

Meeting Minutes Transmittal

300 Area BWHC Facility Transition General Topics
Project Managers' Meeting
Federal Building/Room 590-A
Richland, Washington

September 3, 1998
1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The undersigned indicate by their signatures that these meetings minutes reflect the actual occurrences of the above dated Unit Managers Meeting.

David W. Templeton Date: 10-8-98
David W. Templeton, Project Manager, RL

J. J. Wallace Date: 10/8/98
J. J. Wallace, Project Manager, Washington State Department of Ecology

O. A. Farabee Date: 10/20/98
O. A. Farabee, RL, FTF Standby Project Office

300 Area BWHC Facility Transition General Topics PMM, BWHC Concurrence

David E. Rasmussen Date: 10/08/98
D. E. Rasmussen, Contractor Representative, BWHC

Purpose: Discuss BWHC 300 Area Facility Transition General Topics

Meeting Minutes are attached. The minutes are comprised of the following:

- Attachment 1 - Agenda
- Attachment 2 - Summary of Discussion and Commitments/Agreements
- Attachment 3 - Attendance List
- Attachment 4 - Pathforward Status, August 31, 1998, 327 Legacy Waste



Attachment 1

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Agenda

1. Introduction
2. Previous Meeting Minutes
3. 303-K status
4. 3718F status
5. Action item review
 - a. Silver list issues closeout status, 324/327
 - 11.8 324 Building, Na SCW in shielded glovebox
 - 16.1.8 324 Building, daily visual inspections, tank systems (Ecology approved 5/98)
 - 16.3.8 324 Building, tanks secondary containment and leak detection
 - 16.3.11 327 Building, RLWS secondary containment and leak detection
 - 16.5.8 324 Building, major risk labeling, tanks (Ecology approved 5/98)
6. Other topics/discussion
 - a. 327 TRU Special-Case Waste one-gallon containers status
 - b. 327 RLWS status, leak detector, repair status
 - c. 324 waste container, 30-day extension to 90-day clock, status
 - d. Status of 324/327 waste designation document
 - e. Other topics
8. Schedule Next Meeting

Attachment 2

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1. Introductions

Ted Wooley (Ecology) and Rick Millikin (BWHC) were introduced.

2. Previous Meeting Minutes

The July 9 and August 6, 1998 Project Manager (PMM) minutes were approved.

3. 303-K Status

E. Mattlin (DOE-RL) reported that the August 1998 meeting minutes for 303-K, which are separate from these 300 BWHC minutes, are ready for J. Bartz (Ecology) to sign.

The 303-K closure activity report for FY 1998, including the Professional Engineer certification for the closure activities, has been transmitted to Ecology.

E. Mattlin stated that the uranium issue will be raised to upper management for resolution. At issue is Ecology's request for cleanup of the uranium in the soil at 303-K, and DOE-RL and DOE/Headquarter's position that Ecology does not have regulatory authority over uranium. DOE is proposing cleanup of the uranium when the entire 300 Area is cleaned up under the CERCLA. J. Wallace (Ecology) added that Ecology's position is to allow the physical remediation of the uranium with the CERCLA operable unit, but that the 303-K Part A will remain in effect and the facility would still be considered a RCRA TSD unit.

J. Remeize (BWHC) reported that demolition of the 303-K building is scheduled for FY 2001; however, BWHC is seeking funding to perform the demolition as early as FY 1999

4. 3718F Status

E. Mattlin reported that DOE-RL received Ecology's letter approving the 3718F closure certification, and the Part A will be submitted to Ecology stamped "closed."

5. Action Item Review

a. Silver List issues closeout status, 324/327

11.8 324 Building, Na SCW in shielded glovebox. A revised closeout form was provided to Ecology. This action item is open.

16.1.8 324 Building, daily visual inspections, tank systems (Ecology approved 5/98). This action item is closed.

16.3.8 324 Building, tanks secondary containment and leak detection. A revised closeout form was provided to Ecology. This action item is open.

16.3.11 327 Building, RLWS secondary containment and leak detection. A revised closeout form was provided to Ecology. This action item is open.

16.5.8 324 Building, major risk labeling, tanks (Ecology approved 5/98). This action item is closed.

J. Wallace stated that she reviewed the three revised closeout forms and noted that her comments had not been incorporated. However, a new Ecology 300 Area project manager will be assigned next week, and J. Wallace indicated she would defer resolution/approval of the closeout forms to new project manager. With regard to Silver issue 11.8, J. Wallace reiterated her comment to designate the sodium glovebox, move it to storage, and close the issue out rather than include it in the facility transition.

6. Other Topics/Discussions

a. 327 TRU Special-Case Waste one-gallon containers status

D. Rasmussen (BWHC) provided a handout regarding the 327 legacy waste status (Attachment 4).

b. 327 RLWS, leak detector, repair status

The job package for the leak detector repair is in review, and the work is expected to begin next week (9/7/98-9/11/98).

c. 324 Waste Container, 30-day extension to 90-day clock, status

D. Rasmussen reported that BWHC, DOE-RL, and FDH requested a 30-day extension from Ecology last week for a legacy container that BWHC inherited. The container was in its final stages for shipment to T-Plant when it was discovered that it contained mixed waste instead of low-level waste, and there were no Safety Analysis Reports (SARPs) for shipping the mixed waste in its configuration. A procedure for repackaging and shipping has been prepared and is in review. D. Rasmussen stated that the container should be repackaged and shipped before the 30-day extension ends.

d. Status of 324/327 waste designation document

The 324/327 waste designation document is in BWHC review. J. Wallace noted that the document is in response to Ecology's inspection conducted in September 1997, and that Ecology will respond to the document to indicate whether its corrective actions have been adequately addressed.

e. Other topics

J. Wallace stated that the Ecology 300 Area project manager should be announced on September 8, 1998.

T. Wooley inquired about his request for 327 deactivation-related documents. R. Millikin stated that all of the documents are on a CD, which will be provided to Ecology.

T. Wooley referred to preparation of a 327 pre-closure work plan. R. Millikin explained that the 327 facility is not considered a key facility and would not be required to prepare a pre-closure work plan. R. Millikin noted that all of the 327 documents have been prepared consistent with Section 8 of the TPA.

7. Schedule Next Meeting

The next meeting was scheduled for October 1, 1998, at the Federal Building, Richland, Washington.

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Pathforward Status, August 31, 1998, 327 Legacy Waste

PATHFORWARD STATUS (cont'd)
August 31, 1998

PA# FS 5.2.1

327 LEGACY WASTE (1K7F0A)
RUNNING STATUS OF LEGACY WASTE PACKAGING

WASTE BUCKETS

	Total	This Week
PNNL buckets verified (% of 296 total generated); 100% of buckets packaged to be verified	107 (35%)	0
BWHC buckets verified (% of 119 buckets generated to date); minimum 5% buckets packaged to be verified	36 (27%)	0
Dose rate, available for compaction and loading:		
CLD (dose <2R@30cm)	2	0
LLD (dose >2R@30cm)	3	0
Loaded into drums		
CLD	137	21
LLD	62	13
Total Waste Buckets in Drums	199	34
Percent of PA statuses (200 cans to be loaded)	99.5 %	

WASTE DRUMS

	Total	This Week
Total Drums Loaded		
CLD	23	3
LLD	18	3
Total NDA Complete & Results (TRU/LLW)		
CLD	21 (14/7)	4(4/0)
LLD	16 (16/0)	3(3/0)
Drums Shipped (buckets)		
CLD	16 (90)	0
LLD	11(39)	3(9)
Buckets Shipped to Central Waste Complex (CWC) or Burial	129	9
Percent of PA Complete (200 buckets shipped)	64.5 %	

Def'n.:

CLD: concrete-lined drum
 LLD: lead-lined drum
 NDA: Non-Destructive Assay

TRU: Transuranic Waste
 LLW: Low Level Waste

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