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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

Division of Remediation - Oak Ridge  
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U.S. Department of Energy  
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Dear Mr. Petrie

**Notification of Planned Cleanout Activities at Melton Valley Weirs (White Oak Creek and Melton Branch Weirs)**

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Remediation Oak Ridge Office, has reviewed the above referenced submittal pursuant to the Federal Facility Agreement for the Oak Ridge Reservation. TDEC received the document on August 20, 2025. The State approves the proposed actions to cleanout accumulated sediment at both the White Oak Creek and Melton Branch weirs as described in the previously approved document. Also, the U.S. Department of Energy should make every effort to minimize the spread of contamination while performing the actions in the creek.

Questions or comments concerning the contents of this letter should be directed to Jessica Core at (865) 895-0795.

Sincerely

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