THE HANFORD SITE

July 1, 2020
TO: All Hanford Site Employees
SUBJECT: Hanford Site to Remain in Phase 1 Site Operations during Week of 6 July

PLEASE SHARE THIS MESSAGE WITH THOSE WHO ARE NOT ON COMPUTERS

During the week of 6 July, the Hanford Site operational posture will remain in Phase 1 operations with a marginal increase in the onsite workforce through the addition of a night shift crew at the Waste Treatment and Immobilization Plant construction site.

It is important to continue to stress adherence to established COVID-19 protocols during site operations, including the use of face coverings, social distancing, increased hand washing, and the completion of the employee wellness checklist prior to reporting to work. Please also continue to monitor your own health daily and support the health of our Hanford teammates by staying at home and seeking medical attention if you are not feeling well.

As we move into the holiday weekend, Independence Day has historically been a time to gather with family and friends for picnics, backyard barbeques and fireworks to celebrate the birth of our nation. I encourage you to continue to use healthy practices to protect yourselves, your family members, and support our community while honoring this important holiday. On an additional safety note, please be cautious when using high-alcohol content hand sanitizer if near an open flame during your weekend activities.

I hope you will also take a few moments during this holiday to reflect on the importance of the Hanford mission that we have been entrusted to safely progress on behalf of our community, the region and the nation. Our work is important, and each of you are critical to our continued success. Thank you for your commitment to preventing the spread of COVID-19 and for your dedication to protecting each other as we work together to progress our important work at the Hanford Site.

Have a safe and happy Independence Day!

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