

Savannah River Site Citizens Advisory Board

Environmental Remediation & Waste Management Subcommittee

Meeting Summary January 10, 1995 North Augusta, S.C.

The Environmental Remediation (ER) Program Subcommittee met on Tuesday, January 10, 1995 from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the North Augusta Community Center. Bill Lawless presided over the meeting. Other CAB members present were Kathryn May, Brian Costner and P.K. Smith. Jeff Crane of the US Environmental Protection Agency; and Virginia Gardner, Gerri El, and Brian Hennessey the Department of Energy also attended. Clay Jones, Dean Hoffman, Leslie Huber, Bob Aylward, and Gail Jernigan of Westinghouse Savannah River Company (WSRC) were also in attendance. Others attending from the general public were Dan McDonald, Todd Crawford, Lee Poe, and Daisy Nabritt.

A brief overview of the site and Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) process was provided. Maps of the Savannah River Site depicting the waste units for which Feasibility Studies (FS) must be submitted to the regulators during the next two years were also provided.

Bob Aylward of WSRC presented potential interim future use options to facilitate development of the Feasibility Studies. The options discussed included:

- Residential Use/Meet Current Federal Facility Agreement (FFA) Schedule for FSs and Records of Decisions (ROD)
- Residential or Industrial Use/Meet FFA Schedule for FSs and RODs
- Residential or Industrial Use/Meet FFA schedule for FSs/Delay RODs
- Residential or Industrial Use/Delay FS development and ROD

For comparitive purposes, order of magnitude life cycle remediation cost estimates were provided by waste unit type for both the residential and industrial scenarios.

The working group agreed to draft a motion to be submitted to the ER Subcommittee on January 23, 1995 for their formal approval to present the motion before the full CAB.

The draft motion concerned current use operating facilities boundaries being extended with an adequate buffer for interim future use.

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