News from the Corps

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Hello from the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Buffalo District:

Two new documents have been posted on the Niagara Falls Storage Site (NFSS) website:

1. The 2009 NFSS Environmental Surveillance Technical Memorandum is available at: http://www.lrb.usace.army.mil/fusrap/nfss/#EnvSurv

The NFSS Environmental Surveillance Technical Memorandum documents the results of our monitoring program at the site from December 2008 to December 2009.

This program quantifies and evaluates radiological, chemical, and water quality data from the environment at the NFSS. The 2009 Technical Memorandum indicates that measured parameters were within U. S. Department of Energy guidelines and calculated exposure rates to the general public were well within regulatory limits.

NFSS controls are continuing to perform as designed and are fully protective of human health and the environment. These findings are consistent with the findings of prior year evaluations.

2. The Interim Waste Containment Structure (IWCS) Remedial Alternatives Technologies Development and Screening Fact Sheet is available at: http://www.lrb.usace.army.mil/fusrap/nfss/index.htm#Documents

The fact sheet outlining the purpose and objective of the IWCS Remedial Alternatives Technologies Development and Screening Technical Memorandum for the NFSS Feasibility Study is available for comment. Please provide us with your input by January 17, 2011.

Your input regarding the objective of this technical memorandum can be sent via e-mail to fusrap@usace.army.mil (please note "IWCS Remedial Alternatives Technologies Development Screening" in the subject of the e-mail) or mailed to:

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We look forward to receiving your input!