



## 2021 National Cleanup Workshop Agenda

December 7-9, 2021  
 Hilton Alexandria Mark Center – Alexandria, VA

*“Capitalizing on a New Era of Cleanup Success”*

Hosted by the Energy Communities Alliance in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Energy and the Energy Facility Contractors Group

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2021

4:00pm – 6:00pm	<b>Registration Opens</b>
4:00pm – 7:00pm	<b>Exhibits Open</b>
5:00pm – 7:00pm	<b>Welcome Reception</b>

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2021

7:00am – 8:00am	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>
8:00am – 8-15am	<b>Welcome to the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Cleanup Workshop</b> <b>Ron Woody</b> , County Executive, Roane County, TN; Chair, Energy Communities Alliance (ECA) <b>Michael Lempke</b> , Chair, Energy Facility Contractors Group (EFCOG); President Huntington Ingalls Industries' Nuclear & Environmental Services
8:15am – 8:45am	<b>Deputy Energy Secretary David M. Turk</b>



8:45am – 9:15am	<b>A New Era for EM Cleanup</b> <b>Ike White</b> , Acting Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management, DOE
9:15am – 9:45am	<b>Nuclear Energy Opportunities at DOE Sites</b> <b>TBD</b>
9:45am – 10:00am	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
10:00am – 12:00pm	<b>The Next Phase of EM Success</b> <b>Moderator: Michael Nartker</b> , Chief of Staff, DOE-EM  <i>...Progress on Portsmouth D&amp;D at Building 326</i> <b>Joel Bradburne</b> , Acting Manager, Portsmouth Paducah Project Office, DOE <b>JD Dowell</b> , Project Manager, FBP  <i>...Oak Ridge Cleanup Moves to Y-12, ORNL Central Campus</i> <b>Laura Wilkerson</b> , acting Manager, Oak Ridge Office of Environmental Management, DOE-EM <b>Ken Rueter</b> , President and CEO, UCOR, LLC  <i>...A New Future for Savannah River National Laboratory</i> <b>Mike Budney</b> , Manager, Savannah River Site Operations Office, DOE-EM <b>Vahid Majidi</b> , Director, Savannah River National Laboratory  <i>...Infrastructure Upgrades Position WIPP for the Future</i> <b>Reinhard Knerr</b> , Manager, Carlsbad Field Office, DOE-EM <b>Steve Smith</b> , Capital and Infrastructure Projects Manager, Nuclear Waste Partnership
12:00pm – 1:00pm	<b>LUNCH</b>
1:00pm – 1:20pm	<b>Path Forward for Energy and Environmental Justice</b> <b>Shalanda Baker</b> , Secretarial Advisor on Equity and Deputy Director for Energy Justice, DOE-EM
1:20pm – 2:15pm	<b>Roundtable Partnering with DOE on Priority Issues: Environmental Justice, Cleanup Engagement and Clean Energy Production</b> <b>Moderator: Jack Craig</b> , Chief Operating Officer, Atkins Nuclear Secured <b>State Sen. Sharon Brown</b> , Washington, 8th District <b>JJ Chavez</b> , Council Member, Carlsbad City Council; ECA Executive Board Member <b>Melinda Downing</b> , Environmental Justice Program Manager, Office of Legacy Management, DOE <b>Jami J. Rodgers</b> , Director, Office of Headquarters Procurement Services, DOE
2:15pm – 2:30pm	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>

2:30pm – 4:00pm	<p><b>EM Acquisition Plans and Schedule</b></p> <p><b>Angela Watmore</b>, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Acquisition and Project Management, DOE-EM</p> <p>...Roundtable: <i>The Path Forward for End-State Contracting</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Rick McLeod</b>, Executive Director, SRS Community Reuse Organization</p> <p><b>Dae Chung</b>, Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Corporate Services, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Jack Zimmerman</b>, Director, Environmental Management Consolidated Business Center, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Heatherly Dukes</b>, President, Technical Services Group, BWX Technologies, Inc.</p> <p><b>Mark Whitney</b>, President, Amentum Nuclear &amp; Environment</p> <p><b>Karen Wiemelt</b>, Senior Vice President and General Manager, Jacobs</p> <p><b>Dr. Susana Navarro-Valenti</b>, President and CEO, Navarro Research and Engineering, Inc.</p>
4:00pm – 5:00pm	<p><b>Roundtable: Lessons Learned and Improving Project Performance</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Martin Schneider</b>, Energy Facility Contractors Group (EFCOG)</p> <p><b>Todd Shrader</b>, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Tom Jouvani</b>, President, Atkins Nuclear Secured</p> <p><b>Greg Meyer</b>, Senior Vice President, Fluor</p> <p><b>Michael Lempke</b>, President Huntington Ingalls Industries' Nuclear &amp; Environmental Services</p> <p><b>Peggy McCullough</b>, General Manager, Nuclear Security &amp; Operations and Environmental, Bechtel</p> <p><b>Billy Morrison</b>, President and CEO, Veolia Nuclear Solutions-Federal Services</p>
5:00pm	<b>ADJOURN</b>

## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021

7:00am – 8:00am	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>
8:00am – 8-30am	<p><b>Legislative Challenges and Opportunities for the EM Program</b></p> <p><b>Rep. Chuck Fleischmann (R-Tenn.)</b>, Chairman, House Nuclear Cleanup Caucus</p>
8:30am – 9:30am	<p><b>Roundtable: The Future of Disposal</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Christine Gelles</b>, Senior Vice President for Operations, Longenecker &amp; Associates DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Doug Tonkay</b>, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>David Carlson</b>, President &amp; COO, Waste Control Specialist LLC</p> <p><b>Kara Colton</b>, Director of Nuclear Policy, ECA</p> <p><b>Scott Dempsey</b>, Sr. Vice President of Business Development, EnergySolutions</p> <p><b>Jay Mullis</b>, acting Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory and Policy Affairs, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Ken Ruefer</b>, President and CEO, UCOR, LLC</p>
9:30am – 10:00am	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>

10:00am – 11:00am	<p><b>The Future of the EM Workforce</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Kristen Ellis</b>, Acting Director for Regulatory Intergovernmental and Stakeholder Engagement, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Rebecca Casper</b>, Mayor, City of Idaho Falls, ID</p> <p><b>Mary U. Kruger</b>, Deputy Assistant Secretary (acting), Resource Management (EM5.1) Office of Environmental Management, DOE</p> <p><b>Stuart MacVean</b>, President and CEO, Savannah River Nuclear Solutions</p> <p><b>Kim Lebak</b>, President, N3B Los Alamos</p>
11:00am – 12:00pm	<p><b>Roundtable: DOE Field Office Managers</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ron Woody</b>, County Executive, Roane County, TN; Chair, Energy Communities Alliance (ECA)</p> <p><b>Jay Mullis</b>, acting Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory and Policy Affairs, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Joel Bradburne</b>, Acting Manager, Portsmouth Paducah Project Office</p> <p><b>Reinhard Knerr</b>, Carlsbad Field Office, DOE</p> <p><b>Michael Budney</b>, Manager, Savannah River Site Operations Office, DOE-EM</p> <p><b>Jack Zimmerman, Director</b>, Environmental Management Consolidated Business Center, DOE-EM</p>
12:00pm – 1:00pm	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>
1:00pm – 2:00pm	<p><b>Congressional Insights Panel</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Seth Kirshenber</b>, Executive Director, ECA</p> <p><b>Jen Becker-Pollet</b>, Professional Staff Member on the Senate Appropriations Energy and Water Development Subcommittee</p> <p><b>Speakers TBD</b></p>
2:00pm – 3:00pm	<p><b>Entering a New Era for Hanford Tank Waste (Virtual)</b></p> <p><b>Brian Vance</b>, Manager, Office of River Protection/Richland Operations Office</p> <p><b>John Eschenberg</b>, President, Washington River Protection Solutions</p> <p><b>Val McCain</b>, Project Manager, Bechtel-WTP</p> <p><b>David Reeploeg</b>, Executive Director, Hanford Communities</p> <p><b>Bob Wilkinson</b>, President, Hanford Mission Integration Solutions (HMIS), LLC</p>
3:00pm	<p><b>ADJOURN</b></p>