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Governor's Nuclear Advisory Council

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Accomplishments

- Surpassed 20 million safe hours
- Completed cleaning and declared Preliminary Cease Waste Removal (PCWR) on 3 tanks: 1 tank 7-months and 2 tanks 12months ahead of the Federal Facility Agreement (FFA) schedule
- Established new processing records at the Salt Waste Processing Facility (SWPF) and Saltstone Production Facility (SPF)
- Dispositioned 26.3 M curies (Ci) of waste, > 3 times the historical rate
- Approved Critical Decision (CD)-4A for Saltstone Disposal Unit (SDU) 9 \$60M under budget and 7 months ahead of schedule
- Completed Glass Waste Storage Building (GWSB) storage modifications to double stack 935 canisters
- Developed SWPF filter upgrade design, addressing the SWPF filtration limitations
- Consolidated SPF and Effluent Treatment Facility (ETF) control rooms
- Upgraded all simulator platforms including a new ETF and Defense Waste Processing Facility (DWPF) crane simulator





Preliminary Cease Waste Removal (PCWR)

GOALS (in priority order)

- 1. <u>Reduce risk</u> to the environment by <u>removing waste and closing</u> <u>tanks</u> with a goal of <u>completion of the liquid waste program by 2037</u>.
- 2. Reduce operational and environmental risk by <u>aggressively</u> <u>removing curies from the waste tanks</u>.
- 3. Reduce operational and environmental risk by <u>optimizing operations</u> to minimize liquid waste program total life cycle.
- 4. Complete waste removal and subsequent grouting of all waste tanks and ancillary structures with a <u>risk-based priority order</u>: <u>first to</u> <u>tanks in the water table, followed by F Tank Farm tanks, followed by</u> <u>remainder of waste tanks, followed by ancillary structures,</u> recognizing the potential for future emergent conditions or opportunities.

Milestone Date	Preliminary Cease Waste Removal (# of Tanks)	Actual Preliminary Cease Waste Removal Completed	Operational Closure (# of Tanks)
12/31/2023	0	0	0
12/31/2024	1	3	0
12/31/2025	3	0	0
12/31/2026	2	0	0
12/31/2027	2	0	0
12/31/2028	0	0	3
12/31/2029	2	0	0
12/31/2030	1	0	2
12/31/2031	0	0	3
12/31/2032	0	0	1
12/31/2033	0	0	2
12/31/2034	1	0	0
12/31/2035	1	0	0
12/31/2036	1	0	1
12/31/2037	2	0	4
Total	16	3	16



Reduce Risk - Optimizing Operations (Goal #3)



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Reduce Risk - Aggressively Remove Curies (Goal #2)



SRMC has processed almost the same amount of curies (Ci) in the first 3 years of the contract as was done in the previous 10 years.

2/27/2012 – 2/26/2022 (~10 years) = 26.2MCi

2/27/2022 – 2/4/2025 (~3 years) = 26.3MCi

13.7% reduction of curies in the system in 3 years

68% of high curie batch makeup complete



2025 Optimizations (Goal #3)

SRS Liquid Waste Facilities



Waste Removal Risk Based Priority Order (Goal #4)





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2025 Waste Retrieval & Tank Closure Update

Tank Activities

- 3 Tanks cleaned and preparing for closure
 - Tanks 9, 10 and 4
- 6 Tanks actively in retrieval
 - Tanks 11, 15, 8, 3, 13, 44
- 11 Tanks undergoing field modifications
 - Tanks 39, 34, 14, 1, 2, 28, 31, 33, 36, 46, 47
- 4 Tanks in design phase
 - Tanks 7, 27 25, 45
- 17 Tanks supporting processing
 - Evaporator Tanks 29, 30, 32, 37, 38, 43
 - Sludge Processing Tanks 26, 35, 40, 51
 - Salt Processing Tanks 21, 23, 24, 41, 42, 49, 50





Our Employees

Largest Class of Apprentices

 SRMC welcomed 60 new participants to its Production Operator Apprenticeship Program with Aiken Technical College.

Largest Class of Summer Interns

 58 interns from 26 colleges and universities comprised SRMC's largest class of interns in program history.

First Line Managers Forum

 Approximately 170 first line managers participated in a leadership workshop that has now resulted in a forum to improve communication and best practices.





Our Outreach

SRMC strives to be connected to the communities surrounding SRS through a commitment regional education outreach, regional purchasing programs, community support, and workforce and economic development.



