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**Subject:** Deferral Approval - XTO - Severus Central Tank Battery - (1RP-5552) 5-18-2019 **Attachments:** Deferral Approval - XTO - Severus Central Tank Battery - (1RP-5552) 12.2.19.pdf

Kyle,

LT Environmental's deferral request for the 1RP-5552, requests to complete remediation during any future major construction/alteration or final plugging and abandonment, whichever occurs first. The area requested for deferral is identified on the site map as soil sample SW02 collected from the final excavation extent. The area has been delineated and documented in the report. At this time, OCD approves this request. The Final Report C-141 will be accepted for record and marked accordingly. The release will remain open in OCD database files and reflect an open environmental issue. This is a Federal site and will require like approval from BLM.

Regards,

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