Subject

EPA awarded the City three grants for Brownfield Cleanup in Riverfront Park during the redevelopment: Havermale Island Site A, Canada Island Site B, and North Bank Site C. This Briefing is to provide the Riverfront Park Committee a status update on the grant implementation.

Status Update

March 2018 Recap:

- Early in March we encountered a significant challenge in contracting, regarding Davis Bacon wages and implementation. As of 4/2/2018 we are awaiting EPA’s legal determination on our paths forward.

- The Analysis of Brownfield Cleanup Alternatives (ABCAs) plans is on hold until the contracting challenges are resolved.

- 3/30/2018 the EPA’s required Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) draft was submitted for EPA comments.

Looking forward—April

- Resolution of the contracting challenges

- QAPP comments back from EPA

- ABCAs sent to EPA for comments

- Ability to move forward contractually

Actions

None requested at this time.

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