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Louise T. Lew
Head, NPL Section
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Dear Ms. Lew:

Thank you for allowing EPA the opportunity to evaluate the Weston Low Temperature Thermal (LT3) Process during the clean-up of the Naval Auxiliary Landing Field, Crows Landing, fire fighting school. After reviewing the site investigation report, however, we do not believe that the contaminations levels are high enough to allow for an adequate assessment of the performance of the LT3 process. EPA, therefore, would like to decline the opportunity to participate in the Crows Landing clean-up effort.

Thank you again for your consideration in this matter and we regret any inconvenience our limited participation may have caused.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Laurel Staley".

Laurel Staley
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cc: Steve James, EPA
Kathy Nakazawa, Naval Facilities Engineering Command
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