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RE: Revised Draft Hanford Remedial Action  
Environmental Impact Statement & Comprehensive  
Land Use Plan (HRA-EIS) -0222D

Dear Mr. Ferns,

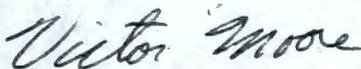
We are writing to voice our strong support in favor of the preferred alternative in regard to preserving the Wahluke Slope as a national wildlife refuge to protect this precious area.

The Hanford Reach which is such a vital habitat for spawning salmon needs to be designated Wild and Scenic.

We are extremely pleased by Secretary Richardson's announcement of proposing that all DOE lands on the Wahluke Slope be managed as a national wildlife refuge under the stewardship of the US Fish and Wildlife Service.

The Hanford Reach and Wahluke Slope comprise an inseparable ecosystem, linked by geography, geology and hydrology.

Respectfully,



Victor Moore



Roberta Moore

