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Re: **Tronox LLC (TRX) Facility**
Nevada Environmental Response Trust (Trust) Property
NDEP Facility ID #H-000539
Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) Response to: *Community Involvement Plan (CIP), Draft, Nevada Environmental Response Trust (Trust), Henderson, Nevada*

Dated: April 30, 2012

Dear Mr. Steinberg,

The NDEP has received and reviewed the Trust's above-identified Deliverable and provides comments in Attachment A. A revised Deliverable should be submitted **by 08/18/2013** based on the comments found in Attachment A. The Trust should additionally provide an annotated response-to-comments letter as part of the revised Deliverable.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions at wdong@ndep.nv.gov or 702-486-2850 x252.

Sincerely,

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Attachment A

1. General comment, please update all information, including the Fact Sheet and the date of the RI/FS Work Plan finalization.
2. General comment, the NDEP suggests that the Trust reference the Community Involvement Plan, US Magnesium Superfund Site, Rowley Facility, Tooele County, Utah (USEPA, 2012).
3. General comment, the community stakeholders should also include Central Arizona Project, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, Southern Nevada Water Authority and City of Henderson.
4. Section 1.0 Overview of the Community Involvement Plan, the Trust should state that the CIP will be carried to the end of corrective actions at the site.
5. Section 2.2 Site Description/Location, this section should include brief description of other adjacent properties in the Black Mountain Industry (BMI) Complex.
6. Section 3.2 History of Community Involvement. Please provide justification for using 1 mile of the site to conduct the Community Interview Questionnaire.
7. Section 4.1 Community Involvement Activities. The CIC coordinator should be updated to James Dotchin.