



River & Plateau/Health, Safety & Environmental Protection Committee

Date: Tuesday, January 8, 2019
Time: 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Location: Richland Public Library, 955 Northgate Drive, Richland, WA

Call-in: Conference Call Instructions:

- Tri-City participants: 1 (509) 373-6464, enter conference code 451683#
- Long distance participants: (866) 645-0958, enter conference code 451683#

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9:00 a.m. Opening – Jan Catrell, RAP Committee Chair

- Welcome and Introductions
- Approval of August Meeting Summary
- Announcements

9:15 a.m. PFP Update

Purpose: To provide members an update on ongoing work at the Plutonium Finishing Plant.

- Introduction: Jan Catrell, RAP Committee Chair
- Agency Update: Tom Teynor, DOE-RL (10 min)
- Agency Perspective: Stephanie Schleif, Ecology (5 min)
- Framing Information/Questions:
 - Provide status on work needed to get to the point where site characterization can commence.
 - What are the controls used for heat stress mitigation of the workforce at the PFP site?
 - How is integrated safety management used to balance the risks?
- Committee Discussion (30 min)

10:00 a.m. WESF Update

Purpose: To provide members an update on WESF.

- Introduction: Jan Catrell, RAP Committee Chair
- Agency Update: Glenn Konzek, DOE-RL (15 min)
- Agency Perspective: Stephanie Schleif, Ecology (5 min)
- Framing Questions:
 - What is the progress and timeline for moving capsules to dry storage?
 - What steps are being taken to ensure that the repurposed over pack will meet the standards for the materials?
- Committee Discussion (30 min)

10:50 a.m. Break

11:05 a.m. K Basin Sludge Update

Purpose: To provide members an update on the K Basin Sludge project.

- Introduction: Jan Catrell, RAP Committee Chair
- Agency Update: Mark French, DOE-RL (10 min)
- Agency Perspective:
 - Laura Buelow, EPA (5 min)
 - Kelly Elsethagan, Ecology (5 min)
- Framing Questions:
 - What operational equipment is pending delivery?
 - Have there been any changes to the milestones?
- Committee Discussion (20 min)

11:45 a.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Committee Business/Open Forum

Purpose: To have an open forum for committee members to discuss and share their thoughts on Hanford related issues. This is an opportunity for committee members to discuss and share information, thoughts and concerns on past committee topics, current Hanford events, and determine what, if any, follow-up is needed by the committee.

Purpose: To provide members the opportunity to review/discuss committee business.

- Introduction: Jan Catrell, RAP Chair
- HSEP Committee Business (10 min)
- RAP Committee Business (10 min)
- Framing Information:
 - Provide input for FY2021 Budget Priorities
- Committee Discussion (25 min)

1:45 p.m. 324 Building Update

Purpose: To provide members an update on the 324 Building.

- Introduction: Jan Catrell, RAP Committee Chair
- Agency Update: Ben Vannah, DOE-RL (15 min)
- Agency Perspective: Ben Simes, EPA (5 min)
- Framing Questions:
 - What lessons have been learned in the process of training workers in the mock-up facility?
 - What areas of concern are still unresolved?
 - Is there an opportunity to provide advice on this topic?
 - What kind of wastes are being cleaned up?
 - Is the waste going to ERDF?
- Committee Discussion (25 min)

2:30 p.m. Emergency Preparedness/Take Cover

Purpose: To provide members an update on the recent take cover at the Hanford Site.

- Introduction: Rebecca Holland, HSEP Committee Chair
- Agency Update: Steve Sanders, DOE-RL (20 min)
- Agency Perspective: Stephanie Schleif, Ecology (5 min)
- Framing Information/Questions:
 - What provisions are being made for long-term take covers?
 - Food/Drink
 - Personal Hygiene
 - What decision point is required to release from a take cover?
 - What forms of communication are available to communicate to employees?
- Committee Discussion (35 min)

3:30 p.m. Adjourn