

United States Department of Energy

Secretary's Achievement Award

Presented to

***The Office of Environmental Management's Idaho
Nuclear Facility Decontamination &
Decommissioning Project***

Employing an aggressive performance-based contracting approach, the project team for the Idaho Nuclear Facility Decontamination and Decommissioning Project impressively completed field work nearly one year earlier than expected at considerable cost savings. The project scope included the removal of 171 surplus facilities, including various reactors, spent fuel reprocessing facilities, and other nuclear process buildings and structures. Throughout the project, safety was paramount, as evidenced by the project's exceptional safety and environmental compliance record. Furthermore, the project team performed superbly in coordinating and establishing strong relationships with the Idaho regulators and local Citizens Advisory Board. These relationships helped facilitate the approval of such key project initiatives as the shift to an onsite disposal method for demolished reactor materials. The project team is to be commended for a job well done!



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