

P.A. 20-9 Working Group on Release-Based Cleanup Regulations

Ninth Meeting

August 10, 2021

1 PM

via Zoom



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Agenda Overview

I. Remarks by Agencies

II. Remarks by Legislators

III. Subcommittee Concept Papers

- Question & Answer Sessions – Subcommittees 3, 4 & 5
- Ad Hoc Teams and Drafting Team
- Upcoming Tasks for Review of Concept Papers

IV. Action Items

V. Public Comments



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I. Remarks by Agencies



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II. Remarks by Legislators



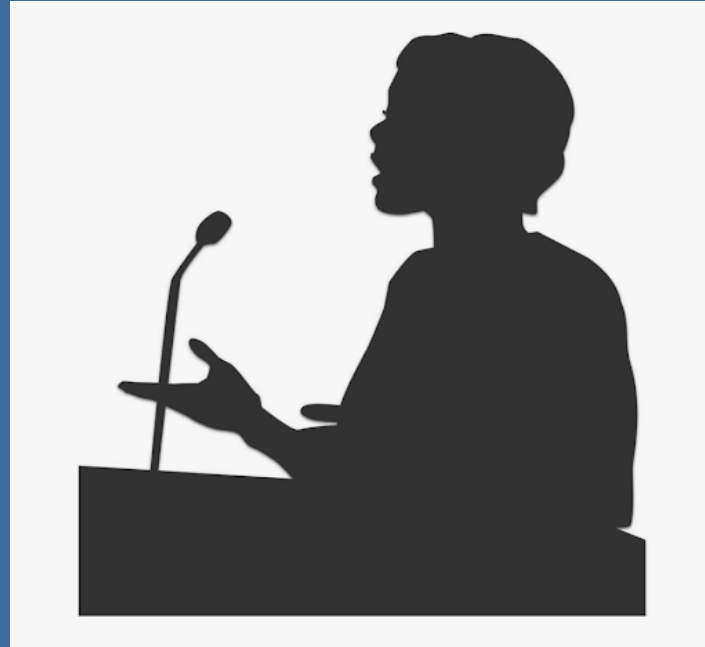
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Question & Answer Session

- Subcommittee 3 - Characterization of a Discovered Release



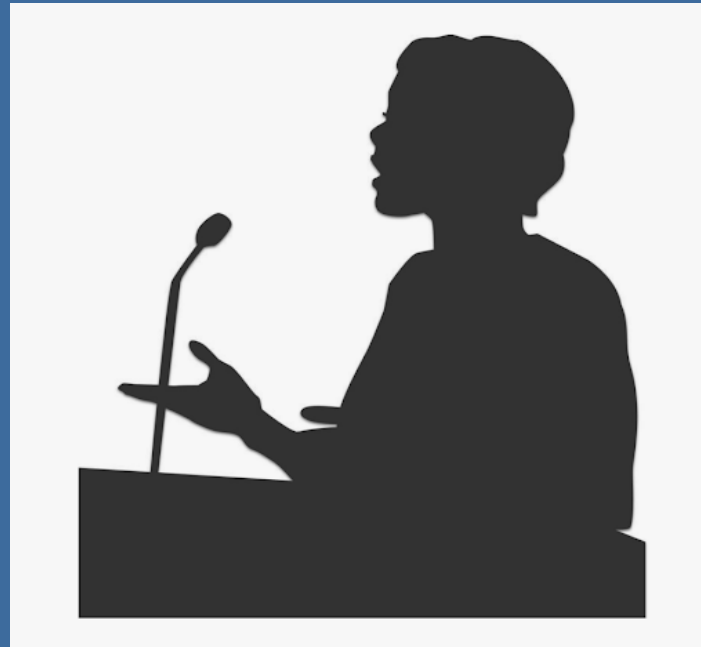
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Question & Answer Session

- Subcommittee 4 - Immediate Removal Actions



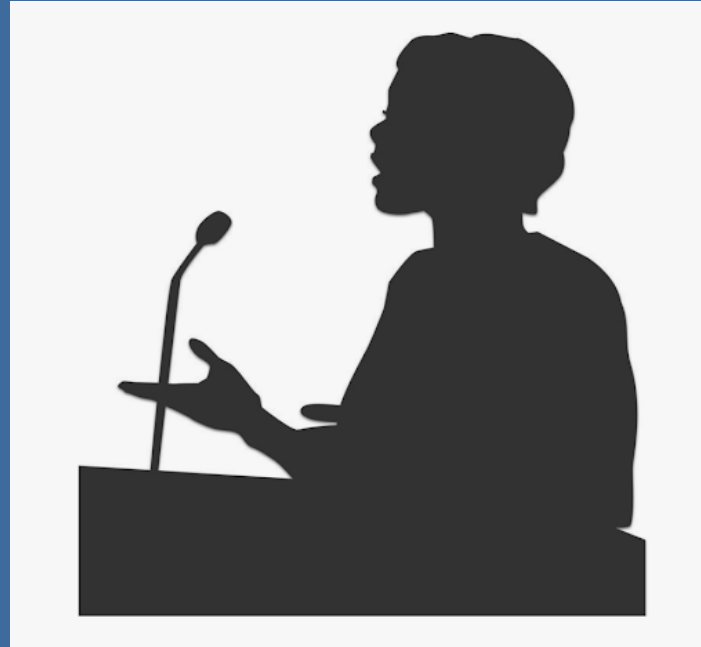
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Question & Answer Session

- Subcommittee 5 - Tiers



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Ad Hoc Teams

DECD and DEEP surveyed the interest in five Ad Hoc Teams. Below are the teams in the order of interest:

- Historical Fill
- Anthropogenic Background
- Releases on Residential Properties
- Naturally Occurring Background
- Integration of SEH Approaches
- Level of Expertise/Licensure



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Ad Hoc Teams

- We suggest that the Working Group standup the two Ad Hoc Teams at this point:
 - Historical Fill & Anthropogenic Background
 - Releases on Residential Properties
- These topic fit well within the scope of the first phase subcommittees
- 16 members volunteered to serve on these teams and we can notify volunteers as soon as we agree on this path



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Drafting Team Volunteers

- Five members volunteered to work on a Drafting Team to capture Working Group recommendations and advice
- 2 LEPs, 2 Environmental Attorneys, and a DOT representative volunteered



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III. Upcoming Tasks for Review of Concept Papers

Key Dates

Tasks/Objectives

June 11 - 15th

- Subcommittee Concept Papers due to Working Group
- DEEP to post on its webpage (6/15) and alert stakeholder of 3 week comment period

July 13th – Working Group Meeting

- DEEP to seek volunteers for Ad Hoc Teams & seek Ad Hoc
- DEEP to distribute written comments received on Subcommittee concept papers and summarize comments
- DEEP to submit its comments on concept papers
- Working Group to host Q&A session with co-chairs of Subcommittees 1 and 2
- Create and Charge Ad Hoc Teams

August 10th – Working Group Meeting

- Working Group hosts Q&A session with co-chairs of Subcommittees 3, 4 & 5
- Ad Hoc Teams Topical Discussions
- Create and charge Drafting Team

September 10th

- Submit written questions to DEEP for Sept. 14th panel

September 14th – Working Group Meeting

- Working Group to host Q&A session with DEEP
- Ad Hoc Teams Topical Discussions
- Further charge Drafting Team

October 12th – Working Group Meeting

- Ad Hoc Teams Topical Discussions
- Discussion on Drafting Team output

October 26th – Special Meeting of Working Group

- Discuss and adopt final advice and recommendations from Drafting Team and transmit Concept Papers with recommendations and advice on key components of such concepts, and questions or suggestions

Transparency – Meetings Show Formulation of Advice and Feedback



Next Steps

- DEEP Q&A – Please submit your questions to the following email by close of business **September 10th**:
 - DEEP.Cleanup.Transform@ct.gov
- Ad Hoc Teams will be notified of selection, receive additional information on the charge, and be expected to report out at the Sept. 14th and Oct. 12th meetings.
 - Teams complete their charge on Oct. 26th



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Public Comment

Additional feedback can also be sent to:

DEEP.Cleanup.Transform@ct.gov



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