

Spokane River Regional Toxics Task Force (SRRTTF)

Invites you to attend

SPOKANE RIVER TOXICS WORKSHOP #1

June 5th & 6th, 2012

Gonzaga University
School of Law
Moot Court Auditorium

Workshop Purpose: This workshop is intended to bring together a group of stakeholders, regulators, and technical experts to begin the effort to identify and quantify the sources of PCBs and Dioxins in the Spokane River, to build a common body of knowledge about previous study work on the Spokane River, and to begin the development of a work plan for the reduction of toxics in the Spokane River.

Who Should Attend?: All members of the SRRTTF, all interested stakeholders, regulatory staff from the Department of Ecology and the US EPA, and consultants/technical experts who may wish to compete on future work for the SRRTTF.

Registration: Advance registration is required by Tuesday, May 29, 2012. The registration cost is \$55.00 and covers two days of lunches, refreshments at breaks, and administration costs. Registration after May 29th or at the door is \$65.00. Please register using your credit card at <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/243975>. For registrations that must be made by check, please follow the instructions on the Brown Paper Ticket website. Registration fees are tax deductible.

Workshop Contact: Send emails with questions to Tricia Poitevint at TPoitevint@LibertyLake.org.

Nearby Hotels: Red Lion River Inn, Fairfield Inn by Marriott, Courtyard Marriott, Oxford Suites Downtown Spokane, Holiday Inn Express Spokane Downtown, Travelodge at the Convention Center, Comfort Inn University District, Red Lion Inn at the Park.

Background Information: Information about the SRRTTF is available on their website at www.SRRTTF.org. The previously completed "Spokane River PCB Source Assessment, 2003-2007" is available at www.ecy.wa.gov/biblio/1103013.html.

Scheduled Speakers:

Eric Blischke, CDM Smith
Arienne Fernandez, Department of Ecology
Raleigh Farlow, DMD Inc.
Dr. Thomas Fikslin, Delaware River Basin
Commission
Raylene Gennett, City of Spokane
Dr. Bruce Hope, CH2M Hill
Dave Hope, Pacific Rim Laboratories
Bud Leber, Kaiser Aluminum

Don Martin, US EPA (Workshop Moderator)
Dr. Andres Martinez, University of Iowa
Mike Milne, Brown and Caldwell
Cheryl Niemi, Department of Ecology
Dale Norton, Department of Ecology
Dr. Lisa Rodenburg, Rutgers, The State University of
New Jersey
Dawn Sanders, City of Portland
Lynn Schmidt, City of Spokane

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Workshop Agenda

Tuesday, June 5th

7:00 am to 8:00 am	Check-in
8:00 am to 8:20 am	Greetings, Introductions, and Workshop Overview
8:20 am to 10:20 am	Overview of the existing data and PCB evaluations
10:20 am to 10:40 am	Break
10:40 am to 12:20 pm	Presentations on City of Spokane, Kaiser Aluminum, and Spokane County Source Identification Projects.
12:20 pm to 1:00 pm	Lunch provided
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm	TMDL planning work in other watersheds
3:00 pm to 3:20 pm	Break
3:20 pm to 5:00 pm	Brainstorming and Q & A Session with today's speakers

Wednesday, June 6th

7:30 am to 8:00 am	Check-in
8:00 am to 8:30 am	Brief recap of Day 1 and overview of Day 2
8:20 am to 10:20 am	Presentations on Aerial Deposition
10:20 am to 10:40 am	Break
10:40 am to 12:20 pm	Presentations on Contributions of PCBs in Stormwater
12:20 pm to 1:00 pm	Lunch provided
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm	Lagniappe Session on monitoring, sampling, lab analysis, and interpretation of data
3:00 pm to 3:20 pm	Break
3:20 pm to 4:45 pm	Brainstorming and Q & A Session with today's speakers
4:45 pm to 5:00 pm	Future SRRTTF Direction and Workshop Wrap-up

Speaker presentations will be available for download from <http://www.cforjustice.org/river/srtrtf-pcb-workshop/> prior to the conference. Participants are asked to print their own conference materials.

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