SRS Citizens Advisory Board
Chair Update

Nina Spinelli, Chair
Earl Sheppard, Vice-Chair
November 2017 - Augusta, GA
Welcome

- Welcome to our September Full Board Meeting in Augusta Georgia
- Our next meeting will be in Hilton Head, SC in January
Public Comments

• Board Meetings Open to Public
• Public Comment Periods Provided at Every Meeting
• Public can also e-mail comments to:
  ▫ srscitizensadvisoryboard@srs.gov
Elections

- Elections for Chair and Vice Chair will be held during this meeting
Liquid Waste

• In October, the Department of Energy granted the $4.7 billion dollar mission to Savannah River EcoManagement.
• S.R.E. is compromised of BWXT Technical Services Group, Bechtel National and Honeywell International.
• The incumbent corporation, AECOM, is protesting that decision.
Outreach Activities

• CAB Tour is Primary Outreach Activity
  ▫ Why Valuable: Over the years, Savannah River Nuclear Solutions Education Outreach programs have grown and evolved into a type of academic “job pipeline” helping to prepare many of the Savannah River Site’s (SRS) student Interns for a potential career working for one of the contractors
  • In a recent survey of 111 responding SRNS interns, 83 percent recall having participated
  • in and possibly been influenced by at least one of nine primary education outreach
  • 67 percent of interns surveyed specifically recall involvement in a Science Fair, while 40
EM-SSAB Meeting

- Hosted by the Hanford Advisory Board
  - Earl Sheppard and Gil Allensworth
2017 CAB Goals

- Be good stewards of the opportunity to serve on the SRS CAB and learn about site activities and goals from first-hand, expert sources
- Receive input from each CAB member
- More public involvement (tours and events)
- Continue recommendations to DOE to express suggestions and ideas
- New technologies always emerging, which can be valuable to SRS CAB
CAB Membership: A Responsibility

- As Citizens Advisory Board members you have:
  - The Mandate
  - The Opportunity

- To represent the interests and the views of the people of South Carolina and Georgia.

- Focus your thinking and views on how you can best carry out that role.

- Continually ask yourself, “Am I doing the best I can to represent my fellow citizens?”

- Go out and tell the world that you are a CAB member.
CAB Lunch

- We will meet for a group lunch on Tuesday!