

**Recommended Reference Books
For Hanford Advisory Board Members**

1. Hanford Cleanup – The First 25 Years by Ken Niles, Oregon Dept. of Energy, Sept. 2014, 251 pages. Latest in a series by our HAB members from Oregon. Informative and a comfortable read year-by-year. Paperback.

2. Hanford A conversation about nuclear waste and cleanup by Roy E. Gephart, Battelle Press, 2003. An information resource with good text, graphics and photos to tell the detailed story of how Hanford operated and released large amounts of nuclear contaminants into the environment. Readily available. ISBN 1-57477-134-5. Paperback.

3. Atomic Audit – The Costs and Consequences of U.S. Nuclear Weapons Since 1940 by Stephen I. Schwartz. From the Brookings Institution, 1998, 680 pages. A thorough account of what and how \$5.8 trillion has been spent since 1940 up through 1996.

4. Manhattan: The Army and the Atomic Bomb by Vincent C. Jones, 1985, 660 pages. A volume from Special Studies on the U.S. Army in World War II. Covers in detail research and development of the atomic energy program, site selections, the Plutonium Project, Hanford Engineering Works, etc. Probably hard to find a copy of this one.

5. Hanford Site Historic District – History of the Plutonium Production Facilities 1943-1990. A collaborative effort by DOE and Washington State over a five-year period. Authors selected by their expertise. Battelle Press, 2003, 624 pages. Excellent chapters on construction, fuel manufacturing, reactor operations, chemical

1-57477-133-7. A terrific resource book, but apparently with a limited printing. From a 2003 price of \$48, the books now sell: Used \$445, and New \$891. Look for copies in college or local library.

6. Summary - Final Tank Closure and Waste Management Environmental Impact Statement for the Hanford Site, Richland, Washington. DOE/EIS-0391, Nov. 2012, 202 pages (print and/or CD). An excellent resource document from DOE/Hanford.