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1. (In Person) Persons interested in attending the meeting in person are encouraged to submit a written notification to: Annie Herzog, Division of Injury Compensation Programs, Healthcare Systems Bureau (HSB), Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 08N146B, Rockville, Maryland 20857 or email: [ahertzog@hrsa.gov](mailto:ahertzog@hrsa.gov). Since this meeting is held in a federal government building, attendees will need to go through a security check to enter the building and participate in the meeting. This written notification is encouraged so that a list of attendees can be provided to make entry through security quicker. Persons may attend in person without providing written notification, but their entry into the building may be delayed due to security checks and the requirement to be escorted to the meeting by a federal government employee. To request an escort to the meeting after entering the building, call Annie Herzog at 301-443-6634. The meeting will be held at 5600 Fishers Lane, Conference Room 08SWH01, Rockville, Maryland 20857. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the contact person listed above at least 10 days prior to the meeting.

2. (Audio Portion) Calling the conference phone number 888-455-9673 and providing the following information:

Leaders Name: Dr. A. Melissa Houston.

Password: 4185364.

3. (Visual Portion) Connecting to the ACCV Adobe Connect Pro Meeting using the following URL: <https://hrsa.connectsolutions.com/accv/> (copy and paste the link into your browser if it does not work directly, and enter as a guest). Participants should call and connect 15 minutes prior to the meeting in order for logistics to be set up. If you have never attended an Adobe Connect meeting, please test your connection using the following URL: [https://hrsa.connectsolutions.com/common/help/en/support/meeting\\_test.htm](https://hrsa.connectsolutions.com/common/help/en/support/meeting_test.htm) and get a quick overview by following URL: [http://www.adobe.com/go/connectpro\\_overview](http://www.adobe.com/go/connectpro_overview). Call (301) 443-6634 or send an email to

[ahertzog@hrsa.gov](mailto:ahertzog@hrsa.gov) if you are having trouble connecting to the meeting site.

Dated: January 4, 2016.

**Sylvia M. Burwell,**

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

#### 49 CFR Part 195

[Docket No. PHMSA-2015-0173]

#### Pipeline Safety: Notice of Liquid Pipeline Advisory Committee Meeting

**AGENCY:** Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA); DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of Liquid Pipeline Advisory Committee meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This document announces a public meeting of the Liquid Pipeline Advisory Committee (LPAC). The committee will meet to consider and vote on the proposed rule, "Pipeline Safety: Safety of Hazardous Liquid Pipelines," and the associated regulatory assessment.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on Monday, February 1, 2016, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST.

The meeting will not be web cast; however, presentations will be available on the meeting Web site and posted on the E-Gov Web site: <http://www.regulations.gov> under docket number PHMSA-2015-0173 within 30 days following the meeting.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will take place in the Washington, DC Metropolitan area at a location yet to be determined. The location of the meeting and other details will be posted on the PHMSA Web site under Regulations/Pipeline Advisory Committees at <http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline/regs/technical-advisory-comm> about 15 days before the meeting date. Individuals wishing to attend and receive an email with the location should register in advance at <https://primis.phmsa.dot.gov/meetings/MtgHome.mtg?mtg=110> or contact the individual listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** by January 15, 2016.

Comments on the meeting may be submitted to the docket in the following ways:

*E-Gov Web site:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. This site allows the public to enter comments on any

**Federal Register** notice issued by any agency.

*Fax:* 1-202-493-2251.

*Mail:* Docket Management Facility; U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., West Building, Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590-001.

*Hand Delivery:* Room W12-140 on the ground level of the DOT West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on Federal Holidays.

*Instructions:* Identify the docket numbers, PHMSA-2010-0229 and PHMSA-2015-0173 at the beginning of your comments. Note that all comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. You should know that anyone is able to search the electronic form of all comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). Therefore, you may want to review DOT's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000, (65 FR 19477) or view the Privacy Notice at <http://www.regulations.gov> before submitting any such comments.

*Docket:* For access to the docket or to read background documents or comments, go to <http://www.regulations.gov> at any time or to Room W12-140 on the ground level of the DOT West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

If you wish to receive confirmation of receipt of your written comments, please include a self-addressed, stamped postcard with the following statement: "Comments on PHMSA-2010-0229 and PHMSA 2015-0173." The Docket Clerk will date-stamp the postcard prior to returning it to you via the U.S. mail. Please note that due to delays in the delivery of U.S. mail to Federal offices in Washington, DC, we recommend that persons consider an alternative method (internet, fax, or professional delivery service) of submitting comments to the docket and ensuring their timely receipt at DOT.

#### Privacy Act Statement

Anyone may search the electronic form of all comments received for any of our dockets. You may review DOT's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register** published on April 11,

2000, (70 FR 19477) or visit <http://dms.dot.gov>.

*Information on Services for Individuals With Disabilities*

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities, or to seek special assistance at the meeting, please contact Cheryl Whetsel at 202–366–4431 by January 15, 2016.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For information about the meetings, contact Cheryl Whetsel by phone at 202–366–4431 or by email at [cheryl.whetsel@dot.gov](mailto:cheryl.whetsel@dot.gov) or for technical questions about the proposed rule contact Mike Israni by phone at 202–366–4595 or by email at [mike.israni@dot.gov](mailto:mike.israni@dot.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Meeting Details**

Members of the public may attend and make a statement during the advisory committee meetings. For a better chance to speak at the meetings, please contact the individual listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** by January 15, 2016.

**II. Committee Background**

The LPAC is a statutorily created committee that advises PHMSA on proposed safety standards, risks assessments, and safety policies for hazardous liquid pipelines (49 U.S.C. 60115). The committee’s activities are subject to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 5 U.S.C. App. 1). The committee consists of 15 members—with membership evenly divided among the federal and state government, the regulated industry, and the public. The committee advises PHMSA on technical feasibility,

practicability, and cost-effectiveness of each proposed pipeline safety standard. PHMSA staff may also provide an update on several regulatory and policy initiatives if time allows.

**III. Preliminary Agenda**

The agenda will include the committee’s discussion and vote on the proposed rule, “Pipeline Safety: Safety of Hazardous Liquid Pipelines,” published in the **Federal Register** on October 13, 2015, (80 FR 61610) and on the associated regulatory analysis.

The proposed rule includes critical safety improvements for hazardous liquid pipelines and seeks to strengthen the way they are operated, inspected and maintained in the United States.

In this proposed rule, PHMSA addresses effective measures that hazardous liquid operators can take to improve the protection of high consequence areas and other vulnerable areas along their hazardous liquid onshore pipelines. In summary, the proposed rule addresses the following areas:

- Requirements for gravity lines.
- Reporting requirements for gathering lines.
- Inspections of pipelines following extreme weather events.
- Periodic assessments of pipelines not subject to integrity management.
- Pipeline repair criteria.
- Expanded use of leak detection systems.
- Increased use of in-line inspection tools.
- Clarifying other requirements.

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*Deputy Associate Administrator for Policy and Programs.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**50 CFR Parts 32 and 36**

[Docket No. FWS–R7–NWRS–2014–0005; FF07R06000 167 FXRS12610700000]

**RIN 1018–BA31**

**Non-Subsistence Take of Wildlife, and Public Participation and Closure Procedures, on National Wildlife Refuges in Alaska**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; announcement of open houses and public hearings.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), published a proposed rule elsewhere in today’s **Federal Register** to amend our regulations for National Wildlife Refuges (refuges) in Alaska. The public comment period on the proposed rule closes on the date specified in that document. This supplementary document contains the dates, times, and locations for the upcoming open houses and public hearings on the proposed rule.

**DATES:** We will hold nine open houses and public hearings on the proposed rule as follows:

Date	City	Time of open house	Time of public hearing
January 26 , 2016 .....	Kotzebue, Alaska .....	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. ....	2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
January 27, 2016 .....	Kodiak, Alaska .....	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ....	5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
February 8, 2016 .....	Bethel, Alaska .....	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ....	5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
February 10, 2016 .....	Fairbanks, Alaska .....	5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. ....	6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
February 11, 2016 .....	Tok, Alaska .....	5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. ....	6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
February 16, 2016 .....	Soldonta, Alaska .....	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ....	5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
February 18, 2016 .....	Anchorage, Alaska .....	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ....	5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
March 1, 2016 .....	Dillingham, Alaska .....	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ....	5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
March 3, 2016 .....	Galena, Alaska .....	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. ....	2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES: Document Availability:** You may obtain copies of the proposed rule at <http://www.regulations.gov> at Docket No. FWS–R7–NWRS–2014–0005.

**Comment Submission:** You may submit comments on the proposed rule by any one of the following methods:

- (1) Electronically: Go to the Federal eRulemaking Portal: [http://](http://www.regulations.gov)

[www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). In the Search box, enter FWS–R7–NWRS–2014–0005, which is the docket number for this rulemaking. Then click on the Search button. On the resulting page, you may submit a comment by clicking on “Comment Now!”

- (2) By hard copy: Submit by U.S. mail or hand-delivery to: Public Comments

Processing, Attn: FWS–R7–NWRS–2014–0005; Division of Policy, Performance, and Management Programs; U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS: BPHC; 5275 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041–3803.

(3) At open houses or the public hearings: Written comments will be accepted by Service personnel at any of