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Dear Mr. Skeen:

CONSULTATION FOR THE UPCOMING 100-D/H CLEANUP DECISION

The U.S. Department of Energy Richland Operations Office (RL) and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are planning a cleanup decision for the 100-D/H Area of the Hanford Site in accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act. Tribal consultation and staff involvement are important to the cleanup decision-making process.

RL and EPA anticipate the Proposed Plan for 100-D/H Area will be available for comment in the February/March 2016 timeframe. RL and EPA staff have been involved with Tribal staff through ongoing venues for information exchange and dialogue. In addition to those, and in recognition of the importance of the 100-D/H Record of Decision that RL and EPA anticipate issuing in the fall of 2016, we invite formal consultation with your Tribal elected leadership.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Jill Conrad, Indian Nations Program Manager, on (509) 376-0288 or Rod Lobos, EPA, on (509) 376-3749.

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