

#### **Meeting Agenda**

## **NV Energy Reid Gardner Station Mesa Ponds M5 and M7 and Raw Water Ponds Emergency Action Plans**

Prepared by: Michael Rojo, NV Energy Supervisor, Environmental Services

Meeting date/Time: April 9, 2020. 10:00am – 11:00am

Location: Teleconference

Invited Attendees: Solome Barton – City of North Las Vegas – Absent

Jodi Carl – Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department – Present

Stephen Neel – Moapa Valley Fire District – Present

Misty Richardson - Clark County - Absent

John Puccioni – NVE – Present Tony Garcia – NVE – Present Michael Rojo – NVE – Present Stephanie Rennick – Present

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Safety Minute
- 3. Reid Gardner Station Demolition and Remediation Update
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- 5. Emergency Action Plan Incident Response Process
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Reid Gardner Station Emergency Action Plan (EAP) - Ponds M5, M7 and Raw Water Ponds Annual Meeting April 9, 2020



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#### **Reid Gardner Demolition Update**





March 23, 2018

March 23, 2020

## Reid Gardner Station









### **Reid Gardner Demolition Update**

# Remaining demolition work to be done (thru Aug. 2020)

- 4 Remaining Buildings
- Foundation Removals
- Circulating Water Lines
- Coal Unloading Hoppers



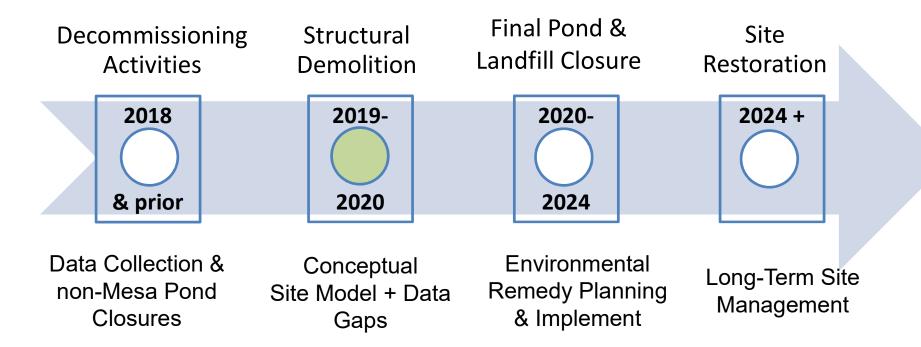




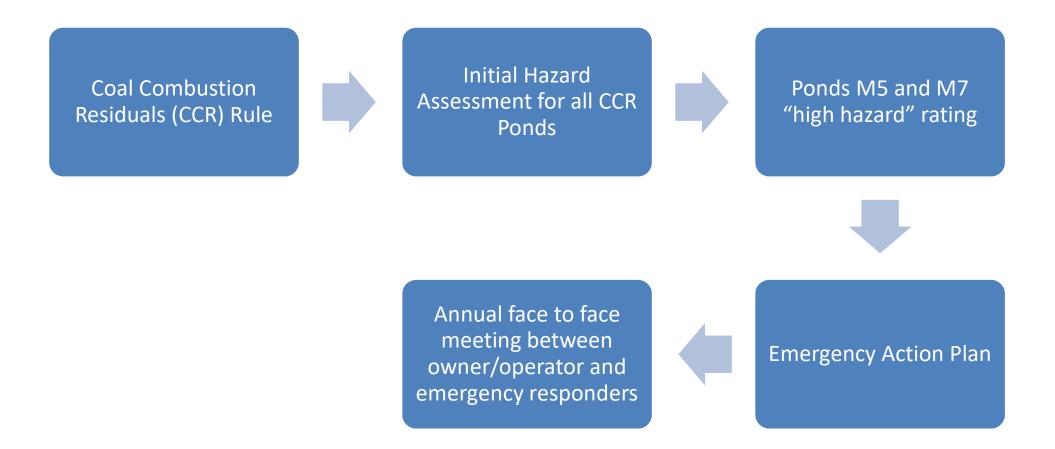
### **Remaining Facilities After Demolition**



#### **Reid Gardner Station Demolition & Remediation**



#### Regulatory Requirement for EAP Meetings



#### **Emergency Action Plan Overview**

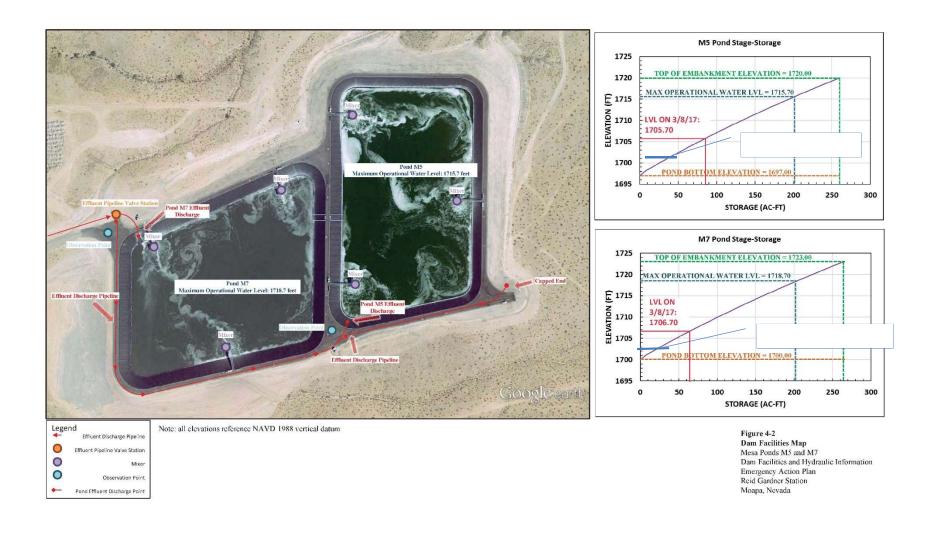
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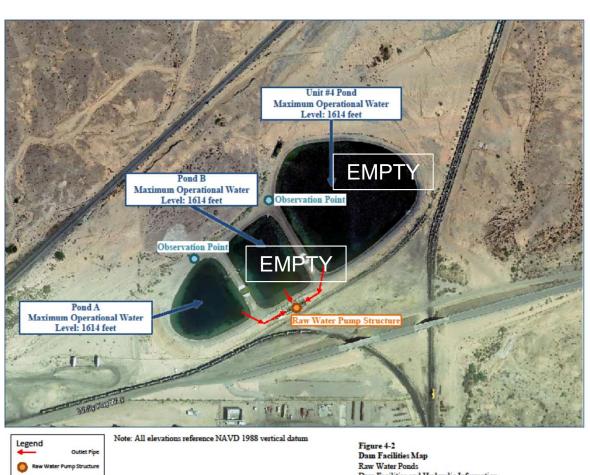
### **Ponds under the EAP**



#### Ponds M5 and M7

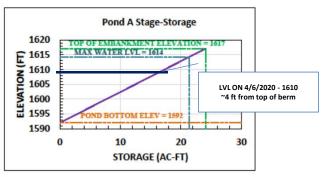


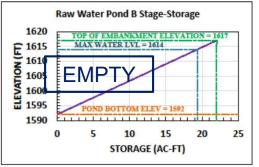
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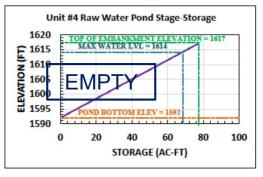




Dam Facilities and Hydraulic Information Emergency Action Plan Reid Gardner Station Moapa, Nevada

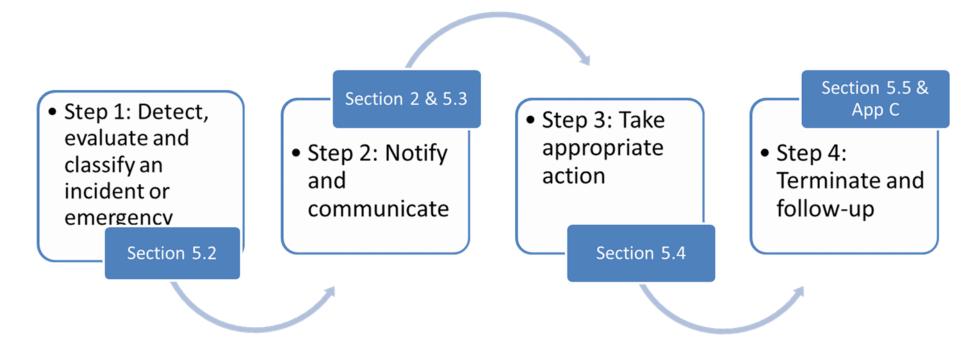






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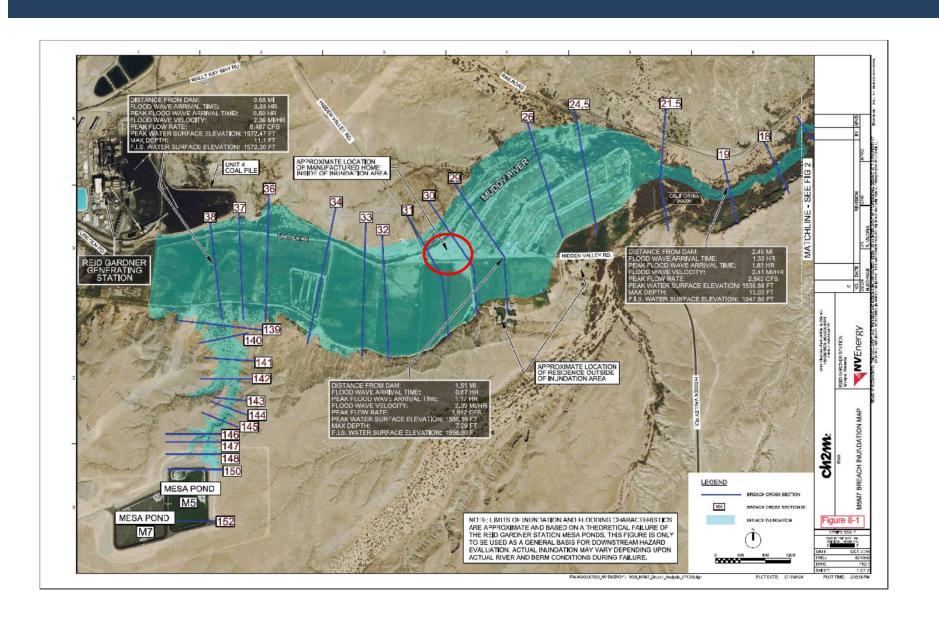
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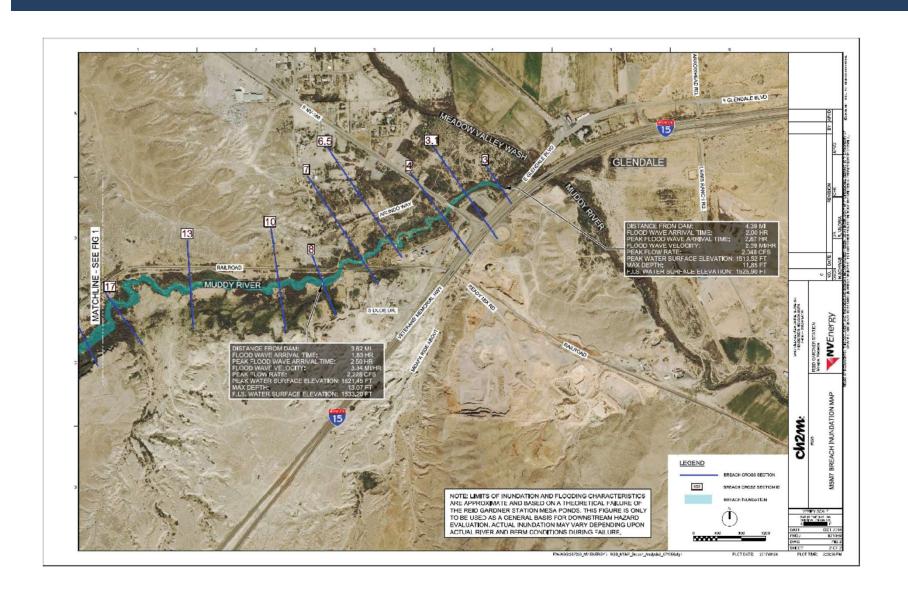
## **Incident Scenarios**

Scenario	Conditions	Response
Non-Failure	<ul> <li>water level &gt; operational level,</li> <li>minor seepage, cracking, sinkholes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Engage internal experts for evaluation, monitoring and response</li> </ul>
Potential Failure	<ul> <li>Increasing discharge from seepage, cracks,</li> <li>Water releasing from damaged structures, damaged piping</li> <li>Verified security threats that if carried out could result in damage to the ponds</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Engage emergency responders for preparation and coordination</li> <li>Engage dam-safety experts to evaluate actions to prevent failure or reduce impacts</li> </ul>
Imminent Failure	<ul> <li>Erosion of crest by large overtopping waves, water level overtopping top of berm</li> <li>Rapidly progressing seeps, sinkholes, slides of embankment slopes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>immediately initiate         evacuations</li> <li>Make emergency notifications</li> <li>Engage dam-safety experts to         evaluate actions to delay         failure or reduce impacts</li> </ul>

### **Pond M5 and M7 Inundation Map**



## **Pond M5 and M7 Inundation Map**



#### "Sunny Day" Dam Breach Analysis Results

36 mins

 time for leading edge of flood wave to reach the private residence where Hidden Valley Rd crosses the Muddy River

4,000 cfs

Max flow at the private residence

5 ft.

Max water elevation in dairy fields

1-2 ft.

Max water elevation at private residence

2 miles

• distance it takes to contain potential flood in the Muddy River banks.

#### **Emergency Actions**

## Take emergency action

- prevent or delay dam failure
- mitigate impacts if failure cannot be avoided.

# Depending on the indicators and potential level of failure, actions may include:

 monitoring berm conditions, control water levels and incoming flows, reinforce/repair berms, placing traffic controls, initiating evacuation, employing methods to divert flow post failure.

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#### **Select Roles and Responsibilities**

#### **Incident Commander**

- Ensures full response process is implemented during an event
- decides when to terminate an event

#### **EAP Coordinator**

- assist Incident Commander during emergencies
- provide training
- update documents

#### Dam Safety Engineer

- consult during emergencies
- conduct annual inspections
- assist with updating EAP

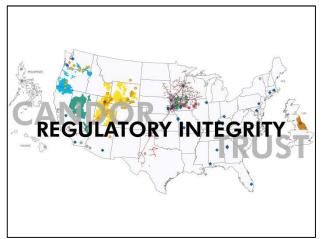
#### Emergency Management Authorities

- issue public warnings
- perform evacuations
- coordinate outside agency response













Questions?

