



# AGENTS of the SRS

Presentation to the CAB  
11/16/2015

# Purpose

- To provide the CAB the perspective of the of the next generation workforce at SRS
- Topics to include from panelist presentations
  - Leadership
  - Technical Growth
  - Educational Outreach
- Q&A

# Acronyms

- **AGENTS:** Advocacy, Growth, Education, and Networking Team for SRS
- **DOE-EM:** Department of Energy – Environmental Management
- **NNSA:** National Nuclear Security Administration
- **SREL:** Savannah River Ecology Laboratory
- **SRNL:** Savannah River National Laboratory
- **SRNS:** Savannah River Nuclear Solutions
- **SRR:** Savannah River Remediation

# Who are the AGENTS?

- ◉ Stands for Advocacy, Growth, Education, and Networking team at SRS
- ◉ Unique group of young professionals from across the site
  - ◉ SRNS, SRR, SRNL, SREL, DOE-EM, NNSA
- ◉ We have 3 core functions in our mission
  - ◉ Have an influence in site decisions
  - ◉ Communicate the importance of the SRS mission
  - ◉ Educational Outreach
- ◉ The opinions expressed today are our own. We are solely representing ourselves and our generation.

# Leadership



## Meeting Minutes Savannah River Site (SRS) Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) – Combined Committees Meeting Augusta, Georgia March 14, 2014

### Monday, March 24, 2014 Attendance:

#### CAB

Thomas Bowers  
William Calhoun  
Louie Chavis – Absent  
Robert Dorr – Absent  
Jessica Gotsinger  
Dr. Michael Howard  
Dr. Rose Hayes  
Dr. Eleanor Hopson  
Dr. Virginia Jones  
Cleveland Latance  
Clint Nangle  
Dr. Marilyn Parson  
Larry Powell  
Dr. William Rhoten  
Earl Shoppard  
Harold Simon  
George Snyder  
Niam Spauld  
Janet Street  
Ed Strickles  
Christopher Tummers  
Steven Vincent – Absent  
Loren Walters

#### DOE

David Moody, DOE-SR  
Sandra Waisley, DOE-SR  
Angela Adams, DOE-SR  
Maurice Maxwell, DOE-SR  
Rich Olsen, DOE-SR  
Avery Rasmussen, DOE-SR  
Doug Hunter, DOE-SR  
Jan Fisk, DOE-SR  
Jim Goss, DOE-SR  
Patrick McGuire, DOE-SR  
Shayne Farrell, DOE-SR  
Pamela Maury, DOE-SR  
Bill Taylor, DOE-SR  
Soni Bianco, DOE-SR  
Gwen Pannang, DOE-SR

#### Agency Liaison/Regulators

Rob Page, EPA  
Trey Eard, SCDEH  
Shirley Wilson, SCDEH  
Kim Boudley, ICDHEC  
Heather Carls, SCDEH  
Gregory O'Quinn, SCDEH

#### Stakeholders

Tam Clemons  
Kore Patterson  
Gregory Sober  
Dawn Gills  
Susan Collett  
J. Soling  
La Goodson  
Pete LaBerge  
Tim Gritmann  
Nancy Bissett  
Harry Feililer

#### COMTECHES

Gene Rhodes, SREL  
Missa Wright, SRS  
Ashley Whittaker, NOVA  
James Tamm, NOVA  
Jocelyn Anderson, NOVA

CAB Facilitator, Ashley Whittaker, NOVA, welcomed everyone to the meeting. She reviewed the day's agenda and Meeting Rules of Conduct. She stated a public comment period was scheduled for the end of the meeting and reminded everyone how to access electronic copies of meeting materials through the CABNET system. She said the Full Board and committee meeting schedules were available and reminded all CAB members to sign up for committees before the end of the next day. She said updated copies of the Internal Processes and Standard Operating Procedures were placed at each of the CAB members' seats before she welcomed CAB Chair Marilyn Parson to open the meeting.

CAB Chair Parson welcomed everyone to Augusta, Georgia (GA). She thanked the CAB Support Team for the meeting arrangements, and opened the meeting.

### Discussion: Budget Overview – Doug Hunter, DOE-SR

Mr. Doug Hunter, Department of Energy-Savannah River (DOE-SR), welcomed the new CAB members and said he wanted to discuss the fiscal year (FY) 2015 budget. He provided information on the FY 2015 President's Budget Request, also known as the congressional budget request for the Savannah River site (SRS), which was released on March 20, 2014. He said a copy of the President's Budget Request was available online at [energy.gov/budget](http://energy.gov/budget) and he printed a copy of the entire Environmental Management (EM) budget, which included all the sites within the Office of Environmental Management. He provided a chart of the past three years, FY 2011, 2014, 2015, stating DOE-SR was currently in the middle of FY 2014. He said the left side of the chart identified the "buckets" that Congress or the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) separated SRS's money into because they did not provide DOE-SR with a "lump" for SRS. He said the categories on the left were called Program Budget Summaries (PBS). Each PBS was split into functional areas, which were PBS 11 Nuclear Materials (NM), PBS 12 Used Nuclear Fuel (UNF), PBS 13 Solid Waste, PBS 30 Soil and Groundwater Remediation, PBS 14 Radioactive Liquid Tank Waste. He stated PBS 14 Radioactive



# Technical Growth



# Educational Outreach



# Conclusion

- The young generation is ready and willing to successfully execute the current missions at SRS
- We are also developing new skills that will allow us to meet future challenges and new missions that benefit our nation
- The future of SRS is in good hands





# Questions?