

## Andy Peters

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**From:** BENTZ Mark \* DEQ <mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 8:03 AM  
**To:** Andy Peters  
**Subject:** Request for supplemental DMRs  
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October 12, 2021

Andy Peters  
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If you have any questions about this letter's content, please contact me at [mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us](mailto:mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us) or 503-869-8264.

Sincerely,



Mark Bentz  
Water Quality Source Control Compliance Specialist  
Northwest Region, Water Quality Source Control Section

cc: permit compliance, Northwest Regional Office, DEQ  
ec: Tiffany Yelton-Bram, Manager, NWR, DEQ  
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**From:** BENTZ Mark \* DEQ <mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 1:47 PM  
**To:** Andy Peters  
**Subject:** RE: Request for supplemental DMRs

Andy,

Thank you, perfect! Everything is legible.

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NWR WQ Source Control Compliance Specialist

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**From:** Andy Peters <apeters@cityofmolalla.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 1:44 PM  
**To:** BENTZ Mark \* DEQ <mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us>  
**Subject:** RE: Request for supplemental DMRs

Mark, yes, let's try this compressed file. See if this works?

Andy

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**From:** BENTZ Mark \* DEQ <[mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us](mailto:mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us)>  
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**To:** Andy Peters <[apeters@cityofmolalla.com](mailto:apeters@cityofmolalla.com)>  
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Andy,

Thanks for the quick response!

I had complications accessing the Molalla DMRs.

DEQ IT won't let me access Dropbox, so I tried it without my VPN, and Dropbox still insists that I install Dropbox on my computer. It's a DEQ computer, so I can't install new software without authorization.

Would you please compress the DMRs and / or email them to me in smaller groups? Or, you could upload them to NetDMR or hang them somewhere else on the internet that does not require me to install access software.

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**Sent:** Monday, October 18, 2021 10:42 AM  
**To:** BENTZ Mark \* DEQ <[mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us](mailto:mark.bentz@deq.state.or.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: Request for supplemental DMRs

Good Morning Mark,

Responding to this letter, you should have received a DropBox link with the DMRs you asked for. Please let me know if there is anything else the City of Molalla can do to help.

Thank you!

Respectfully,

**Andy Peters**  
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**From:** Andy Peters  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021 2:19 PM  
**To:** PINNEY Mike \* DEQ  
**Subject:** Re: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

Understood. We have confirmed the week of December 6th then, and you are welcome for any or all of the process you are able to attend. I will bring up your concerns about SCADA integration with the team. Thanks Mike!

Andy

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**From:** PINNEY Mike \* DEQ <mike.pinney@deq.state.or.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021 1:08:39 PM  
**To:** Andy Peters <apeters@cityofmolalla.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

I am pretty open, but I don't know if I can spare a whole week.

Maybe I could enter in the middle and listen to proposals, and then weigh in at the end.

I will run it by my manager and other engineers and see if they think I should attend the entire VE event.

My biggest concern is SCADA controls and monitoring being left out, and the operators unable to know what is going on in the new plant, and being difficult to operate as a result.

## Michael Pinney PE

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**From:** Andy Peters <apeters@cityofmolalla.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021 11:44 AM  
**To:** PINNEY Mike \* DEQ <mike.pinney@deq.state.or.us>  
**Subject:** Re: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

Good morning Mike, do you have any input on the dates asked about below? If not, I think I'll probably aim for the early December week in order to stay on schedule. Thanks!

Andy

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**From:** Andy Peters <[apeters@cityofmolalla.com](mailto:apeters@cityofmolalla.com)>  
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**To:** PINNEY Mike \* DEQ <[mike.pinney@deq.state.or.us](mailto:mike.pinney@deq.state.or.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

Mike, yes, MENG Analysis will conduct the Value Engineering, here is the information:

**Sarah M. Partap, MBA, VMA**

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**To:** Andy Peters <[apeters@cityofmolalla.com](mailto:apeters@cityofmolalla.com)>  
**Subject:** RE: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

Andy,

Who is running the Value Engineering? Are you using a professional group?

Mike

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From: Andy Peters <apeters@cityofmolalla.com>

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To: PINNEY Mike \* DEQ <mike.pinney@deq.state.or.us>

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Subject: Molalla Value Engineering Schedule coordination

Good Morning Mr. Pinney, I left you a voicemail Friday but following up:

Molalla is still on track to submit its complete Pre-design Report in November, so we are preparing to schedule Value Engineering. The second Engineer will be MENG Analysis (Sarah M. Partap, Principle). Meng is working to get a proposal to us shortly, and in addition to the Dyer team, is expected to include:

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