



## **Community Involvement Subcommittee**

Meeting Summary

March 8, 2011 • 4:30 p.m.

The Ohio State University Endeavor Center

1862 Shyville Road, Piketon, OH 45661

Room # 165

**Subcommittee Members Present:** Gene Brushart, Frank Halstead, Terri Ann Smith, Will Henderson, Michael Lilly, Michael Payton, and Shirley Bandy

**Subcommittee Members Absent:** None

**Board Members Present:** Larry Parker

**U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Representatives:** Greg Simonton, and Richard Bonczek, DOE; Rick Greene, and Janie Crowwait, RSI

**Liaisons:** Maria Galanti, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)

**Support Staff:** Eric Roberts and Cindy Lewis, EHI

**Public:** Vina Colley, PRESS; Lee Young and Thomas Rayburn, Kindred River Society; Scott Miller, and Stephanie Howe, Ohio University; John Hancock, University of Cincinnati; Marc Jewett, FBW; Elizabeth Scott, FLUOR B&W PORTS

**Brushart**, Subcommittee Chair, opened the meeting.

### **1. OU Survey Update Presentation by Scott Miller**

- Adding Value
- Voinovich School
- The Project
- Mission Statement
- Outreach Accomplishments to Date
  - Public Outreach Tasks
  - Ohio University Public Outreach Project Timeline
- Video and Photographic Documentation Project
- ASER Summary Student Project
- Economic Analysis and Visualization of Future Industrial Application at PORTS
- Additional Education and Training Opportunities at PORTS
- Discussion Q&A

<b>Question/Comment:</b>	<b>Answer:</b>
<b>Lilly</b> asked are you on schedule with your timeline.	<b>Miller</b> stated yes
<b>Henderson</b> asked what parameters were given with conducting the study.	<b>Miller</b> stated OU is not placing too many parameters.
<b>Brushart</b> asked are the students working on this project graduate students.  Who put the Paducah report together?  Will there be more surveys? Are the responses saved and recorded?	<b>Miller</b> stated staff at the Voinovich School is currently working with me.  The report was done by local High School students in Paducah.  Not that type of survey. Yes, the survey was saved and the information will help us to know what type of marketing we should do.
<b>Halstead</b> asked has the Voinovich School talked to Shawnee State about work with them on this project.  We are going to have a CERLCA cell we just need to find out how big, where to put it, and that it doesn't leak. How can we handle this safely with 100% insurance that it safe.	<b>Miller</b> stated yes, we have talked to Shawnee, OU Chillicothe, and Rio Grande. Some of them are working with us now and others will later in the project.  <b>Bonczek</b> stated We do not know that we will have a CERLCA cell for sure, but if we do, there have been some ideas to where it might be. We do not know what things will be like in five years from now, there may be a better place for it then. Paducah looked at seven locations that were then narrowed down to three, and then they did a scenario for each of those three locations. There is funding to conduct four trainings for the public, if you think of any training idea's give them to Miller.
<b>Smith</b> stated I am reading these reports that the kids did and in the reports, you grouped the radiation all together. You are telling the kids that radiation is radiation; you are not telling them the truth about how dangerous some types are. They are not the same as getting radiation from the sun on a trip across county.	<b>Miller</b> stated we are trying to teach the students to help them understand.
<b>Roberts</b> asked are there things you could recommend to DOE that would benefit teaching the public to educate them.	<b>Smith</b> stated I would recommend that we teach the basics and health issues with radiation from someone other than DOE.
<b>Henderson</b> asked could we use the funding to teach our board at our annual retreat.	<b>Lewis</b> stated that these trainings are for the public not the board; the four trainings will be balanced out with other groups also.

<p><b>Henderson</b> asked if he can get an opposing party to teach their view also, so we can hear both sides.</p>	<p><b>Bonczek</b> stated if the Subcommittee has someone they want to teach training classes then talk to Roberts and he will see if he can arrange it.</p> <p><b>Roberts</b> stated if the Subcommittee makes a request and it is cost effective enough we could have something.</p>
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OU Voinovich Group will be holding "PORTSFUTURE" public meetings on March 15 in Chillicothe and March 17 in Portsmouth.

## 2. Path Forward

**Parker** stated the Subcommittee should get everyone's opinion on training options with each person naming one thing they would like to see included in the training sessions. This could be done by sharing ideas by e-mail to the rest of the Subcommittee which will help in writing a recommendation.

**Payton** motioned to adjourn meeting, **Motion seconded.**

- **Motion carried**

**Meeting adjourned**