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Subject: RE: Request for Addition of Blasting to Final Determination
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Hi Bill – Thanks for sending us the draft letter on blasting yesterday. Our team will need a little time to review it, but will get back to you soon if there are any follow up issues we need to discuss. We understand that you would like to receive a preliminary indication on the blasting issue by June 1 and will do our best to be responsive. However, we would rather keep our May 8 meeting focused on the wetlands mitigation issue for two reasons: 1) there are different EPA staff members involved in the two issues and Phil Colarusso, who is essential to the blasting issue, is not available on May 8; and 2) we are reluctant to leave the wetlands mitigation project lagging any further behind the South Terminal construction project. We are not even certain that another meeting on the blasting issue will be needed, but will let you know for sure once we have had a chance to review the draft report you sent us yesterday.

On a related matter, you are probably aware that our Endangered Species Act letter was sent to NMFS a week ago. We have not yet sent our Essential Fish Habitat letter to NMFS, as Phil is waiting for the Commonwealth/DMF to finalize its shellfish mitigation plan.

I look forward to seeing you next Monday morning at the ground-breaking ceremony for South Terminal, along with Curt Spalding.

Thanks,
Carl

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Carl,

As we discussed at our meeting a couple of weeks ago with you and Phil, attached is a draft letter on the subject of blasting. Our team worked hard to address your constructive advice and questions from the meeting. Additionally, we reference a number of attachments in the letter, all of which are too large to email. The letter with attachments is on Apex's Document Management System. To access the Document Management System, please insert the following login address into your browser, and then use the login and (very special) password outlined below.

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We recognize your team will need some time to digest this information, but we wanted to convey that we will make ourselves available at your convenience. I do see that we have time booked on May 8 from 10:30 – 12 noon to discuss mitigation. Our hope is to finalize a path forward by June 1, 2013 so that the contractor can plan accordingly. Toward that end, could we instead meet on May 8 to discuss blasting and follow-up on the important issues related to mitigation the following week? And if easier logistically, we would be more than happy to host any of these meetings at MassCEC.

Many thanks for your partnership.

Bill

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