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Dear Ms. Cusack and Mr. Sherwood:

**TRANSMITTAL OF SAMPLING AND ANALYSIS PLAN AND SURVEILLANCE AND MAINTENANCE PLAN FOR THE 221-U FACILITY (U PLANT)**

Please find enclosed copies of the subject documents, DOE/RL-97-68, Revision 1, "Sampling and Analysis Plan for 221-U Facility," and DOE/RL-98-20, Revision 1, "Surveillance and Maintenance Plan for the 221-U Facility (U Plant)." These documents were revised because of recent waste issues concerning the Canyon Disposition Initiative project.

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The enclosed documents contained a copy of the approval page signed by the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office, State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology), and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as requested by Ecology and EPA. Also, the original approval page for each document will be placed in the Official Record File along with a copy of the document.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (509) 372-2282.

Sincerely,

John P. Sands, Project Manager  
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Enclosures: As stated

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