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September 15, 2017

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Re: Tronox LLC (TRX) Facility

Nevada Environmental Response Trust (Trust) Property NDEP Facility ID #H-000539

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) Response to: *Unit 4 Source Area In-Situ Bioremediation Treatability Study Bench-Scale Work Plan, Nevada Environmental Response Trust Site, Henderson, Nevada*

Dated: September 12, 2107

Dear Mr. Steinberg,

The NDEP has received and reviewed the Trust's above-identified Deliverable and finds that the document is acceptable with the following comments noted for the Administrative Record:

- The soil and groundwater samples used for the bench-scale study should be representative
 for the concentration of perchlorate, chlorate, chromium, VOC and TDS at Unite 4 source
 area;
- 2. NDEP suggests an assessment of the biomass accumulation or bio-fouling in the bench-scale study.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions at wdong@ndep.nv.gov or 702-486-2850 x252.

Sincerely,

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