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Ms. Donna Carson Chairperson Portsmouth Environmental Management Site Specific Advisory Board 1862 Shyville Road, Suite 119 Piketon, Ohio 45661

Dear Ms. Carson:

## RECOMMENDATION 24-02: PORTSMOUTH ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SITE SPECIFIC ADVISORY BOARD PRIORITIES FOR CONTINUED ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING COMMUNICATIONS

Reference: Letter from J. Crabtree to J. Davis, "Recommendation 24-02: Portsmouth

(PORTS) Environmental Management (EM) Site Specific Advisory Board (SSAB) Recommends Continued Environmental Monitoring Communications,"

dated September 17, 2024

This correspondence is written in response to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Environmental Management (EM) Portsmouth Site Specific Advisory Board (PORTS SSAB) Recommendation 24-02. We want to thank the PORTS SSAB for its input related to the Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) Project.

This recommendation builds on prior recommendations which have led to improved relations with the community and increased confidence in our operations. We accept the recommendation for continued environmental monitoring communications and will continue to provide the data in as timely a manner as feasible.

DOE appreciates the work of the PORTS SSAB and looks forward to working on these and other issues as the D&D Project moves forward.

Sincerely,

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