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Dr. B.J Howerton  
Bureau of Indian Affairs  
Branch of Environmental & Cultural Resources Management  
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RE: Access Notification for Parcel 14, Fort Wingate Depot Activity, McKinley County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Howerton:

The Department of the Army respectfully submits this notification of its intention to check water levels at a piezometer and monitoring wells within Parcel 14 which was part of the Fort Wingate Depot Activity prior to being transferred to the Department of the Interior on August 3, 2017. A map showing the locations of the piezometer and monitoring wells is enclosed. The Army will be accessing Parcel 14 in accordance with the terms of the Letter of Transfer between the Army and DOI, and in compliance with Section 2829F (b) (2) Access for Environmental Response Actions of the National Defense Authorization Act enacted on December 23, 2016. The work will begin on January 22, 2019 and be completed within three days. The Army is conducting the work to comply with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit (EPA ID# NM6213820974) issued by the New Mexico Environment Department on February 25, 2015.

If you have questions or require further information, please call me at (505) 721-9770.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: Map

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# FWDA Parcel 14 Piezometer and Monitoring Well Locations

