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**Re: Approval letter for: Final Butte Priority Soils Operable Unit, 2021 Unreclaimed Sites
Sampling UR-03 Site Evaluation Summary Report (February 7, 2023)**

Dear Mike:

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in consultation with the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), is approving the *Butte Priority Soils Operable Unit, 2021 Unreclaimed Sites Sampling UR-03 Site Evaluation Summary Report (dated February 7, 2023)* as final. Furthermore, EPA and DEQ looks forward to reviewing the results from the additional waste characterization activities that will be performed by Atlantic Richfield Company at this site.

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

Sincerely,

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