



August 28, 2020

Mr. Brian T. Hennessey, SRS Remedial Project Manager
Infrastructure and Area Completion Division
U. S. Department of Energy
Savannah River Operations Office
Post Office Box A
Aiken, South Carolina 29802



Re: Post-Construction Report for the Wetland Area at Dunbarton Bay in Support of Steel Creek Integrator Operable Unit (U), SEMS Number: 71 (SRNS-RP-2020-00003, Revision 0, June 2020) received June 4, 2020.

Dear Mr. Hennessey:

The Department has completed its review of the above referenced document pursuant to the Savannah River Site Federal Facility Agreement. The attached comments were generated as a result of this review. These comments must be addressed prior to final approval of the above referenced document. As specified in Section XXII, Review/Comment on Documents, the appropriate technical staff will be available to participate in a joint DOE/EPA/DHEC comment resolution meeting to discuss these comments, if necessary.

To schedule a meeting to resolve the attached comments or to obtain further information, please contact me at (803) 898-4331.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Fulmer, P.G., Manager
Federal Remediation Section
Division of Site Assessment, Remediation, Revitalization
Bureau of Land and Waste Management

cc: **C. L. Bergren**, SRNS-ACP (Signed Original)
Travis Fuss, Aiken Environmental Affairs Office (via email)
Jon Richards, EPA Region IV
Heather Cathcart, BLWM

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control Comments on:
Post-Construction Report for the Wetland Area at Dunbarton Bay
in Support of Steel Creek Integrator Operable Unit (U),
SEMS Number: 71 (SRNS-RP-2020-00003, Revision 0, June 2020) received June 4, 2020.

Page 1 of 1

Specific Comments

1. Table 4, Summary of Design Changes, page 40. Items 4 and 6 of this table indicate that additional ash was found outside of the original boundary for the limits of ash in two separate areas of the North Ash Remediation Area (NARA) - one location at the outfall structure of a sediment trap on the eastern side and the other at a designed diversion berm location on the southwestern corner. There appears to be no discussion of this additional ash in Sections 2.3.2.2 or 2.3.3.2 or a general figure showing these locations, as was done for the additional ash discovered outside of the original boundary at the South Ash Remediation Area (SARA). Please include a brief discussion and a figure showing the extent of additional ash at these two locations.