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Ladies and Gentlemen:

**BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT (BWIP) QUARTERLY UPDATE MEETING
JANUARY 12-13, 1988**

The next Basalt Waste Isolation Project quarterly update meeting will be held January 12-13, 1988, at the Shilo Rivershore Inn at 50 Comstock Avenue in Richland.

The enclosed draft agenda is based on suggestions made at the last quarterly update (October 14-15, 1987), on suggestions formally submitted in response to the previous letter regarding this meeting (87-AMC-876, dated October 29, 1987), and on the format used and generally accepted in the last two quarterly updates.

Please note that affected parties are scheduled on the second day to give brief presentations about their grant-funded activities and the small discussion group summary highlights. We are requesting that the affected parties assume responsibility for this aspect of the agenda.

If you have any suggestions about the proposed agenda, please submit them to Mr. Max Powell at (509) 376-5267 by December 23, 1987. The final agenda will be issued during the week of December 28, 1987.

Thank you in advance for your contributions to the quarterly meetings. We look forward to meeting with you in the new year.

Sincerely,

John H. Anttonen, Assistant Manager
for Commercial Nuclear Waste

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BASALT WASTE ISOLATION PROJECT
QUARTERLY UPDATE MEETING
JANUARY 12 AND 13, 1988

SHILO RIVERSHORE INN
RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

Tuesday, January 12, 1988

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Welcome Introductions Review Agenda Determine Discussion Group Summary Preparers	Izatt/Powell
9:00 - 12:00 noon	Environmental Program Management - Include BER Development and Distribution Process (per YIN agenda comments)	Whitfield
9:00 - 12:00 noon	Exploratory Shaft Design Basis Study	Freeberg
12:00 - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch	
1:15 - 1:45 p.m.	Hydrology Update - Drilling Status - Stratigraphy Field Trip	Dahlem
1:45 - 4:00 p.m.	Information/Data Management Follow-up from last quarterly (per YIN agenda comments)	Higgins

Wednesday, January 13, 1988

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Small Discussion Summaries	Affected Party Representatives
9:00 - 12:15 p.m.	Affected Parties' Program Updates	Affected Party Representatives
9:00 - 9:30 a.m.	Yakima Indian Nation	
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation	
10:00 - 10:15 a.m.	BREAK	

Wednesday, January 13, 1988 (cont.)

10:15 - 10:45 a.m.	Nez Perce Tribe	
10:45 - 11:15 a.m.	State of Washington Department of Ecology	
11:15 - 11:45 a.m.	Washington State Institute for Public Policy	
11:45 - 12:15 p.m.	Oregon Department of Energy	
12:15 - 1:45 p.m.	Lunch	
1:45 - 3:30 p.m.	Wrap-up	Izatt/Powell
	- New Commitment Concurrence	
	- Review of Commitments from Past Quarterly Updates	
	- Meeting Feedback	
	- Review of Schedules for Upcoming Meetings (including consultation period workshops, per YIN agenda comments)	