

TERRESTRIAL ECOSYSTEM PROGRAM SUMMARY

- **Program is driven by regulations and sound scientific practices**
- **Emphasis on site characterization activities**
 - **Mitigation of direct impacts**
 - **Monitoring to assess if indirect impacts have occurred**
- **Emphasis on study design and data analysis**
- **Program that is dynamic, adapts to changes in YMP**

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- **Information gathered can be used for EIS but it is important to note that we have not entered into EIS scoping**
- **We are interested in receiving your input, comments and suggestions on our current program as well as your recommendations for future repository effects studies**