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Subject: [External_Sender] MU's updated plan to decommission Pickard Hall

Mike,

Per our telephonic conversation on May 3, 2019, MU would like to update NRC on the university's path forward on Pickard Hall.

Timeline:

On November 26, 2018, MU requested official voiding action of previously submitted documents on Pickard Hall. MU requested a maximum of 12 months to resubmit documents.

On May 13, 2019, MU made a final decision on the best course of action for the university, which is to demolish the structure, remove subsurface contamination and seek release of site for unrestricted use from NRC.

On May 17, 2019, MU requested Chase Environmental Group Inc. prepare a new decommissioning plan for Pickard Hall with desire to proceed to demolition with radiological controls as quickly as possible. MU's intent is for characterization to be minimized, mostly to determine waste disposal pathways, so the end state can be reached as soon as practical.

By September 20, 2019, Chase will provide MU with an updated draft decommissioning plan for internal review/comment. It is MU's expectation this plan will address the path for complete removal of Pickard Hall to at least the slab of the building in as short of a time span as practical.

By November 8, 2019, MU will submit the new decommissioning plan and alternate disposal request to the NRC.

When NRC's approval to proceed is obtained, It is MU's intent to proceed with implementation of the updated decommissioning plan as soon as practical.

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