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Dear Director and Deputy Director,

This report replaces the Semi-Annual report submitted under cover letter dated March 4, 2015. Per discussion with NRC staff during site inspection March 18, 2015, changes to the original report and a complete replacement of the report were requested. The revisions to the report are as follows:

- Page 4, Section 3.6 Effluent Monitoring Program, Paragraph 3: The average concentration for the year for U-Nat and radon have been revised.
- Page 5, after review and discussion with NRC staff during site inspection, all of the equations have been revised.
- Page 6, after review and discussion with NRC staff during site inspection, all of the equations have been revised. The following sentence was added: Spills (Ci) = There were no spills that contributed detectable amounts of radon to the environment during the reporting period. In addition, Total Effluents of Radon and its Progeny (2014) calculations were also revised.
- Page H-1, Appendix H, after review and discussion with NRC staff during site inspection, columns labeled 10CFR20 APP B Table 2 Values and Percent Concentration were removed from the table as it does not pertain to any of the data represented in Appendix H.

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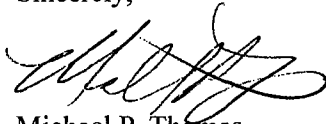
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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

Uranerz received Source Material License SUA-1597 on July 19, 2011. In accordance with 10 CFR 40.65 and Source Material License SUA-1597 Uranerz Energy Corporation submits the 2014 Semi-Annual Effluent, Monitoring Report and Annual Report summarizing the operational and environmental activities monitored for the Nichols Ranch and Hank Units. Semi-Annual reporting is performed according to SUA-1597 License Condition 11.1 and includes information for the period of July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014. Annual Reporting is submitted per License Conditions 9.4E, 10.11, 11.2 and 11.7.

## **2.0 OPERATIONAL MONITORING**

### **2.1 Activities Summary**

Uranerz continued production of the Nichols Ranch Unit Production Area #1 (PA#1) during the report period as summarized in Quarterly Reports submitted to the NRC on April 29, 2014 for first quarter, July 23, 2014 for second quarter, October 28, 2014 for the third quarter and January 28, 2015 for the fourth quarter. Production occurred in Header Houses 1 through 4 of PA #1. Please refer to the Quarterly Reports for additional information (e.g. production and bleed rates) as it is not going to be reproduced in the Semi-annual report.

Uranerz has no wellfields in restoration.

No operational activities occurred at the Hank Unit during the report period. The Environmental Assessment (EA) is pending with the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) for the 280 acres that the BLM manages.

### **2.2 Excursion Well Status**

License Condition 11.1(B) requires a status update of any long term excursion. As reported in the Quarterly reports mentioned above, no wells were on excursion status during the report period.

### **2.3 Disposal Well Volumes**

Uranerz presently has two permitted deep disposal wells permitted through the Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division (WDEQ-WQD).

License Condition 10.11 requires the volume disposed in each disposal well to be reported annually. The two deep disposal wells at the Nichols Ranch Unit, NICH DW-1 and NICH DW-4, were permitted for use by the WDEQ-WQD (permit 10-392) for the purpose of disposing the wellfield bleed to maintain a hydrologic inward gradient during production. The deep disposal wells were utilized subsequent to start-up in April 2014. Quarterly and annual reports pertaining to the use of the deep disposal wells are submitted to the WDEQ-WQD. As of the 4th Quarter Report submitted to WQD, 207,812 barrels (bbls), year to date, have been disposed using the deep wells.

### **2.4 Flow Rates and Manifold Pressures**

Per License Condition 11.1C Uranerz is required to record flow rates and manifold pressures daily. A summary of these items was submitted in the above named Quarterly Reports.

Otherwise, these records are compiled and available to inspectors on site upon their request as required by License Condition 11.1C.

## **2.5 Summary of Mechanical Integrity Testing (MIT) Data**

The number of wells installed and mechanical integrity test (MIT) status (License Condition 11.1B) is reported in Quarterly Reports to the NRC. Please refer to Quarterly Reports submitted April 29, 2014, July 23, 2014, October 28, 2014 and January 28, 2015.

## **2.6 Restoration**

No areas are in restoration for the reporting period.

# **3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING**

## **3.1 Ground Water Monitoring**

In accordance with License Condition 11.5 monitor wells in the production area (perimeter, overlying and underlying wells) are sampled for excursion parameters. Results of the monitor well samples are provided in Quarterly Reports submitted to the NRC.

License Condition 11.7 requires sampling of domestic and livestock wells to be sampled within 1 km of the production area on an annual basis. Collected samples are analyzed at an offsite laboratory for natural uranium, radium-226, and those constituents, chloride, conductivity, and alkalinity, as listed in Section 5.7.8.9 of the license application. The results for Nichols Ranch are located in Appendix A of this report. As per discussion with NRC staff, the Hank Unit is not operational at this time, therefore, ground water monitoring will not occur until production begins in that area. Baseline sampling for the Hank Unit was completed and approved with the issuance of the NRC license.

The surficial aquifer well, URNZG-15, located in Production Area #1 was sampled during the report period. In accordance with License Condition 11.3C the surficial well is analyzed for parameters listed in Table D6-6a of the license application. Sampling was attempted; however, no water was available to sample during the report period. The sampling dates for the surficial well are as follows.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Water Level Results</b>
7/1/2014	dry
8/14/2014	dry
9/15/2014	dry
10/16/2014	dry
11/20/2014	dry
12/8/2014	dry

### **3.2 Surface Water Monitoring**

In accordance with Section 5.7.7.3.1 of the license application surface water will be collected and analyzed for total uranium, Th-230, Ra-226, and Pb-210. There are two surface water self-samplers located at the Nichols Ranch Unit. Grab samples from the surface water sampling locations were collected in August, 2014. Sample results are provided in Appendix B. As per discussion with NRC staff, the Hank Unit is not operational at this time, therefore, surface water monitoring will not occur until production begins in that area. Baseline sampling for the Hank Unit was completed and approved with the issuance of the NRC license.

### **3.3 Summary of Unplanned Releases**

There were four reportable unplanned releases of production solution during the reporting period. Verbal notifications, emails, and written notifications regarding the reportable unplanned releases were provided to the NRC and WDEQ-LQD in accordance with regulation. Please refer to the written notifications for information regarding documentation pertaining to the unplanned releases. Unplanned release documents are maintained onsite per License Condition 11.6.

### **3.4 Sediment and Soil Sampling**

In accordance with Volume I, Section 5.7.7.5 of the license application, sediment samples will be collected annually and analyzed for uranium, radium-226, lead-210 and thorium.

Soil samples are also collected annually in the vicinity of air particulate stations as described in NRC Regulatory Guide 4.14. The sediment and soil analyses will be included in the Annual and Semi-Annual Effluent Report submitted in January 2015. Appendices C and D contain the Nichols Ranch sediment and soil sampling results, respectively. As per discussion with NRC staff, the Hank Unit is not operational at this time, therefore, sediment and soil monitoring will not occur until production begins in that area. Baseline sampling for the Hank Unit was completed and approved with the issuance of the NRC license.

### **3.5 Air Particulate, Radon, and Gamma Radiation Monitoring**

Uranerz maintains an environmental air monitoring program at six locations around the licensed Nichols Ranch facility. These stations are used to monitor air particulates, radon, and passive gamma measurements. Uranerz also maintains radon monitors at four locations surrounding the active wellfield and eight surrounding the CPP. These are compared to background for use in calculating annual dose to the public.

The air station locations are as follows:

- NA-1 monitors the nearest full time resident at Dry Fork Ranch
- NA-2 is at the southern license boundary and monitors the down wind conditions of the north west winds for the CPP.
- NA-3 is at the northern license boundary and monitors the downwind conditions of south west winds for the wellfield and the CPP
- NA-4 is at the easterly license boundary and is the background station being upwind from the wellfield and the CPP.
- NA-5 is located on the westerly boundary and monitors the down wind conditions of the easterly winds that occur at night.



- NA-6 is located north east of the CPP and monitors the man camp that is the maximally exposed member of the public.

Air Particulate samples are collected weekly and then composited quarterly for analysis by an outside laboratory. Review of the data shows that the concentration of the parameters are less than the 10 CFR 20 Appendix B, Effluent Concentration Limits. Appendix E shows the air particulate data collected for 2014.

Radon gas is monitored continuously at the six air particulate stations. These locations are used for environmental monitoring. There are eight additional radon detectors surrounding the CPP which are used for public dose assessments and for personnel dose assessments. There are also four radon monitors surrounding the active wellfield which are used for public as well as personnel dose assessments. Passive outdoor radon detectors are exchanged quarterly or semi-annually, as required, and sent to Landauer for analysis. The data is shown in Appendix F. Data is given as raw data without subtracting the background location. These values will be compared to radon daughter effluent releases found in 10 CFR 20 Appendix B values to assess dose to the public.

Passive gamma radiation is monitored continuously at the six air particulate stations and at other monitoring stations located throughout the licensed area. The added locations are additional data points that are intended to be used for determining dose to the public. The monitoring is performed using Optically Stimulated Luminescence (OSL) dosimeters that are exchanged and analyzed by Landauer quarterly. The passive gamma radiation monitoring data is shown in Appendix G. Data is given as raw data without subtracting the control badge.

### **3.6 Effluent Monitoring Program**

The effluent monitoring program is designed to meet the requirements of 10 CFR 40.65. Sampling occurs inside the central processing plant and the header houses to measure long-lived particulate effluents. These measurements were initially taken once a week for at least four weeks and are now being measured once a month in accordance with NRC Regulatory Guide 8.30. The Deep Disposal Wells (DDW) are sampled once a month for long-lived particulate effluents and radon effluents. These results are summarized in Appendix H.

Sampling occurs inside the central processing plant and the header houses using the modified Kusnetz method to measure radon effluents. These measurements were initially taken once a week for at least four weeks and are now being measured once a month in accordance with NRC Regulatory Guide 8.30. The DDW are sampled once a month for radon effluents using the modified Kusnetz method. Radon monitoring also includes quarterly samples of at least 10% of operational recovery wells using the modified Kusnetz method as well as measurements of radon emitted from point source tank ventilation located in the CPP using Method 115 from 40 CFR 61 Appendix B. These results are summarized in Appendix I.

The total effluents emitted during 2014 are a sum of each sources effluents and are calculated for long-lived particulate and radon effluents below. These amounts will be compared to operational projections in the license application and will be analyzed and summarized in the annual ALARA report. Average concentrations are taken from Appendix H and Appendix I and the background (BKD) concentration for U-Nat is taken from averaging the concentration of U-Nat for NA-4 for the year (which is  $1.0\text{E-}22$  Ci/ml). The average concentration of radon is taken from averaging the concentration of radon for NR-5 for the year (which is  $5.67\text{E-}16$  Ci/ml).

$$\text{Total Effluent of U – Nat (2014)} = (\text{CPP Ci}) + (\text{Header House Ci}) + (\text{DDW Ci})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CPP (Ci)} &= \left[ \text{Avg. Conc} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 13,500(\text{cfm}) * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) \\ &\quad * 374,400(\text{minutes of operations in 2014}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Header House (Ci)} &= \left[ \text{Avg. Conc} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 1,275(\text{cfm}) * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) \\ &\quad * 374,400(\text{minutes of operations in 2014}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{DDW (Ci)} &= \left[ \text{Avg. Conc} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 1,275(\text{cfm}) * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) \\ &\quad * 374,400(\text{minutes of operations in 2014}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{CPP (Ci)} = (1.22E^{-18} - 1.0E^{-22}) * 13,500 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 1.74E^{-4} \text{ Ci}$$

$$\text{Header House (uCi)} = (1.03E^{-18} - 1.0E^{-22}) * 1,275 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 1.39E^{-5} \text{ Ci}$$

$$\text{DDW (uCi)} = (9.98E^{-19} - 1.0E^{-22}) * 1,275 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 1.35E^{-5} \text{ Ci}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total Effluents of U – Nat (2014)} &= 1.74E^{-4} + 1.39E^{-5} + 1.35E^{-5} \\ &= 2.02E^{-4} \text{ Ci of U – Nat} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total Effluents of Radon and its Progeny (2014)} &= (\text{CPP (Ci)}) + (\text{CPP Tanks (Ci)}) + (\text{Header House (Ci)}) + (\text{DDW (Ci)}) \\ &\quad + (\text{Recovery Wells (Ci)}) + (\text{Spills (Ci)}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CPP (Ci)} &= \left[ \left( \text{Avg. Conc (WL)} * 9.1E^{-14} \left( \frac{\text{Ci/ml}}{\text{WL}} \right) \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 13,500 (\text{cfm}) \\ &\quad * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) * 374,400(\text{minutes of operations in 2014}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CPP Tanks(Ci)} &= \left[ \left( \text{Avg. Conc (WL)} * 9.1E^{-14} \left( \frac{\text{Ci/ml}}{\text{WL}} \right) \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 293 (\text{cfm}) \\ &\quad * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) * 374,400(\text{minutes of operations in 2014}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Header House (Ci)} \\
 &= \left[ \left( \text{Avg. Conc (WL)} * 9.1E^{-14} \left( \frac{\text{Ci/ml}}{\text{WL}} \right) \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] \\
 & \quad * 1,275 \text{ (cfm)} * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) * 374,400 \text{ (minutes of operations in 2014)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{DDW (Ci)} &= \left[ \left( \text{Avg. Conc (WL)} * 9.1E^{-14} \left( \frac{\text{Ci/ml}}{\text{WL}} \right) \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] * 1,275 \text{ (cfm)} \\
 & \quad * 28,316 \left( \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) * 374,400 \text{ (minutes of operations in 2014)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Recovery Wells (Ci)} \\
 &= \left[ \left( \frac{\text{Avg. Conc (WL)}}{\text{Well}} * 9.1E^{-14} \left( \frac{\text{Ci/ml}}{\text{WL}} \right) \right) - \text{BKD Conc.} \left( \frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{ml}} \right) \right] \\
 & \quad * 110 \text{ (average number of operational recovery wells)} \\
 & \quad * 3,000 \text{ (emission rate in } \frac{\text{ml}}{\text{min}} \text{)} * 374,400 \text{ (minutes of operations in 2014)}
 \end{aligned}$$

*Spills (Ci) = There were no spills that contributed detectable amounts of radon to the environment during the reporting period.*

$$\text{CPP (Ci)} = [(8.55E^{-9} * 9.1E^{-14}) - 5.67E^{-16}] * 13,500 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 3.02E^{-2} \text{ Ci}$$

$$\text{CPP Tanks (Ci)} = [(5.69 * 9.1E^{-14}) - 5.67E^{-16}] * 293 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 1.61 \text{ Ci}$$

$$\text{Header House (Ci)} = [(0.0087 * 9.1E^{-14}) - 5.67E^{-16}] * 1,275 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 3.06E^{-3} \text{ uCi}$$

$$\text{DDW (Ci)} = [(0.0071 * 9.1E^{-14}) - 5.67E^{-16}] * 1,275 * 28,316 * 374,400 = 1.08E^{-3} \text{ uCi}$$

$$\text{Recovery Wells (Ci)} = [(0.0372 * 9.1E^{-14}) - 5.67E^{-16}] * 110 * 3,000 * 374,400 = 3.49E^{-4} \text{ Ci}$$

**Total Effluents of Radon and its Progeny (2014)**

$$= 3.02E^{-2} \text{ Ci} + 1.61 \text{ Ci} + 3.06E^{-3} \text{ Ci} + 1.08E^{-3} \text{ Ci} + 3.49E^{-4}$$

$$= 1.64 \text{ Ci of Radon and its Progeny (assuming a 1 to 1 ratio with radon and its progeny)}$$

#### 4.0 SUMMARY OF EMPLOYEE URINALYSIS RESULTS

Bioassay samples are collected on all employees at initial hiring. Monthly samples are collected from plant operators. Analysis is performed by an outside laboratory. The bioassay results are summarized annually, pursuant to 10 CFR Part 20, Subpart M and will be included in the annual ALARA review. During the year of 2014 no employees exceeded detectable limits on a bioassay sample.

## **5.0 PUBLIC DOSE**

10 CFR 20.1301 requires that each NRC licensee conduct their operations in a manner that the total effective dose equivalent (TEDE) to members of the public does not exceed 100 mrem in a year, and that the dose from external sources in any unrestricted area does not exceed 2 mrem in any hour.

Additionally, 10 CFR 20.1302 requires licensees to show compliance to these dose limits by demonstrating one of the following:

1. Show by actual measurement or calculation that the TEDE to the public does not exceed 100 mrem; or
2. Show that the annual average concentration of radioactive effluent released at the restricted boundary does not exceed the values in Table 2 of Appendix B in 10 CFR 20. Also, that the external dose to an individual continuously present in an unrestricted area would not exceed 2 mrem in an hour.

The public dose is summarized annually and will be included in the annual ALARA report as required in license condition 11.2. As previously stated some measurements used for public dose determination are completed on a semi-annual basis. Since these monitors were placed in service in October of 2014 results will not be received until after the measurements have been completed at the beginning of April 2015.

## **6.0 SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW PANEL (SERP) EVALUATIONS**

Per License Condition 9.4E, Uranerz shall furnish, in an annual report to the NRC, a description of such changes, tests, or experiments, including a summary of the evaluations made by the safety and environmental evaluation panel (SERP). Uranerz held a total of six (6) SERPs, four of which were completed during the year. A summary of SERPs completed in 2014 is included in Appendix J.

## **7.0 ALARA REVIEW**

As required by License condition 11.2, the licensee shall submit the results of the annual review of the radiation protection program content and implementation performed in accordance with 10 CFR 20.1101(c). These results shall include doses to individual members of the public. This submittal will occur once the Nichols Ranch facility has processed licensed material for a calendar year. After the year, an ALARA audit will occur and will be submitted with the semi-annual effluent report in July 2015. This allows all data from the fourth quarter to arrive before issuing doses to the public.

## **8.0 SURETY**

All activities conducted, to date, at the Nichols Ranch ISR Project are covered in the surety estimate as required by License Condition 9.5. The surety estimate is reviewed annually and submitted to the NRC by December 29. The WDEQ-LQD also requires an annual surety review in December and therefore Uranerz reviews the surety annually in December, thus aligning the NRC and LQD surety reviews for consistency, standardization and reduced redundancy. Uranerz updated the surety estimate and submitted it to the NRC on December 18, 2014.

**Appendix A**  
**Livestock and Domestic Wells Within 1 Kilometer**  
**Water Quality Analysis**  
**July to December 2014 Semi-Annual Report**

Sample Location	Sample Date	Uranium-Natural (Total)		Radium 226			Alkalinity (mg/L)	Conductivity (umhos/cm)	Chloride (mg/L)
		Concentration (mg/L)	Reporting Limit (mg/L)	Concentration (pCi/L)	Precision (±) (pCi/l)	MDC or RL (pCi/L)			
Nichols Ranch Unit									
DW-4L	1 Jul 14	0.0199	0.0003	0.11	0.11	0.16	113	607	10
DW-4M	26 Jun 14	ND	0.0003	0.17	0.11	0.14	147	1520	31
DW-4U	26 Jun 14	0.0668	0.0003	0.54	0.17	0.16	129	1450	6
Nichols #1	1 Jul 14	0.0269	0.0003	0.06	0.10	0.16	133	492	6
Pats #1	11 Dec 14	0.0431	0.0003	0.39	0.14	0.15	126	614	7
Pug #2	11 Dec 14	ND	0.0003	0.08	0.10	0.14	251	491	4
Red Springs Artesian	26 Jun 14	0.0159	0.0003	0.25	0.13	0.15	401	2500	7
Dry Fork #3	Not Sampled, Dry Well (Checked November 18, 2014)								
Pug #1	Not Sampled, Dry Well (Checked November 18, 2014)								

**Notes:**

ND =Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

MDC = Minimum Detectable Concentration

RL = Reporting Limit

**Appendix B**  
**Uranerz Surface Water Quality Analysis**  
**July-December 2014 Semi-Annual Report**

Sample Location	Sample Date	Uranium-Natural (Total)		Radium 226			Lead 210			Thorium 230		
		Concentration (mg/L)	Reporting Limit (mg/L)	Concentration (pCi/L)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/L)	MDC or RL (pCi/L)	Concentration (pCi/L)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/L)	MDC or RL (pCi/L)	Concentration (pCi/L)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/L)	MDC or RL (pCi/L)
NRSSW (Cottonwood D Nichols)	6 Aug 14	0.0007	0.0003	0.43	0.14	0.16	1.3	0.7	1.1	0.16	0.07	0.2
NRSSE (Cottonwood U Nichols)	6 Aug 14	0.0017	0.0003	1.1	0.19	0.15	2.8	0.7	1.1	0.10	0.10	0.2

**Notes:**

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Appendix C  
 Uranerz Sediment Analysis  
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Sample Location	Sample Date	Uranium-Natural (Total)		Radium 226			Lead 210			Thorium 230		
		Concentration (mg/kg-dry)	Reporting Limit (mg/kg-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision ( $\pm$ ) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)
NRSSW (Cottonwood D Nichols)	5 Aug 14	2.8	0.02	1.1	0.09	0.03	2.4	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.2
NRSSE (Cottonwood U Nichols)	5 Aug 14	5.0	0.02	1.1	0.10	0.04	1.8	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.2

Notes:

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**Appendix D**  
**Uranerz Soil Analysis**  
**July-December 2014 Semi-Annual Report**

Sample Location	Sample Date	Uranium-Natural (Dissolved)		Radium 226			Lead 210			Thorium 230		
		Concentration (mg/kg-dry)	Reporting Limit (mg/kg-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision (±) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision (±) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)	Concentration (pCi/g-dry)	Precision (±) (pCi/g-dry)	MDC or RL (pCi/g-dry)
SS-1 (Previously reported as NA-1)	19 Jun 14	1.7	0.1 *	0.8	0.08	0.03	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.2
SS-2 (Previously reported as NA-2)	19 Jun 14	1.0	0.1 *	1.5	0.10	0.03	1.2	0.1	0.2	1.2	0.3	0.2
SS-3 (Previously reported as NA-3)	19 Jun 14	0.4	0.1 *	0.5	0.06	0.03	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1
SS-3 (Duplicate)	19 Jun 14	0.4	0.1 *	0.4	0.05	0.03	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1
SS-4 (Previously reported as NA-4)	19 Jun 14	0.7	0.1 *	0.7	0.07	0.03	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2
SS-5 (Previously reported as NA-5)	19 Jun 14	0.6	0.1 *	0.6	0.06	0.03	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1
SS-6 (Previously reported as NA-6)	19 Jun 14	0.9	0.1 *	0.4	0.05	0.03	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2
SS-7	19 Jun 14	1.0	0.1 *	0.7	0.07	0.03	0.8	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.2

**Notes:**

ND =Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

MDC = Minimum Detectable Concentration

RL = Reporting Limit

\* Reporting limit increased due to sample matrix



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**Appendix E**

**Air Particulate Data**

**July - December 2014**

Sample Location	Sample Period	Radionuclide	Concentration (μCi/ml)	Error ±(μCi/ml)	LLD (μCi/ml)	10CFR 20 APP B Table 2 Values (μCi/ml)	Percent Concentration %
NA-1							
Air Station							
Nearest Resident	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.1E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.7E-14	1.6E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.8
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.2E-16	3.7E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.7E-14	1.7E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.8
		Po-210	5.8E-15	1.9E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.6
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.4E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	1.1E-16	8.4E-17	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.4
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.8E-14	2.9E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	3.0
		Po-210	3.4E-15	9.3E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.4
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	2.8E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.3
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.1E-16	3.7E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	2.0E-14	2.2E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	3.3
		Po-210	2.6E-15	1.1E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.3
	NA-2						
Air Station							
Downwind							
Southern							
Boundary	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.0E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.1E-14	1.2E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	1.8
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	2.0E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.4E-16	3.2E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.3E-14	1.4E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.2
		Po-210	6.8E-15	1.9E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.8
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.2E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	2.5E-14	2.9E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	4.2
		Po-210	3.5E-15	8.1E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.4
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	2.7E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.3
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.1E-16	3.8E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	2.0E-14	2.2E-16	2.0E-15	6E-13	3.3
		Po-210	2.0E-15	9.6E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.2

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**Appendix E**

**Air Particulate Data**

**July - December 2014**

Sample Location	Sample Period	Radionuclide	Concentration (μCi/ml)	Error ±(μCi/ml)	LLD (μCi/ml)	10CFR 20 APP B Table 2 Values (μCi/ml)	Percent Concentration %
NA-3							
Air Station							
Downwind							
North Boundary	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.1E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.4E-14	1.4E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.3
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.3E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.5E-16	3.6E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.2E-14	1.6E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.0
		Po-210	9.1E-15	2.5E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	1.0
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	3.6E-16	7.1E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.7E-14	2.6E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.8
		Po-210	3.4E-15	8.2E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.4
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.9E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.9E-14	2.1E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	3.2
		Po-210	3.8E-15	1.3E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.4
	NA-4						
Air Station							
Background Site	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.5E-14	1.3E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.5
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	5.1E-15	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	5.7
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.2E-14	1.4E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.0
		Po-210	8.9E-15	2.3E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	1.0
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.8E-16	6.6E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.4E-14	2.3E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.3
		Po-210	2.2E-15	6.6E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.2
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	2.6E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.3
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.3E-16	7.0E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	5.0E-14	3.0E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	8.3
		Po-210	7.4E-15	1.8E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.8

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**Appendix E**  
**Air Particulate Data**  
**July - December 2014**

Sample Location	Sample Period	Radionuclide	Concentration (μCi/ml)	Error ±(μCi/ml)	LLD (μCi/ml)	10CFR 20 APP B Table 2 Values (μCi/ml)	Percent Concentration %
NA-5							
Air Station							
Downwind							
West of CPP							
	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	1.4E-16	6.8E-17	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.5E-14	1.5E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	0.0
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	2.2E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.5E-16	3.6E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.0E-14	1.5E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	1.7
		Po-210	7.1E-15	2.2E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.8
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	2.7E-16	6.7E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	8.8E-15	2.0E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	1.5
		Po-210	2.5E-15	7.4E-17	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.3
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.5E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	2.0E-14	1.9E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	3.3
		Po-210	5.1E-15	1.4E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.6
	NA-6						
Air Station							
Downwind							
North East of CPP							
	1st Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb210	1.3E-14	1.3E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.2
	2nd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	ND*	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.0
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	3.5E-16	6.4E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.4E-14	1.5E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.3
		Po-210	5.5E-15	1.8E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	
	3rd Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.1E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.1
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	3.2E-16	6.6E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	1.5E-14	2.4E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	2.5
		Po-210	2.5E-15	6.9E-16	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.3
	4th Quarter 2014	U-Nat	1.8E-16	NA***	1.0E-16	9E-14	0.2
		Th-230	ND*	NA**	1.0E-16	3E-14	0.0
		Ra-226	1.4E-16	3.8E-17	1.0E-16	9E-13	0.0
		Pb-210	2.5E-14	2.3E-15	2.0E-15	6E-13	4.2
		Po-210	4.2E-15	1.4E-15	0.0E+00	9E-13	0.5

\* and

\*\* provided as results from laboratory

\*\*\* No result provided from laboratory

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**Appendix F**

**Radon Monitoring**

**July-December 2014**

Location	1st Quarter ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Uncertainty ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Uncertainty ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Uncertainty ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	4th Quarter ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Uncertainty ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Location Average ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	10CFR 20 APP B Table 2 Values ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )
<b>Nichols Ranch Project</b>										
NR-1 (Nearest Resident)	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	4.00E-10	4.00E-11	6.00E-10	5.00E-11	8.00E-10	6.00E-11	5.75E-10	1.00E-10
NR-2 (Southern Boundary Downwind)	6.00E-10	5.00E-11	3.00E-10*	3.00E-11	1.00E-10	8.00E-11	7.00E-10	6.00E-11	4.67E-10	1.00E-10
NR-3 (North Boundary Downwind)	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	5.00E-10	4.00E-11	6.00E-10	5.00E-11	5.25E-10	1.00E-10
NR-5 (Background)	3.00E-10	4.00E-11	7.00E-10	6.00E-11	7.00E-10	6.00E-11	3.00E-10*	3.00E-11	5.67E-10	1.00E-10
NR-6 (West of CPP downwind)	3.00E-10*	4.00E-11	6.00E-10	6.00E-11	7.00E-10	6.00E-11	8.00E-10	6.00E-11	7.00E-10	1.00E-10
NR-7 (North East of CPP Downwind Maximally Exposed Member of the Public)	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	7.00E-10	6.00E-11	1.10E-10	8.00E-11	9.00E-10	7.00E-11	5.53E-10	1.00E-10
NR-1 (Duplicate #1)	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	9.00E-10	7.00E-11	8.00E-10	7.00E-11	9.00E-10	6.00E-11	7.75E-10	1.00E-10
NR-1 (Duplicate #2)			5.00E-10	5.00E-11	5.00E-10	5.00E-11	1.20E-10	7.00E-11	3.73E-10	1.00E-10
<b>Nichols Ranch CPP Locations (8 locations)</b>										
Man Camp					3.00E-10*	1.00E-11			3.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Ranch (East Side)					6.00E-10	4.00E-11			6.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (SW Corner)					7.00E-10	5.00E-11			7.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (South Corner)					7.00E-10	5.00E-11			7.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (SE Corner)					6.00E-10	4.00E-11			6.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (NW Corner)					5.00E-10	4.00E-11			5.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (North Side)					5.00E-10	4.00E-11			5.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (NE Side)					8.00E-10	5.00E-11			8.00E-10	1.00E-10
CPP Fence (West Side)					6.00E-10	4.00E-11			6.00E-10	1.00E-10




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**Radon Monitoring**  
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Nichols Ranch Wellfield Locations (4 locations)										
NCBM-5	4.00E-10	5.00E-11			6.00E-10	4.00E-11			5.00E-10	1.00E-10
NCBM-6	5.00E-10	5.00E-11			6.00E-10	4.00E-11			5.50E-10	1.00E-10
Wellfield (Fence)					8.00E-10	5.00E-11			8.00E-10	1.00E-10
NR-4 (North Wellfield Boundary)	3.00E-10*	4.00E-11			7.00E-10	5.00E-11			7.00E-10	1.00E-10

MDA for all samples is 3.00E-10

\* Values less than MDA

 Green box indicates no data was collected during that time

**Appendix G**  
**Passive Gamma Radiation Monitoring**  
**July - December 2014**

Location	1st Quarter (mrem/quarter)	2nd Quarter (mrem/quarter)	3rd Quarter (mrem/quarter)	4th Quarter (mrem/quarter)	Location Average (Net mrem/quarter)
Nichols Ranch Project (2014)					
Control Badge	28.3	42.6	51.8	52.7	43.9
NR-1(Nearest Resident)	33.6	38.0	44.4	46.3	40.6
NR-2 (Southern Boundary Downwind)	34.8	41.7	42.6	48.2	41.8
NR-3 (North Boundary Downwind)	35.9	40.2	41.4	47.9	41.4
NR-5 (Background Upwind)	35.7	40.4	40.5	42.3	39.7
NR-6 (West of CPP downwind)	33.2	*	41.4	46.1	40.2
NR-7 (North East of CPP Downwind, maximally exposed member of the public)	34.6	36.7	43.8	47.9	40.8
Quarterly Average	34.6	39.4	42.4	46.5	40.7

\* Indicates lost badge

Appendix H  
Effluent Program Particulates  
January - December 2014

Sample Location	Sample Date	Radionuclide	Concentration ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	Error $\pm$ ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )	MDC ( $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$ )
CPP*	4/16/2014	U-Nat	9.33E-13	2.30E-13	8.32E-13
Header House**	4/16/2014	U-Nat	8.78E-13	1.05E-13	7.69E-13
CPP*	4/21/2014	U-Nat	9.46E-13	8.85E-14	9.13E-13
Header House**	4/23/2014	U-Nat	2.23E-12	9.63E-13	3.33E-13
DDW***	4/24/2014	U-Nat	3.38E-13	6.00E-15	3.38E-13
CPP*	4/28/2014	U-Nat	7.57E-13	1.17E-13	3.32E-13
Header House**	5/1/2014	U-Nat	3.39E-13	8.37E-14	3.39E-13
CPP*	5/6/2014	U-Nat	1.49E-12	6.14E-13	4.24E-13
DDW***	5/6/2014	U-Nat	8.60E-13	2.40E-13	3.39E-13
Header House**	5/7/2014	U-Nat	4.64E-13	4.66E-15	3.97E-13
CPP*	5/12/2014	U-Nat	1.19E-12	3.39E-14	1.19E-12
Header House**	5/14/2014	U-Nat	4.62E-13	5.81E-14	4.19E-13
CPP*	5/19/2014	U-Nat	1.25E-12	8.99E-14	1.25E-12
CPP*	6/4/2014	U-Nat	6.17E-13	3.08E-13	3.71E-13
Header House**	6/5/2014	U-Nat	7.32E-13	1.66E-13	4.16E-13
DDW***	6/5/2014	U-Nat	7.83E-13	3.17E-13	4.57E-13
DDW***	7/22/2014	U-Nat	1.80E-12	8.01E-13	1.10E-12
Header House**	7/22/2014	U-Nat	8.83E-13	8.61E-13	7.01E-13
CPP*	7/24/2014	U-Nat	1.26E-12	8.12E-14	1.26E-12
CPP*	8/19/2014	U-Nat	1.92E-12	6.69E-13	1.39E-12
Header House**	8/20/2014	U-Nat	2.06E-12	6.40E-13	1.49E-12
DDW***	8/20/2014	U-Nat	1.47E-12	0	1.47E-12
CPP*	9/3/2014	U-Nat	1.83E-12	1.08E-12	1.12E-12
DDW***	9/10/2014	U-Nat	1.17E-12	0	1.17E-12
Header House**	9/10/2014	U-Nat	1.17E-12	0	1.17E-12
CPP*	10/2/2014	U-Nat	9.02E-13	3.48E-13	4.90E-13
Header House**	10/2/2014	U-Nat	4.93E-13	0	4.93E-13
DDW***	10/3/2014	U-Nat	5.14E-13	0	5.14E-13
DDW***	11/5/2014	U-Nat	1.36E-12	0	1.36E-12
Header House**	11/5/2014	U-Nat	1.36E-12	0	1.36E-12
CPP*	11/11/2014	U-Nat	1.37E-12	0	1.37E-12
CPP*	12/4/2014	U-Nat	1.38E-12	0	1.38E-12
Header House**	12/10/2014	U-Nat	1.29E-12	1.43E-13	1.27E-12
DDW***	12/10/2014	U-Nat	1.16E-12	1.92E-13	1.16E-12
Average of CPP measurements			1.22E-12	2.81E-13	9.48E-13
Average of Header House measurements			1.03E-12	2.52E-13	7.63E-13
Average of DDW measurements			9.98E-13	1.95E-13	8.04E-13

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 \*\* Header House concentrations are taken from an average of each operational header house (currently 4)  
 \*\*\*DDW concentrations are taken from an average of each operational DDW (currently 2)

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Sample Location	Sample Date	Radionuclide	Concentration (Working Levels)	Error ±(Working Levels)	MDC (Working Levels)
CPP*	4/16/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0062	0.0004	0.0062
Header House**	4/16/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0073	0.0013	0.0073
CPP*	4/21/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0060	0.0000	0.0060
Header House**	4/23/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0060	0.0000	0.0060
DDW***	4/24/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0075	0.0005	0.0075
CPP*	4/28/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0070	0.0000	0.0070
Header House**	5/1/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0085	0.0017	0.0085
DDW***	5/6/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0085	0.0015	0.0085
CPP*	5/7/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0075	0.0005	0.0073
Header House**	5/7/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0095	0.0023	0.0095
CPP*	5/12/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0085	0.0019	0.0085
Header House**	5/14/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0068	0.0008	0.0068
CPP*	6/4/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0122	0.0072	0.0060
Header House**	6/5/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0078	0.0015	0.0078
DDW***	6/11/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0080	0.0020	0.0080
Recovery Wells****	6/25/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0187	0.0358	0.0074
Header House**	7/22/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0085	0.0023	0.0085
DDW***	7/22/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0070	0.0000	0.0070
CPP*	7/24/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0083	0.0025	0.0083
CPP*	8/19/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0077	0.0015	0.0077
Header House**	8/20/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0196	0.0214	0.0075
DDW***	8/20/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0060	0.0000	0.0060
Recovery Wells****	8/21/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0092	0.0086	0.0061
CPP*	9/3/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0072	0.0017	0.0072
DDW***	9/10/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0070	0.0010	0.0070
Header House**	9/10/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0073	0.0011	0.0073
CPP Tanks	9/30/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	8.56 N/A*****		0.0082
CPP*	10/2/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0094	0.0028	0.0092
Header House**	10/2/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0078	0.0018	0.0078
DDW***	10/9/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0060	0.0000	0.0060
DDW***	11/5/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0070	0.0010	0.0070
Header House**	11/5/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0078	0.0018	0.0078
CPP*	11/11/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0151	0.0059	0.0080
CPP*	12/4/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0075	0.0010	0.0075
Header House**	12/10/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0080	0.0024	0.0080
DDW***	12/10/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0070	0.0010	0.0070
CPP Tanks	12/10/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	2.82 N/A*****		0.0091
Recovery Wells****	12/11/2014	Rn-222 and progeny	0.0838	0.2462	0.0069
Average of CPP measurements			0.00855	0.0021	0.0074
Average of Header House measurements			0.00872	0.0032	0.0077
Average of DDW measurements			0.00711	0.0008	0.0071
Average of Recovery Wells			0.03724	0.0969	0.0068
Average of CPP Tanks			5.69E+00 N/A*****		0.0087

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\*\*\*\*Recovery well concentrations are an average of at least 10% of active recovery wells during the sampling period. Each sampling period had 12 recovery wells sampled for the ~110 recovery wells operating during the year 2014.

\*\*\*\*\*No published way to perform uncertainty calculations with sampling method.



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SERP No.	Date	SERP Topic	Evaluation Summary
SERP-1-2014	2/3/2014	Relocation of Air Sampling Monitor Locations	Per license condition 11.9, the licensee shall establish air particulate sampling stations consistent with Regulatory Guide 4.14. The license condition was imposed through the NRC SER which evaluated that the applicant had not demonstrated that the proposed radon monitoring, air particulate sampling and gamma sampling locations are at locations or in sectors representing the highest predicted airborne concentrations for release from the facility. Specifically the NRC indicated that the applicant did not demonstrate sample conditions are at the predicted highest down wind concentrations for radioactive effluents. Additionally license condition 12.7 required additional meteorological data be collected to obtain data to determine long term conditions at the site. The SERP evaluated the existing air monitoring station locations and concluded that the meteorological data collected showed a need to relocate three air monitoring stations. The SERP concluded and approved new locations which were only slightly removed from the original locations. Figure 2-25 of the Mine Plan was revised. A copy of this SERP was submitted to the NRC on February 3, 2014.
SERP-2-2014	5/22/2014	Relocation of Restricted/Collected Area Locations	The SERP evaluated increasing the restricted area in the Central Processing Plant to include the hallway outside of the planned locker rooms and remove the controlled areas surrounding the deep disposal well buildings. In order to help maintain exposures to radioactive material to ALARA, Uranerz established restricted areas which restrict access to personnel and members of the public. Uranerz also established controlled areas that are outside restricted areas but inside the licensed boundary for which access is limited by Uranerz. Restricted areas are maintained within most areas of the Central Processing Plant. Personnel entering the restricted area inside the processing plant are required to scan out prior to leaving the area. Scanning is performed to ensure that that contamination is not present above amounts set by regulation and company policy. To that end Uranerz evaluated increasing the restricted area inside the processing plant. The hallway area outside the locker rooms will now be a restricted area and will no longer be a clean area. This is necessary because since commencement of operations gamma radiation levels from waste water tanks has increased and the tanks are located near a scanning station. With this close proximity, beta/gamma levels cannot be reliably detected below release requirements. Therefore, to allow personnel to scan out of the restricted area near the locker rooms it is necessary to move the location of the scan station. Uranerz also evaluated removing the controlled areas surrounding the DDW buildings. It was determined that the DDW buildings were shown as controlled in error because access is not limited near the DDW buildings. The DDW buildings will still be maintained as controlled areas where access is limited by keypad locked doors, but the area surrounding the buildings will be maintained as unrestricted. The SERP concluded that the revisions were acceptable.
SERP-3-2014	6/10/2014	RST Qualifications	The SERP was presented with employee qualifications for Radiation Safety Technicians. The qualifications were reviewed with Regulatory Guide 8.31. Both employees were found to be well qualified and the SERP concluded that they met requirements to be radiation safety technicians.

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SERP-6-2014	12/16/2014	Management - Organizational Structure Change	The SERP evaluated changes to Chapter 5 of the Mine Plan regarding Management. Two changes were evaluated. The first was the edition of the position of the Chief Operating Officer (COO) and the next was a title change pertaining to the Vice President Regulatory Affairs. The title change simply was revised to Vice President Regulatory and Public Affairs. The COO is a similiar position to the Exceutive Vice President position initially provided in the license application. The COO responsibilities an authorities were included. Text narrative and Figure 5-1 were revised to reflect the changes. The SERP concluded that the changes will not result in increased safety or radiological hazards and will ultimately result in additional management resources similiar to that already described in the SER.