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Mr. Ron Murphree Chair, Oak Ridge Site-Specific Advisory Board Mr. Darryl Bonner Chair, ORSSAB Stewardship Committee Oak Ridge Site-Specific Advisory Board P.O. Box 2001, EM-91 Oak Ridge, TN 37831

Dear Ron and Darryl,

Thank you for your recent letter and Recommendation 193, which provided suggestions for agenda items on long-term stewardship issues for the 2010 Long-Term Surveillance and Maintenance Conference, sponsored by Legacy Management (LM). I accept the recommendation and have conveyed your suggestions to LM to be considered in the session planning.

In addition, I have shared your areas of interest with officials within Environmental Management so that they too understand information that you have requested.

By now you and other members of the OR SSAB should have received a copy of the draft agenda for the Long-Term Surveillance and Maintenance Conference, but am attaching it just to be sure.

We greatly value your input for this conference and on other issues related to the EM mission. Thank you for all of your efforts on behalf of the OR SSAB.

Sincerely,

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