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**EXHIBIT 25**  
**OREGON DEQ APPROVAL OF WORK PLAN**

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**Subject:** RE: Coffin Butte Expansion Area workplan

Hi Eric,  
DEQ agrees with and approves this work plan for site characterization.  
I'm out the rest of this week, but let me know when you get the field work scheduled and I will try and get out there.  
Seth

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Seth,

Just checking in to see where you/DEQ is with review of the workplan. At the moment, we are tentatively scheduled for starting the test pits on August 16 for several days and then the borings will begin after Labor Day.

Hope you're doing well.

Eric

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