

SPRING 2021 MEETING AGENDA

APRIL 14-15, 2021

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Wednesday, April 14, 2021 Subcommittee Meetings

9:00 am	Worker Health and Safety	Ms. Larken Akins, OSHA
9:30 am	Science and Technology	Dr. Faith Fitzpatrick, USGS
10:15 am	Training and Exercises	Mr. Scott Binko, USCG
11:00 am	Planning	Ms. Kim Churchill, US EPA

Thursday, April 15 General Meeting

8:30 am	Welcome and Introductions	Mr. Jerry Popiel, USCG Mr. Jason El-Zein, US EPA
8:40 am	State report out (~5 minutes each)	All States
9:10 am	Federal and Tribal report out (~5 minutes each)	RRT 5 Federal Agencies and RRT 5 Tribes
10:00 am	Break	
10:10 am	French Island, Wisconsin PFAS report Residents of the Town of Campbell on French Island, WI began picking up bottled water marking the beginning of a drinking water advisory issued by the Wisconsin DNR after all but one of 185 private wells tested were found to have varying levels of PFAS contamination.	Mr. Jason Lowery, WI DNR
10:30 am	Minnesota PFAS Policy Update The State of Minnesota has developed their “Minnesota’s PFAS Blueprint” document which details everything Minnesota has done related to PFAS, as well as everything they are working on right now, and looking forward. Additionally, the document will propose a number of prioritized initiatives related to PFAS.	Ms. Sophie Greene, MPCA
10:45 am	DOI Related activities for Region 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Adapting the Region 2 NHPA Guidance for the Region 5 RCP/ACPHow to get increased engagement with SHPO/THPO/tribes for spill response planning	Mr. John Nelson, DOI

11:30 am	Freshwater In-Situ Oil Burning	LT Elizabeth Murphy, USCG R&D
	This report documents the background, planning, preparation for, and conduct of a series of in-situ burning (ISB) tests using crude, residual fuel and “bunker” oil in freshwater. Federal On-Scene Coordinators and Regional Response Teams require more information about ISB in freshwater before considering it a viable oil-spill response tool. The intent is to provide Coast Guard operational commanders and Regional Response Teams information to consider in future discussions on whether ISB is a feasible action to mitigate the threat of large oil quantities spilled in a freshwater environment.	
12:00 pm	Break-Lunch 30 minutes	
12:30 pm	Toledo Marina Fire Case Study	Ms. Tricia Edwards, US EPA
1:00 pm	M/V Harvest Spirit Grounding Detroit River Case Study	CDR Stacey Crecy, USCG CWO Bob Simcox, USCG
1:30 pm	Off-site Compliance Monitoring (OfCM)	Mr. Alex Tzallas, US EPA Ms. Kim Churchill, US EPA
	OfCM for Facility Response Plan (FRP) Government Initiated Unannounced Exercises (GIUEs) and Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC) Plans.	
1:45 pm	Inland Zone Hazard Analysis	Ms. Kim Churchill, US EPA
2:00 pm	USCG Great Lakes Center of Excellence	Mr. Jerry Popiel, USCG
2:10 pm	ESA Biological Assessment update	Mr. Jerry Popiel, USCG
2:15 pm	Subcommittee Reports Science and Technology Planning Training and Exercises Worker Health and Safety	
2:35 pm	Closing Remarks	Mr. Jerry Popiel, USCG Mr. Jason El-Zein, US EPA

- October 20-21, 2021 (Tentative)