

Advocates for VHA Groundwater Plume Resolution

Meeting Summary

Date: May 14, 2020

Time: 6:30 pm MDT

Meeting Objectives

- Discuss the Impacts of COVID19 to the CERCLA Program
- Discuss current and future drilling on the VA Campus
- Discuss Indoor Air Testing in the East Side Springs Area
- Gather feedback from the CAG for the VA

Location

Virtual Teams Meeting:

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Conference ID: 862 291 649#

Attendees

Community: Barbara Jones

VHA: Shannon Smith, Marc Yalom, Anthony Jarmusz, Susanne Fairclough, Dick Hoffman

SLC: Dan Moore

EA EST: Brooke Stamper

EPA: Mark Aguilar, Ryan Kloberdanz, Steve Wharton

UDEQ: Scott Lippitt, Dave Allison

Materials Presented

- History of the Site (Susanne Fairclough, VHA)
- Ongoing and upcoming Fieldwork (Marc Yalom, VHA)
- "Since the Last CAG Meeting: Indoor Air Sampling Effort" (Brooke Alpenglow, EA)
- COVID19 impacts to 700 S. 1600 E. PCE Plume Superfund Site (Shannon Smith, VHA)
- Documents available for TASC review (Shannon Smith, VHA & Mark Aguilar, EPA)

Meeting Actions

- VA presented the status of ongoing efforts of the CERCLA program.
- Mark Aguilar EPA and Scott Lippitt UDEQ both announced that although they were working remotely, they remained involved in the CERCLA project.
- Ryan Kloberdanz and Steve Wharton of US EPA introduced themselves to the CAG

Issues needing to be addressed:

- No Indoor Air Sampling efforts planned for Winter 2020/2021; however, we are looking into a possible “no contact” sampling effort or collecting other data outside homes to predict indoor air concentrations.
- Decide and convey decision to CAG about drilling plans for East Side Springs

Meeting Action Items

- Keep CAG members informed of COVID19 related impacts to CERCLA Program

Agenda Items for next meeting

- Drilling plans for East Side Springs.
- Summary of Indoor Air Sampling Dec19-Mar20 Data Summary Report
- Summary of 2019 Q4 Data Summary Report

Next Meeting

Wednesday, Sept. 10th, 2020

6:30 – 8:00 pm

Location: TBD- Likely Virtual