

MEETING MINUTES

Anniston Army Depot Restoration Advisory Board (ANAD RAB) Meeting
 Hilton Garden Inn
 12 March 2012
 6:00 – 7:30 CDT

Meeting Participants:

Name	Affiliation/Title	Organization
Frazier, Walter	RAB Member, community	
George, Donald	RAB Member, community	
Landholm, Dawn	RAB Member, community	East Alabama Regional Planning & Development Commission
Miller, Jim	RAB Member, community	Anniston Waterworks and Sewer Board
Seales Jr., Marvin	RAB Member, community	Farmers Insurance Group
Smith Sr., Garrett	RAB Member, community	
Patsy Goldberg	RAB Member, community	EPA Region 4
Michael Burk	RAB Member, Co-chair (representative)	Anniston Army Depot

Name	Affiliation/Title	Organization
Agilo, Jon	Meeting presenter	Tetra Tech
Gibson, Steven	Meeting presenter	Arcadis
Brasfield, Sandra	Meeting presenter	US Army Engineer Research and Development Center
Cox, C.H.	Meeting attendee	Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Holder, Jonny	Meeting attendee	Community
Kothari, Dilip	Meeting attendee	Anniston Army Depot
Williams, Tracy	Meeting attendee	Anniston Army Depot
Marrs, Matt	Meeting attendee	Army Environmental Command
Joiner, Tim	Meeting attendee	Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Starling, Mickey	Meeting attendee	Anniston Army Depot
Judd, Cynthia	Meeting attendee	Army Environmental Command
Curley, Kristina	Meeting attendee	Army Environmental Command
Russell, Polly	Meeting attendee	Anniston Army Depot
Barnwell, Bob	Meeting attendee	Alabama Department of Environmental Management
Byrd, Jonny	Meeting attendee	Community
Trued, Phillip	Meeting attendee	Anniston Army Depot
Joan McKinney	Meeting attendee	Community

Welcome, Roll Call and Approval of Minutes

Tracy Williams opened the meeting by introducing herself to the ANAD RAB members and visitors. Dilip Kothari completed roll call. Quorum existed and the meeting proceeded to complete RAB Business.

Meeting minutes from previous meeting (13 June, 2011) were approved by the RAB. Ms. Patsy Goldberg's RAB membership application was reviewed and approved by the RAB members and she was voted in as a new RAB member. Mr. Kothari stated that the RAB charter was last revised in 2004 and it is time to review and revise as necessary at the next RAB meeting. A copy of the current charter was included in documents provided to the RAB members.

Introduction of Visitors

The audience was comprised of individuals from One Stop Environmental, Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Tetra Tech Anniston Army Depot (ANAD), and the Community.

Anniston Army Depot Military Munitions Response Sites: Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis (EE/CA) Land Use Controls (LUCs)

Steven Gibson, Arcadis

Mr. Gibson made a presentation on Engineering Evaluation/ Cost Analysis (EE/CA) on three Military Munitions Response Program (MMRP) sites at the Anniston Army Depot. He provided background information on the sites. These sites are being investigated using Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act. Army is planning to do interim Land Use Controls to mitigate potential threats to human health from presence of munitions at these sites. Land Use Controls are physical, legal, or administrative mechanisms that restrict the use of, or access to the contaminated property. EE/CA is currently under public review until March 30, 2012.

Anniston Army Depot: Vapor Intrusion Investigation Results

Jonathan Aglio, Tetra Tech

Mr. Aglio presented on the Southeast Industrial Area (SIA) Vapor Intrusion Study. Vapor Intrusion is the migration of volatile chemicals from subsurface into the buildings. This study was done to address a comment by the regulators on Remedial Investigation completed in 2008. Three representative buildings were selected to complete the study. These buildings are located on contaminated plume. Vapor sampling points were installed inside the buildings and outside the buildings. Vapor samples were taken at various points and groundwater monitoring wells and run through a model. Multiple lines of evidence was used to determine vapor intrusion risk. It was concluded that there is no vapor intrusion risk.

Pigmy Sculpin Toxicity Testing & Captive Breeding Update

Sandra Brasfield, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Ms. Brasfield explained the pygmy sculpin is a federally threatened species in Coldwater Spring, AL. The range of TCE concentrations could be problematic to the fish. He discussed the TCE toxicity testing using pygmy sculpin, how the results will be used and the current status of the work. Toxicity tests are planned for next spring when a captive population of fish is established.

Questions from the Audience

Mr. Frazier expressed his interest in discussing other topics not related to installation restoration program. Ms. Williams indicated the RAB is restricted to discuss IRP issues. Mr. Marrs added that the funds are fenced only for IRP issues. Mr. Frazier also expressed his concern the highway 202 may have something to do with increasing trend in TCE concentration in Coldwater spring. Mr. Smith responded that Air Strippers are added to address increasing concentration of TCE. Mr Aglio added that the Air Strippers are designed to treat 40 ppb TCE.

With no further topics to discuss, a motion to adjourn the RAB was made, seconded and carried.