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From: "MacGregor, Katharine" <katharine_macgregor@ios.doi.gov>
Sent: Fri May 19 2017 15:40:37 GMT-0600 (MDT)
To: "Houseknecht, David" <dhouse@usgs.gov>
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Sent: Fri May 19 2017 16:01:26 GMT-0600 (MDT)
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Sent: Fri May 19 2017 16:13:15 GMT-0600 (MDT)
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