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Reference: Questions for Scientific and Technical Committee from Community Interaction Program Participants, Hudson River PCBs Reassessment RI/FS

Dear Ann:

Hope I'm not too late to submit this question for the proposed meeting of Scientific and Technical Committee members with the Liaison Groups.

Question: If the "remedial alternative" of dredging is decided $\beta_{\text{EMF}_{177}}$ of upon following this current EPA study, what environmental benefits will the dredging accomplish?

DREDGING

Thanks for the opportunity to send questions in. The meeting should be an informative one--I just hope it doesn't coincide with jury duty, which I've just been called up for in early November.

Sincerely,

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cc: Judy Schmidt-Dean