

AIR QUALITY MONITORING SERVICES
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Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:21 PM
To: Maggay, Kevin
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Subject: Air Quality Monitoring

Dear Kevin,

On December 7, 2010, several members of Port of LA staff met with myself and Jason Elias to discuss the potential for using other city staff to conduct the scope of work outlined in the Air Quality Monitoring and Emissions Inventories RFPs. Both RFPs were cleared for release primarily to maintain credibility of the data. Both the monitoring data and inventories are used to track progress the of our air quality programs, which are heavily scrutinized. It is important for the community and public in general to trust the work we are doing and we agreed that it was best to have a third party conduct this work. One item that we agreed to do in the future was to tour the Harbor Department's test lab to determine if it has the capability to analyze the monitoring filters in the future, rather than sending them to an outside laboratory. After examining the information from the presentation the Union has concluded that the work has minimal to no impact to our bargaining units. The Union has no objections on the work moving forward. Thank you.

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