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Dear Ms. Urquhart-Foster and Mr. Young:

***SUBMITTAL OF THE RDWP/RAWP FOR THE GROUNDWATER FIELD
DEMONSTRATION AT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT DISPOSAL
FACILITY, OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE (DOE/OR/01-2948&D1)***

In accordance with the *Federal Facility Agreement for the Oak Ridge Reservation* (FFA), the U.S. Department of Energy submits the enclosed subject document for your review and comment. This submittal fulfills the FFA Appendix E milestone for transmittal of this document by May 24, 2023.

The Remedial Design Work Plan/Remedial Action Work Plan presents the approach for the Groundwater Field Demonstration (GWFD) as described in the Environmental Management Disposal Facility Record of Decision. This Remedial Design Work Plan/Remedial Action Work Plan describes the GWFD design and implementation approach. The GWFD is not part of the remedy but will inform the final landfill design. The GWFD is designed to approximate the elimination of recharge to groundwater from construction of the Environmental Management Disposal Facility landfill in the knoll area.

By agreement between the FFA parties, an expedited review of the document is being requested. Comments or approval are requested by June 30, 2023. To assist in meeting seasonal restrictions for project execution, the U.S. Department of Energy is requesting no extensions to FFA review periods of the D1 document.

Ms. Urquhart-Foster/Mr. Young

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If you have any questions or if we can be of further assistance, please contact Brian Henry at (865) 241-8340 or Roger Petrie at (865) 316-4063.

Sincerely,

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