

Citizens Advisory Board Committee Minutes



INL Site Environmental Management
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Committee: Haul Road EA Subcommittee
Date: Thursday, June 10, 2010 – 10:00 a.m. (MT)

Participants

Board Members: Tami Sherwood
Bruce Wendle
R.D. Maynard
Willie Preacher

DOE-ID: Robert Pence
Jeff Perry

Support Staff: Lisa Aldrich
Ceri Chapple

Objective(s) for the Committee Call

- Release of the Draft Environmental Assessment for the Multipurpose Haul Road within the Idaho National Laboratory Site (EM-FMDP-10-043)

R.D. Maynard asked if the existing line for T-25 was created to work on power lines. Mr. Perry affirmed that T-25 is a two track for working on power lines.

Bruce Wendle asked if there will be a limited year round use of the haul road. Mr. Perry explained that the road is not for general use transportation between facilities.

R.D. Maynard asked how the road will be monitored. Mr. Perry said that the road will have gates at each end.

Willie Preacher asked how far the haul road is from the Highway 20/26. Mr. Perry explained that it is farthest at two miles and closest at a mile from Highway 20/26.

Mr. Maynard asked about the plans for the section of Wilson Boulevard. Mr. Perry explained that they will most likely grind up the existing asphalt and turn it into gravel.

Mr. Maynard asked how much wider the road will be. Mr. Perry answered that the road will either be one lane with turnouts or two lanes.

R.D. Maynard inquired about the cost estimates. Mr. Perry explained that there isn't any cost information in the NEPA documents, the building road estimate for T-25 is between \$8.6 million and \$9.2 million. T-24 would definitely be more expensive than T-25, but they are similarly priced, however re-vegetation may be the most expensive and difficult aspect of T-24.

Willie Preacher asked what the preferred alternative is. Mr. Perry explained that the preferred alternative is Alternative 1-New Route South of T-25 Utilizing the Existing Road to the Extent Possible.

Action Items:

- R.D. Maynard will draft a paragraph recommending the preferred alternative for distribution to the full CAB board for concurrence or comments.

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