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Base Realignment and Closure Operations Branch

Mr. Ricardo Maestas Acting Chief, Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303

RE: Notification to Perform Semi-Annual Groundwater Periodic Monitoring, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico. EPA# NM6213820974

Dear Mr. Maestas:

The Department of the Army respectfully submits this notification of its intention to perform the October 2021 semi-annual groundwater periodic monitoring event, in accordance with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit, EPA ID# NM6213820974 Section V.I.B5, issued by the New Mexico Environment Department on February 25, 2015.

The groundwater monitoring event will take place beginning September 30, 2021. The Army will collect groundwater levels from the northern area groundwater wells and piezometers prior to commencing groundwater sampling activities. The event will take approximately 4 weeks to complete.

If you have questions or require further information, please contact me at <u>George.h.cushman.civ@mail.mil</u>, 703-455-3234 (Temporary Home Office, preferred) or 703-608-2245 (Mobile).

Sincerely,

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