



2025 National Cleanup Workshop Agenda

Marriott Crystal Gateway
1700 Richmond Hwy, Arlington, VA

“Driving Down Risks, Building Up New Opportunities”

Hosted by the Energy Communities Alliance (ECA) in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and the Energy Facility Contractors Group (EFCOG)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2025 *All sessions and meals will be held in the Arlington Ballroom*

7:00am – 8:00am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00am – 8:15am	Opening Remarks: EM Enabling A New Era of American Energy Introduction: Seth Kirshenberg , Executive Director, Energy Communities Alliance (ECA) Brent Gerry , Mayor, City of West Richland, WA; Chair, ECA David “DJ” Johnson , Vice President/General Manager, Honeywell Federal Solutions; Chair, EFCOG
8:15am – 9:00am	KEYNOTE Introduction: Brent Gerry , Mayor, City of West Richland, WA; Chair, ECA Joel Bradburne , Acting Assistant Secretary, DOE-EM
9:00am – 10:15am	Highlighting the Next Phase of EM Successes Moderator: Alicia Stetin , Chief of Staff, DOE-EM ...Savannah River National Laboratory (SRNL) Advanced Manufacturing Collaborative (AMC) Edwin R. Deshong, III , Manager, Savannah River Operations Office, DOE-SR Dr. Johnney Green Jr. , Director, Savannah River National Laboratory ...Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) Safety Significant Confinement Ventilation System (SSCVS) Mark Bollinger , Manager, Carlsbad Field Office, DOE-EM Ken Harrawood , President & Program Manager, Salado Isolation Mining Contractors, LLC (SIMCO) ... West Valley Demonstration Project, Main Plant Deactivation and Demolition Jason Casper , President & Program Manager, West Valley Cleanup Alliance (WVCA) Jack Zimmerman , Director, Consolidated Business Center, DOE-EM
10:15am – 10:30am	COFFEE BREAK
10:30am – 10:45am	Perspective from Capitol Hill Rep. Chuck Fleischmann (TN-03) , Chairman, House Appropriations Energy & Water Development Subcommittee

10:45am – 12:00pm	Enabling Efficiency and Driving Innovation at Oak Ridge Moderator: John Longenecker , CEO, Longenecker & Associates, Inc. Erik Olds , Manager, Oak Ridge Office of Environmental Management (OREM), DOE-EM Wade Creswell , Roane County Executive & ECA Board Member Joe Aylor , Director of Critical Projects, United Cleanup Oak Ridge, LLC (UCOR) Tim McEvoy , Director of Mission Assurance and Controls, United Cleanup Oak Ridge, LLC (UCOR)
12:00pm – 1:15pm	LUNCH
1:15pm – 2:15pm	The View on the Ground: A Discussion with Site Contractor Executives Moderator: Laura Hermann , Deputy Executive Director, Energy Communities Alliance (ECA) Dr. Thomas Burns, Jr. , President & Program Manager, Savannah River Mission Completion, LLC (SRMC) Sean Dunagan , Director of Waste Management and Operations, United Cleanup Oak Ridge, LLC (UCOR) Carol Johnson , President & Program Manager, Hanford Tank Waste Operations & Closure Bill Kirby , Chief Operating Officer, Idaho Environmental Coalition Brad Smith , President & General Manager, Newport News Nuclear-BWXT Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) Bob Wilkinson , President, Central Plateau Cleanup Company (CPCCo)
2:15pm – 3:15pm	New Energy/AI Infrastructure Projects at DOE Sites Moderator: Robbie Bennett , CEO, SRS Community Reuse Organization (SRSCRO) Jennifer Chandler , Village Council & CIC Board Member, Portsmouth Ohio Jerome Delvin , Commissioner, Benton County, WA Chuck Hope , Council Member, City of Oak Ridge, TN, Secretary, ECA Neelesh Nerurkar , Acting Principal Deputy Director and the Director of Infrastructure Policy, DOE Rob Seifert , Director, Infrastructure Disposition & Regulatory Policy, DOE
3:15pm – 3:45pm	COFFEE BREAK
3:45pm – 5:00pm	EM Field Managers Roundtable Moderator: Rick Provencher , Senior Vice President, Cavendish Nuclear US Nicholas Balsmeier , Acting Manager, Idaho Cleanup Project, DOE-EM Mark Bollinger , Manager, Carlsbad Field Office, DOE-EM Edwin R. Deshong, III , Manager, Savannah River Operations Office, DOE-EM Ray Geimer , Manager, Hanford Field Office, DOE-EM Reinhard Knerr , Deputy Manager, Portsmouth/Paducah Project Office Jessica Kunkle , Manager, EM Los Alamos Field Office, DOE-EM Erik Olds , Manager, Oak Ridge Office of Environmental Management (OREM), DOE-EM Jack Zimmerman , Director, Consolidated Business Center, DOE-EM
5:00pm – 7:00pm	Evening Networking Reception *Hosted by Longenecker & Associates

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2025 All sessions and meals will be held in the Arlington Ballroom

7:00am – 8:00am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00am – 8:30am	KEYNOTE Moderator: Dr. Rebecca Casper , Mayor, City of Idaho Falls, ID; ECA Vice Chair Dr. Rian Bahrn , Deputy Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Reactors, DOE-NE
8:30am – 9:45am	A New Phase for Hanford Cleanup Moderator: David Reeploeg , Vice President for Federal Affairs, TRIDEC Amy Basche , President, Hanford Mission Integration Solutions (HMIS) Brian Harkins , Acting Deputy Manager, Hanford Field Office, DOE-EM Mark Hughey , Acting General Manager, Navarro-ATL Carol Johnson , President & Program Manager, Hanford Tank Waste Operations & Closure Mark Johnson , Principal Vice President, High Level Waste Facility, Waste Treatment & Immobilization Plant (WTP), Bechtel Bob Wilkinson , President, Central Plateau Cleanup Company (CPCCo)
9:45am – 10:00am	COFFEE BREAK
10:00am – 11:00am	EM Enabling DOE's National Security Mission Moderator: Randall Ryti , Councilor, Los Alamos County James McConnell , Associate Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration Mark Bollinger , Manager, Carlsbad Field Office, DOE-EM Sean Dunagan , Waste Management & Operations Director, UCOR Jeff Griffin , President & CEO, Savannah River Nuclear Solutions
11:00am – 12:00pm	Reduce, Reuse, Dispose: Tackling EM Waste Challenges Moderator: Christine Gelles , COO, Longenecker & Associates, Inc. Kristen Ellis , Associate Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regulatory & Policy Affairs, DOE-EM David Carlson , President, Waste Control Specialists Harsh Desai , Chief Commercialization Officer, Zeno Power Mark Duff , President & CEO, Perma-Fix Environmental Services, Inc David Campbell , Executive Vice President, Business Development and Growth, EnergySolutions
12:00pm – 1:15pm	LUNCH
1:15pm – 2:15pm	A New Vision for Paducah and Portsmouth Moderator: Craig Clymer , McCracken County Judge Executive April Ladd , Paducah Site Lead, Portsmouth/Paducah Project Office Zak Lafontaine , DUF6 Project Manager, PPPO, DOE-EM Myrna Redfield , President & Program Manager, Four Rivers Nuclear Partnership Jantien Shizuru , Paducah Program Manager, General Matter Bruce Wilcox , President & CEO, Greater Paducah Economic Development
2:15pm – 3:15pm	Moving EM Forward – What to Expect in 2026 Moderator: Seth Kirshenberg , Executive Director, Energy Communities Alliance (ECA) Nathan Anderson , Director, Natural Resources and Environment, U.S. Government Accountability Office Steve Trischman , Deputy Assistant Secretary, DOE-EM Adam DeMella , Consultant, ADG Strategies LLC Eric Knox , Vice President for Strategic Development, National Security Group, Amentum

3:15pm – 4:15pm	Corporate Leadership Perspectives Moderator: Martin Schneider , President, Longenecker & Associates, Inc. Jim Blankenhorn , Senior Vice President and lead of Environment and Security, Amentum Jonathan “JD” Dowell , Senior Vice President, Fluor Heatherly Dukes , President, BWXT Technical Services Group David “DJ” Johnson , Vice President/General Manager, Honeywell Federal Solutions; Chair, EFCOG Jeff Kendall , President, AtkinsRéalis U.S. Nuclear Michael Lempke , President, Global Security, HII
4:15pm	CLOSING REMARKS / ADJOURN

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