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175 Tri-County Parkway
Springdale, OH 45246

Re: Factsheet - OU6 Elimination

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Ohio EPA has reviewed the document "Decision by DOE and USEPA to Formally Remove the Comprehensive Sitewide Operable Unit (OU6) from the Amended Consent Agreement," received via email. Based upon our review of that submittal, Ohio EPA has a number of comments regarding the factsheet and proposed process. Ohio EPA's comments are attached.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 937-285-66466.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Schneider", written over a horizontal line.

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