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Attached is action item listing, environmental sample tables, filter status graphs, and the WCS contract for today's call. I posted the results from the HEPA filter test on the ICLN portal.

Below is a summary of the discussion points for today: (Please note, activities and dates are subject to change. Please verify the most current dates of any information provided).

- Work has been paused on installation of the vacuum break in the duct; questions are being addressed dealing with design specifications. (No change)
- Station A and B Sampling: A CAM was installed at Station B and is operating. Connection to the Central Monitoring complete. The CAM will be operated until 4/7 in a test mode prior to allowing repopulation of the site. Discussions are underway regarding the safety basis strategy for the CAM utilization. (No change)
- SS and AIS Shaft/Rope Inspections: The AIS was not inspected yesterday and will be inspected today. The SS will be inspected Thursday. Going thru "implementation verification review" of procedures to verify re-entry for tomorrow.

- Initial Manned Re-entry of U/G: Personnel will enter the mine and survey the area between the SS and AIS. This entry will not occur until tomorrow. Decision was made to have personal samplers and have not arrived from Fed Ex.
- Establishment of Work Area in the Underground (Phase 2b, Activity 2): Follow-on manned entries will be made in the underground down to S1600 to establish staging areas, decontamination areas, set-up CAMs, test communication and safety equipment. These entries will occur no earlier than Friday, based on the conditions observed tomorrow.
- Contamination survey to the waste face (Phase 3): After the area between the shafts is surveyed, a team will enter the mine, perform initial characterization and attempt to identify the contamination source and location. The review of site Safety Management Plans and the implementation of compensatory measures to address critical weaknesses identified in the AIB reports, may impact this entry into or beyond the week of April 7. (No change)
- The aerosol test on the HEPA filters has been conducted. Both banks of HEPAs passed and the report has been posted. Replacement HEPA filters are due to arrive starting this week. Posted on ICLN webpage – done on nonconformance report form – go through and will see email with explanation.
- Shipments of TRU waste from LANL to WCS are planned to commence the evening of 4/1. (No change)
- NWP has provided a recommendation to DOE regarding the salt sales, which is being reviewed. (No change)
- Friday briefing with DNFSB.
- Action Item List Discussion – Phase 2a and b sent out yesterday
- Item 20 – had meeting to discuss response.
- Item 23 – Conf. Call with EPA 2:00 today

As a reminder, the call-in number is (866) 723-6758, code 8040901#

Thanks

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