

October 11, 2012

Mr. Thurman Cournoyer, Sr. Chairperson
Yankton Sioux Tribe
P.O. Box 1153
Wagner, SD 57380

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DETAILED INFORMATION FOR THE PROPOSED DEWEY-BURDOCK
IN-SITU RECOVERY PROJECT

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The NRC staff is transmitting this letter and attached correspondence to you to keep you informed of all Section 106 activities for the proposed Dewey-Burdock ISR project.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Kellee Jamerson of my staff via email at Kellee.Jamerson@nrc.gov or by phone at 301-415-7649.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Larry W. Camper, Director
Division of Waste Management
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Office of Federal and State Materials
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Letter w/Detailed Request for
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