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November 29, 2010

James B. Martin, Region Administrator
US EPA Region 8
1595 Wynkoop Street
Denver, Colorado 80202-1129

Dear Mr. Martin:

Re: Utah Area Designation Recommendations for the 2010 NO₂ NAAQS

On February 9, 2010, EPA promulgated revised Primary National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂). Section 107(d) of the Clean Air Act establishes that it is incumbent on each state to recommend initial designations for all areas within its respective geographical boundary within one year following the date of promulgation of a new or revised standard.

Data collected along the Wasatch Front indicate that NO₂ levels are well below both the one hour NAAQS of 100 ppb and the annual NAAQS of 53 ppb. The table below shows the current NO₂ levels in the State of Utah in relation to the 1-hour and the annual average NO₂ primary standards.

Site	County	1-Hour				Annual
		2007	2008	2009	2007-2009	2009
49-005-0004	Cache	46	47	46	46	13
49-011-0004	Davis	72	63	62	66	17
49-035-0003	Salt Lake	70	63	57	63	18
49-035-3006	Salt Lake	69	64	56	63	18
49-049-0002	Utah	63	57	56	59	18
49-057-0002	Weber	65	67	64	65	22

Utah is recommending an attainment designation for Cache, Davis, Salt Lake, Utah, and Weber Counties, and an unclassifiable designation for all other areas of the State. Any questions your agency staff may have concerning this submittal may be addressed to Cheryl Heying, Director, Division of Air Quality, at 195 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, 801-536-4015. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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