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### **Project Certification as Required by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009**

The Director of the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality hereby certifies that infrastructure investments funded pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), Coeur d'Alene Basin Cooperative Agreement, 2009 (Assistance ID No. 2S-96099601-0) have received full review and vetting required by law and are an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars.

The purpose of this Recovery and Reinvestment Act funded remedial action cooperative agreement is to augment and expedite the current Basin Property Remediation Program by remediating 450 to 500 additional lead and arsenic contaminated properties in the Coeur d'Alene Basin (part of the Bunker Hill Superfund Site). The augmentation of this project is estimated to cost a total of \$15,000,000, of which \$15,000,000 of ARRA funds will be used.

Information required by section 1511 (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) will be made available to the public at: [www.deq.idaho.gov](http://www.deq.idaho.gov) and linked to Recovery.gov.

Dated September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Toni Hardesty", is written over a horizontal line.

Director  
Department of Environmental Quality