

**Environmental Management Public Outreach Summary**  
**Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office**  
**February 2016- April 2016**

*Compiled for the April 27, 2016 Citizens Advisory Board Meeting*

**Formal Public Interaction**

- **February 17: INL Citizens Advisory Board Meeting:** Idaho Falls, Idaho

**Additional Community Interaction**

- **March 16: Idaho Cleanup Project Stakeholder Breakfast:** Deputy Assistant Secretary Whitney had breakfast on March 16 with leaders from the tribes, local counties and cities, and INL stakeholder groups in Idaho Falls. The purpose of the breakfast was to answer questions and hear concerns from local leaders about the status of the Idaho Cleanup Project.
- **March 16: Idaho Site Cultural Resources Tour:** Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Mark Whitney toured the Idaho Site with leaders from the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes and Idaho National Laboratory cultural resources staff on March 16, 2016. The purpose of the tour was to understand the cultural significance of the Idaho Site to the tribes, and the importance of protecting the land the water.
- **March 16: Shoshone-Bannock Tribal Business Council Meeting:** Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Mark Whitney traveled to Fort Hall to tour the Tribal Department of Public Safety as well as the Tribal Department of Energy offices prior to meeting with the Shoshone-Bannock Tribal Business Council.
- **April 5: Employee Town Hall Meeting:** Fluor Idaho hosted a town hall meeting for incumbent employees and their spouses/significant others in Idaho Falls.
- **April 6: Employee Town Hall Meeting:** Fluor Idaho hosted a town hall meeting for incumbent employees and their spouses/significant others in Arco.
- **April 7: Employee Town Hall Meeting:** Fluor Idaho hosted a town hall meeting for incumbent employees and their spouses/significant others in Rexburg.
- **April 8: Employee Town Hall Meeting:** Fluor Idaho hosted a town hall meeting for incumbent employees and their spouses/significant others in Fort Hall.
- **April 11: Employee Town Hall Meeting:** Fluor Idaho hosted a town hall meeting for incumbent employees and their spouses/significant others in Idaho Falls.
- **April 20: Idaho Falls Post Register Tour:** Representatives from the Idaho Falls Post Register newspaper toured the Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Project.

## Upcoming Formal Public Interaction

- **May 31: Idaho Site Environmental Cleanup Reception:** The city of Idaho Falls and the Partnership for Science and Technology are jointly planning a reception for May 31 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Idaho Falls Arts Museum to honor the outgoing cleanup contractors, and to highlight the accomplishments of the Idaho Cleanup Project over the past 10 years. A number of state and local leaders have been invited to speak at the reception, including ICP Deputy Manager Jack Zimmerman of DOE.
- **June 29-30: Idaho Site Tour:** The National Association of Attorneys General is planning to meet in Idaho Falls and tour Idaho Site facilities.
- **June 23: INL Citizens Advisory Board Meeting:** Idaho Falls, ID
- **June/July: Public Comment Period:** The Department of Energy submitted an application to the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) for a Clean Air Act permit to construct with a facility emission cap component (PTC/FEC). When the permit has been drafted, DEQ will provide it to the public for review and comment. The comment period will be 30-days in length and comment submittals will be to the DEQ. The start of the comment period will be noticed on the DEQ website. The PTC/FEC will change the regulatory status of the INL Site from a major source to an area source. Completion of the draft is anticipated for June/July.