



**Department of Energy**  
Washington, DC 20585

September 10, 2015

The Honorable Roy Blunt  
United States Senator  
U.S. Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Blunt:

Thank you for your July 17th letter inquiring about the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) and expressing your concerns regarding the West Lake Landfill site (West Lake site) located in North St. Louis County, Missouri.

At this time, neither the Department of Energy (DOE) nor the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is in possession of new information suggesting that non-Cotter affiliated material may be present at the West Lake site. However, should new information be received, DOE, in consultation with USACE, would assess whether it merits a renewed inquiry into the site's inclusion into FUSRAP.

We appreciate your continued interest in this important issue. If you have any questions, please contact me or Mr. Brad Crowell, Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, at (202) 586-5450.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Geiser", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David W. Geiser  
Director  
Office of Legacy Management

cc:

Jo Elenn Darcy, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works)  
Gina McCarthy, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency

