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THE HANFORD SITE

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TO: All Hanford Site Employees

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****PLEASE SHARE THIS MESSAGE WITH THOSE WHO ARE NOT ON COMPUTERS****

Effective on Tuesday, 25 May, fully vaccinated Federal employees, contractors, and visitors entering or working at the Hanford Site and associated facilities will no longer be required to wear a face covering, consistent with the guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention issued on 13 May. Individuals who have not been fully vaccinated are still required to wear a face covering, consistent with CDC guidelines. People are considered fully vaccinated either two weeks after their second dose in a two dose series (i.e. Pfizer or Moderna vaccines) or two weeks after a single dose vaccine (i.e. Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine). There is no change in the site telework posture being issued in conjunction with change in mask requirements for those fully vaccinated.

The success of implementing this change in COVID-19 protocols for those fully vaccinated relies on the integrity of each member of our workforce to act responsibly and respectfully. When this change is implemented on 25 May, individuals who have not been fully vaccinated should continue to wear face coverings to protect themselves and others from the continuing threat of COVID-19. Additionally, there may be situations when fully vaccinated individuals continue to wear masks, either as a personal choice or as advised by their health care provider. Please continue to respect the personal choices of others as we work together to progress our important cleanup mission on behalf of our community and the nation's taxpayers.

Site employers will share additional information with their respective workforce in the coming days.

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