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To: CHPRC Employees (please cascade)

Subject: REMOBILIZATION INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

Earlier today, the DOE announced the phased restart of operations starting on May 26. This process will be measured, deliberate and address near-term priorities. It will require clear communication, trust and respect at all levels of our organization. Workspaces, processes and expectations will be different, and it will take time, understanding and patience to adjust.

I'd like to thank those involved in maintaining the Hanford Site in an essential mission-critical operations posture, preparing for remobilization, working remotely and onsite, these past many weeks.

DOE's first phase of remobilization focuses on high-priority and low-risk work such as construction, training, medical evaluations and maintenance. Most employees currently teleworking will continue to do so. Those who return to their regular work locations should be mindful of the restrictions in place to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

For CHPRC, some Phase 1A employees may return the week of May 26 for training at HAMMER. Critical mission essential work next week will include ion exchange column replacement in the 105 K West Basin and receipt of wastes at the Environmental Restoration Disposal Facility. Additional Phase 1A employees will tentatively begin returning the week of June 1 across many of our projects and functional organizations for walkdowns, tumbleweed removal, implementation of remaining social distancing measures and planning for future phases.

As part of the Hanford remobilization plan, all workers will receive additional training and be required to wear face coverings while working at the Hanford Site. Certain exceptions to the face coverings requirement include when an individual is alone and

during breaks in a social distancing setting. Along with wearing face coverings, all employees will be asked to monitor themselves each day prior to leaving for work. If employees have any of the following COVID-19 related symptoms, they should inform their supervisors, not report to work and contact their personal physicians: a temperature of 100.4° F / 38° C or greater, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle aches, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat or chills.

This [website](#) is available for more remobilization information.

Once you do return to the workplace, and for those who will continue teleworking, we developed this [intranet page](#) as a resource for information related to COVID-19, including a place where you can ask questions.

While some of us will be back on the Site, others will continue to telework and some will wait for their return to workplace instructions. Whatever your role is these next few weeks, please continue to stay safe and watch out for yourselves, your family and your coworkers.