

above the top of the flashboards, resulting in continuous spill flows (over the flashboards of the main spillway) of between 30 cubic feet per second (cfs) and 40 cfs. Scott's Mill also notes that, although it proposes to install the powerhouse at an angle, some excavation of a downstream riffle area and island (Anthony Island) may be necessary to achieve its desired downstream flow balance, with half of the powerhouse outflow being delivered to each of the two channels immediately downstream of the project dam.

m. A copy of the application is available for review via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (<http://www.ferc.gov>), using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field, to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call toll free, (886) 208-3676 or TTY (202) 502-8659.

You may also register online at <https://ferconline.ferc.gov/ferconline.aspx> to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

n. The Commission's Office of Public Participation (OPP) supports meaningful public engagement and participation in Commission proceedings. OPP can help members of the public, including landowners, community organizations, Tribal members and others, access publicly available information and navigate Commission processes. For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, the public is encouraged to contact OPP at (202) 502-6595 or OPP@ferc.gov.

o. *Scoping Process:* Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), Commission staff intends to prepare either an environmental assessment (EA) or an environmental impact statement (EIS) (collectively referred to as the "NEPA document") that describes and evaluates the probable effects, including an assessment of the site-specific and cumulative effects, if any, of the proposed action and alternatives. The Commission's scoping process will help determine the required level of analysis and satisfy the NEPA scoping requirements, irrespective of whether the Commission issues an EA or an EIS. At this time, we do not anticipate holding an on-site scoping meeting. Instead, we are soliciting written comments and suggestions on the preliminary list of issues and alternatives to be addressed in the NEPA document, as described in

scoping document 1 (SD1), issued February 26, 2025.

Copies of SD1 outlining the subject areas to be addressed in the NEPA document were distributed to the parties on the Commission's mailing list and the applicant's distribution list. Copies of SD1 may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, call 1-866-208-3676 or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Dated: February 26, 2025.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Proposed CERCLA Settlement Agreement for the U.S. Technology Superfund Site, Berger, Franklin County, Missouri

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), notice is hereby given by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7 ("EPA"), of a proposed settlement agreement ("Agreement") related to the U.S. Technology Superfund Site ("Site") in Berger, Franklin County, Missouri.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before April 7, 2025.

ADDRESSES: You may send comments by email to Jared Pessetto at pessetto.jared@epa.gov or by mail to Jared Pessetto, U.S. EPA Region 7, Office of Regional Counsel, 11201 Renner Boulevard, Lenexa, Kansas 66219. Comments should reference the U.S. Technology Superfund Site, CERCLA Section 122(h) Settlement Agreement, Docket No. CERCLA-07-2023-0066.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A copy of the proposed Agreement may be obtained from Jared Pessetto, Attorney-Adviser, Office of Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA Region 7, 11201 Renner Boulevard, Lenexa, Kansas 66219; telephone number: (913) 551-7793; email address: pessetto.jared@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The EPA conducted a Fund-lead Time-Critical Removal Action at the Site between September 2018 and June 2019 to remove approximately 13 million pounds of "spent blast media" ("SBM") that U.S. Technology Corporation held for storage in a warehouse located at 7627 Zero Road in Berger, Franklin County, Missouri. The EPA's Removal Action consisted of collecting, characterizing, segregating, and transporting for off-site disposal SBM that contained toxic levels of heavy metals including cadmium, chromium, and lead, each of which is a hazardous substance as defined by CERCLA. To recover its response costs, the EPA negotiated the proposed Agreement with multiple potentially responsible parties (PRPs) that arranged for disposal of SBM at the Site. The EPA will enter the proposed Agreement with AAR Landing Gear, LLC; The Boeing Company; Lockheed Martin Corporation; and Space Gateway Support, LLC ("Settling Parties"); the Department of Defense acting by and through the U.S. Air Force, the U.S. Army, and the U.S. Navy; the United States Coast Guard; and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration ("Settling Federal Agencies"). Under the proposed Agreement the Settling Parties will pay to EPA \$407,164, and the Settling Federal Agencies will pay \$2,030,586.

For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this document, the EPA will receive written comments relating to the proposed Agreement. The EPA will consider all comments received and may modify or withdraw its consent to the proposed Agreement if the comments it receives disclose facts or considerations that indicate that the proposed Agreement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. The EPA's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the EPA Region 7 Office located at 11201 Renner Boulevard, Lenexa, Kansas 66219.

James Macy,

Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7.

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