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Stephen H. McCracken
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RE: Comments on the Draft Proposed Plan for Treatment and Final Disposal
of Waste at the Weldon Spring Site.

Mr. McCracken

I write at the behest of the Board of Education of the Francis Howell School District following a presentation/review of the referenced plan by Mr. Donald J. McQueen of Shannon & Wilson Inc.

I submit the following list of recommendations as a school district response to the referenced plan.

- a. The rate of clean up should be accelerated.
- b. The critical elements of the plan should be conducted during non-school hours; that is, prior to and after normal school hours, on weekends and during school breaks.
- c. The process addressing ground water contamination in the Femme Osage Slough should be accelerated.

We appreciate your consideration of the recommendations and commend you for the creation of a proposed plan which appears to significantly minimize hazards.

Sincerely

Daniel T. Brown
Associate Superintendent

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c: Dr. Oldani