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November 29, 2022

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Re: Approval letter for the Request for Information (RFI) - 01 to the Butte Priority Soils Operable Unit (BPSOU) Final 2022 Unreclaimed Sites Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) (dated August 31, 2022)

Dear Mike:

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in consultation with the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), is approving the Request for Information (RFI) No. 1 (dated November 15, 2022) to the *Final 2022 Unreclaimed Sites QAPP (dated June 8, 2022)*. Please attached the signed document revision summary page (with original approval signatures) and the signed UR-FRE-SOW RA RFI-01-2022 to the QAPP and re-distribute.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at (406) 457-5019.

Sincerely,

Nikia Greene
Remedial Project Manager

Attachments: signed revision summary page (electronic version), signed UR-FRE-SOW RA RFI-01-2022 (electronic version).

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