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Richland Operations Office

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REPLY TO ATTN OF: ORP:RWR 10-ESQ-017

SUBJECT: ANNUAL NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT (NEPA) PLANNING SUMMARY

TO: Scott Blake Harris, General Council
Office of General Council

The attached Annual NEPA Planning Summary for the Hanford Site has been prepared to fulfill requirements in DOE O 451.1B. Separate summaries have been prepared for the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Richland Operations Office and the Office of River Protection. The summaries briefly describe the status of ongoing Hanford NEPA compliance activities and any expected environmental assessments which may be required in the next 12 months or any expected environmental impact statements or supplement analyses which may be required in the next 24 months. Where available, the schedule for completion and estimated cost of each NEPA review is also identified. In addition, environmental impact statements prepared by other Federal agencies for which DOE Hanford is a cooperating agency have been included.

If you have questions, please contact Woody Russell, NEPA Compliance Officer, (509) 373-5227 or Woody_Russell@orp.doe.gov.

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Annual NEPA Planning Summary

Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Impact Statements

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule		Description
Tank Closure and Waste Management EIS, Hanford Site DOE/EIS-0356		Determination Date:		The Tank Closure and Waste Management Environmental Impact Statement (TC & WM EIS), DOE/EIS-0391 is an expansion and renaming of the TC EIS. The TC & WM EIS considers the impacts of the proposed retrieval, treatment, and disposal of the waste being managed in the tank farms at the Hanford Site, closure of the 149 single-shell tanks and associated facilities in the tank farms, additional tank waste treatment capacity, reanalyzes waste management activities and off-site waste volumes from the Final Hanford Solid Waste Program EIS, January 2004, DOE/EIS-0286F, and decommissioning alternatives in the cancelled FFTF EIS, DOE/EIS--0364. The Washington Department of Ecology is a Cooperating Agency on this EIS.
		NOI:	2/6/06	
		Scoping:	Mar-06	
		Draft	10/30/09	
		Hearings	Jan and Feb 2010	
		Final		
	$49,000,000	ROD		
Yakima River Basin Water Storage Feasibility Study and Environmental Impact Statement		Determination Date:		Bureau of Reclamation (BOR) prepared this EIS. Washington State Department of Ecology, a co-lead for the draft EIS is a cooperating agency as is DOE for the Final EIS. One alternative - Black Rock Reservoir could potentially increase the groundwater flow and raise the water table beneath the Hanford site. The No Action Alternative is identified as the Preferred alternative in the Final EIS. Since additional information about mitigation of seepage from Black Rock Reservoir is contained in the Final EIS, a 45-day
		NOI:	12/29/06	
		Scoping:	1/31/07	
		Draft	01/29/08	
		Hearings		
		Final	12/19/08	
		ROD	4/3/09	
		Supplement Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
		Supplement Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
	Total Estimated Cost			

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Upgrades and Life Extension of the 242-A Evaporator, Hanford Site, Richland, Washington Conducted Under the *American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009*		Determination Date:	2/5/2009	In the near-term, DOE proposes to install a new leak detection system, replace the majority of the process instrumentation and upgrade the HVAC exhaust by installation of new exhaust fans and HEPA filter trains. Additional operation and maintenance upgrades are proposed in out-years. A fifteen day public comment period was held; two commenters responded.
		Transmittal to State:	9/3/09	
		EA Approval:		
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		Determination Date:		
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Total Number of Ongoing EAs: 0	**Total Estimated Cost**			
	$0.00			

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Annual NEPA Planning Summary Environmental Impact Statements Expected to be Prepared in the Next 24 Months

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NONE		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
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		Hearings		
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