



Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

November 14, 2024

Ms. Amy Jones
Chair
Oak Ridge Site Specific Advisory Board
P.O. Box 2001, EM-942
Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37831

Dear Ms. Jones:

I have received the recommendation dated September 19, 2024, from the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB) regarding the accessibility of documents related to board activities, including recommendations, responses, and meeting minutes. I would like to express my appreciation to you and the board for your continued dedication and commitment to ensuring transparency and public access to these important materials.

The Department of Energy's Office of Environmental Management (DOE EM) supports the EM SSAB's recommendation to maintain these documents in a searchable, online archival format, ensuring their availability to the public. DOE EM recognizes the value this will bring in promoting accountability, historical reference, and accessibility for all stakeholders. DOE EM will work with the webmaster to determine how best the EM SSAB recommendation can be implemented.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at (702) 918-6715 or kelly.snyder@em.doe.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kelly K. Snyder".

Kelly K. Snyder
Designated Federal Officer

cc: Melyssa Noe, ORSSAB DDFO