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May 1, 1998

Dr. R. L. Mullins, Jr. U.S. Army Corp. of Engineers St. Louis District 9170 Latty Avenue Berkeley, Missouri 63134

Re: Comments on the Feasibility Study/Proposed Plan for the St. Louis Downtown

Sites in FUSRAP

Dear Dr. Mullins:

The proposed plan for the clean up of the Mallinckrodt Plant is not consistent with the recommendations of the Remediation Task Force. USACE has not considered all the cost associated with the implementation. Mallinckrodt is a viable and growing business in the St. Louis area and any plan that is recommended should have a positive impact on this facility and the surrounding area.

Please consider other alternate plans that would not have an adverse effect. The feasibility and proposed plans failed to address how the Corp. or other government agencies would take responsibility for long term management of contaminated soil which are not removed by the clean up. Who will take future responsibility for this project?

The presence of radioactive contamination which will remain in place under the recommendation will have a significant adverse impact on Mallinckrodt and the surrounding areas.

Please look to other alternate plans that would not have an adverse impact on this area.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 381-0677.

Thanks for your attention.

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Sincerely,

Nancy S. Weber Alderman, 2nd Ward

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