

DRAFT State of the Site Strategy Map (Rev. January 08, 2009)

WHY

State of the Site Vision: Stakeholders and the public are enabled to be informed participants in Hanford decision-making.

State of the Site Mission: Provide a comprehensive accounting of activities, performance, progress, and challenges related to the cleanup of the Hanford Site

Accountability of Government Value Statement: Government is accountable to the public for its actions – past, present, and future– and must ensure both protection of and best use of public resources.

Public Involvement Value Statement: We value active participation in Hanford decision-making by the public we serve, notably those affected by Hanford decisions.

Sustainability and Stewardship Value Statement: We are unified through our commitment to safely and effectively reduce the risks posed by Hanford activities, protect the people and environment of the region, and provide adequate resources for future generations.

WHAT

State of the Site: *“What needs to be accomplished to achieve our ultimate “State of the Site” Vision?”*

ACCOUNTABILITY

Outcome Statement:

Those responsible for Hanford cleanup will provide a comprehensive and public accounting of activities, performance, progress, and challenges related to the cleanup. *“How will we demonstrate accountability to the public?”*

Outcome #1: On an annual basis, provide a comprehensive and public accounting of Hanford cleanup.

Outcome #2: Provide direct response from agency leadership to address public concerns.

Outcome #3: Conduct assessment of State of the Site and incorporate process/activity improvement.

INCLUSION

Outcome Statement:

All persons affected by or interested in Hanford cleanup are rightful participants in decision making. *“What should we do to ensure broad, sustainable public participation?”*

Outcome #1: Expand the reach of Hanford dialogue and activities to include broader participation by the public.

Outcome #2: Use public values and input as a component of decisions and actions.

Outcome #3: Identify and reduce barriers to participation for affected members of the public.

INFORMATION & EDUCATION

Outcome Statement:

The public have a right to the information they need to make informed and responsible decisions about their future. *“What does the public need from us?”*

Outcome #1: Communicate with the public in a timely manner using appropriate media and technologies.

Outcome #2: Use effective modalities to reach people of varying interests and learning styles.

Outcome #3: Maintain open and accessible resources for public information and education.

PUBLIC DIALOGUE

Outcome Statement:

The public is provided opportunities and encouraged to participate in Hanford decision processes. *“What does the public expect from us?”*

Outcome #1: Hold discussions on major Hanford issues and discuss impacts and alternatives, preferably, before decisions are made.

Outcome #2: Communicate directly with decision-makers on issues of concern.

Outcome #3: Be responded to in a clear, concise, timely, and respectful manner.