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RE: WTC Daily Report for 10/10/01
DATE: Oct.9, 2001 via FAX

Summary of outstanding activities for 10/10/01.**Stray Current Investigation**

Update: Verizon placed a cell phone tower at the location on Sept 12 or 13. Their engineers investigated the site and reported no unusual conditions. TA was to conduct an investigation today. No report provided yet.

Salome Freud Drinking Water Quality informed me of elevated levels of copper in water collected from sample stations located on Water Street between Wall St and Fletcher St. Likely cause is a stray DC current in the area. PB contacted ConEd and TA Subways and asked about any DC they may have in the area. ConEd said they don't have any DC in the area, TA will conduct investigation on Monday. TA will contact EOC to make specific arrangements.

FEMA requests meeting regarding permits and the demolition of WTC

Update: Tranter's phone number was not correct. I contacted him by e-mail. I'm awaiting a response.

Robert Tranter, Regional Environmental Officer, FEMA, (646-745-1235, e-mail: robert.tranter@fema.gov) has asked to meet with appropriate Bureau representatives regarding DEP permitting issues and the demolition of the WTC complex. Tranter is looking to meet at Pier 90 on Thursday or Friday of this week. Please have an appropriate person from your Bureau contact Tranter directly. Please let me know of any meeting arranged.

Site Fence

OEM asked several city agencies including DEP to participate in a site walk-through prior to placement of an 8 ft high plywood fence around the site (map provided previously). BWSO and EMRP to attend.

Health and Safety meeting**New FDNY Command reorganized**

FDNY has reorganized ground zero command into two sectors plus the Incident Command Post (ICP). The locations of the Command Posts are:

- Vesey & West - A doublewide trailer, red
- Liberty & Church - A doublewide trailer, red
- Duane, btw Church and Broadway - ICP (at fire house).

Dust Suppression

FDNY provided two tower ladders with support today. Another should be coming tomorrow.

Battery tunnel reported to be very dusty. OEM spoke to TBTA. Cleaning arranged.

Traffic Plan

Update: Same..., no plan.

Received map of traffic routes near the site. Plan to come.... Tomorrow.

Update: Request for historical background data.

Update: Unchanged – removing this item from report.

[10/4 -Tim Dowd, Bechtel Infrastructure Corp., 212-967-0412 – cell 301-908-2869, (H&S consultant working for DDC) requested historical air monitoring data for the downtown area. He will get back to me on what parameters he is interested in.]

Quality of water to be / is being pumped from the WTC

Update: Results of previous sampling/analysis to be provided to Al Lopez for review.

NYSDOH Jim Covey and NYSDEC questioned the quality of the water to be / is being pumped out from the basements of the WTC and from the PA tunnel and into the sewers. DEC has indicated that they are willing to take the lead on this issue (plan, protocol and ultimate disposal), but they need NYC to ask for such assistance.

Diana / Al / Doug – How do you want me to handle? Please contact me.

Manpower hours for EMRP on 10/10/01:

Paul Bennett	Pier 92	9:30 AM – 10:00 PM	12 ½ hrs
Frank Vazquez	Command Bus	12:00 AM – 12:00 PM	12 hrs
Robert Kepich	Command Bus	12:00 PM – 12:00 AM	12 hrs
Joe Scafidi	Command Bus	off	

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