Retreat

8:35 p.m. Review of Action Items 8:50 p.m. Subcommittee Reports

• Community Concerns

Public Involvement/Membership
 9:15 p.m. Final Comments
 9:30 p.m. Adjourn

Copies of the final agenda will be

available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact David Dollins at the address listed below or by telephone at (270) 441-6819. Requests 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 is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comments will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments as the first item of the meeting agenda.

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-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Environmental Information Center and Reading Room at 115 Memorial Drive, Barkley Centre, Paducah, Kentucky between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday thru Friday or by writing to David Dollins, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001 or by calling him at (270) 441-6819.

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Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Nevada

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), Nevada Test Site. 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, February 11, 2004; 6 p.m.–8 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Amargosa Valley Community Center, 821 East Amargosa Farm Road, Amargosa, Nevada.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kay Planamento, Navarro Research and Engineering, Inc., 2721 Losee Road, North Las Vegas, Nevada 89130, phone: 702–657–9088, fax: 702–295–5300, e-mail kozeliskik@nv.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Advisory Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda:

- 1. The Nevada Site Office Environmental Management Program will provide an update to the community on the EM program, with a focus on recent waste management activities.
- 2. CAB members will discuss technical committee focus areas and plans for FY 2004.

From 5:30 to 6 p.m. CAB members will present the CAB Roadshow, an informational overview of the CAB's mission and activities.

Copies of the final agenda will be

available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Kelly Kozeliski, at the telephone number listed above and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting due to programmatic issues that had to be resolved.

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–Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Kay Planamento at the address listed above.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Oak Ridge Reservation

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), Oak Ridge. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meeting be announced in the Federal Register.

DATES: Wednesday, February 11, 2004; 6 p.m.

ADDRESSES: DOE Information Center, 475 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pat Halsey, Federal Coordinator, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, P.O. Box 2001, EM–90, Oak Ridge, TN 37831. Phone (865) 576–4025; Fax (865) 576–5333 or e-mail: halseypj@oro.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda: The meeting presentation will feature a discussion of the Focused Feasibility Study and Proposed Plan for the East Tennessee Technology Park Zone 2 Soils.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Pat Halsey at the address or telephone number listed above and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting due to

programmatic issues that had to be resolved.

Minutes: Minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Department of Energy's Information Center at 475 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by writing to Pat Halsey, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, P.O. Box 2001, EM-90, Oak Ridge, TN 37831, or by calling her at (865) 576–4025.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7616-8]

Investigator Initiated Grants: Request for Applications

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of requests for applications.

SUMMARY: This notice provides information on the availability of fiscal year 2004 investigator initiated grants program announcements, in which the areas of research interest, eligibility and submission requirements, evaluation criteria, and implementation schedules are set forth. Grants will be competitively awarded following peer review.

DATES: Receipt dates vary depending on the specific research areas within the solicitations.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In its Requests for Applications (RFA) the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency invites research applications in the following areas of special interest to its mission: (1) Exploratory Research: Understanding Ecological Thresholds Through Retrospective Analysis, (2) Dose Response of EDCs at Low Levels of Exposure (3) PM Research Centers, (4) Pathways From Ecosystem Functioning to Aquatic Ecosystem Goods and Services, (5) Global Change and Air Quality:, (6) Genomic-based Indicators of Aquatic Ecosystem Quality, (7) Public Health Outcomes, (8) Computational Toxicology Research Centers, (9) Allergenicity of Genetically Modified Foods, (10) Valuation for Environmental Policy, (11) EaGLes (Riverine, Estuarine

and Great Lakes Indicators Centers), (12) Computational Toxicology and Endocrine Disruptors: Use of Systems Biology in Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment, (13) EDC Exposure Issues, (14) Market Mechanisms and Incentives for Environmental Management, (15) Childhood Cancer.

Contacts: (1) Exploratory Research: Understanding Ecological Thresholds Through Retrospective Analysis-email: *goodman.iris@epa.gov*, telephone: 202-564-8313, (2) Dose Response of EDCs at Low Levels of Exposure—email: francis.elaine@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6789, (3) PM Research Centers—e-mail: katz.stacy@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-8201 or e-mail: robarge.gail@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-8301, (4) Pathways from Ecosystem Functioning to Aquatic Ecosystem Goods and Services—e-mail: smith.bernicel@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6934, (5) Global Change and Air Quality: Wildfires—e-mail: winner.darryl@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6929, (6) Genomic-based Indicators of Aquatic Ecosystem Quality-e-mail: perovich.gina@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-62248, (7) Public Health Outcomes—e-mail: fields.nigel@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6936, (8) Computational Toxicology Research Centers—e-mail: francis.elaine@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6789, (9) Allergenicity of Genetically Modified Foods—e-mail: francis.elaine@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6789, (10) Valuation for Environmental Policy—email: wheeler.william@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6842, (11) EaGLes (Riverine, Estuarine and Great Lakes Indicators Centers)—e-mail: goodman.iris@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-8313, (12) Computational Toxicology and Endocrine Disruptors: Use of Systems Biology in Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment—email: francis.elaine@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6789, (14) EDC Exposure Issues—e-mail: francis.elaine@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6789, (15) Market Mechanisms and Incentives for Environmental Management—e-mail: clark.matthew@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-6824, (16) Childhood Cancere-mail: deener.kathleen@epa.gov, telephone: 202-564-8289.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The complete program announcement can be accessed on the Internet at http://www.epa.gov/ncer, under "announcements." The required forms for applications with instructions are accessible on the Internet at http://es.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/forms/downlf.html. Forms may be printed from this site.

Dated: January 14, 2004.

Christopher S. Zarba,

Acting Director, National Center for Environmental Research.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7617-1]

Florida Petroleum Reprocessors Superfund Site Notice of Proposed De Minimis Settlement

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed de minimis settlement.

SUMMARY: Under Section 122(g)(4) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has offered a de minimis settlement at the Florida Petroleum Reprocessors Superfund Site (Site). EPA will consider public comments on the proposed settlement until March 3, 2004. EPA may withdraw from or modify the proposed settlement should such comments disclose facts or considerations which indicate the proposed settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. Copies of the proposed settlement are available from:

Ms. Paula V. Batchelor, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV, Superfund Enforcement & Information Management Branch, Waste Management Division, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303, (404) 562–8887.

Written comments may be submitted to Paula V. Batchelor at the above address within 30 days of the date of publication.

Dated: January 21, 2004.

Rosalind H. Brown,

Chief, Superfund Enforcement & Information, Management Branch, Waste Management Division.

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