Beatty TAG meeting summary

Date: July 6, 2016

Location: Carson City, teleconference with Las Vegas & US DOE

The Radiation Control Program (RCP) has created a more user friendly webpage dedicated to the Beatty LLRW site with NDEP support. The RCP continues to solicit interest from Nye County stakeholders to participate as a liaison to the TAG efforts. RCP will reach out to USEN Manager for additional potential contacts for Nye County.

The TAG reviewed the current anticipated timeline for the new Trench 13 construction and identified that there is an extended timeframe for the RCP to commit to the direct placement of excavation soils as interim cover on the LLRW. July 15, 2016 was determined to be the new deadline for utilization of the discounted rate.

The LLRW site and TAG priority is, and will continue to be, the health and safety of Nevadans and its visitors. It was agreed that the group effort should remain to make the site safer and that any additional analysis or research will only be considered if it does not delay the site repair. The USGS outlined the proposed plan to sample select vegetation on the existing LLRW facility prior to placement of the interim cover. TAG will coordinate with USGS and assist to remove or sample necessary vegetation. USEN will review USGS sample map and detail proposed locations for new gate, entry and exit ramps.

The Request for Proposals (RFP) will provide a date and time for interested contractors to visit the Beatty site and review the LLRW facility. An RFP selection committee was formed with 2- NDEP, 2- RCP and 1- Fiscal/Purchasing staff. The RFP was approved June 29, 2016 and efforts are underway to provide notice and solicit contractors. The RFP selection committee is anticipated to meet in August.

Goals: RCP to release RFP. Next meeting September 7, 2016