic-Property Estimates	Tetra Tech	Tetra Tech's groundwater flow modeling team has evaluated short-term aquifer-test data and simulated long-term test data to estimate hydraulic properties in the Rosemont Project area. This tech memo describes the analysis and process for obtaining the hydraulic-property estimates.	get references				
2010/07/15	Rosemont Copper Operations Inventory No. 106100 Comprehensive Request for	Kimberlite Water Quality Permitting and Compliance Services,	Response to ADEQ letter dated April 14, 2010.					
2010/07/26	Groundwater Flow Model Construction and Calibration	Grady O'Brien, Project Manager, Tetra Tech	This Tech Memo documents the tasks completed to construct 1) the steady-state groundwater flow model and calibration results, 2) the mining-phase groundwater flow model, and 3) the post-mining phase groundwater flow model. The background information provided in this Tech Memo supports the groundwater impact analysis and sensitivity analysis tasks being developed by Tetra Tech	need to get lit cited from Tetra Tech				
2010/07/30	Predictive Groundwater Flow Modeling Results	Grady O'Brien, Project Manager, Tetra Tech	This Tech Memo documents the results of the predictive groundwater flow models prepared by Tetra Tech for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	need to get lit cited from Tetra Tech				
2010/07/30	Steady-State Sensitivity Analyses	Grady O'Brien, Project Manager, Tetra Tech	This Tech Memo provides an update on the status of the sensitivity analyses performed to date on the groundwater flow models prepared by Tetra Tech for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project (Project).	need to get lit cited from Tetra Tech				
2010/08/01	Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Modeling Report -	Tetra Tech	This report presents the results of the infiltration and seepage, and fate and transport modeling for the proposed Waste Rock	Attachment 1 of 013301				
2010/08/02	Review of Tetra Tech (2010) Hydraulic Property Estimates	Vladimir Ugorets, Larry Cope, Mike Sieber, SRK	This tech memo provides a technical review of Hydraulic Property Estimates (Tetra Tech, 2010).	get references. Attachment				
2010/08/14	Rosemont Phase 2 Heap Leach Pad Underdrain Design	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the methods and computations employed to estimate the capacity of the Phase 2 Heap Leach Pad Underdrain System.	Attachment H of 013386.				
2010/08/17	Rosemont Groundwater Flow Model Sensitivity Analyses	Grady O'Brien, Tetra Tech	This Technical Memorandum presents the sensitivity analyses performed on the groundwater flow models prepared by Tetra Tech for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project	need to get lit cited from Tetra Tech				
2010/08/17	Review of Tetra Tech Documents Groundwater Flow Model Construction and Calibration and Steady State Analyses	Vladimir Ugorets, Larry Cope, Mike Sieber, SRK	This memo provides a technical review of the two Technical Memoranda, Groundwater Flow Model Construction and Calibration and Steady-State Sensitivity Analyses.	get references. Attachment 4 of				
2010/08/20	Rosemont BADCT Analysis for the PWTS Pond	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo supersedes any previous liner leakage estimates or facility descriptions for the Process Water Temporary Storage (PWTS) Pond.	Attachment 13 of 013311.				
2010/08/23	Potential Source Volumes and Chemical Makeup for Area-Wide Fate and Transport Modeling -	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides estimated source volumes and chemical makeup for the following facilities for use, as needed, in the area-wide fate and transport modeling work associated	Attachment B of 013378.				
2010/08/23	Rosemont APP-Regulated Facility Depth to Groundwater	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides estimated depth to groundwater from existing ground and/or facility bottom elevations based on the updated locations of those facilities regulated under the APP program.	Attachment 17 of 013311. Get				
2010/08/24	Rosemont Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This Tech Memo summarizes the results of a predictive pit lake water quality analysis prepared for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Attachment 4 of 013311.				
2010/08/30	Rosemont Infiltration, Seepage, and Fate and Transport Report Update	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo serves as a transmittal of an updated infiltration, seepage, and fate and transport modeling report - Revision 1 (Tetra Tech, 2010) prepared for the three (3)	Attachment 6 of 013311				
2010/08/30	Groundwater Flow Modeling Conducted for Simulation of Proposed Rosemont Pit Dewatering and Post-Closure Volume 1 & 2.	Mongomery & Associates	The groundwater flow model was designed to simulate conditions prior to pit development, during pit dewatering, and for a 1,000-year post-closure period of groundwater level recovery and potential pit lake development.	Revised report. Attachment 1 of 013311. Get references.				
2010/08/31	Rosemont Area-Wide Fate and Transport and DIA Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo is in response to April 14, 2010 Comprehensive Request for Additional Information from ADEQ.	Attachment 5 of 013311. get references				

013396	2010/08/31	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Design Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides information related to the flow-through drain system that is proposed as part of the Rosemont Copper Project.	Attachment 11 of 013311. get references			
013312	2010/08/31	Rosemont Groundwater Flow Model Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the results of a groundwater flow modeling effort prepared by Tetra Tech for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Attachment 12 of 013311. get references			
013398	2010/08/31	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Sedimentation Analysis	Gregory Hemmen, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides estimates of sediment loading to the drain inlet areas and expands on the control of these sediments at the inlet areas from that provided in the Site Water Management Update report.	Attachment D of 013396. get references			
013379	2010/08/31	Rosemont Area-Wide Fate and Transport and DIA Assessment	Keith Thompson, Tetra Tech	This tech memo documents the results of the DIA analysis, which was based on Tetra Tech's regional groundwater flow models.	Attachment A of 013378. get references			
013401	2010/08/31	Rosemont Settling Basin BADCT Analysis	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides an analysis of the BADCT alternatives for the Settling Basin at the Rosemont Copper Project.	Attachment 14 of 013311. get references			
013541	2010/09/10	Expanded Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Assessment	Ranson Chee, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Expanded Barrel Only Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.				
013837	2010/09/15	Rosemont Alternatives Infiltration Analysis	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration (recharge) of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post-mining (post-closure) conditions for the various alternatives associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.				
013836	2010/09/15	Rosemont Expanded Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Control Features	Ranson Chee, Tetra Tech	This tech memo summarizes the stormwater control features anticipated for the Expanded Barrel Only Alternative associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project in	have all references			
013839	2010/10/26	Rosemont SPLP Usage from Pit Wall Runoff	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech	Response to review comments from SRK Consulting regarding the Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model (Tetra Tech, 2010).	Have all references. Attachment 5 of 013786. get references			
013788	2010/11/01	Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Revision 1	Tetra Tech	This report presents an update to the February 2010 Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model report. Updates were	get references			
013794	2010/11/01	Regional Groundwater Flow Model Rosemont Copper Project	Tetra Tech	This report presents the results of a regional groundwater flow model developed for the Rosemont project. This geologically based numerical flow model predicts the formation of a pit	get references			
013790	2010/11/12	Addendum to Groundwater Flow Modeling Conducted for Simulation of Rosemont Copper's Proposed Mine Supply Pumping Sahuarita, Arizona	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.	This addendum includes additional explanation and analysis for the groundwater flow model used to simulate impacts of water supply pumping for the Rosemont mine as part of an EIS.	get references			
013786	2010/11/16	Response to Comments on February 2010 Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Report	Mark Williamson, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a response to SRK's comments.	get references			
013787	2010/11/17	Responses to SRK's Technical Review Comments on Tetra Tech's Groundwater Flow Model Technical Memoranda	Michael Gabora, Tetra Tech	This memo provides responses to SRK's review comments.	get references			
013792	2010/11/23	Rosemont Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Response to Comments	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech	This tech memo presents responses to the specific comments by SRK and Tetra Tech's revisions included in the updated report.	get references			
013789	2010/11/30	Rosemont Site Water Management Update Review Responses	David Krizek, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides responses to the review comments provided to Rosemont Copper Company on the Site Water Management Update report prepared by Tetra Tech.	get references			
014072	2010/12/01	Water Consumption at Copper Mines in Arizona	Madan Singh, Director, State of Arizona, Department of Mines and Minerals	Overview of water usage in copper mining in Arizona.				
014089	2011/01/06	Additional Discussion of Rosemont Mine Water Supply Modeling and Analysis of Calibration	Hale W. Barter and Marla Odom, Montgomery and Associates	In our professional evaluation of modeling requirements for the proposed 20-year Rosemont water supply, we determined the ADWR Tucson Active Management Area (TAMA) model is the best option for simulating regional groundwater level				
014088	2011/01/06	Additional Discussion of Rosemont Mine Water Supply Modeling and Calibration	Hale W. Barter, Montgomery and Associates	In our professional judgement the TAMA model is the best option for projecting impacts from Rosemont pumping.				
012077	2007/07/06	Final Report for Phase I.	Jeffrey S. Fehmi, University of Arizona, School of Natural Resources	The target of the Rosemont mine reclamation effort is to prevent soil loss from the site, reclaim its capacity for productive use, and return the site to a higher functioning plant community.	yes			
012079	2008/12/17	Phase II - Project Report Final	Jeffrey S. Fehmi, Taryn M. Kong, Leslie Wood, University of Arizona, School of Natural Resources	In a greenhouse study of reclamation options, four seed mixes, three soil types, three rainfall scenarios, and three amendment treatments were tested. Based on analysis of the 28 individual species of native plants tested, a mix of 10 species was selected in the Phase II experiment.	yes			
012080	2009/09/10	University of Arizona Reclamation Test Plots	Rosemont Copper Company	The purpose of the test plot project is to evaluate different reclamation techniques in order to establish successful reclamation methods.				
012411	2010/01/08	Rosemont Copper Project Final Open Pit Wall Coloration	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo provides a summary of the anticipated colors of the final Open Pit walls at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	Appendix A2 of 012308. get references			
012413	2010/01/14	Prescriptive BADCT Closure for the Heap Leach Facility Ponds	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	The purpose of this tech memo is to document the Prescriptive BADCT closure recommendations for the ponds associated with the Heap Leach Facility for the proposed	Appendix N of 012398; Appendix E			

2010/03/01	Reclamation Concept Update	Tetra Tech	This report further develops the Rosemont Ridge Landform and incorporates a variety of considerations such as controlling stormwater and erosion, addressing post-mining	Cited by Tetra Tech in 012398,				
2010/03/15	Prescriptive BADCT Closure for Lined Facilities at the Rosemont	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech	This tech memo documents the Prescriptive BADCT closure recommendations for the lined facilities associated with the	Appendix F of 012398.				
2010/04/10	Rosemont Backfill and Pit Lake Management Approaches	Tetra Tech	This Technical Memo provides background information on how the post-closure conditions related to the Rosemont Copper Project might be affected by partial backfilling of the					
2010/06/28	Rosemont Mine Reclamation - What to Expect	Robert E. Lefevre, Forestry and Watershed Program Manager	Estimates of plant communities based on R.Lefevre's observations of recovering burned and mined areas.					



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Subject past, present and future activities table 

Hi Everyone,

Last week the team requested a copy of this table. I apologize for the delay in getting it out to you.

Bev

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cc  
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Subject Fw: 20100625\_Latest Footprints-Scholefield & Barrel

As promised, the Scholefield footprint link, in case you haven't seen it yet.

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Bev asked that I post these. The link will take you to the Scholefield McCleary footprint and the Barrel Only is also posted in that same folder. We just got these last night, so this is the latest and greatest.  
Thanks!  
Mel

<<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=171354>>



**Beverley A  
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03/27/2008 01:50 PM

To Heidi Schewel/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES,  
tfurgason@swca.com  
cc  
bcc  
Subject Fw: My suggestions re mailings

Let's discuss this request. I will follow with more suggestions from Elizabeth Webb. Bev

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These are the neighborhoods if you were going to mail letters:

Rita Ranch-various phases  
Mesquite Ranch-  
Civano-

Rita Ranch Neighborhood Association (Rita-City of Tucson)- Al

Del Lago Homeowners Association (Vail)

Santa Rita Community Association (Corona de Tucson)

Civano Homeowners Association (City of Tucson)

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**Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb**

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**Kathy Arnold**  
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02/12/2011 03:38 PM

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bcc

Subject Fwd: Schedule released on the FS website

Heidi -

I have not heard back from Jim or Reta and I understand they were both out of the office this week. However, I did not hear from Bev, or Mindee on this either and wanted to know if you could comment. We need to have some resolution to this ASAP.

Regards,

Kathy

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**Subject:** Schedule released on the FS website

Jim and Reta

We have some serious concerns regarding the information that you have posted on the website at the address below. I need you to explain:

- Why this was put out
- Who approved this
- When it will be pulled off
- How something this significant could be released without agreement from us
- When this was decided because we assume the dates are all off by 1 full year, and

- When is an official retraction going to be issued in a press release with the appropriate schedule showing completion by October

I look forward to hearing from you today on this matter

Regards

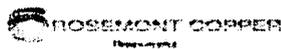
Kathy

<http://www.fs.fed.us/sopa/components/reports/sopa-110305-2011-01.html>

Coronado National Forest - Nogales Ranger District (Excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)				R3 - South	
Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
Rosemont Copper Mine Construction and Operation EIS	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 03/13/2008 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/2011	Expected:06/2012	10/2012	Beverley Everson 520-388-8300 <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont">comments-southwestern-coro.</a>
<p><b>Description:</b> Forest proposes to approve plan of operation for open-pit copper mine on private processing and other facilities on National Forest. Mine Plan of Operations submitted for approval 2007.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont">http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont</a></p> <p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Nogales Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Pima. LEGAL - in Township Ranges 15 and 16, Gila/Salt River Meridian. Santa Rita Mountains, 30 miles southeast of Tucson.</p>					

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The sign in sheets contain only the person's name and the agency they represent. I don't think that is personal info. From my standpoint, nothing needs to be changed or redacted on the website regarding attendance lists.

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Subject CDs for Cooperators

History:  This message has been replied to.

Heidi-

Tom requested that I send you the list of documents that the FS will provide to the Cooperators in their meeting tomorrow.

Thanks!

*Melissa Reichard*

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012097	2010/01/10	Partial Backfill Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech
012098	2010/01/10	Barrel Only Alternative Geochemical Characterization	Tetra Tech
012099	2009/12/15	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech

012100	2010/01/08	Barrel Only Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech
012101	2010/01/09	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech
012102	2010/01/09	Partial Backfill Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech
012103	2010/01/12	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Traffic Analysis	Tetra Tech
012104	2010/01/27	Rosemont Hydrology Method Justification	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech; Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech
012105	2010/02/01	Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model	Tetra Tech
012109	2009/05/20	Rosemont Mine Outdoor Lighting & Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code Technical Memo	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation
012111	2007/10/30	Technical Memorandum -- Rosemont Copper Project Incorporation Documents (Issue No. Admin-6; Item No. 23)	Fennimore Craig, P.C.
012114	2006/06/05	Conceptual Heap Leach Pad Design Layout	Vector - Colorado, LLC
012116	2008/12/01	Update to ADWR Model in Sahuarita/Green Valley Area	Marla Odom, Hale Barter, Errol L. Montgomery & Associates
012120	2010/02/23	Rosemont Traffic Study - Additional Scenarios	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012121	2010/02/01	Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Modeling Report	Tetra Tech

012126	2010/03/01	Comparison of Natural Fluctuation in Groundwater Level to Provisional Drawdown Projections, Rosemont Mine	James Davis, Errol L. Montgomery & Associates
012180	2010/03/08	Mine Plan of Operations Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012181	2010/03/08	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012182	2010/03/08	Barrel Only Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012183	2010/03/08	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012184	2010/03/08	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012185	2010/03/08	Partial Pit Backfill Alternative Viewshed Analysis	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012187	2010/03/05	Mine Plan of Operations Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012188	2010/03/05	Barrel and McCleary Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012189	2010/03/05	Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech

012190	2010/03/05	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012191	2010/03/05	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012192	2010/03/05	Partial Backfill Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
012300	2009/09/17	Revised Status Report: Talussnail Surveys and Literature Review in the Rosemont Project Area and Vicinity.	WestLand Resources, Inc.
012304	2008/10/01	Background Ambient Noise Study.	Tetra Tech
012306	2009/09/01	Responses to Dry Stack TSF Comments Provided by Dale Ortman.	John F. Lupo, Ph.D., P.E., Principal Engineer, AMEC Earth & Environmental, Inc.
012308	2010/03/01	Reclamation Concept Update	Tetra Tech
012312	2008/11/01	Rosemont Copper Company Filtered Tailings Dry Stacks Current State of Practice Final Report	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.
012336	2010/04/15	Talus Snails ( <i>Sonorella</i> , Helminthoglyptidae) and Tauls Slopes of the North Ridge of the Santa Rita Mountains, Pima County, Arizona	Robert J. Schmalzel, Robert Archer, P.E. WestLand Resources, Inc.

012338	2010/04/10	Rosemont Backfill and Pit Lake Management Approaches	Tetra Tech
012339	2007/08/24	Rosemont Copper Project Feasibility Study	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation
012370	2007/11/01	Geochemical Characterization, Addendum 1	Tetra Tech
012371	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis - Stop Sign and Speed Reduction	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012372	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis - Acceleration Lane	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012373	2009/06/04	Rosemont "T" Intersection Analysis - Bypass Lane	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012374	2009/06/25	State Route 83 School Bus Stop Improvements	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012375	2009/06/15	Wide Load Truck Turnouts for State Route 83	Seri Park, Tetra Tech
012395	2009/06/05	Addendum to the Pima Pineapple Cactus Survey of the Proposed Rosemont Project Waterline Alignment	WestLand Resources, Inc.
012396	2007/04/23	Geophysical Investigations Report - Rosemont Mine Project, Vail, Arizona	Zonge Geosciences, Inc.
012398	2010/04/01	Site Water Management Update Volumes 1-5	Tetra Tech
012399	2009/09/10	PMP Storm Estimation	Elton Smith, Tetra Tech
012400	2009/05/04	Rosemont Copper BADCT Analysis for the PWTS Ponds	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech; David Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech
012401	2009/05/04	Rosemont Copper BADCT Analysis for the Settling Basin	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech; David Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech

012402	2009/12/15	Dry Stack Facility Stability Analysis	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.
012403	2010/04/02	Rosemont Copper Company Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility Stormwater Management Preliminary Design Report	AMEC Earth & Environmental Inc.
012404	2008/10/10	Tailings Geochemistry	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech
012405	2008/11/10	Geochemistry Sample Update	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech; David B. Levy, Tetra Tech
012406	2009/03/24	Tailings Geochemistry	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech
012407	2009/04/29	Rainfall Run-off Volumes - Rosemont Heap Leach Facility	Elton Smith, Tetra Tech
012408	2009/05/28	Rosemont Copper Project Area - Modified Infiltration Rate	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech; Elton Smith, Tetra Tech
012409	2009/10/07	Bolsa Quartzite - Acid-Base Accounting Properties and Humidity Cell Testing Results	David Levy, Tetra Tech
012410	2009/11/02	Rosemont Geochemical Sample Composite Method	Jamie Joggerst, Tetra Tech
012411	2010/01/08	Rosemont Copper Project Final Open Pit Wall Coloration	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012412	2010/01/08	Rosemont Copper Project Waste Rock Material Characterization	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012413	2010/01/14	Prescriptive BADCT Closure for the Heap Leach Facility Ponds	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012414	2010/01/14	Minimum Thickness Analysis for Waste Rock Placed Over Spent Heap Leach Ore Material	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech

012415	2010/01/26	Rosemont Site Surface Soils Geochemistry	David Levy, Tetra Tech
012418	2010/03/04	Baseline Regulatory (100-Yr) Hydrology and Average-Annual Runoff, Rosemont Copper Project	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech
012419	2010/03/05	Post-Mining Regulatory (100-Yr) Hydrology and Average-Annual Runoff, Rosemont Copper Project	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech
012420	2010/03/11	Soil Erosion Estimates	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012421	2010/03/12	Waste Rock Storage Area - Stability Analysis	Ana Mohseni, Tetra Tech
012422	2010/03/15	Prescriptive BADCT Closure for Lined Facilities at the Rosemont Project	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012424	2010/04/05	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Design	Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech; Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech
012425	2010/04/05	Rosemont Infiltration Analysis	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech; Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech
012426	2010/04/05	Rosemont Pit Diversion Channel Design	Francisco Barrios P.E. & Greg Hemmen P.E. Tetra Tech
012427	2010/04/05	Rosemont Dry Stack Tailings Facility Stormwater Management	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech; Greg Hemmen, Tetra Tech
012428	2010/04/05	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Sizing	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech; Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech
012430	2010/04/09	Rosemont Baseline and Post-mining Conditions - Alternatives Sediment Delivery	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech
012431	2010/04/09	Rosemont Baseline and Post-Mining Conditions - Sediment Delivery	Michael E. Zeller, P.E., P.H., Tetra Tech

012432	2010/04/13	Rosemont Surface Water Quality Baseline Analysis	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
012433	2009/05/05	Evaluation of Rosemont Geochemical Testing Results and Local Water Quality	David Levy, Tetra Tech
012434	2010/01/14	Heap Leach Facility Infiltration, Seepage, and Fate and Transport Modeling/Treatment Options	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech
012436	2007/05/10	PWTS Pond - Stability and Seepage Analyses	Ana Mohseni, Tetra Tech
012437	2009/01/20	Rosemont Aquifer Protection Permit Application Liner Leakage Calculations	Michael Thronbrue, Elton Smith, Tetra Tech
012438	2010/02/01	Geochemical Evaluation of Rosemont Kinetic and Short-Term Leach Test Data	Tetra Tech
012439	2010/02/01	Sample Adequacy Evaluation for Rosemont Geologic Materials	Tetra Tech
012444	2010/04/02	Heap Leach Facility Flood Surface Analysis and Stormwater Controls	Tetra Tech
012650	2010/03/31	Scholefield Tailings/Wash Avoidance Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E. Tetra Tech
012666	1995/01/01	The Helvetia Area Porphyry Systems, Pima County, Arizona: Porphyry Copper Deposits of the American Cordillera	S.A. Anzalone
012700	1989/01/01	Tectonic Setting of Arizona through Geologic Time. In <i>Arizona Geological Society Digest</i> .	William R. Dickinson
012716	2007/11/30	Technical Memorandum -- Rosemont Copper Project Unpatented Mining Claims and Sites Map (Issue No. Admin-5; Item No. 21)	Fennemore Craig, P.C.
012719	2007/11/20	Rosemont Copper Company Mine Plan of Operations	Michael J. Pearce, Maguire & Pearce PLLC
012735	2007/11/13	Response to USFS - Coronado National Forest Request for Additional Information FDD - 3 Staging Areas for Pre-Production	M3 Engineering & Technology Corporation
012762	2007/11/28	Supplemental Information to the Mine Plan of Operations Rosemont Copper Company - Disposition of Existing Mine Workings	James A. Sturgess, Rosemont Copper Company

012941	2010/07/01	Davidson Canyon Hydrogeologic Conceptual Model and Assessment of Spring Impacts	Tetra Tech
012944	2010/07/09	Hydraulic-Property Estimates	Tetra Tech
013010	2010/03/05	Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
013011	2010/03/05	Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
013012	2010/03/05	Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative Stormwater Assessment	David R. Krizek, P.E., Tetra Tech
013212	2009/04/24	Results of Construction, Development, and Testing for Production Water Well (D-17-14)21add[RC-2] Pima County, Arizona	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.
013219	2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Application for a Class II Permit Rosemont Copper Project, Southeastern Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.
013220	2006/07/01	Monitoring Protocol and Quality Assurance Project Plan for Conducting Ambient PM10 and Meteorological Monitoring for the Proposed Rosemont Copper Mine Pima County, Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.
013221	2009/07/07	Summary of Ambient Air Quality and Meteorological Data Collected During the Second Quarter 2009 at the Rosemont Copper Mine Monitoring Site Pima County, Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.
013222	2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Emission Inventory Information Years 1, 5, 10, 15, and 20 Rosemont Copper Project Southeastern Arizona	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.
013223	2010/07/28	Rosemont Copper Company Modeling Report to Assess Ambient Air Quality Impacts	Applied Environmental Consultants, Inc.



013228	2010/07/30	Steady-State Sensitivity Analyses	Grady O'Brien, Project Manager, Tetra Tech
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013228	2010/07/30	Steady-State Sensitivity Analyses	Grady O'Brien, Project Manager, Tetra Tech
013232	2010/04/01	Onsite Riparian Habitat Assessment	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013233	2010/07/15	Rosemont Copper Operations Inventory No. 106100 Comprehensive Request for Additional Information	Kimberlite Water Quality Permitting and Compliance Services. L.L.C.
013310	2010/08/30	Groundwater Flow Modeling Conducted for Simulation of Proposed Rosemont Pit Dewatering and Post-Closure Volume 1 & 2.	Mongomery & Associates
013312	2010/08/31	Rosemont Groundwater Flow Model Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013377	2010/08/24	Rosemont Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech

013378	2010/08/31	Rosemont Area-Wide Fate and Transport and DIA Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013379	2010/08/31	Rosemont Area-Wide Fate and Transport and DIA Assessment	Keith Thompson, Tetra Tech
013380	2010/08/23	Potential Source Volumes and Chemical Makeup for Area-Wide Fate and Transport Modeling - Rosemont Copper Project	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013381	2010/08/30	Rosemont Infiltration, Seepage, and Fate and Transport Report Update	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013382	2010/08/01	Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Modeling Report - Revision 1.	Tetra Tech
013384	2010/08/23	Physical and Mechanical Properties of Tailings and Waste Rockfill Materials	AMEC Earth and Environmental
013385	2010/08/30	Rosemont Tailings Geochemistry Sample Sources	Michael Dieckhaus, Tetra Tech
013393	2010/08/14	Rosemont Phase 2 Heap Leach Pad Underdrain Design	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech
013396	2010/08/31	Rosemont Flow-Through Drain Design Summary	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013397	2010/04/05	Rosemont Infiltration Analysis - Revised	Monica Salguero, Joel Carrasco, Tetra Tech
013400	2010/08/20	Rosemont BADCT Analysis for the PWTS Pond	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
013401	2010/08/31	Rosemont Settling Basin BADCT Analysis	Mike Thornbrue, Tetra Tech
013402	2010/08/31	Rosemont Waste Rock Segregation Plan	David Krizek, Tetra Tech
013404	2010/08/23	Rosemont APP-Regulated Facility Depth to Groundwater	David Krizek, Tetra Tech

013406	2010/03/01	Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination: Santa Rita Road Waterline for the Rosemont Project Pima County, Arizona	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013408	2009/07/31	Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination for the Rosemont Project, Pima County, Arizona	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013410	2010/08/30	Rosemont 2006-2008 Tailings Material Sample Sources	Michael Dieckhaus, Tetra Tech
013411	2007/12/03	Rosemont Project Preliminary Springs Assessment [Issue No. SW-2; Item No. 12]	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013422	2010/08/23	Rosemont Copper Company Addendum to: CALPUFF Modeling Report to Assess Impacts in Class I Areas	Applied Environmental Consultants
013445	2010/02/03	Saguaro and Agave Survey: Proposed Santa Rita Road Waterline for the Rosemont Project.	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013541	2010/09/10	Expanded Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Assessment	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech
013785	2010/11/12	Evaluation of Seven Forest Sensitive Plant Species	WestLand Resources, Inc.
013786	2010/11/16	Response to Comments on February 2010 Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Report	Mark Williamson, Tetra Tech
013787	2010/11/17	Responses to SRK's Technical Review Comments on Tetra Tech's Groundwater Flow Model Technical Mmornda	Michael Gabora, Tetra Tech
013788	2010/11/01	Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model Revision 1	Tetra Tech
013789	2010/11/30	Rosemont Site Water Management Update Review Responses	David Krizek, Tetra Tech

013790	2010/11/12	Addendum to Groundwater Flow Modeling Conducted for Simulation of Rosemont Copper's Proposed Mine Supply Pumping Sahuarita. Arizona	Errol L. Montgomery & Associates Inc.
013791	2010/11/23	Rosemont Preliminary Geochemistry Review Response to Comments	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech
013792	2010/11/23	Rosemont Infiltration, Seepage, Fate and Transport Response to Comments	Amy Hudson, REM, Tetra Tech
013793	2010/11/01	Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources for the Rosemont Mining Area - Revision 1	Tetra Tech
013794	2010/11/01	Regional Groundwater Flow Model Rosemont Copper Project	Tetra Tech
013836	2010/09/15	Rosemont Expanded Barrel Only Alternative Stormwater Control Features	Ronson Chee, Tetra Tech
013837	2010/09/15	Rosemont Alternatives Infiltration Analysis	Monica Salguero, Tetra Tech
013838	2010/10/26	Rosemont Geochemical Sample Selection	Amy L. Hudsson, Tetra Tech
013839	2010/10/26	Rosemont SPLP Usage fro Pit Wall Runoff	Mark A. Williamson, Tetra Tech

<b>Summary</b>	<b>On FS Website</b>
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Electrical Power Supply and Water Supply Supplement      yes

Reclamation & Closure Plan has been designed to meet regulatory requirements through a unique concurrent reclamation and closure approach.      yes

Characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials      yes

Dry tailings storage facility engineering analyses and design documents      yes

Presents the leaching facilities engineering analyses and design documents      yes

Intent of the Site Water Management Plan is to demonstrate how storm flows and sediment yield will be managed during the active mine life, as well as long-term for reclamation and closure.

Augusta will manage materials on-site to minimize the amount of waste created and to ensure wastes do not become mixed, contaminated, or mismanaged.      yes

Viewshed analysis was performed on the operational areas at various times during life of the Rosemont Copper facility. The rationale for the viewshed analysis was to look at the visible impact of the operations from the local surroundings.      yes

Vector conducted an initial site selection study for a tailings impoundment at the proposed Rosemont Mine. The evaluation consisted of an analysis of alternative sites based on defined design and selection criteria as well as estimated development costs to identify the preferred tailings impoundment site.

Geologic hazard assessemnt for the Rosemont Copper Project.      yes

Site investigation included borehole drilling, test pit excavating, surface geology mapping, field penetration and hydraulic testing, geotechnical logging of boreholes, geophysical ground surveys, and laboratory testing of selected soil resources. Specific objectives of the soil resources assessment included the following: describe soil profiles or pedons, and document soil characteristics; sample and analyze physical and chemical properties or representative pedons in the Project area. This report estimates the soil salvage extents and volumes associated with the Rosemont operational areas. The estimates are based on Tetra Tech's Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources Report dated June 2007.      yes

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This report estimates the soil salvage extents and volumes associated with the Rosemont waste rock and dry tailings storage areas. The estimates are based on Tetra Tech's Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources Report dated June 2007. yes

Summary of geologic conditions is presented to provide an overview of conditions that can be expected with respect to design and construction of rockfill/earthfill embankments, heap leach facilities, and appurtenant structures. yes

Objectives of the field trip were to gain familiarity with the site characteristics including topography, surface water features, and geology; and to obtain available geologic information. yes

Summarizes the sizing of the lined freshwater and contingency ponds and the unlined stormwater pond for the Rosemont Mine Siting Study.

Augusta completed a 40-hole diamond drilling program on the deposit, consisting of resource, geotechnical, and metallurgical holes. Previously, Augusta carried out a 15-hole drilling program. The results of both of these drilling programs have been integrated with other drilling conducted by other companies prior to Augusta's involvement, to estimate the mineral resources presented in this report yes

Augusta carried out a 15-hole drilling program. The results of this drilling have been integrated with previous drilling conducted by other companies prior to Augusta's involvement, to estimate the mineral resources presented in this report yes

About 570 holes have been drilled within the Property and 4 skarn type deposits have been identified. All 4 deposits are described as having similar characteristics with respect to geology and mineralization.

Washington Group was retained by Augusta Resource Corporation to prepare a preliminary assessment and economic evaluation of the Rosemont deposit. yes

This report addresses the detailed engineering of the Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility yes

This report presents detailed, permit-level design documentation for the leaching facilities associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This documentation is part of the Aquifer Protection Permit application submitted to ADFG yes

This report discusses the design of the Process Water Pond. It also addresses the design of the Temporary Storage Pond and the Settling Basin. yes

<p>Ambient air quality and meteorological measurements have been collected at the Rosemont Copper Mine site commencing April and June 2006 through the first quarter of 2009. The purpose of the monitoring program is to provide the measurements necessary to establish existing air quality and meteorological conditions in support of an application for an air quality permit for the planned mining operations.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>This document presents an air dispersion modeling protocol that will be followed to assess ambient air quality impacts from the proposed Rosemont Copper Company Project.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>This document presents an air dispersion modeling protocol that will be followed to assess impacts of emissions from the proposed new Rosemont Copper Project on Air Quality Related Values including Visibility in Class I areas</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>Rosemont retained WestLand Resources to conduct a variety of biological studies to support special status species, such as the federally listed lesser long-nosed bat. The Palmer's agave has been identified as the primary foraging plant for the nectar-feeding lesser long-nosed bat in southeastern AZ. WestLand conducted various surveys on the Property and regionally to determine how many agaves might be impacted by the proposed activities at Rosemont.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>A detailed study of lesser long-nosed bats and their potential use of the Rosemont Property was undertaken with initial site visits in 2006, ultrasonic acoustic surveys in 2007 and 2008, and the wide-ranging surveys for potential roost sites and foraging resources in 2008. This report summarizes the results of these surveys.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>WestLand Resources was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima Pineapple cactus along an approx. 15.77 mile long proposed waterline as part of the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.</p>	<p></p>
<p>Rosemont has authorized WestLand Resources to conduct a variety of baseline biological studies for Chiricahua leopard frogs within and in the vicinity of the Rosemont holdings</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>WestLand Resources was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima Pineapple cactus along an approx. 22.4 linear miles of proposed waterline, including alternate routes, as part of the proposed Rosemont Project.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>As part of the baseline biological studies effort, WestLand has conducted surveys of the Rosemont Holdings and their vicinity for ranids, particularly the Chiricahua leopard frog.</p>	<p></p>
<p>To assess the noise impact of the proposed Mine, Tetra Tech conducted sound measurements, noise modeling, and noise predictions for the area around the Project site.</p>	<p>yes</p>

The report presents an addendum to the 2007 Geotechnical Study report (Tetra Tech, 2007). This report presents findings from both the 2006 and 2008 geotechnical investigations. yes

A traffic analysis was completed to examine the existing traffic conditions along State Route 83 and to assess potential future traffic on AZ-83 associated with Rosemont Copper Company's proposed mine. yes

This technical memo presents a summary of requirements for the Arizona state level designation of a Scenic Road. The requirements presented were taken from ADOT guidelines. This memo also presents the reasons why the Project should not affect the scenic road designation for the Patagonia-Sonoita Scenic Road. yes

An assessment which analyzed the current roadway geometry and safety conditions was completed along AZ-83 between Interstate 10 and State Route 82. Viewshed analysis was performed on the operational areas at various times during life of the Rosemont Copper facility. The rationale for the viewshed analysis was to look at the visible impact of the operations from the local surroundings yes

This technical memo presents a viewshed analysis based on the Key Observation Points (KOPs) associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. Twelve proposed KOP locations were identified outside the perimeter of the Project site. Forest Service requested data related to stream channels and flow characteristics near the Compliance Point Dam. In response to FS, field data, observations and a basic hydrographic survey of the streams and overbank areas were collected in the reach near the Dam.

This memo summarizes the hydrologic analysis performed for the area along the north and south perimeter of the Rosemont Ridge Landform. This analysis was done in order to assess the potential stormwater storage capacity of the depression between the facility tow and the adjacent natural ridge. This memo describes current plans for implementation of the groundwater monitoring program for the Rosemont Project.

This report presents information and supporting documentation required for an area-wide APP application for the Rosemont Copper Project. yes  
In accordance with the Phase 2 hydrogeologic characterization program for the proposed Rosemont Mine, 27 groundwater wells and 3 multi-level groundwater piezometers were constructed in the vicinity of the proposed mine for characterization of hydrogeologic conditions.

This memo was developed to solidify various design criteria for use at the Rosemont Copper Project site by various consulting groups. The goal of this analysis was to review info generated from various weather stations and select appropriate precipitation and pan evaporation data applicable to project site

yes

This tech memo describes updates to the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) Tucson Active Management Area Model in the vicinity of Sahuarita and Green Valley.

yes

Montgomery & Associates conducted groundwater flow modeling investigations for simulation of mine supply groundwater pumping from proposed locations near Sahuarita. Investigations included development of a flow model suitable for evaluation of groundwater conditions in the area of proposed Rosemont water supply wells and for projection of groundwater level changes resulting from proposed mine-supply pumping.

Additional investigations for the Phase 2 hydrogeologic characterization program for the proposed Rosemont mine, included a long-term multi-well aquifer test. This test was conducted to further assist with evaluation of the aquifer system in the region of Rosemont's planned mining area.

This report presents updated recommendations for the water supply facilities and project design criteria. Recommendations and design criteria are conceptual and should not be considered final.

yes

Montgomery & Associates (M & A) developed a groundwater flow model designed to simulate conditions prior to pit development, during pit dewatering, and for a 100-year post-closure period of groundwater level recovery and potential pit lake development. In support of the model M & A conducted initial investigations in the proposed mine area including exploration drilling, hydraulic testing, groundwater level monitoring, field verification of geologic maps in the proposed area, and literature reviews.

yes

The target of the Rosemont mine reclamation effort is to prevent soil loss from the site, reclaim its capacity for productive use, and return the site to a higher functioning plant community.

yes

In a greenhouse study of reclamation options, four seed mixes, three soil types, three rainfall scenarios, and three amendment treatments were tested. Based on analysis of the 28 individual species of native plants tested, a mix of 10 species was selected in the Phase II experiment.

yes

The purpose of the test plot project is to evaluate different reclamation techniques in order to establish successful reclamation methods.

Rosemont plans to operate within the intent of Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code as long as mine safety and operations is not compromised. The entire mine site is regulated by the Mine Safety and Health Act (MSHA), which establishes requirements for providing mine workers with a safe and healthy working environment. This includes roadways, parking lots, mine process areas, the mine pit, entry road, and Leach pads. yes

The 'Barrel Only' option refers to an option to route the mine tailings conveyor so that the tailings stack is limited to the Barrel Canyon location. yes

The information and results in this Tech Memo are to show the results for using the Sycamore Canyon as the depository for the mine tailings. yes

The information and results in this Tech Memo are to show the results for using the Scholefield Canyon as the depository for the mine tailings. yes

This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Barrel and McCleary Alternative facility layouts. yes

This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative facility layouts. yes

This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative facility layouts. yes

This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Barrel Only Alternative facility layouts. yes

This tech memo provides a comparison between the MPO and the Partial Backfill Alternative facility layouts. yes

This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative. yes

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This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization of the tailings and waste rock materials for the Partial Backfill Alternative. yes

This tech memo presents a geochemical characterization for the tailings and waste rock materials for the Barrel Only Alternative. yes

This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Barrel and McCleary Alternative. yes

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This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Sycamore Tailings and Barrel Waste Alternative.	yes
This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Partial Backfill Alternative.	yes
This tech memo presents a traffic analysis for the Scholefield Tailings and McCleary Waste Alternative.	yes
This tech memo discusses the selection of the hydrologic methodology/design storm criteria applied to the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.	yes
Upon cessation of mining, the local water table will rebound from its lowered condition produced by dewatering pumps. Water from the surrounding aquifer and direct precipitation will report to the proposed pit and begin to fill it.	yes
Rosemont plans to operate within the intent of Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code as long as mine safety and operations is not compromised. The entire mine site is regulated by the Mine Safety and Health Act (MSHA), which establishes requirements for providing mine workers with a safe and healthy working environment. This includes roadways, parking lots, mine process areas, the mine pit, entry road, and Leach pads.	yes
CNF requested that Rosemont Copper Company provide information regarding which state that Augusta Resource Corporation is incorporated and the articles of incorporation.	yes
This report presents conceptual design and cost estimates for the development of the Heap Leach Pad proposed for the project.	yes
This tech memo describes updates to the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) Tucson Active Management Area Model in the vicinity of Sahuarita and Green Valley.	
This Technical Memorandum presents the results of 3 additional scenarios analyzed as a supplement to the April 2009 Traffic Study Report and their impact on AZ-83. These additional scenarios include: Scenario 3 (No Carpool), Secenario 4 (50% Carpool), Scenario 5 (50% Carpool with no Copper Concentrate Trucks)	yes
This investigation evaluates the environmental consequences of developing the Rosemont deposit, with a focus on the potential to impact the regional groundwater system following completion of the closure process. This report presents the results of infiltration and seepage, and fate and transport modeling for the proposed Waste Rock Storage Area, the Heap Leach Facility and the Dry Stack Tailings Facility.	yes

<p>This tech memo compares the natural groundwater fluctuations of the system near the Rosemont property with the drawdown predicted by the hydrogeologic model.</p>	<p>yes</p>
<p>This tech memo presents a Viewshed Analysis for the MPO facility layouts being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. The analysis quantifies the visible disturbance areas associated with each of the alternatives</p>	<p>yes</p>
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yes

This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Partial Backfill Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This analysis quantifies the potential impact of the Partial Backfill Alternative on downstream stormwater flows and average-annual runoff

yes

As part of ongoing baseline biological studies, WestLand is conducting studies of *Sonorella*, including surveys to determine the distribution of *Sonorella* within and in proximity to the proposed copper mine. The purpose of this report is to provide a summary of the work that has been conducted between July 2008 and the present and to provide the status of work that is ongoing.

Tetra Tech proposed a study involving concurrent ambient noise monitoring at multiple locations within or near the proposed mining operations area and a preliminary evaluation of noise attenuation between the proposed mining operation and the residences. This report presents the results of that study  
AMEC Earth and Environmental has reviewed the comments provided by Dale Ortman, which were received via email on August 17, 2009.

yes

This report further develops the Rosemont Ridge Landform and incorporates a variety of considerations such as controlling stormwater and erosion, addressing post-mining land uses, and incorporating landscaping or aesthetic considerations  
Filtered tailings (dry stacks), although new to many mining jurisdictions are becoming more common for operating mines and for projects in the evaluation stage.

yes

This report characterizes the distribution and diversity of talus snails (*Sonorella* spp.) along the "North Ridge" of the Santa Rita Mountains in Pima County, Arizona.

This Technical Memo provides background information on how the post-closure conditions related to the Rosemont Copper Project might be affected by partial backfilling of the Open Pit.

The results of the feasibility study for the Rosemont Copper Project indicate that the project is technically and economically feasible. There are opportunities for further optimization, and the project can be constructed and operated in an environmentally sound manner. This is an addendum to Tetra Tech's Baseline Geochemical Characterization Report presented June 2007.      yes

This tech memo presents design alternatives for the proposed Primary Access Road associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.

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This tech memo presents potential improvements for the current school bus stops along AZ-83. This memo also discusses the design criteria used for the improvements as well as the advantages and disadvantages related to the improvements.

This tech memo presents two potential locations for wide load truck turnouts along SR 83. This memo also discusses the design criteria used for the turnouts as well as their advantages and disadvantages.

In October 2008 WestLand Resources surveyed for Pima Pineapple cactus (PPC) along a 15.77-mile, 120-ft wide corridor for a proposed waterline between Sahuarita and Helvetia, Pima County, Arizona. The area was about 229 acres. 35 live PPC were found.

Reported results of the geophysical investigation conducted at the project site.

This report further develops the key site water management structures planned for the Rosemont Copper Project designed to protect the environment and Project facilities. This update is specific to the base reclamation concept of the Rosemont Ridge Landform.

This memo discusses the methodology behind the estimation of the Local and General Probable Maximum Precipitation (PMP) storm distributions for the Rosemont Copper Project.

Process Water (PW) & Temporary Storage (TS) ponds have been designed to meet or exceed the Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology (BADCT).

This technical memorandum has been prepared to demonstrate the Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology that will be employed for the Settling Basin at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

Slope stability analyses were conducted by AMEC Earth & Environmental (AMEC) in support of the proposed alternate geometry for the Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility as supplied by Tetra Tech. This report addresses the detailed engineering of the Dry Stack Tailings Storage Facility stormwater management facilities.

To date, 4 samples of tailings material have been generated; all samples have been or are scheduled to be tested for acid-generating capacity, metals content, and/or metal release.

This memo provides an update of all acid-base accounting (ABA) and Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP) testing conducted to date, including all supplemental 2008 test results

To date, 4 samples of tailings material have been generated; all samples were tested for acid-generating capacity and metals release using standard static and short-term leaching procedures.

This memo provides the potential volume of stormwater runoff that will be captured by the Heap Leach Pad and associated ponds as per the feasibility design configuration (including Phase 1 and 2 pads).

This tech memo summarizes the results of an infiltration analysis performed for the Rosemont Copper Project.

This memo presents the ABA (acid-base accounting) and HCT (humidity cell test) results for all Bolsa (Quartzite) samples tested to date.

This tech memo summarizes the method used to composite samples tested for the Rosemont Copper Project geochemical characterization work.

This tech memo provides a summary of the anticipated colors of the final Open Pit walls at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of the anticipated physical properties of the waste rock materials that will be placed on the outer surfaces of the Rosemont Ridge Landform associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.

The purpose of this tech memo is to document the Prescriptive BADCT closure recommendations for the ponds associated with the Heap Leach Facility for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo presents Tetra Tech's infiltration and seepage modeling associated with a waste rock cover over the proposed Heap Leach Facility for the Rosemont Copper Project.

The purpose of this modeling was to assess the minimum thickness of waste rock needed on top of the heap in order to minimize meteoric water from infiltrating into the spent ore.

This tech memo presents an assessment of the potential for leaching of pollutants from surface soils from seepage generated from the Dry Stack Tailings Facility or Waste Rock Storage Area associated with the Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted baseline regulatory (100-year) hydrology and average-annual runoff at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted post-mining regulatory (100-year) hydrology and average-annual runoff at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo documents the calculations used to compare the potential soil erosion that could result from various closure configurations for the Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo summarizes the results of a slope stability analysis performed for the Waste Rock Storage Area associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo documents the Prescriptive BADCT closure recommendations for the lined facilities associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides Tetra Tech's design analysis related to the use of flow-through drains at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post-mining conditions associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo discusses the hydrologic and hydraulic calculations performed for the Pit Diversion Channel as part of the site water management for the Open Pit area at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo discusses stormwater management for the final reclaimed surface of the Dry Stack Tailings Facility associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo discusses the design and sizing of the flow-through drains associated with the base concept of the Rosemont Ridge Landform at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted average-annual sediment delivery plan alternatives at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to predicted average-annual sediment delivery for baseline and post-mining conditions at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a comparison for the stormwater monitoring data and Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP) data collected for the Rosemont Copper Project against applicable surface water quality standards (SWQS). The objectives of this memo are to address questions related to acid rock drainage and livestock grazing.

This tech memo presents Tetra Tech's infiltration, seepage, fate, and transport modeling associated with the final design of the Heap Leach Facility for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This memo presents the results of seepage and slope stability analyses of the proposed Process Water Tailings Storage (PWTS) pond at the Rosemont Mine in Arizona.

The purpose of this memo is to document the calculations used to evaluate the level of engineering control achieved for various liner systems as part of the BADCT analysis for APP regulated facilities. Evaluation of the adequacy of existing kinetic and STLT data

Assessment of the degree to which results from geochemical testing represent overall tendencies.

This tech memo describes the hydrologic & hydraulic methodology used to manage and control storm runoff near the proposed Rosemont Heap Leach Facility.

This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment of the Scholefield Tailings/Wash Avoidance Alternative being considered by the United States Army Corps of Engineers for the RCC.

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012047, 011894, 011902, 011903, 012064. (R-5) yes

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012047, 011902, 011903, 012064. (R-35) yes

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064. (R-48) yes

Water rights data requested by CNF for MPO.

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064. (R-71) yes

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012064. (R-88) yes

A description of the hydrologic dynamics and key physical processes that are governing groundwater-surface water interactions in Davidson Canyon which includes a discussion on springs and their interface with the groundwater system.

Tetra Tech's groundwater flow modeling team has evaluated short-term aquifer-test data and simulated long-term test data to estimate hydraulic properties in the Rosemont Project area. This tech memo describes the analysis and process for obtaining the hydraulic-property estimates.

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430. (R-326)

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430. (R-327)

Cited by Tetra Tech in 012430. (R-328)

Production water well RC-2 was installed near the NE corner of the Kanarco 20-acre property in Section 21, Township 17 South, Range 14 East, for Rosemont Coppe Company for evaluation and development of sustainable groundwater supplies for he proposed Rosemont mine. yes

This document presents the information necessary for the Pima County Department of Environmental Quality (PDEQ) to process the Rosemont Copper Project application and issue a Class II Air Quality Permit. This document presents the monitoring and quality assurance protocol for an ambient air quality and meteorological monitoring program being implemented for the Rosemont Copper Mine proposed by Augusta Resource Corporation. The purpose of the monitoring program is to provide the measurements necessary to establish existing air quality and meteorological conditions at the proposed site in support of an air quality permit application for the facility.

This report summarizes ambient air quality and meteorological measurements collected at the Rosemont Copper Mine monitoring stations.

The Rosemont Copper Project has the potential to emit regulated air pollutants throughout the life of the mine. Emissions of potential pollutants are calculated using emission unit process rates, emission factors, and pollution control efficiencies (if applicable)

The Federal Land Manager (FLM) requested an air impact analysis to be submitted as part of the EIS to demonstrate the protection of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). Thus, the objective of the dispersion modeling will be to quantify the maximum predicted ambient impacts due to criteria pollutant emissions and anticipated background concentrations for comparison with applicable NAAQS. yes

The Federal Land Manager (FLM) requested an air impact analysis to be submitted as part of the EIS to demonstrate the protection of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). Additionally the U.S. Forest Service evaluation requires an Air Quality Related Values (AQRV) impact analysis to ensure that Class I area resources (i.e., visibility, flora, fauna, etc.) are not adversely affected by the projected emissions.

The Rosemont Copper Project will employ modern practices for minimizing emissions to the extent practical. This includes utilization of control devices where feasible and fugitive control measures where control devices are not feasible. Fugitive emissions from unpaved roads will be reduced 90% by the application of water and/or dust palliatives.

WestLand Resources, Inc. (WestLand), was retained by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for Pima pineapple cactus (PPC; *Coryphantha scheeri* var. *robustispina*) along the southern utility line alternative as part of the proposed

Rosemont Project

WestLand Resources was asked by Rosemont Copper Company to survey for *Hexalectris colemanii* on the entire "Rosemont Area" (all areas included in the Rosemont Mine Plan of Operations and the alternatives developed by the Coronado National Forest as part of their National Environmental Policy Act review of the Plan of Operations). These surveys were conducted during May and June, 2010, when inflorescences of this orchid sprout or are in flower.

yes

This Tech Memo provides an update on the status of the sensitivity analyses performed to date on the groundwater flow models prepared by Tetra Tech for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project (Project).

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This tech memo is in response to April 14, 2010 Comprehensive Request for Additional Information from ADEQ.

This tech memo documents the results of the DIA analysis, which was based on Tetra Tech's regional groundwater flow models.

This tech memo provides estimated source volumes and chemical makeup for the following facilities for use, as needed, in the area-wide fate and transport modeling work associated with the Rosemont Copper Project: PW Pond (portion of the PWTS Pond), Settling Basin, Raffinate Pond, PLS Pond, Heap Leach Pad, Dry Stack Tailings Facility, Waste Rock Storage Area

This tech memo serves as a transmittal of an updated Infiltration, Seepage, and Fate and Transport Modeling Report – Revision 1 (Tetra Tech, 2010b) prepared for the three (3) major facilities at the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This report presents the results of the infiltration and seepage, and fate and transport modeling for the proposed Waste Rock Storage Area, the Heap Leach Facility, and the Dry Stack Tailings Facility.

AMEC has prepared this memorandum at the request of Rosemont Copper to provide responses to the April 14, 2010 letter received from ADEQ.

In addition to the tailings samples prepared in 2006-2008, six (6) new samples were prepared to better characterize the dry stack tailings associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo summarizes the methods and computations employed to estimate the capacity of the Phase 2 Heap Leach Pad Underdrain System.

This tech memo provides information related to the flow-through drain system that is proposed as part of the Rosemont Copper Project.

Revised tech memo regarding Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post-mining conditions associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo supersedes any previous liner leakage estimates or facility descriptions for the Process Water Temporary Storage (PWTS) Pond.

This tech memo provides an analysis of the BADCT alternatives for the Settling Basin at the Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides a Waste Rock Segregation Plan associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

This tech memo provides estimated depth to groundwater from existing ground and/or facility bottom elevations based on the updated locations of those facilities regulated under the APP program.

WestLand has completed a preliminary jurisdictional determination pursuant to USACOE Regulatory Guidance Letter 08-02, of areas that may be considered by the ACOE as potential waters of the United States within portions of the Santa Rita Road waterline project, a part of the proposed Rosemont mining project.

WestLand has completed a preliminary jurisdictional determination pursuant to USACOE Regulatory Guidance Letter 08-02, of areas that may be considered by the ACOE as potential waters of the United States within portions of the Rosemont Project. This tech memo provides details related to the source of the tallings material samples analyzed in 2006, 2007, and 2008 as part of the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

A preliminary evaluation of springs within the Rosemont Project Area has been completed by Errol L. Montgomery & Associates. Modeling results presented herein are being provided as an addendum to the report titled "Rosemont Copper Company: CALPUFF Modeling Report to Assess Impacts In Class I Areas" submitted on July 28th 2010. WestLand was retained by Rosemont to survey for agave and mature saguaros along approximately 22.4 linear miles of proposed water line. This tech memo presents a Stormwater Assessment for the Expanded Barrel Only Alternative being considered in the US Forest Service EIS for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

In this memorandum, WestLand analyzes the distribution of the seven species considered and present results of extensive field surveys of five of the species. The seven species considered in this report are: *Hexalectris arizonica*, *Manihot davisiae*, *Graptopetalum bartramii*, *Pectis imberbis*, *Hexalectris colemanii*, *Amoreuxia gonzalezii*, and *Muhlenbergia dubiodes*.

This tech memo provides a response to SRK's comments.

This memo provides responses to SRK's review comments.

This report presents an update to the February 2010 Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model report. Updates were based on a review of the February 2010 report in conjunction with results from Tetra Tech's regional groundwater flow model. This tech memo provides responses to the review comments provided to Rosemont Copper Company on the *Site Water Management Update* report prepared by Tetra Tech.

This addendum includes additional explanation and analysis for the groundwater flow model used to simulate impacts of water supply pumping for the Rosemont mine as part of an EIS.

This tech memo presents responses to the specific comments presented by SRK in a Technical Memorandum titled *Preliminary Geochemistry Review - Proposed Rosemont Copper Project*.

This tech memo presents responses to the specific comments by SRK and Tetra Tech's revisions included in the updated report.

This report presents an update to the June 2007 Survey of Salvage Topsoil Resources. The original survey area was expanded from the Mine Plan of Operations to include other alternatives being considered in the Environmental Impact Statement for the Rosemont Copper Project.

This report presents the results of a regional groundwater flow model developed for the Rosemont project. This geologically based, numerical flow model predicts the formation of a pit-lake within the proposed Rosemont Open Pit following the cessation of dewatering. Additionally, the pit-lake will be a hydraulic sink, meaning that water will flow into and not out of the pit due to the high evaporation rate of the area.

This tech memo summarizes the stormwater control features anticipated for the Expanded Barrel Only Alternative associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project in Pima County Arizona.

This tech memo provides a summary of Tetra Tech's findings related to the infiltration (recharge) of stormwater runoff for both baseline and post-mining (post-closure) conditions for the various alternatives associated with the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

Review comments from SRK Consulting have indicated that the samples selected for geochemical characterization are concentrated in the center of the Rosemont deposit. This response intends to provide additional detail and clarity regarding the approach to sampling and the spatial distribution of the waste rock and pit wall rock samples.

Response to review comments from SRK Consulting regarding the *Geochemical Pit Lake Predictive Model* (Tetra Tech, 2010).



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Subject RE: Proposed FS/SWCA Meeting, Friday, 1pm, SO Room  
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I will be available.

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**Subject:** Proposed FS/SWCA Meeting, Friday, 1pm, SO Room 6V6

As we all know, at this stage in the Rosemont NEPA process there's still a million details to pin down. Tomorrow afternoon is the first time this week we could schedule a meeting for key players from the Forest and SWCA, and while I haven't spoken with everyone, I hope you all can join us for a meeting here at the SO in Room 6V6.

Just a sampling of the topics we'll want to address include the following:

- Public meeting details, including flyers, handouts, maps, whether FS employees should wear uniforms, and use of Rosemont consultants and Rosemont graphics to explain technical details.

- Contents of the mailing

- Details of the news release

- How best to disclose RCC funding for EIS costs, selection of SWCA, and whether to publish the MOU on the FS website.

- Roles -- who does what. What are the inherently governmental roles the FS must not hand off to SWCA.

Hope to see you all there.

Jeanine, if this is a bad time, please let me know and we'll modify our plans.

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Subject RE: Draft Rosemont NOI News Release -- NOT FOR  
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John,

This NOI news release is clear and well written. I have incorporated some edits and comments for your consideration. My comments are intended to leave some flexibility for the Line Officer later in the process. Feel free to reject or incorporate at your discretion.

Tom Furgason

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Subject: Draft Rosemont NOI News Release -- NOT FOR RELEASE

Here's the latest version of the draft Rosemont NOI news release.

Please

edit mercilessly and send me your feedback. We will discuss this at tomorrow's FS/SWCA meeting.

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John,

Attached are my edits. Thank you.

Tom

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Here's the latest version of the Rosemont NOI news release, which incorporates edits we discussed Friday. We can discuss any additional changes in the 9:30 a.m. meeting tomorrow.



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Subject RE: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare  
Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper  
Project

Heidi,

Thank you for including SWCA on the media distribution list. When you get a moment, can please get a copy of all of the media contacts that received this? We would like to make certain that this is placed in the Admin Record.

Tom Furgason

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From: Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]  
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Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for  
Rosemont Copper Project

(TUCSON, ARIZONA, March 11, 2008) Coronado National Forest Supervisor  
Jeanine Derby submitted a Notice of Intent for publication in the  
Federal  
Register to initiate preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement  
(EIS)  
for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

The EIS will disclose the potential environmental and social effects  
anticipated as a result of the proposed Rosemont Mine Plan of Operation  
(MPO), including construction and operation of an open-pit mine and  
related  
facilities, and will determine if the Forest Plan must be amended to  
allow  
such mining activities. In addition, the EIS may evaluate other  
connected  
actions related to the MPO, such as construction of roads and utilities.

As proposed, the Rosemont Copper Project would be located 30 miles  
southeast of Tucson, in Pima County, on approximately 995 acres of  
private  
land, 3,670 acres of National Forest land, 15 acres of land administered  
by  
the Bureau of Land Management, and 75 acres of State Trust land.

While the Forest Service assumes the role of lead agency in preparation  
of  
the EIS, many other federal, state, and local government agencies with  
jurisdiction may also participate. To assist with preparation of the

EIS,  
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Subject RE: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare  
Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper  
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Heidi,

Attached is the draft public participation for Rosemont. I'd appreciate any input that the FS could provide. I'm also open to a different format or terminology.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]  
Sent: Wednesday, March 12, 2008 2:56 PM  
To: Tom Furgason  
Subject: RE: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare  
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Tom, here's the list I emailed to. Would you please send my a copy of the Public Participation Plan we discussed yesterday? thanks, Heidi

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03/11/2008 05:40 ,  
PM  
cc "Melissa Reichard"  
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Subject

RE: News Release: Coronado  
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for  
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Heidi,

Thank you for including SWCA on the media distribution list. When you get a moment, can please get a copy of all of the media contacts that received this? We would like to make certain that this is placed in the Admin Record.

Tom Furgason

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From: Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]

Sent: Tuesday, March 11, 2008 4:01 PM

Subject: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

For Immediate Release Contact: Heidi Schewel (520) 388-8484

Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

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As proposed, the Rosemont Copper Project would be located 30 miles southeast of Tucson, in Pima County, on approximately 995 acres of private land, 3,670 acres of National Forest land, 15 acres of land administered by the Bureau of Land Management, and 75 acres of State Trust land.

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Subject RE: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet  
for Today's Mailing

John,

Attached are my comments, which can be put aside if we go with Reta's suggested changes (and I think that she did a very good job). The only comment that I have on Reta's paragraph would be to insert the word "proposal" in the following sentence: "...to ask relevant questions of technical specialists learn about the Rosemont Copper Project proposal..."

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: Reta Laford [mailto:rlaford@fs.fed.us]  
Sent: Thursday, March 13, 2008 1:04 PM  
To: John Able  
Cc: Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; johnable23@gmail.com; Jennifer Ruyle; Tom Furgason  
Subject: Re: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Looks pretty good to me.

I find that the first paragraph over-encourages questions of a technical nature. Consider re-wording something like the following (delete strikeover text, add underline text).

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Another thing that caught my eye was the interchanging of the phrase "NEPA process" and "NEPA review". We probably should pick one phrase to consistently use.

Reta Laford, Deputy Forest Supervisor

USDA Forest Service, Coronado National Forest

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*Lotus Miller*

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bcc

Subject Re: name tags for public meetings

I like it!

On Mar 12, 2008, at 4:25 PM, Tom Furgason wrote:

> Bev,  
>  
> Attached are the first versions for name badges to place in a plastic  
> pocket on a lanyard.  
>  
> My preference would be to leave titles off of the name tags, but I'll  
> leave that decision up to the Forest. Once we have the layout  
> complete  
> Melissa will be able to easily create duplicate or new name tags as  
> needed.  
>  
> Tom<badge001.pdf><badge002.pdf>



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Hi John: Like the idea here, have not done a detailed review - am wondering if we now have an additional meeting to add based on this mornings request. I think jeanine has a date in mind. F

On Mar 13, 2008, at 12:18 PM, John Able wrote:

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Elizabeth,

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Beverley

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Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb  
(520)247-3838

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Subject: Re: NEPA Community Input for the Impacted Community meeting space and rates  
Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 15:07:55 -0700  
To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

This day does not work for me as I have committed to something else on that day. Faye

On Mar 13, 2008, at 2:51 PM, E Webb wrote:

Beverley-

I will ask around and see if that will work for the others. I think I am available that day. Do you have a time in mind? Most parents have activities for their kids in the morning early afternoon. Would refreshments be served if it is around lunch or dinner?

Thanks for considering us,  
Elizabeth Webb  
247-3838

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> Elizabeth,  
>  
> We are currently considering Saturday, April 5, as a possible meeting date.  
> Could you please pass this information on to others that would need to  
> consider it?  
>  
> Thank you.  
>  
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> School District with the contact information for Jeff Rutherford who  
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> advance during a time when all of the buildings were empty during Spring  
> Break, although that has its own issues.  
>  
> Some dates we might suggest for consideration are: March 25th, 26th or 27th  
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> to see if a Saturday conflicts with other civic activities.  
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>  
> Hi Elizabeth,  
>  
> I have not been contacted for any meeting space by anyone concerning  
> the Rosemont Mine. We have space available at our schools I just need  
> a firm date and time. I have also attached our Facility Rental  
> Package that has a rate sheet available. Please let me know if I can  
> be of future help.  
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> Thanks Jeff R(See attached file: Vail School District Facility  
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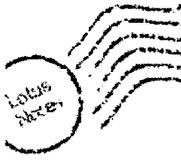
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Roxane and Tom, please see Jeanine's note, below, and add Tom Dabbs to the Rosemont mailing list. He is the BLM's Gila District Manager, at 1763 Paseo San Luis, Sierra Vista, AZ. 85635.

John, could you email a copy of the scoping letter and amendment to Tom? His email address is tom\_dabbs@blm.gov.

Thanks, everyone.

Bev

Beverley A. Everson  
Forest Geologist  
Coronado National Forest  
300 W. Congress Street, 6th Floor  
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**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**  
03/12/2008 03:18 PM

To Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc



Subject Re: Rosemont public scoping letter 

good, Bev. Tom Dabbs is the District Supt. out of Sierra Vista, new to the job, and the "line officer" I referenced that I met with recently (at the AZ G&F FS/BLM campout). He would be the appropriate person as "official contact" since he has the position equivalent to mine as BLM line officer and they do not have a permanent person yet in the Tucson Field Office.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
phone: 520 388-8306  
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Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS



**Beverley A  
Everson/R3/USDAFS**  
03/12/2008 10:34 AM

To Daniel J Moore/TFO/AZ/BLM/DOI@BLM,  
cindy\_alvarez@blm.gov, Jeanine  
Derby/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES

cc

Subject Rosemont public scoping letter 

Hi Dan,

Per our phone conversation just now, and to let Cindy know, a scoping letter for the Rosemont Copper Project went out in the mail yesterday, including a copy to your office, though it was addressed to Tom Dabbs, whom I assume is Cindy's predecessor.

Cindy, I left you a voicemail discussing the staffing at the public meetings for the Rosemont Copper Project just now (as you and I discussed earlier today, Dan), and also the timing for our inviting cooperating agencies to join the EIS process. We anticipate inviting cooperating agencies to join the process after the initial scoping is completed and we have a better feel for the issues, and with the issues, a better sense of which agencies should be included as cooperators in the process.

I hope this answers the questions you had, but if not, feel free to give me a call at the number below.

Bev

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"Tom Furgason"  
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03/13/2008 05:16 PM

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<awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson"  
<beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman"  
cc "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>  
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Subject RE: Do We Need a Meeting to Discuss Additional Public Meetings?

In tracking Bev's correspondence with some people in Vail I think that the Forest has demonstrated an openness to address concerns regarding lack of a meeting location in Vail. I guess I wouldn't consider this a do-over.

I suppose the real question is should we have a do-over for the other three locations. I think that this question warrants a meeting in person. It would also be a good opportunity for us to discuss how we should respond to Pima County and Gifford's request for more meetings.

Melissa and I can be available anytime from 9:00 to 1:00. It is possible to arrange our schedules to make an afternoon meeting, but I'd prefer earlier.

Tom

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**From:** johnable23@gmail.com [mailto:johnable23@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** John Able  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 13, 2008 5:05 PM  
**To:** Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; Reta Laford; Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** Do We Need a Meeting to Discuss Additional Public Meetings?

FYI: the mailing with the map correction and the new information sheet did not go out today. Perhaps that was fortuitous. Now, with the discussion of adding a meeting in Vail, I'm wondering if we need to stop the presses on the mailing scheduled for today and instead redo the original cover letter sent earlier in the week to include the new meeting. This may be important public information for those trying to decide which meeting to attend. I know a "do-over" may not be fun, but it might be necessary. Do we need a joint FS/SWCA meeting or a teleconference to discuss? What about 10 a.m. tomorrow?

----- Forwarded message -----

**From:** Beverley A Everson <beverson@fs.fed.us>  
**Date:** Thu, Mar 13, 2008 at 4:18 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Public Meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project  
**To:** John Able <jable@fs.fed.us>, Heidi Schewel <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, Faye Fentiman <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, tfurgason@swca.com

FYI and for the admin record.

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PM <[Ron.Barber@mail.house.gov](mailto:Ron.Barber@mail.house.gov)>  
cc

Beverley A  
Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Reta  
Laford/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES

Subject

Re: Public Meetings on the Rosemont  
Copper Project(Document link:  
Beverley A Everson)

We anticipated having the NOI appear in the Federal Register a week earlier than this and scheduled the meeting dates accordingly. (Unfortunately we don't have direct control over the timing of NOI publication in the Federal Register.) The NOI was just published March 13 and the news release and public notification were sent to appear concurrently with Federal Register notification . However, we are open to having additional open house meetings when necessary. We are currently arranging for an additional meeting in Vail.

These meetings are designed in an open house format to provide information and allow people to circulate and ask questions, then write down what they want to have addressed in the NEPA analysis. The official scoping period continues into mid April, however the Forest Service will receive written

or e-mail comments at any time during the analysis process. Please reassure Congresswoman Giffords that anyone wanting to participate will have ample opportunity. Public input is valuable to us and I anticipate that we will continue to receive that input throughout this process.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
phone: 520 388-8306  
FAX: 520 388-8305

"Barber, Ron"  
<Ron.Barber@mail.  
house.gov> To  
<jderby@fs.fed.us>  
03/12/2008 07:56 cc  
PM  
Subject  
Public Meetings on the Rosemont  
Copper Project

Dear Jeanine,

On behalf of Congresswoman Giffords I called and left a phone message for you today regarding the upcoming public meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project. The Congresswoman asked me to contact you to discuss both the timing and the number of meetings that have been announced.

Since your news release, the Congresswoman has received complaints from constituents who believe that longer notice should be given on these public meetings and that additional meetings are necessary. The Congresswoman is

seeking your assistance in responding to these concerns.

As you know, the proposed copper mine on the Rosemont property has resulted in significant opposition from residents, elected officials and organizations. This is an issue with widespread public interest and many people want to participate in the Environmental Impact Statement process. The manner in which this public interest is accommodated will contribute directly to the quality of the process and its ultimate credibility.

The Congresswoman requests that the meetings be rescheduled to provide more time for the public and other interested parties to prepare and participate effectively in the EIS process. Additionally, she requests that additional meetings be scheduled to ensure access for citizens in other communities including Vail and Sonoita.

Thank you for your consideration of the Congresswoman's requests.

I will be in the office all day tomorrow and hope that we can connect to discuss possible solutions.

Ron Barber

District Director

Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords

[ron.barber@mail.house.gov](mailto:ron.barber@mail.house.gov)

520.881.3588

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[www.giffords.house.gov](http://www.giffords.house.gov)



Ccook520@aol.com  
03/13/2008 06:01 PM

To rincnvalleyis@hotmail.com, beverson@fs.fed.us  
cc district5@pima.gov, ffentiman@fs.fed.us,  
ffentiman@gmail.com, hschewel@fs.fed.us, jable@fs.fed.us,  
jderby@fs.fed.us, nicole.fyffe@pima.gov, rlaford@fs.fed.us,  
bcc  
Subject Re: April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for the  
Impacted Communi...

We need a answer for sure, not just considering. Yes, we will make a meeting. But, there should be one held in Vail area for the many land owns that you are impacting. And I do not believe you when you say that you were not able to find a place in Vail to hold such a meeting. We have 2 big High School and other schools where meetings have been held. This is a trouble thing that you are doing to the GREAT STATE OF ARIZONA. I live right off the Davidson Canyon and am very worried about our water and air....etc....etc...etc..

I need an answer to the confirmed dates and times to let my area know. If on April 5th evening is better for people to make the meeting.

Charlotte Cook  
Old Sonoita Team Leader  
[ccook520@aol.com](mailto:ccook520@aol.com)  
520-777-48777

We are **currently considering Saturday, April 5**, as a possible meeting date in Vail. Could you please pass this infomation on to others that would need to consider it?  
Thank you.

Heidi Schewel  
Coronado National Forest  
Media Officer, Fire Information  
Communications and Technology Team  
Collateral: FOET Chair  
(520) 749-7720 FAX (520) 749-7723  
hschewel@fs.fed.us

In a message dated 3/13/2008 4:14:35 P.M. Pacific Standard Time, rincnvalleyis@hotmail.com writes:  
Beverly,

I appreciate that the paid Forest Service staff might have more availability in the earlier afternoon but we are volunteers and as this is a day when families traditionally have other activities scheduled, the later in the day would be better, especially as the county has agreed to 6pm. I am sure you understand. it is difficult to have to plan around a meeting in middle of the day when we have family responsibilities.

Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb  
Vail Team Leader  
(520)247-3838

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Andrea W  
Campbell/R3/USDAFS  
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bcc  
Subject Comments on Public Flyer re: Rosemont 

My suggestions are attached.

-----johnable23@gmail.com wrote: -----

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From: "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>  
Sent by: johnable23@gmail.com  
Date: 03/13/2008 12:18PM  
Subject: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Here's a draft of the Information Sheet I propose for the reverse side of the corrected Rosemont public meeting map we mail out today. I also plan to put this online, along with the corrected map.

As usual, please critique without mercy. Also, my opinion, let's not rush this. If it means we wait until tomorrow to send the mailing, let's get it right. Mailing tomorrow will get it to most recipients by Saturday and everyone by Monday. Your feedback is important.

Thanks!



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*John Able*



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After completion of these initial meetings, Coronado National Forest officials will evaluate the need for additional meetings ~~as well as the format of any future scheduled meetings~~. Every effort will be made to assure that interested individuals have a convenient opportunity to comment on the project.

**Comment [awc1]:** I don't think Jeanine is going to want to change the format. Apparently FS does not like to do "hearings" where comments are made to an audience.

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From: "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>  
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Tom, I spoke with Dez Shanahan of limehouse. I hope you don't mind that I gave him your office number . . . so he may call in the next couple days. Of course, no pressure -- just thinking it may be of use to us if the price is right and the learning curve isn't too steep. One thing about a really accessible online process is that it might elicit more dispassionate and objective comments. The fact that they are automatically stored in a searchable database is also nice.

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John,

I am certainly open to looking at the software created by Limehouse and I'll also be happy to speak with Dez Shanahan with he calls. I admit though, that I share Andrea's concerns about privacy, but we can look into security issues.

SWCA will be able to introduce the database that we have developed to the ID Team after next week. From that point, I'm willing to take whatever course the Forest directs us. Thanks for looking out for the best technology to assist us with this project.

Tom

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 bcc  
 Subject Open House staffing list

Bev,

Below is what I believe is the final meeting attendee list. Would you please confirm or edit?

Tom

Org	Name	Attending	Name	Tag	Area/ Table	Tuesday March 18	Wednesday March 19	Thursday March 20
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FS	Jeanine Derby	x	All		x	x	x
FS	Reta Laford	x	tbd		x	x	x
FS	Keith Graves		All		x	x	x
FS	Bev Everson	x	3		x	x	x
FS	Heidi Schewel		5		x	x	x
FS	Andrea Campbell	x	2		x	x	x
FS	John Abel	x	5		x	x	x
FS	Faye Fentiman	x	5		x	x	x
FS	Mike Grambs	x	All		x	x	x
FS	George Amaya	x	All		x	x	x
FS	Seth Hayes		LEI		x	x	x
FS	Bob Aydelotte		LEI		x	x	x

SWCA	Tom Furgason	x	All		x	x	x
SWCA	John MacIvor	x	All		x	x	x
SWCA	Melissa Reichard	x	1		x	x	x
SWCA	Harmony Hall	x	1		x	x	x
SWCA	Jeff Connell	x	2		x	x	x
SWCA	Ralph Ellis	x	4		x		
SWCA	Keith Pohs	x	2				x
SWCA	Rion Bowers	x	4		x	x	x
SWCA	Tom Euler	x	4		x	x	x
SWCA	Deanne Rietz	x	1		x		
SWCA	Ken Houser	x	All		x	x	tbd

Area	Name
1	Welcome
2	Planning
3	Proposal
4	Resources



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bcc

Subject Immediate Review Requested: Today's Mailing

Please review/edit and return. I'd like to start stuffing envelopes by 1:30 p.m.

Thanks in advance for your quick review!



*John Able*

Andrea, I incorporated your previous changes. Important Information 03142008.doc

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<do-not-reply-C15408182@coronado.projectpath.com>  
03/18/2008 11:45 AM

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bcc  
Subject [Coronado National Forest] Re: Agenda for 3/18/2008 Meeting?

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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Andrea Campbell posted this comment:  
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John,

No agenda is necessary.  
The meeting should have an informal atmosphere.

NO answers should be offered by FS or SWCA to the questions posed re: impacts, mitigation, such as those from CBD.

We are there to RECEIVE public input to our NEPA process.

Copy of Forest Plan, Forest Service Handbook 1909.15 (Environmental), Forest Service Mining Directives would be an asset at the meeting.

Because folks cannot take these items with them, suggest you offer handouts that list the locations where the preceding items may be found on the internet (i.e., web address).

i won't be there so as not to infect everyone on the project.  
best wishes for a peaceful and productive pow-wow.

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bcc

Subject RE: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and  
Fish Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine 

FYI.....I worked closely with Larry Voyles when I was with Reclamation in Yuma. He was then head of the Yuma AGFD office.

Know him quite well, if anyone wants me to help out, let me know.

"Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>



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Subject RE: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and  
Fish Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine

John,

Thank you for forwarding this article to us. I think that it might be useful for the Coronado to send an inquiry to Larry Voyles (the State Director) and confirm that Ms. Scott's letter represents the agency's formal position on the proposed Rosemont Copper project. It would be good to establish this up front given that AGFD has been invited to be a cooperating agency.

Tom Furgason  
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**Subject:** [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and Fish Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine

FYI. Here's a link to the latest *Arizona Daily Star* by Tony Davis about the proposed Rosemont mine: <http://www.azstarnet.com/dailystar/249172>.

This was prompted by a scoping letter from Arizona Game and Fish Department, which is attached.

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Subject Re: FYI: Letter from AZ Game and Fish 

thanks John.

most of the points made in the comment letter are legitimate.

one comment---AGFD contends that the proposed action should be WHETHER OR NOT to permit Rosemont to mine and place tailings on the Forest---this reflects a misunderstanding of the NEPA vernacular.

Rather, the DECISION to be made by Jeanne is WHETHER OR NOT to permit Rosemont to mine and place tailings on the Forest

the proposed action is defined correctly: we propose to grant permission to Rosemont to mine and place tailings and mine-related facilities on NFS land.

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July 8, 2008

Ms. Beverley Everson, Geologist  
Coronado National Forest  
300 W. Congress St.  
Tucson, AZ 85701

Re: Rosemont Copper Project EIS

Dear Ms. Everson:

The Arizona Game and Fish Department is responding to the Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Proposed Rosemont Copper Project. The Department understands that the Forest is working through a difficult process in evaluating this large project, and we appreciate that the Forest has extended the scoping period to try to reach more interested parties.

Although there are other issues that can be discussed and could cause impacts and concerns to the citizens of southern Arizona, the Department's comments are limited to the potential impact to wildlife, wildlife habitat, and wildlife recreation. The Forest Service should consider our comments here as preliminary remarks.

The Arizona Game and Fish Department is responsible for the management of the wildlife on all lands in Arizona, and thus we request cooperating agency status so that we can provide expert advice throughout the evaluation process as to the impacts to wildlife, habitat, and recreation. The Department also requests to work with the Forest as a member of the ID team as the EIS is developed and analyzed.

We have reviewed the Mine Plan of Operations. Our preliminary review indicates that despite any and all mitigation measures, this project will result in significant adverse impacts to wildlife, wildlife habitat, and wildlife recreation. We believe that the project will render the northern portion of the Santa Rita Mountains virtually worthless as wildlife habitat and as a functioning ecosystem, and thus also worthless for wildlife recreation. Furthermore, the project has great potential to impact wildlife and habitat off the forest. We therefore do not support the development of the Rosemont Mine.

The mine plan of operations (Section 3.3.3) states, "it is anticipated that disruption to wildlife habitat and use will be minimal." Further, the mine plan of operations (Section

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3.5.2.1.2) states, "loss of hunting ground is not expected to have significant impact on hunting in the area." The Department completely disagrees with both of these statements. The amount of land disturbance, traffic, noise, light, and general mining activity will completely disrupt wildlife in the area. Wildlife and hunting impacts will be much greater than the footprint of the active mine area. The mine plan of operation states that a biological report has been completed, called the Biological Resources and Mitigation Concept. We request a copy of this document for our review.

We know that Pima County has recommended that the Forest should require peer review of scientific studies written to evaluate the impacts of the mine. We concur that this is a reasonable request, given that we disagree so completely with the report on biological resources. The Forest must insure that the scientific analysis upon which they base their decisions is sound.

The Department seeks clarification on the purpose and need for the proposed action. The NOI states: "The purpose of the proposed Forest Service action is to grant permission to the Company [Rosemont Copper Company] to use NFS land for certain activities related to operation of the Rosemont Mine." It seems that the appropriate purpose should be to evaluate whether to issue a permit to Rosemont Copper Company to mine mineral resources from Forest Lands, and whether to issue a permit to dump mining waste on Forest lands, and whether to issue a permit to allow mining and other related rights of way across Forest land to facilitate mining on adjacent patented mining claims, and further to determine the appropriate management practices and mitigation to protect forest and surrounding land resources if the permits are issued.

The primary responsibility of the Forest, if the permits are issued, should be to protect Forest resources and surrounding lands and waters. The Forest should identify how you intend to protect those resources.

The Department has a number of questions regarding the Forest's management and permitting responsibility in this action:

- Must the Forest Service issue a permit for mining on Forest Land?
- Must the Forest Service allow dumping of mine waste on Forest land?
- Should the Forest allow acid leaching of mineralized rock on Forest land?
- Could the Forest require the operator to place all mineralize rock and mining waste off Forest land (on private and patented claims)?
- Can the Forest evaluate the validity of the unpatented mining claims before it permits mining use, and can the Forest deny the permit if the unpatented mining claims are not valid?
- Can the Forest deny the permits if they determine that the environmental impacts of the proposed action to Forest lands and surrounding lands are unacceptable?
- Does the No Action Alternative mean that no mine will be built? It would clarify the decision that the Forest must make if you clarified what the No Action Alternative encompasses.

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- Is the Forest required to allow this one use – a mining operation, with associated ore-processing plant, tailings, waste rock and leach facilities, new roads, ore transportation systems, and test reclamation plots– if it will exclude all other forest uses? Because of the surface disturbance, allowing the use of Forest land for this mine will eliminate all other legitimate use of this Forest land. We believe that the Forest should clearly understand, state, and evaluate that this one use will exclude all other uses of the public's multiple-use land.
- Is the Forest required to allow this one use if it permanently damages Forest lands and surrounding non-Forest lands forever? Pretending that this forest land will be returned to a functioning ecosystem in 20 years is fantasy.

There are so many demands on land in Arizona. Human population and urban and rural development are growing at such a rate that there will soon be a time when the only land left for the public to use for recreation, and the only land left for wildlife, will be the public land. The Forest Service should consider that the highest value of Arizona public land is for open space, public recreation, and wildlife. Because the Arizona Game and Fish Department is charged with the management and protection of Arizona's wildlife, we cannot support any action that will mean the loss of a significant piece of wildlife habitat on public land.

We visited the Santa Rita Ecosystem Management Area during the period when the test drilling was occurring, and we were greatly concerned at the amount of noise, light, and physical disturbance that occurred. Wildlife recreationists complained to our personnel about the damage to wildlife and habitat and the damage to their wildland experience. The impact of the testing phase will be miniscule compared to the impact of the actual mine operation.

Even though we do not support development of the Rosemont Mine, we want to provide a summary of our concerns to help the Forest in the environmental analysis of the impacts as they relate to wildlife, wildlife habitat, and wildlife recreation.

We understand that Rosemont Copper Company plans to drill for water in Sahuarita, near the junction of the Santa Rita Road and Sahuarita Road. We are concerned about the cone of depression that will result, both in the Santa Cruz Valley and in the Santa Rita Mountains. We understand that Rosemont Copper Company plans to replace their ground water withdrawal with CAP water, but at least for now that replacement water is being provided into the aquifer at Avra Valley, 36 miles away from the withdrawal site. Depositing water into the Avra Valley will do nothing for the water table that supports the wildlife habitats around the Santa Cruz River and in the Santa Rita Mountains. If the water table is lowered around the Santa Cruz River or in the Santa Rita Mountains, the impacts to vegetation will adversely impact wildlife (which in turn impacts wildlife recreation). Further, there is a concern that CAP water may not be available throughout the entire life of this mine, so replacement may not occur at all times. The only way to insure that the mine does not impact water resources (and thus wildlife habitat) in the Santa Cruz water basin is for the mine to use only CAP water and be prohibited from

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using ground water. Of course, any use of water in Arizona takes away another use, even if it is as remote as the Colorado River.

We also are concerned about the impacts that will occur and could occur to the surface and ground water on the east side of the proposed mine. Normal rainfall that will fall in Barrel Canyon will be diverted for 20+ years (or forever?). This will decrease the ground water and surface water that should flow down Barrel Canyon and into Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek. Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek are very important habitats for wildlife, and decreases in water flow to these habitats will adversely impact wildlife. This effect will be occurring off of Forest lands. The Forest should identify how you will insure that this impact does not occur.

Further, there is a great concern about spills from the mine polluting the ground water and surface water down-canyon from the mine. Although Rosemont Copper Company states that they will use state-of-the-art technologies to prevent spills and contamination, virtually all mines have had spills. The Forest should identify how you will insure that water is not polluted from the Rosemont Mine. Any pollution of waters into Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek will have significant adverse impacts to wildlife, including federally listed and sensitive species.

We also have a concern about failure of reclamation to occur or to be adequate for the needs of wildlife. Rosemont Copper Company tells us that mining operations can be completely rehabilitated. However, we have never seen this occur in Arizona's dry habitats. There is always a legitimate reason for the lack of reclamation, e.g., the mine is staying open to extract ore in the future, or the original company declared bankruptcy and is no longer responsible. When this happens, the wildlife and the public who enjoy that wildlife are always the losers. One of the problems is the difficulty of establishing vegetation (at the level of a functioning ecosystem) in dry climates. The vegetative communities in the project area developed over hundreds of years. It is virtually impossible to establish that same vegetation in short time frame. Reclamation is not successful if the result is a low-seral stage habitat (e.g. grasses and forbs) that lack mature habitat values. Those low-seral stage habitats may hold soil, but they do not provide the same functions and values for wildlife.

One of the most significant deficiencies of other mining operations on public land is the inadequacy of the reclamation bond. Too often the original or subsequent operator finds default on the bond to be less expensive than completing the required reclamation. One of essential requirements of this project would be to require a very generous reclamation, based on dollar amount at the time of reclamation. Furthermore, the Forest should find a way to prevent reclamation delays due to claims of future interest in mining.

As we stated above, we believe that this mine will impact wildlife, wildlife habitat, and wildlife recreation in an area that is much larger than the footprint of the mine. If this mine is permitted, the entire northern portion of the Santa Rita Mountains will be virtually lost for wildlife values. We fear that the Coronado National Forest will no

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longer accept the northern portion of the Santa Ritas as a functioning ecosystem management area and will seek to dispose of the whole portion of the range north of Box Canyon. The Forest could not possibly be expected to manage the fringes of this habitat, with the heart extracted.

Because of this management issue, if this mine is permitted, we believe one piece of the mitigation package should be the acquisition of a block of land (an ecosystem) contiguous to the Coronado National Forest equal in size and equal in wildlife values to all the Forest land north of Box Canyon. We would not support purchase of small inholdings for exchange for Santa Rita land. The Forest should require a large contiguous ecosystem to replace the public land that has been destroyed. Since we cannot imagine where that piece of land could be found and purchased, we do not believe it is in the best public interest to permit this mine.

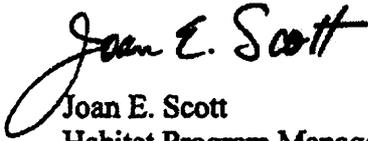
As stated above, we are providing only preliminary comments in this letter. Other issues that we expect to be analyzed in the EIS include the following.

- Loss of hunting opportunity
- Loss of game and non-game habitat
- Loss of springs and streams
- Impacts to wildlife corridors that allow wildlife movement from blocks of habitat
- Impacts to threatened and endangered species and special status species
- Monitoring of impacts to ground and surface water (quality and quantity), and actions that will be taken if adverse impacts are shown
- Monitoring of wildlife impacts
- Funding for scientific monitoring for the life of the mine and beyond
- Impacts to wildlife from increased vehicular traffic, both on the Forest and off the Forest.
- Impacts to wildlife from dust and air pollution during construction, during mining operations, and after mining has stopped, both on the Forest and off the Forest
- Noise and light effects on wildlife and recreationists
- Impacts to wildlife habitats off-site
- Best Management Practices that protect wildlife, including birds and bats, from being killed by the toxic solutions on the site
- Habitat fragmentation
- Public access for wildlife recreation
- Potential impacts to wildlife from accidental spills of toxic materials, both on the Forest and off-forest
- Non-mining waste, such as sanitary waste and tires
- Visual impacts of the mine to wildlife recreationists
- State Trust Land north of Las Cienegas NCA is part of the Sonoita Valley Acquisition Planning District and may be given protected status in the State Land Initiative. This land and its wildlife could be adversely impacted by the mine.

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Thank you for the opportunity to provide scoping comments on this EIS. We look forward to working closely with the Coronado National Forest as a cooperating agency and as a member of the ID team during the development of the EIS.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joan E. Scott". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

Joan E. Scott  
Habitat Program Manager  
Tucson Regional Office

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Leonard Ordway, Tucson Regional Supervisor



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Subject Strategy re: CBD and other public questions

Tom,

We should NOT address any of the questions in the CBD letter during the open house.

The purpose of the open house is to solicit comments, such as the questions posed.

We are in no way prepared to elaborate on how many of the questions posed will be addressed by mitigation and design.

Best to keep mum and say "Thank you for your comments. After we review all issues raised during scoping, our resource specialists will work with the decision maker to identify the best approach for impacts analysis. We will make our comment analysis available to the public on the project website."

No dialogue other than answers to general questions.  
Remember, we are NOT THE PROPONENT and cannot speak for RCC.

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All-

Following is the content of a mass email that I received from the Center for Biological Diversity (CBD) regarding the upcoming open houses. The email lists 13 questions for the public to ask of us during the open houses. We should probably be prepared to address these as best we can. However, it is my opinion that we can not address them at this time because we have not begun the analysis of the proposed project. I think that all of these questions could be reworded into issue statements that would be useful for the scoping process.

Tom

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Dear Te,

On very short notice, the Coronado National Forest has scheduled scoping meetings next week on Canadian corporation Augusta's proposed Rosemont Copper Mine on the east side of Tucson's Santa Rita Mountains. The National Forest is preparing its Environmental Impact Statement, and public meetings are legally required.

Scoping meetings are crucial to determine what issues the Forest Service will consider. And the public still has a chance to influence the project -- it's early in the planning process. This is a vital forum for citizens to ensure a thorough review of impacts to water supplies, the environment, wildlife, and public health and safety.

Please consider attending one of these meetings:

1. March 18, 2008, Pima Community College Desert Vista Campus, 5901 South Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, Arizona. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
2. March 19, 2008, Canoa Hills Recreation Center, 3660 South Camino del Sol, Green Valley, Arizona, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
3. March 20, 2008, Patagonia Union High School, Highway 82, Patagonia, Arizona, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

The Rosemont Copper Mine would be a mile-wide, 4,755-acre, open-pit mine on the eastern side of the Santa Rita Mountains, a biologically unique, beautiful sky island mountain range. The Center for Biological Diversity and our conservation partners hope to inspire a show of force at each meeting to make sure environmental considerations figure prominently in the decision-making process.

#### QUESTIONS YOU CAN ASK AT THE MEETINGS:

1. How will surface water quantity and water quality in Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek be protected?
2. How will Rosemont Copper prevent wells in nearby residential and agricultural areas from being depleted, and how will they compensate the landowners?
3. What sensitive, threatened, and endangered species might be affected by the mining proposal, and how will impacts on these species be mitigated?
4. How will natural habitat and wildlife corridors be affected by the mining proposal and a proposed pipeline, and how will these impacts be mitigated?
5. How does Rosemont Copper propose to prevent toxics from leaching out of the waste dumps and into the groundwater?
6. How will Rosemont Copper compensate Pima County for the damage their large, heavy vehicles will do to Highway 83?
7. How will Rosemont Copper guarantee the safety of school buses, tourist, and commuter traffic on Highway 83 given that, every 10 to 15 minutes, there will be large, heavy vehicles carrying dangerous chemicals and materials?
8. What studies have been done to determine how far and in what direction the airborne materials will travel and what their composition will be?
9. What will be done to protect nearby residents from toxic airborne materials?
10. What will be done to protect nearby residents, wildlife, and recreational users in the Coronado National Forest from the deleterious impacts of daily blasting?
11. Given that the mine expects to operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, what is the overall impact on light pollution?
12. What will the cumulative impacts be of this mine and other proposed mining operations in the vicinity on wildlife, water quality, water quantity, and air quality?
13. How does Rosemont Copper propose to protect the long-term economic health of local communities?

Other meetings may be scheduled as needed.

For those who do not attend meetings, please submit comments by mail, fax, or email as follows, through April 18, 2008.

Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701.

Fax comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader.

Email to [comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us) .

For questions about the public meetings or the comment period, call (520) 388-8300.

Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont) .

Visit Save the Scenic Santa Ritas' Web site for further information.

[www.scenicsantaritas.org](http://www.scenicsantaritas.org)



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Subject Re: FYI: Online Comment System 

I'm somewhat leery if this service would make individual names, addresses and other personally identifying information available with the comments OR if there are persons who work for limestone.com that would have access to such personal info.

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Word travels fast. I was just contacted by a company named limehouse.com , which is selling an online comment process that may have some value to us. I don't know what it costs, but I visited a site using their software and the capability is intriguing. If you're interested in looking at an online public comment process, check out [http://metrolinux-consult.limehouse.com/porta 1/](http://metrolinux-consult.limehouse.com/porta1/).

You can also visit the limehouse.com website for an overview.

Tom, I spoke with Dez Shanahan of limehouse. I hope you don't mind that I gave him your office number . . . so he may call in the next couple days. Of course, no pressure -- just thinking it may be of use to us if the price is right and the learning curve isn't too steep. One thing about a really accessible online process is that it might elicit more dispassionate and objective comments. The fact that they are automatically stored in a searchable database is also nice.

I have been told that the Forest Service is considering the limehouse software on a national contract, so this contact may be fortuitous. If not this project, maybe the next.



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My suggestions are attached.

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Mailing

Here's a draft of the Information Sheet I propose for the reverse side of the corrected Rosemont public meeting map we mail out today. I also plan to put this online, along with the corrected map.

As usual, please critique without mercy. Also, my opinion, let's not rush this. If it means we wait until tomorrow to send the mailing, let's get it right. Mailing tomorrow will get it to most recipients by Saturday and everyone by Monday. Your feedback is important.

Thanks!



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# ***Important Information***

## ***About Public Meetings and Comments***

### **for the Rosemont Copper Project EIS Process**

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#### **Public Open House Meetings**

The upcoming *initial* public meetings will be conducted as open houses. **These meetings will not be “hearings.”** No opportunity will be provided for any individual to publicly address an assembled audience. The open house format is designed to allow all attendees to move from station to station to ask relevant questions of technical specialists about the Rosemont Copper Project, and to submit written or oral comments onsite.

After completion of these initial meetings, Coronado National Forest officials will evaluate the need for additional meetings as well as the format of any future scheduled meetings. Every effort will be made to assure that interested individuals have a convenient opportunity to comment on the project.

#### **Those Who Do Not Attend a Public Meeting**

For those who do not attend public meetings, comments submitted in the following ways will be given *equal consideration*:

1. Mail or hand-deliver comments to ATTN: Rosemont Copper Project EIS, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701.
2. Submit comments by FAX to **(520) 388-8305**.
3. Email comments to **[comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us)**.

Postal envelopes and the subject line of email and facsimiles should include the words “**Rosemont Copper Project EIS.**”

#### **Comment Effectively**

The Forest Service encourages citizens to express issues, concerns, and suggestions about this proposed action. The comments most useful for the NEPA process should be directly related to issues associated with the *proposed action* described in the Notice of Intent, rather than general advocacy for or against the project. Comments are welcome at any time during the NEPA review; however, they will be most useful if received during the public scoping period, which ends April 18, 2008.

Citizens are urged to read the Notice of Intent prior to attending meetings or submitting comments. The Notice of Intent is available online at **[www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont)**. Those without Internet access may request a hard copy by calling (520) 388-8300.

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Please be advised that comments and personal information associated with them, such as names and addresses, will become part of the administrative record for this NEPA review. As such, they may be made available to a third-party in response to a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. You may prefer to submit comments without including personal information. Or, you may request of the Forest Service that your personal information be exempted from release under the FOIA. You will subsequently be informed by the Forest Service whether or not your request qualifies for an exemption. If it does not, you will be afforded the opportunity to resubmit your comments without personal information or to withhold them altogether.

**See Map of Public Meeting Locations on Reverse**

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**for the Rosemont Copper Project EIS Process**

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**Public Open House Meetings**

The upcoming *initial* public meetings will be conducted as open houses. **These meetings will not be hearings.** No opportunity will be provided for any individual to publicly address an assembled audience. The open house format is designed to allow all attendees to move from station to station to ask relevant questions of technical specialists about the Rosemont Copper Project, and to submit written or oral comments onsite.

After completion of these initial meetings, Coronado National Forest officials will evaluate the need for additional meetings ~~as well as the format of any future scheduled meetings~~. Every effort will be made to assure that interested individuals have a convenient opportunity to comment on the project.

**Comment [awc1]:** I don't think Jeanine is going to want to change the format. Apparently FS does not like to do "hearings" where comments are made to an audience.

**Those Who Do Not Attend a Public Meeting**

For those who do not attend public meetings, comments submitted in the following ways will be given *equal consideration*:

1. Mail or hand-deliver comments to ATTN: Rosemont Copper Project EIS--Scoping, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701.
2. Submit comments by FAX to (520) 388-8305.
3. Email comments to [comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us).

Postal envelopes and the subject line of email and facsimiles should include the words "Rosemont Copper Project EIS."

**Comment Effectively**

The Forest Service encourages citizens to express issues, concerns, and suggestions about this proposed action. The comments most useful for the NEPA process should be directly related to issues associated with the *proposed action* described in the Notice of Intent, rather than general advocacy for or opposition to the project. Comments on the scope of the impacts analysis are welcome during the NEPA review until the DEIS is issued for public comment. However, they will be most useful if received during the public scoping period, which ends April 18, 2008.

Citizens are urged to read the Notice of Intent prior to attending meetings or submitting comments. The Notice of Intent is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont). Those without Internet access may request a hard copy by calling (520) 388-8300.

Please be advised that comments and personal information associated with them, such as names and addresses, will become part of the administrative record for this NEPA review. As such, they may be made available to a third-party in response to a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. You may prefer to submit comments without including personal information. Or, you may request the Forest Service that your personal information be exempted from release under the FOIA. You will subsequently be informed by the Forest Service whether or not your request qualifies for an exemption. If it does not, you will be afforded the opportunity to submit your comments without personal information or to withhold them altogether.

**See Map of Public Meeting Locations on Reverse**



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08/05/2010 03:04 PM

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Subject Re: Bounds of Analysis Question Regarding Utility  
CorridorsRosemont IDT please read, and respond

The MPO proposes a utility corridor over Lopez Pass on the N, NW side of the project area, following the west access road. As proposed, the corridor goes through BLM lands just west of the ridgeline. Debby K. is aware of the alignment (we recently clarified it with the company), and her resource has the greatest impact from the alignment. But, there may also be heritage resources that are impacted (historical), so, I'm sharing this response with Bill and Mary as well. And, I might as well share it with the rest of the team to be on the safe side...anyone have any concerns?

We are viewing the corridor as a connected action, since utilities are necessary for the operation.

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Subject Bounds of Analysis Question Regarding Utility Corridors  
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Salek brought up a good point this morning - I'm sure it is not the first time this has been raised, and it may be a loose end that we need to resolve .

Have we identified the location of the utility corridor (s) and provided them to the ID Team members, so they can address environmental effects from the ground disturbing effects of the construction activities? How are we planning on dealing with this in the Effects Analysis ? It is my understanding that some or all of these corridors cross BLM lands , and the FS and the lead agency needs to address the environmental effects on BLM lands as well . Also - I am not clear on whether the utility construction (electric line, water line) is being considered a connected action or a part of the proposal .

Your thoughts and updates would be helpful .. Thanks....Terry



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Subject Re: Rosemont Final Mitigation Table 

RCC Team,

We discussed this mitigation table today in the extended team meeting. A couple of team members thought there were some errors on the table, in particular some mitigation that they had previously submitted that was not captured. If you see something like this in the table, please let me know. I am not looking for new mitigation ideas, and anything new will not be included in the table for consideration in the DEIS.

If you have information on previous submissions that were overlooked, I need that information by first thing Monday morning. If I don't hear from you by then, the missing information will not be considered in the DEIS, and will have to be considered at a later date.

Thanks,

Bev

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Subject Rosemont Final Mitigation Table

Please see below, final mitigation table for the project. Note that the changes between the tables (ie., mitigation dropped and other changes) were authorized by the decision maker. We'll discuss changes in the IDT meeting tomorrow. Bev

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Reta,

Attached for your review is the Draft Mitigation Process Memorandum and Final Mitigation Table . The table reflects the changes agreed upon by the FS and Rosemont at the July 8, 2010, mitigation meeting. Please review the memo and let me know if you have any comments or questions. The referenced Cooperating Agency response letters are saved in the record and on WebEx.

Many thanks,

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# ROSEMONT COPPER PROJECT

## MITIGATION MEASURES PROCESS MEMORANDUM

JULY 16, 2010

### DRAFT

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Coronado National Forest (Coronado) received a proposed *Plan of Operations* (PoO) for construction, operation/reclamation, and closure of an open-pit mine on public land administered by Coronado and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to extract locatable minerals such as copper, molybdenum, and silver. The PoO, titled *Rosemont Project Mine Plan of Operations* (WestLand Resources, Inc. 2007), was submitted by Augusta Resource Corporation, the parent company of Rosemont Copper Company (Rosemont Copper). Pursuant to U.S. mining laws, the U.S. Forest Service (Forest Service) and BLM are required to respond to the PoO to conduct mining operations. Under 36 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 228.5, the Forest Service, serving as the lead federal agency for this project, must determine whether to approve the PoO submitted by Rosemont Copper or to require changes or additions deemed necessary to meet the requirements of the regulations for environmental protection set forth in 36 CFR 228.8.

As an integral part of Coronado's decision to approve or modify the PoO, and in accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act, Coronado developed alternatives to the proposed action. A comparative analysis of the environmental impacts of the proposed action and four alternatives is currently being conducted, and the findings will be disclosed in the upcoming Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). During the Draft EIS analysis process, applicable mitigation measures are reviewed in order to determine the extent of the environmental impacts of the proposed action and the action alternatives. The purpose of mitigation measures is to minimize or eliminate the adverse environmental impacts of the proposed action and the action alternatives analyzed in the EIS.

Mitigation measures fall into two groups. The first group consists of mitigation measures that are required by law, regulation, or policy, or as a condition of a required permit. Examples of the sources of these mitigation measures include the following:

- **Laws and regulations:** Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act (CWA), Mine Safety and Health Act, and Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act.
- **Policies:** Coronado's Forest Plan's policy is to "support environmentally sound energy and minerals development and reclamation." BLM's policy is to authorize mining with reasonable mitigation to prevent undue and unnecessary environmental degradation, according to the BLM Manual and Handbook 1790-1 and Departmental Guidance (516 Department Manual 1-7).

- **Permit Conditions:** Pima County Department of Environmental Quality Air Quality Permit, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Individual Section 404 CWA Permit for Impacts to Waters of the United States, and Arizona Department of Environmental Quality Aquifer Protection Permit.

The second group of mitigation measures consists of measures requested by the public, Forest Service Interdisciplinary (ID) Team, cooperating agencies, and project proponent that are not required by law, regulation, policy, or as a condition of a permit but are approved as supplements to required mitigation measures.

In order to determine supplemental mitigation measures for this project, a list of all proposed mitigation measures was compiled by the Forest Service. Sources of proposed mitigation measures included the public's responses to public scoping, Cooperating Agencies' responses to solicitation for proposed measures (letters attached), Forest Service ID Team's responses to internal solicitation for proposed measures, and voluntary supplemental measures proposed by Rosemont Copper. The resulting compilation of proposed mitigation measures was then evaluated by the Forest Service ID Team and Rosemont Copper to ensure they have reasonable monetary costs and are practicable, effective, and necessary.

During a series of meetings between the Forest Service ID Team and Rosemont Copper, proposed mitigation measures from this compilation were considered and approved as supplemental mitigation or dismissed. The rationale for dismissal of proposed supplemental measures included the following:

- **Redundant:** proposed measure is already covered by law, regulation, policy, permit condition, proposed action, or previously recorded measure carried forward.
- **Impracticable or Infeasible:** proposed measure employs speculative or unproven technology or is not cost effective.
- **Considered during Alternatives Development:** proposed measure duplicates an alternative or an element of an alternative that was considered but dropped during the Forest Service alternatives development process.
- **Impact(s) to Other Resource(s):** proposed measure would have greater impact to other resource(s) than previously recorded measure carried forward.

The Forest Service ID Team and Rosemont Copper met 5 times from November 2009 through July 2010. Revised tables were provided to both parties prior to the meetings in order to solicit comments and questions and propose edits. The final Rosemont Copper Project Mitigation Table (attached) was approved by both parties on July 8, 2010, and includes mitigation measures required by laws, regulations, policies, and permit conditions, as well as supplemental mitigation measures.

Proposed Mitigation Measure	Driver and/or Law, Regulation, and Policy	Target Issue(s) and Quantitative Units of Measure
<b>Air</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<p>Onsite dust control on Rosemont facilities shall be maintained on access, haul, service, and maintenance roads on site during construction, operation, and closure periods through uses of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• gravel,</li> <li>• water spray,</li> <li>• treatment with dust control agents,</li> <li>• otherwise as specified in the Air Quality Permit</li> </ul> <p>Specifications for each class of facility to be according to the Air Quality Permit and documented in a Dust Control Plan to maintain compliance with PDEQ air quality regulations or other applicable regulation.</p>	<p>Clean Air Act regulations as delegated to Pima County Department Environmental Quality (Dust Control Plan to be updated as needed to comply with PDEQ permit)</p>	<p>Air Quality – PM10  Plant and Animals – Dust Impacts to plants  Visual – Change in landscape character  Public Safety – CAA standards, PM and GHG  Socioeconomics – Quality of Life  Dark Skies – PM</p>
Set and enforce speed limits within project area		See 1.1.1
<p>Rosemont shall use dust control technology at material transfer points and other point sources at crushing, conveyor, and bulk material handling facilities, as required in the air quality permit, these technologies include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• water sprays,</li> <li>• cover,</li> <li>• wind barriers,</li> <li>• mechanical controls, or other appropriate measures.</li> </ul>	<p>Clean Air Act and PDEQ permit (Shall be specified and monitored as per the PDEQ permit requirement)</p>	See 1.1.1
Apply soil stabilizers to tails as required by the Air Quality Permit		See 1.1.1
<p>Rosemont shall maintain MSDS sheets on site as appropriate for chemical materials used onsite, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• chemical or physical dust control agents,</li> <li>• organics,</li> <li>• inorganic binders, or</li> <li>• stabilizing polymers.</li> </ul> <p>Materials to be used on site shall be subject to review and approval as part of the Materials Management Plan/Procedures</p>	<p>Mine Safety and Health Act</p>	<p>Drop? Having MSDS sheets doesn't mitigate anything</p>
Monitor and report on air quality monitoring		Move to Monitoring
<p>Develop and update the Dust Control Plan as required in the air quality permit or as needed, to modify or supplement air quality mitigation measures to address compliance during construction, operation, or closure</p>		See 1.1.1
Use acid mist controls in electrowinning tank house as required by the Air Quality Permit		<p>Air  Public Safety</p>
<p>Rosemont shall stipulate to usage of low-sulfur diesel fuel on-site for all stationary equipment as per Clean Air Act, and as per the Mine Plan of Operations for mobile equipment</p>	<p>Clean Air Act, PDEQ Air Permit  Arizona Revised Statutes Articles 2, 3, 5, and 7 contain a lot of requirements for combustion engines and fuel. Some engines may be required by law to use low-sulfur diesel fuel, others may not.</p>	<p>See 1.1.1  Also Air – GHG emission in tons</p>

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<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		<i>Use exact MPO wording</i>
Compact the tails as specified in the Tailings Operations and Maintenance Plan as they are placed in selected locations within the tailings facilities		See 1.1.1
Compaction specifications shall be dependent on location within the tailings area, as specified in the Tailings Operations and Management Plan, to meet both geotechnical stability		
Use emitters, similar to drip irrigation, to apply the acid leaching solution to the heap		See 1.1.1
Establish truck specifications to reduce emissions		Air – GHG emissions in tons
RCC shall develop a Transportation Reduction Plan to include a Park and Ride Program and van pooling for workers during all phases of the project to reduce the number of personal vehicle miles driven to and from the project.		Air – GHG emissions in tons
Construct electric lines as a first step in developing the time to eliminate the need for on-site electrical generation		Air – GHG emissions in tons
Use alternative methods for power generation such as solar for administration buildings		Air – GHG emissions in tons
Minimize construction-related trips of workers and equipment, including trucks and heavy equipment.		See 1.1.1
Offsite dust management on access road includes development and implementation of a Dust Control Plan for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the unpaved section of Santa Rita Road</li> <li>• dedicated BLM roads used for access</li> <li>• Forest Service access roads used to access other areas used for Rosemont project activities on the west side of the Santa Rita Mountains.</li> </ul>		See 1.1.1
Use modern design, progressive operation methods and air quality control strategies as appropriate to the contemporary equipment specified for use at site		Air – GHG emissions in tons
Operational considerations such as energy, water, and fuel conservation shall be considered as well as dust management at the facility. Therefore, Rosemont shall select and operate mobile equipment in a manner that takes into consideration the number of road miles driven, and balance the dust control efforts to the activities and miles driven (more haul truck miles = more water truck miles).		Air – PM and GHG
Ensure that construction equipment is properly maintained at all times and does not unnecessarily idle, is tuned to manufacturer's specifications.		Move to monitoring
<b>Plants and Animals (Formerly Biology)</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
Rosemont Reclamation Plan to include specific provisions to prepare seedbed, reseed any project-related disturbances along Pima County ROW or roadway.		???

Proposed Mitigation Measure	Driver and/or Law, Regulation, and Policy	Target Issue(s) and Quantitative Units of Measure
<p>Rosemont shall finalize and implement a Rosemont Reclamation Plan that includes planting of native grasses, Palmer agave, shrubs, and trees. Non-native species may be used with FS approval.</p> <p>The Rosemont Reclamation Plan will integrate the requirements of State Mine Inspector, BLM, and USFS, as well as the reclamation-related requirements of cooperating agencies.</p> <p>Whereas specific plans may apply differently to private, state and federal lands, Rosemont has committed to reclaim all lands to the highest standards identified in the respective plans.</p>	<p>BLM, USFS, SMI, USFWS, AZG&amp;F permit requirements</p>	<p>Stability and Soil Productivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long-term stability and risks</li> <li>• Reveg. Success</li> <li>• Sediment delivery</li> </ul> <p>Air - PM</p> <p>Water – sediment</p> <p>Plants and Animals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in veg community</li> <li>• Area reclaimed</li> <li>• Ecological concerv. Plans</li> <li>• Noxious weeds</li> </ul> <p>Visual – change in landscape character</p> <p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p>
<p>The Invasive Species Management Plan (regarding noxious weeds, aquatic and terrestrial plants and animals) shall be reviewed periodically and adjusted as needed to apply to all project-related land disturbances on Forest Lands.</p>		<p>Plants and Animals – noxious weeds</p> <p>Move to Monitoring</p>
<p>Rosemont agrees to accept allotment conditions and modifications to develop a Water Source Enhancement and Mitigation Plan (RWSEMP) within the expanse of the Rosemont Ranch lands that surround the Helvetia and Rosemont Mining District.</p> <p>The RWSEMP shall demonstrate no net loss in numbers of surface water sources for livestock and wildlife.</p> <p>For each individual source of seasonal or permanent surface water lost to wildlife or grazing use, whether through direct or indirect project-related impact, mitigation sources shall be created to provide a replacement water source in the area impacted.</p>		<p>Seeps, Springs, Riparian – number seeps, springs</p> <p>Plants and Animals –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• botanical species</li> <li>• animal habitat</li> <li>• corridors</li> </ul> <p>Heritage – sacred springs</p> <p>Water – beneficial uses</p> <p>Water – beneficial uses, stock tanks</p> <p>Seeps, Springs, Riparian – number seeps, springs</p> <p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape</p> <p>Unnecessary detail</p>
<p>Provide funding to Forest Service for a biological monitor. This person will be a journey-level biologist, partially funded by the proponent, to oversee various aspects of compliance with mitigation measures, terms and conditions of the Biological Opinion, monitor and report take, survey for invasive species, etc.</p>		<p>Move to monitoring</p>
<p>Process water ponds, such as raffinate ponds, pregnant leach solution collection ponds, or chemical or fuel storage areas, shall be enclosed, covered, or otherwise managed to protect wildlife, livestock, and public safety. Location and construction criteria for project facilities shall prevent deleterious exposure of livestock, wildlife, or birds to toxic chemicals or hazardous conditions created by, used in, or resulting from processing operations.</p>		<p>Plants and Animals – habitat?</p> <p>Public Safety – public health risk</p>
<p>Rosemont agrees to accept allotment conditions and modifications to fence off selected exclusion areas of highest-value riparian habitat to restrict livestock access from critical breeding areas for sensitive wildlife species within the Rosemont Ranch land system,</p>		<p>Animals – avoid impacts, habitat lost</p>

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<p>The Noxious Weed Control Program shall include specifics on reducing noxious weed introduction and weed control throughout the project area. The Reclamation Plan shall acknowledge that noxious weed prevention is preferable to remedial action, and include provisions to this effect.</p> <p>If noxious weeds invade revegetated areas, Rosemont shall be responsible to remove by hand, spray, mechanical, or other approved methods as included in the noxious weed control plan. The effectiveness of the noxious weed control plan shall be reported as specified in the approved MPO/Reclamation Plan.</p>		Plants – prevent invasions
<p>Upon indication or discovery of a cave, sinkhole, underground drainage into a solution cavern, or similar karst features, Rosemont will suspend work at that site and contact the designated Forest Service contact to investigate the discovery before work is re-initiated. The designated FS contact will promptly coordinate the investigation with appropriate FS specialists. Any natural void in rock that is large enough for a human to enter constitutes a cave. Any collapse feature in or over carbonate rock constitutes a sinkhole.</p>	Federal Cave Resources Act of 1988 (as amended in 1990) on Federal land	Animals – habitat lost
<p>Linear features such as utilities and pipe lines will be promptly reclaimed with native vegetation to avoid fragmentation of corridors of native biological communities.</p>		Animals - Corridors
<p>In order to avoid impacts to rocky slopes on the east side of the Santa Ritas, including Talus slopes, Rosemont will locate the west side pit operations power loop within the disturbance perimeter of the ultimate pit.</p>		Animals – habitat lost
<p>Rosemont shall work with Coronado and other relevant agency biologists to develop a conservation plan for <i>Hexelextris colemanii</i>. Measures may include area closures, exclosures (fencing), posting, and avoidance.</p>		Plants – Number or acres lost, modified, etc, species viability
<b>Dark/Night Skies</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>RCC shall develop a lighting plan for operational lights. The plan shall identify how it will design and operate exterior and access route lighting to recognize and achieve the goals of the <i>2006 City of Tucson/Pima County Outdoor Lighting Code</i>, while also protecting the safety of the workers and visitors to the project facilities.</p> <p>Where safety requirements allow outdoor lighting shall use:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• appropriate shields,</li> <li>• dimmers and/or full cutoff lighting fixtures</li> <li>• directional lighting</li> <li>• limited spectrum technologies</li> <li>• minimum lumens practicable</li> </ul>	Corridor Management Plan for the Patagonia-Sonoita Scenic Road objective 3, page 53 bullet 4; MSHA requires a certain level of safety lighting.	Dark Skies – sky brightness, meet code Animals – light effects Visual – scenic byway
<b>Energy</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
Solar panels shall be used for energy needs of administrative building.		Air – GHG emissions in tons

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<p>Initial construction of the project facilities to include an Energy Conservation and Sustainable Source Demonstration Plan. The ECSSD Plan shall consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the use of alternative energy sources such as solar, and wind to power or supplement energy needs of administrative activities of the mining operations.</li> <li>The project administration building shall be designed to showcase use of LEED and sustainable energy concepts.</li> </ul>	LEED certification guidelines	Air – GHG emissions in tons Water – Quantity?
<b>Hazardous Materials</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<p>Hazardous materials and substances to be managed and contained within appropriately designed, constructed, and maintained facilities.</p> <p>These facilities to include as appropriate secondary containment concrete, asphalt, synthetic, clay lining, and adequate stormwater management and drainage systems to prevent contamination outside of containment areas.</p> <p>MSHA regulations require Rosemont to maintain MSDS sheets available to workers. As required under EPCRA and/or CERCLA MSDS information shall be provided to appropriate emergency response departments, hospitals, and available for visitors entering the site</p>	MSHA, RCRA, EPCRA, DOT	Water –quality Seeps, Springs, Riparian – number degraded Plants and Animals – avoid impacts Public Safety – transportation, public health risk
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>RCC shall describe and commit to measures to identify and ensure isolation of potentially acid generating waste rock, prevention of acid generation from mine waste, and any additional mitigation measures that may be necessary should prevention measures fail. This will include the development of a plan to identify and manage materials using geo-chemical analysis and acid-base accounting methods. Areas of potential acid generation on the interim and ultimate pit wall shall be identified and appropriate management strategies developed.</p>	(Partially described in MPO but no details RE: where in waste rock or tails acid generating materials will be placed, and at what stage of the operation.)	Water –quality Seeps, Springs, Riparian – number degraded Plants and Animals – avoid impacts Public Safety – transportation, public health risk
<b>Heritage</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<p>Complete Archaeological Inventory survey for all parts of the Area of Potential Effect not surveyed in the SWCA survey of the initial MPO area and evaluate National Register eligibility for additional sites that are recorded.</p> <p>Prepare a Historic Properties Treatment Plan that address the adverse effects to all historic properties, and specifies how to mitigate adverse effects on historic properties, which may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Procedures for the respectful treatment and repatriation of human remains.</li> <li>Data recovery excavations</li> <li>Plan for monitoring ground disturbing activities</li> <li>Public interpretation</li> <li>Recovery of information through oral histories and archival research</li> </ul> <p>Mitigate adverse effects to plants of critical traditional importance to tribes with interest in the Area of Potential Effect.</p> <p>Prior to ground disturbing activities for the selected alternative, the FS shall conduct archaeological testing at those sites within the Area of Potential Effect where National Register eligibility is undetermined.</p> <p>Under the programmatic agreement, the FS shall conduct archaeological data recovery at National Register-eligible sites within the project footprint</p>	National Historic Preservation NHPA and Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Include Arizona Revised Statute Act of 1966, as amended (NHPA)	Heritage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># sites</li> <li>Future finds</li> <li>Burials</li> </ul>

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Target Issue(s) and Quantitative Units of Measure

Heritage - burials

Heritage - # sites

RCC shall provide an opportunity for Native American participation in the advisory group for recommending grant recipients from the Santa Rita Mountains Community Endowment Trust.

RCC shall work with the Coronado staff and consulting tribes for recommendations on the selection of plant species that will be used for reclamation purposes.

**Supplemental Mitigation**

RCC shall provide notification of access to tribal interests to facilitate harvesting of traditional food, medicinal, and basketry plants (e.g. agave, beargrass) and traditionally used clays and pigments (generally found in natural cutbanks at springs) before project disturbance.

Through consultations with tribal experts, identify whether any plants in the project area could be feasibly/practicably transplanted to tribal lands. Plants may include Palmer agave, yucca, beargrass, oak, mesquite and juniper.

Heritage – traditional resource collect areas, sacred springs

Heritage – TCPs, collection areas

FS American Indian Relations Policy

**Hydrology**

**Covered under law, regulation, and policy**

**Groundwater Protection**

Obtain and maintain an Aquifer Protection Program permit from the ADEQ that determines the requirements to reduce or eliminate the potential for discharge of pollutants to the aquifer through the employment of Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology and monitoring at the Points of Compliance. Permit acquisition requires the preparation of necessary studies and technical reports as prescribed by ADEQ that will be relied upon by the ADEQ to issue the authorizing or regulatory permit.

Water – groundwater quality, Clean Water Act  
 GW quality

As a condition of Forest Service approval of Augusta's MPO, Augusta and any successors in ownership of the Mine must be required to agree in writing to comply with enforceable groundwater protection permit conditions of the ADEQ APP.

The APP permit conditions are issued by the State of Arizona and include to:

- Thorough geotechnical and geological site evaluation as part of engineering design review,
- Review by ADEQ that includes designs that include a demonstration of Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology suitable to the site and to the application.
- Prefunding or guarantee of independent sources of funding for all costs for decommissioning plant facilities with potential to discharge pollutants to groundwater
- Monitor plant operations for compliance with permit standards
- Build and operate monitor wells for groundwater quality at compliance points required by the APP permit throughout facility operations and after closure.
- Pay all expenses related to groundwater protection, monitoring, and as may be necessary to maintain compliance with permit standards
- Prepare a Groundwater Monitoring and Reporting Plan that includes requirements in the permit.

Should monitoring indicate a failure to comply with water quality standards set by permit, Rosemont shall comply with all surface and groundwater permit monitoring, reporting and contingency conditions.

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<p><b>Surface Water Protection</b></p> <p>Obtain a Multi-sector General Permit from ADEQ's Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System program that regulates stormwater discharges associated with industrial activity. Obtaining this permit includes the preparation of a stormwater pollution prevention plan and implementation of control measures as outlined by ADEQ's AZPDES MSGP program. The uses of Best Management Practices (BMP's) are an integral part of these plans and permits.</p> <p>General BMP's associated with these permits may include, among others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• erosion and sediment control,</li> <li>• good housekeeping,</li> <li>• routine inspections and maintenance,</li> <li>• Maintain stormwater and erosion control measures until the reclamation effort has met established standards and bonds have been released.</li> <li>• Prepare and implement erosion control actions before starting surface disturbing activities.</li> <li>• Disturb the smallest area practical.</li> <li>• Implement concurrent reclamation when feasible.</li> <li>• Manage runoff from disturbed areas to reduce sediment from leaving the site.</li> <li>• Use berms and ditches to control runoff from road surfaces.</li> <li>• Install settling basins, hay bales, and/or silt fences to control sediment in ditches.</li> <li>• Use stormwater dispersion terraces, silt fences, gabion sediment traps, and/or straw bale barriers as needed to minimize road runoff on the undisturbed areas between and downhill of the roads.</li> <li>• Seed road cuts with an approved seed mix.</li> <li>• Use hydroseeding on steep or more erodible cuts and fills as appropriate.</li> <li>• Maintain sediment control measures after storm events.</li> <li>• Monitor effectiveness of ongoing erosion and sediment control measures and modify where appropriate.</li> </ul>	<p>AZPDES</p>	<p>Water – surface water beneficial uses, Clean Water Act</p> <p>Land Stability and Soil Productivity -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Area of disturbance</li> <li>• Sediment to Davidson Cyn.</li> <li>• Reclamation results</li> </ul> <p>SW quality</p>
<p>As needed for each of the alternatives under comparative analysis and design review, Rosemont shall provide for appropriate capacity of process water and tailings storage to protect against flooding or overtopping.</p> <p>The long-term nature of mine facilities such as diversion channels requires projects to implement prudent design criteria and methods. Rosemont shall utilize design criteria that meets or exceeds safety factors.</p> <p>Where long term nature of mine facilities remains, specific Dam Safety Permit limits require Rosemont to install permanent water control structures that may exist beyond the life of the mine. Specific permit conditions provide for periodic monitoring and maintenance of spillways, diversions, and other permanent facilities.</p>	<p>ADEQ APP, MSHA, AZ State Dam Safety Permits</p>	<p>Water – groundwater quality, surface water beneficial uses, Clean Water Act</p>
<p><b>Supplemental Mitigation</b></p>		
<p>As applicable to waste rock and tailings disposal siting alternatives, small retention structures shall facilitate infiltration of storm water on-site to contribute to local groundwater recharge. These retention, infiltration basins shall be managed to optimize maintenance of surface and ground water quality.</p>		<p>Water – groundwater quality, surface water beneficial uses</p>
<p>Where stormwater rules and management plans allow, diversions consistent with topography shall be designed and operated to route storm water efficiently through or around project facilities and to transport runoff water to downstream watersheds.</p>		<p>Water – surface water beneficial uses</p>

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<p>In the vicinity of the Rosemont water supply wells, Rosemont has agreed to a program to mitigate the potential effects of Rosemont pumping on residential water supply wells in the Sahuarita Heights neighborhood. The USWO Rosemont USWO agreement includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A legally binding instrument negotiated and implemented by the United Sahuarita Well Owners group and Rosemont.</li> <li>• Rosemont has agreed to implement and maintain this residential well protection plan throughout the life of its mineral production operations.</li> <li>• The USWO/Rosemont agreement has detailed terms related to pump inspection, pump maintenance, pump replacement, well inspection, well maintenance, and well replacement.</li> <li>• Costs for the USWO/Rosemont agreement are born by Rosemont for the benefit of the USWO members and Rosemont.</li> <li>• The agreement has been signed and recorded in Pima County.</li> <li>• A third-party insurance company administers the obligations of Rosemont to protect pumps, wells, and water supply to residential wells under the USWO agreement.</li> <li>• The benefits of the USWO/Rosemont agreement are transferable to successors of interest to USWO participants.</li> <li>• The USWO/Rosemont agreement is binding on successors in interest to Rosemont.</li> <li>• The right to pump water from the Rosemont Wells is subject to the requirement of the Mineral Extraction Water Right from ADWR.</li> <li>• The ADWR permitted water right has been pledged as security for the implementation and continued compliance with the USWO/Rosemont agreement.</li> </ul>	ADWR	Water – groundwater quantity Santa Cruz
<p>To minimize infiltration, Rosemont shall either grade the top surface of the tailings storage facility to minimize surface water ponding and infiltration, or grade the surface of the tailings to maximize retention for evaporation without infiltration.</p>	ADEQ APP, MSHA	Water – groundwater quality
<p>Rosemont shall include as a condition in the Final MPO, a detailed description of methods to implement Regional Groundwater Mitigation within the TAMA, including plans implemented or to be implemented for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Utilize available CAP water as a source to conduct recharge within Tucson Active Management Area (Lower Santa Cruz).</li> <li>• Local CAP recharge as close as possible within the TAMA to the Rosemont supply well field in the area of the cone of depression caused by Rosemont water withdrawal.</li> <li>• To the extent practicable, balance CAP storage credits with water to be pumped from mine supply well field, with the intent to maintain a surplus inventory of storage credits prior to pumping groundwater for mineral extraction use.</li> <li>• Maintain water storage and use inventory records to show that CAP recharge credits are balanced against groundwater removed from the TAMA, and that the offset-credits are extinguished and not recoverable.</li> </ul>		Water – groundwater quantity Santa Cruz
<p>Every 5 years, Rosemont will conduct a review of alternative water sources. For example, should CAP water, gray water, or effluent become available for mine operations, Rosemont will consider its use.</p>		Under feasibility study, drop or include in an alternative.
<p>Should monitoring indicate a failure to comply with water quality standards set by permit, Rosemont shall comply with all surface and groundwater permit monitoring, reporting and contingency conditions.</p>		Water – groundwater quality

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Ground water quantity monitoring plan will be developed. It will be an evaluation of groundwater level data for comparison to groundwater model predictions. Model recalibration will be conducted if threshold values are reached. Annual reporting. This will occur on both groundwater systems affected by the proposal including Santa Cruz Valley and Davidson Canyon/Cienega Creek. A network of wells and piezometers will be used including existing wells and new wells.		
A Rosemont Mine water website will be constructed, updated annually and maintained by Rosemont with concurrence by the forest service. All water related data and reports will be accessible to the general public at this location. This includes all surface and ground water quality and quantity data. Executive summaries will be provided annually and written for the non technical person.		
Annually fund the USGS to operate and maintain existing surface water flow measurement gage at Barrel Canyon (09484580).		
Water conservation measures would be implemented to minimize the need for ground water pumping.		

**Land Use**

Covered under law, regulation, and policy		
The status and locations of corners and monuments shall be determined during the course of a dependent resurvey performed by the BLM to protect and perpetuate the original corner positions that control property boundaries between NFS and private lands as well as corners for current and future administrative or management purposes. The BLM dependent resurvey shall be completed prior to any ground-disturbing activities occurring on NFS lands. All survey costs shall be borne by the RCC.	43 USC 2 (BLM), 43 USC 722, 43 USC 1364*; Forest Service Manual 7152.03 3(a)(b); ARS 33-103 (D & E)  *may have been repealed	Forest Plan
A well-monumented control network set outside of the disturbance area using survey grade Global Positioning System (GPS) referenced to the property corner monuments or positions (mineral survey, section, and quarter corners) shall be established by the BLM during the dependent resurvey and completed prior to any ground-disturbing management activities occurring on NFS lands. Costs shall be borne by the RCC.	Title 18, USC Sec 1858 (62 Stat. 789)	Forest Plan
The approved field notes and plats for the dependent resurvey and control network are filed in the BLM public room and become official records in the public land system.	43 USC 2 (BLM)	Forest Plan
During reclamation of the Rosemont Copper operations, or as needed during operation, and to a standard satisfactory to the Forest Supervisor, re-establish, monument and re-monument all corners that control the property boundaries between NFS and private lands and other surveyed lines needed for administrative or management purposes and post the property line to Forest Service standard.  At minimum, the relocation or reestablishment of corner monuments and posting of the property line between the NFS and the private land shall comply with the following: applicable land surveying principles, procedures and standards as set forth in the appropriate GLO and BLM Manual of Surveying Instructions, publications, and circulars; current USDI BLM Standards and Guidelines for Cadastral Surveys using GPS Methods; current Arizona Boundary Survey Minimum Standards; appropriate local and state laws and regulations; and monument and posting specifications provided by the FS.	Title 18, USC Sec 1858 (62 Stat. 789); 43 USC 2 (BLM), 43 USC 722, 43 USC 1364*; Forest Service Manual 7152.03 3(a)(b); ARS 33-103 (D & E); Forest Service Manual 7152.3- Land Line Location Program Priorities; ARS 33-103(D); ARS 33-103(E)	Forest Plan

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<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>Facilitate future management associated with irregularly shaped mineral survey fractions that will more or less become an integral part of the adjoining private land and improve administration and management efficiency of NFS lands via the Small Tracts Act of January 12, 1983.</p> <p>Rosemont shall make a fair market offer for the mineral survey fractions as allowed by the Small Tracts Act (&gt;40 acres and price not to exceed \$150,000).</p>	<p>Forest Service Manual 5571.12; 36 CFR 254 Subpart C; Small Tracts Act of 1/12/1983 P.L. 97-465.</p>	<p>Forest Plan</p>
<p>Following completion of NEPA process, and as may be applicable at that time, Rosemont and the CNF shall work together to effect transfer of surface ownership and/or surface development rights of the fee land parcels within the waste rock and tailings area footprint that belong to Rosemont Ranch to the Coronado NF to ensure that final or interim reclamation of the waste rock and tailings pile would not be compromised by future non-mineral development or the need for public or private access to these property parcels following completion of approved Rosemont operations.</p>		<p>Forest Plan</p>
<b>Public Health and Safety</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<p>Rosemont will maintain a Site Safety and Health Plan and complete the required site-specific training during operations.</p>	<p>MSHA</p>	<p>Public Safety – Traffic, Haz. Mat., public exposure Air – GHG, PM2.5</p>
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>Rosemont shall prepare a Production and Operation Blasting Plan as part of the Final MPO. The Blasting Plan shall include acknowledgement that approval of the Rosemont Final MPO includes a condition that Rosemont and any successors in interest or ownership of the Mine shall be required to repair or otherwise pay for all damages to area residential, historical, or other structures due to blasting at the Mine. A blast monitoring program shall be included in the blasting plan with monitoring points located between the areas to be blasted, and sensitive receptor sites. Results of blast monitoring shall be available on request to agencies and local residents.</p>		<p>Public Safety – public health risk Heritage – vibration Plants and Animals – noise Socioeconomic – noise, vibration Recreation - solitude</p>
<p>Coronado to hire, at RCC expense, an outside company to conduct spot check noise monitoring.</p>		<p>See 163</p>
<p>RCC shall work with local emergency service providers to maintain or increase appropriate level of service.</p>		<p>Public Safety – public health risk</p>
<b>Range/Grazing</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>At least one sustainable surface water source shall be identified in the plan for each of the permanent pastures within the Rosemont Ranch.</p>		<p>Water – beneficial uses</p>

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<b>Reclamation</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<p>Annually, Rosemont Copper Company shall submit a summary of reclamation activities and monitoring to the Coronado NF and other appropriate agencies. This report would include the use of maps and photos to allow accurate accounting of disturbed and reclaimed acreage, plans that project the following year's disturbance and reclamation work, details on vegetation removal, treatment, soil salvage, storage, and revegetation, and annual reclamation requirements. Rosemont Copper Company and the Coronado NF would meet to review the MPO and annual report, and the Forest Service administrator would conduct an annual inspection of site reclamation. Modify or supplement the MPO as necessary to address reclamation issues.</p>		<p>Monitoring?  Land Stability and Soil Productivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability</li> <li>• Stability risk</li> <li>• Lost soil productivity – acres</li> <li>• Reveg potential</li> <li>• Sediment delivery to Davidson, Cienega, other</li> </ul> <p>Air – PM 2.5, PM 10  Water – surface water beneficial uses  Plants and Animals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in veg communities</li> <li>• Acres reclaimed</li> <li>• Migration corridors</li> <li>• Invasive species</li> </ul> <p>Visual Quality – degree of change  Recreation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acres unavailable</li> <li>• Hunting opportunities</li> </ul> <p>Heritage – spiritual/emotional impact  Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p>
Require that reclamation performance guarantees be provided upfront.	FSM 2800, 6500, 36CFR 228A, ARS 27-901-997, AAC R11-2-201	See 4.13.1
Upon finalizing a reclamation plan for the operations, the costs of implementing the plan must be established as per FS funding requirements and other applicable agencies.	FSM 2800, 6500, 36CFR 228A, ARS 27-901-997, AAC R11-2-201	Socioeconomic – social costs
The Final Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall include a mutually acceptable method for phasing in reclamation performance guarantees and requirements over the life of the approved project. The Final Reclamation Plan shall also include a mutually acceptable method for phased adjustment of reclamation performance guarantees and requirements over the life of the approved project.	FSM 2800, 6500, 36CFR 228A, ARS 27-901-997, AAC R11-2-201	Socioeconomic – social costs
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
Design slopes on waste rock and tailings piles that are flat enough to support successful revegetation where applicable		Is 3:1 acceptable?
<p>The Rosemont Reclamation Plan to include adaptive management practices for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Selection of plants and planting methods for trees and shrubs</li> <li>• Selection of native plant species as well as important existing grasses during reclamation.</li> <li>• Species of trees and shrubs to be considered include those important to traditional native American cultural uses in the area.</li> <li>• Traditional and heritage livestock and wildlife uses of local plant species shall be considered in selection of plant species to be used in site revegetation.</li> <li>• Plant species selection will, as necessary, balance heritage use species with natural environment and stabilization criteria.</li> </ul>		See 4.13.1

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<p>Rosemont Reclamation Plan to include specific provisions to prepare seedbed, reseed any project-related disturbances along Pima County ROW or roadway.</p>		<p>Land Stability and Soil Productivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability</li> <li>• Stability risk</li> <li>• Lost soil productivity – acres</li> <li>• Reveg potential</li> <li>• Sediment delivery to Davidson, Cienega, other</li> </ul>
<p>Rosemont shall contour and blend edges of topographic disturbances with adjacent undisturbed land to avoid sharp topographic breaks wherever practicable</p>		<p>Visual Quality – change in landscape character</p>
<p>The updated Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall include provisions to treat major erosion and slope failures on reclaimed areas promptly and as they occur. The Reclamation Plan shall acknowledge that erosion prevention is preferable to remedial action, and include provisions to this effect. RCC shall provide details in the Reclamation Plan that defines what erosion conditions would require action and how problems shall be addressed.</p>		<p>Land Stability and Soil Productivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability</li> <li>• Stability risk</li> <li>• Lost soil productivity – acres</li> <li>• Reveg potential</li> <li>• Sediment delivery to Davidson, Cienega, other</li> </ul> <p>Air – PM 2.5, PM 10</p> <p>Water – surface water beneficial uses</p>
<p>Identify reference sites in the Rosemont mine vicinity to determine native species occurrence, density, and cover to develop a long-term reclamation plan. Consider aspect, elevation, and location (ridge vs. canyon bottom). Based on reference site data, provide appropriate native seed mixes and plant lists for Coronado NF approval prior to any site revegetation. Select species capable of being self-sustaining on the selected site and include species with the ability to provide erosion control and stability. Establish vegetation re-establishment criteria for reclaimed areas and ensure that all areas meet criteria prior to bond release.</p>		<p>Plants and Animals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in veg communities</li> <li>• Acres reclaimed</li> <li>• Migration corridors</li> <li>• Invasive species</li> </ul>
<p>Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall include provisions for field surveys as needed to record species composition, seed mixes used, canopy cover of seeded/planted and “volunteer species” in selected representative areas as reclamation proceeds. RCC shall monitor revegetation annually for the life of the mine operations until successful revegetation is confirmed by the Coronado NF.</p>		<p>Monitoring?</p>

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<p>The Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall include specifications and goals for the salvage, storage, and reuse of growth media (topsoil) from disturbed areas to provide sufficient cover on all disturbed areas to be reclaimed. Unless otherwise specified, Rosemont shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• provide for a minimum of 1 foot of growth media cover over <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• final waste rock slopes,</li> <li>• waste rock surfaces,</li> <li>• waste rock benches,</li> <li>• completed tailings buttress,</li> <li>• water diversion fill slopes,</li> <li>• plant site fill slopes,</li> <li>• construction laydown areas,</li> <li>• facility plant-site following final removal of equipment.</li> <li>• Temporary roads</li> </ul> </li> <li>• The areas to be revegetated shall be contoured, graded, prepared, and seeded in accordance with the specifications in the approved Reclamation Plans.</li> </ul> <p>The Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall provide for conservation of growth media on site. The details for storage of growth media shall require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Placement of growth media stockpiles in locations that are stable, isolated from surface water, gently sloping, and well drained.</li> <li>• Growth media stockpiles shall be convex in shape and have no steeper than three to one slopes.</li> <li>• Stockpiles shall be revegetated with native species no later than the first growth season following construction to minimize erosion.</li> <li>• No persistent non-native species shall be used in reclamation except as allowed in the approved Reclamation Plan, where some locally important non-native species may already be established.</li> <li>• Install sediment control structures or other Best Management Practices (BMPs) as needed to protect growth media from loss.</li> <li>• Use growth media stockpiles quickly during concurrent reclamation to minimize the length of storage time.</li> </ul>		<p>Land Stability and Soil Productivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability</li> <li>• Stability risk</li> <li>• Lost soil productivity – acres</li> <li>• Reveg potential</li> </ul> <p>Visual Quality – change in landscape character</p> <p>Plants and Animals - Invasive species</p> <p>Water – surface water beneficial uses</p>
<p>The Forest Service may authorize a phased bond adjustment as needed according to reclamation plan stipulations.</p> <p>The Final Reclamation Plan shall include well-defined criteria for determining successful completion for each stage and type of reclamation activity and a reasonable amount of holdback for phased bond release to provide assurance of reclamation success. These criteria to be as developed or approved by the Forest Service.</p>	<p>FSM 2800, 6500, 36CFR 228A, ARS 27-901-997, AAC R11-2-201</p>	<p>Socioeconomic – social costs</p>
<p><b>Recreation</b></p>		
<p><b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b></p>		
<p><b>Supplemental Mitigation</b></p>		
<p>Rosemont shall consider providing public access across Rosemont lands within or adjacent to public lands.</p>	<p>None</p>	<p>Duplicative of 4.15.5? Recreation - access</p>
<p>Provide alternative lands and facilities to compensate for displaced recreation. This may include obtaining off-forest lands for Public recreational use, development of new roads and other facilities elsewhere on the Coronado NF (such as OHV routes and facilities on the east side of Hwy 83), or a combination.</p>	<p>FSM 2330.2, FSM 2310.2, FSM 2311, LMP Goals p 9 Rec 1</p>	<p>Recreation – acres available</p>

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Relocate or restore access to Arizona Trail and OHV trailheads impacted by the mine. This could include parking, OHV loading ramps, and other appropriate facilities.		Recreation - acres available, length and # trails Apply to one alternative and display the differences
<p>A Rosemont Recreation Improvement Management Plan (RRIMP) shall be prepared as part of the Final MPO.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The RRIMP shall include provisions for the Los Colinas Segment of the Arizona Trail.</li> <li>The RRIMP shall provide for a sustainable water station for use by pack stock and horses along the Los Colinas segment of the Arizona Trail.</li> <li>Relocate portions of the Arizona Trail as needed to provide a trail for users throughout the mine life and post-mine.</li> </ul>	FSM 2350.2, FSM 2350.3, FSM 2353.02, FSM 2353.03, FSM 2353.04g, FSM 2353.04i, FSM 2353.11, FSM 2353.25, FSM 2354.43c, National Trails System Act (16 USC 1241)	Recreation - acres available, length and # trails Water – beneficial uses
<p>The RRIMP shall include and schedule details for installation and maintenance of interpretive signs along the Arizona Trail and at the viewpoint on State Route (SR) 83 where mining activity is visible.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sign topics, text, graphics, design, materials locations, and installation requirements shall be reviewed and approved by the Coronado NF.</li> <li>Installation of signs on SR 83 shall be coordinated with Arizona Department of Transportation.</li> <li>During the time period of mine operations under the MPO, maintenance of signs shall be funded by Rosemont Copper Company.</li> </ul>	FSM 2353.32 FSM 2333.58	Recreation - offset rec losses Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations, tourism revenue changes Visual – scenic byway
<p>RCC shall provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A perimeter road reconstructed per FS specifications on the west side of waste rock and tailings pile (east of the pit) that provides both north-south post-mine legal public access through the site and access for RCC closure monitoring.</li> <li>A perimeter road on the east side of the waste rock and tailings pile that provides only administrative access for RCC closure monitoring and is not open to the public (in order to protect the non-motorized setting for the Arizona Trail).</li> </ul>	FSM 2350.2, FSM 2350.3, FSM 2353.02, FSM 2353.03, FSM 2353.04g, FSM 2353.04i, FSM 2353.11, FSM 2353.25	Recreation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Area available</li> <li>Hunting opportunities</li> <li>Trails available</li> <li>Offset recreation losses</li> </ul>
<p>Create a multi-use trailhead facility that would:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Relocate the Rosemont OHV trailhead to a location that better serves OHV users, Arizona Trail users, and Highway 83 travelers.</li> <li>Include parking, a restroom OHV loading ramps, and other appropriate facilities.</li> </ul>		Recreation - # trails/THs, ROS
<p>When consistent with CNF travel management goals, mine roads that are no longer needed for mine operations or access shall be naturalized by restoring natural contours, placing growth media, and revegetating with native plants.</p>		Air, Rec, Visual, Heritage, Plants and Animals, Water, Dark Skies, Socioeconomic
<b>Riparian</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
Rosemont will comply with mitigation specifications identified in the individual permit of the Section 404 CWA.	CWA 404 permit conditions	Riparian – habitat disturbed Plants and Animals – habitat disturbed Water – beneficial uses
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
The Final Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall identify specific areas to be developed for the post mining land use of "Riparian Habitat and Surface Water Drainage." Specify density and sizes of native riparian species to plant along artificial diversions commensurate with the types of vegetation that would naturally occur with that type of flow regime. Specify reclamation goals and methods for that post mining conditions.		Riparian – habitat lost/disturbed

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<b>Transportation</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
Rosemont shall cooperate with ADOT to address SR 83 improvement issues related to mine traffic.	P.L. 109-59; AASHTO "Geometric Design of Highways and Streets", current edition.	Public Safety – traffic, public risk
<p>Rosemont shall develop a comprehensive Rosemont Copper Project Transportation Plan consistent with applicable law and USFS regulations and, to the extent possible, policy for all project-related roads on USFS land:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintenance standards</li> <li>• Levels of appropriate use,</li> <li>• Methods to maintain the roadways sufficiently to prevent washboard, rutting and drainage problems</li> <li>• Commitment to replace surfacing lost to drainage</li> <li>• Commitment to repair roads damaged by use</li> <li>• Install and maintain wildlife-crossing structures (e.g. Corrugated Metal Pipes) under primary access road at locations of known wildlife concentration.</li> </ul>		<p>Air – Visual, Dark Skies  Soils – sediment  Recreation - access  Public Safety  Water – quality  Socioeconomic – costs  Plants and Animals – traffic conflicts</p>
<p>Wherever practicable and subject to public and employee safety concerns, the RCC shall provide for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public access to RCC private lands not affected by mine-related operations via Arizona Game and Fish Cooperative Land Owner Program (CLOP)</li> <li>• Costs for providing and maintaining public access provisions and/or easements to be the responsibility of Rosemont during the period of mine operations under the approved Final MPO.</li> <li>• Provide a multiplate (or equivalent) underpass to accommodate bicyclists, livestock, wildlife, hikers, and pack stock under the Primary Rosemont Access Road where the Arizona Trail crosses the access road. It is understood that equestrians and bicyclists may be required to dismount for passage.</li> </ul>		<p>Recreation – access, hunting opps  Socioeconomic – costs  Animals – movement corridors</p>
RCC shall cooperate with CNF travel management goals where feasible on roads under USFS control/jurisdiction within the project area. Travel management details are subject to yearly modification by the USFS.	36 CFR 212 (Travel Management Rule).	Forest Plan
RCC shall dedicate a perpetual public road easement across RCC private lands for the primary and secondary access roads (Gunsight, Lopez, or other) or equivalent feasible routing, to ensure post-mine legal access to USFS lands.		Recreation - access
<p>Rosemont shall include in the Rosemont Copper Project Transportation Plan details that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify carpooling opportunities for employees</li> <li>• Establish shifts that reduce peak-hour traffic</li> <li>• Distribute peak travel operations during the morning and evening commute periods to minimize congestion</li> <li>• Manage trucking to minimize loss of level of service to SR83 and minimize overlap with school traffic to the extent possible</li> </ul>		<p>Air – GHG in tons  Public Safety - traffic</p>

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<b>Visual Quality</b>		
<b>Covered under law, regulation, and policy</b>		
<b>Supplemental Mitigation</b>		
<p>RCC shall revegetate tailings and waste rock piles to return to near natural conditions as described in the Reclamation Plan to minimize the spread of noxious weeds. Revegetation will include the use of species and plant distributions from the surrounding landscape.</p>	<p>Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, &amp; 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP Goals p 9 R LMP S&amp;G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3ec 7, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed Recreation Intensity and Visual Resource Management, LMP p 67 Dispersed Recreation 3 and Visual Resource Management</p>	<p>Visual Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VQO acres</li> <li>• Degree of change in landscape character</li> <li>• Scenic byway %</li> </ul> <p>Plants and Animals – noxious weeds</p>
<p>Apply adaptive management procedures to determine the applicability of treatments to exposed rock faces (tailings and waste rock piles, road cuts, etc.) when exposed rock is lighter than adjacent weathered rock. Areas would be limited to those that are visible at time of closure. If possible, plant vegetation on broken ledges on visible parts of pit wall.</p>	<p>Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, &amp; 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP S&amp;G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed Recreation Intensity and Visual Resource Management, LMP p 67 Dispersed Recreation 3 and Visual Resource Management.</p>	<p>Visual Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VQO acres</li> <li>• Degree of change in landscape character</li> <li>• Scenic byway %</li> </ul>
<p>Replant with a seed mix that includes grasses, forbs, shrubs, and tree species, and plant larger plants (seedlings, transplants, and container plants) in key areas such as highly visible slopes, and where needed for stability. Container plants will generally be no larger than 5 gallon size.</p> <p>Provide irrigation to plants in specific areas for the first dry season as needed for successful revegetation. This applies to larger plants (seedlings, transplants, and container plants), not seeding. Irrigation may be via drip irrigation, Dry Water, or other.</p>	<p>Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, &amp; 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP Goals p 9 R LMP S&amp;G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3ec 7, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed Recreation Intensity and Visual Resource Management, LMP p 67 Dispersed Recreation 3 and Visual Resource Management</p>	<p>Visual Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VQO acres</li> <li>• Degree of change in landscape character</li> <li>• Scenic byway %</li> </ul>

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<p>Paint or stain buildings or use of other materials for major facilities non-reflective flat sheen earth tones (except facilities where this is prohibited by MSHA or other specific requirements, i.e. water tanks) approved by the CNF.</p>	<p>Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, &amp; 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP S&amp;G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed Recreation Intensity and Visual Resource Management, LMP p 67 Dispersed Recreation 3 and Visual Resource Management. As admissible per MSHA requirements</p>	<p>Visual Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VQO acres</li> <li>• Degree of change in landscape character</li> <li>• Scenic byway %</li> </ul>
<p>At the end of mine operations, remove all unneeded ore processing, ancillary facilities (including foundations), and utility lines, and naturalize these sites by restoring natural contours, placing growth media on the areas, and revegetating with native grasses, trees, and shrubs.</p>	<p>Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, &amp; 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP Goals p 9 Rec 7, LMP S&amp;G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed</p>	<p>Visual Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VQO acres</li> <li>• Degree of change in landscape character</li> <li>• Scenic byway %</li> </ul> <p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p>
<b>Off-site Mitigation Land</b>		
<p>Develop and provide for implementation of a Rosemont Mitigation Land Plan to show details of efforts to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mitigate for impacts to public lands including water resources, riparian lands, wildlife habitat, heritage resources, and recreational access, in cooperation with the CNF, BLM, and ACOE with input from other agencies as appropriate.</li> <li>• Include specific parcels, areas, or types of lands for non-development agreements, conservation easements, acquisition or exclusion of public access, and Cooperative Land Owner Programs.</li> <li>• Include specific criteria from agencies with applicable regulations to identify lands that may be suitable for direct or cooperative acquisition efforts where high-value lands may be available for purchase.</li> </ul>		<p>Seeps, Springs, and Riparian – acres, numbers</p> <p>Plants and Animals – habitat acres, migration corridors</p> <p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p> <p>Water – Quantity, surface water</p> <p>Recreation – access</p> <p>Heritage</p>
<p>Mitigate for loss of waters of the U.S. in accordance with the April 10, 2008 Final Rule for Compensatory Mitigation for Losses of Aquatic Resources (73 FR 19594), including, potentially, the purchase and set-aside of offsite mitigation areas, payment in-lieu to an established restoration program, and/or permittee-responsible onsite mitigation. As examples, the ACOE may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work with Department of Game and Fish, US Fish and Wildlife Service, US Army Corps of Engineers, US Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, and cooperating agencies as appropriate, to evaluate the potential for inclusion of purchase or assignment of surface water rights for Cienega Creek</li> <li>• Work with private interests and/or other interested parties in the Rosemont Mitigation Program as described elsewhere in this mitigation summary table.</li> <li>• Work with regional Land Trusts, The Nature Conservancy, The Audubon Society, and other non-profits and Non-Governmental Organizations as may be interested in land set-asides, water conservation, habitat restoration, and habitat protection.</li> </ul>		<p>Seeps, Springs, and Riparian – acres, numbers</p> <p>Plants and Animals – habitat acres, migration corridors</p> <p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p> <p>Water – Quantity, surface water</p> <p>Recreation – access</p>
<p>Land administration controls (fee, lease, etc) and land mitigation commitments shall be recorded and/or enforceable as specified in the land mitigation plan.</p>		<p>Socioeconomic – rural landscape expectations</p>

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Mitigate for loss of hunting on Unit 34A		Recreation - hunting
Rosemont shall agree to work with the FS regarding administrative control on the Rosemont Ranch parcels under the facility footprint.		Forest Plan
<b>Other</b>		
<p>A community endowment trust is structured to be accessible to heritage and traditional uses and users in the area. Grants to be made from the annual funds available from the trust can be utilized to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• provide educational and economic opportunities for public and tribal members</li> <li>• Sponsor education or training for tribal students</li> <li>• place interns in fields like wildlife biology, hydrology, cultural resource management, impact analysis and mitigation, business, mining technology, and other natural resource-related fields)</li> <li>• Develop cultural programs related to the heritage resources in the Santa Rita Mountain area.</li> <li>• Develop classroom curricula or study units related to Native American history, in collaboration with the tribes whose traditional territories include the mine and Arizona school districts</li> <li>• Develop displays and educational materials related to heritage resources in the Santa Rita Mountain area.</li> <li>• Consideration of heritage resources- visual, wildlife, range management, livestock, etc., for the post-mining land use.</li> </ul>	FS American Indian Relations Policy	<p>Heritage – qualitative-spiritual, emotional  Socioeconomic – environmental justice</p> <p>Consideration of heritage resources- visual, wildlife, range management, livestock, etc., for the post-mining land use.</p>
Upon discovery of significant paleontological resources, Rosemont will suspend work at that site and contact the designated Forest Service contact to investigate the discovery before work is re-initiated. The designated FS contact will promptly coordinate the investigation with appropriate FS specialists.		Geology and Minerals
<b>Monitoring Required by Mitigation Measures Compilation</b>		
Monitor and report on air quality monitoring		Air
Develop and update the Dust Control Plan as required in the air quality permit or as needed, to modify or supplement air quality mitigation measures to address compliance during construction, operation, or closure		Air Dark Skies
<p>Rosemont shall develop a Noxious Weed and Invasive Species Management Plan that includes periodic monitoring and eradication of designated noxious plants on Forest Lands.</p> <p>The Noxious Weed and Invasive Species Management Plan shall be reviewed periodically and adjusted as needed to apply to all project-related land disturbances on Forest Lands.</p>		Plants – noxious weeds
Provide funding to Forest Service for a biological monitor. This person will be a journey-level biologist, partially funded by the proponent, to oversee various aspects of compliance with mitigation measures, terms and conditions of the Biological Opinion, monitor and report take, survey for invasive species, etc.		Plants and Animals
Provide endowment for managing invasive species.		Plants – noxious weeds
Monitor the nearby Lesser Long-nosed Bat roosts before, during, and after the mine project using accurate exit counts (e.g., infrared video counts).		Animals

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As required by ADEQ under Aquifer Protection Permit rules and individual facility permit, Rosemont has accepted the design criteria and permit limits as needed to protect groundwater resources. A thorough engineering evaluation was completed for facilities to determine the appropriate Best Available Demonstrated Control Technology (BADCT) required for design. Rosemont will develop a Groundwater Monitoring and Reporting Plan as per the terms of the APP permit.		Will be combined with #127 Water – east-side quality Heritage – sites, burials, collection areas
As needed for each of the alternatives under comparative analysis and design review, Rosemont shall provide for appropriate capacity of process water and tailings storage to protect against flooding or overtopping.  The long-term nature of mine facilities such as diversion channels requires projects to implement prudent design criteria and methods. Rosemont shall utilize design criteria that meets or exceeds safety factors.  Where long term nature of mine facilities remains, specific Dam Safety Permit limits require Rosemont to install permanent water control structures that may exist beyond the life of the mine. Specific permit conditions provide for periodic monitoring and maintenance of spillways, diversions, and other permanent facilities.	ADEQ APP, MSHA, AZ State Dam Safety Permits	Combined with #115 and #119 *** RCC to provide examples Water – east-side quality
Monitor groundwater levels and make adjustments to mine management based on results. Monitor groundwater levels and minimize impacts to water levels and quality during reclamation.		Water – groundwater quality
Should monitoring indicate a failure to comply with water quality standards set by permit, Rosemont shall comply with all surface and groundwater permit monitoring, reporting and contingency conditions.		Water – groundwater quality
Rosemont shall prepare a Production and Operation Blasting Plan as part of the Final MPO. The Blasting Plan shall include acknowledgement that approval of the Rosemont Final MPO includes a condition that Rosemont and any successors in interest or ownership of the Mine shall be required to repair or otherwise pay for all damages to area residential, historical, or other structures due to blasting at the Mine. A blast monitoring program shall be included in the blasting plan with monitoring points located between the areas to be blasted, and sensitive receptor sites. Results of blast monitoring shall be available on request to agencies and local residents.		Pending effects determination Noise and Vibration Public Safety
Rosemont Reclamation Plan shall include provisions for field surveys as needed to record species composition, seed mixes used, canopy cover of seeded/planted and “volunteer species” in selected representative areas as reclamation proceeds. If seeded/planted species have failed to establish following the first two years, the plan shall provide for supplemental seeding and/or replanting.		Integrated into #178 Numerous resources/issues addressed
Provide funding to the FS for a landscape architect to monitor landforming, revegetation, and other visual quality mitigation throughout the project, and modify or supplement visual quality mitigation measures to address concerns.	Title 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart A, Title 36 CFR 228 Subpart A, FSM 2380.13, FSM 2380.3 (4), FSM 2380.31, FSM 2380.43, FSM 2382 (3), FSM 2382.4 (1, 3, & 8), FSH Landscape Management (p 28-41), FSH 701 Scenery Management, LMP S&G p28 visual resource mgmt 1-3, LMP p 62 Management Emphasis and Dispersed Recreation Intensity and Visual Resource Management, LMP p 67 Dispersed Recreation 3 and Visual Resource Management.	Visual Quality Socioeconomic
Coronado to hire, at RCC expense, an outside company to conduct spot check noise monitoring.		Noise Public Safety Socioeconomic – quality of life

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Rosemont will provide funding to the FS for USGS streamflow gage monitoring station at Barrell Canyon.		
Monitor water quality and collect/dispose of pollutants in the runoff from waste rock and tailings piles.		Duplicative of #124/#128 Water – east-side quality



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As promised, the Scholefield footprint link, in case you haven't seen it yet.

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Bev asked that I post these. The link will take you to the Scholefield McCleary footprint and the Barrel Only is also posted in that same folder. We just got these last night, so this is the latest and greatest.

Thanks!

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Subject Barrel-Only Landform

FYI. Also, we will be discussing this briefly in the IDT meeting tomorrow. I will send the link to the Scholefield footprint that we will also be discussing, briefly.

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All,

Attached is the latest landform topography developed by Rosemont for the Barrel -Only landform alternative. This landform has been developed through the joint efforts of the CNF, SWCA, Rosemont, and TetraTech and incorporates the following elements:

- Extension of the Upper Barrel drainage within the landform
- Multiple ridge landforms with differing elevations
- Potential for variable slopes on eastern flanks of the landform
- Potential for reduction in number of drainage control benches on eastern flank of landform
- Improved stormwater discharge control utilizing the extension of the Upper Barrel drainage
- Maintain overall 3:1 slopes with drainage benches on west side of landform to provide required storage capacity and maintain tailings placement operations
- Maintain waste rock perimeter buttress surrounding tailings
- Maintain encapsulation of the heap leach facility

The team has done an excellent job in the collaborative effort to develop this landform concept . I believe we have reached a point in the process where the landform concept should be turned over to Rosemont for final engineering development as the Barrel-Only Alternative for consideration in the DEIS. I recommend that, in addition to the general design objectives listed above, Rosemont develop the following during the final engineering:

- Confirm constructability of the landform
- Summarize the concurrent & final reclamation plan
- General layout of rock sub-drains & flow-through drains
- General stormwater control plan, including commitment to the design criteria currently in the Site Water Management Plan Update

In addition, I propose that we not meet on June 30<sup>th</sup> as currently scheduled but the team review the attached landform and provide any additional design objectives for Rosemont to include in the final engineering . Please get back to me ASAP with comments and any design objectives you believe should be included in the final design .

If you have any questions please email me or try the Utah phone listed below .

Regards,

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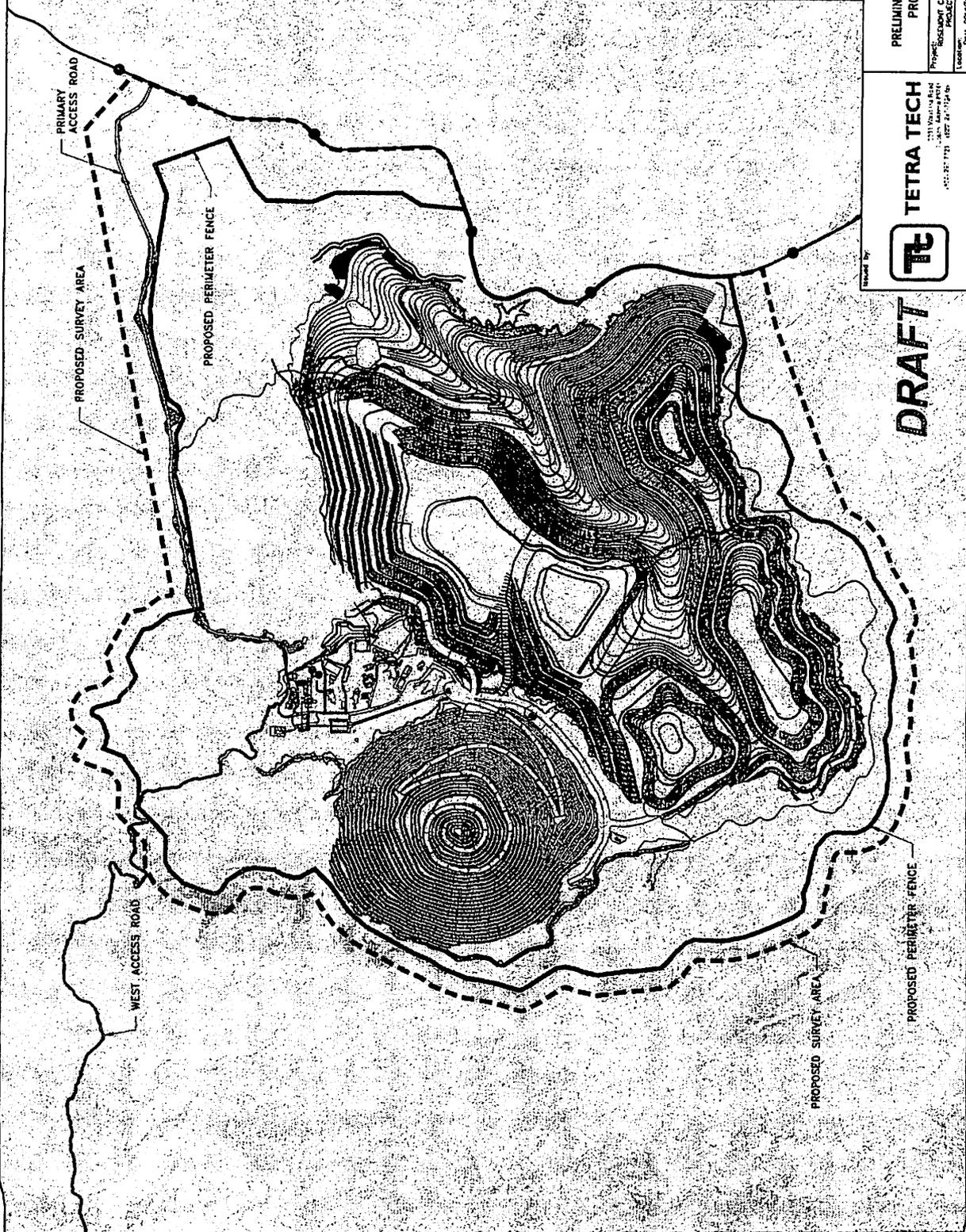


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- PROPOSED SURVEY AREA
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See Debby's message below, for the location of the document. If you have emailed your suggestions to me, please make sure that you put them in this document as well.

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Okay, more on the SOW suggestions document. I have received quite a bit of input via email, and to make sure that all suggestions are captured, and accurately, I would still like for everyone to record their ideas in a single document. Because several people are having trouble with the WebEx link (and I can't access the internet this morning to try to figure out what's going on in WebEx), you will soon be getting info on where to find the document on the J Drive. Stay tuned.

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Hi Everyone,

The next IDT meeting will be at the fire center, and will be a full day meeting to start fleshing out alternatives. This is a core team meeting, but extended team members are encouraged to come if you can. You will be getting an agenda for the meeting soon.

Thanks.

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Hi Everyone,

Please see the enclosed revised Rosemont DEIS Chapter 3 outline. I would appreciate getting any comments that you have on the revision within the next few days, and no later than COB on April 7.

As some of you heard in an IDT meeting a few weeks ago, there will likely be team assignments for the lead in the physical, biological and social environment sections of the analyses for this chapter. We will talk about this some more in the upcoming IDT meetings on April 7 (core team) and April 14 (extended team). Please plan on a full day for each of these meetings, from 9:00 to 4:30, in 6V6 and 4B respectively.

Thanks,

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Rochelle,

We have made a few revisions to your Chapter 3 outline and completed some of the sections that were left off. More specifically, we reorganized some of the sections so that analysis in preceding sections supports conclusions (e.g., HazMat, Fuels and Fire, and Transportation come before Human Health and Safety). We also retained some sections like EJ and Transportation at an equal heading level with other Issues. Please take a look at the attached

and let me know if it is acceptable to you.

Finally, the outline is numbered only to track the heading levels at this time . They will be removed prior to sending the document to the Region for review.

Tom

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Attached is the revised Outline for Chapter 3 Chapter 3 Outline.docx

## **CHAPTER 3**

### **3.1 INTRODUCTION**

#### **3.1.1 How chapter is organized**

#### **3.1.2 Relevant information about Mining that will Inform all sections (referenced to avoid redundancy sections)**

#### **3.1.3 The Santa Rita Mountains, general geography, climate, topography, main place names and communities, land uses, overall management direction**

#### **3.1.4 Basis for Cumulative Effects – Foreseeable Future Activities**

### **3.2 THE PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT**

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Subject Re: Naming convension for project record documents [Link](#)

In our IDT meeting this afternoon, we agreed to submit comments on the DEIS to Mindee and to me via Correspondence Data Base. General input on the DEIS vs. comments specific to resource areas should be put in separate memos. Please put Mindee as the first reviewer on general DIES comments and me second, and the reverse order for comments on resource areas. Mindee and I will consolidate comments and forward them to SWCA.

Please let me or Mindee know if you need help in using CDB.

Mindee, do you have anything to add?

Thanks for everyone's participation in the meeting today.

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Per Melissa at SWCA, here is some direction on sending documents and cover sheets for the project record:

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Subject Rosemont 138kV Transmission Line Project Stakeholder  
Group Field Trip - are there any Rosemont IDT members  
that want to join the field trip? 

If so, please let Kent Ellett know.

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Subject RE: Rosemont 138kV Transmission Line Project - Open Dates for Optional Stakeholder  
t Group Field Trip

Hi Kent,

Sorry for the delay in my response. The field trip will be Monday January 25. Kathy will be providing a 20 person van and we anticipate room for about 4 or 5 additional people if there are a few folks from the forest service IDT would like to attend. Another possibility is for people to follow in their own vehicles.

I will be sending out an email confirming the date and plan in a few minutes as well.

**Emily Belts**  
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Emily,  
See Beverley's questions below. How many people become too many?

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Kent,

Can I mention this to the IDT and invite them, or will that make the group too large and unwieldy?

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Hello all,

Happy New Year!

We are looking for open dates in January for the field trip discussed at the last meeting (December 10, 2009). Please provide us with good/bad dates for you this month starting next week.

Please respond by the end of this week so we can begin making the arrangements .

Thanks.

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Subject Re: Naming convension for project record documents

In our IDT meeting this afternoon, we agreed to submit comments on the DEIS to Mindee and to me via Correspondence Data Base. General input on the DEIS vs. comments specific to resource areas should be put in separate memos. Please put Mindee as the first reviewer on general DIES comments and me second, and the reverse order for comments on resource areas. Mindee and I will consolidate comments and forward them to SWCA.

Please let me or Mindee know if you need help in using CDB.

Mindee, do you have anything to add?

Thanks for everyone's participation in the meeting today.

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Per Melissa at SWCA, here is some direction on sending documents and cover sheets for the project record:

Please format electronic file names as: "yyyymmdd\_description" and the cover page as a duplicate of the file name with "\_CVR".

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Subject information on permitting for mining on private land

Please see the list below, from Tonto NF Geologist Karyn Harbour. Karyn has "tons" of experience with copper operations, and this looks like some great information to keep on hand .

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Subject More info

Gary, per our phone discussion today here's some additional information you requested ( this list does not include hazardous material and solid waste disposal permit requirements) - - Good Luck !



PossibleAZpermits.doc

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Possible permits/approvals/etc. relative to  
Mining Operations conducted on Private Lands in Arizona:

Arizona State Mine Inspectors Office:  
Mined Land Reclamation Plan

Requires a reclamation plan, associated costs and financial assurance to be submitted and approved for all metalliferous mining units and exploration operations with surface disturbances on private lands greater than five acres. Amount of financial assurance is based on actual estimated costs of reclamation. Exemptions: smelting, refining, fabricating, or other metal processing facilities and material associated with those facilities.

ADEQ:

Aquifer Protection Permit

Regulates new and existing facilities that dispose pollutants to the land surface, underlying soil, or groundwater, in order to prevent groundwater contamination.

Clean Water Act Section 401 State Water Quality Certification

Certification issued to ensure that activities do not violate state water quality standards when a facility or activity may result in a discharge to waters of the state.

Air Quality Permit

Clean Water Act Section 402 permit

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) for storm water discharges from industrial activities.

ADWR

Surface Water Rights – for appropriations of surface water

Withdrawal and Use of Groundwater - Withdrawal permit

Well Registrations

Dam Permits – Construction, Enlargement, Repair, Alteration or Removal of Dams

AZ Dept of Agriculture:

Notice of Intent to Clear

Notice of intended destruction of protected native plants.

Pinal County:

Air Quality Permit

Building permits

Sewer system approval

COE:

Clean Water Act Section 404 Permit -

Purpose is to maintain and restore the chemical, physical, and biological integrity of nation's waters. Activities that result in discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the US, including wetlands must obtain a 404 permit.

(includes coordination with AZ Game and Fish Dept and USFWS)

Cultural:

Unless Congress specifically excludes this exchange from compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), those issues and effects *should* be resolved by the time the actual exchange takes place; no further obligations under any Federal law would be required after the transfer once compliance has been achieved and the Forest has granted archaeological clearance. As private land in Arizona, the only further cultural resource obligation would be under the AZ state burial law - which, if we are able to fully resolve the cultural issues under NHPA prior to the transfer, would become moot.

ESA:

Compliance is "encouraged" under ESA Section 10.



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Subject NEW DIRECTION ROSEMONT LAWSUIT: FOIA Search

Folks,

Thanks to all of you for diligently continuing to search for records responsive to the FoIA request that is one component of the subject lawsuit.

Reta and I participated in a conference call this morning with OGC, Region and the WO.

We rec'd new direction from the attorneys regarding your searches.

Please carefully review the following direction and continue your search as requested:

1. EXTEND THE TIMEFRAME OF YOUR RECORDS SEARCH THRU FEBRUARY 22, 2011.

THIS DIRECTION APPLIES TO ITEMS 1 THROUGH 5.

Previous direction was that your search should be limited to January 2008 to August 2010.

That has been changed by OGC to Feb. 22.

2. FOR RECORDS THAT REFERENCE AN ATTACHMENT, YOU DO NOT NEED TO PRINT A COPY OF THE ATTACHMENT.

Instead, note on the record in pencil where the document/report is filed for future retrieval, if necessary.

3. REGARDING ITEM 5 OF THE FOIA REQUEST, your direction yesterday was that the extent of your search should be limited to notes, minutes, etc. of meetings with Rosemont and Augusta only. The net we are using was super-sized by OGC to also include meetings with REPRESENTATIVES of Rosemont and Augusta (same as item 3 of the FOIA request).

THEREFORE, YOU MUST PROVIDE NOTES/MINUTES/ETC. FROM MTGS WITH ROSEMONT AND AUGUSTA CONTRACTORS AND SUBS, FOR EXAMPLE SWCA, WESTLAND ETC.

4. We were directed to provide ALL records to OGC , WO, RO on March 7.  
IN ORDER TO MEET THE DEADLINE, ALL RECORDS MUST BE PROVIDED TO  
MARC BY C.O.B. ON MARCH 2 (WEDNESDAY).

5. IF RECORDS ARE IN ELECTRONIC FORMAT, YOU MAY SEND THEM  
DIRECTLY TO MARC AND NOT PRINT THEM.  
IF ALL YOU HAVE IS A PRINTED COPY, PROVIDE THAT TO MARC AND HE  
WILL CONVERT IT TO PDF FORMAT.

Thanks again.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Reta.

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Subject Fw: Give priority to Rosemont Schedule over fire  
assignments

Hi Team,

Below is a message that Jeanine asked me to forward to all of you.

Thanks.

Bev

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Subject Give priority to Rosemont Schedule over fire assignments

Thanks to everyone for the top notch job of evaluating issues and compiling them into to a reasonable set for the analysis. Also thanks for your preliminary work in considering structure of alternatives. Now that fire season is starting, I just want to remind key Rosemont players that if called for a fire assignment please clear it with Bev and only take the assignment if it would not delay the schedule for the Rosemont Project. Again, thanks for all the competent work on this project.

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Subject Rosemont Core IDT meeting tomorrow 

Hi Everyone,

This is to confirm that we will be having an IDT meeting tomorrow. The core team should have this day obligated for the meeting; for the extended team the meeting is optional, but please attend if your schedule allows.

In our meetings a couple of weeks ago, we determined that some potential issues were not issues at all, and others were not significant issues. Tomorrow we're going to refine our reasoning and expand on our documentation for these determinations.

We'll meet in 6V6 from 9:00 to 4:30, with a break for lunch.

Please bring the binders that you received at the Sept. 10 kick-off meeting.

Thanks.

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Subject Rosemont Issue Statement Review - help needed!!!!!!

Hello Team,

Work yesterday and last week by the Rosemont Core and Extended team on Issue Statement Review went very well and everyone involved accomplished a lot, especially in making sure they all understood what is needed in order to do a good review. However, there is still much work to be done within a short time frame. Because of that I am asking for your help, tomorrow and Monday, to complete the review and to begin describing cause and effect for significant issues. These meetings will be held in the SWCA conference room from 8:30 to 4:30 on both days.

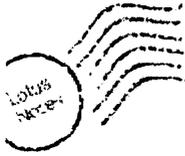
Please RSVP to me and to Melissa Reichard (mreichard@swca.com) concerning whether or not you can attend one or both of the meetings. Melissa needs a head-count for the meeting space and arrangements.

Thank you!

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Subject Re: January 14 Rosemont Copper Project Core and  
Extended Team Meeting

Please also plan on a half day meeting on Issue Statements on January 21, 8:00 to 12:00 in 4B. Core team, this is a regular meeting date for us, so I expect that you will be able to attend. Extended team members, please attend if you can, as your input is very important to the process.

Some of the team members may be asked at some point to help present Issue Statement information to Jeanine and Reta and possibly some of the other members of the FLT. This has not been scheduled yet, and I am just giving you a head's up at this point. I will pass along further information on this as I have it.

Thanks, everyone.

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Team Meeting

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(Mike and Mark, this is for information only)

Thank you!

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Subject December 10 Rosemont Copper Project IDT meeting  
agenda

There will be coffee available prior to the meeting during sign-up between 8:00 and 8:30. It should be a good day!



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Subject December 10 Rosemont Copper Project Core and Extended  
Team Meeting

Hi Team,

You were asked to set December 10 aside (along with each second Wednesday of the month for the next several months) for core and extended team project meetings. This email is to confirm that we will be meeting on December 10, at NAFRI, from 8:30 to 4:30. The topic of the meeting is Issue Statement development for the Rosemont Copper Project EIS.

I'm attaching some prework for the meeting, which is at the following link:  
[.http://fsweb.wo.fs.fed.us/em/nepa/nepa\\_coordination\\_training/00index.html](http://fsweb.wo.fs.fed.us/em/nepa/nepa_coordination_training/00index.html). The information is also on available on Webex, and I can provide FS employees with a CD of the training which they can copy, if needed. (SWCA employees, please see Melissa for a copy of the training document or access it on Webex).

Once you link to the site, which has training on Forest Plan 1900-1 Implementation, please read through Chapters 7 and 9 and be prepared to discuss these chapters when we meet on the 10th. Be thinking especially in terms of issue statement development for the Rosemont Copper Project, and in particular, issue statement development within your own area of expertise. Be prepared to discuss what you've read.

In addition, please give some thought to, and be prepared to discuss, the information you received in the November 12 "technology transfer" meeting we just attended. We received a great deal of information in the meeting, and I thank all of the attendees for hanging in there through some often hard to understand technical discussion. Now it is your turn to talk about how that information that was shared in the meeting is influencing your thoughts about the analysis process. How will what you learned on November 12 shape (or how has it shaped) how you think about the project and how you believe the EIS should move forward?

Please be prepared to give your fellow December 10 meeting attendees your perspective on these issues. I know there has been a lot of work done on the project "behind the scenes", outside of meetings, and I may specifically ask some of you (beforehand) to share with others some of the great work you've been doing.

Thanks, and I look forward to seeing you all on December 10. An agenda for the meeting will be forthcoming.

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Subject Webex meeting reminders

**Please disregard notifications of team meetings being sent out from Webex.** These reminders should not have been posted, and they are continuing to go out simply because its hard to cancel them. **There is no meeting this Wednesday.** For the time being, I will be sending out emails about the team's meetings. **Please note that there is an extended team meeting at NAFRI on November 12 from 8:00 to 5:00.** This meeting is a presentation by Rosemont to update the team on analyses that the company's consultants are doing on various project issues (safety, biology, reclamation, hydrology,etc.; itinerary to follow in a later email).

I am expecting a finalized Proposed Action from SWCA by COB on October 10 and will forward it to the core team that day or the following Monday morning. There will not be a core team meeting on October 15, however, **I would like the core team to review the proposed action and submit comments on it be COB on the 15th.** I will consolidate the comments and forward them to SWCA for revisions to the Proposed Action. **The core team will meet again on the October 23rd** to make the review the changes and make sure that all suggestions have been incorporated by SWCA (meeting place to be announced, meeting time from 9:00 to 4:00).

Please accept my apologies for the confusion over the team's meeting dates.

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Subject September 10 Rosemont IDT Kick-off meeting agenda

Hi Team,

Please see the enclosed September 10 meeting agenda. See you there!



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Subject Fw: White Papers

FYI, white papers on the Rosemont field trips.

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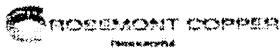
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Bev –

Here are the white papers I owe you, the one for Tyrone is pretty thin, and the one for Rosemont does not have the slides you saw. We are reluctant to use those because they are interpretive and have not been published anywhere yet but I did include the ones from the latest 43-101. Please let me know if you need anything else.

Cheers!  
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FYI, comparison between the proposed Rosemont leaching operation and the Silver Bell operation.

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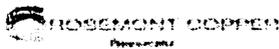
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Lost the whole day, but got this together before I am leaving for home.

I will bring a copy with me tomorrow.

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Subject notice to Vail homeowner's and neighborhood associations

Buzz,

Melissa Reichard at SWCA will be sending you some contact information (names and addresses) for some Vail area homeowners associations and neighborhood associations, so that we can notify them of the Rosemont Copper Project public meeting in Vail on April 5.

Please send letters to these contacts with the press release that I'll be sending you in a separate email (to follow), saying the following:

Dear \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is a press release describing a public meeting to be held in Vail, AZ., on April 5, 2008, concerning the Rosemont Copper Project. Please distribute this information to your homeowner's or neighborhood association. If you have questions concerning the meeting, they may be addressed to Coronado National Forest Geologist Bev Everson, at 520.388.8300.

The letter can be under Jeanine's or Reta's signature.

Thank you for the help.

Bev

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Subject Fw: My suggestions re mailings

Let's discuss this request. I will follow with more suggestions from Elizabeth Webb. Bev

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Civano-

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Del Lago Homeowners Association (Vail)

Santa Rita Community Association (Corona de Tucson)

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**Thanks again,  
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Subject Fw: Patagonia Open House March 20

FYI, from a Patagonia resident. Bev

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Folks, there was a serious breakdown in the system yesterday, and I am sending this mail out to all the people I know at CNF and in the various organizations and the community at large that stands against the Augusta project, as well as several news outlets. I believe we will be going through this same process again soon regarding other recent claims in this area, and I hope we can all work together to eliminate problems and make this process work smoothly and fairly, and with respect for all that are involved.

Thank you,  
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Unfortunately for all of us, the "open house" in Patagonia on March 20 ended almost before it began. Many of us never got to see the material that was on display. I am hoping we can resolve some issues so that as we work together on the Augusta Process, and on future processes related to other controversial claims in this area we can do so with respect for each other, and good lines of communication.

The crowd was impassioned, and the void of leadership at the event was soon filled by various people in the crowd. Some were acting quite reasonably, others less so. At no time did anyone behave in a threatening manner, or in my opinion otherwise justify the Coronado National Forest and Augusta people bailing out.

There were a couple of reasons for the militant attitude that prevailed. In the past, area residents have felt intentionally left out. Specifically there was a hearing on the matter that was listed in the Douglas Paper and not listed in the local paper. This matter was brought to the attention of CNF personnel, and I

sincerely hope this is the last time we need to address this. I believe it is imperative that CNF Give notice in the local papers WELL in advance of any such events. I received two notices about the event in the mail both about a week before the set date. While the notices made clear the format of the event, Many people were informed of it only by word of mouth, and there was a lot of misinformation stating that people should show up and speak their minds on the issues. With the short notice, there was a sentiment that CNF was trying to slip one by us. This misinformation was a result of the scattershot notice effort, and the intentional or accidental misreading of these notices. We should all strive to eliminate such problems in the future.

Another reason for the mistrust, apprehension, and frankly, anger, is that reports spread rapidly in the day before and day of this event about a shady maneuver by Augusta. The fact that the company recruited supporters by offering a meal and a job to unemployed people, and then bused them to the meetings where they arrived wearing Rosemont Buttons and commenting in favor of the plan is an unacceptable tactic that skews the process. CNF needs to address this issue in a manner that restores confidence among local citizens that the process will be fair. It would be a SERIOUS failure to discount the impact of such shenanigans.

The residents opposed to the slew of new potential mines in the area are often unaware of the nuances of the CNF process for handling these claims. The process is complicated, bureaucratic, and often defies laypersons logic. Residents need to become better informed of the stages of the process, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs. Maybe CNF could release an outline/flowchart of the procedures involved, from first filing of claims on CNF lands to commencement of operations, also showing the actions or issues along the way that result in denial of permits to proceed, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs. As we have seen, miscommunication, and misunderstandings mar the process for all of us.

Lastly, I think it is imperative that any agency charged with managing such a process as we are in with the Augusta project have a megaphone or other public address capability at any public gathering they host. I am not the only person who drove a half hour and never got to see a single piece of the information I came to see, or fill out a comment form. It seems that an official could have nipped the confusion in the bud, by clarifying that people needed to remain calm and orderly or the event would be canceled, and that they should write down their comments relating to the issue presented, as well as concerns about the event itself, and inviting anyone who wanted to protest or agitate to do so outside the hall.

As we move forward into a new era of public involvement in the decisions involving the future of our ever diminishing natural areas and resources, changing values and land use patterns, and an overdue shift from the limitless resource consumption mentality that is as antiquated as the 1872 mining law we are still stuck with, it is my hope that we can do so with respect and understanding for all of the concerned parties, by all of the concerned parties.

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Subject Re: BLM Access - Re: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter 

Reta,

I talked with Tom Furgason a short time ago, and he said that an additional map or maps can be added if needed to show the BLM utility corridors as currently proposed.

Roads and utilities are part of the proposed action for the project, though the exact utility corridors are not specified in the proposal at this point (there are a couple potential routes that are proposed).

Andrea, can you comment on Reta's question about about BLM as co-signers?

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I think a map showing the proposed access would be good. Additional things I need to better understand are . . . 1) What exactly is our NEPA Proposed Action, does it include the BLM access? Access is a connected action. Access will have to be addressed in our effects analysis. If the access is to be through BLM, have we explored doing the NEPA with BLM as co-signers on the access actions within their jurisdiction?

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Subject: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Reta, your thoughts? Understanding that the map would show "proposed" routes on BLM, similar to the proposed MPO, and locations could possibly change during the process, maybe the company could answer questions about proposed routes on BLM land??

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Subject: Re: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Looking at the big picture, I see value in collecting comments for analysis by the BLM at a later date. However, I feel that having a map or other information, with no representative to provide additional information or answer questions, will not serve the public well in providing informed comments. I see questions (that will go unanswered, for now) being generated, as well as comments. And possible dissatisfaction for the lack of further information. I think anything we have on display should be accompanied by someone to speak to it. My two cents worth. Those with more experience in this arena, what are your thoughts?

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Tom, Heidi and John,

Please see the message below from the Tucson BLM office geologist, Dan Moore. If you would like any of the information that Dan's offering to provide for the public meetings, please respond to him with a cc to me.

Bev

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SubjectRe: Rosemont public scoping letter

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02:04  
PM

Hi Bev,

After consulting with our State Minerals Lead and State NEPA Lead we have determined that the BLM does not need to attend next week's public meetings concerning the Rosemont Mine EIS provided that during the course of each meeting the public is made aware that the proposed Mining Plan calls for the use of BLM-administered lands. Since the meetings are planned using an open house format, a map showing the pipeline/powerline/road corridor crossing labeled BLM lands might be the most appropriate mechanism for conveying this information. If the Forest Service needs a map from us, we can provide one. This gives the public opportunity to provide comments, via the Forest Service, on the proposed action as it affects BLM lands. Later in the NEPA review process BLM will be able analyze the comments provided. Please let me know if you need a map, a GIS coverage, or other information. Thank you.

Dan

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Subject RE: April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for  
the Impacted Community meeting space and ra

J.J.,

The Forest is currently working on confirming a date, time and place for the Vail public meeting. John Able or Heidi Schewel of our communication team will be contacting you with further information about the meeting.

Bev Everson

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Subject RE: April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for  
the Impacted Community meeting space and ra

Ms. Everson and Fellow Team Members,

I have spoke with my core team in the New Tucson area of the Cienega Corridor and we have decided that later in the evening, 5:30 to 6:00pm would be preferable. A large population within our community have full schedules with family activities and it is important to involve them in

the process. I am delighted that the Forest Service has decided to include our area in these important public meetings and look forward to connecting everyone on April 5th.

J.J. Lamb  
New Tucson Team Leader  
762-1073

*E Webb* <[rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com](mailto:rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com)> wrote:  
Beverley,

I appreciate that the paid Forest Service staff might have more availability in the earlier afternoon but we are volunteers and as this is a day when families traditionally have other activities scheduled, the later in the day would be better, especially as the county has agreed to 6pm. I am sure you understand. it is difficult to have to plan around a meeting in middle of the day when we have family responsibilities.

Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb  
Vail Team Leader  
(520)247-3838

> Subject: Re: April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for the Impacted  
Community meeting space and rates  
> To: [rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com](mailto:rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com)  
> CC: [district5@pima.gov](mailto:district5@pima.gov); [ffentiman@fs.fed.us](mailto:ffentiman@fs.fed.us); [ffentiman@gmail.com](mailto:ffentiman@gmail.com); [hschewel@fs.fed.us](mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us);  
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> From: [beverson@fs.fed.us](mailto:beverson@fs.fed.us)  
> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 16:16:10 -0700  
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> Elizabeth,  
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> It's looking like the availability of the Forest Service meeting staff will  
> more likely be earlier in the day, ie. in the afternoon. I am still  
> firming this up, as well as firming up the day, and will keep you informed  
> of the scheduling.  
>  
> Just wanted to let you know of our availability as it currently stands, as  
> I continue to coordinate with my coworkers.  
>  
> Bev Everson  
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>  
> I have spoken with the team leaders of Rita Ranch, Corona de Tucson, Old  
> Sonoita, New Tucson, Hilton Ranch and I am team leader for Vail Proper.  
> That date will work for us, although we would like to request a time near  
> or around 6pm and for the refreshments we would like to request that there  
> also be items available for our diabetic and hypoglycemic community  
> members. (IE salty type items, not just cookies and so on). Nicole Fyffe  
> from the Pima County administrator's office said that would work as well.

>  
> Thanks again,  
> Elizabeth Webb  
> (520)247-3838

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> CC: beverson@fs.fed.us; jderby@fs.fed.us; rlaford@fs.fed.us;  
> tfurgason@swca.com; hschewel@fs.fed.us; jable@fs.fed.us;  
> ffentiman@fs.fed.us; nicole.fyffe@pima.gov  
> From: ffentiman@gmail.com  
> Subject: Re: NEPA Community Input for the Impacted Community meeting  
> space and rates  
> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 15:07:55 -0700  
> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

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> This day does not work for me as I have committed to something else  
> on that day. Faye

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> On Mar 13, 2008, at 2:51 PM, E Webb wrote:

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> Beverley-

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> I will ask around and see if that will work for the others. I  
> think I am available that day. Do you have a time in mind? Most  
> parents have activities for their kids in the morning early  
> afternoon. Would refreshments be served if it is around lunch  
> or dinner?

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> Thanks for considering us,  
> Elizabeth Webb  
> 247-3838

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>> Subject: Re: NEPA Community Input for the Impacted Community  
> meeting space and rates  
>> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com; jderby@fs.fed.us;  
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> jable@fs.fed.us; ffentiman@fs.fed.us  
>> From: beverson@fs.fed.us  
>> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 14:06:03 -0700

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>> Elizabeth,  
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>> We are currently considering Saturday, April 5, as a possible  
> meeting date.

>> Could you please pass this information on to others that would  
> need to  
>> consider it?

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>> Thank you.

>>  
>> Bev Everson  
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>> Beverley A. Everson  
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>> E Webb  
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>> AM "Albert D. Flores"  
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>> Ms. Everson,  
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>> I was asked by Nicole Fyffe to contact you in regard to  
> possible meeting  
>> locations in the Vail/Cienega Corridor location.  
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>> I spent some time with Ms. Derby explaining the situation of  
> how important  
>> it is that our community is an active participant in this  
> public process  
>> from the beginning. Our community will feel direct impacts if  
> this mine is  
>> approved. We are already experiencing the direct impact of  
> increased  
>> traffic on Sonoita Highway. To wait and see if a 4th meeting  
> is needed is  
>> not in the spirit of the NEPA process. I am sure you  
> understand my  
>> concerns.  
>>  
>> I have included the attached facilities rental agreement for  
> the Vail  
>> School District with the contact information for Jeff  
> Rutherford who  
>> schedules the facilities. Unfortunately the meetings were not

> scheduled in  
>> advance during a time when all of the buildings were empty  
> during Spring  
>> Break, although that has its own issues.

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>> Some dates we might suggest for consideration are: March  
> 25th, 26th or 27th

>> , or possibly a Saturday, but I would have to check with  
> Community Leaders

>> to see if a Saturday conflicts with other civic activities.

>>

>> Thank you for your consideration,

>> Elizabeth Webb

>> Community Advocate

>> 247-3838

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>> From: rutherfordj@vail.k12.az.us

>> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

>> CC: floresa@vail.k12.az.us

>> Subject: meeting space and rates

>> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 10:37:31 -0700

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>> Hi Elizabeth,

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>> I have not been contacted for any meeting space by anyone  
> concerning

>> the Rosemont Mine. We have space available at our schools I  
> just need

>> a firm date and time. I have also attached our Facility  
> Rental

>> Package that has a rate sheet available. Please let me know  
> if I can

>> be of future help.

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>> Thanks Jeff R(See attached file: Vail School District  
> Facility

>> Agreement[1].doc)

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Hall" <hhall@swca.com>, "Heidi Schewel"  
<hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Jeff Connell"

bcc

Subject Re: Open House staffing list 

Hi Tom,

Here's my response concerning the staffing of the meeting.

Please add Salek Safiqullah and Reta Laford to all the meetings.

Andrea will not be attending the Tucson meeting.

Roger Congdon (our regional groundwater specialist) will be at the first two meetings.

John's last name is Able rather than Abel.

Bev

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**"Tom Furgason"**  
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03/14/2008 09:32 AM

To "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>  
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<mreichard@swca.com>, "Jeff Connell"  
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Subject Open House staffing list

Bev,

Below is what I believe is the final meeting attendee list. Would you please confirm or edit?

Tom

Org	Name Attending	Name Tag	Area/ Table	Tuesday March 18 Thursday March 20	Wednesday March 19
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FS	Jeanine Derby	x	All	x	x	x
FS	Reta Laford	x	tbd	x	x	x
FS	Keith Graves		All	x	x	x
FS	Bev Everson	x	3	x	x	x
FS	Heidi Schewel		5	x	x	x
FS	Andrea Campbell	x	2	x	x	x
FS	John Abel	x	5	x	x	x
FS	Faye Fentiman	x	5	x	x	x
FS	Mike Grambs	x	All	x	x	x
FS	George Amaya	x	All	x	x	x
FS	Seth Hayes		LEI	x	x	x
FS	Bob Aydelotte		LEI	x	x	x
SWCA	Tom Furgason	x	All	x	x	x
SWCA	John MacIvor	x	All	x	x	x
SWCA	Melissa Reichard	x	1	x	x	x
SWCA	Harmony Hall	x	1	x	x	x
SWCA	Jeff Connell	x	2	x	x	x
SWCA	Ralph Ellis	x	4	x		
SWCA	Keith Pohs	x	2			x
SWCA	Rion Bowers	x	4	x	x	x
SWCA	Tom Euler	x	4	x	x	x
SWCA	Deanne Rietz	x	1	x		
SWCA	Ken Houser	x	All	x	x	tbd

**Area Name**

- 1 Welcome
- 2 Planning
- 3 Proposal
- 4 Resources
- 5 Media



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bcc  
Subject Re: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Please change the Tucson Office contact to Cindy Alvarez, and add Tom Dabbs in Sierra Vista as a new entry of the list.

Thanks!

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Subject Re: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Elizabeth Webb was already on the mailing list.

Bev - BLM is already listed on the mailing list at this address. Do you want me to add an additional entry for Tom Dabbs or just add him to the existing entry?

Roxane



*Roxane Raley*

*Resource Assistant*

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"Human beings are not things to be motivated  
and controlled; they are four dimensional -  
body, mind, heart and spirit."

— Dr. Stephen R. Covey, from *The 7th Habit:  
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Roxane M Raley/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES

cc

Subject Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Roxane and Tom, please see Jeanine's note, below, and add Tom Dabbs to the Rosemont mailing list. He is the BLM's Gila District Manager, at 1763 Paseo San Luis, Sierra Vista, AZ. 85635.

John, could you email a copy of the scoping letter and amendment to Tom? His email address is [tom\\_dabbs@blm.gov](mailto:tom_dabbs@blm.gov).

Thanks, everyone.

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**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**  
03/12/2008 03:18 PM

To Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc



Subject Re: Rosemont public scoping letter 

good, Bev. Tom Dabbs is the District Supt. out of Sierra Vista, new to the job, and the "line officer" I referenced that I met with recently (at the AZ G&F FS/BLM campout). He would be the appropriate person as "official contact" since he has the position equivalent to mine as BLM line officer and they do not have a permanent person yet in the Tucson Field Office.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
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Subject Fw: Public Meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project

FYI and for the admin record.

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cc Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Reta  
Laford/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
Subject Re: Public Meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project

We anticipated having the NOI appear in the Federal Register a week earlier than this and scheduled the meeting dates accordingly. (Unfortunately we don't have direct control over the timing of NOI publication in the Federal Register.) The NOI was just published March 13 and the news release and public notification were sent to appear concurrently with Federal Register notification. However, we are open to having additional open house meetings when necessary. We are currently arranging for an additional meeting in Vail.

These meetings are designed in an open house format to provide information and allow people to circulate and ask questions, then write down what they want to have addressed in the NEPA analysis. The official scoping period continues into mid April, however the Forest Service will receive written or e-mail comments at any time during the analysis process. Please reassure Congresswoman Giffords that anyone wanting to participate will have ample opportunity. Public input is valuable to us and I anticipate that we will continue to receive that input throughout this process.

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Subject Public Meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project

Dear Jeanine,

On behalf of Congresswoman Giffords I called and left a phone message for you today regarding the upcoming public meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project. The Congresswoman asked me to contact you to discuss both the timing and the number of meetings that have been announced.

Since your news release, the Congresswoman has received complaints from constituents who believe that longer notice should be given on these public meetings and that additional meetings are necessary. The Congresswoman is seeking your assistance in responding to these concerns.

As you know, the proposed copper mine on the Rosemont property has resulted in significant opposition from residents, elected officials and organizations. This is an issue with widespread public interest and many people want to participate in the Environmental Impact Statement process. The manner in which this public interest is accommodated will contribute directly to the quality of the process and its ultimate credibility.

The Congresswoman requests that the meetings be rescheduled to provide more time for the public and other interested parties to prepare and participate effectively in the EIS process. Additionally, she requests that additional meetings be scheduled to ensure access for citizens in other communities including Vail and Sonoita.

Thank you for your consideration of the Congresswoman's requests.

I will be in the office all day tomorrow and hope that we can connect to discuss possible solutions.

*Ron Barber*

*District Director*

*Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords*

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Subject April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for the  
Impacted Community meeting space and rates

Beverley

I have spoken with the team leaders of Rita Ranch, Corona de Tucson, Old Sonoita, New Tucson, Hilton Ranch and I am team leader for Vail Proper. That date will work for us, although we would like to request a time near or around 6pm and for the refreshments we would like to request that there also be items available for our diabetic and hypoglycemic community members. (IE salty type items, not just cookies and so on). Nicole Fyffe from the Pima County administrator's office said that would work as well.

Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb  
(520)247-3838

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hschewel@fs.fed.us; jable@fs.fed.us; ffentiman@fs.fed.us; nicole.fyffe@pima.gov  
From: ffentiman@gmail.com  
Subject: Re: NEPA Community Input for the Impacted Community meeting space and rates  
Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 15:07:55 -0700  
To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

This day does not work for me as I have committed to something else on that day . Faye

On Mar 13, 2008, at 2:51 PM, E Webb wrote:

Beverley-

I will ask around and see if that will work for the others. I think I am available that day.  
Do you have a time in mind? Most parents have activities for their kids in the morning  
early afternoon. Would refreshments be served if it is around lunch or dinner?

Thanks for considering us,  
Elizabeth Webb  
247-3838

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03/13/2008 04:10 PM

To John Able/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Heidi  
Schewel/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, tfurgason@swca.com,  
Roxane M Raley/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc  
bcc

Subject Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Roxane and Tom, please see Jeanine's note, below, and add Tom Dabbs to the Rosemont mailing list. He is the BLM's Gila District Manager, at 1763 Paseo San Luis, Sierra Vista, AZ. 85635.

John, could you email a copy of the scoping letter and amendment to Tom? His email address is tom\_dabbs@blm.gov.

Thanks, everyone.

Bev

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**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**  
03/12/2008 03:18 PM

To Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc

Subject Re: Rosemont public scoping letter

good, Bev. Tom Dabbs is the District Supt. out of Sierra Vista, new to the job, and the "line officer" I referenced that I met with recently (at the AZ G&F FS/BLM campout). He would be the appropriate person as "official contact" since he has the position equivalent to mine as BLM line officer and they do not have a permanent person yet in the Tucson Field Office.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
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Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS



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To Daniel J Moore/TFO/AZ/BLM/DOI@BLM,  
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Subject Re: name tags for public meetings 

All,

Given the size of the name tags, I don't think that the background is all that important. Let's keep the picture of the Rosemont Junction area on the tags, and go with the other changes to the tags (lettering, etc.) that John and Heidi suggested earlier.

Tom, does this clarify the questions you had about changes to the name tag design?

Bev

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<jable@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
Subject Re: name tags for public meetings

I like it!

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> Tom<badge001.pdf><badge002.pdf>



**Beverley A  
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To Heidi Schewel/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "John Able"  
<jable@fs.fed.us>, johnable23@gmail.com, "Tom Furgason"  
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Subject Re: FW: name tags for public meetings

Disregard my previous email asking for input from you, Heidi, and John. I'm buried in email, and hadn't read your input on this yet.

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**Heidi Schewel/R3/USDAFS**  
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Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, johnable23@gmail.com,  
"Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>  
Subject Re: FW: name tags for public meetings

I'm for simplicity. Whatever works to make us easily identifiable.

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Subject Re: FW: name tags for public meetings

I think we might improve readability by slightly rearranging font colors -- names in black, titles

in white, or both in black.

We could also increase distance readability by increasing the font size of the name (where name length allows), and increasing the size of the FS Shield or SWCA emblem.

I assume this a photo of the Rosemont area, though I'm not sure. I'm somewhat concerned that the arbitrary use of landscape photos may be perceived as advocacy -- either too flattering or too unflattering.

My opinion: If we focus simply on readability and content -- name, title, employer, all readable from the greatest distance -- dark green or black font on a light yellow, white or tan background, along with our respective employer icons, works best for me. Of course, I'm an aesthetic minimalist. Would that be too bland and boring?

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meeting space and rates 

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Bev Everson

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Kristen Almquist <kalmquist@az.gov>, "Tim Bee"  
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Subject NEPA Community Input for the Impacted Community  
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Ms. Everson,

I was asked by Nicole Fyffe to contact you in regard to possible meeting locations in the Vail/Cienega Corridor location.

I spent some time with Ms. Derby explaining the situation of how important it is that our community is an active participant in this public process from the beginning. Our community will feel direct impacts if this mine is approved. We are already experiencing the direct impact of increased traffic on Sonoita Highway. To wait and see if a 4th meeting is needed is not in the spirit of the NEPA process. I am sure you understand my concerns.

I have included the attached facilities rental agreement for the Vail School District with the contact information for Jeff Rutherford who schedules the facilities. Unfortunately the meetings were not scheduled in advance during a time when all of the buildings were empty during Spring Break, although that has its own issues.

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Thanks Jeff R Vail School District Facility Agreement[1].doc



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03/13/2008 01:51 PM

To Faye Fentiman/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Andrea W  
Campbell/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Salek  
Shafiqullah/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Keith L

cc

bcc

Subject availability for Rosemont public meeting in Vail

Hi Everyone,

It looks like we are going to arrange a public meeting in Vail for the Rosemont project.

Please let me know of your availability on April 5th (this is a Saturday and the preferred date for the meeting) or on March 25th, 26th or 27th (evenings).

Keith, please let me know the availability of your law enforcement folks and interpreters.

Bev

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Subject Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Tom, Heidi and John,

Please see the message below from the Tucson BLM office geologist, Dan Moore. If you would like any of the information that Dan's offering to provide for the public meetings, please respond to him with a cc to me.

Bev

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Marianito/TFO/AZ/BLM/DOI@BLM  
Subject Re: Rosemont public scoping letter 

Hi Bev,

After consulting with our State Minerals Lead and State NEPA Lead we have determined that the BLM does not need to attend next week's public meetings concerning the Rosemont Mine EIS provided that during the course of each meeting the public is made aware that the proposed Mining Plan calls for the use of BLM-administered lands. Since the meetings are planned using an open house format, a map showing the pipeline/powerline/road corridor crossing labeled BLM lands might be the most appropriate mechanism for conveying this information. If the Forest Service needs a map from us, we can provide one. This gives the public opportunity to provide comments, via the Forest Service, on the proposed action as it affects BLM lands. Later in the NEPA review process BLM will be able analyze the comments provided. Please let me know if you need a map, a GIS coverage, or other information. Thank you.

Dan

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Subject Re: April 5th for Vail Meeting- NEPA Community Input for the  
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My name is Barbara Raley, Mrs.. Johnnie Raley, and we, being affected residents of the two mining fiascos happening, Davidson Natural Preserve and Rosemont Canyon (owned by a Canadian firm no less) strongly object to the furtherance of any large scale commercial mining operations in the Santa Rita and Empire-Fagan mountain ranges. First of all, Hwy 83 is a state designated Scenic Highway that will be destroyed by the haul roads, crusher sites, extra traffic on our beautiful Scenic Route. Joe Marlow, resource economist of the Sonoran Institute, conducted an independent study to look at the mining's potential economic impacts in the Santa Rita and Patagonia mountains. Amongst his findings was the fact that the greatest negative impact would be on Tourism and our local school district. School district alone would cost us, the local taxpayers, \$10 million per year, increase the costs for travelers on State Route 83 to about \$949,000 per year and societal costs associated with increased driving of a least \$418,000!

The Rosemont mine alone is expected to make 1,000 trips weekly to and from the mine, 24/7. That's one round trip with a Semi load of materials, past my home and beautiful, peaceful property just one mile down the hill on Sonoita Scenic Route 83 EVERY TEN MINUTES. That alone will destroy Highway 83 and then what. Taxpayers have to pay for that as well! None of this makes ANY sense to us at all. What are you thinking! How can you justify allowing a foreign company to dump tailings on our National Forest property and ending up costing US, the American Taxpayer monies to rectify the messes they will make the habitats forever destroyed, water table depletion, and just destroying our beautiful countryside? Its insane!

And other questions are raised as well:

1. How will surface water quantity and water quality in Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek be protected?

2. How will Rosemont Copper prevent wells in nearby residential and agricultural areas from being depleted and how will they compensate the landowners? Our property values will plummet! I wouldn't buy here again if the mine were already here, with all its trappings!

3. What sensitive, and threatened and endangered species, might be affected by the mining proposal and how will impacts on these species be mitigated?

4. How will natural habitat and wildlife corridors be affected by the mining proposal and a proposed pipeline and how will these impacts be mitigated?

5. How does Rosemont Copper propose to prevent toxics from leaching out of the waste dumps and into the groundwater?

6. How will Rosemont Copper compensate Pima County for the damage their large, heavy vehicles will do to Highway 83?

7. How will Rosemont Copper guarantee the safety of school buses, tourist, and commuter traffic on Highway 83 given that, every 10-15 minutes, there will be large, heavy vehicles carrying dangerous chemicals and materials?

8. What studies have been done to determine how far and in what direction the airborne materials will travel and what their composition will be? And since I am between the two sites, this really concerns us!

9. What will be done to protect nearby residents from toxic airborne materials?

10. What will be done to protect nearby residents, wildlife, and recreational users in the Coronado National Forest from the deleterious impacts of daily blasting?

11. Given that the mine expects to operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, how will the dark, night skies of the region be protected?

12. What will the cumulative impacts be of this mine and other proposed mining operations in the vicinity on wildlife, water quality, water quantity, and air quality?

13. How does Rosemont Copper propose to protect the long-term economic health of local communities?

Johnnie and I have worked long and hard to have our beautiful home and property on the beautiful, peaceful Scenic Route and fear it is all crashing down around us. Please stop this insanity. It's just not reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara & Johnnie Raley

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**The Forest Service encourages public participation** in the EIS process. Three initial public open-house meetings are scheduled this month, as follows:

1. March 18, 2008, Pima Community College Desert Vista Campus, 5901 South Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, Arizona. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
2. March 19, 2008, Canoa Hills Recreation Center, 3660 South Camino del Sol, Green Valley, Arizona, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
3. March 20, 2008, Patagonia Union High School, Highway 82, Patagonia, Arizona, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

*My question; if the Forest service is encouraging public participation, why is there no nearby scheduled meeting for those of us most severely impacted by this situation? We live between both the mining operations, Davidson Canyon Natural Preserve ("natural preserve" which apparently doesn't count) and the Rosemont Canyon (Canadian mine!) off State Scenic Route 83. Those haul trucks full of tailings, to dump on OUR public lands, will be running 24/7 every 10 minutes down in front of our property and yet we have to travel away from the impacted area to have our voices heard. Unacceptable!!!!*

*Barbara Raley*

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We need a answer for sure, not just considering. Yes, we will make a meeting. But, there should be one held in Vail area for the many land owns that you are impacting. And I do not believe you when you say that you were not able to find a place in Vail to hold such a meeting. We have 2 big High School and other schools where meetings have been held. This is a trouble thing that you are doing to the GREAT STATE OF ARIZONA. I live right off the Davidson Canyon and am very worried about our water and air....etc....etc...etc..

I need an answer to the confirmed dates and times to let my area know. If on April 5th evening is better for people to make the meeting.

Charlotte Cook  
Old Sonoita Team Leader  
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We are **currently considering Saturday, April 5**, as a possible meeting date in Vail. Could you please pass this infomation on to others that would need to consider it?  
Thank you.

Heidi Schewel  
Coronado National Forest  
Media Officer, Fire Information  
Communications and Technology Team  
Collateral: FOET Chair  
(520) 749-7720 FAX (520) 749-7723  
hschewel@fs.fed.us

In a message dated 3/13/2008 4:14:35 P.M. Pacific Standard Time, rincnvalleyis@hotmail.com writes:  
Beverley,

I appreciate that the paid Forest Service staff might have more availability in the earlier afternoon but we are volunteers and as this is a day when families traditionally have other activities scheduled, the later in the day would be better, especially as the county has agreed to 6pm. I am sure you understand. it is difficult to have to plan around a meeting in middle of the day when we have family responsibilities.

Thanks again,  
Elizabeth Webb  
Vail Team Leader  
(520)247-3838

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**Ccook520@aol.com**  
03/13/2008 05:42 PM

To **hschewel@fs.fed.us**  
cc  
bcc  
Subject **Re: meeting on Rosemont Mine**

In a message dated 3/13/2008 3:27:36 P.M. Pacific Standard Time, hschewel@fs.fed.us writes:  
Sandra, We are currently considering Saturday, April 5, as a possible meeting date in Vail. Could you please pass this information on to others that would need to consider it?  
Thank you.

Heidi Schewel  
Coronado National Forest  
Media Officer, Fire Information  
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Heidi Schewel,

We need an answer for sure, not just considering. Yes, we will make a meeting. But, there should be one held in Vail area for the many land owners that you are impacting. And I do not believe you when you say that you were not able to find a place in Vail to hold such a meeting. We have 2 big High School and other schools where meetings have been held. This is a trouble thing that you are doing to the GREAT STATE OF ARIZONA. I live right off the Davidson Canyon and am very worried about our water and air....etc....etc...etc..

Charlotte Cook  
[ccook520@aol.com](mailto:ccook520@aol.com)  
520-777-48777

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**Debby Kriegel/R3/USDAFS**

03/22/2010 03:00 PM

To abelauskas@fs.fed.us, aelek@fs.fed.us, cablair@fs.fed.us,  
ccleblanc@fs.fed.us, dkriegel@fs.fed.us,  
dsebesta@fs.fed.us, ecuriel@fs.fed.us, gmckay@fs.fed.us,

cc

bcc

Subject Rosemont Mine - List of "other" facilities and features

We all are very familiar with the Rosemont pit, plant, and waste/tailings piles (the "Big 3"). However, I continue to learn about other project elements beyond these areas. In recent weeks I re-read both the MPO and Reclamation Plan, met with Dale Ortman to clarify, and compiled a list. Although I'm not sure exactly how we might use this, at a minimum it provides a good tickler list for analysis of impacts to each resource. I'll be presenting this at our IDT meeting on Wednesday. If you have time before then, please look it over and bring your comments and questions. Thanks!



Other\_Mine\_Elements\_032210.xlsx



**E Webb**  
<rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com>

03/12/2008 05:14 PM

To Heidi Schewel <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

cc Charlotte Cook <ccook520@aol.com>, Kim Beck  
<coyotes@cox.net>, Mike C <mike@empirefagan.org>,  
Scott Eagan-Ray Carrolls Office <scott.egan@pima.gov>,  
bcc

Subject RE: No Vail Area Public Meetings? Coronado National  
Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement

Ms. Schewel,

While I do appreciate the prompt and courteous response, I do not believe that is the issue at hand. My community is the community that stands to be the most affected by this mine. According to the EPA's Citizen's Guide to the NEPA process,

As part of the process, agencies are required to identify and invite the participation of interested persons. The agency should choose whatever communications methods are best for effective involvement of communities, whether local, regional, or national, that are interested in the proposed action. Video conferencing, public meetings, conference calls, formal hearings, or informal workshops are among the legitimate ways to conduct scoping. It is in your interest to become involved as soon as the EIS process begins and to use the scoping opportunity to make thoughtful, rational presentations on impacts and alternatives. Some of the most constructive and beneficial interaction between the public and an agency occurs when citizens identify or develop reasonable alternatives that the agency can evaluate in the EIS.'

I would like to reiterate, that as my community (identified at the Vail School District boundaries of 425 square miles) is the one community who will feel immediate direct and indirect impacts from the Rosemont Mine should it go into operation, we should be actively involved in the NEPA process from the beginning.

I hope you will reconsider. Mr. Huckleberry, our County Administrator has issued a memorandum on this subject as well which I have attached.

Thank you again for your consideration.

Elizabeth Webb  
Vail Area resident  
(520)247-3838

> Subject: Re: No Vail Area Public Meetings? Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for

> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

> CC: ccook520@aol.com; coyotes@cox.net; mike@empirefagan.org; scott.egan@pima.gov;

tfurgason@swca.com

> From: hschewel@fs.fed.us

> Date: Wed, 12 Mar 2008 16:55:24 -0700

>

> Elizabeth, you do not need to be present at a public meeting to comment.

> Comments will be accepted throughout the process. For those who do not

> attend meetings, an initial public comment period runs through April 18,

> 2008. Agencies or individuals can submit comments by mail, FAX, or email as

> follows:

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> Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado National

> Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701

>

> FAX comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader

>

> Or email to comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us

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> For questions about the public meetings or the comment period, you can call

> (520) 388-8300.

>

> Additional meetings will be scheduled as needed.

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> Heidi Schewel

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> <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, Scott

> 03/11/2008 05:28 Egan-Ray Carrolls Office

> PM <scott.egan@pima.gov>, Kim Beck

> <coyotes@cox.net>, Charlotte Cook

> <ccook520@aol.com>, 'Mike C'

> <mike@empirefagan.org>

> cc

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> Subject

> No Vail Area Public Meetings?

> Coronado National Forest to Prepare

> Environmental Impact Statement for

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> Ms. Schewel,

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> I do not mean to be rude, but as a resident who is going to directly  
> affected by the Rosemont Mine if it is put into place I am absolutely  
> offended that the closest places to give my public opinion are close to 45  
> minutes/hour away in every case.

>

> I am not exactly sure how we were missed as our community is one that is  
> located directly in the path of the Rosemont Mine's projected traffic  
> pattern on Sonoita Highway 83 which our Vail School District Buses uses for  
> more than 50 stops per day, I commute twice a day on the same highway,  
> Rosemont Mine's Plan of Operation states it will block a main tributary  
> (Barrel Canyon) of Davidson Canyon which feeds Cienega Creek, the Plan of  
> Operations states it will take the electricity from the substation located  
> at Rita Rd. and I-10, Rosemont's plan of operations states it intends to  
> use water from an area just west of Corona De Tucson, which I have to admit  
> is a little closer to Green Valley than the rest of us, but still part of  
> our Vail community and many more environmental impacts that I cannot think  
> of at this moment, but include existing scenic views and cumulative  
> impacts.

>

> Given the cost of gas (I just paid 3.81 a gallon for diesel), it is utterly  
> shameful and I ask you to consider scheduling a public meeting as soon a  
> possible in the Vail/Cienega Corridor area. The Vail School District is  
> very helpful about locations for public meetings.

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> Thank you for your consideration.

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> Elizabeth Webb  
> Vail Area Resident  
> 247-3838

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>> ----- Original Message -----

>> From: 'Heidi Schewel' <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

>> Sent: Tuesday, March 11, 2008 5:00 PM

>> Subject: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental

>> Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

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>>> For Immediate Release Contact: Heidi Schewel (520) 388-8484

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>>> Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for

> > > Rosemont Copper Project  
> > >  
> > > (TUCSON, ARIZONA, March 11, 2008) Coronado National Forest Supervisor  
> > > Jeanine Derby submitted a Notice of Intent for publication in the  
> Federal  
> > > Register to initiate preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement  
> > > (EIS)  
> > > for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.  
> > >  
> > > The EIS will disclose the potential environmental and social effects  
> > > anticipated as a result of the proposed Rosemont Mine Plan of Operation  
> > > (MPO), including construction and operation of an open-pit mine and  
> > > related  
> > > facilities, and will determine if the Forest Plan must be amended to  
> allow  
> > > such mining activities. In addition, the EIS may evaluate other  
> connected  
> > > actions related to the MPO, such as construction of roads and  
> utilities.  
> > >  
> > > As proposed, the Rosemont Copper Project would be located 30 miles  
> > > southeast of Tucson, in Pima County, on approximately 995 acres of  
> private  
> > > land, 3,670 acres of National Forest land, 15 acres of land  
> administered  
> > > by  
> > > the Bureau of Land Management, and 75 acres of State Trust land.  
> > >  
> > > While the Forest Service assumes the role of lead agency in preparation  
> of  
> > > the EIS, many other federal, state, and local government agencies with  
> > > jurisdiction may also participate. To assist with preparation of the  
> EIS,  
> > > the Forest Service has selected SWCA Environmental Consultants based in  
> > > Phoenix, Arizona. The proponent, Rosemont Copper Company, is  
> responsible  
> > > for the cost of preparing the EIS.  
> > >  
> > > A draft EIS may be available for public review by March, 2009, with a  
> > > final  
> > > EIS projected for completion by November, 2009.  
> > >  
> > > The Forest Service encourages public participation in the EIS process.  
> > > Three initial public open-house meetings are scheduled this month, as  
> > > follows:  
> > >  
> > > 1. March 18, 2008, Pima Community College Desert Vista Campus, 5901  
> South  
> > > Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, Arizona. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
> > > 2. March 19, 2008, Canoa Hills Recreation Center, 3660 South Camino del  
> > > Sol, Green Valley, Arizona, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
> > > 3. March 20, 2008, Patagonia Union High School, Highway 82, Patagonia,  
> > > Arizona, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.  
> > >

> > > Other meetings may be scheduled as needed.  
> > >  
> > > Alternatively, for those who do not attend meetings, an initial public  
> > > comment period runs through April 18, 2008. Agencies or individuals can  
> > > submit comments by mail, FAX, or email as follows:  
> > >  
> > > Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado  
> National  
> > > Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701  
> > >  
> > > FAX comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader  
> > >  
> > > Or email to [comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us)  
> > >  
> > > For questions about the public meetings or the comment period, the  
> public  
> > > can call (520) 388-8300.  
> > > Questions about the EIS process should be directed to Ms. Andrea  
> Campbell,  
> > > Forest NEPA Coordinator, at 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, AZ 85701, or  
> > > telephone (520) 388-8300.  
> > >  
> > > Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project,  
> > > including the Notice of Intent, is available online at  
> > > [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont).  
> > >  
> > > (See attached file: [rosemont-noi-news-release 031108.pdf](#))  
> > >  
> > > Heidi Schewel  
> > > Coronado National Forest  
> > > Media Officer, Fire Information  
> > > Communications and Technology Team  
> > > Collateral: FOET Chair  
> > > (520) 749-7720 FAX (520) 749-7723  
> > > [hschewel@fs.fed.us](mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us)



*lotus notes*

> (See attached file: [rosemont-noi-news-release 031108.pdf](#)) [jd-rosemont\[1\].mine.EIS.process.news.release.pdf](#)



> project, as well as several news outlets. I believe we will be going  
> through this same process again soon regarding other recent claims  
> in this  
> area, and I hope we can all work together to eliminate problems and  
> make  
> this process work smoothly and fairly, and with respect for all  
> that are  
> involved.

>  
> Thank you,  
> Zay H.  
> www.zaycom.com

>  
> Unfortunately for all of us, the " open house " in Patagonia on  
> March 20  
> ended almost before it began. Many of us never got to see the  
> material that  
> was on display. I am hoping we can resolve some issues so that as  
> we work  
> together on the Augusta Process, and on future processes related to  
> other  
> controversial claims in this area we can do so with respect for  
> each other,  
> and good lines of communication.

>  
> The crowd was impassioned, and the void of leadership at the event  
> was soon  
> filled by various people in the crowd. Some were acting quite  
> reasonably,  
> others less so. At no time did anyone behave in a threatening  
> manner, or in  
> my opinion otherwise justify the Coronado National Forest and Augusta  
> people bailing out.

>  
> There were a couple of reasons for the militant attitude that  
> prevailed. In  
> the past, area residents have felt intentionally left out.  
> Specifically  
> there was a hearing on the matter that was listed in the Douglas  
> Paper and  
> not listed in the local paper. This matter was brought to the  
> attention of  
> CNF personnel, and I sincerely hope this is the last time we need to  
> address this. I believe it is imperative that CNF Give notice in  
> the local  
> papers WELL in advance of any such events. I received two notices  
> about the  
> event in the mail both about a week before the set date. While the  
> notices  
> made clear the format of the event, Many people were informed of it  
> only by  
> word of mouth, and there was a lot of misinformation stating that  
> people  
> should show up and speak their minds on the issues. With the short  
> notice,  
> there was a sentiment that CNF was trying to slip one by us. This  
> misinformation was a result of the scattershot notice effort, and the  
> intentional or accidental misreading of these notices. We should  
> all strive

> to eliminate such problems in the future.  
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>  
> Another reason for the mistrust, apprehension, and frankly, anger,  
> is that  
> reports spread rapidly in the day before and day of this event about a  
> shady maneuver by Augusta. The fact that the company recruited  
> supporters  
> by offering a meal and a job to unemployed people, and then bused  
> them to  
> the meetings where they arrived wearing Rosemont Buttons and  
> commenting in  
> favor of the plan is an unacceptable tactic that skews the process.  
> CNF  
> needs to address this issue in a manner that restores confidence among  
> local citizens that the process will be fair. It would be a SERIOUS  
> failure  
> to discount the impact of such shenanigans.  
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>  
> The residents opposed to the slew of new potential mines in the  
> area are  
> often unaware of the nuances of the CNF process for handling these  
> claims.  
> The process is complicated, bureaucratic, and often defies laypersons  
> logic. Residents need to become better informed of the stages of the  
> process, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs.  
> Maybe CNF  
> could release an outline/flowchart of the procedures involved, from  
> first  
> filing of claims on CNF lands to commencement of operations, also  
> showing  
> the actions or issues along the way that result in denial of  
> permits to  
> proceed, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs.  
> As we  
> have seen, miscommunication, and misunderstandings mar the process  
> for all  
> of us.  
>  
> Lastly, I think it is imperative that any agency charged with  
> managing such  
> a process as we are in with the Augusta project have a megaphone or  
> other  
> public address capability at any public gathering they host. I am  
> not the  
> only person who drove a half hour and never got to see a single  
> piece of  
> the information I came to see, or fill out a comment form. It seems  
> that an  
> official could have nipped the confusion in the bud, by clarifying  
> that  
> people needed to remain calm and orderly or the event would be  
> canceled,  
> and that they should write down their comments relating to the issue  
> presented, as well as concerns about the event itself, and inviting  
> anyone  
> who wanted to protest or agitate to do so outside the hall.  
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>  
> As we move forward into a new era of public involvement in the

> decisions  
> involving the future of our ever diminishing natural areas and  
> resources,  
> changing values and land use patterns, and an overdue shift from the  
> limitless resource consumption mentality that is as antiquated as  
> the 1872  
> mining law we are still stuck with, it is my hope that we can do so  
> with  
> respect and understanding for all of the concerned parties, by all  
> of the  
> concerned parties.  
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>  
> Zay H.  
> [www.zaycom.com](http://www.zaycom.com)  
>  
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**Faye Fentiman**  
<ffentiman@gmail.com>  
03/13/2008 03:08 PM

To John Able <jable@fs.fed.us>  
cc "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A  
Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel"  
<hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Reta Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>,  
bcc

Subject Re: Immediate Review Requested Again: Draft 2 of  
Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Good John: Is this a place to add the proposed Vail meeting or will  
we address that another way. FF

On Mar 13, 2008, at 2:17 PM, John Able wrote:

> Thanks Reta and Bev for comments.  
>  
> Modified the first 2 paragraphs. Changed "NEPA process" and "NEPA  
> review" to "EIS process." Everything else stayed the same.  
>  
> Reta, do these changes capture your suggestions?  
> <Rosemont Public Flyer 1 03132008 version 2.doc>



**Faye Fentiman**  
<ffentiman@gmail.com>

03/13/2008 03:02 PM

To John Able <jable@fs.fed.us>

cc "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Tom Furgason"

bcc

Subject Re: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Hi John: Like the idea here, have not done a detailed review - am wondering if we now have an additional meeting to add based on this mornings request. I think jeanine has a date in mind. F

On Mar 13, 2008, at 12:18 PM, John Able wrote:

> <Rosemont Public Flyer 1 03132008.doc>



**Faye Fentiman**  
<ffentiman@gmail.com>  
03/13/2008 02:56 PM

To Tom Furgason <tfurgason@swca.com>  
cc "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
bcc  
Subject Re: name tags for public meetings

I like it!

On Mar 12, 2008, at 4:25 PM, Tom Furgason wrote:

> Bev,  
>  
> Attached are the first versions for name badges to place in a plastic  
> pocket on a lanyard.  
>  
> My preference would be to leave titles off of the name tags, but I'll  
> leave that decision up to the Forest. Once we have the layout  
> complete  
> Melissa will be able to easily create duplicate or new name tags as  
> needed.  
>  
> Tom<badge001.pdf><badge002.pdf>



"Jan Howard"  
<jan@strongpointpr.com>  
03/19/2008 03:42 PM

To <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>  
cc "Mary Rowley" <mary@strongpointpr.com>  
bcc  
Subject Scoping Comment News Release

Hi Heidi and Faye,

Here is a copy of the news release that went out today. Please let me know if there's anything else I can assist with.

See you in Green Valley.

Thanks,

Jan Howard  
Strongpoint  
Office: 795-1566



*lotus notes*

Cell: 245-7302 Scoping comment.pdf



**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**

06/11/2008 08:01 AM

To "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>

cc "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@gmail.com>, "Heidi Schewel"

bcc

Subject Re: YOUR COMMENT/REVIEW REQUESTED: Draft "Proposed Rosemont Copper Project Email Update: Forest Supervisor Jeanine Derby Replies to Inquiry from Representatives Grijalva and Giffords"

this practice is fine with me. In the last paragraph I question needing the first part of the first sentence that references commenting on the letter, since that might encourage unnecessary comments. Saying "scoping comments are being received through July 14, etc. " is probably sufficient.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
phone: 520 388-8306  
FAX: 520 388-8305

"John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>



**"John Able"**

<jable@fs.fed.us>

Sent by:  
johnable23@gmail.com

06/11/2008 06:52 AM

To "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@gmail.com>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Jeanine Derby" <jderby@fs.fed.us>, "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>, "Reta Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Teresa Ann Ciapusci" <tciapusci@fs.fed.us>, "Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>

cc

Subject YOUR COMMENT/REVIEW REQUESTED: Draft "Proposed Rosemont Copper Project Email Update: Forest Supervisor Jeanine Derby Replies to Inquiry from Representatives Grijalva and Giffords"

I would like to send regular email updates (like the proposed message below) to the "Rosemont Project email list." Is that list developed and in a form I can use? Does anyone have a problem with such updates, especially in regard to NEPA?

Also, please review the draft message below and provide me with your feedback. I'd like to send it (or something similar) today.

"On June 5th, Coronado Forest Supervisor responded to an inquiry from Representatives Grijalva and Giffords requesting a suspension of the ongoing NEPA scoping process. Forest Supervisor Derby's reply is posted at <http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont/>.

After reading the letter, please feel free to call me or email me with any questions. If you

would like to discuss the issue with Ms. Derby or Forest Geologist Bev Everson, please contact me to arrange a time to speak by phone or to meet in person.

If you would like to make a formal scoping comment about the letter or any other issue related to the proposed Rosemont Copper Project, please refer to the website link above for ways to conveniently comment by email, FAX, or mail."

--

John A. Able  
Office of Forest Communications  
Coronado National Forest  
Mobile: 520-405-4256



**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**  
03/17/2008 04:29 PM

To Andrea W Campbell/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
cc "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel"  
bcc

Subject Re: Strategy re: CBD and other public questions

Of course we won't be answering any of those questions at the meeting. But could we pre-empt people coming armed with questions expecting answers by turning this into a list of preliminary issues derived from our pre-NEPA discussions. None of the questions are new to us - and we could guide people to focus their interests either on expanding on the preliminary issues or adding to the list. Directs the meeting back to the purpose of scoping - what are you concerned about? If we do that we should use totally objective, non-inflammatory words. Or, we could do nothing, not have a list of "what we've heard so far" and when we get those questions from people who come, tell them we need to have that written down and will seek answers during the analysis.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
phone: 520 388-8306  
FAX: 520 388-8305  
Andrea W Campbell/R3/USDAFS



**Andrea W Campbell/R3/USDAFS**  
03/17/2008 04:04 PM

To "Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>  
cc "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "Reta Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Jeanine Derby" <jderby@fs.fed.us>, "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "John MacIvor other" <jdmacivor@frontiernet.net>, "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>  
Subject Strategy re: CBD and other public questions

Tom,

We should NOT address any of the questions in the CBD letter during the open house. The purpose of the open house is to solicit comments, such as the questions posed.

We are in no way prepared to elaborate on how many of the questions posed will be addressed by mitigation and design.

Best to keep mum and say "Thank you for your comments. After we review all issues raised during scoping, our resource specialists will work with the decision maker to identify the best approach for impacts analysis. We will make our comment analysis available to the public on the project website."

No dialogue other than answers to general questions.  
Remember, we are NOT THE PROPONENT and cannot speak for RCC.

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-----"Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com> wrote: -----

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Of course we won't be answering any of those questions at the meeting. But could we pre-empt people coming armed with questions expecting answers by turning this into a list of preliminary issues derived from our pre-NEPA discussions. None of the questions are new to us - and we could guide people to focus their interests either on expanding on the preliminary issues or adding to the list. Directs the meeting back to the purpose of scoping - what are you concerned about? If we do that we should use totally objective, non-inflammatory words. Or, we could do nothing, not have a list of "what we've heard so far" and when we get those questions from people who come, tell them we need to have that written down and will seek answers during the analysis.

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13. How does Rosemont Copper propose to protect the long-term economic health of local communities?

Other meetings may be scheduled as needed.

For those who do not attend meetings, please submit comments by mail, fax, or email as follows, through April 18, 2008.

Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701.

Fax comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader.

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Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont) .

Visit Save the Scenic Santa Ritas' Web site for further information.

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> This day does not work for me as I have committed to something else  
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>> Elizabeth,

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>> We are currently considering Saturday, April 5, as a possible  
> meeting date.

>> Could you please pass this information on to others that would  
> need to

>> consider it?

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> the Vail  
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> members. (IE salty type items, not just cookies and so on). Nicole Fyffe  
> from the Pima County administrator's office said that would work as well.

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> Thanks again,  
> Elizabeth Webb  
> (520)247-3838

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> space and rates  
> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 15:07:55 -0700  
> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com

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> This day does not work for me as I have committed to something else  
> on that day. Faye

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> On Mar 13, 2008, at 2:51 PM, E Webb wrote:

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> Beverley-

>  
> I will ask around and see if that will work for the others. I  
> think I am available that day. Do you have a time in mind? Most  
> parents have activities for their kids in the morning early  
> afternoon. Would refreshments be served if it is around lunch  
> or dinner?

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> Thanks for considering us,  
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>> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 14:06:03 -0700

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>> Elizabeth,

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>> We are currently considering Saturday, April 5, as a possible  
>> meeting date.

>> Could you please pass this information on to others that would  
>> need to

>> consider it?

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>> Thank you.

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>> Bev Everson

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>> Beverley A. Everson  
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>> Ms. Everson,  
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>> I was asked by Nicole Fyffe to contact you in regard to  
> possible meeting  
>> locations in the Vail/Cienega Corridor location.

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>> I spent some time with Ms. Derby explaining the situation of  
> how important  
>> it is that our community is an active participant in this  
> public process  
>> from the beginning. Our community will feel direct impacts if  
> this mine is

>> approved. We are already experiencing the direct impact of  
> increased  
>> traffic on Sonoita Highway. To wait and see if a 4th meeting  
> is needed is  
>> not in the spirit of the NEPA process. I am sure you  
> understand my  
>> concerns.  
>>  
>> I have included the attached facilities rental agreement for  
> the Vail  
>> School District with the contact information for Jeff  
> Rutherford who  
>> schedules the facilities. Unfortunately the meetings were not  
> scheduled in  
>> advance during a time when all of the buildings were empty  
> during Spring  
>> Break, although that has its own issues.  
>>  
>> Some dates we might suggest for consideration are: March  
> 25th, 26th or 27th  
>> , or possibly a Saturday, but I would have to check with  
> Community Leaders  
>> to see if a Saturday conflicts with other civic activities.  
>>  
>> Thank you for your consideration,  
>> Elizabeth Webb  
>> Community Advocate  
>> 247-3838  
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>> From: rutherfordj@vail.k12.az.us  
>> To: rinconvalleyis@hotmail.com  
>> CC: floresa@vail.k12.az.us  
>> Subject: meeting space and rates  
>> Date: Thu, 13 Mar 2008 10:37:31 -0700  
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>>  
>> Hi Elizabeth,  
>>  
>> I have not been contacted for any meeting space by anyone  
> concerning  
>> the Rosemont Mine. We have space available at our schools I  
> just need

>> a firm date and time. I have also attached our Facility  
> Rental  
>> Package that has a rate sheet available. Please let me know  
> if I can  
>> be of future help.  
>>  
>> Thanks Jeff R(See attached file: Vail School District  
> Facility  
>> Agreement[1].doc)  
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Subject Form Letter Search -- It'd be great to have a short name for each form letter

Heidi or Teresa Ann, I'm wondering if Melissa or someone can provide the organization or group name that submitted each scoping form letter? (For example, form letter 2 is from the Hilton Road group.) This will help Philip with further improvements to the comment search, mainly by adding a drop down menu on the form letter search box. But it will also help Barb and me improve the current form letter search page, and most importantly will help website visitors find the letter they signed.

If we don't have an org name for every form letter, perhaps we could focus on the category or some other unique identifying feature.

Thanks in advance for your help and ideas.

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Subject Limehouse.com Web Demo Tuesday, June 16, 9:30 a.m.

Here's the info for the Limehouse.com web demo tomorrow, Tuesday, at 9:30 am at SWCA.  
(Melissa, let me know if you need me to bring a projector.)

**930 am MST / June 16th**

<https://www1.gotomeeting.com/join/112456673>

Join the conference call:  
Dial 646-558-2931  
Access Code: 112-456-673

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Subject Five Rosemont-related Stories in Sunday Arizona Daily Star

The Sunday edition of the Arizona Daily Star might be called the "copper" edition. Here are five stories about Rosemont or other related stories I found:

[Rosemont Mine: Here's How Big \(Interesting Graphic that covered most of the Front Page\)](#)

[2 tours, 2 perspectives on Rosemont mine](#)

[Does it matter where our copper comes from?](#)

[Cochise Copper Mine Poised for New Operations](#)

[Congressmen probe review of decision that Santa Cruz is navigable](#)

Notice that there is barely a mention of the Forest Service. Also, as of the time I'm sending this message, I don't see a lot of FS bashing in the comments left by the public.

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Subject [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and Fish  
Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine

FYI. Here's a link to the latest *Arizona Daily Star* by Tony Davis about the proposed Rosemont mine: <http://www.azstarnet.com/dailystar/249172>.

This was prompted by a scoping letter from Arizona Game and Fish Department, which is attached.

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For your information....karen

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Karen M Carter/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES

Subject

Re: Fw: 20 largest Mines on NF -  
data request from Tony Davis  
(Document link: Karen M Carter)

Thank YOU Mark for compiling all this info! I'm "ccing" Karen Carter my  
Director to keep her in the loop! Well, at least Tony Davis can't say we  
tried to get the information to him!! Sheila

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"Life begins each morning... Each morning is the open door to a new

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- Leigh Hodges

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To  
07/02/2008 08:31 AM Sheila l Poole/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
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Hi Sheila -

Nice talking with you yesterday. After our telephone call, I called Mike Doran (WO Locatable Minerals Program Manager) to coordinate a response for Tony Davis' data request. Mike said he had called Tony a couple of times, but couldn't reach him... he left Tony messages asking him to call back. Below is the information I sent to Mike Doran concerning large FS mines approved in R3 over the last 20 years. Mike said when he talks to Tony, he will discuss mining on FS lands nationally, and in R3.

Mike's conversation should cover all aspects of Tony's data request. Mike will call me after he talks to Tony, and if we need additional information on R3 mining, I'll do the research and call Mike and/or Tony. Based on this, we probably won't need to provide a PAO response to Tony as I thought we would yesterday.

I'll be sure to let you know when I hear from Mike Doran. Thank you for your help on this case!

- Mark

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From the list of the 20 largest mines on NF lands (Sept. 2007, below), five mines in R3 have been approved in the last 20 years:

|              |                  |
|--------------|------------------|
| Carlota      | copper           |
| Drake Cement | limestone/marble |
| Superior     | limestone/marble |
| El Cajete    | pumice           |
| Verde Mine   | gypsum           |

Four of the mines on the list were first approved more than 20 years ago:

Miami           copper  
Pinto Valley       copper  
Harborlite       perlite  
Santa Rita        limestone/marble

Two other FS mines were approved in Arizona over the last 20 years, but are presently inactive:

Canyon Mine        uranium  
White Vulcan        pumice           (closed as per a Settlement Agreement)

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20 largest Mines on NF

Attached is the list of the 20 largest mines on the National Forests. If you see any gross mistakes please edit and return. It looks like R3's Carlotta Mine takes first place by a long shot. Thank you all for your help.

(See attached file: 20 Largest Locatable Mines on the National Forests.doc)

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06/30/2008 02:40 PM

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cc  
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Subject What does the Air Force have to do with the Rosemont  
proposal?

I promise I'm not making this up.

Just received an interesting call from the Civil Engineering Squadron at D-M. Karen Odin called for the lat/long of the proposed mine. Turns out they have a military training route right over Rosemont, with flight levels as low as 300 ft above the ground. They are concerned that blasting in the area may require this route to be changed. Also, military aircraft emit a lot of electromagnetic (EM) radiation that is not desirable near a radio controlled blasting cap. So, Karen is coming to the hearing tonight and I'll get her card. The Air Force may be a candidate for a letter of interest.

Also, this makes me wonder about other military and some proposed high-tech Homeland Security activity in the area. At Ft. Huachuca, the Army has lots of devices that emit EM, including radars, and I've seen their convoys operate along Hwy 83.

And what about the SBI-Net equipment DHS is putting into operation. Any concerns there? Lastly, isn't the National Weather Service doppler radar site nearby?

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Subject Vail Sun Article: "Proposed Rosemont mine continues to  
draw ire" -- Statement from Congresswoman Giffords?

Here's the only media coverage I've seen of last Wednesday's meeting hosted by Save the Scenic Santa Ritas. A key part of this report is that Ron Barber delivered a statement from Congresswoman Giffords in response to our recent letter. Have we received that statement? If so, I'd like to see it.

Also, I notice that Congresswoman Giffords website indicates she will be in attendance at the Tucson Hearing until 6:45 p.m. Perhaps she plans to read the statement into the record?

<http://www.vailsun.com/articles/2008/06/24/news/news01.txt> ---

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Subject FYI: Rosemont Website Update

Hi, everyone. FYI, I made a slight improvement to our Rosemont website -- from ver 1.0 to ver 1.1. We're still constrained to the old Forest Service template, but I've broken the single page into seven in an effort to better organize the site and to improve navigation. You can see it at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont).

If you see any errors, broken links, etc, or if you have any ideas for improving this "interim" site, please let me know.

Thanks!

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cc  
bcc  
Subject Draft Rosemont News Release: "Coronado National Forest  
Schedules Additional Public Meetings for Rosemont Copper  
Project"

Please review/edit/improve and return to me. I'd like to send this out by COB Friday.

Thanks!



*John Able*

draft-news-release-rosemont-public-meetings-04102008.doc



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03/31/2008 05:18 PM

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<ffentiman@gmail.com>, "Heidi Schewel"  
cc  
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Subject FYI: Locatable Minerals News Release from Southwestern  
Region

We may be asked how this will affect the Rosemont Project. Bev, if you know the answer, please pass it on to the rest of us. Thanks!

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Karen M Carter** <[kmcarter@fs.fed.us](mailto:kmcarter@fs.fed.us)>  
Date: Mon, Mar 31, 2008 at 8:37 AM  
Subject: Locatable Minerals News Release  
To: Sheila I Poole <[spoole@fs.fed.us](mailto:spoole@fs.fed.us)>  
Cc: James W Payne <[jwpayne@fs.fed.us](mailto:jwpayne@fs.fed.us)>, pdl r3 all paos <[pd1\\_r3\\_all\\_paos@fs.fed.us](mailto:pd1_r3_all_paos@fs.fed.us)>

Sheila, could you please send this out to our media lists for AZ and NM.  
Thanks....karen

(See attached file: Locatable Minerals rule 03312008.doc)

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Karen M. Carter  
Director, Public Affairs  
Southwestern Region  
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*John Able*

Locatable Minerals rule 03312008.doc



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cc  
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Subject [Coronado National Forest] Re: Agenda for 3/18/2008  
Meeting?

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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John Able posted this comment:  
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I suggest we distribute copies of "Make Your Comment Count!". See the  
writeboard on this site. This is an excerpt from "Citizen's Guide to  
NEPA." Just basic advice about involvement. Please comment or edit the  
whiteboard.

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John Able  
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03/18/2008 10:34 AM

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cc  
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Subject [Coronado National Forest] Agenda for 3/18/2008 Meeting?

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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John <jable@fs.fed.us> from Coronado National Forest said:  
.....

Do we need an agenda for today's meeting?

Which questions does the FS answer? Should anyone answer any of the  
CBD questions? CNF employees should only answer questions about NEPA  
(and the EIS process), the Forest Plan, Forest Service directives and  
procedures, general land-use questions. Do we need copies of the  
Forest Plan and directives available?

Security: CNF does not favor hiring rent-a-cops for public meeting  
security.

Forest Supervisor Attendance at Public Meetings: Jeanine will attend.

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03/17/2008 02:25 PM

To Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>, Tom Furgason  
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<awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, Bev Everson  
cc  
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Subject [Coronado National Forest] Rosemont email address for  
comments

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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John <jable@fs.fed.us> from Coronado National Forest said:  
.....

I just requested a new email address for the RCP EIS. I've requested  
rosemont@fs.fed.us. It usually takes about a week to set up. The type  
of inbox I've requested will automatically respond to those who submit  
comments with a canned "Thank you" message. Once it is set up, we will  
want to transition away from the comments-southwest-coronado@fs.fed.us  
address, which will obviously take a little time.

I've heard that the comments-southwest-coronado inbox is getting hit  
pretty hard, and the comments are mixed with other projects. So this  
should rectify that problem.

I've requested that Bev and Reta also become administrators. Buzz and  
Karina at the front desk may help us with this task, too.

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Subject [Coronado National Forest] MPO No Longer On Web

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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John <jable@fs.fed.us> from Coronado National Forest said:  
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In the past, RCC posted the MPO at  
<http://www.rosemontcopper.com/technicaldetails.asp>. Now, the link to  
the MPO simply takes me to the Augusta Resources home page. Is the  
link hidden somewhere? Or has RCC taken down the MPO?

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cc  
bcc  
Subject Immediate Review Requested: Today's Mailing

Please review/edit and return. I'd like to start stuffing envelopes by 1:30 p.m.

Thanks in advance for your quick review!



*John's notes*

Andrea, I incorporated your previous changes. Important Information 03142008.doc



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03/13/2008 04:44 PM

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cc  
bcc  
Subject FYI: Online Comment System

Word travels fast. I was just contacted by a company named limehouse.com, which is selling an online comment process that may have some value to us. I don't know what it costs, but I visited a site using their software and the capability is intriguing. If you're interested in looking at an online public comment process, check out <http://metrolinx-consult.limehouse.com/portal/>.

You can also visit the limehouse.com website for an overview.

Tom, I spoke with Dez Shanahan of limehouse. I hope you don't mind that I gave him your office number . . . so he may call in the next couple days. Of course, no pressure -- just thinking it may be of use to us if the price is right and the learning curve isn't too steep. One thing about a really accessible online process is that it might elicit more dispassionate and objective comments. The fact that they are automatically stored in a searchable database is also nice.

I have been told that the Forest Service is considering the limehouse software on a national contract, so this contact may be fortuitous. If not this project, maybe the next.



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Subject Immediate Review Requested Again: Draft 2 of Information  
Sheet for Today's Mailing

Thanks Reta and Bev for comments.

Modified the first 2 paragraphs. Changed "NEPA process" and "NEPA review" to "EIS process."  
Everything else stayed the same.



*lots of notes*

Reta, do these changes capture your suggestions? Rosemont Public Flyer 1 03132008 version 2.doc



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<hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Tom Furgason"

cc

bcc

Subject Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for  
Today's Mailing

Here's a draft of the Information Sheet I propose for the reverse side of the corrected Rosemont public meeting map we mail out today. I also plan to put this online, along with the corrected map.

As usual, please critique without mercy. Also, my opinion, let's not rush this. If it means we wait until tomorrow to send the mailing, let's get it right. Mailing tomorrow will get it to most recipients by Saturday and everyone by Monday. Your feedback is important.



Thanks! Rosemont Public Flyer 1 03132008.doc



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03/12/2008 03:35 PM

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Subject New flyer with corrected GV map -- Additional Suggestions  
for Your Consideration

Thanks, Tom. Should we asterisk the Green Valley address and add a footnote that "The map of the Green Valley location on the previous flyer was incorrect"? Or something like that.

Dealing with a little media attention here right now, so don't have much time, but I'm thinking we could place some additional info on the reverse side of the map, including things like the following:

1. Link to NOI (Federal Register)
2. Link to Forest Rosemont Page ([www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont))
3. Recommendation to read NOI (and perhaps review the MPO) prior to attending the meeting.
4. Suggestion to prepare questions (or comments) in advance.
5. Brief explanation of how to comment, or what makes a good comment (perhaps from the poster)
6. Reminder that comments can be submitted by mail, fax, email -- don't have to attend a meeting.
7. Any other helpful information.

If we can write this by noon tomorrow, we can stuff 'n post tomorrow.

On Wed, Mar 12, 2008 at 2:57 PM, Tom Furgason <[tfurgason@swca.com](mailto:tfurgason@swca.com)> wrote:  
Attached is the revised map. My sincere apologies.

Tom

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**From:** Melissa Reichard  
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**To:** Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** New flyer with corrected GV map

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cc  
bcc  
Subject Latest Draft Rosemont News Release -- NOT FOR  
PUBLICATION

Here's the latest version of the Rosemont NOI news release, which incorporates edits we discussed Friday. We can discuss any additional changes in the 9:30 a.m. meeting tomorrow.



*latest notes*

Thanks! rosemont-noi-news-release 031008-1630.doc

**John Able/R3/USDAFS**  
03/06/2008 06:24 PM

To Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Reta  
LaFord/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Beverley A  
Everson/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Faye

cc

bcc

Subject Draft Rosemont NOI News Release -- NOT FOR RELEASE

Here's the latest version of the draft Rosemont NOI news release. Please edit mercilessly and send me your feedback. We will discuss this at tomorrow's FS/SWCA meeting.



*lotus notes*

rosemont-noi-news-release 030608-1430.doc

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04/02/2010 02:15 PM

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Subject Re: April 15th Status Meeting Topics

Mindee:Let's revisit the order of topics to include:Presentation of final alternatives for comparative analysis firstIf we have no final list of Alternatives by april 15, there is no reason for any other discussion items at the meeting.Rosemont will walk out.Jamie

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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**Subject:** April 15th Status Meeting Topics

The next Status Meeting is scheduled for Thurs., April 15, 2010, from 10:30 to 1:30 in room 6V6 of the Forest Service. (This is also the 3rd Thurs. of the month and the Cooperating Agencies meeting)

Planned topics include:

- Status of and need for Tech reports, field surveys, info requests, ongoing reviews
- Discussion of alternatives
- Status of DEIS
- Concurrent processes, ie. Army Corps, TEP, permitting
- Expected timeframes, media releases
- Other???

We are hoping Bob Cordts, Regional Director for Lands and Minerals, can attend this meeting.

Please let me know if you have other topics, special needs (call in phone#), etc.

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**Keith L Graves/R3/USDAFS**

03/24/2008 03:14 PM

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bcc

Subject Re: Patagonia Open House March 20

This will not end now that it created the atmosphere desired by the few...and the many, who wish more information, did not attempt to recreate the "open house", non-challenging, atmosphere. I was apologized to by Town Council members, as well as others, yet no one tried to have their citizenry allow the process to continue as planned.

I have cut a pasted a note to me from Jamie on his setting up an additional meetings:

Good eve.

It was an interesting night. Seems a few beligerants can always spoil an event. Even if sober.

I was ready to step in, but it was not my place.

I did end up setting up two meetings, with locals, at our ranch, with a maximum attendance limit of 20 people. One with a neighbor named Barbara, and one with a woman from Patagonia, named Lisa. Good people. Concerned people. These will be held over the next month, during the comment period.

I told them both that we will answer as many questions for as long as there are questions.

We will hand out the green forms, and help collect input.

Best regards,

Jamie Sturgess

"Knowledge comes from our mistakes;  
Through our mistakes we change our world". klg

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03/24/2008 01:55 PM

To Beverley A Everson <beverson@fs.fed.us>

cc Jeanine Derby <jderby@fs.fed.us>, Reta Laford <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, Keith L Graves <klgraves@fs.fed.us>,



> through this same process again soon regarding other recent claims  
> in this  
> area, and I hope we can all work together to eliminate problems and  
> make  
> this process work smoothly and fairly, and with respect for all  
> that are  
> involved.  
>  
> Thank you,  
> Zay H.  
> www.zaycom.com  
>  
>  
> Unfortunately for all of us, the " open house " in Patagonia on  
> March 20  
> ended almost before it began. Many of us never got to see the  
> material that  
> was on display. I am hoping we can resolve some issues so that as  
> we work  
> together on the Augusta Process, and on future processes related to  
> other  
> controversial claims in this area we can do so with respect for  
> each other,  
> and good lines of communication.  
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>  
> The crowd was impassioned, and the void of leadership at the event  
> was soon  
> filled by various people in the crowd. Some were acting quite  
> reasonably,  
> others less so. At no time did anyone behave in a threatening  
> manner, or in  
> my opinion otherwise justify the Coronado National Forest and Augusta  
> people bailing out.  
>  
> There were a couple of reasons for the militant attitude that  
> prevailed. In  
> the past, area residents have felt intentionally left out.  
> Specifically  
> there was a hearing on the matter that was listed in the Douglas  
> Paper and  
> not listed in the local paper. This matter was brought to the  
> attention of  
> CNF personnel, and I sincerely hope this is the last time we need to  
> address this. I believe it is imperative that CNF Give notice in  
> the local  
> papers WELL in advance of any such events. I received two notices  
> about the  
> event in the mail both about a week before the set date. While the  
> notices  
> made clear the format of the event, Many people were informed of it  
> only by  
> word of mouth, and there was a lot of misinformation stating that  
> people  
> should show up and speak their minds on the issues. With the short  
> notice,  
> there was a sentiment that CNF was trying to slip one by us. This  
> misinformation was a result of the scattershot notice effort, and the  
> intentional or accidental misreading of these notices. We should  
> all strive  
> to eliminate such problems in the future.

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>  
> Another reason for the mistrust, apprehension, and frankly, anger,  
> is that  
> reports spread rapidly in the day before and day of this event about a  
> shady maneuver by Augusta. The fact that the company recruited  
> supporters  
> by offering a meal and a job to unemployed people, and then bused  
> them to  
> the meetings where they arrived wearing Rosemont Buttons and  
> commenting in  
> favor of the plan is an unacceptable tactic that skews the process.  
> CNF  
> needs to address this issue in a manner that restores confidence among  
> local citizens that the process will be fair. It would be a SERIOUS  
> failure  
> to discount the impact of such shenanigans.  
>  
>  
> The residents opposed to the slew of new potential mines in the  
> area are  
> often unaware of the nuances of the CNF process for handling these  
> claims.  
> The process is complicated, bureaucratic, and often defies laypersons  
> logic. Residents need to become better informed of the stages of the  
> process, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs.  
> Maybe CNF  
> could release an outline/flowchart of the procedures involved, from  
> first  
> filing of claims on CNF lands to commencement of operations, also  
> showing  
> the actions or issues along the way that result in denial of  
> permits to  
> proceed, and the appropriate times and methods for public inputs.  
> As we  
> have seen, miscommunication, and misunderstandings mar the process  
> for all  
> of us.  
>  
> Lastly, I think it is imperative that any agency charged with  
> managing such  
> a process as we are in with the Augusta project have a megaphone or  
> other  
> public address capability at any public gathering they host. I am  
> not the  
> only person who drove a half hour and never got to see a single  
> piece of  
> the information I came to see, or fill out a comment form. It seems  
> that an  
> official could have nipped the confusion in the bud, by clarifying  
> that  
> people needed to remain calm and orderly or the event would be  
> canceled,  
> and that they should write down their comments relating to the issue  
> presented, as well as concerns about the event itself, and inviting  
> anyone  
> who wanted to protest or agitate to do so outside the hall.  
>  
>  
> As we move forward into a new era of public involvement in the  
> decisions

> involving the future of our ever diminishing natural areas and  
> resources,  
> changing values and land use patterns, and an overdue shift from the  
> limitless resource consumption mentality that is as antiquated as  
> the 1872  
> mining law we are still stuck with, it is my hope that we can do so  
> with  
> respect and understanding for all of the concerned parties, by all  
> of the  
> concerned parties.  
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> Zay H.  
> [www.zaycom.com](http://www.zaycom.com)  
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"Mary Rowley"  
<mary@strongpointpr.com>  
07/29/2010 03:32 PM

To "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>  
cc "Jonathan Rigg" <jrigg@swca.com>, "Reta Laford"  
<rlafor@fs.fed.us>, <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Serena  
Zelezny" <serena@strongpointpr.com>  
bcc  
Subject RE: Upcoming meeting plans [Scanned]

Thanks! Serena Zelezny Hall (serena@strongpointpr.com) is working on our notes right now, so we appreciate your information. And we didn't have Jonathan's email address, so we needed that as well.

We'll get our notes out by tomorrow.

Mary

**From:** Melissa Reichard [mailto:mreichard@swca.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2010 2:52 PM  
**To:** Reta Laford; Mary Rowley; hschewel@fs.fed.us  
**Cc:** Jonathan Rigg  
**Subject:** Upcoming meeting plans [Scanned]

Ladies-

I haven't received the other notes yet, but wanted to be sure to pass along contact info that Strongpoint might need. Mary- can you pass this along to your new employee of whom I forgot the name ☺? I included people responsible for different items and contact information for contracts that Strongpoint will be responsible for. Please let me know if I missed anything or if you need anything else.

Thanks for all of your help!

*Melissa Reichard*

Project Administrator  
SWCA Environmental Consultants  
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To "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
cc <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Jan Howard"  
<jan@strongpointpr.com>  
bcc  
Subject RE: Set for 7/27 -Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont  
DEIS public process [Scanned]

Great. See you then.

Thanks,  
Mary

**From:** Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 20, 2010 6:28 AM  
**To:** Mary Rowley  
**Subject:** Re: Set for 7/27 -Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process [Scanned]

9 works for me. Yes the SO is our office.

**From:** "Mary Rowley" [mary@strongpointpr.com]  
**Sent:** 07/20/2010 05:05 AM MST  
**To:** Reta Laford; Heidi Schewel  
**Cc:** "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Set for 7/27 -Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process  
[Scanned]

Does 9 work? Is the SO your office?

Thanks,  
Mary

**From:** Reta Laford [mailto:rlaford@fs.fed.us]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 19, 2010 10:50 PM  
**To:** Heidi Schewel; Mary Rowley  
**Cc:** Jan Howard  
**Subject:** Set for 7/27 -Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process [Scanned]

Great. Let's plan on 7/27 at the SO.  
Mary, preferred time?

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**From:** Heidi Schewel  
**Sent:** 07/20/2010 12:47 AM CDT  
**To:** Reta Laford; "Mary Rowley" <mary@strongpointpr.com>  
**Cc:** "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>  
**Subject:** Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process [Scanned]



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To "Reta Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel"  
<hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
cc "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>

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**Subject:** Re: Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process [Scanned]

July 27 works for me.

**From:** Reta Laford  
**Sent:** 07/20/2010 12:43 AM CDT  
**To:** "Mary Rowley" <mary@strongpointpr.com>; Heidi Schewel  
**Cc:** "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>  
**Subject:** Proposed mtg dates -Re: Rosemont DEIS public process [Scanned]

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**Sent:** 07/19/2010 10:32 PM MST  
**To:** Reta Laford  
**Cc:** "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>  
**Subject:** meeting about public process [Scanned]

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**To:** Reta Laford  
**Cc:** "Jan Howard" <jan@strongpointpr.com>  
**Subject:** meeting about public process [Scanned]

Reta,  
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Wednesday, 7/21, from 1:30 pm on  
Thursday, 7/22, open  
Tuesday, 7/27, 8:30 to noon  
Wednesday, 7/27, and Thursday, 7/28, open

Please let me know what works for you.

Thanks,  
Mary

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Mary Rowley  
President

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<mary@strongpointpr.com>

07/06/2010 03:33 PM

To <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

cc

bcc

Subject Public process planning [Scanned]

Can we set up a meeting to talk about next steps on the planning for release of the DEIS? The way the summer seems to be flying by, it will be here before we know it. I'm starting to look into locations, etc., and wanted to touch base.

Please let me know what might work for you.

Thanks,

Mary

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05/23/2010 07:54 PM

To <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, <hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
cc "Jamie Sturgess" <jsturgess@augustaresource.com>  
bcc  
Subject Draft release for schedule announcement [Scanned]

Reta,

As promised, below is the draft we discussed for announcing the new schedule for the DEIS:

The United States Forest Service and Augusta Resource Corporation with its subsidiary, Rosemont Copper Company, have agreed to a revised schedule regarding completion of the Draft Environmental Statement (DEIS) for the Rosemont Copper project. The DEIS will be released during the fourth quarter of this year, according to (name), (title) of the Coronado National Forest. A public comment period will follow immediately after DEIS publication. These activities are part of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process.

Please let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks,  
Mary

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03/22/2010 09:45 AM

To <tfurgason@swca.com>, "Melinda D Roth"  
<mroth@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

cc

bcc

Subject Overview of public participation [Scanned]

I learned that we had some email problems a while ago. I had offered to put together an overview of what we had decided at our communications team meeting last month and had sent it to you, but just wanted to make sure you got it. So here it is again.

Thanks,  
Mary

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*lots of notes*

DEIS Public Participation Draft Plan2-4-10.doc



Melissa Reichard  
<do-not-reply-C15501506@coronado.projectpath.com>

03/20/2008 12:31 PM

To Andrea Campbell <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, Bev Everson  
<beverson@fs.fed.us>, Coronado National Forest  
<jable@fs.fed.us>, Faye Fentiman <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>,  
cc

bcc

Subject [Coronado National Forest] Re: Rosemont email address for  
comments

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<https://coronado.projectpath.com/P12084903>

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Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
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Melissa Reichard posted this comment:  
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Will this address be able to forward directly to an SWCA address for logging and entry? If you are expecting to set that up, I will need a few hours notice to establish an SWCA email account. Thanks for doing that- I think it will really save some time in the long run!

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04/14/2008 11:20 AM

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cc

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Subject [Coronado National Forest] A new file has been uploaded

Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS

Melissa Reichard posted this file:

Carlota EIS VOL 2.pdf (PDF, 60829K)

<http://coronado.projectpath.com/projects/1872812/file/14170298/Carlota%20EIS%20VOL%202.pdf>

Carlota Vol II

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Subject [Coronado National Forest] A new file has been uploaded

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Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS

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Carlota- Vol I

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Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS

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09/23/2008 11:07 AM

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Subject Check your "Shortcuts"

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10/07/2008 10:41 AM

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sgriset@swca.com, tfurgason@swca.com,  
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cc

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Subject Please complete your contact information

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10/14/2008 02:25 PM

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Subject Scoping Comment Reports now available!

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11/17/2008 12:04 PM

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01/12/2009 01:42 PM

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sgriset@swca.com, tfurgason@swca.com,  
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Subject Draft Issue Statements are now available!

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awcampbell@fs.fed.us, abelauskas@fs.fed.us,  
cc: Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>

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Subject: Word Track Changes Cheat Sheet

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Let me know if you have any questions or is there is anything else I can help you with!

Thanks!

Mel



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04/28/2009 03:33 PM

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Subject New Tech Reports!

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tfurgason@swca.com, rbowers@swca.com,  
cc: Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>

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Subject: Rosemont Virtual Tour

Hello All-

I just got the Virtual Tour from Rosemont. Basically, it is Jamie Sturgess talking about Rosemont's plans, the current and future operations. Some explanation of Core samples and the type of ore deposit is also discussed. Although it is from their website and is done according to that audience, it does offer some good shots of the area and the land where the pit is proposed and also some views out to SR83 etc. So, take a look if you are interested.

Thanks!

Mel

P.S. It will probably require your computer to have Quicktime or other movie viewing software installed.

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Subject More Tech Reports!

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cc Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>

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Subject Final Scoping Report 1 & 2

Hello Everyone!

I'm very excited to announce that scoping reports 1 and 2 are done! They have been through many iterations and have come out pretty fantastic! I have posted them both here on WebEx. Take a look! Scoping Report is still under consideration and will be posted soon.

Thank you!

Mel

This link leads to SR2:

<<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=151542>>



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09/29/2009 04:36 PM

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cc Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>

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Subject Rosemont Power Transmission

All-

I have posted a report done by KR Saline titled 2009 Plan of Service Study Report prepared for TEP. According to the Executive Summary, it documents the technical performance of the transmission plan of service proposed by Rosemont.

<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=154680>

Thanks!

Mel



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10/09/2009 06:58 PM

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cc Melissa Reichard <mreichard@swca.com>

bcc

Subject Scoping comment attachments- Rosemont

Hello Everyone!

I have enclosed a link to the resource folders in WebEx. You will find all the resource studies that have been submitted by Rosemont or the consultants to date within that applicable resource folder. You will also notice in most folders a subfolder labeled "Scoping attachments". I have uploaded all the attachments that were submitted within the scoping comments that could assist you in your analysis. These attachments are all different things from pictures, maps, specialist reports and everything in between. If you are working with more than one resource, you may find duplicate files in the different resources, as some files applied to more than area. If you have any questions, please contact Bev (for FS) or Tom (for SWCA). If you have any issues accessing files, please contact me.

Some of these files are pretty interesting. Thank you for all of your hard work!

Thanks!

Mel

<<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=12&id=24542>>

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10/22/2009 12:25 PM

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cc "Phillip Murphy" <Philip.Murphy@infoharvest.com>, <bschneid@email.arizona.edu>, "Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>

bcc

Subject RE: Form Letter Search -- It'd be great to have a short name for each form letter

John et al-

I thought that I would chime in. There are two things to note: Every form letter does not have an organization associated with it. The other is that, with our current budget restrictions, I cannot do anymore work on the online scoping database with Philip. It was really out of scope to begin with but we were able to work around that for a while. So, moving forward, any other needs from SWCA for this task, the Forest will need to negotiate with Rosemont.

I do, however, know that we have provided a lot of information on all of the scoping efforts and responses. I believe that you can find information that would help you with this in the scoping reports and some of Tom's presentations. You should be able to find what you need to help with this.

I'm sorry I can't help more.

Thanks!

*Melissa*

*"Science is organized knowledge. Wisdom is organized life." -Immanuel Kant*

**From:** John Able [mailto:jable@fs.fed.us]

**Sent:** Thursday, October 22, 2009 10:54 AM

**To:** Teresa Ann Ciapusci; Heidi Schewel

**Cc:** Phillip Murphy; bschneid@email.arizona.edu; Melissa Reichard

**Subject:** Form Letter Search -- It'd be great to have a short name for each form letter

Heidi or Teresa Ann, I'm wondering if Melissa or someone can provide the organization or group name that submitted each scoping form letter? (For example, form letter 2 is from the Hilton Road group.) This will help Philip with further improvements to the comment search, mainly by adding a drop down menu on the form letter search box. But it will also help Barb and me improve the current [form letter search page](#), and most importantly will help website visitors find the letter they signed.

If we don't have an org name for every form letter, perhaps we could focus on the category or some other unique identifying feature.

Thanks in advance for your help and ideas.

John A. Able  
Tucson, Arizona  
Time Zone: MST



Melinda D Roth/R3/USDAFS

10/30/2009 03:34 PM

To Heidi Schewel/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES

cc mreichard@swca.com

bcc

Subject Fw: DEIS flyer printing/mailing quote

Can I pass this off to you to juggle with Melissa? Let's visit. I have examples of what we are planning to send to our mailing list of about 1500.

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"Melissa Reichard"

<mreichard@swca.com>

10/27/2009 11:37 AM

To "Melinda D Roth" <mroth@fs.fed.us>

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Subject DEIS flyer printing/mailing quote

*Melissa*

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**From:** Amanda Lindsey [mailto:Office@digipostmail.com]

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 27, 2009 11:13 AM

**To:** Melissa Reichard

**Subject:** RE: Quote needed

Here you go! Please let me know if you need anything else. Thx

Amanda Lindsey  
520-690-0727  
office@digipostmail.com

**From:** Melissa Reichard [mailto:mreichard@swca.com]

**Sent:** Monday, October 26, 2009 9:18 AM

**To:** Amanda Lindsey

**Subject:** RE: Quote needed

Answers below. If you could update the quotes, that would be great!

Thanks again!

*Melissa*

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**From:** Amanda Lindsey [mailto:Office@digipostmail.com]

**Sent:** Friday, October 23, 2009 9:35 AM

**To:** Melissa Reichard

**Subject:** RE: Quote needed

Hi Melissa, sorry I didn't get this to you sooner but there are 2 quotes attached. I left you a voice message this morning because I would like a little bit more information so the quotes could very well be different after we speak.

Do you have your own mailing list? Yes- its in an excel worksheet, no duplicates.

Will be printing the postcards and flyers and bringing them to us? I would prefer the pricing to include you printing them, if possible. We would provide the design.

What size paper is the flyer and do you know the paper weight? Letter size 8 1/2 x 11 and standard weight should be fine.

Digipost doesn't offer discounts for 'government' pricing however, if you or the forest service carry a non-profit status with the post office you can get a significant discount on postage and Digipost *does* offer a lower price on the mail preparation fee for non-profit agencies.

Hope this helps. Please call me when you can. I'll be here till 5pm today.

Take care!!!

Amanda Lindsey

520-690-0727

office@digipostmail.com

**From:** Nora

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 21, 2009 2:41 PM

**To:** Melissa Reichard; Amanda Lindsey; Brian Wilka

**Subject:** Re: Quote needed

No problem! I'll have Amanda or Brian get that right over to you.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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**From:** "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>

**Date:** Wed, 21 Oct 2009 14:23:25 -0700

**To:** <info@digipostmail.com>

**Subject:** Quote needed

Could you please give me a ballpark estimate for:

Mailing 1435 postcards?

Mailing 1435 tri-fold flyers with a sticker

We would provide a sortable mailing list in Excel format. Also, this would actually be for the Coronado National Forest, in case there is different pricing for Government.

Thanks for your time!

*Melissa Reichard*  
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*-Oliver Wendell Holmes* E6310\_TRI FOLD FLYERS.pdf E6309 POSTCARDS.pdf



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10/15/2009 11:45 AM

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cc [mreichard@swca.com](mailto:mreichard@swca.com)

bcc

Subject Rosemont Tech Report Tracking

Please review this list for reports that apply to your resource area. This list and all reports are filed in WebEx/Documents/Team Working/Resources. Also, please fill in the "REVIEW" and "COMMENTS" columns for the ones you have reviewed. For "review" put your name and approx date of review. For "comments", please include notes about the report's adequacy, brief summary of comments you provided, who else was consulted, etc. This table will be appended as additional reports come in for your information and review. Questions...give me a call or email. Thanks.

ps Thanks, Melissa, for getting this list and tracking mechanism started.

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10/14/2009 01:42 PM

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sldavis@fs.fed.us, sshafiqullah@fs.fed.us, Walter  
Keyes/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Heidi  
cc mreichard@swca.com

bcc

Subject Rosemont EIS preparers info needed

History:  This message has been replied to.

Melissa is asking for some basic information to draft the Chapter that lists who prepared the EIS , roles, and education... Please answer the following questions and email back to me and cc mreichard@swca.com. thanks in advance. (If you supplied this info at the IDT meeting 10/14, no need to reply again.)

Name

IDT/Project responsibility

Education, Degree, Institution, Yr.

Years experience

Example:

Melinda Roth

NEPA process oversight

B.S Agriculture, Range Conservation major, Univ. of Arizona 1982

27 years federal land management experience

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I haven't received the other notes yet, but wanted to be sure to pass along contact info that Strongpoint might need. Mary- can you pass this along to your new employee of whom I forgot the name ☺? I included people responsible for different items and contact information for contracts that Strongpoint will be responsible for. Please let me know if I missed anything or if you need anything else.

Thanks for all of your help!

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<mary@strongpointpr.com>, <hschewel@fs.fed.us>  
cc "Jonathan Rigg" <jrigg@swca.com>  
bcc  
Subject Upcoming meeting plans

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cc

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Subject Directions for Tech Report Tracking

For those of you that are having issues figuring out the Tech Report tracking, I created a one page direction sheet to help (link below). I hope it does. Let me know if you need any other help to get this task done.

Thanks!

Mel

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cc  
bcc

Subject May 17 reclamation meeting lunch arrangements-PLEASE RESPOND

All-

Because we will be working through lunch, you always have the option to bring your own. I want to provide an option that abides by the Forest Service ethics requirements. I am ordering lunch in from the Intuit café next door to the Fire Center. So, I have attached the lunch menu available.

If you have specific needs or requests, please give me an order. If you do not have specific needs but intend on eating the lunch that I arrange, **please respond with your name so I can get a head count.** Unless I get specific requests, I will be getting a large tray of sandwich fixins, chips & drinks. There will be a contribution jar for people to pitch in towards the lunch. Individual meals are \$8, and a share of the make-it-yourself lunch is \$5.

Please let me know your decision **ASAP!**

Thanks!

Melissa Reichard

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11/23/2009 11:00 AM

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Subject Fw: NEWS RELEASE: U.S. Forest Service Announces  
Plans For Rosemont Draft Environmental Impact Statement

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Heidi Schewel/R3/USDAFS

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ct Impact Statement

**Effective Immediately**

CONTACT: Heidi Schewel (520) 388-8484  
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## **U.S. FOREST SERVICE ANNOUNCES PLANS FOR ROSEMONT DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

TUCSON, AZ (November 20, 2009) – A Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Rosemont project will be completed during the first quarter of 2010 and will be available for public comment in April 2010, officials from the U.S. Forest Service announced today.

“The Coronado National Forest Interdisciplinary Team, supported by independent third-party contractor SWCA Environmental Consultants, has been studying the impacts of the Rosemont Plan of Operations as well as a wide range of possible alternatives. This analysis process has been shared on a monthly basis with the cooperating agencies assisting the Forest Service to prepare the DEIS,” said Mindee Roth, EIS Coordinator for the Forest Service. “All interested parties will have an opportunity to review the DEIS and provide comment before any final

determinations are made.”

The Forest Service will consider a number of alternatives in the DEIS. Those include the original Mine Plan of Operations (MPO) submitted in 2007 by Rosemont Copper, options for potential placement of tailings and waste rock, potential partial backfilling of the pit, and an option that will be developed to incorporate input from cooperating agencies, as well as the no-action alternative (no federal approval of the MPO or alternatives). The no-action alternative is required by the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA).

Heidi Schewel  
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Phone: (520) 388-8343 Revised DEIS Timeline 112009.docx



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cc tfurgason@swca.com, mreichard@swca.com

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Subject Rosemont project schedule revised

At today's IDT mtg., several people said they didn't see this msg. so I'm sending it again. Scroll to 2nd page for timeline.

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cc  
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Subject Fw: 1950-3/2810; January 2010 Status Meeting

FYI What was discussed at today's status meeting with Rosemont Copper Company.

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To Robert Cordts/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Bob Davis/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES  
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Subject 1950-3/2810; January 2010 Status Meeting

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aelek@fs.fed.us, abelauskas@fs.fed.us, ecuriel@fs.fed.us,  
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Subject Will you be attending the 5/19 Rosemont ID Team Meeting?

SWCA intends to have its ID Team attend this meeting, especially if Forest Service counterparts are attending. The meeting will focus on pinning down the "design" of alternatives and clarifying any questions we may still have about each alternative. We are hoping to set aside some time for Forest Service and SWCA resource counterparts to compare notes and discuss plans to complete quality EIS products in the timeframes currently established. We will get out an agenda ASAP. The meeting is at the **Fire Center** beginning at **10:00** and is planned for all day.

**Please let me know today, if possible, whether or not you will be attending so SWCA can get the right people there as well.** Many of their specialists are out of town and will need to make travel plans ASAP. Thanks.

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Subject Rosemont Copper Project Alternatives for Detailed Analysis  
decision

From Jeanine...

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Veronica  
Forrest/R3/USDAFS  
02/24/2011 01:41 PM

To pdl r3 coronado all employees@FSNOTES  
cc  
bcc

Subject Fw: Summary of weather expected this weekend

Brace yourselves for another cold Monday morning! Brrr!

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To  
cc  
Subject Summary of weather expected this weekend

A strong low pressure system will move across the area this weekend. Several significant weather changes are expected as this system moves through southern Arizona.

Saturday...

Strong winds are expected with sustained speeds of 25 to 30 mph and gusts near 50 mph with blowing dust. These windy conditions will be very similar to last Saturday. Low humidities are expected so critical fire weather thresholds may be met Saturday afternoon.

Sunday...

A drop in temperatures of about 20 degrees and increased chances of precipitation start Saturday evening. Snow levels lowering to around 3000 feet with accumulations of 8 to 10 inches above 7000 feet. The greatest chance for precipitation is Sunday morning. Monday morning will be the coldest with below freezing temperatures across the entire area.

This storm system is moving rapidly so temperatures will rebound quickly the first part of next week. Please monitor our web site for the latest updates at [www.weather.gov/tucson](http://www.weather.gov/tucson)

NWS Tucson, AZ

Do not reply to this email. If you would like to contact the National Weather Service in Tucson, AZ, call 1-520-670-5160 to reach

the  
forecaster on duty.



**mreichard@swca.com**

11/06/2009 01:30 PM

To **hschewel@fs.fed.us**

cc

bcc

**Subject** Event Notification: IDT Mtg- Alts & Mitigations presentation  
by SWCA has been updated

The following Calendar event has been updated on "Rosemont Copper Project  
EIS".

~ ~ ~ ~ ~  
IDT Mtg- Alts & Mitigations presentation by SWCA  
Monday, November 16, 2009  
9:00 to 12:00 MST  
SO, 4th Floor, Rm 4B  
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Click here for MORE INFORMATION about this event:  
<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=4&id=105665>



**mreichard@swca.com**  
11/05/2009 12:44 PM

To **hschewel@fs.fed.us**  
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**Reta Laford/R3/USDAFS**

07/05/2010 07:27 PM

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Keyes/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Salek  
cc Tami Emmett/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, George  
McKay/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Robert  
Lefevre/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Arthur S  
bcc

Subject Welcome Terry Chute to Rosemont Copper Project. He's  
working out of Jeanine's office this week. 

As previously committed, I explored ways to provide extra horsepower and direction to the project. I contacted TEAMS Enterprise and Forest Service employees that I held in high esteem. To that end, I am pleased to announce that Terry Chute will be helping us make the process more efficient.

Terry is a former Forest Service employee with over 30 years of experience, much of which involved NEPA. He also was the District Ranger for the Ruby Mountains, Jarbidge, and Mountain City Ranger Districts that included one of the largest locatable minerals program in the National Forest System.

I hand-picked Terry based on his qualifications and personal knowledge of his abilities and what he could bring to the team. Terry has: extensive planning experience; substantial experience leading teams; proficiency in guiding, writing, and editing technical reports and NEPA documents; and a wide-ranging natural resource background. I'm sure you will appreciate Terry's assistance.

Similar to Rochelle's assistance, Terry will work a combination of on-site and virtual. This week Terry will be using Jeanine's old office. Feel free to stop by and introduce yourself.

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**Reta Laford/R3/USDAFS**  
11/13/2009 04:03 PM

To Melinda D Roth/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, Heidi  
Schewel/R3/USDAFS@FSNOTES, "gcheniae"  
<gcheniae@cox.net>, "jsturgess"

cc

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Subject Delayed, anticipate Monday -Status, Forest News Release 

There is a hold on our news release until Jay Jensen's Departmental review next week.  
We are optimistic for Monday.

Reta Laford, Deputy Forest Supervisor

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Reta Laford/R3/USDAFS

11/12/2009 10:19 PM

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bcc

Subject Status, Forest News Release 

It appears that our Washington Office headquarters has not approved release yet. I expect we will get the go ahead sometime early Friday. Apologies for the slight adjustment in plans.

----- Original Message -----

From: "Mary Rowley" [mary@strongpointpr.com]  
Sent: 11/11/2009 05:23 PM MST  
To: Reta Laford; Melinda Roth  
Cc: <jsturgess@augustaresource.com>; "Kathy Arnold" <karnold@rosemontcopper.com>; <gcheniae@cox.net>  
Subject: 11-11-09 draft release [Scanned]

Here it is as an attachment and in the body. See you at the meeting tomorrow.

Mary

Draft 11/11/09

Contact: Heidi Schewel (520) 237-4860

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Draft Environmental Impact Statement

TUCSON (November 12, 2009) - A Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Rosemont project will be completed during the first quarter of 2010 and will be available for public comment in April 2010, officials from the U.S. Forest Service announced today.

"The Coronado National Forest Interdisciplinary Team supported by

independent third-party contractor SWCA has been thoroughly studying the impacts of the Rosemont Plan of Operations as well as a wide range of possible alternatives. This analysis has been shared on a monthly basis with the cooperating agencies assisting the Forest Service to prepare the DEIS," said Mindee Roth, EIS Coordinator for the Forest Service.

The Forest Service will consider a number of alternatives in the DEIS. Those include the original Mine Plan of Operations (MPO) submitted in 2007 by Rosemont Copper, options for potential placement of tailings and waste rock, partial backfilling of the pit, and an option that will be developed to incorporate input from cooperating agencies, as well as the no-action alternative (no federal approval of the MPO or alternatives). The no-action alternative is required by the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and, in the case of a mining EIS, is utilized as the baseline whereby the impacts of the alternatives can be evaluated.

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Subject Concern w/Agenda -Re: dry stack tailings technology  
presentation, May 12 

**Bev** - The order of things seem a bit out of whack. Shouldn't the general intro be first, and then the more techie types can hang around for the deeper stuff? The order as proposed seems predisposed, intentional or unintentional, to exclude and/or prevent meaningful participation by cooperating agencies. I suggest reconsideration of the presentation order.

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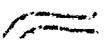
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Subject dry stack tailings technology presentation, May 12 



There will be a presentation by Rosemont consultants on dry stack tailings technology in 1K on the 12th. The presentation is being broken into two parts, to accomodate folks with technical background in this area, and those without that kind of expertise. The more techncial presentation is from 9:00 to 12:00, and the other presentation at 1:00, for approximately one half hour.

Although this is not a scheduled IDT meeting, I strongly encourage attendance, to facillitate everyone's understanding of the proposed operation.

Hope to see you there.

Bev

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Subject Re: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing 

Looks pretty good to me.

I find that the first paragraph over-encourages questions of a technical nature. Consider re-wording something like the following (delete strikeover text, add underline text).

The upcoming *initial* public meetings will be conducted as open houses. **These meetings will not be "hearings."** No opportunity will be provided for any individual to publicly address an assembled audience. The open house format is designed to allow all attendees to move from station to station to ~~ask relevant questions of technical specialists~~ learn about the Rosemont Copper Project, and the required NEPA review process that the proposal will go through, as well as to obtain to submit written or oral comments onsite.

Another thing that caught my eye was the interchanging of the phrase "NEPA process" and "NEPA review". We probably should pick one phrase to consistently use.

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Subject Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Here's a draft of the Information Sheet I propose for the reverse side of the corrected Rosemont public meeting map we mail out today. I also plan to put this online, along with the corrected map.

As usual, please critique without mercy. Also, my opinion, let's not rush this. If it means we wait until tomorrow to send the mailing, let's get it right. Mailing tomorrow will get it to most recipients by Saturday and everyone by Monday. Your feedback is important.

Thanks!



**Roxane M Raley/R3/USDAFS**  
03/13/2008 04:40 PM

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bcc  
Subject Re: Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Elizabeth Webb was already on the mailing list.

Bev - BLM is already listed on the mailing list at this address. Do you want me to add an additional entry for Tom Dabbs or just add him to the existing entry?

Roxane



*Roxane Raley*

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"Human beings are not things to be motivated and controlled; they are four dimensional - body, mind, heart and spirit."

— Dr. Stephen R. Covey, from The 8th Habit: From Effectiveness to Greatness

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**Beverley A Everson/R3/USDAFS**  
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Subject Fw: Rosemont public scoping letter

Roxane and Tom, please see Jeanine's note, below, and add Tom Dabbs to the Rosemont mailing list. He is the BLM's Gila District Manager, at 1763 Paseo San Luis, Sierra Vista, AZ. 85635.

John, could you email a copy of the scoping letter and amendment to Tom? His email address is tom\_dabbs@blm.gov.

Thanks, everyone.

Bev

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**Jeanine Derby/R3/USDAFS**

03/12/2008 03:18 PM

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Subject Re: Rosemont public scoping letter 

good, Bev. Tom Dabbs is the District Supt. out of Sierra Vista, new to the job, and the "line officer" I referenced that I met with recently (at the AZ G&F FS/BLM campout). He would be the appropriate person as "official contact" since he has the position equivalent to mine as BLM line officer and they do not have a permanent person yet in the Tucson Field Office.

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To Daniel J Moore/TFO/AZ/BLM/DOI@BLM,  
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Subject Rosemont public scoping letter 

Hi Dan,

Per our phone conversation just now, and to let Cindy know, a scoping letter for the Rosemont Copper Project went out in the mail yesterday, including a copy to your office, though it was addressed to Tom Dabbs, whom I assume is Cindy's predecessor.

Cindy, I left you a voicemail discussing the staffing at the public meetings for the Rosemont Copper Project just now (as you and I discussed earlier today, Dan), and also the timing for our inviting cooperating agencies to join the EIS process. We anticipate inviting cooperating agencies to join the process after the initial scoping is completed and we have a better feel for the issues, and with the issues, a better sense of which agencies should be included as cooperators in the process.

I hope this answers the questions you had, but if not, feel free to give me a call at the number below.



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Subject Rosemont Record need clarification

Larry et al-

First, let me express my appreciation for your considering the record!! Geoff can submit anything into the record that you want. It is the Forest record, so as long as the Forest wants something submitted, it really doesn't matter who gets it to me.

As far as email goes, Reta was specific that we should not be including email strings. Instead, she suggested a quick note to the file with a quick synopsis of the email string and decisions/conclusions made. So, if the Forest specialists are crunched on time and there are communications that need to be filed, you could delegate the synopsis to our specialists.

We cannot read every document that comes to us in order to complete the many fields of the record index. A complete cover page is absolutely necessary for any documents other than these synopses. However, if you guys are getting me a quick communication synopsis, you could just note on the cover page what resource section it goes in without completing the other parts. In fact, if there is a collection of communications, you could clip them all together and state that they go in Bio. Also, note the Agency Consultation section of the record that would include communications that are part of that particular consultation. I am not the one actually indexing all of these documents and the rest of our staff is not as familiar with this project as I am. Although things might seem obvious to you or me, I don't want to take for granted that it is obvious to everyone. It is crucial to have the index be accurate in order to be useful during the appeal process.

I hope that helps!  
Mel

**From:** Larry Jones [mailto:ljones02@fs.fed.us]  
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**Cc:** DEBBIE SEBESTA; Geoff Soroka; Richard A Gerhart; Robert Lefevre; Melissa Reichard  
**Subject:** RE: april 6 and 7 to rosemont

Tom-- .....

Melissa-- we have been discussing these sorts of electronic transmissions and getting them into the project record. This is an example of an email that needs to go into the record (as I have been led to believe), but I find the process of a cover sheet for each of the hundreds of communiques overly tedious. Can I just have Geoff (or other SWCA lead) give you these for inclusion under the heading "biological resources" and call it good (especially for past emails)? Alternatively, especially in the future, I can cc you whenever I think a communication needs to go into the project record, and you can slap it into the biological resources filing area. That would sure make life easier for us and hopefully even you, and

probably save Rosemont hundreds of dollars. Bev said if we can work something out more streamlined with SWCA for getting our bio communiques into the record, that would be great.

Thanks!

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Subject Draft Agenda - February 2010 Cooperating Agency Meeting

History:

 This message has been replied to.

Good morning everyone -

Attached is the draft agenda for the February 18, 2010 Cooperating Agency Coordination meeting for the Rosemont Copper Project. Looking forward to seeing all of you next week.



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Subject Chapter 2 Proposed Mitigation

Bev,

Heres' the link to the section that I loaded earlier today: <  
<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=159162>>

Tom



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Subject Draft Mitigation

Bev,

Sorry for the double email. Here is the corrected link: <  
<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=159163>> . I placed the file under EIS\Draft  
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Tom



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Subject Fw: Mitigation Table

WebEx Link to mitigation product for review per Bev's Homework email yesterday...

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Subject Mitigation Table

Bev,

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Subject Re: FYI: "Arizona Daily Star" article about reply to  
Congressional inquiry

John -

I checked with Jackie Andrew in the RO regarding the concern embedded in your message below about how a blog could fit with NEPA scoping. Her first advice is to ensure we use a blog and not a wiki; her second is to ensure everyone (advocate and opposition and neutral but interested) has access to the tool. At the present, the agency is still in new territory in using this tool. The only instance Jackie is aware of was use by Chris Wehrli (currently on the Fishlake in R4 and a former CAET member) with respect to the recent Retardant EIS. She recommends you communicate with Chris regarding how this tool was used in the Retardant process and whether he has any references to guidance or sideboards the WO put on the use of the tool. Also, if you do use the tool, she would be interested in receiving a copy of a summary of its use and lessons learned from its use when our scoping process is completed.

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Subject FYI: "Arizona Daily Star" article about reply to Congressional  
inquiry

You can view Tony Davis' article at <http://www.azstarnet.com/metro/243264.php>.

If you read the **comments** after the article, you may see my name; it appears that my comment was accepted. (Interestingly, you won't read my name in the actual article even though Tony interviewed me extensively and was given a very complete picture of what the letter meant. Perhaps a complete picture of what the letter said wasn't really what the Star was after?)

I feel it is very important that we consider new (and tried and true) ways to actively participate in the public conversation about the Rosemont Project -- especially when a very incomplete article like this appears. Failing to weigh in will only increase the amount of bad and incomplete information in circulation.

Jeanine, some ideas:

1. I'll contact Brad Poole (or some other reporter) at the Citizen and suggest they print the letter. I will also give Brad any supplemental information he may need to write a more complete accompanying article. (We may also want to contact some TV reporters, though my sense is this is too complex for TV news coverage. Heidi, your thoughts?)
2. We may want to write a guest commentary or letter to the editor at the Daily Star to clarify their poor reporting/editing.
3. Let's seriously consider hosting our own blog about Rosemont. While a blog can allow critical comments, those critical comments can be used positively, and would allow us the opportunity of dispelling bad information. (Tom, I know we would have to discuss how to consider an online conversation in the context of ongoing NEPA: informal, not a NEPA comment, etc. Of course, we can always easily add those comments into the record if that is determined to be appropriate.)

As usual, I'd like to hear your feedback. Could we put this on the agenda for today's meeting?

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Subject Re: Rosemont Final Mitigation Table

I met with Reta this morning to discuss Mitigation Table edits among other topics . The result is pretty much the same as we discussed in yesterday's IDT meeting and that Bev summarized in her email. Please review your specific section of the Mitigation Table focusing your edits on factual errors, disconnects, clarification, and minor editing. I will work on incorporating edits into one document next week.

Thanks,

Terry Chute

**From:** Beverley A Everson

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 21, 2010 6:10 PM

**To:** Beverley A Everson

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**Subject:** Re: Rosemont Final Mitigation Table

RCC Team,

We discussed this mitigation table today in the extended team meeting. A couple of team members thought there were some errors on the table, in particular some mitigation that they had previously submitted that was not captured. If you see something like this in the table, please let me know. I am not looking for new mitigation ideas, and anything new will not be included in the table for consideration in the DEIS.

If you have information on previous submissions that were overlooked, I need that information by first thing Monday morning. If I don't hear from you by then, the missing information will not be considered in the DEIS, and will have to be considered at a later date.

Thanks,

Bev

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Subject RE: geochemistry

Mr. Kamp:

SWCA and our technical sub-consultants are reviewing reports related to the proposed pit and geochemistry impacts that may result from the proposed Rosemont Copper Project. This work is being conducted at the direction of the USDA Forest Service. All questions and requests for information should be directed to the Coronado National Forest. Thank you.

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**To:** Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** geochemistry

hi Dr Furgason: just wondering if you have been reviewing the implications of pit and other geochemistry impacts discussed in my attached article a few months ago.  
saludos dick kamp 505 670 1337



"Tom Furgason"  
<tfurgason@swca.com>

01/11/2010 04:32 PM

To "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Reta Laford"  
<rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Melinda D Roth" <mroth@fs.fed.us>,  
"Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Teresa Ann

cc

bcc

Subject RE: Please submit agenda items for tomorrow's meeting  
(reta's office at 9:30)

Bev,

Melissa and I will be attending. Hopefully, we can keep the meeting to under 1.5 hours so that I can get back to the office and keep working on the revised Chapter 2.

My only topics are:

Status of mitigation and a path for completion  
Coronado expectations of SWCA for the Jan. 21 Cooperators meeting

Thanks.

Tom

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**From:** Beverley A Everson [mailto:beverson@fs.fed.us]

**Sent:** Monday, January 11, 2010 3:36 PM

**To:** Reta Laford; Melinda D Roth; Heidi Schewel; Teresa Ann Ciapusc; Tom Furgason; Melissa Reichard;  
Jonathan Rigg; Sarah L Davis

**Subject:** Please submit agenda items for tomorrow's meeting (reta's office at 9:30)

Beverley A. Everson  
Forest Geologist  
Coronado National Forest  
300 W. Congress Street, 6th Floor  
Tucson, AZ. 85701

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07/21/2009 02:22 PM

To rgerhart@fs.fed.us, sldavis@fs.fed.us, gmckay@fs.fed.us,  
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rmraley@fs.fed.us, tfurgason@swca.com,  
cc Tom Furgason <tfurgason@swca.com>

bcc

Subject List of Reports Submitted by Rosemont Copper Co.

All-

Kathy Arnold sent us a list of 81 technical reports that have been submitted to the Forest Service in support of the proposed Rosemont Copper Project (<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=150661>) . SWCA is looking at this list to ensure that we have all of these reports in the Admin Record. We'll also review our records to see if we have any reports that are not included on this list. Please take a few minutes to review this document and identify any reports that pertain to your area of expertise.

It is my understanding that Bev should have two hard copies of each report. Alternatively, many of these reports are posted in WebEx; however, there may be a few instances where we did not receive electronic copies or they have not been posted. SWCA will either post copies or contact Rosemont and request electronic copies. We'll discuss the file structure and use of WebEx at the next extended ITD meeting. For SWCA employees, please contact Melissa or me if you have any difficulties locating any of these reports.

## **Tom Furgason**

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07/17/2009 04:23 PM

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Subject Transmittal 071709 w/list of updated figures

Rosemont Copper Company delivered a draft package of 14 revised figures based on some engineering updates that they have been working on. The list of figures is contained in the a transmittal on WebEx (<https://rosemonteis.webexone.com/r.asp?a=5&id=150426>). These figures were submitted in hard copy format only. Bev and SWCA each have two complete packets for review by the specialists.

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 07/24/2008 08:16 AM

To "Jeanine Derby" <jderby@fs.fed.us>  
 cc "Art Morrison" <amorrison@fs.fed.us>, "Andrea W  
 Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson"  
 <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman"  
 bcc  
 Subject RE: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and  
 Fish Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine

Jeanine,

Thank you for following up with this. We will process the letter  
 accordingly.

Tom Furgason

-----Original Message-----

From: Jeanine Derby [mailto:jderby@fs.fed.us]  
 Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2008 6:42 PM  
 To: Tom Furgason  
 Cc: Art Morrison; Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman;  
 Heidi Schewel; John Able; John & Debbie MacIvor; Karen M Carter; Melissa  
 Reichard; Reta Laford; tciapusci@fs.fed.us  
 Subject: RE: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and Fish  
 Scoping Letter for the Rosemont Mine

I talked with Joan Scott today. This scoping input represents the  
 Department's position.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
 Coronado National Forest  
 phone: 520 388-8306  
 FAX: 520 388-8305

"Tom Furgason"  
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07/21/2008 11:41

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Subject RE: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article  
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Mine

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SWCA Environmental Consultants  
(520) 325-9194

From: johnable23@gmail.com [mailto:johnable23@gmail.com] On Behalf Of  
John  
Able

Sent: Monday, July 21, 2008 11:00 AM

To: Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel;  
Jeanine Derby; Melissa Reichard; Reta Laford; tciapusci@fs.fed.us; Tom  
Furgason; Karen M Carter; Art Morrison

Subject: [FYI] AZ Daily Star Article about Recent AZ Game and Fish  
Scoping

Letter for the Rosemont Mine

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This was prompted by a scoping letter from Arizona Game and Fish  
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John A. Able  
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cc "John MacIvor other" <jdmacivor@frontiernet.net>, "Keith  
Pohs" <kpohs@swca.com>

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Subject RE: YOUR COMMENT/REVIEW REQUESTED: Draft  
"Proposed Rosemont Copper Project Email Update: Forest  
Supervisor Jeanine Derby Replies to Inquiry from  
Representatives Grijalva and Giffords"

John,

Thank you for being proactive. Agree that we should send updates to the public regarding important milestones, decisions, or correspondence. This will allow the forest to be proactive and increase transparency.

I feel that we need to a little be careful about inviting the public to call a number of FS representatives. I recommend that one person be the point of contact (POC) to the general public. The POC will need to be supported by the FS management team for Rosemont, ID Team, and contractors. I think that it is critical that the FS provide consistent responses and one POC could achieve this. These responses, and the original inquiries, should probably be logged and tracked. Again, I think that one POC would be best suited for this. If necessary, the POC could bring individuals in on the responses as appropriate. Thanks for considering my input.

Tom

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**From:** johnable23@gmail.com [mailto:johnable23@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** John Able  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 11, 2008 6:52 AM  
**To:** Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; Jeanine Derby; Melissa Reichard; Reta Laford; Teresa Ann Ciapusci; Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** YOUR COMMENT/REVIEW REQUESTED: Draft "Proposed Rosemont Copper Project Email Update: Forest Supervisor Jeanine Derby Replies to Inquiry from Representatives Grijalva and Giffords"

I would like to send regular email updates (like the proposed message below) to the "Rosemont Project email list." Is that list developed and in a form I can use? Does anyone have a problem with such updates, especially in regard to NEPA?

Also, please review the draft message below and provide me with your feedback. I'd like to send it (or something similar) today.

"On June 5th, Coronado Forest Supervisor responded to an inquiry from Representatives Grijalva and Giffords requesting a suspension of the ongoing NEPA scoping process. Forest Supervisor Derby's reply is posted at <http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont/>.

After reading the letter, please feel free to call me or email me with any questions. If you would like to discuss the issue with Ms. Derby or Forest Geologist Bev Everson, please contact me to arrange a time to speak by phone or to meet in person.

If you would like to make a formal scoping comment about the letter or any other issue related to the proposed Rosemont Copper Project, please refer to the website link above for ways to

conveniently comment by email, FAX, or mail."

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**Tom Furgason**  
<do-not-reply@coronado.projectpath.com>

05/10/2008 09:47 AM

Please respond to  
Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
<U2386083P13243187-reply@coronado.projectpath.com>

To Heidi Schewel <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

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Subject [Coronado National Forest] Re: How to Attach a Map to a Comment?

--- Reply ABOVE THIS LINE to post a comment to the project ---

Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
Link: <https://coronado.projectpath.com/C17357763>

Tom Furgason said:

Yes, we welcome comments regarding the maps or other graphics. Probably the best format would be in writing and submitted with the appropriate figure.

Any comment made during the hearing regarding a map would need to reference the figure number. I don't think that we'd need anything submitted beyond an accurate verbal reference to the figure.

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Read the original message, view this comment, and download attachments at:  
<https://coronado.projectpath.com/C17357763>

You can always check the Overview for the latest project activity:  
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"Tom Furgason"  
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04/17/2008 03:56 PM

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"Bev Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel"  
cc  
bcc  
Subject RE: Reply to SSSR

John,

Teresa Ann and I have reviewed your response and it looks good to us.  
Thanks for the opportunity review this.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: John Able [mailto:do-not-reply@coronado.projectpath.com]  
Sent: Thursday, April 17, 2008 1:12 PM  
To: John Able; Tom Furgason; Melissa Reichard; Reta Laford; Bev Everson;  
Heidi Schewel; Andrea Campbell; Teresa Ciapusci  
Subject: [Coronado National Forest] A new file has been uploaded

Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS

John Able posted this file:

Sahuarita High School Info.doc (DOC, 179K)  
<http://coronado.projectpath.com/projects/1872812/file/14313918>  
Reply to Kim Beck, SSSR, about use of Sahuarite HS facilities by  
private groups

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Tom Furgason  
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04/11/2008 02:11 PM

Please respond to  
Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
<U2386083P12635501-reply@coronado.projectpath.com>

To Heidi Schewel <hschewel@fs.fed.us>

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Subject [Coronado National Forest] Open House and Hearing  
Schedule & Location

--- Reply ABOVE THIS LINE to post a comment to the project ---

Company: Coronado National Forest  
Project: Rosemont Copper Project EIS  
Link: <https://coronado.projectpath.com/P12635501>

Tom Furgason said:

Open Houses:

April 22 6-8 pm - Sahuarita High School  
Cafeteria-350 W Sahuarita Rd  
April 23 6-8 pm - Elgin Elementary School Cafeteria - 293  
Upper Elgin Rd

These are the latest and greatest final dates for our meetings,  
per Reta today. Reta also requested that I take a quick look at  
your draft press release prior to it's release.

Hearings:

May 12 6-9 pm-Elgin Elementary School Cafeteria- 293 Upper  
Elgin Rd  
June 7 9am-12pm-Sahuarita High School Auditorium- 350 W  
Sahuarita Rd  
June 30 6-9 pm- I am waiting to hear from Gifford's  
office on the final location- will update you soon

These are the latest and greatest final dates for our meetings,  
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your draft press release prior to it's release.

Flyers and more to follow-Thanks for your help!

Melissa Reichard

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03/22/2008 01:59 PM

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Cienega HS.jpg (JPG, 296K)

<http://coronado.projectpath.com/projects/1872812/file/13455937/Cienega%20HS.jpg>

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Aerial view of Cienega HS

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Cienega High School (Vail, AZ) auditorium (taken opposite of entrance)

P1040577.JPG (JPG, 2170K)

<http://coronado.projectpath.com/projects/1872812/file/13455830/P1040577.JPG>  
Cienega High School (Vail, AZ) auditorium

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cc "John MacIvor other" <jdmacivor@frontiernet.net>, "Melissa  
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Subject Center for Bio Diversity mass email.

All-

Following is the content of a mass email that I received from the Center for Biological Diversity (CBD) regarding the upcoming open houses. The email lists 13 questions for the public to ask of us during the open houses. We should probably be prepared to address these as best we can. However, it is my opinion that we can not address them at this time because we have not begun the analysis of the proposed project. I think that all of these questions could be reworded into issue statements that would be useful for the scoping process.

Tom

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Dear Te,

On *very* short notice, the Coronado National Forest has scheduled scoping meetings next week on Canadian corporation Augusta's proposed Rosemont Copper Mine on the east side of Tucson's Santa Rita Mountains. The National Forest is preparing its Environmental Impact Statement, and public meetings are legally required.

Scoping meetings are crucial to determine what issues the Forest Service will consider. And the public still has a chance to influence the project -- it's early in the planning process. This is a vital forum for citizens to ensure a thorough review of impacts to water supplies, the environment, wildlife, and public health and safety.

Please consider attending one of these meetings:

1. March 18, 2008, Pima Community College Desert Vista Campus, 5901 South Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, Arizona. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
2. March 19, 2008, Canoa Hills Recreation Center, 3660 South Camino del Sol, Green Valley, Arizona, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
3. March 20, 2008, Patagonia Union High School, Highway 82, Patagonia, Arizona, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

The Rosemont Copper Mine would be a mile-wide, 4,755-acre, open-pit mine on the eastern side of the Santa Rita Mountains, a biologically unique, beautiful sky island mountain range. The Center for Biological Diversity and our conservation partners hope to inspire a show of force at each meeting to make sure environmental considerations figure prominently in the decision-making process.

#### **QUESTIONS YOU CAN ASK AT THE MEETINGS:**

1. How will surface water quantity and water quality in Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek be protected?

2. How will Rosemont Copper prevent wells in nearby residential and agricultural areas from being depleted, and how will they compensate the landowners?
3. What sensitive, threatened, and endangered species might be affected by the mining proposal, and how will impacts on these species be mitigated?
4. How will natural habitat and wildlife corridors be affected by the mining proposal and a proposed pipeline, and how will these impacts be mitigated?
5. How does Rosemont Copper propose to prevent toxics from leaching out of the waste dumps and into the groundwater?
6. How will Rosemont Copper compensate Pima County for the damage their large, heavy vehicles will do to Highway 83?
7. How will Rosemont Copper guarantee the safety of school buses, tourist, and commuter traffic on Highway 83 given that, every 10 to 15 minutes, there will be large, heavy vehicles carrying dangerous chemicals and materials?
8. What studies have been done to determine how far and in what direction the airborne materials will travel and what their composition will be?
9. What will be done to protect nearby residents from toxic airborne materials?
10. What will be done to protect nearby residents, wildlife, and recreational users in the Coronado National Forest from the deleterious impacts of daily blasting?
11. Given that the mine expects to operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, what is the overall impact on light pollution?
12. What will the *cumulative* impacts be of this mine and other proposed mining operations in the vicinity on wildlife, water quality, water quantity, and air quality?
13. How does Rosemont Copper propose to protect the long-term economic health of local communities?

Other meetings may be scheduled as needed.

For those who do not attend meetings, please submit comments by mail, fax, or email as follows, through April 18, 2008.

Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701.

Fax comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader.

Email to [comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us).

For questions about the public meetings or the comment period, call (520) 388-8300.

Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont).

Visit Save the Scenic Santa Ritas' Web site for further information. [www.scenicsantaritas.org](http://www.scenicsantaritas.org)



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Subject: Q&A list

FYI-

Below is a mass email that I received from the Center for Bio. Div. They list 13 questions for the public to ask at the meetings. Unfortunately, we have not begun any analysis and can't provide answers. However, I'm sure that CBD members can turn these into issue statements that could be useful for scoping.

Tom

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The Rosemont Copper Mine would be a mile-wide, 4,755-acre, open-pit mine on the eastern side of the Santa Rita Mountains, a biologically unique, beautiful sky island mountain range. The Center for Biological Diversity and our conservation partners hope to inspire a show of force at each meeting to make sure environmental considerations figure prominently in the decision-making process.

#### **QUESTIONS YOU CAN ASK AT THE MEETINGS:**

1. How will surface water quantity and water quality in Davidson Canyon and Cienega Creek be protected?
2. How will Rosemont Copper prevent wells in nearby residential and agricultural areas from being depleted, and how will they compensate the landowners?

3. What sensitive, threatened, and endangered species might be affected by the mining proposal, and how will impacts on these species be mitigated?
4. How will natural habitat and wildlife corridors be affected by the mining proposal and a proposed pipeline, and how will these impacts be mitigated?
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9. What will be done to protect nearby residents from toxic airborne materials?
10. What will be done to protect nearby residents, wildlife, and recreational users in the Coronado National Forest from the deleterious impacts of daily blasting?
11. Given that the mine expects to operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, what is the overall impact on light pollution?
12. What will the *cumulative* impacts be of this mine and other proposed mining operations in the vicinity on wildlife, water quality, water quantity, and air quality?
13. How does Rosemont Copper propose to protect the long-term economic health of local communities?

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To "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>  
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 <mreichard@swca.com>, "Jeff Connell"  
 <jconnell@swca.com>, "Ken Houser"  
 bcc

Subject Open House staffing list

Bev,

Below is what I believe is the final meeting attendee list. Would you please confirm or edit?

Tom

**Org Name Attending Name Tag Area/ Table Tuesday March 18  
 Thursday March 20 Wednesday March 19**

|      |                  |   |     |   |   |     |
|------|------------------|---|-----|---|---|-----|
| FS   | Jeanine Derby    | x | All | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Reta Laford      | x | tbd | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Keith Graves     |   | All | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Bev Everson      | x | 3   | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Heidi Schewel    |   | 5   | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Andrea Campbell  | x | 2   | x | x | x   |
| FS   | John Abel        | x | 5   | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Faye Fentiman    | x | 5   | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Mike Grambs      | x | All | x | x | x   |
| FS   | George Amaya     | x | All | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Seth Hayes       |   | LEI | x | x | x   |
| FS   | Bob Aydelotte    |   | LEI | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Tom Furgason     | x | All | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | John MacIvor     | x | All | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Melissa Reichard | x | 1   | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Harmony Hall     | x | 1   | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Jeff Connell     | x | 2   | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Ralph Ellis      | x | 4   | x |   |     |
| SWCA | Keith Pohs       | x | 2   |   |   | x   |
| SWCA | Rion Bowers      | x | 4   | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Tom Euler        | x | 4   | x | x | x   |
| SWCA | Deanne Rietz     | x | 1   | x |   |     |
| SWCA | Ken Houser       | x | All | x | x | tbd |

- Area Name**
- 1 Welcome
  - 2 Planning
  - 3 Proposal
  - 4 Resources

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Subject RE: FYI: Online Comment System

John,

I am certainly open to looking at the software created by Limehouse and I'll also be happy to speak with Dez Shanahan with he calls. I admit though, that I share Andrea's concerns about privacy, but we can look into security issues.

SWCA will be able to introduce the database that we have developed to the ID Team after next week. From that point, I'm willing to take whatever course the Forest directs us. Thanks for looking out for the best technology to assist us with this project.

Tom

**From:** Andrea W Campbell [mailto:awcampbell@fs.fed.us]  
**Sent:** Thu 3/13/2008 6:27 PM  
**To:** John Able  
**Cc:** Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; Reta Laford; Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** Re: FYI: Online Comment System

I'm somewhat leery if this service would make individual names, addresses and other personally identifying information available with the comments OR if there are persons who work for limestone.com that would have access to such personal info.

-----johnable23@gmail.com wrote: -----

To: "Andrea W Campbell" <awcampbell@fs.fed.us>, "Beverley A Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman" <ffentiman@gmail.com>, "Heidi Schewel" <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, "Reta Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>, "Tom Furgason" <tfurgason@swca.com>  
From: "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>  
Sent by: johnable23@gmail.com  
Date: 03/13/2008 04:44PM  
Subject: FYI: Online Comment System

Word travels fast. I was just contacted by a company named limehouse.com , which is selling an online comment process that may have some value to us. I don't know what it costs, but I visited a site using their software and

the capability is intriguing. If you're interested in looking at an online public comment process, check out <http://metrolinx-consult.limehouse.com/porta/>.

You can also visit the [limehouse.com](http://limehouse.com) website for an overview.

Tom, I spoke with Dez Shanahan of limehouse. I hope you don't mind that I gave him your office number . . . so he may call in the next couple days. Of course, no pressure -- just thinking it may be of use to us if the price is right and the learning curve isn't too steep. One thing about a really accessible online process is that it might elicit more dispassionate and objective comments. The fact that they are automatically stored in a searchable database is also nice.

I have been told that the Forest Service is considering the limehouse software on a national contract, so this contact may be fortuitous. If not this project, maybe the next.



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03/13/2008 05:16 PM

To "John Able" <jable@fs.fed.us>, "Andrea W Campbell"  
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cc "Melissa Reichard" <mreichard@swca.com>

bcc

Subject RE: Do We Need a Meeting to Discuss Additional Public Meetings?

In tracking Bev's correspondence with some people in Vail I think that the Forest has demonstrated an openness to address concerns regarding lack of a meeting location in Vail. I guess I wouldn't consider this a do-over.

I suppose the real question is should we have a do-over for the other three locations. I think that this question warrants a meeting in person. It would also be a good opportunity for us to discuss how we should respond to Pima County and Gifford's request for more meetings.

Melissa and I can be available anytime from 9:00 to 1:00. It is possible to arrange our schedules to make an afternoon meeting, but I'd prefer earlier.

Tom

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**From:** johnable23@gmail.com [mailto:johnable23@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** John Able  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 13, 2008 5:05 PM  
**To:** Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; Reta Laford; Tom Furgason  
**Subject:** Do We Need a Meeting to Discuss Additional Public Meetings?

FYI: the mailing with the map correction and the new information sheet did not go out today. Perhaps that was fortuitous. Now, with the discussion of adding a meeting in Vail, I'm wondering if we need to stop the presses on the mailing scheduled for today and instead redo the original cover letter sent earlier in the week to include the new meeting. This may be important public information for those trying to decide which meeting to attend. I know a "do-over" may not be fun, but it might be necessary. Do we need a joint FS/SWCA meeting or a teleconference to discuss? What about 10 a.m. tomorrow?

----- Forwarded message -----

**From:** Beverley A Everson <beverson@fs.fed.us>  
**Date:** Thu, Mar 13, 2008 at 4:18 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Public Meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project  
**To:** John Able <jable@fs.fed.us>, Heidi Schewel <hschewel@fs.fed.us>, Faye Fentiman <ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, tfurgason@swca.com

FYI and for the admin record.

Beverley A. Everson  
Forest Geologist



or e-mail comments at any time during the analysis process. Please reassure Congresswoman Giffords that anyone wanting to participate will have ample opportunity. Public input is valuable to us and I anticipate that we will continue to receive that input throughout this process.

Jeanine Derby, Forest Supervisor  
Coronado National Forest  
phone: 520 388-8306  
FAX: 520 388-8305

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house.gov> To  
<jderby@fs.fed.us>  
03/12/2008 07:56 cc  
PM  
Subject  
Public Meetings on the Rosemont  
Copper Project

Dear Jeanine,

On behalf of Congresswoman Giffords I called and left a phone message for you today regarding the upcoming public meetings on the Rosemont Copper Project. The Congresswoman asked me to contact you to discuss both the timing and the number of meetings that have been announced.

Since your news release, the Congresswoman has received complaints from constituents who believe that longer notice should be given on these public meetings and that additional meetings are necessary. The Congresswoman is

seeking your assistance in responding to these concerns.

As you know, the proposed copper mine on the Rosemont property has resulted in significant opposition from residents, elected officials and organizations. This is an issue with widespread public interest and many people want to participate in the Environmental Impact Statement process. The manner in which this public interest is accommodated will contribute directly to the quality of the process and its ultimate credibility.

The Congresswoman requests that the meetings be rescheduled to provide more time for the public and other interested parties to prepare and participate effectively in the EIS process. Additionally, she requests that additional meetings be scheduled to ensure access for citizens in other communities including Vail and Sonoita.

Thank you for your consideration of the Congresswoman's requests.

I will be in the office all day tomorrow and hope that we can connect to discuss possible solutions.

Ron Barber

District Director

Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords

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Subject RE: name tags for public meetings

Yes. Thank you.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: Beverley A Everson [mailto:beverson@fs.fed.us]  
Sent: Thursday, March 13, 2008 3:32 PM  
To: Faye Fentiman; John Able; Heidi Schewel; Tom Furgason  
Subject: Re: name tags for public meetings

All,

Given the size of the name tags, I don't think that the background is all that important. Let's keep the picture of the Rosemont Junction area on the tags, and go with the other changes to the tags (lettering, etc.) that John and Heidi suggested earlier.

Tom, does this clarify the questions you had about changes to the name tag design?

Bev

Beverley A. Everson  
Forest Geologist  
Coronado National Forest  
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Subject

Re: name tags for public meetings

I like it!

On Mar 12, 2008, at 4:25 PM, Tom Furgason wrote:

> Bev,  
>  
> Attached are the first versions for name badges to place in a plastic  
> pocket on a lanyard.  
>  
> My preference would be to leave titles off of the name tags, but I'll  
> leave that decision up to the Forest. Once we have the layout  
> complete  
> Melissa will be able to easily create duplicate or new name tags as  
> needed.  
>  
> Tom<badge001.pdf><badge002.pdf>



"Tom Furgason"  
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03/13/2008 02:02 PM

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Everson" <beverson@fs.fed.us>, "Faye Fentiman"  
<ffentiman@fs.fed.us>, "Heidi Schewel"  
bcc

Subject RE: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet  
for Today's Mailing

John,

Attached are my comments, which can be put aside if we go with Reta's suggested changes (and I think that she did a very good job). The only comment that I have on Reta's paragraph would be to insert the word "proposal" in the following sentence: "...to ask relevant questions of technical specialists learn about the Rosemont Copper Project proposal..."

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: Reta Laford [mailto:rlaford@fs.fed.us]  
Sent: Thursday, March 13, 2008 1:04 PM  
To: John Able  
Cc: Andrea W Campbell; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; johnable23@gmail.com; Jennifer Ruyle; Tom Furgason  
Subject: Re: Immediate Review Requested: Draft Information Sheet for Today's Mailing

Looks pretty good to me.

I find that the first paragraph over-encourages questions of a technical nature. Consider re-wording something like the following (delete strikeover text, add underline text).

The upcoming initial public meetings will be conducted as open houses. These meetings will not be "hearings." No opportunity will be provided for any individual to publicly address an assembled audience. The open house format is designed to allow all attendees to move from station to station to ask relevant questions of technical specialists learn about the Rosemont Copper Project, and the required NEPA review process that the proposal will go through, as well as to obtain to submit written or oral comments onsite.

Another thing that caught my eye was the interchanging of the phrase "NEPA process" and "NEPA review". We probably should pick one phrase to consistently use.

Reta Laford, Deputy Forest Supervisor

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Laford" <rlaford@fs.fed.us>

cc

Subject

Immediate Review Requested: Draft

Information Sheet for Today's

Mailing

Here's a draft of the Information Sheet I propose for the reverse side of the corrected Rosemont public meeting map we mail out today. I also plan to put this online, along with the corrected map.

As usual, please critique without mercy. Also, my opinion, let's not rush this. If it means we wait until tomorrow to send the mailing, let's get it right. Mailing tomorrow will get it to most recipients by Saturday and everyone by Monday. Your feedback is important.

Thanks!



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cc  
bcc  
Subject RE: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare  
Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper  
Project

Heidi,

Attached is the draft public participation for Rosemont. I'd appreciate any input that the FS could provide. I'm also open to a different format or terminology.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]  
Sent: Wednesday, March 12, 2008 2:56 PM  
To: Tom Furgason  
Subject: RE: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare  
Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

Tom, here's the list I emailed to. Would you please send my a copy of the Public Participation Plan we discussed yesterday? thanks, Heidi

(See attached file: Rosemont News Release list 031108.doc)

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Subject

RE: News Release: Coronado

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Tom Furgason

-----Original Message-----

From: Heidi Schewel [mailto:hschewel@fs.fed.us]

Sent: Tuesday, March 11, 2008 4:01 PM

Subject: News Release: Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

For Immediate Release Contact: Heidi Schewel (520) 388-8484

Coronado National Forest to Prepare Environmental Impact Statement for Rosemont Copper Project

(TUCSON, ARIZONA, March 11, 2008) Coronado National Forest Supervisor Jeanine Derby submitted a Notice of Intent for publication in the Federal Register to initiate preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed Rosemont Copper Project.

The EIS will disclose the potential environmental and social effects anticipated as a result of the proposed Rosemont Mine Plan of Operation (MPO), including construction and operation of an open-pit mine and related facilities, and will determine if the Forest Plan must be amended to allow

such mining activities. In addition, the EIS may evaluate other connected actions related to the MPO, such as construction of roads and utilities.

As proposed, the Rosemont Copper Project would be located 30 miles southeast of Tucson, in Pima County, on approximately 995 acres of private land, 3,670 acres of National Forest land, 15 acres of land administered by the Bureau of Land Management, and 75 acres of State Trust land.

While the Forest Service assumes the role of lead agency in preparation of the EIS, many other federal, state, and local government agencies with jurisdiction may also participate. To assist with preparation of the EIS, the Forest Service has selected SWCA Environmental Consultants based in Phoenix, Arizona. The proponent, Rosemont Copper Company, is responsible for the cost of preparing the EIS.

A draft EIS may be available for public review by March, 2009, with a final EIS projected for completion by November, 2009.

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Questions about the EIS process should be directed to Ms. Andrea Campbell, Forest NEPA Coordinator, at 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, AZ 85701, or telephone (520) 388-8300.

Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project, including the Notice of Intent, is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont).

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1. March 18, 2008, Pima Community College Desert Vista Campus, 5901 South Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, Arizona. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
2. March 19, 2008, Canoa Hills Recreation Center, 3660 South Camino del Sol, Green Valley, Arizona, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
3. March 20, 2008, Patagonia Union High School, Highway 82, Patagonia, Arizona, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

Other meetings may be scheduled as needed.

Alternatively, for those who do not attend meetings, an initial public comment period runs through April 18, 2008. Agencies or individuals can submit comments by mail, FAX, or email as follows:

Mail comments to Team Leader, Rosemont Copper Project, Coronado National Forest, 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, Arizona 85701

FAX comments to (520) 388-8305, ATTN: Rosemont Team Leader

Or email to [comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-southwestern-coronado@fs.fed.us)

For questions about the public meetings or the comment period, the public

can call (520) 388-8300.

Questions about the EIS process should be directed to Ms. Andrea Campbell,

Forest NEPA Coordinator, at 300 W. Congress St., Tucson, AZ 85701, or telephone (520) 388-8300.

Additional information about the proposed Rosemont Copper Project, including the Notice of Intent, is available online at [www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont](http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coronado/rosemont).

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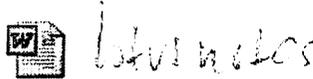
Attached are my edits. Thank you.

Tom

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**From:** johnable23@gmail.com [mailto:johnable23@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** John Able  
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**Subject:** Latest Draft Rosemont News Release -- NOT FOR PUBLICATION

Here's the latest version of the Rosemont NOI news release, which incorporates edits we discussed Friday. We can discuss any additional changes in the 9:30 a.m. meeting tomorrow.



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John,

This NOI news release is clear and well written. I have incorporated some edits and comments for your consideration. My comments are intended to leave some flexibility for the Line Officer later in the process. Feel free to reject or incorporate at your discretion.

Tom Furgason

-----Original Message-----

From: John Able [mailto:jable@fs.fed.us]  
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To: Jeanine Derby; Reta Laford; Beverley A Everson; Faye Fentiman; Heidi Schewel; Andrea W Campbell; Tom Furgason  
Subject: Draft Rosemont NOI News Release -- NOT FOR RELEASE

Here's the latest version of the draft Rosemont NOI news release. Please edit mercilessly and send me your feedback. We will discuss this at tomorrow's FS/SWCA meeting.

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I will be available.

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Tom Furgason

**Subject:** Proposed FS/SWCA Meeting, Friday, 1pm, SO Room 6V6

As we all know, at this stage in the Rosemont NEPA process there's still a million details to pin down. Tomorrow afternoon is the first time this week we could schedule a meeting for key players from the Forest and SWCA, and while I haven't spoken with everyone, I hope you all can join us for a meeting here at the SO in Room 6V6.

Just a sampling of the topics we'll want to address include the following:

- Public meeting details, including flyers, handouts, maps, whether FS employees should wear uniforms, and use of Rosemont consultants and Rosemont graphics to explain technical details.

- Contents of the mailing

- Details of the news release

- How best to disclose RCC funding for EIS costs, selection of SWCA, and whether to publish the MOU on the FS website.

- Roles -- who does what. What are the inherently governmental roles the FS must not hand off to SWCA.

Hope to see you all there.

Jeanine, if this is a bad time, please let me know and we'll modify our plans.

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Subject Rosemont Bounds of Analysis

Some of you mentioned in today's meeting that you hadn't seen these. So, I have uploaded the new drafts of the bounds of analysis maps. The only changes that were made were ones for the resources that depended on project footprint. Those were reconfigured to include the project areas of the alternatives.

Any further question should be directed to Bev or Tom.

I hope this helps!

Thanks!

Mel

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