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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Advisory Board

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Advisory Board. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Wednesday, September 22, 1999 and Thursday, September 23, 1999.

ADDRESSES: U.S. Department of Energy, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW (Room 1E-245), Washington, DC 20585.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James T. Melillo, Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management and Executive Director of the Environmental Management Advisory Board (EM-1), 1000 Independence Avenue SW (Room 5B-171), Washington, DC 20585. The telephone number is 202-586-4400. The Internet address is james.melillo@em.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: To provide the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management (EM) with advice and recommendations on issues confronting the Environmental Management Advisory Program from the perspective of affected groups, as well as state, local, and tribal governments. The Board will contribute to the effective operation of the Environmental Management Program by providing individual citizens and representatives of interested groups an opportunity to present their views on issues facing the Office of Environmental Management and by helping to secure consensus recommendations on those issues.

Preliminary Agenda

Wednesday, September 22, 1999

- 1 p.m. Public Meeting Opens
 - Approve Minutes of April 22, 1999 Meeting
 - Opening Remarks
 - Technology Development & Transfer Committee Report
 - Technology Deployment*
 - EM Science & Technology Performance Measures*

- Joint Science Committee & Technology Development & Transfer Committee Report
- Environmental Quality Research and Development Portfolio*
- Management of EM Laboratories*
- EM Science Program
- Worker Health & Safety Committee Report*
- Long-Term Stewardship Committee Report*
- Privatization Committee Report
- Board Structure
- Public Comment Period
- 5:15 p.m. Wrap up—Adjourn
- Thursday, September 23, 1999
- 8:30 a.m. Opening Remarks
- Accelerating Closure Committee Report
- Programmatic Planning and Implementation Subcommittee
- Transportation Subcommittee
- Integration & Public Participation Subcommittee
- EM Web Page Developments
- Board Discussions
- Public Comment Period
- Board Business
- Votes on EMAB Findings & Resolutions
- Conflict of Interest Refresher
- New Business and Set Date for Next Board Meeting (April 2000)
- Public Comment Period
- 12:05 p.m. Meeting Adjourns

* The Board anticipates recommendations to be presented.

Public Participation: This meeting is open to the public. If you would like to file a written statement with the Board, you may do so either before or after the meeting. If you would like to make an oral statement regarding any of the items on the agenda, please contact Mr. Melillo at the address or telephone number listed above, or call the Environmental Management Advisory Board office at 202-586-4400, and we will reserve time for you on the agenda. You may also register to speak at the meeting on September 22-23, or ask to speak during the public comment period. Those who call in and or register in advance will be given the opportunity to speak first. Others will be accommodated as time permits. The Board Chair will conduct the meeting in an orderly manner.

Transcript and Minutes: We will make the minutes of this meeting available for public review and copying by October 23, 1999. The minutes and transcript of the meeting will be available for viewing at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room (Room 1E-190) in the Forrestal Building, U.S. Department of Energy,

1000 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20585. The Room is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. except on Federal holidays.

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Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah

AGENCY: Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Paducah. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Thursday, September 16, 1999: 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: DOE Site Office Conference Room, 5600 Hobbs Road, West Paducah, KY.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John D. Sheppard, Site Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (270) 441-6804.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration and waste management activities.

Tentative Agenda

- 4:00 p.m. Tour Surface Water Operable Unit*
- 6:00 p.m. Call to Order/Discussion
- 6:05 p.m. Approve Meeting Minutes
- 6:30 p.m. Public Comment/Questions
- 7:15 p.m. Presentations
- 8:15 p.m. Sub Committee Reports
- 8:25 p.m. Administrative Issues
- 8:30 p.m. Adjourn

* Contact John Sheppard at (270) 441-6804 regarding a reservation for the tour.

Final copies of the agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements