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RE: [EXT] Otte Creek Draft SI-1

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Fri, Apr 7, 2023 at 8:38 AM

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Amy,

We went ahead and looked over your letter detailing the increases. We don't see any discrepancies; please proceed with writing an increasing letter.

Thank you!

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Attached is a draft SI for Otter Creek. First is a table summarizing all input changes from the AM-1 calculation (3 yrs ago), then the CIRCES task, and lastly a PDF map that has comments and markups on it.

I apologize for the disconnect from discussing the bond at the site vs what was produced when I was back at the office. The AM-1 calculation was based on a max of 12.5 ac needing reclamation and only 500 LF of highwall. While you guys are practicing concurrent reclamation it isn't quite that tight. Additionally certain task items with little to no changes have also gone up significantly.

In an effort to be transparent I wanted to present you guys with a draft calculation. For distances and areas I traced the satellite imagery from the assessors website since it's pretty recent. However if you guys want to fly it with a drone or shoot it and get me more precise numbers I'm totally open to it. Unit costs are fixed but I'm happy to review all input values you guys want to present. Please review the doc and provide any feedback or updated figures by May 1st so that I can recalculate it and issue the increase. If we get nothing back then I'll go ahead and issue the increase of \$86,829.00 for a \$212,111 bond.

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