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Nick,

The Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Legacy Management understands the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has sole discretion to determine the Long-Term Surveillance Charge (LTSC) and any variance in the LTSC. Furthermore, DOE is aware that the LTSC will not necessarily be sufficient to fully cover DOE's Long-Term Surveillance and Maintenance (LTS&M) costs for managing the site in perpetuity.

Please see attached Split Rock DOE LTS&M annual cost estimate summary to post for public availability. The summary is a condensed version of the detailed estimate provided for official use only to NRC on June 1, 2021 which protects contractor business sensitive information and thus is appropriate for public posting.

Thanks.  
Nicole

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