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June 9, 2000

Mr. Steve McCracken, Project Manager
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Dear Mr. McCracken:

RE: Weldon Spring Site Groundwater Operable Unit

We have reviewed your letter dated June 5, 2000, in which you outlined a schedule for completing the Groundwater Operable Unit Record of Decision (GWOU ROD). We agree with the schedule you have proposed.

In addition to the steps you have outlined, we think it will also be necessary to give the State of Missouri an opportunity to concur on the GWOU ROD before publishing notice of the GWOU ROD and making a copy of the final signed ROD available to the public. Under Section 121(f)(3)(A) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, as amended (CERCLA), which only applies to federal facilities, if a final remedial action plan waives any applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements, the lead federal agency must give the State 30 days to concur or not concur on the selected remedy before publishing final notice of the remedial action plan. We understand the final remedial action plan to refer to a signed record of decision, not a proposed plan or other intermediate proposal. If the State concurs or does not act within the above-referenced 30-day period, the remedial action may proceed. If the State does not concur, it has the opportunity to initiate a legal action challenging the ARAR waiver.

We look forward to working with you to finalize the GWOU ROD. Please feel free to call me if you have any questions on the state concurrence process discussed above.

Sincerely,

for
Gene Gunn
ChiefFederal Facilities/Special Emphasis Branch
Superfund Division

cc: Cindy Kemper, MDNR

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