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# ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD

for Maywood, New Jersey

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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
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Ms. Susan Cange, Site Manager  
Former Sites Restoration Division  
U.S. Department of Energy  
Oak Ridge Operation Field Office  
P.O. Box 2001  
Oak Ridge, TN 37831-8723

**Re: Maywood Site - Proposed Use of Supplemental Standards: Lodi Park**

Dear Ms. Cange:

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the hazard assessment submitted by the Department of Energy (DOE) dated June 25, 1996, for the area of residual radioactive materials above criteria located on the Lodi Municipal Park, Lodi, NJ. DOE suggested the use of supplemental standards at this property so that two areas of mature trees can be retained in accordance with the wishes of the Borough representatives.

Based on our review of the data presented in the hazard assessment package EPA agrees that the use of supplemental standards for this property appears to be appropriate. However, we note that there are areas within the portion of the site for which the hazard assessment was prepared that DOE may be able to address through the use of hand tools without damage to the root systems. We recommend that, where possible given configuration and location of root systems, DOE remove surface contamination within this area of concern in addition to the remediation of the other portions of the property.

Please feel free to contact me at (212) 637-4433 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Angela Carpenter".

Angela Carpenter, Project Manager  
Federal Facilities Section

cc: N. Marton, DEP