

Meeting Minutes Transmittal - Approval

Project Managers Meeting  
300 AREA WASTE ACID TREATMENT SYSTEM  
2440 Stevens Center Building, Room 1600  
Richland, Washington

Meeting Held March 13, 1997  
From 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM



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

Ellen M. Mattlin Date: 4-10-97  
Ellen M. Mattlin, Project Manager, RL

Jeanne J. Wallace Date: 4/10/97  
Jeanne J. Wallace, Project Manager, Washington State Department of Ecology

300 Area WATS, Contractor Concurrence

Scott N. Luke Date: 4/10/97  
Scott N. Luke, Contractor Representative, RFSH

Ivan L. Metcalf Date: 4-10-97  
Ivan L. Metcalf, Contractor Representative, BWHC

Not present Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
F. A. Ruck, Contractor Representative, FDH

Purpose: Discuss Permitting Process

Meeting Minutes are attached. The minutes are comprised of the following:  
Attachment 1 - Meeting Agenda  
Attachment 2 - Summary of Discussion and Commitments/Agreements  
Attachment 3 - Attendance List

**Attachment 1**

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**Agenda**

1. Approval of Past PMM Minutes
2. Status PMM Action Items (None)
3. Closure Activities
  - Closure Plan Approval (DOE/RL-90-11, Rev 1)
    - NOD Response Table
    - Closure Plan Approval Schedule
  - Status Phase 1 closure activities (313 Building)
4. New Business
5. Schedule Next Closure Plan Approval Workshop

## Attachment 2

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### Summary of Discussion and Commitments/Agreements

#### 1. Approval of Past PMM Minutes

The last PMM was held November 14, 1996. The minutes for that meeting were signed by the RL and Ecology Project Managers. Today's meeting is the first PMM since November.

#### 2. Status PMM Action Items

None

#### 3. Closure Activities

- Closure Plan Approval (DOE/RL-90-11, Rev 1)

- **NOD Response Table.** RFSH (S. Luke) indicated that RL was finalizing responses to Ecology's Revision 1 closure plan NODs. RL would have an electronic version of NOD responses to Ecology by the end of March with the official transmittal to follow.

RFSH (Luke) indicated that RL realizes that the disposition of soils and infrastructures beneath the WATS will involve the 300-FF-2 CERCLA OU. The nature and extent of the CERCLA involvement has been the subject of discussions between the WATS and the CERCLA 300-FF-2 OU since last December. Because a consensus approach had just been arrived at this week, it was proposed to present the approach to Ecology in a future meeting that could be attended by all affected parties (e.g., EPA and other RL programs). The presentation was scheduled for March 18, at the Kennewick office of Ecology, tentatively for 12:00.

- **Closure plan approval schedule.** Discussion was initiated by RFHS (Luke) reference to a telephone conference involving Jeanne Wallace, Moses Jaraysi, Ellen Mattlin, Cliff Clark, Sue Price, Fred Ruck, John Remaize, and Scott Luke, that occurred February 24, 1997. During this conference call, Ecology (M. Jaraysi) proposed that inclusion of the WATS closure plan into the Hanford Facility RCRA Permit (HFP) be delayed to Modification D (1998). RL (E. Mattlin and C. Clark) agreed to the Ecology proposal. During the conference call, Ecology indicated that it would issue a letter notifying RL of this change.

RL (E. Mattlin) indicated that as of today's PMM, RL had not yet received the Ecology notification letter. Ecology (J. Wallace) indicated that it would pursue getting the letter issued.

Because of funding availability, the schedule to include the closure plan into Mod D of the HFP will retain the goal of Ecology closure plan concurrence in FY '97. Ecology (J. Wallace) indicated that Ecology would support beginning NOD resolution workshops 30 days into Ecology's 60 day NOD Response Table review period. RFSH (S. Luke) indicated that a new closure plan approval schedule based on this approach would be finalized and provided to Ecology as soon as possible.

- **Status Phase 1 closure activities (313 Building).** Ecology was notified March 3, 1996 that Phase 1 closure activities in accordance with the Ecology approved *Decontamination and Inspection Plan for Phase 1 Closure of the 300 Area Waste Acid Treatment System* (DIP), WHC-SD-ENV-AP-001, Rev. 0, had begun in 313 Building. BWHC (J. W. Rich) indicated that WATS closure activities to-date have been limited to draining of WATS piping and equipment. Removal of WATS piping and equipment was not expected to begin for 3 to 4 weeks.

#### 5. **New Business**

Ecology requested information related to WATS closure funding in order to better understand how funding levels are impacting closure activities. RL (A. B. Joy) indicated that funding for FY 1997 was identified but that funding for FY 1998 and beyond was not stable. RL (M. Hahn) indicated that funding information for FY 1997 could be provided to Ecology.

Ecology (J. Wallace) indicated that Ted Wooley was no longer the Ecology unit manager for the WATS. She then introduced Greta Davis as the new WATS unit manager for Ecology. A familiarization tour of the WATS facilities for Ms. Davis was scheduled for Tuesday, April 1, 1997, at 8:30 AM.

#### 6. **Schedule Next Closure Plan Approval Workshop**

Workshops are not anticipated to begin until after the next PMM and so no date was set for the next workshop.

#### 7. **Schedule Next PMM Date**

It was decided that future WATS Project Managers Meetings for the 300 Area would be held on the second Thursday of each month. In light of that decision, April 10, 1997, tentatively for 1:00, was set as the next PMM date.



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