

**RESPONSE SHEET**

**TO:** Annette Vietti-Cook, Secretary  
**FROM:** CHAIRMAN SVINICKI  
**SUBJECT:** COMSECY-20-0013: Knowledge Management for High-Level Waste Disposal

Approved XX Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_ Not Participating \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS: Below XX Attached \_\_\_\_\_ None \_\_\_\_\_

I approve the staff's proposal to utilize a portion of the agency's remaining Nuclear Waste Fund resources for the development of further knowledge management documentation related to the staff's prior technical review of the Yucca Mountain high-level waste disposal application. Given the retirements of NRC subject matter experts that have already occurred and those expected in the coming years, the modest funding proposed to be utilized for this activity is both reasonable and prudent in light of the vast public resources expended on the review and associated activities over the last decades.

  
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Entered on "STARS" Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_