

NEPA REVIEW SCREENING FORM (NRSF) 3 Categorically Excluded Actions		Document ID #: DOE/CX-00086R11
I. Project Title: CPCCo Annual Categorical Exclusion (CX) - B1.27 Disconnection of Utilities, December 2024 to December 2025		
II. Describe the proposed action, including location, time period over which proposed action will occur, project dimension (e.g., acres displaced/disturbed, excavation length/depth), and area/location/number of buildings. Attach narratives, maps and drawings of proposed action. Describe existing environmental conditions and potential for environmental impacts from the proposed action. If the proposed action is not a project, describe the action or plan. Central Plateau Cleanup Company (CPCCo) and its subcontractors perform actions that are required for the disconnection of utility services (including, but not limited to, water, steam, telecommunications, and electrical power) after it has been determined that the continued operation of these systems is not needed for safety. Actions include, but are not limited to, utility systems isolation; drain and/or de-energize systems; and disconnect utilities, duct work, piping and network/communications systems. Small, localized repairs to buildings and structures such as sealing cracks and covering or sealing grates and openings may be required. Utility system equipment and components may be removed. Equipment and materials necessary to disconnect utilities may be moved to locations on the Hanford Site. Incidental materials and waste (surplus construction materials, construction debris, hazardous, radioactive, polychlorinated biphenyl, and/or asbestos wastes) may be generated. Such incidental materials and waste would be packaged, transported, and disposed at on-site or off-site facilities. Incidental materials may be recycled, reused or disposed. Actions would be undertaken in compliance with DOE orders, and Federal and state regulations and guidelines. Actions performed under this Annual CX include those listed in the CPCCo contract (89303320DEM000030) Section J-3, Hanford Site Services and Interface Requirements Matrix. The buildings, structures, infrastructures, and equipment covered by this annual CX include those listed in Sections J-12, Central Plateau Cleanup Contract Structure Responsibility Assignment Matrix, and J-13, Central Plateau Cleanup Contract Waste Site Responsibility Assignment Matrix, where CPCCo is the assigned contractor or provides services to the Hanford Site contractors. This Annual CX covers recurring actions that meet the requirements and conditions that are "integral elements" for applying CXs (see 10 CFR 1021, Subpart D, Conditions that are Integral Elements of the Classes of Actions in Appendix B). Actions would not individually or cumulatively have significant effect on the human environment; would fit CX definitions, including any caveats for use of the CX; would not have "extraordinary circumstances" [see 10 CFR 1021.410(b)(2)] that may affect the significance of environmental effects of the proposal; and would not be divided into smaller actions (segmentation) to meet CX definitions. CXs include the foreseeable activities necessary for implementing actions, such as award of grants and contracts, site preparation, purchase and installation of equipment, and associated transportation activities [10 CFR 1021.410(d)]. CPCCo's Environmental Compliance Officers and NEPA Subject Matter Experts would ensure that applicable requirements and conditions are met prior to applying this Annual CX to actions. This includes compliance with the Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act, and other applicable laws and regulations; as well as conformance with applicable NEPA Environmental Assessments (EAs) or Environmental Impact Statements (EISs), such as the Hanford Site Comprehensive Land-Use Plan Environmental Impact Statement (DOE/EIS-0222-F) and Record of Decision (ROD), which provides land use maps, designations, policies, and procedures. This Annual CX is approved pursuant to 10 CFR 1021.410(f) in which proposed recurring actions undertaken during a specified time period, such as routine maintenance for a year, may be addressed in a single CX determination after considering the potential aggregated impacts to ensure no extraordinary circumstances exist.		
III. Existing Evaluations (Provide with NRSF to DOE NCO):		
Maps:		
Other Attachments:		
IV. List Applicable CX(s) from Appendix B to Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021: B1.27 Disconnection of Utilities		

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V. Integral Elements and Extraordinary Circumstances (See 10 CFR 1021, Subpart D, B. Conditions that are Integral Elements of the Class of Actions in Appendix B; and 10 CFR 1021.410(b)(2) under Application of Categorical Exclusions)		Yes	No
Are there extraordinary circumstances that may affect the significance of the environmental effects of the proposed action? If yes, describe them.		☐	☒
Is the proposed action connected to other actions with potentially significant impacts, or that could result in cumulatively significant impacts? If yes, describe them.		☐	☒
Would the proposed action threaten a violation of applicable statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements related to the environment, safety, health, or similar requirements of DOE or Executive Orders?		☐	☒
Would the proposed action require siting, construction, or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities?		☐	☒
Would the proposed action disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or natural gas products already in the environment such that there might be uncontrolled or unpermitted releases?		☐	☒
Would the proposed action have the potential to cause significant impacts on environmentally sensitive resources? See examples in Appendix B(4) to Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021.		☐	☒
Would the proposed action involve genetically engineered organisms, synthetic biology, governmentally designated noxious weeds, or invasive species, such that the action is not contained or confined in a manner designed, operated, and conducted in accordance with applicable requirements to prevent unauthorized release into the environment?		☐	☒
If "No" to all questions above, complete Section VI, and provide NRSF and any attachments to DOE NCO for review. If "Yes" to any of the questions above, contact DOE NCO for additional NEPA review.			
VI. Responsible Organization's Signatures:			
Initiator:			
<u>Michael E. Carlson, CPCCo Env. Protection</u> <i>Print First and Last Name</i>		<u>MICHAEL CARLSON</u> <i>(Affiliate)</i>	
		 Digitally signed by MICHAEL CARLSON (Affiliate) Date: 2024.12.10 11:48:17 -08'00' <i>Signature / Date</i>	
Cognizant Program/Project Representative:			
<u>N/A</u> <i>Print First and Last Name</i>		 <i>Signature / Date</i>	
VII. DOE NEPA Compliance Officer Approval/Determination:			
Based on my review of information conveyed to me concerning the proposed action, the proposed action fits within the specified CX(s): ☐ Yes ☐ No			
<u>Douglas H. Chapin, DOE-HFO NCO</u> <i>Print First and Last Name</i>		<u>Douglas H. Chapin</u>  Digitally signed by DOUGLAS CHAPIN Date: 2024.12.11 10:47:19 -08'00' <i>Signature / Date</i>	
NCO Comments:			
Note: DOE is aware of the November 12, 2024 decision in Marin Audubon Society v. Federal Aviation Administration, No. 23-1067 (D.C. Cir. Nov. 12, 2024). To the extent that a court may conclude that the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations implementing NEPA are not judicially enforceable or binding on this agency action, DOE has nonetheless elected to follow those regulations at 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts 1500-1508, in addition to DOE's procedures/regulations implementing NEPA at 10 CFR 1021 to meet the agency's obligations under NEPA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 4321 et seq.			