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Subject: FW: Proposed Multi-Governor Letter, RE: EM Clean-Up

Attachments: EM State Governors to OMB.docx

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I reached out to Mark for a brief conversation; this is an issue that Sen. Graham's office is working on and given the budget issues with SRNS, I think that H-canyon and other SRS operations may face significant operational challenges in the coming year. The Governor wrote a letter about maintaining operations at H-Canyon last year and I think that we need to continue the push to at least keep the site from going into "ready-safe" mode.

Timing is bad with the budget, but this is worth addressing.

Josh

-----Original Message-----

From: Rupp, Mark (GOV) [mailto:mark.rupp@gov.wa.gov]

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Importance: High

Colleagues from CA, ID, KY, NM, NY, OH, SC, TN and UT:

Please see, attached.

Governors Gregoire and Sandoval are interested in having all of the governors of EM states -- our collective states -- send a letter to OMB requesting adequate funding for the whole EM system in the budget that the Administration will put forward early next year.

You'll see the target send date on the letter of Dec. 18, so I realize time is short and I apologize for that. We may be able to push that back later into next week if need be, but hopeful to send out sooner rather than later.

Please let Ryan McGinness in Gov. Sandoval's office (cc'd) and me know if your boss will sign or not. Also, so you know, the director of my state's environmental agency is likely reaching out to his colleagues in your respective states encouraging their communication with your offices to sign.

Thank you,  
Mark

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