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Subject: U.S. Army Yakima Training Center – Agreed Order for RCRA Corrective Action

Dear Ms. Ghebresllassie:

The State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) would like to invite the United States Army (Army) to negotiate an Agreed Order to address the releases (and potential releases) of hazardous substances at the Yakima Training Center. The Agreed Order will formalize the mutual objective of the Army and Ecology to conduct the remedial actions recommended by the Army, in the 2015 **Final RCRA Corrective Action Completion Report Yakima Training Center, Yakima, Washington**.

I have attached a draft of the agreed order and look forward to meeting with you in March to discuss it. It is Ecology's goal to have the agreed order finalized by the end of May 2019.

Sincerely,

Thomas L. Mackie, LHG

Hydrogeologist - Site Manager

Hazardous Waste and Toxics Reduction Program

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Attachment