

EPA Comments on Kusko Sed Sampling Plan

P. 3-1, Sect 3.1, 3rd bullet. To be consistent with Section 2.3 of this workplan the follow phrase; “and food chain consumption” should be added to end of the text of this bullet.

[The requested language was added to the Final Work Plan Addendum.](#)

P. 3-6, Sect. 3.3, 1st parag. Based on the phone conference of August 24, EPA understands that a total of three attempts will be made at a sampling location to collect a surface sediment sample. If this is not correct please reply with the correct number of attempts.

[A total of three sample collection attempts will be made at each sediment sample location.](#)

P. 6-1, Sect. 6. Based on the phone conference of August 24, EPA understands the last reference, MacDonald et al 2000, cites the source of the 2008 NOAA SQuirT values for the COPCs at Red Devil Mine. If this is not correct please reply.

[MacDonald et al 2000 is the original reference for the values used in the 2008 NOAA SQuirT tables, and is the appropriate citation for the COPC screening values.](#)