

**PGDP Citizens Advisory Board  
Long Range Strategy/Stewardship Task Force  
November 13, 2003 \* CAB Office**

**CAB Members Present:** Linda Long  
Doug Raper, Chair  
Bill Tanner

**DOE Representative Present:** David Dollins

**Support Staff Present:** Kim Crenshaw  
Lynn Link  
Kendra Payne

**Public:** Bill Dayton  
Sandra Dayton

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m.

**Annual Report**

Payne provided to the Long Range Strategy/Stewardship task force a copy of the draft Fiscal Year 2003 Annual Report. Payne asked the task force to review and comment by November 18, 2003. She stated after the task force comments were incorporated, the draft report will be provided in the Board packets on November 20, for additional comments.

**Agreed Order**

Tanner said he would like for the task force to compile a list of questions for Murphie regarding the Agreed Order.

The questions are as follows:

1. Why are there two separate Agreed Orders?
2. The Letter of Intent (LOI) attached to the Agreed Order states that if the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) disagrees with one or more provisions of the Letter of Intent involving response actions under the Federal Facility Agreement (FFA), any such provisions shall be considered null and void. What is the status of EPA's impact on the Agreed Order?
3. What is Force Majeure? Dollins explained a Force Majeure means an event arising from causes beyond the control of a Party that could not have been overcome or avoided, such as acts of God or adverse weather conditions. He said the complete definition could be found in the FFA.
4. The LOI states DOE and its contractors agree to take all necessary steps to accelerate risk reduction and to apply as large a percentage as possible of the Paducah site's budget to

accelerated cleanup as a continuing and ongoing process. Who decides what percentage of the budget goes to what project?

5. The LOI mentions actions identified in the Top-to-Bottom Review. What actions are identified in this review?
6. The LOI lists the completion dates for the Operable Units. Will the Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) receive a timeline of actions extended to the dates listed in the LOI? Tanner said a list of milestones for the Site Management Plan describing the actions for each operable unit is being prepared and will be provided in the board packets. He said this would be used to prepare the new CAB Workplan.

Tanner said since the Agreed Order is now signed, he intended to ask Murphie about the status of the Accelerated Cleanup Plan and the additional funding that Paducah should receive as a result of signing the Agreed Order.

### **End State Vision**

Tanner said he would like to discuss the recommendation regarding the End State Vision of the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant (PGDP) and surrounding areas at the November Board meeting. He said the recommendation would pertain to re-industrialization and recreational use of the PGDP site. Tanner stated the recommendation would also apply to the entombment of four process buildings for final disposal of waste instead of constructing the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act cell. Dollins said there are several decision making documents concerning risk based cleanup to be issued and public comment will be available for each document.

Tanner stated the next Site Specific Advisory Board (SSAB) Chairs meeting will be focused on End State Vision. He said on the next SSAB chairs conference call he was going to ask the other SSAB sites if they would like to form two consensus recommendations to DOE Headquarters (HQ). He stated the first recommendation would be to incorporate long term stewardship into all documents. Tanner said the second recommendation would be that DOE should investigate methods to increase technology sharing between sites.

Raper said he located a document showing the definition of end state use from December 2000. He said he would like to obtain a more current copy of this document and to see if the end use definition is still the same. Tanner said he would like to know what risk based means and what is going to be done for this community. Dollins said the timeline in the Agreed Order shows that there will be significant amount of work done towards cleaning up the Paducah site.

Raper asked the status of the Risk Based End States Document that was mentioned by David Geiser, DOE-HQ at the September Chairs meeting. Tanner said he had spoken to Bodenstein and Murphie about the document and neither were aware of Paducah's responsibility. He said he would ask Murphie about this document again at the November Board meeting.

Tanner said he would present to the Board the idea of moving "Task Force Reports" to where "Presentation" is now located on the agenda. He said the chair of each task force could then present to the full Board when a request for recommendations is being made. Tanner suggested

adding to the agenda a place for Chairs comments. He said he could then talk about outstanding recommendations or items of interest.

The meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

**Action Items**

Staff: Prepare copy of Agreed Order for Dollins, Raper, and Tanner.

Staff: Present task force with a copy of the Top to Bottom Review.

Staff: Locate recent document for Raper with end use definition.