



**Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested**

December 12, 2021

Brian D. Knight  
Environmental Division (Building 163)  
U.S. Army White Sands Missile Range  
White Sands Missile Range, NM 88002-5000

**RE: APPROVAL  
EXTENSION REQUEST TO PAY 2022 ANNUAL FEE  
WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, NEW MEXICO  
EPA ID #NM 2750211235  
HWB-WSMR-2021-AF**

Dear Mr. Knight:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received White Sands Missile Range (the Permittee) extension request for payment of the 2022 annual fee, dated November 30, 2022. The Permittee has requested a 60-day extension of time to pay the 2022 Annual Fee (Invoice# HWB-WSMR-2022-AF) in accordance with NMAC §20.4.2.301 (C).

Section I.M (Provisions Governing Extensions of Time) of the 2009 RCRA Permit states that "[t]he Permittee may seek an extension of time in which to perform a requirement of this Permit, for good cause..." The Permittee has demonstrated good cause for the extension request; therefore, NMED hereby issues this Approval. The Annual Fee must be submitted to NMED no later than **February 10, 2023**, as requested.

If payment is by check, then you must provide the invoice number on the check. If payment is transmitted electronically, then you must submit a letter to Mr. Dave Cobrain, NMED Hazardous Waste Bureau, indicating the invoice number, payment amount, and the assessed activity prior to transferring funds.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Rob Murphy of my staff at (505) 795-1403.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dave Cobrain".

Dave Cobrain  
Program Manager  
Hazardous Waste Bureau

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cc: V. Baros, NMED HWB  
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B. Avalos, WSMR  
J. Smith, WSMR

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