

From: [Burrows, Ronald](#)
To: [Walter Nelson \(Walter.Nelson@cameco.com\)](#)
Cc: [Lancaster, Thomas](#)
Subject: Acceptance of alternate decommissioning schedule submittal
Date: Thursday, April 19, 2018 7:19:42 AM

Mr. Walter Nelson
Coordinator, Safety, Health,
Environment & Quality
Crow Butte Resources, Inc.
86 Crow Butte Road
Post Office Box 169
Crawford, NE 69339-0169

SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE REVIEW, ALTERNATE DECOMMISSIONING
(GROUNDWATER RESTORATION) SCHEDULE,
CROW BUTTE RESOURCES, INC., CRAWFORD, NEBRASKA, SOURCE
MATERIALS LICENSE, SUA-1534

Dear Mr. Nelson,

By letter dated April 3, 2018 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System Accession No. ML18102A539), Crow Butte Resources, Inc. (CBR) requested a license amendment for an alternate decommissioning schedule for Mine Units 2-6. The NRC staff has completed its acceptance review of this amendment request and has found the request acceptable for further detailed technical review. Please note that the complete technical review may identify technical issues that require additional information.

The NRC staff anticipates transmitting a request for additional information (RAI), if necessary, by July 10, 2018. Assuming the NRC staff has received a complete RAI response by August 10, 2018, the anticipated completion date for this licensing action (amendment) is October 19, 2018.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure" a copy of this letter will be available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the Publicly Available Records component of NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. If you have any questions, please contact me at 301-415-6443, or by e-mail at Ronald.Burrows@nrc.gov.

Ronald A. Burrows

Ronald A. Burrows CHP, RRPT
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Material Safety

and Safeguards
Uranium Recovery Licensing Branch
301.415.6443