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To: [Stein, Jonathan](#)
Cc: [Harrison, Brenda](#)
Subject: Re: [REDACTED] Complaint Letter to EPA
Date: Thursday, October 14, 2021 11:40:04 AM
Attachments: [Rockdale County Spills Report.xlsx](#)

Ms. Harrison and Mr. Stein,

Per your request, please find attached the Rockdale County Spills Report that I referenced in my previous email correspondence to you. The Rockdale County, Georgia EJSCREEN Report will follow in a separate email.

Thank you.

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On Wed, Oct 13, 2021 at 8:36 AM Stein, Jonathan <Stein.Jonathan@epa.gov> wrote:

Good Morning:

I am in the External Civil Rights Compliance Office at EPA. Other members of my team have indicated that your correspondence did not come through the Title VI Compliant mailbox. If there is an attachment, the EPA spam filters may have blocked its receipt or the size of the attachment were too large for receipt. If you were intending to file a complaint of discrimination against the City of Conyers and Rockdale County, GA, in that you believe the actions they have taken were based on one of the reasons listed below, please send again to Brenda Harrison at harrison.brenda@epa.gov. If you have attachments, you may want to send in separate emails.

As background, the External Civil Rights Compliance Office (ECRCO), within the Office of General Counsel is responsible for enforcing several civil rights laws which, together, prohibit discrimination on the basis of:

- race, color, or national origin (including on the basis of limited-English proficiency)
- sex
- disability
- age
- retaliation

by applicants for and recipients of federal financial assistance from EPA. (Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, respectively.) ECRCO is also responsible for enforcing Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 which prohibits discrimination based on sex under programs or activities receiving financial assistance under the Clean Water Act.

It is the duty of ECRCO to ensure that any entity that receives EPA funds comply with federal non-discrimination laws. ECRCO is the EPA program office designed to ensure that recipients of EPA financial assistance and others comply with the relevant non-discrimination requirements under federal law.

Best Regards,

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