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Subject: Addition to SEC statement

Pamela,

If permitted I would like to add this to my verbal statement made at the recent public meeting

"Even if there are no toxic substances encountered during the jet plow procedure the amount of silt created by the process, spread by the strong tides in Little Bay will tend to settle in the stiller areas where oysters thrive. An inordinate amount of silt settling on these beds may very well be more than the existing oysters can remove thereby smothering and killing the beds. This would effect the wild beds even more so than the oyster farms where the farmers would manually attempt to clear the silt as it settles. As I stated earlier in my statement excess siltation is one of the major threats to oyster beds"

Thank you, Rick Como