

**AES Sparrows Point LNG  
CP07-62-000 and CP07-63-000  
InterAgency Meeting on Dredging/Dredged Material Disposal  
June 5, 2007  
Baltimore, MD**

The meeting convened at 10:00 AM at the offices of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE) and was attended by the COE, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Maryland Department of Environment (MDE), and FERC. There were seven attendees present and five more by teleconference. (Attendance list attached). The purpose of the meeting was to further discussions among the agencies concerning the AES sampling protocol, dredging, and disposal plans for the AES Sparrows Point LNG project, and to reach agreement on the additional information needed by the agencies.

The following issues/data needs were identified:

- How much, if any, of the AES dredged material is included in the previous Barletta-Willis permit?
- Barletta-Willis has no known disposal site for 2.0 mmcy of dredged material yet to be dredged under the existing permit.
- The COE, EPA, and MDE are very concerned about permitting any further dredging without a specific destination for placement of the dredged material/recycled material.
- Four or five of the 15 samples are not in the currently proposed dredge area. Additionally, much of the currently proposed turning basin and LNGC docking area have not been adequately sampled. Six to 10 additional sample sites/vibracores are needed by COE/EPA and will be further defined over the next two weeks. FERC will review Resource Report 13 for relevant data and report to COE/EPA. COE will check for relevant data in the Barletta-Willis application.
- The AES spoil recycling proposal does not identify a final destination for the processed dredged material (PDM), or an analysis of the make-up of the PDM, which is essential to permitting such a process.
- MDE will review the AES responses to the MDE May 7, 2007 data request for consistency with state permitting policies.
- Regardless of the disposition of the recycled material (PDM), the EPA requires a complete characterization of the dredged material prior to recycling to meet its water quality impact analysis.
- MDE is concerned about the impacts of overland transportation of dredged material or PDM to a disposal area.
- COE will address data deficiencies in a letter to AES as soon as feasible, in consultation with the other agencies.

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**Attendance List**

Kyle Zieba – USEPA  
Elder Ghigiarelli – MDE  
Tressa Ellis – MDE  
Joseph DaVia – U.S. Army COE  
Bill Muir – USEPA R-3  
Randy Mathura – AMEC Paragon  
Kevin Magerr – USEPA R-3  
Teleconference:  
Joanne Wachholder – FERC  
Laura Turner – FERC  
Medha Kochhar – FERC  
Doug Boren - FERC  
Richard Yuill – AMEC Paragon