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Dr. B.J Howerton
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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 Dr. Howerton:

The Department of the Army respectfully submits this notification of its intention to check water levels at a piezometer and the 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. Groundwater elevations at these locations will be recorded as part of the Interim Facility-wide Groundwater Monitoring Program. 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 July 16, 2018 and be completed within the next day. 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

