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Mr. Michael R. Ault
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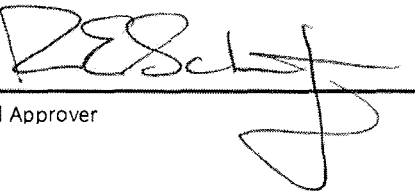
Subject: Response to US Ecology Letter, *Extension of Settlement Agreement*

Dear Mr. Ault,

We have reviewed your letter, *Extension of Settlement Agreement*, dated March 26, 2019 in which Energy Northwest was invited to respond to proposed revisions to a Settlement Agreement dated April 20, 2007. Energy Northwest does not have any issues with US Ecology's proposed modifications.

In your letter, you indicate that US Ecology (1) is seeking to maintain the rate structure utilized for 2019; and (2) revise the *Annual Projection* methodology outlined Section 1(b) of the Settlement Agreement by allowing US Ecology to develop annual projections of Low Level Radioactive Waste to be received at its Richland, Washington facility. US Ecology has proposed the revision above with the intent of promoting budgeting consistency and accuracy. Energy Northwest has no concerns with this approach and agrees with extending the settlement agreement through 2025.

Respectfully,

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Final Approver

RE Schuetz
Vice President, Operations

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Organization: Puget Sound Naval Shipyard & IMF

After review of the 2008 Settlement Agreement our organization:

Agrees with extending the agreement through 2025.

Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).

Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Comments:

PSNS & IMF has no opinion with extending the agreement. In regards to the changes
proposed for paragraph 1(b) it is recommended that the projection determined by
US Ecology be provided to customers whom either do not respond, or whom US Ecology
determines are over estimating their use of the facility. This will allow those customers to
budget for that year's expense, as well as respond in cases of higher than normal waste
generation.



Signature

Head, Radiological Engineering Division

Title

Nicholas J Luckeroth

Printed Name

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1777 Terminal Drive
Richland, WA 99354-4952

or by email to:
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Organization: Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard & IMF

After review of the 2008 Settlement Agreement our organization:

Agrees with extending the agreement through 2025.

Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).

Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Comments:



Signature

RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL SPECIALIST
Title

KRISTOFFER OLSEN
Printed Name

Organization: Perma-Fix Northwest, ~~PERMA-FIX~~ RICHLANDS, INC

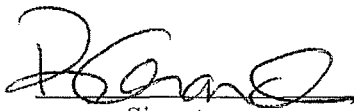
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_____ Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).

RB Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Comments:


Signature

VP/GM PFNW
Title

RICHARD GORDIN
Printed Name

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Organization: Framatome Inc.

After review of the 2008 Settlement Agreement our organization:

Agrees with extending the agreement through 2025.

Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).

Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Comments:

NO COMMENTS

Calvin Manning
Signature

Manager, Licensing & Compliance
Title

Calvin Manning
Printed Name

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Organization: Environmental Management & Controls, Inc.

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Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).

Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Verbal indication per phone conversation May 15, 2019

Comments:

Signature

Title

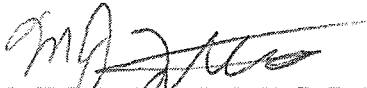
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Organization: University of Washington

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- Disagrees with extending the agreement (see objections below).
- Has no opinion (does not agree or disagree) with extending the agreement.

Comments:



Signature

RAM Compliance Mgr

Title

Michael J. Little, CHA

Printed Name

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Organization: Washington State University

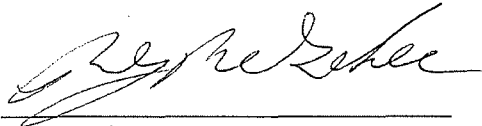
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Comments:



Signature

Radiation Safety Officer

Title

Rey McBehee

Printed Name

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