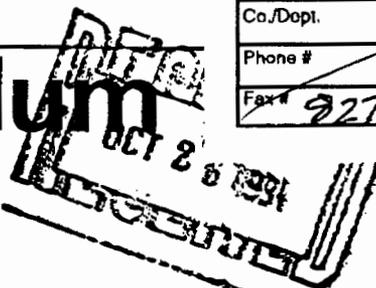


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SUBJECT: Comments on Updated Ground Water Protection Management Program Plan (GWPMPP)

TO: Steve Rae, ESH-18, LANL, MS-K490

LAAO has completed review of the above-referenced GWPMPP and has attached comments. Overall the GWPMPP is a significant enhancement over past efforts. Our comments primarily focus on expanding the detail provided on well rationale, providing associated data quality objectives, vadose zone monitoring objectives, additional cost data for studies, definition of resource requirements, schedules for individual activities and inclusion of authorities and accountabilities for the Project Leader. Many of these comments were previously provided in a DOE memorandum. LAAO requests that the plan be revised to incorporate our comments.

After revision, LAAO will transmit the revised GWPMPP to the NMED Agreement in Principle (AIP) staff. LAAO will request the AIP staff to conduct a technical review of the adequacy of the proposed deep well monitoring network based on the rationale provided in the GWPMPP and their expertise, and provide LAAO and LANL technical comments at a subsequent meeting.

The joint effort between NMED AIP, LAAO, and LANL will take several more months and meetings to complete. Future technical meetings will address plugging and abandonment, shallow alluvium and intermediate zone wells, ongoing and proposed LANL Environmental Management Programs projects, vadose zone studies, environmental surveillance monitoring frequency, prioritization of planned actions and Project Leader accountability/authority prior to finalizing the plan.

Please refer any questions or comments on this matter to Ken Zamora, Scientech, LAAO, at 665-5047.

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