

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

for the August 2014

EnergySolutions' Clive Environmental Monitoring Plan Modification
Tooele County, Utah

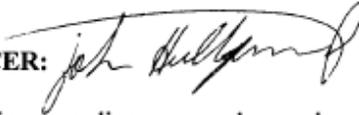
Introduction

This document summarizes the public participation regarding a modification of the *EnergySolutions'* Clive Environmental Monitoring Plan (EMP) for the low-level radioactive waste, 11e.(2) by-product material, and mixed radioactive waste disposal facility located at Clive, Tooele County, Utah. The recent EMP modification concerned both major and minor changes, with numerous minor edits to make the Plan more coherent, unambiguous, consistent, and non-redundant with other facility licenses and permits. Major modification of the Plan consisted of the removal of some air monitoring stations, and soil sampling stations around the facility. A forty-five-day public comment period commenced on August 8, 2014 by publication of a notice on the DRC's webpage, and distribution of the notice through an electronic mail server. Members of the public had until 5:00 P.M. August 18, 2014 to request a public hearing with an opportunity for questions and answers. A public hearing was not requested by any citizen of the state of Utah before August 18, 2014, as stipulated in the Public Notice; therefore, a public hearing to receive questions and provide answers was not conducted. However, a public meeting was held on September 17, 2014 to receive public comments on the proposed EMP modification. The meeting was attended by two member of the public, but no comments were given. Since no comments were given during the meeting there will be no transcription of the meeting made, the Statement of the Hearing officer is presented in Attachment A.

No public comments were received regarding the EMP during the public comment period, which closed at 5:00 P.M., September 22, 2014.

Appendix A
Statement of Hearing Officer

STATEMENT OF HEARING OFFICER:



I would like to convene this public meeting regarding proposed amendments to EnergySolutions' Radioactive Material Licenses for the disposal of low activity radioactive wastes and 11e.(2) byproducts materials, and a modification of the Ground Water Quality Discharge Permit. This is a public hearing convened under the authority of Utah Administrative Rules R313-17-4, Utah Radiation Control Rules, and R317-6, Utah Water Quality Rules. The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments on tentative decisions by the Director of the Division of Radiation Control on changes to the EnergySolutions' Radioactive Material Licenses, UT 2300249 and UT 2300478, hereafter Licenses, specifically the Environmental Monitoring Plan, and Ground Water Quality Discharge Permit, UGW 450005, hereafter Permit, for their commercial radioactive waste disposal facility in Tooele County.

Changes proposed to the Licenses consist of incorporating a revision to the Clive facility's Environmental Monitoring Plan. Changes to the Environmental Monitoring Plan includes minor edits to make the plan more comprehensive and understandable, reduction in the number of and frequency of analyzing of air particulate monitoring stations, removal of Thoron monitoring, change in how airborne tritium is monitored, changes in sampling requirement for vacuum thermal desorption process, and a reduction in the number and frequency of soil sampling. These changes are considered in the Statement of Basis for the Environmental Monitoring Plan, dated August 2014, which is available for review on Division of Radiation Control web site, and at its offices at 195 N 1950 W, Salt Lake City, Utah. This Statement of Basis summarizes the justifications upon which the Division concludes that regulatory requirements are satisfied to protect public health, and the environment. These changes, if approved, will be incorporated by reference into the final Safety Evaluation Reports for both Radioactive Materials License renewals. The Safety Evaluation Reports will summarize the changes upon which the Division concludes that regulatory requirements are satisfied to protect public health, and the environment.

Proposed changes to the Permit includes minor edits to make the plan more comprehensive and understandable, removal of some Ground Water Protection Parameters, reduced in the frequency of Video Inspection for LARW and Class A West Cell Collection Lysimeters, revision of some Ground Water Protection Levels, and reduced frequency of water level measurements. The changes are considered in the *EnergySolutions* Ground Water Quality Discharge Permit, Statement of Basis dated August 2014, which is also available for review at the Division of Radiation Control web site, and at its offices at 195 N 1950 W, Salt Lake City, Utah. This Statement of Basis summarizes the reasons upon which the Director concludes that regulatory requirements are satisfied to protect public health, and the environment.

A public notice announcing the commencement of the forty-five-day public comment period, beginning August 8, 2014 was posted on the DRC's webpage and automatic email (listserv notice) on August 8, 2014.

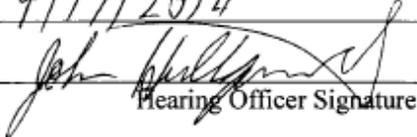
Comments received tonight, which will be recorded, and any written comments that we receive before the end of the public comment period, September 22, 2014, will be considered in preparation of the final Permit and Environmental Monitoring Plan. After closure of the comment period, all comments received will be addressed and a public participation summary will explain to the public how the issues were resolved. This will be available for public inspection at the Division of Radiation Control web site, and at its offices at 195 N 1950 W, Salt Lake City, Utah.

An opportunity will be provided to any person desiring to participate in this hearing. This is a hearing to accept oral comments and as such there will be no questioning of the participants. I ask that you confine your remarks to the matter at hand and limit them to 10 minutes or less.

We will now proceed to hear any statements. Please identify yourself and any affiliations you have for the record.

If there are no additional comments, this hearing will be considered closed.

Date:

9/17/2014


Hearing Officer Signature