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Subject: Progress Report for December 2022, Warden City Water Supply Wells No. 4 and 5. Washington Facility Site ID No. 2802409; Cleanup Site ID: 1618 Agreed Order No. DE 16890

Dear Christer:

The J.R. Simplot Company (Simplot) entered into an Agreed Order (AO) (No. DE 16890) with the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) to provide remedial action at 1800 W. 1st Street, Warden WA, 98857.

Per the AO, Simplot shall submit to Ecology written monthly progress reports that describe the actions taken during the previous month to implement the requirements of the AO.

The AO requires that the progress reports include the following:

- a. A list of on-site activities that have taken place during the previous month;
- b. Detailed description of any deviations from required tasks not otherwise documented in project plans or amendment requests;
- c. Description of all deviations from the scope of work and schedule during the previous quarter and any planned deviations in the upcoming quarter;
- d. For any deviations in schedule, a plan for recovering lost time and maintaining compliance with the schedule;
- e. All raw data (including laboratory analyses) received by Simplot during the past quarter and an identification of the source of the sample; and
- f. A list of deliverables for the upcoming quarter if different from the schedule.

Activities in December 2022

- Comments on the Groundwater Well Installation Plan (HDR 2021) were received from Ecology; Simplot/HDR are currently working on incorporating comments to a revised Plan.

Anticipated Activities for January 2023

- Simplot/HDR will resample the IDW water drums on site due to multiple internal laboratory qualifiers on the first round of sampling.
- Simplot/GrayMar to coordinate the shipment of spent carbon to Waste Management Subtitle C landfill in Arlington, Oregon.
- Simplot/HDR will incorporate SVE remedial activities into the draft cleanup action report and submit to Ecology in May 2023.
- Simplot/HDR will incorporate Ecology comments on the Groundwater Well Installation Plan and submit to Ecology in January 2023.

If you have questions please feel free to contact me at (208) 387-7018 or at tyler.allen@hdrinc.com or Molly Dimick of Simplot at (208) 220-6597 or at molly.dimick@simplot.com.

Respectfully,
HDR Engineering, Inc.



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