

## OTHER SIGNIFICANT HANFORD CLEANUP

### Environmental Restoration Project:

- The original Environmental Restoration Disposal Facility (ERDF) cells are full and wastes are now being disposed in new cells built to meet expansion needs as cleanup proceeds. To date, the Bechtel Hanford-led Environmental Restoration Contractor (ERC) team has removed nearly 2.4 million tons of contaminated soil and debris from cleanup sites along the Columbia River and safely disposed of it in the ERDF.
- In a four-month “spring cleaning” effort, the ERC team safely removed nearly 80 tons of legacy waste from the K East and K West reactors, working in concert with Fluor Hanford’s preparations to remove spent fuel from the K Basins. Legacy waste refers to spare parts, tools and equipment abandoned in place after closure of the reactors.
- Decontamination and decommissioning work by the ERC team continues at plutonium concentration facilities in 200 West and 200 East.
- Reactor interim safe storage, or cocooning, of the DR and F reactors is under way.



*To date, 16 wells have been drilled to inject a barrier that prevents toxic chromium from spreading underground to the Columbia River.*