

STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

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Mr. Roger Petrie
Federal Facility Agreement Manager
Oak Ridge Office of Environmental Management
U.S. Department of Energy
Post Office Box 2001
Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37831

Dear Mr. Petrie

Re: Submittal of Proposed Changes to the Federal Facility Agreement Enforceable Appendix J Milestones Dated November 12, 2024

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Remediation-Oak Ridge Office (DoR-OR), has reviewed the above referenced submittal pursuant to the Federal Facility Agreement (FFA) for the Oak Ridge Reservation (ORR). With the addition of the Exposure Unit 4C project and associated milestone for soil remediation within the Upper East Fork Poplar Creek (UEFPC) watershed to address known sources of mercury contamination, TDEC approves the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) proposed Appendix J submittal. TDEC requests DOE ensure their upcoming budget requests identify the funding needs to complete this work.

TDEC will continue to work with DOE to refine these outyear milestones to reflect FFA tri-party discussions regarding remediation on the ORR. Questions or comments concerning the contents of this letter should be directed to Randy Young at (865) 310-1157.

Sincerely

Randy C Young FFA Manager

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