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Dear Colonel Froehlich and Mr. Pike:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is in receipt of the Kirtland Air Force Base (the Permittee) Revised Final Basis of Design (BOD) – Mid-Plume Pump and Treat System, dated June 12, 2015. The revised BOD addresses the issues identified in NMED’s conditional BOD approval letter of April 24, 2015.

The Permittee’s revised final BOD is hereby approved with the following condition:

1. The Permittee shall submit, upon completion of construction, photographic documentation that a backflow preventer or other means to prevent backflow of treated water from the force main line into well KAFB-7 has been installed.

NMED technical staff will assist you and your contractor in any way possible to achieve this interim measure.
If you have any questions, please contact me at 505-827-2855.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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