

Gilsenan, Michael

From: Erdfarb, Stuart [NYCDEP/QUEENS/STUARTE]
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2002 5:39 PM
To: Smyth, Virginia
Cc: Fenves, Carol; Schiano, Frank; Resnick, Risa; Gilsenan, Michael; Chapin, Diana; Singleton, Joseph
Subject: RE: Declaration of Emergency - Asbestos Remediation and Air Monitoring

Whether there will be one or two contracts is not material. Is this need to air monitor part of the FMA grant to remediate the 250 buildings. The way that Risa wrote the declaration, and as I made changes to it, will cover the need for air monitoring, whether it will be done as part of the debris-clean-up contract or as a separate contract. But, is it part of the FEMA grant?

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

From: Resnick, Risa
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2002 3:02 PM
To: Smyth, Virginia; Gilsenan, Michael
Cc: Fenves, Carol; Schiano, Frank; Erdfarb, Stuart
Subject: RE: Declaration of Emergency - Asbestos Remediation and Air Monitoring

I'm sorry, I'm not following - do we have to do another Declaration of Emergency for this?

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

From: Smyth, Virginia
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2002 12:56 PM
To: Resnick, Risa
Subject: RE: Declaration of Emergency - Asbestos Remediation and Air Monitoring

No we are talking about a new contract which will encompass the continuation of the air monitoring done under the prior declaration and also handle the air monitoring required for the debris removal. The earlier contract will expire on April 4th. Bids will be taken for the new contract, so I don't know if it will be the same contractor or not.

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

From: Resnick, Risa
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2002 12:11 PM
To: Smyth, Virginia; Erdfarb, Stuart; Schiano, Frank
Cc: Gilsenan, Michael; Fenves, Carol
Subject: RE: Declaration of Emergency - Asbestos Remediation and Air Monitoring

will the air monitoring be done by the Contractor doing the monitoring pursuant to the initial Declaration?
 The one you are talking about now is the one I drafted today, re: debris removal, right?

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

From: Smyth, Virginia
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2002 12:00 PM
To: Erdfarb, Stuart; Schiano, Frank 001
Cc: Gilsenan, Michael; Fenves, Carol 001; Resnick, Risa
Subject: Declaration of Emergency - Asbestos Remediation and Air Monitoring

After meeting with Deputy Commissioner Chapin regarding the above referenced Declaration of Emergency, it has been proposed that in order to provide a more cohesive air monitoring program, in the aftermath of the WTC disaster, that the proposed contract for air monitoring during the rooftop remediation project, include a task to continue the current air monitoring at twenty sites in lower Manhattan. Please let us know if this effort would require any revision to the Declaration of Emergency.

Gilsenan, Michael

From: WTC Hotline [WTCHotline@otbnyc.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2002 1:22 PM
To: Andrew Tucker (E-mail); Anita Sher (E-mail); Caroline Bragdon (E-mail); Chris D'Andrea (E-mail); Eddie Gabriel (E-mail); Greg Butler (E-mail); Jessica Leighton (E-mail); Jim Miller (E-mail); Laurel Blatchford (E-mail); Lee Ilan (E-mail); Liza Henry (E-mail); Louise Cohen (E-mail); Mike Gilsenan (E-mail); Nancy Jeffery (E-mail); Reena Mahajan (E-mail); Roger Hayes (E-mail); Rose Marabetti (E-mail); Sam Benson (E-mail); Sandy Mullin (E-mail); Tom Frieden (E-mail); Vince Coluccio (E-mail)
Cc: David Longshore (E-mail); Liza Henry (E-mail); Rose Marabetti (E-mail); Vince Coluccio (E-mail)
Subject: Summary of Hotline Calls Received Wednesday 3/20/2002

Good morning everyone,

The voicemail problems were finally sorted out last night and we were able to receive messages directly from hotline callers calling during off hours. I checked the messages this morning and only received 3 messages total: 1 was a test message from a hotline worker, 1 was a hang-up and 1 was a genuine caller whom I called back. Based on these results, I cannot explain why it appears that we are receiving so many calls at night. One possible answer is that our line is getting crossed with an OTB line, I was here early in the morning and received 5 calls for OTB. I have asked telecommunications to look into this problem.

Until we know whether the call volume reported is truly reflective of hotline calls, I will stop summarizing these reports. The following is a summary of calls received from 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM (our operating hours) on 3/20.

26 calls received by the system from 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM on 3/20
 18 of these calls were answered by operators
 8 of these calls were hang-ups

of the 18 calls answered by hotline operators:
 1 was a cleaning question
 4 were related to the outdoor environment
 1 was a health question
 3 were indoor air testing requests
 4 were questions for the old WTC hotline
 4 were "other" questions for DEP/DOH
 1 was school-related (PS 89)

Please e-mail us with any questions or comments.

-Caroline

Lower Manhattan Air Quality Hotline
212-221-8635, Hours of Operation 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

To reach Hotline Operators please call: 212-704-5115
 To fax Hotline Operators: 212-704-5170

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From: WTC Hotline [WTCHotline@otbnyc.com]
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To: Andrew Tucker (E-mail); Anita Sher (E-mail); Caroline Bragdon (E-mail); Chris D'Andrea (E-mail); Eddie Gabriel (E-mail); Greg Butler (E-mail); Jessica Leighton (E-mail); Jim Miller (E-mail); Laurel Blatchford (E-mail); Lee Ilan (E-mail); Liza Henry (E-mail); Louise Cohen (E-mail); Mike Gilsenan (E-mail); Nancy Jeffery (E-mail); Reena Mahajan (E-mail); Roger Hayes (E-mail); Rose Marabetti (E-mail); Sam Benson (E-mail); Sandy Mullin (E-mail); Tom Frieden (E-mail); Vince Coluccio (E-mail)
Subject: Hotline Flyers

Roger Hayes from Community Health Works just informed us that the flyer publicizing the hotline is printed and ready to distribute.

His staff will flyer a few blocks today but most of the flyer distribution will be tomorrow and Monday. The flyer will be placed throughout Lower Manhattan (south of Canal) , in residential buildings, office buildings, restaurants, post offices, stores, houses of worship, and schools. They will also be given to organizations to distribute.

NOTE: Some of the schools have asked for flyers in Chinese and Spanish and these will be translated and ready to distribute probably Wed - Friday next week (3/27 - 3/29) so we may start to receive calls later next week that require the Language Line.

Please contact Roger with comments/questions: (212) 341-9810

Lower Manhattan Air Quality Hotline
212-221-8635, Hours of Operation 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

To reach Hotline Operators please call: 212-704-5115
 To fax Hotline Operators: 212-704-5170

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Gilsenan, Michael

From: Chapin, Diana [NYCDEP/QUEENS/DIANAC3]
Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2002 4:19 PM
To: Gilsenan, Michael
Subject: Revised press release



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