



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION IX
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San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

Sent via email only

January 19, 2022

Thomas J. Paskach
San Joaquin Renewables, LLC
1521 West F Avenue
Nevada, IA 50201

Re: Administrative Review
Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permit Application
Class VI Pre-Construction Permit Application No. R9UIC-CA6-FY22-2

Dear Mr. Paskach:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (EPA) has conducted an administrative review of the subject permit application for a proposed Class VI injection well in McFarland, California. Our review included your initial application received on November 3, 2021 and your January 7, 2022 response letter with updated sections of the application to address EPA's December 3, 2021 Notice of Incomplete Application, via the Geologic Sequestration Data Tool (GSDT).

Based on our review, we have determined that the subject application is administratively complete. We will begin our technical review of the permit application. During this phase, please note that we may request additional information and clarification of previously submitted information.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Calvin Ho at (415) 972-3262, or call me at (415) 972-3971.

Sincerely,

David Albright
Manager, Groundwater Protection Section

cc (via email): Chris Jones, CalGEM Inland District
Clay Rodgers, Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
Janice Zinky, CA State Water Resources Control Board