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**ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION**

STATE OF NEVADA
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October 13, 2023

Jay A. Steinberg
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Re: **Tronox LLC (TRX) Facility**
Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT) Property
NDEP Facility ID #H-000539
Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) Response to:
NERT 2023 Budget Amendment 2021-01, September 15, 2023

Dear Mr. Steinberg:

The NDEP has received and reviewed the above-referenced correspondence transmitted to NDEP via e-mail on September 16, 2023. The NDEP has consulted with the US EPA as required by the Environmental Response Trust Settlement Agreement and the US EPA has provided approval of NERT Budget Amendment 2023-01.

NDEP hereby approves the NERT 2023 Budget Amendment 2023-01. The Administrative Account increased by \$50,000 to \$1,800,300, and the Environmental Account increased by \$10,897,095 to \$89,210,831. The total amended NERT 2023 Budget is now \$91,011,131.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions at jdotchin@ndep.nv.gov or 702-668-3914.

Sincerely,

James Dotchin

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