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Re: Approval letter for the Butte Priority Soils Operable Unit (BPSOU) Draft Final Insufficiently Reclaimed Sites – Field Sampling Plan (FSP) BRES No. 16 – Curry (dated January 12, 2022)

Dear Mike:

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in consultation with the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), is approving the *Draft Final Insufficiently Reclaimed Sites – Field Sampling Plan (FSP) BRES No. 16 – Curry (dated January 12, 2022)*. Please note that historic sample TB-SO-05 as indicated within the text is not included on Figure 1. It is EPA's expectation that this correction will be made prior to final distribution of this FSP. Please attach the Reclaimed Areas Maintenance and Monitoring Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) and the Unreclaimed Sites QAPP to this FSP and distribute this FSP as final once the correction has been addressed.

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

Sincerely,

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