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Steel Structure America, AL-19-013

Please accept the following comments from El Paso County Public Health regarding the project referenced above:

- The 4-acre site development is provided water and wastewater services by Woodmoor Water and Sanitation District.
- Radon resistant construction building techniques/practices are encouraged to be used in this area. The EPA has determined that Colorado, and the El Paso County area have potentially higher radon levels than other areas of the country.
- Earthmoving activity in excess of one acre, but less than twenty-five acres, requires a local Construction Activity Permit from El Paso County Public Health. Go to <https://www.elpasocountyhealth.org/service/air-quality/construction-activity-application> for more information.
- El Paso County Public Health encourages planned walk-ability of commercial/residential communities. Please consider appropriate connections to any commercial/residential areas to the new school through the use of sidewalks, appropriate lighting and bike trails. Walk-ability features help reduce obesity and associated heart diseases.
- The water quality basin must have mosquito control responsibilities included as a part of the construction design and maintenance plan to help control mosquito breeding habitat and minimize the potential for West Nile Virus.

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