



**Department of Energy**  
West Valley Demonstration Project  
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West Valley, NY 14171-9799

October 11, 2017

Mr. Jeffrey D. Bradford  
President & General Manager  
CH2M HILL BWXT West Valley, LLC  
West Valley Demonstration Project  
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West Valley, NY 14171-9799

ATTENTION: C. B. Lee, Environmental, Safety, Health and Quality Manager, WV-RHWF

SUBJECT: U.S. Department of Energy West Valley Demonstration Project (DOE-WVDP)  
Approval of Letter of Agreement (LOA) for Erie County Medical Center (ECMC) and  
the WVDP

REFERENCE: Letter WD:2017:0989 (375017), C. B. Lee to B. C. Bower, "Submittal of Letter  
of Agreement (LOA) for Erie County Medical Center (ECMC) and the West  
Valley Demonstration Project (WVDP)," dated October 3, 2017

Dear Mr. Bradford:

As requested in the referenced letter, the LOA for ECMC and the WVDP has been approved by the  
DOE-WVDP Project Director.

The contents of this correspondence are not intended to impact or modify contract scope and/or  
cost. Please direct your response and any questions regarding this matter to Ken Sokody of my  
staff on Extension 4637.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christopher J. Eckert", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Christopher J. Eckert  
Safety and Site Programs Team Leader  
West Valley Demonstration Project

Enclosure: LOA for ECMC and the WVDP

cc: S. A. Anderson, CHBWV, WV-10PLEX, w/enc.  
T. R. Fontaine, CHBWV, WV-10PLEX, w/enc.  
K. B. Murray, CHBWV, WV-10PLEX, w/enc.  
P. J. Bembia, NYSERDA, AC-NYS, w/enc.

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### LETTER OF AGREEMENT

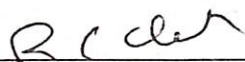
BY AND AMONG Erie County Medical Center Corporation (ECMCC), the U. S. Department of Energy, West Valley Demonstration Project (DOE-WVDP), the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), and CH2M HILL • B&W West Valley, LLC (CHBWV) as DOE-WVDP's Prime Contractor, hereby agree as follows

1. This letter of Agreement replaces all previous agreements with ECMCC addressing medical services involving the West Valley Demonstration Project (WVDP) and the Western New York Nuclear Services Center (WNYNSC).
2. ECMCC agrees to provide emergency medical support at the hospital's facilities for visitors or personnel at the WNYNSC, including but not limited to the WVDP. ECMCC agrees to accept both injured and ill individuals for emergency treatment, whether these patients are free of radioactive and hazardous substance contamination or are contaminated as a result of work at the WVDP facilities including the State-Licensed Disposal Area (SDA) located within the WNYNSC.
3. ECMCC agrees to maintain specialized equipment supplied by CHBWV and treatment capabilities, which is acceptable to both the DOE-WVDP and ECMCC, in a state of readiness such that it can provide emergency treatment within a reasonable period of time after notification of need to treat a contaminated patient. The DOE-WVDP and NYSERDA agree to take appropriate measures, reasonably practicable, to prevent contamination of the Hospital's facilities and personnel as a result of ECMCC providing emergency treatment.
4. ECMCC reserves the right to use the equipment supplied by CHBWV for other non-WVDP matters and agrees to replace in kind or restore as may be necessary resulting from damages incurred by ECMCC's use in such non-WVDP matters.
5. In support of ECMCC's role, the DOE-WVDP, through CHBWV, will provide specialized equipment to prevent cross contamination and decontaminate the patient, the hospital personnel, and the hospital environs for radiation and radioactive contamination.
6. CHBWV, DOE-WVDP and NYSERDA agree to familiarize ECMCC personnel with the properties of radioactive and other hazardous substances handled at the WVDP and SDA, and the types of injuries and illnesses which could result from fires, explosions or releases at the WVDP or the SDA.
7. The DOE-WVDP agrees, through CHBWV, to familiarize ECMCC personnel with the procedures used at WVDP for emergency response, health physics, and personnel decontamination. ECMCC agrees to provide its emergency medical treatment personnel (those designated by the hospital to support work with contaminated injured personnel) and opportunity to drill (practice) with the WVDP at least once a year.
8. The WVDP agrees to provide, through CHBWV, the health physics support and monitoring services to ECMCC in emergency situations as provided for ECMCC's "response plan" and for the duration of the stay of a patient contaminated with radioactive material such health physics support and monitoring services as are agreed to by CHBWV and ECMCC pursuant to the agreed upon "response plan".

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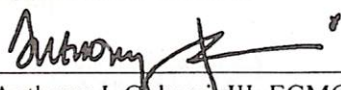
9. CHBWV agrees to use its best effort to provide assistance to ECMCC with respect to the care and treatment of patients admitted to ECMCC pursuant to this Agreement.
10. This Agreement shall be effective on the date last signed below and remain effective until canceled upon at least 60 days prior written notice from any signatory.



Richard C. Cleland, CEO  
Erie County Medical Center Corporation

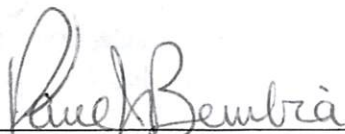
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**Approved as to Form**



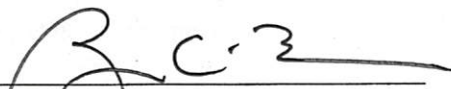
Anthony J. Colucci III, ECMCC Counsel

Dated: 10/6/2015



Paul J. Bembra, Program Director  
New York State Energy Research and Development  
Authority WVDP

Dated: 9/26/17



Bryan C. Bower, Director  
U.S. Department of Energy  
West Valley Demonstration Project

Dated: 10-05-2017



Jeff D. Bradford, President and General Manager  
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Dated: 9/28/17