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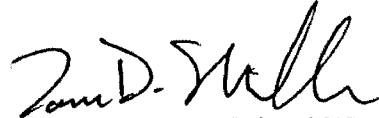
Mr. John Kieling, Chief
Hazardous Waste Bureau (HWB)
New Mexico Environment Department (NMED)
2905 Rodeo Park Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Mr. Kieling

In response to your conditional approval of the Kirtland Air Force Base (AFB) *EDB Interim Measure Implementation Plan*, I am submitting Kirtland AFB's response to the five conditions set forth in your letter dated 10 March 2015. The attached permitting timeline schedule, revised *Final Groundwater Extraction Well KAFB-106228 Aquifer Pilot-Test Work Plan*, and response to EPA comments table address your request for an additional permitting timeline schedule, separate extraction well construction work plan, response to EPA concerns for the January 2014 aquifer test results and additional extraction well aquifer testing requirements.

Please contact Mr. L. Wayne Bitner at (505) 853-3484 or at ludie.bitner@us.af.mil or Mr. Scott Clark at (505) 846-9017 or at scott.clark@us.af.mil if you have questions.

Sincerely


TOM D. MILLER, Colonel USAF
Commander

Attachments:

- Attch 1: Schedule with permitting timelines
- Attch 2: Revised Final Groundwater Extraction Well KAFB-106228 Aquifer Pilot-Test Work Plan
- Attch 3: Response to Comments Table for comments received from EPA on Jan 2014 Aquifer Testing Report

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- NMED (Roberts) w/ attach
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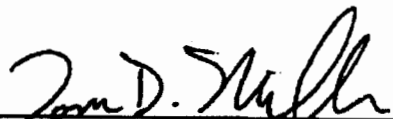
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