

CT Interagency PFAS Task Force

Human Health Committee

August 16, 2019

Hearing Room 1-D, Legislative Office Building

1:00-3:00

DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC HEALTH
DEPARTMENT of ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

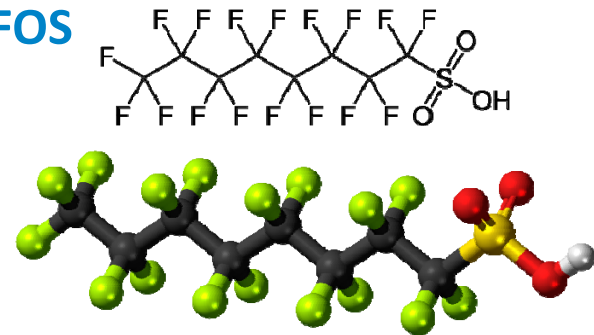
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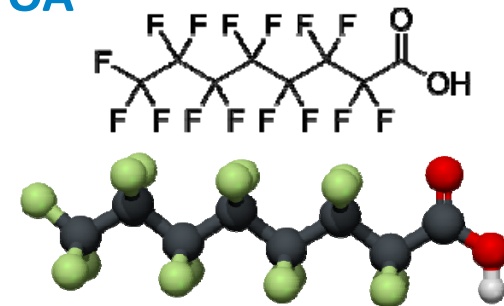
Agenda

- Welcome
- Introduction—DPH Programs
- Committee Mission and Goals
- Committee Member Introductions
- Discussion of Human Health Topics
- Next Steps
- Closing Remarks

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Housekeeping and Ground Rules for Meeting

- Emergency Exits
- Restrooms
- Please no sidebar conversations
- Silence cell phones, please take calls outside of the meeting room
- Please be respectful of others, we can disagree on ideas and concepts, but respect the people offering them
- **Please use the microphone and identify yourself!**



INTRODUCTION

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS

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Department of Public Health Healthy People in Healthy CT Communities

Public Drinking
Water

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Kelley Public
Health
Laboratory

Environmental
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COMMITTEE MISSION AND GOALS



PFAS Task Force Human Health Committee

- Mission of Human Health Committee: identify pathways of human exposure to PFAS and recommend actions CT can take to better understand these pathways and minimize exposure to PFAS from these pathways.

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PFAS Task Force Committees

Human Health

Minimize human health risk for Connecticut residents

Pollution Prevention

Minimize future releases of PFAS to the environment

Remediation

Identify, assess, and clean up historic releases of PFAS to the environment

Communication

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Deliverable – Human Health Committee

- Report out to Task Force: **August 28, 2019**
- Outline steps that CT should take to address human health
- Prioritize actions based upon input and polling today

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DISCUSSION OF HUMAN HEALTH COMMITTEE TOPICS

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TOPIC 1

Need for testing/monitoring potential sources of human exposure such as drinking water (public, private and bottled), fish, shellfish, agricultural products and consumer products

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TOPIC 2

Consider the need for standards or advisories for drinking water, surface water, biosolids, air emissions, and consumer products

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TOPIC 3

Technical assistance and health education for stakeholders such as private well owners, local health departments, drinking water systems and others.

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TOPIC 4

Identify topics where community engagement and health education is needed, such as education about PFAS-containing consumer products.

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TOPIC 5

PFAS Education, Outreach and Communication (proactive prevention)

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TOPIC 6

Identify PFAS research gaps in any of the areas discussed this afternoon

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Parking Lot Ideas

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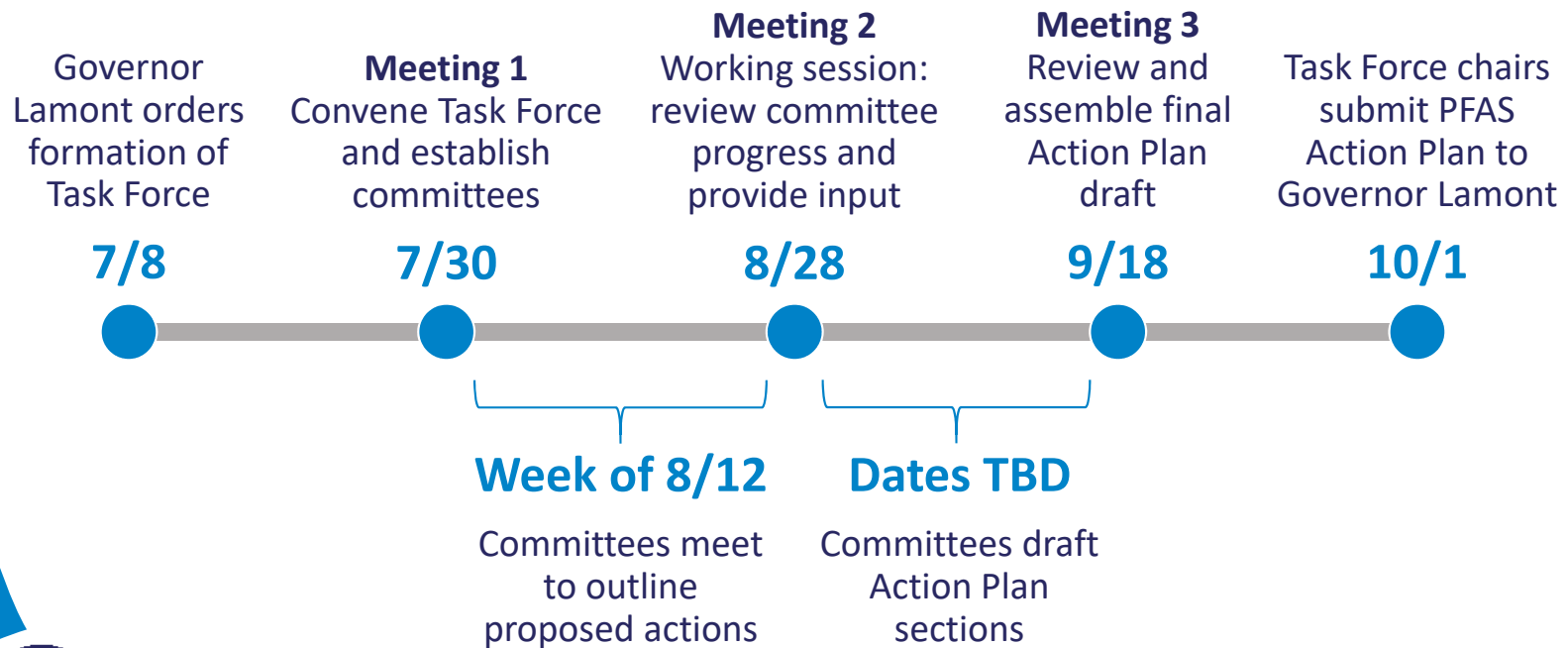


NEXT STEPS

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Task Force & Committee Actions



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CLOSING REMARKS

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