

## Environmental Support for;

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Re: Update on Kirtright Pit M-1986-123, Unresolved Problems

Dear Michael,

The final revision for the Temporary Substitute Supply Plan was submitted to the SEO in early April. We expect the final approval to be forthcoming. Additionally, we are working with the SEO to dedicate water rights to the plan as an option to cover potential DRMS liability.

Sincerely,

Peter Wayland

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