



Decontamination and Decommissioning Subcommittee

Meeting Summary

November 10, 2009 • 4:30 p.m.

The Ohio State University Endeavor Center
1862 Shyville Road, Piketon, OH 45661

Subcommittee Members Present: Ed Charle, Lindy Coleman, Steve Martin, Daniel Moore, Larry Parker, Cristy Renner, and Terri Ann Smith

Board Member Present: Shirley Bandy, Val Francis, Dan Minter, and Dick Snyder

DOE Representatives: Greg Simonton and Joel Bradburne

DOE Employees, Contractors, and Regulators: Rich Bonczek, Jud Lilly, Melda Rafferty, Cid Voth, Kristi Wiehle, DOE; Sandy Childers, Bill Franz, and Miles Smith, LPP; Janie Croswait, RSI

Liaisons: Joe Crombie, Ohio Dept of Health; Brian Blair, Maria Galanti, and Melody Stewart, Ohio EPA

Support Staff: Julie Galloway, Brandy Moore, and Eric Roberts, EHI

Public: Lee Blackburn, Vina Colley, Joni Fearing, and Brian Huber

Larry Parker, Subcommittee Chair, opened the Decontamination and Decommissioning meeting.

1. Agenda

- **Parker** reviewed and added the Portsmouth Legacy Oil Disposal Project to the Agenda
 - **Agenda Approved**

2. Portsmouth Legacy Oil Disposal Project

- **Parker** asked the members to review the handout on the disposal of lube oil and Pyranol from the Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion Plant to Clean Harbors Deer Park facility in LaPorte, Texas.
 - The waste that was sent to Clean Harbors has all met the characteristics that are required for it to be sent.

A copy of the above handout can be viewed on the SSAB website at www.ports-ssab.org

Question/Comment:	Answer:
Smith Where is the Legacy Oil sent?	Parker It is sent to Clean Harbors in LaPorte, Texas. Please see the DOE handout.

3. Discussion of key question from Retreat

- **Roberts** reviewed the key questions that DOE created from the Work Plan Development Retreat.

Question/Comment:	Answer:
Charle Will you always ship out what others are willing to take or would there ever be an alternative?	Roberts These are critical parts of the cleanup process, things you want to see done safely and you need to come to the agreement on what stays and what goes. Bradburne There will be a lot of waste generated. These questions are core thoughts. You need to ask yourself are there any conditions on allowing waste onsite. These questions are to help set the stage.
Smith In order to have an educated opinion on how waste should be dealt with, everyone should be able to oversee Ohio EPA's process of soil collection.	Renner Ohio EPA already provided us with this information during a tour, and then Ohio EPA came in, gave a presentation, and brought in sampling tools they used.
Smith On the issue with interim storage waste at the site, does this include waste from other sites?	Blair DOE is beginning a feasibility process on what to do with various waste streams, and deciding what category the waste is in.
Francis Will this feasibility study be regulated?	Raferty Ohio EPA just started today and will help with the decisions on this process.
Bandy At some point the Board will need more specific information.	Roberts Realize that these are basic questions to help you get started and to take little pieces at a time from the big picture to provide Joel Bradburne some framework.

4. Developing Path Forward

- The plan for topic items we are going to propose for the next three months will be:
 - January – Recycling
 - February – Waste Disposition Options
 - Shipping, Transporting, and Contamination levels
 - March – Decontamination and Decommissioning

5. Public Comment Period

Vina Colley Over a year now I have been coming to these meetings and asking for an independent person such as Marvin Resnikoff and Norman Busky. The Fernald Site is leaking waste; we do not want a cell at our site.

Lee Blackburn I have not been able to find the notification of EE/CA PPO website and what is the number of assets associated with DOE 770 building. Could we get the results back to the public?

Joni Fearing My dad worked at the plant. I recently talked to an attorney in New York and he asked why the Portsmouth Site was not considered a Superfund Site. Thank you.

6. Action Items

- Maria Galanti emailing final comments to the Board on the following:
 - X-533 EE/CA (Ohio EPA had no comments), X-633 Removal Action Work Plan and the X-770 pad Removal Action Work Plan
- Mission Statement for D&D Committee (per Larry Parker)
- Presentation of the CERCLA process – where SSAB and OEPA fit in; timeline

Renner motioned to adjourn meeting, ***Motion seconded.***

- ***Motion carried***

Meeting adjourned

Next Meeting Tuesday, January 12, 2010, at 4:30 p.m.