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Hazardous Waste Bureau**



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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

February 8, 2018

Todd Shrader, Manager
Carlsbad Field Office
Department of Energy
P.O. Box 3090
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-3090

Bruce C. Covert, Project Manager
Nuclear Waste Partnership, LLC
P.O. Box 2078
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221-2078

**RE: FEE ASSESSMENT
CLASS 2 PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUEST
WIPP HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT
EPA I.D. NUMBER NM4890139088-TSDF
INVOICE HWB-WIPP-17-005**

Dear Messrs. Shrader and Covert:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) acknowledges receipt of a Class 2 Permit Modification Request (PMR) pertaining to the WIPP Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. The PMR consists of the following two separate items: 1) *Training Program Revisions* and 2) *Changes Due to Construction and Operation of a New Filter Building*. The PMR submittal letter was dated November 29, 2017 and was received on December 3, 2017.

The New Mexico Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fee Regulations, 20.4.2.201.B(2) NMAC require the assessment of fees. The fee invoice is attached to this letter. Payment is normally due within sixty (60) calendar days from the date that you receive the invoice in accordance with 20.4.2.301.C NMAC. However, because NMED submitted an assessment of supplemental permit fees to the Permittees for the current State fiscal year, and the Permittees transmitted payment of these fees, the fee invoices have been effectively paid under these supplemental fees.

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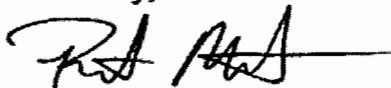
Messrs. Shrader and Covert

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 476-6050.

Sincerely,

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Ricardo Maestas

WIPP Staff Manager

Hazardous Waste Bureau

**Cc: D. Biswell, NMED HWB
H. Tellez, NMED HWB
M. McLean, NMED HWB
J. Valdez, NMED HWB
File: WIPP '18**



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**Carlsbad, NM 88221-5608
Attn: Philip J. Breidenbach**

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Class 2 Permit Modification Request: 1) Training Program Revisions and 2) Changes Due to Construction and Operation of a New Filter Building

Quantity	Item	Item Cost	Total Cost
1	Class 2	\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00
		Total Fees	\$6,000.00
		Adjustment	\$0.00
		Pay This Amount	\$6,000.00

**PAID BY
SUPPLEMENTAL FEE
AGREEMENT
FEBRUARY 8, 2018**

Make Checks Payable to: NMED/HWB

Mail Checks and Invoice to:

**New Mexico Environment Department, HWB
Attn: James Valdez
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg 1
Santa Fe, NM 87505**

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize the State of New Mexico to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction.

Check Number: _____

Amount Received: _____

Date Received: _____