

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of future use, cleanup levels, waste disposition and cleanup priorities at the INEEL.

Tentative Agenda

The tentative objectives for the meeting include:

- To receive a status report addressing the Environmental Management Program, implementation of the Performance Management Plan for Accelerating Cleanup at the INEEL, and compliance with the Idaho Settlement Agreement
- To discuss and finalize a recommendation addressing reactions to/concerns about the INEEL End State Plan to be submitted to DOE-HQ
- To discuss and finalize a recommendation addressing reactions to/concerns about the Final Sagebrush Steppe Reserve Environmental Assessment
- To discuss participation in the upcoming Site Specific Advisory Board Chairs Meeting
- Discuss changes to Annual Work Plan to reflect current funding situation

Public Participation: This meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board facilitator either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral presentations pertaining to agenda items should contact the Board Chair at the address or telephone number listed above. Request must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer, Jerry Bowman, Assistant Manager for Laboratory Development, Idaho Operations Office, U.S. Department of Energy, is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Every individual wishing to make public comment will be provided equal time to present their comments. Additional time may be made available for public comment during the presentations.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Ms. Penny Pink, INEEL CAB Administrator, North Wind Environmental, Inc., P.O. Box 51174, Idaho Falls, ID 83405 or by calling (208) 528-8718.

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Rachel Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Northern New Mexico

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Northern New Mexico. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Wednesday, September 17, 2003; 1 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Sagebrush Inn and Conference Center, 1508 Paseo del Pueblo Sur, Taos, NM.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

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Tentative Agenda

- 1 p.m.—Call to Order by Ted Taylor, DDFO; Welcome and Introductions by Jim Brannon, Board Chair; Approval of Agenda; Approval of July 30 Meeting Minutes
- 1:15 p.m.—Public Comment
- 1:30 p.m.—Board Business
 - Election of Officers for FY 03-04 (As per Section V. Of the NNM CAB Bylaws)
 - Election of Chair
 - Election of Vice-Chair
 - Recruitment Update
 - Report from Chairman Brannon
 - Discussion of Paducah, KY trip
 - Discussion of DOE Budget/Chairs' Teleconference
 - Discussion of Committee Work Plans/Chair Appointments
 - Report from DOE, Ted Taylor, DDFO
 - Report from Executive Director,

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- Call for New Business

2:30 p.m.—Break

2:45 p.m.—Reports from Committees and Presentation of Committee Work Plans for FY 03-04

- Community Outreach Committee, Abad Sandoval
- Monitoring and Surveillance Committee, Wayne Wentworth
- Environmental Restoration Committee, Dr. Fran Berting
- Waste Management Committee, Don Jordan
- Budget Committee, Don Jordan

3:45 p.m.—Consideration of Fiscal Year 2003-04 NNM CAB Budget

4:45 p.m.—Dinner Break

6 p.m.—Presentation on Environmental Issues

7:45 p.m.—Break

8 p.m.—Public Comment

8:15 p.m.—Board Comment and Recap of Meeting

8:30 p.m.—Adjourn

This agenda is subject to change at least one day in advance of the meeting.

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