Tank Waste Committee – Transcribed Flipcharts
January 8, 2014

Framework

1. Is there anything in the Framework document the Board should respond to?
   o Any concepts the Board does not support?
2. Anything missing from IM discussion draft?
   o Agree/disagree with IM recommendation?

• Missing: schedule & cost
• Agree & support
  o Early LAW
  o Support TRU waste retrieval
    ▪ Provided the State of New Mexico concurs
    ▪ Determine not HLW (process knowledge)
    ▪ As long as meets all applicable requirements
    ▪ “evaluation” not “characterization”

• Address in separate advice, definition of HLW doesn’t make sense, not based on anything (Dick Smith point)
• Need defined & detailed path forward
• Outline what needs to happen
  o Near-term
  o Long-term
• Condense advice
  o Add Jeff Luke to IM group & Shannon Cram, Steve H, Mecal

• Quality assurance & quality control
• Add specificity to system plan advice bullet
• Delete data gap analysis point
• Missing: any orphan waste that may be created
• “the HAB is concerned because…”
  o Relate to HABs purpose & policy level
Framework

- Build new DST space (refer/reiterate past advice)
  - Timeframe for building new DSTs related to doing early LAW to free up DST space
- Specify what leaking tanks Ecy should order emptied

NEXT STEPS

- Lead IM – Liz
  - Synthesize into draft advice
- IM call
- Distribute draft advice in advance of Feb committee mtg (hold edits til mtg)
- Seek consensus at Feb TWC mtg
  - Take to March Board mtg

Status Update on Tank Farms

DST IMs: Dunning, Myers

- Next briefing...
  - IMs discuss timing
  - Review changes to Emergency Pumping Guide

TC & WM EIS

Next steps?

- Closed for now
- Look at in context of other topics & wait for next ROD
  There will be more, no timeframe is known

BIN/FOLLOW UP

- Doodle poll for Framework IM call
  Early week of 1/20
- For those TWC members interested, can they sit in on expert panel meeting? DOE to check
- Classification of waste
  - HAB 2014 work plan B list
  - Need to pursue, IM group work w/DOE
- Break Framework doc into smaller briefings – on work plan already

February
• Advice development for DOE Framework
• Ecology briefing System Plan 7
• DOE Framework topic briefing direct feed LAW
• Committee business
  o Discuss response to advice (DST)
  o Leadership selection (actually in March)

March

• Tutorial on WTP Glass Process (“Glass 101”) 2 hour
• DOE Order 435.1 redefinition of waste classification
• “TRU 101”
  o Definition
  o Applies at Hanford
• Framework: briefing on treating & packaging tank waste that isn’t high level waste (TRU)
• Leadership selection

April

• DOE Framework topic briefing
• Second waste treatment (milestone 2014)