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Community Services Area

July 15, 2010

Mr. Byron Lane, P.E., Chief
Dam Safety Program
Land and Water Management Division
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
525 West Allegan St
Lansing, MI 48909

Subject: Argo Dam, Dam ID 559, Washtenaw County
Quarterly Report

Dear Mr. Lane:

This letter serves as a quarterly report as required by the Consent Agreement dated May 6, 2010 for Argo dam. The status report is as of June 30, 2010.

1. Vegetation Management

Shrubs and brush: About 85% of shrubs and brush on the headrace embankment have been removed. Excessive rain and severe storms in the last quarter impacted our efforts to complete this removal. In addition, excessive rain and heat has accelerated re-sprouting. City crews are continuing brush and shrubs removal and re-sprouted growth and complete removal by August 31, 2010.

Trees: A few trees have been removed. Excessive rain and severe storms in the last quarter has impacted our ability to remove trees. We are now focusing on this effort so we can complete tree removal by November 2010 per the vegetation management plan.

2. Reconstruction or Repair

City is on schedule. Bid documents for repair of toe drains and Request for Proposals to reconstruct the embankment will be issued by August 31, 2010.

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3. Inspection and Monitoring

Sumedh Bahl, P.E., performed monthly visual inspections during April 2010 through June 2010. No reportable change was observed. All piezometric readings were below action levels.

Please contact me at (734)794-6000 ext 43902 or sbahl@a2gov.org if any additional information is needed.

Sincerely,



Sumedh Bahl, P.E.
Community Services Area Administrator
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