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Tim Davis
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Attention of: RE-21-190

**RE: APPROVAL
REVISED DISCUSSION PHASE 1A AND PHASE 1B SOIL VAPOR SURVEY (SVS)
700 AREA LANDFILL PHASE I INVESTIGATION
NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION
JOHNSON SPACE CENTER WHITE SANDS TEST FACILITY
DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
EPA ID #NM08800019434
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Dear Mr. Davis:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has received the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Johnson Space Center White Sands Test Facility (Permittee) *Revised Discussion Phase IA and Phase IB Soil Vapor Survey (SVS) 700 Area Landfill Phase I Investigation* (Revised Status Letter), dated December 21, 2021. NMED has completed review of the Revised Status Letter and supporting information and hereby issues this Approval.

The Permittee may forgo the Phase IB passive soil vapor survey as requested based on the information reported in the Revised Status Letter. The Permittee must complete all other proposed Phase I Investigation activities and reporting proposed in the NMED-approved March 2019 *SWMU 49 700 Area Landfill Phase I Investigation Work Plan* in accordance with the schedule specified in NMED's March 15, 2021, *Approval Request for Extension of Time for Submittal of the SWMU 49 (700 Area Landfill) Phase I Investigation Report*.

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This approval is based on the information presented in the document as it relates to the objectives of the work identified by NMED at the time of review. Approval of this document does not constitute agreement with all information or every statement presented in the document.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Gabriel Acevedo at (505) 690-5760.

Sincerely,

Rick Shean

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