

Interagency Committee On Chemical Management
ICCM/Technical Team
Meeting Minutes: August 12, 2020
Microsoft Teams Meeting
Facilitated by Peter Walke, ANR

1. Welcome, Agenda Review

Walke welcomed participants and provided brief overview of the agenda.

2. Database update and discussion

Zaikowski and Dent provided an overview of updates to the nomination form and database. The discussion on movement of the system into production, and developing the sharepoint component of the system has also begun with IT. Once established, the nomination form would be accessible to the public. The ICCM indicated we should proceed with this next step. The sharepoint component of the system has a search function, which would allow public users to search the forms. To that end, IT needs to know what fields to build into the search function. The group identified CAS#, EPA ID#, Chemical Name, Submitter Name, Submitter Organization, Submission Date, and Submission Status as the search fields. Others can be added/removed later as this component is developed and tested. Dent also discussed the need to have a pilot testing group for this phase of development. The ICCM elected to maintain the earlier testing subgroup (Dent, Zaikowski, Vose, Wuestenberg, and Barth), with other staff from DOL potentially being added.

3. Review and approval of June meeting minutes

Prior to review and approval, Walke welcomed Kanika Gandhi, who has replaced Carey Giguere as the AAFM representative on the ICCM. No proposed edits or discussion on the June meeting minutes. Motion to approve by Telep, seconded by Vose. Walke abstained. The June meeting minutes were approved.

4. Agency updates

DOH: Very little other than Covid-19 related work

ADS: All Covid-19 related work

AAFM: Majority Covid-19 related work

DOL: Majority Covid-19 related work

ANR: Advanced notice of proposed rulemaking for regulating PFAS as a class - VDH and DEC established a workgroup to look at this. DEC's updated solid waste rules have PFAS components. DEC is working on obtaining EPA pollution prevention grants for renewed focus on pre-treatment to cut out PFAS sources in waste streams.

ICCM Members in attendance:

Kanika Gandhi, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Shawn Barth, Department of Labor

Sarah Vose, Department of Health

PJ Telep, Agency of Digital Services

Peter Walke, Agency of Natural Resources

Agency Staff in attendance:

John Zaikowski, Agency of Natural Resources

Marcella Dent, Agency of Natural Resources

Ed Antczak, Agency of Natural Resources

Eamon Twohig, Agency of Natural Resources

Jordan Gonda, Agency of Natural Resources