

Summary Notes – June 25, 2019
Savannah River Site (SRS) Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) Facilities
Disposition & Site Remediation (FDSR) Committee Meeting

The FDSR Committee held a meeting on Tuesday, June 25, 2019, 6:15 – 7:15 pm, at the DOE Meeting Center in Aiken, SC. The meeting was also streamed online and posted to the CAB website and YouTube page. There was also time set aside for Committee discussion and public comments.

Attendees:

<u>CAB:</u> Gil Allensworth Bobbie Williams - <i>online</i> Betty Cook Ruth Hollingsworth Narinder Malik Malcolm Philips Joyce Underwood	<u>DOE/Contractor/Other:</u> Jim Folk, DOE-SR de’Lisa Carrico, DOE-SR Avery Hammett, DOE-SR (on the phone) James Tanner, S&K Logistics Heather McWilliams, S&K Logistics Federica Staton, S&K Logistics	<u>Agency Liaisons:</u> <u>Stakeholders:</u> Chris Bergren, SRNS
---	---	--

Committee Welcome: Joyce Underwood, Committee Chair
Ms. Underwood welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Point of Contact Status Update: Avery Hammett, DOE-SR
Ms. Hammett provided the point of contact update over the phone. In May 2019 the third round of injections for the Silver Chloride project was completed. 155 gallons of silver chloride was implemented in 15 locations at SRS. The third round of injections went successfully, and monitoring will be done to see if another round of injections will be needed. Treatments are done every two to three years. Savannah River Nuclear Solutions (SRNS) was the recipient of the Smart Business Recycling Program Award. The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control presented SRNS the award on May 28, 2019.

Ms. Hammett responded to questions from Committee members and the public

Committee Discussion

Ms. Underwood opened the discussion up to the two May Full Board presentations. The first topic was Federal Oversight Program presentation given by Jon Richards from the Environmental Protection Agency. There were no questions or comments.

The next topic was Deactivation and Decommissioning (D&D) Activities presentation given by Angelia Holmes (DOE-SR) and Chris Bergren (SRNS). Mr. Philips asked if the D&D program was on schedule because he noticed a plateau in the number of projects. Mr. Bergren said there isn’t a set schedule for D&D. Mr. Bergren said the pace of D&D projects was slowed starting in 2010 due to guidance from headquarters. More funding was needed for Liquid Waste projects, so D&D projects were shelved until recently. Mr. Philips and Ms. Underwood asked if there was a list of D&D projects. Mr. Bergren said there is a list, but he does not have access to it.

Ms. Underwood brought up the Open Recommendations. Recommendation 360: Solar Generated Power at SRS will be tabled until after the September Full Board meeting.

Ms. Underwood reviewed the DOE response to Recommendation 359: Plant Indigenous Flowering Plants on Industrial Landfills. DOE did not accept two of the recommendations and partially accepted the third recommendation. The group discussed the response and Mr. Bergren provided technical information. Mr. Malik motioned to close the recommendation by sending it to the July Full Board, and Ms. Cook seconded the motion. Ms. Underwood called for a vote, and it passed unanimously.

Ms. Underwood read the DOE response to Recommendation 361: Pollinator Management Plan. The CAB board members appreciated the pictures which were provided with the response letter. Mr. Bergren provided additional information on the floral diversity at SRS. Mr. Malik motioned to send the recommendation to the July Full Board and Ms. Hollingsworth seconded the motion. Ms. Underwood called for a vote, and it passed unanimously.

Public Comment

No public comments

Ms. Underwood adjourned the meeting.

The next FDSR Committee meeting will be held August 27, 2019, 6:15 – 7:15 pm, at the DOE Meeting Center in Aiken, SC.

The online recording of this meeting can be located on the CAB website: cab.srs.gov