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**Subject: Submittal of the Fieldwork Plan for Well R-22 Redevelopment, Phase I**

**Reference: E-mail, A. Simmons to M. Dale, 3/11/09**


Dear Mr. Bearzi:

In the referenced e-mail, the Los Alamos National Laboratory (the Laboratory) proposed changing the plan for rehabilitating and converting well R-22 that was described in the January 30, 2009, submittal of the "Fieldwork Plan for Well R-22 Rehabilitation and Conversion." Based on the need for a better integrated understanding of flow at and around Area G, the Laboratory proposed a two-stage approach. Discussions were held with your staff on March 12, 2009, regarding the proposed activities summarized in the referenced e-mail. In a subsequent meeting held on April 10, 2009, with your staff, it was agreed that instead of redeveloping screens at R-22 as the first step, Phase I would involve only specific-capacity testing at all screens, and pumping and data collection at screens 1 and 5.

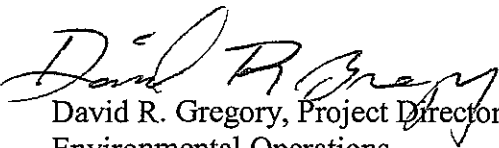
The enclosed plan was prepared based on these discussions. This "Fieldwork Plan for R-22 Redevelopment, Phase 1" replaces the fieldwork plan submitted on January 30, 2009. Enclosed are two hard copies with electronic files of the updated fieldwork plan.

If you have any questions, please contact Ardyth Simmons at (505) 665-3539 (asimmons@lanl.gov) or Hai Shen at (505) 665-5046 (hshen@doeal.gov).

Sincerely,

  
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Enclosures: 1) Two hard copies with electronic files - Fieldwork Plan for Well R-22  
Redevelopment, Phase I (LA-UR-09-1669)

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