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FYI-

WIPP Oversight staff have reinstalled the duplicate air station at the WIPP Met Tower. This location serves as a duplicate for the Met Tower and is used for data QA/QC for the WIPP ambient air program. The air monitoring station is fully operational and will report data for CY2016 Q-3 and after.

WIPP Oversight staff also are installing four (4) new gamma radiation monitoring stations along WIPP Transportation routes. These stations are being installed this month to capture background data before waste transport to WIPP resumes. Two (2) new stations are being installed along US-285 north of Carlsbad: the Seven Rivers rest stop just north of Brantley Lake and the intersection of US-285 and the N Loop Road near Carlsbad. Two (2) new stations are being installed along NM128 (Jal Highway): at the Jal Highway/South Access Road Intersection and at a location near JAL. These new stations will improve DOE-OB gamma radiation monitoring coverage in the Carlsbad region along the current approved transport routes.

Regards,  
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