



2018 Summer Meeting of the Federal Facilities Task Force

June 26 – 28, 2018

*Shilo Inn
780 Lindsay Blvd.
Idaho Falls, ID*

The 2018 Summer Meeting of the Federal Facilities Task Force (FFTF) will provide members with an opportunity to discuss key issues of relevance to states impacted by ongoing cleanup of the U.S. nuclear weapons complex. FFTF members will also engage with representatives from the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Environmental Management (DOE-EM) and other invited guests.

This meeting will be held jointly with the summer meeting of the State and Tribal Government Working Group (STGWG).

Agenda-at-a-Glance

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| Monday, June 25, 2018 | |
| 2:00 PM – 4:30 PM | Registration (all participants) |
| 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM | Reception (all participants) |
| Tuesday, June 26, 2018 | |
| 6:00 AM – 7:00 AM | Breakfast and Registration (all participants) |
| 7:00 AM – 5:30 PM | Idaho National Laboratory Site Tour (all participants) |
| Wednesday, June 27, 2018 | |
| 7:30 AM – 3:30 PM | Registration (all participants) |
| 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM | FFTF Sessions |
| 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM | STGWG Tribal Sessions |
| 12:00 PM – 1:15 PM | FFTF and STGWG Joint Lunch Presentations |
| 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM | FFTF Session (open to all participants) |
| 2:00 PM – 4:30 PM | STGWG Sessions |
| Thursday, June 28, 2018 | |
| 7:30 AM – 10:30 AM | Registration (all participants) |
| 7:30 AM – 12:45 PM | FFTF and STGWG Joint Sessions |
| 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM | FFTF Closing Sessions |
| 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM | STGWG Closing Sessions |

Detailed Agenda

Monday, June 25, 2018

| Informal Reception with the FFTF, STGWG, and DOE | |
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| 2:00 – 4:30 PM <i>Shilo Inn Conference Center Foyer</i> | Registration Open |
| 5:00 – 6:30 PM <i>Sandpiper Inn 750 Lindsay Blvd</i> | Welcome Remarks & No-Host Reception <i>Light appetizers will be served.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dan Lauf, Program Director, National Governors Association Center for Best Practices • Mindy Bridges, STGWG Coordinator and Policy Specialist, National Conference of State Legislatures • Jack Zimmerman, Deputy Manager, Idaho Cleanup Program, U.S. Department of Energy |

Tuesday, June 26, 2018

| Joint FFTF Sessions with the U.S. Department of Energy and STGWG | |
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| 6:00 – 7:00 am <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | Breakfast and Registration |
| 7:00 am – 5:30 pm <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | Tour of Idaho Nuclear Technology & Engineering Center <i>Detailed tour agendas are available in participant packets. Please adhere to the security guidelines in your logistics e-mail.</i> <i>Lunch will be provided</i> FFTF and STGWG members will take an all-day tour of the Idaho National Laboratory Site. Tour guides will provide a history of the site and answer questions on the 45-minute ride to and from the site. On the tour we will visit: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Idaho Nuclear Technology and Engineering Center (INTEC) where spent nuclear fuel and high-level waste is stored. • The Integrated Waste Treatment Unit (IWTU) to watch a video on the facility designed to treat liquid high-level waste. • The Spent Nuclear Fuel pool (CPP-666) and the remote-handled low-level waste treatment facility. After lunch at the Experimental Breeder Reactor I (EBR-I) historic facility, members will tour the transuranic waste treatment facilities at the Radioactive Waste Management Complex (RWMC) and the Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Plant (AMWTP), home to the super compactor. |

Wednesday, June 27, 2018

| FFTF Session (Closed) | |
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| 7:30 – 8:00 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | Breakfast & Registration <i>Breakfast will be available in the conference foyer</i> |
| 8:00 – 8:15 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | Welcome & Introductions Dan Lauf, Program Director, NGA Center for Best Practice |
| 8:15 – 9:30 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | State-Specific Updates and Roundtable Discussion Federal Facilities Task Force (FFTF) members will share the latest news from their state since the last meeting. After the state updates, FFTF members will discuss priority activities for 2018 and beyond. Topics for discussion could include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Budget • Compliance • Waste Management • State-Federal Communication Moderator: Dan Lauf, NGA Center |
| 9:30 – 10:00 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | FFTF Group Discussion on Waste Disposition & Accelerating Cleanup Efforts Discussions about the definition of high level waste have been renewed in response to ECA’s report “Waste Disposition: A New Approach to DOE’s Waste Management Must Be Pursued.” To develop a response FFTF members will discuss the state and site-specific implications of basing waste classification on the characteristics of waste and the risk to human health and the environment, along with other issues raised by the report. Moderator: Bevin Buchheister, Senior Policy Analyst, NGA Center for Best Practices |
| 10:00 – 10:30 AM | Break |
| FFTF Session with the U.S. Department of Energy | |
| 10:30 – 10:45 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | Welcome Remarks from the U.S. Department of Energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth Lisann, Program Manager, Intergovernmental and Stakeholder Programs, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy |
| 10:45 – 11:30 AM <i>Pocatello Room</i> | Update on Events & Issues Since Last Meeting This presentation will cover staffing changes within DOE-EM since the last meeting in November, legislation updates, highlights from the 2018 Waste Management Symposia, a review of recent DOE-IG and GAO reports, and an overview of the FY2018 Budget Request. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andy Chinn, Associate, Ross Strategic • Molly Spiller, Research Associate, Ross Strategic Moderator: Bevin Buchheister, NGA Center |
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| <p>11:30 – 12:00 PM <i>Pocatello Room</i></p> | <p>FFTF Session with Environmental Management Leadership Members of the FFTF welcome Ken Picha, Acting Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Field Operations, Office of Environmental Management, DOE, to hold a discussion about future cleanup priorities, approaches for waste cleanup, and strategies to continue and improve DOE-state coordination on cleanup efforts. As part of this discussion, the FFTF will present its guiding principles.</p> <p>Discussion Participants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ken Niles, Assistant Director for Nuclear Safety, Oregon Department of Energy • Shelly Wilson, Permitting and Federal Facilities Liaison, South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control • Ken Picha, Acting Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Field Operations, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy <p>Moderator: Dan Lauf, NGA Center</p> |
| Joint FFTF Session with the U.S. Department of Energy and STGWG | |
| <p>12:00 – 1:15 PM <i>Yellowstone Room</i></p> | <p>Joint Lunch</p> <p>Idaho Welcome and Overview of the Idaho National Laboratory Idaho National Laboratory (INL) is the nation's lead laboratory for nuclear energy research, development, demonstration and deployment. INL also leads the nation in critical infrastructure protection, cyber-security research, and other national security initiatives. An INL representative will provide an overview of the national lab and the exciting projects and developments that are planned and will also speak to importance of partnerships with government, industry and universities.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mayor Rebecca Casper, Idaho Falls • Amy Lientz, Director of Partnerships, Engagement & Technology Deployment, Idaho National Laboratory <p>Moderator: Susan Burke, INL Coordinator, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality</p> |
| <p>1:15 – 1:30 PM</p> | <p>Break</p> |
| FFTF Session (Open) | |
| <p>1:30 – 2:00 PM <i>Yellowstone Room</i></p> | <p>United States Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program This presentation will cover the integrated mission of the Naval Reactors Facility at the INL in support of the Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program.</p> <p>Speaker: Chris Henvit, Lead, Program Management & External Affairs, Naval Reactors Idaho Branch Office</p> <p>Moderator: Susan Burke, INL Coordinator, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality</p> |

STGWG – Wednesday, June 27, 2018 Agenda

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| 8:00-12:00 | STGWG Tribal Sessions – Business Sessions and Sessions with DOE |
| 12:00-1:30 | Joint Lunch with FFTF |
| 1:30-2:00 | STGWG Break |
| 2:00-3:00 | STGWG Business Session |
| 3:00-4:30 | STGWG Session – Open |

Thursday, June 28, 2018

| Joint Sessions with the U.S. Department of Energy and STGWG | |
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| 7:30 – 8:00 AM <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | Breakfast |
| 8:00 – 8:45 AM <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | <p>Views from U.S. Department of Energy Senior Leadership</p> <p>Discussion Participants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paul Dabbar, Undersecretary for Science, U.S. Department of Energy <p>Moderator: Ken Niles, Assistant Director for Nuclear Safety, Oregon Department of Energy</p> |
| 8:45 – 9:30 AM <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | <p>Environmental Management Program Update</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ken Picha, Acting Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Field Operations, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy • Mark Gilbertson, Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory & Policy Affairs, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy <p>Moderator: Ken Niles, Assistant Director for Nuclear Safety, Oregon Department of Energy</p> |
| 9:30 – 10:15 AM <i>Yellowstone Room</i> | <p>Department of Energy, States & Tribes Working Together to Advance the Cleanup Mission: <i>Perspectives from Idaho</i></p> <p>At the last Intergovernmental Groups Meeting, participants explored issues through site-specific breakout sessions. This session builds upon these breakout sessions by providing a perspective from INL. Speakers will share experiences on how Idaho, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, and the DOE Idaho Operations Office together on activities, such as environmental monitoring, protection of cultural resources and other cleanup work.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talia Martin, Director of Tribal/DOE-AIP, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes Tribal Department of Energy • Kerry Martin, INL Oversight Program Regional Manager, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality • Brad Bugger, Tribal Liaison, DOE Idaho Operations Office <p>Moderator: Mindy Bridges, STGWG Coordinator and Policy Specialist, National Conference of State Legislatures</p> |
| 10:15 – 10:45 AM | Break |

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| <p>10:45 - 11:45 AM Yellowstone Room</p> | <p>Long-Term Stewardship & Closure for the Seventh Generation STGWG’s LTS Committee recently released an update to the “Closure for the Seventh Generation” report. This session will highlight key recommendations from the report and provide opportunity for discussion on next steps and tracking progress.</p> <p>Moderators:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peter Chestnut, Attorney for Pueblo de San Ildefonso • Branden Doster, Section Chief, Missouri Department of Natural Resources <p>Recommendations & Next Steps – Closure for the Seventh Generation Report <i>A brief presentation of the report will be followed by open discussion on the process for DOE to engage with STGWG on the recommendations.</i></p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Shafer, Director, Office of Site Operations, DOE-LM • Mark Gilbertson, Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory & Policy Affairs, DOE-EM <p>Discussion Topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can DOE site teams be further utilized to support LTS discussions? • What are current plans or processes for transitioning sites to DOE-LM? • Initial or stages of planning for LTS at operating or cleanup sites • Current successes and planning for new education and outreach • Planning for LTS budgets and future costs • Roles for tribes and tribal capacity to support LTS • What other priorities does DOE have related to LTS? |
| <p>11:45 – 12:45 PM Yellowstone Room</p> | <p>Joint Lunch</p> <p>Budget Update from U.S. Department of Energy Office of Environmental Management DOE will provide details on the FY 2018 enacted budget, the FY 2019 budget request, and discuss balancing the need for infrastructure upgrades with increased costs and added facilities during periods of level funding. Challenges DOE is expecting to see in the next 5 or 10 years will also be discussed. As part of this presentation, DOE will address budgeting and anticipated costs for long-term stewardship.</p> <p>Speaker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mark Gilbertson, Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory & Policy Affairs, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy <p>Moderator: Dan Lauf, NGA Center</p> |
| <p>12:45- 1:00 PM</p> | <p>Break</p> |
| <p>FFTF Session (Closed)</p> | |
| <p>1:00 – 2:00 PM Pocatello Room</p> | <p>FFTF Spring Meeting Wrap-up Discussion & Next Steps</p> <p>Moderator: Dan Lauf, Program Manager, NGA Center for Best Practices</p> |
| <p>2:00 PM</p> | <p>FFTF Session Adjourns</p> |

STGWG - June 28, 2018 Agenda

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| 7:30 - 1:00 | STGWG Joint Sessions With FFTF |
| 1:00 - 2:00 | STGWG Break |
| 2:00 - 3:30 | STGWG States and Tribes Closing Session |