

Summary Notes – August 16, 2016  
Savannah River Site (SRS) Citizens Advisory Board (CAB)  
Strategic & Legacy Management (S&LR) Committee Meeting

The S&LM Committee held a meeting on Tuesday, August 16, 2016, 6:30 – 8:20 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 Military Training, Contractor Recruiting and Retention. There was also time set aside for committee discussion and public comments.

Attendees:

<u>CAB:</u>	<u>DOE/Contractor/Other:</u>	<u>Agency Liaisons:</u>
Gil Allensworth Jim Lyon Robert Doerr David Hoel Cathy Patterson Harold Simon Ed Sturcken George Snyder Nina Spinelli Mary Weber	Zach Todd, DOE-SR de'Lisa Carrico, DOE-SR Susan Clizbe, DOE-SR Jim Giusti, DOE-SR Michael Mikolanis, DOE-SR Terry Provost, DOE-SR Kim Cauthen, SRNS Kristin Huber, SRNS Terry Michalske, SRNL James Tanner, Time Solutions	Kevin Baird, SCDHEC Shane Shall, SCDHEC  <u>Stakeholders:</u>  Liz Goodson, Public Sidney Keener, Public

Committee Welcome: Bob Doerr, Committee Chair  
**Mr. Doerr welcomed everyone to the meeting.**

Introduction of DOE Facilitators: Jim Giusti, DOE-SR  
**Mr. Giusti explained that in an effort to assist the committee chair, Jack Craig asked the OEA staff to help facilitate the meetings. Susan Clizbe, Sonya Goines and Monte Volk introduced themselves.**

Point of Contact Status Update: Zach Todd, DOE-SR  
**Mr. Todd reviewed the Point of Contact projects.**

Presentation: Military Training: Zach Todd, DOE-SR  
**Mr. Todd provided an overview of Military Training activities conducted at SRS. He also provided information on possible future training. He gave detail on why the military wants to train at SRS, benefits of military training at SRS and the agreements that will help accomplish that goal. Mr. Todd explained in detail how military training will not interfere with neither site operations or damage the environment. He also reviewed the South Carolina National Guard Projects and discussed future projects.**

**CAB Members asked for additional details on certain subject areas to which Mr. Todd responded.**

Presentation: SRNL Annual Update: Terry Michalske, SRNL  
**Dr. Michalske provided an update on the status and direction of SRNL. He emphasized the safety culture of the site and provided a safety record that compared SRNL's focus on safety**

to other DOE national laboratories. He reviewed the focus of SRNL is to process and remove legacy waste. He stated that they have designed and tested a new chemistry to treat the remaining salt waste that will be used at DWPF. The new chemistry will maximize the amount of waste processed. He discussed the significance of SRNL being a viable nuclear deterrent. He stressed the importance of SRNL working with neighboring countries securing and stabilizing nuclear materials. Dr. Michalske described the new manufacturing technologies and their added effectiveness. He spoke on SRNL partnerships with universities and manufactures. He explained the labs shift towards the economic future of the region. Dr. Michalske highlighted that SRNL has not lost its focus but they are thinking ahead on how to continue to be an important economic engine for the region He believes SRNL and the region have a very promising future.

Dr. Michalaska responded to several questions from the CAB members and the public.

#### Committee Discussion

Draft Recommendation: Revision of the SRS Community Involvement Plan. Bob Doerr, Committee Chair, reviewed the draft and asked David Hoel to review the recommendation. Bob Doerr, commented on input from the DOE-SR. The Committee proposed and discussed changes to dates in the recommendation. The Committee also refined the language and discussed specific changes to the Recommendation. Doerr recommends that the Recommendation go to the September Full Board meeting.

#### Public Comments

There were no public comments.

Mr. Doerr discusses the idea of having luncheons during full board meetings for the purpose of social interaction among the CAB members.

Mr. Doerr adjourned the meeting.

The next S&LM Committee meeting will be held on October 11, 2016, 6:30 – 8:20 pm, at the DOE Meeting Center, Aiken, SC.

The online recording of this meeting can be located on the CAB website at: [cab.srs.gov](http://cab.srs.gov)