# DOE Meteorological Coordinating Council

**DMCC Update** 

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# 14th Meeting Agenda

- I WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS, DMCC OVERVIEW
- Welcome and Introductions (Walt Schalk)
- Overview of 2006 DMCC Projects and Initiatives (Walt Schalk)

#### II DOE/HQ REPORTS

- NA-41 (Jim Fairobent)
- NESHAPS Report, HS-41 (Carl Mazzola)

# III ROUND ROBIN: BEST PRACTICES/LESSONS LEARNED AT DOE SITES

- INL (Kirk Clawson)
- NTS (Darryl Randerson/Walt Schalk)
- PNNL (Ken Burk/Cliff Glantz)
- SRNL (Chuck Hunter)





## 14th Meeting Agenda (continued)

#### IV TECHNICAL REPORTS: ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES RESEARCH

- Urban Wind Study (Will Pendergrass/NOAA ATDD)
- Optimizing Meteorological Observation Networks (John Ciolek/AlphaTRAC)
- Predicting Fire and Explosion Hazards Using ALOHA (Mark Miller, NOAA/NOS)

#### **V** DMCC PRODUCTS, PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

- DMCC Assist Visit Program (Carl Mazzola/Shaw Environmental)
- DMCC Meteorological Monitoring and Consequence Assessmen Self-Assessment Guide (Steve Vigeant/Shaw Environmental)
- DMCC Web Page (Cliff Glantz/PNNL and Dorothy Cohen/ORISE)

#### VI WRAP-UP

 DMCC Roundtable Discussion (Facilitators: Carl Mazzola and Cliff Glantz)

# 2006 Projects and

**DMCC Annual Meeting** May 2007 San Antonio, Texas

Initiatives







# Organizational Updates

 Dr. Darryl Randerson, Chairman since 12/2/94, stepped down July 31, 2006

 Walt Schalk accepted Chairman August 1, 2006





## **DMCC** Meetings

- 13th Meeting held May 06 in Las Vegas
  - 17 Attendees
    - 11 Organizations
      - DOE/HQ Elements (NA, HS)
      - DOE Facilities (Oak Ridge, SRS, WIPP)
      - National Labs (LLNL, SRNL, PNNL)
      - -NOAA (FRD, SORD)
      - Yucca Mountain Project



## Teleconferences

#### 2006

- August
- October

#### 2007

- January
- March
- July (scheduled)

10 -12 Participants per call





## No-Fault Assist Visits

- #11: LANL, August 2006
- Future Assist Visits
  - SRS
  - Hanford
  - BNL
- Follow-up Assist Visits
  - NTS (1996)
  - Pantex (1997)
  - Y-12 (2004)
  - INL (2004)
  - WIPP (2005) (3 year cycle)





## Support to Others

## • DOE

- DOE/EH-0173T: Revised Chapter 4,
   Summary and References
- Lightning: NTS (SORD) Lightning Safety Report to DNFSB and NTS Order

## OFCM

- DOE Appendix to annual Federal Plan:
   Description of Research & Operational
   Programs at 15 NNSA/DOE Sites.
- R & D priorities report: Provided DOE/Meteorological Program Input



## Support to Others

## NUMUG

- DMCC Members (Glantz, Parker, Mazzola, Fransioli)
   Attended/Presented at Meeting (10/06)
- Carl Mazzola Elected to Chairman for 3 Years
- Developed Comments on NRC Regulatory Guide 1.23
   Revision 1

### ANS

- DMCC Members Attended/Presented at 9<sup>th</sup> Topical Meeting on Emergency Preparedness & Response In Salt Lake City, UT (2/06)
- Assisting in Planning of 10<sup>th</sup> Topical Meeting to held in Albuquerque, NM (3/08)



## Support to Others

- Voluntary Consensus Standards
  - ANSI/ANS-3.11 (2005): Published in May 2006
  - Other VCSs in progress:
    - ANSI/ANS-2.3: Extreme winds and tornadoes
    - ANSI/ANS-2.15: T&D for routine releases (licensing)
    - ANSI/ANS-2.16: T&D for accidental releases (licensing)
    - ANSI/ANS-2.21: Meteorological parameter guide for Ultimate Heat Sink applications
    - ANSI/ANS-3.8.10: T&D for emergency accidental releases



## Other Topics

- Monitoring Meteorological Data SQA: DOE Central Registry
- Supporting SRNL Ensemble Modeling Initiative
- Drafted 215-Section Outline of "Atmospheric Sciences and Releases of Hazardous Materials"
  - This compendium to Replace "Atmospheric Sciences and Power Production" (1984)
  - Funding limitations
  - Partner with EPA, DOC, DoD, DTRA



# Other Topics

- Facilitating Ingestion of DOE/NNSA Data into NWS MADIS
- Developed DOE/NNSA Weather Website Linking Program
- DMCC Web Page Integration into EMI-SIG/SCAPA Web Page
- New Product
  - Self-Assessment Guide for Meteorological and Consequence Assessment System
  - Target: July 2007





