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RE: Phase 3 Remedial Investigation Modification No. 13  
Nevada Environmental Response Trust  
Henderson, Nevada

Dear Dr. Dong:

The Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT) is pleased to present the Phase 3 Remedial Investigation (RI) Modification No. 13 for Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) review. The purpose of this modification is to obtain NDEP's approval to collect additional groundwater samples as part of the upcoming RI comprehensive groundwater sampling event planned for Operable Unit 3 (OU-3) and soil samples to support the forthcoming Baseline Health Risk Assessment for OU-3.

NERT directed Ramboll to perform an initial screening of the OU-3 groundwater data to ensure that any chemicals of potential concerns identified in the RI Report for OU-1 and OU-2 for OU-2 groundwater could be adequately delineated downgradient within OU-3. The results of this screening indicated that the comprehensive groundwater sampling event planned for OU-3 should be expanded to include additional constituents. Additionally, given the potential for shallow soil contamination at the former seep where perchlorate-impacted groundwater once discharged to the surface, additional soil samples are proposed for collection to support the Baseline Health Risk Assessment for OU-3. As such, NERT directed Ramboll to prepare the attached Phase 3 RI modification.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel to contact me at (702) 960-4309 or at [steve.clough@nert-trust.com](mailto:steve.clough@nert-trust.com).

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