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February 3, 2006

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Dear Howard,

The Board wishes to thank you for your work as the Deputy Designated Federal Official. We have appreciated the time and energy you put into helping the Board accomplish its goals. Your willingness to engage both the Board and its committees with openness and humor (and an accent) were much appreciated and will be missed.

Best of luck in your new position at Savannah River.

Sincerely,

cc:

Todd Martin, Chair

Hanford Advisory Board

This letter represents HAB consensus for this specific topic. It should not be taken out of context to extrapolate Board agreement on other subject matters.

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