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Dear Dr. Steindel,

I am pleased to resubmit the revised manuscript, “A protocol to study oxidative stress caused by the mitis group streptococci in *Caenorhabditis elegans*”. We have addressed the concerns with the figures and our responses are provided below.

Editorial comments:

*1. Figure 5 is fairly low-resolution; in particular it is impossible to read the scale bar labels. Can you provide a higher-resolution version of this and/or indicate the length of the scale bars in the legends?*

**We have included sentences in the legends for figure 5 describing the length of the scale bars.**

*2. Please remove ‘Figure 3’, etc. from the Figures themselves.*

**We have made these changes to the figures.**

We hope that we have addressed the changes requested by you. Thank you for considering our manuscript.

Sincerely,



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