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Hi Robert,

So far, the questions are easy. There is a potential issue brewing over scoping (isn't there always?). DFO initially indicated they would scope in the marine terminal and quarry, but I hear they are now leaning towards including only the marine terminal. This would likely anger the locally opposed citizens, who have made clear their desire to stop the quarry, and their willingness to use the media and politicians to crank up the pressure. This would be perceived as "ducking". Scoping is, of course, an RA decision, but the Agency could get some heat (e.g. "can't the Agency make them scope it in?") and may have to defend the process.



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