

Summary Notes – June 8, 2016
 Savannah River Site (SRS) Citizens Advisory Board (CAB)
 Facilities Disposition & Site Remediation (FDSR) Committee Meeting

The FDSR Committee held a meeting on Wednesday, June 8, 2016, 4:30 – 6:20 pm, at the New Ellenton Community Center in New Ellenton, SC. It was also streamed online and posted to the CAB website and YouTube page. The purpose of this meeting was to receive a Point of Contact status update and a presentation on research into Mercury and SRS Biota. There was also time set aside for committee discussion and public comments.

Attendees

<u>CAB:</u> Tom Barnes Eleanor Hopson Virginia Jones Bill Rhoten - <i>Phone</i> Harold Simon Nina Spinelli	<u>DOE/Contractors/Others:</u> Avery Hammett, DOE-SR Gail Whitney, DOE-SR Wendy Kuhne, SNRL de’Lisa Carrico, DOE-SR Michael Mikolanis, DOE-SR Kim Cauthen, SRNS Tina Watson, Time Solutions James Tanner, Time Solutions Eleanor Prater, Time Solutions	<u>Agency Liaisons:</u> Shane Shull, SCDHEC Greg Mason, SCDHEC <u>Stakeholders:</u> Nancy Bobbitt, US Senator Isakson
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Committee Welcome: Tom Barnes, Committee Chair
 Mr. Barnes welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Point of Contact Status Update: Aery Hammett, DOE-SR
 Ms. Hammett reviewed the current status of Environmental Management program projects.

Presentation: ATSDR Biota: Wendy Kuhne, SRNL
 Dr. Kuhne began the presentation with background on a 2012 report from the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR). The report identified Mercury as a contaminant in local waterways and asked the DOE and SRS to respond to their report. Dr. Kuhne reviewed the research, investigations, and data that were conducted and collected by the SRNL to formulate the site’s response. She reviewed the detailed response that emerged from the studies and concluded by taking questions from Committee Members.

Committee Discussion
 Jim Lyon, Committee Member, asked if there were plans to remove any of the closed or abandoned buildings on the site. Michael Mikolanis, DOE-SR, responded that those are admittedly lower in priority, however, there were several buildings on site that would need improvements if mission-forward activities were identified for which they could be used.

Public Comment
 There were no public comments.

Mr. Barnes adjourned the meeting.
 The next FDSR Committee meeting will be held on August 16, 2016, 4:30 – 6:20 pm, at the New Ellenton Community Center in New Ellenton, SC.
 The online recording of this meeting can be located on the CAB website: cab.srs.gov