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Addition of Sites to FUSRAP

Lester K. Price, Director
Technical Services Division
Oak Ridge Operations Office

Attached is a memorandum approving transfer of responsibility for the Niagara Falls Storage Site (NFSS) in New York and the New Brunswick Laboratory (NBL) Site in New Jersey to FUSRAP. Please incorporate these sites in the FUSRAP rebaselining effort now underway.

As we previously discussed, funding for NBL will provide for continued surveillance and maintenance activities at the site and will be borne by FUSRAP beginning in FY 1991. Funding for NFSS will be provided under B&R AH1020 for FY 1991 and will be borne by FUSRAP thereafter.

If you have any questions in this regard, call me at FTS 233-4937.

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Division of Eastern Area Programs
Office of Environmental Restoration

Attachment

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EM-42 reader
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memorandum

DATE: JUL 23 1990

REPLY TO:
ATTN OF: EM-42

SUBJECT: Transfer of Sites to FUSRAP

TO: Donald C. Fulmer, EM-42

The purpose of this memorandum is to seek your approval to transfer responsibility for two sites in the Division of Eastern Area Programs from our D&D Branch to the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) in our Off-Site Branch. The two sites are the Niagara Falls Storage Site (NFSS) in New York and the New Brunswick Laboratory Site (NBL) in New Jersey.

The Vicinity Property cleanup at NFSS was managed under FUSRAP, but the NFSS site itself was managed under the Surplus Facilities Management Program (SFMP). Both activities were implemented in the field by the Technical Services Division of ORO. In order to establish the management of NFSS in a single branch and under a single program at HQ, I propose that the former SFMP management responsibilities for NFSS be shifted to FUSRAP.

The NBL site in New Jersey contains a small quantity of radiologically contaminated soil similar to that associated with three FUSRAP sites in the State. FUSRAP is currently conducting a RI/FS-EIS for its New Jersey sites and folding NBL into this process would promote an integrated EM approach to resolving the technical, political and economic aspects of site cleanup and waste disposal. Another aspect of shifting NBL to FUSRAP is the transfer of site responsibility from CH to ORO. However, neither CH nor ORO oppose the transfer since there are no CH activities at the site other than the routine site surveillance and maintenance which can easily be performed by ORO.

This is an ideal time to make these internal changes for two reasons. First, the RI/FS-EIS is still in the early stages, and incorporation of the NBL site would be a relatively simple process. Second, FUSRAP has recently initiated its rebaselining effort and these changes can be incorporated and reflected in the resultant project plan revision.

If you agree with the changes outlined above, please signify your approval by signing in the space provided below and returning this memorandum to me. If you need additional information, please contact me (3-4716) or James Wagoner of my staff (3-4937).



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Acting Director
Off-Site Branch
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Office of Environmental Restoration

- cc:
- W. Adams, OR
- J. Hunze, CH
- J. Haugen, CH
- L. Price, OR-TSD

Approved: Donald C. Sulmer

Date: 7-20-90