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Hanford Advisory Board
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Dear Ms. Leckband:

HANFORD ADVISORY BOARD CONSENSUS ADVICE #307, EFFECTIVE VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Tri-Party Agreement (TPA) agencies appreciate the Hanford Advisory Board's (HAB) commitment and time supporting the Hanford cleanup mission.

The TPA agencies recognize public and stakeholder engagement is fundamental to the process of Hanford cleanup. The TPA agencies also appreciate that regular discussions between the HAB and TPA leadership will allow stakeholders to remain engaged with Hanford Site decision-making. The TPA agencies look forward to engaging in an ongoing conversation with the Board for continuous improvement of the virtual public meeting format and will consider the recommendations made in the aforementioned advice.

The TPA agencies believe it is essential to involve the public and stakeholders with regular updates on public involvement opportunities at Hanford with either in-person or virtual meetings. The TPA agencies will continue to hold public meetings that comply with appropriate requirements and guidelines, and offer reasonable accommodations.

The TPA agencies value the HAB's representation of affected communities and thank you for your continued commitment to Hanford cleanup. The TPA agencies look forward to future interactions as the HAB continues its mission of providing policy-level advice to the TPA agencies.

Ms. Susan Leckband
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If you have any questions, please contact Gary Younger, U.S. Department of Energy, Hanford Site, on (509) 372-0923; Emy Laija, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, on (202) 564-2724; or Randy Bradbury, Washington State Department of Ecology, on (509) 372-7954.

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