West Valley Citizen Task Force
Summary of Activities – 2019

Introduction
This memorandum summarizes the activities for the West Valley Citizen Task Force in 2019. This summary is intended to be an aid to discussion and decision-making for 2020.

Meetings, Presentations and Other Accomplishments
During 2019 the CTF accomplished the following:

Five CTF meetings were held. The Ad Hoc Agenda Work Group also held a conference call. The CTF continued to forgo four meetings in favor of the Quarterly Public Meetings scheduled on the days the CTF meeting would traditionally have been held. Meeting summary and materials are available at: http://westvalleyctf.org/meeting-information/prior-meeting-information/2019-meetingsummaries/ and http://westvalleyctf.org/meeting-information/prior-meeting-information/2019-meeting-materials/

- Topics of presentations and discussions at CTF meetings included:
  - CHBWV Project updates. Legacy Waste shipment, newly generated waste shipments, deactivation activities (Main Plant Process Building, ancillary facilities), electrical and gas infrastructure improvements, NRC-licensed Disposal Area armoring and cover extension, contract scope modifications and safety reports
  - Budget updates
  - Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement process and schedule
  - West Valley Demonstration Project Act Reauthorization
  - Probabilistic Performance Modeling and Statistical Analysis
  - Overview of the Town of Ashford Proposal for a Solar Facility on the Retained Premises and town participation in Energy Communities Alliance meetings
  - Groundwater Withdrawal Permit application to NYSDEC
  - Permeable Treatment Wall Update
  - Annual Site Environmental Report for 2018

- Website maintenance and updates continued throughout the year

Correspondence
The following correspondence was sent by the CTF in 2019:

- April 24, 2019 letters to congressional delegation and appropriations committee on WVDP Reauthorization Act and annual appropriations.

The following correspondence was received by the CTF in 2019:

- Copy recipient of January 3, 2019 letter NYSERDA to DOE on High-Level Waste interpretation.
- Copy recipient May 28, 2019 Letter from Ray Vaughan to NYSERDA on Conceptual Site Model.
- Copy recipient December 13 and 20 letters from Ray Vaughan to NYSDEC on Groundwater Withdrawal Permit.
All correspondence is available on the CTF website at http://westvalleyctf.org/about/ctf-correspondence/ and/or http://westvalleyctf.org/meeting-information/prior-meeting-information/2019-meeting-materials/.

**Press Coverage**
Press articles and coverage directly and/or indirectly mentioned the West Valley Demonstration Project and the CTF. These articles are compiled between meetings and are available with the materials for each meeting on the website at www.westvalleyctf.org. Each article is posted on the website as they are received from the agencies.

**Changes in Membership**
Paul Kranz retired and was replaced by Erie County Department of Environment and Planning Deputy Commissioner Bonnie Lawrence and her alternate John Hood as the representative of Erie County. With the resignation of Senator Catharine Young member Deb Aumick shifted to become the alternate for Heidi Hartley.