

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR WASTE TECHNICAL REVIEW BOARD 2300 Clarendon Boulevard, Suite 1300 Arlington, VA 22201

AGENDA Winter Board Meeting February 9-10, 2005

Alexis Park Resort Room Parthenon 2 375 E. Harmon Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89109 (tel.) 702-796-3300 (fax) 702-796-3354 and Caliente Youth Center Highway 93, North #4 Caliente, NV 89008

Wednesday, February 9 (Las Vegas)

Systems and Program Integration

- 8:00 a.m. Call to Order and Introductory Statement B. John Garrick, Chairman, NWTRB
- 8:15 a.m. Program and Project Overview Margaret Chu, Director, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, DOE John Arthur, Director, Office of Repository Development, DOE
 - 8:45 a.m. Questions, discussion
- 9:15 a.m. Overview of Waste Management Systems Integration Christopher Kouts, DOE Richard Craun, DOE Gary Lanthrum, DOE
 - 9:45 a.m. Questions, discussion
- 10:15 a.m. BREAK (15 minutes)
- 10:30 a.m. Integration of TSPA and Repository Design William Boyle, DOE Kirk Lachman, DOE

11:15 a.m. Questions, discussion

- 12:00 p.m. LUNCH (75 minutes)
- **1:15 p.m. Project's Thermal Management Strategy** Paul Harrington, DOE
 - 1:45 p.m. Questions, discussion

Overview of Scientific Studies

- 2:15 p.m. Update on Science and Technology Program Mark Peters, Argonne National Laboratory
 - 2:35 p.m. Questions, discussion
- 2:55 p.m. BREAK (15 minutes)
- **3:10 p.m.** Science and Modeling Update Robert Andrews, Bechtel-SAIC

4:00 p.m. Questions, discussion

- **4:30 p.m.** Performance Confirmation Plan Deborah Barr, DOE
 - 4:50 p.m. Questions, discussion
- 5:10 p.m. Public Comment Period
- 5:30 p.m. Adjourn

Thursday, February 10 (Caliente)

- **10:00 a.m.** Call to Order and Brief Remarks B. John Garrick, Chairman, NWTRB
- **10:05 a.m.** Welcome and Introductory Remarks Kevin Phillips, Mayor of Caliente

Spent Fuel Transportation

- **10:15 a.m.** Session Introductory Mark Abkowitz, Member, NWTRB
- **10:20 a.m.** Update on Planning for National Transportation Gary Lanthrum, DOE
 - 10:45 a.m. Questions, discussion
- **11:05 a.m. Planning the Nevada Rail Branch Line** Gary Lanthrum, DOE
 - 11:30 a.m. Questions, discussion
- 11:55 a.m. LUNCH (1 hour, 20 minutes)
- 1:15 p.m.State of Nevada Views on Rail Branch Line Development
Robert Halstead, State of Nevada
 - 1:30 p.m. Questions, discussion
- 1:45 p.m. County Views on Rail Branch Line Development Kevin Phillips, Mayor of Caliente Candice Trummell, Chair, Nye County Board of Commissioners
 - 2:15 p.m. Questions, discussion
- **2:45 p.m.** Western Shoshone Concerns Ian Zabarte, Western Shoshone Nation

3:00 p.m. Questions, discussion

- **3:15 p.m.** Public Comment Period
- 4:00 p.m. Adjourn