

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
By and Between  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
IDAHO OPERATIONS OFFICE  
And  
PLATTEVILLE/GILCREST FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

This Memorandum conveys our understanding of the agreement between the PLATTEVILLE/GILCREST FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT (PGFPD) and the UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY IDAHO OPERATIONS OFFICE (DOE-ID) regarding fire protection at the Fort St. Vrain (FSV) Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI).

**JURISDICTIONAL AUTHORITY**

The PGFPD is designated as the agency responsible for fire protection at the location of the ISFSI.

**SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT**

The PGFPD is the single point of contact for requesting fire protection agency assistance at the ISFSI and has the authority to direct all such activities.

**REPRESENTATIVES**

Agreements between the PGFPD and DOE-ID as they pertain to fire protection at the ISFSI are coordinated between the following:

Dan Durkee, PGFPD Fire Chief  
Ted Borst, FSV ISFSI Manager

**RESPONSE TO A REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE**

The PGFPD will provide timely response to a request for assistance with personnel and equipment appropriate for dealing with the identified situation.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

Operational communications between the ISFSI and the PGFPD are established as follows:

Primary Emergency Notification – Commercial telephone  
Backup Emergency Notification – Two-way radio link  
Tactical Coordination – Two-way radio link  
Non-emergency Operation and Communication – Commercial telephone

## COORDINATION ITEMS

### Tactical Coordination

Responding personnel from the PGFPD will coordinate activities with the ISFSI Alarm Station and upon arrival will assume responsibility for assessing the situation and taking appropriate actions.

### Annual Familiarization Briefing

Representatives from the PGFPD will make themselves available to meet annually to conduct a familiarization briefing for the ISFSI.

### Drills and Exercises

Representatives from the PGFPD will make themselves available to participate in periodic ISFSI drills and exercises. Further, this agreement does not, and shall not, obligate any funds of the United States or the PGFPD.

This agreement shall be deemed effective when signed by both parties. This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) may be amended only by written agreement between the parties. A revised MOU may be negotiated at the request of either party. This MOU may be terminated by either party upon 90 days written notice to the other party.

At the end of five years from the last signature date, a formal renewal will be executed or a new MOU will be negotiated if it is deemed appropriate. If either party determines there is no need for a new or renegotiated MOU, the existing MOU will be allowed to expire on the expiration date and will be retired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have executed the foregoing instrument as of the date of signing.

(SIGNATURE PAGE ATTACHED)

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By   
Dan Durkee, Fire Chief, PGFPD

Date 9/10/13

By   
Richard B. Provencher, Manager, DOE-ID

Date 9/16/13