



AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER MAJOR MILESTONE M-092-00

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), herein after referred to as the Parties, agree there is a need to enter into formal negotiations and establish revisions to Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (HFFACO) Appendix D Major Milestone M-092-00, complete acquisition of new facilities, modification of existing facilities, and/or modification of planned facilities necessary for the storage, treatment/processing, and disposal of Hanford Site cesium and strontium capsules (Cs/Sr), bulk sodium (Na), and 300 Area special case waste (SCW).

Under this Agreement in Principle, the Parties agree to begin negotiations by January 12, 2018, and plan to conclude negotiations with a signed Tentative Agreement by March 16, 2018.

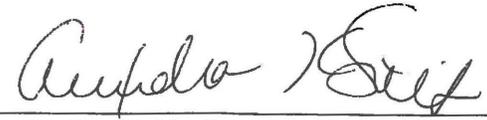
The Parties have determined that good cause exists for modifications to the milestones within the M-092 series, as well as the establishment of new additional milestones to maintain accountability, as needed.

The Parties will cooperate in providing periodic briefings to the State of Oregon, affected Tribes, the Hanford Advisory Board and other stakeholders as necessary.

The Parties agree that following successful conclusion of the negotiations that are documented in a signed Tentative Agreement, the Parties will perform an appropriate public comment period in accordance with the Public Involvement Plan. The milestones will be finalized following the public comment period.

The signatures below represent the acceptance of DOE, EPA, and Ecology on these subject HFFACO negotiations.

  
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Alexandra K. Smith, Program Manager      Date  
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EXTENSION TO THE AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF  
HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER MAJOR  
MILESTONE M-092-00

This extension is to the Agreement in Principle (AIP), originally signed on January 11, 2018, to begin negotiations on January 12, 2018, related to major milestone M-092-00, complete acquisition of new facilities, modification of existing facilities, and/or modification of planned facilities necessary for the storage, treatment/processing, and disposal of Hanford Site cesium and strontium capsules (Cs/Sr), bulk sodium (Na), and 300 Area special case waste (SCW).

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) herein after referred to as the Parties, previously agreed to conclude negotiations on March 16, 2018. The Parties are now in agreement that it is prudent to extend the completion of these negotiations until April 19, 2018.

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