

NGA's FEDERAL FACILITIES TASK FORCE 2005 SPRING MEETING WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Phoenix Park Hotel, 520 North Capitol Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001

Tuesday, June 21, 2005

STATES ONLY SESSION		
8:00am - 9:00am	Registration Opens	<i>Foyer outside Georgian Room</i>
9:00am -12:00 Noon	NGA Federal Facilities Task Force Meeting (Task Force members only)	<i>Georgian Room</i>

PLENARY SESSION WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

12:00pm - 1:30pm	LUNCHEON Keynote Speaker: <i>Kevin D. Crowley, National Academy of Sciences</i>	<i>Federal Room</i>
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Budget Briefing <i>Mark Frei, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Business Operations, EM</i> Budget update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2006 request • New Budget Structure 	<i>Georgian Room</i>
2:00pm - 2:30pm	Debrief on End States <i>Bob Goldsmith, Director, Office of Core Technical Group, DOE-EM</i> <i>Doug Frost, Public Participation Specialist, DOE-EM</i>	<i>Georgian Room</i>
2:30pm - 2:45pm	BREAK	
2:45pm - 3:15pm	Remedy Process Optimization - Introduction <i>Mark Gilbertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environmental Cleanup and Acceleration, DOE-EM</i>	<i>Georgian Room</i>
3:15pm - 5:00pm	Natural Resource Damage Assessment <i>Panel representatives:</i> <i>John Bascietto, DOE-EH</i> <i>Matthew Duchesne, DOE-EM, Environmental Compliance Advisor</i> <i>Laurence M. Groner, Associate General Counsel, Dept. of the Air Force</i> <i>Shelly Hall, U.S. Department of the Interior</i> <i>Graham Mitchell, State of Ohio</i> <i>Eli Reinharz, Ecologist, NOAA</i> <i>Jim Woolford, U.S. EPA</i> Recent success with different approaches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigation, remedial actions, & site completion • Lessons learned & best practices 	<i>Georgian Room</i>

5:30pm	WORKING DINNER - NGA FEDERAL FACILITIES TASK FORCE MEMBERS ONLY	<i>The Dubliner Restaurant</i>
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Wednesday, June 22, 2005

8:00am - 9:00am	BREAKFAST	<i>Georgian Room</i>
9:00am - 10:00am	View of Capitol Hill <i>Dixon Butler, House Appropriations Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development</i> <i>Martin Schneider, Editor-in-Chief, Weapons Complex Monitor</i>	<i>Georgian Room</i>
10:00am - 10:15am	BREAK	
10:15am - 11:30am	Waste Management <i>Christine Gelles, Office of Commercial Disposition, DOE-EM</i> <i>Doug Tonkay, Office of Commercial Disposition, DOE-EM</i> <i>Gary Peterson, Office of Commercial Disposition, DOE-EM</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update from FEDRAD 2005 Conference • "Gridlock?" – How is it being addressed? • National strategy for waste disposition • Data needs, development and management 	<i>Georgian Room</i>
11:30am - 12:15pm	Report from the Office of Environmental Management <i>Patrice Bubar, Deputy Assistant Secretary for ISM/Operations Oversight, DOE-EM</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress on DOE-EM initiatives • DOE-EM's priorities for the coming year • Questions and Answers 	<i>Georgian Room</i>
12:15pm - 1:15pm	LUNCHEON Keynote Speaker: <i>Bill Breetz, Connecticut Urban Legal Initiative and National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws</i>	<i>Federal Room</i>
1:15pm - 2:15pm	Report from the Office Legacy Management: Assuring a Smooth transition – Procedures and Examples <i>Dave Geiser, Office of Policy and Site Transition, DOE-LM</i>	<i>Georgian Room</i>
2:15pm - 3:00pm	States-Only Wrap-Up	<i>Georgian Room</i>
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