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February 18, 2020

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Ms. George Padilla
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Gallup Federal Building Room 116
301 West Hill
Gallup, NM 87301

RE: Access Notification for Parcels 10B, 12, 14, and 25, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico EPA ID# NM6213820974.

Dear Ms. Padilla:

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If you have questions or require further information, please call me at (505) 721-9770.

Sincerely,

Mark Patterson
BRAC Environmental Coordinator

Enclosures: Map

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Division of Indian Affairs
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Washington, D.C. 20240

RE: Access Notification for Parcels 10B, 12, 14, and 25, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico EPA# NM62113820974.

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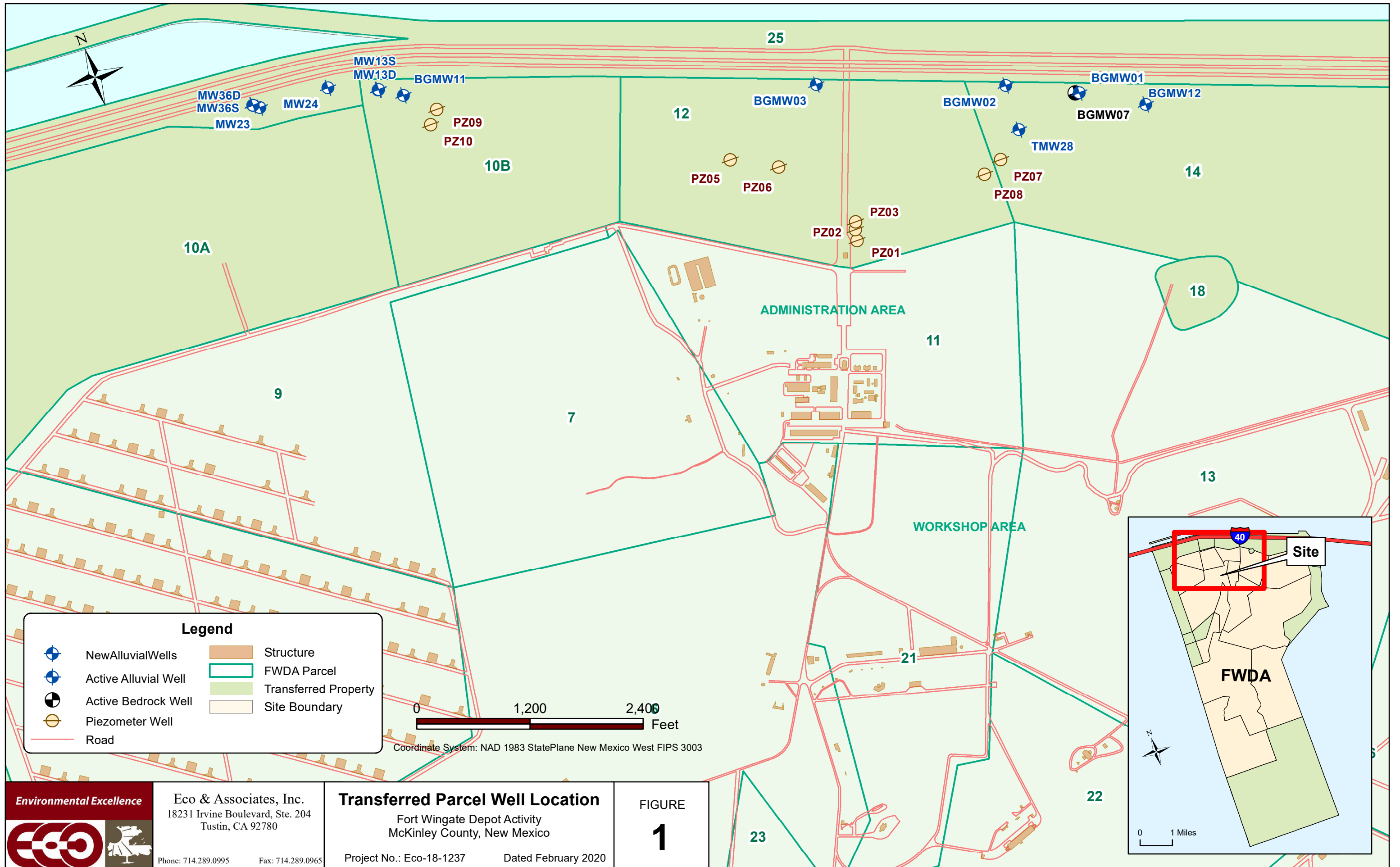
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Dr. B.J Howerton
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Reston, VA. 20191-5600

RE: Access Notification for Parcels 10B, 12, 14, and 25, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico EPA# NM62113820974.

Dear Dr. Howerton:

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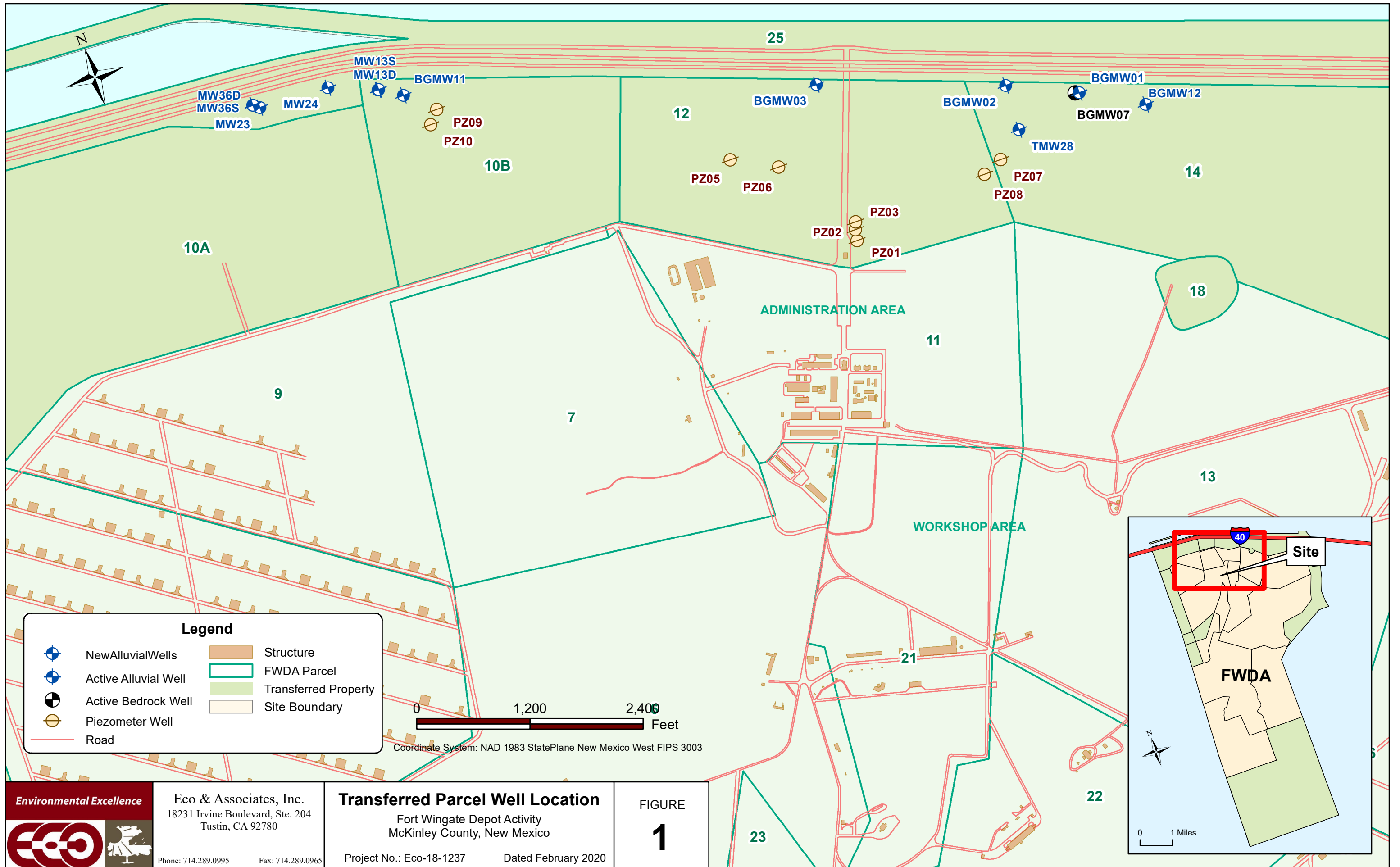
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Zuni, NM 87327

RE: Access Notification for Parcels 10B, 12, 14, and 25, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico EPA# NM62113820974.

Dear Mr. Seoutewa:

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