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Good News ...

The END
is
~~near~~ here

**Safe
closure
in 2006**
~~June~~

Jamie Jameson



Fluor Fernald Safety Performance



Total Injuries (first-aid and recordables)



OSHA Recordable Rates



Final Fernald Scorecard

Requirement	Actual	
Set Cleanup Levels and Project Scope	Five Records of Decision Issued	✓
Set Final Land Use	Stakeholder Alignment; Natural Resource Restoration Plan Issued	✓
Remove Nuclear Material Holdup from Production Lines and Vessels	500,000 Pound of Uranium and Thorium Removed and dispositioned offsite	✓
Remove All Manmade Improvements – Including all Structure, Facilities, Foundations	259 Contaminated Facilities D&D'd; 326,000 cubic yards of LLW debris dispositioned onsite and offsite	✓
Disposition Orphaned Nuclear Material	31M Pounds Uranium and 20M Pounds Thorium Dispositioned offsite	✓
Disposition Legacy Waste Inventory	200,000 containers treated, repackaged and dispositioned offsite	✓
Disposition Bulk LLW Inventories	\$75M infrastructure installed; 205 – 60 car unit trains/ 1.2M tons treated/dispositioned off site	✓
Disposition Silo Materials	\$270M infrastructure installed; 9,000 tons of K-65 high radium bearing residues retrieved, treated and sent for offsite storage/disposal; 5,000 tons of Silo 3 high thorium bearing waste retrieved, treated and dispositioned offsite	✓

Final Fernald Scorecard (cont.)

Requirement	Actual	
Excavate Contaminated Soil	2.7M cubic yards excavated and disposed onsite and offsite	✓
Construct On-site Disposal Facility	3M cubic yard disposal facility designed, constructed, and capped	✓
Restore Natural Resources	Over 140 acres of wetlands and ponds created; over 28,500 trees, etc. planted; and over 330 acres of prairies were seeded	✓
Transition Workforce	3,200 employees transitioned	✓
Completed by end of CY 2006	Completed October 29, 2006	✓
Complete at Less Than Target of \$1.9B Target Cost	Completed at \$1.85B	✓
Design, Install and Operate Groundwater Restoration	5,000 gpm treatment plant installed and operating, extraction and reinjection well network installed and operating	✓
Provide for Smooth Transition to Legacy Management	Site Successfully Transitioned to Legacy Management	✓
Safe Work Performance	OSHA Recordable Rate of 0.8; VPP Superior Star Status	✓

Lessons Learned – Baseline Acceleration

◆ Get the Fundamentals Right

- Incentive Based Contracting Worked At Fernald
 - Focused Fluor and Partners on Managing Baseline to the Desired End State
 - Shifts Client Focus to Contract Performance and End Results
 - Creates Partnering Atmosphere with Client
- Seamless Team, Proper Alignment of Contractual Incentives
- Early Alignment On Detailed Vision of End State Conditions (Including Final Supporting Paper) with DOE, Unions and Workers
- Alignment With Regulators and Stakeholders On Expectations and Level of Involvement
- Demonstrate Your Commitment To Excellence in Safety Performance

Lessons Learned – Baseline Acceleration

◆ Management Perspective

- Single Execution Plan – Baseline
- Drive Baseline Into The Details –
 - Manpower By Headcount
 - Space Planning
 - Utility Redistributions
 - Going Out of Business Plans for Institutional/ Support Functions
- Challenge Project Teams - Set Most Aggressive Cost and Schedule Baseline Reasonable
- Have More Work Planned and Ready to Go Than Scheduled In Baseline – Be Prepared to Take Advantage of Circumstances
- Funds Management Is Critical
 - Aggressive Austerity Measures
 - Aggressive Manpower Planning
 - Focus on All Overhead Costs

Lessons Learned – Baseline Acceleration

◆ Management Perspective (cont.)

- Identify Relief Mechanisms For Year End Funding Issues – Accommodate Scope Growth and Cost Increases
- Identify Significant Uncertainties in Scope and Critical Risks to Cost and Schedule – Take Definitive Actions to Address – Aggressively Manage and Track Progress
- Unrelenting Focus on Performance Against Baseline –
 - Use Quantity Based Earned Value, Minimize LOE and Percent Complete
 - Continuously Look for Acceleration Opportunities
- Senior Management to the Field – Live in Conditions You Create- Sustain Sense of Urgency Across the Workforce
- Identify Critical Resources and Implement Retention Plan

Lessons Learned – Baseline Acceleration

◆ Worker Perspective On Things That Worked

- Find a System That Works and Stick to It – Workforce needs Consistency in Requirements, Procedures and Work Processes – Don't change unless very good reason
- Senior Management In the Field and Available – Act on Input Received
- Involve Workers in Planning, Issue Resolution, and Overcoming Obstacles
- Sharing Fee With Workers Is a Plus
- Safety Incentives Work – Keeps Up Energy Surrounding Safety Program
- Sharing Up-to-date Plans with Workforce – Especially Manpower Plans
- Giving Up-to-date forecasts on end of assignment dates
- Provide Career Planning Support – Help Find Next Jobs While Workers Still Employed

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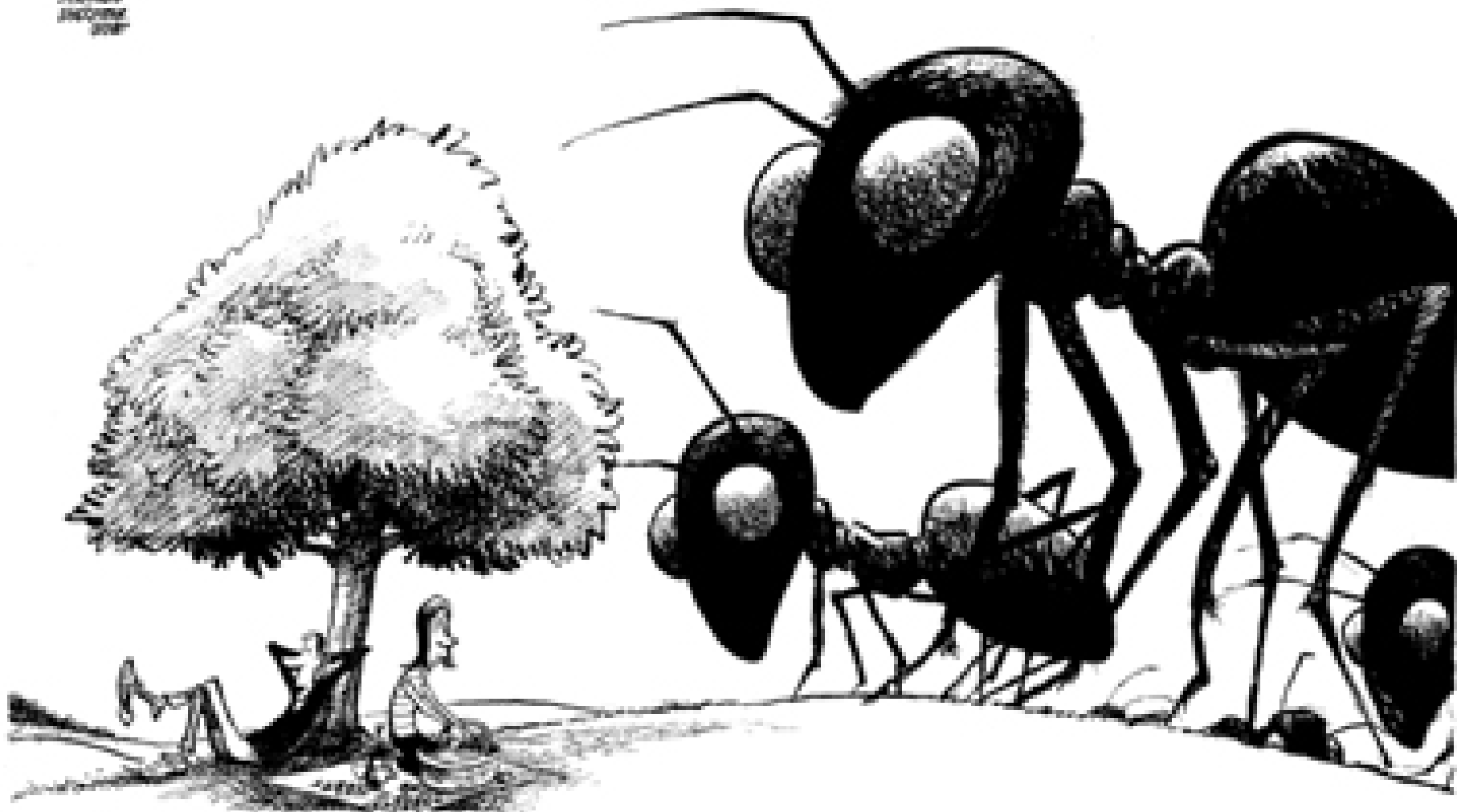


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