WisPAC Meeting

January 16, 2020
Agenda

• DNR – 1 hour
  • Welcome
  • Approve Charter & Ground Rules
  • Action Plan Outline & Timeline
  • Advisory Groups

• DHS presentation on public health – 30 minutes
  • Chuck Warzecha

• State Lab of Hygiene presentation on air deposition – 15 minutes
  • David Webb

• DNR Update: Fire Department Survey and PFAS Rulemaking for Groundwater, Drinking Water and Water Quality Standards
  • DNR

• Citizen Input – 10 minutes
TOPIC 2: Do you Approve the Charter and Ground Rules?

- Sent to members prior to meeting
- Any corrections?
TOPIC 3: Do you approve suggested action plan, schedule and focus areas?

1. Do task force members approve action plan outline and schedule for completing action plan?

2. Do task force members approve the four proposed, PFAS focus areas?

3. Do you agree with plan to obtain input on PFAS action plan?

4. Do task force members understand homework assignment due prior to next WisPAC meeting in February
Action Plan Outline: Organizing Principles

- Action plan will provide roadmap for next four years, but expect updates
- Formal check-ins semi-annually once in place
- Proposed Action Plan framework

Focus Area

- Broad Goal
- Priorities to Achieve Goal
- Assignments & Timelines
Action Plan Outline: 4 Proposed Focus Areas

1. Preventing Future Discharges and Exposures
2. Minimizing Current PFAS Exposures
3. Addressing Historic or Legacy PFAS Discharges and Exposures
4. Educating and Communicating About the Risks Associated With PFAS
Action Plan Outline: Focus Area -> Action Item & Steps

Minimizing Current PFAS Exposures

Action Item

Step 1
Step 2
Step 3
WisPAC Members: Do you approve the Focus Areas and proposed general framework?

1. Preventing Future Discharges and Exposures
2. Minimizing Current PFAS Exposures
3. Addressing Historic or Legacy PFAS Discharges and Exposures
4. Educating and Communicating About the Risks Associated With PFAS
Developing the Action Plan: Do you agree with opportunities to receive state agency and public input?

- **General Public**
  - Structured Survey
  - Meetings

- **PFAS Advisory Groups**
  - Local Government
  - Citizen

“Green lit” ideas for implementation

“Parking lot” ideas for future consideration
Developing the Action Plan: Do you agree with timeline?

(see handout: Proposed Timeline & Steps for Developing the PFAS Action Plan)

**Proposed Timeline & Steps for Developing the PFAS Action Plan**

- **Jan 16th**: Phase 1
- **Feb 20th**: Phase 2
- **Mar 19th**: Phase 3
- **Apr 16th**: Phase 4
- **Jun 17th**: Final PFAS Action Plan Published

**July 1st 2020**: Final PFAS Action Plan Published
Developing the Action Plan: Timeline

Jan 16th
Feb 20th
Mar 19th
Apr 16th
Jun 17th

WisPAC Meetings

January 16th Meeting

Desired Outcomes
• Approve WisPAC Charter and Ground Rules
• Review and approve PFAS Action Plan Focus Areas
• Review and provide feedback on Action Plan timeline and steps
• Review and approve Advisory Groups incl. leadership and staffing
Developing the Action Plan: Timeline

Jan 16th   Feb 20th   Mar 19th   Apr 16th   Jun 17th

Phases:
- Phase 1: Gather ideas/recommendations for Action Plan

Desired Outcomes:
- WisPAC members work within agencies to gather ideas for Action Plan
- Advisory Groups convene and meet to gather ideas for Action Plan
- Launch survey to public
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Developing the Action Plan: Timeline

Jan 16th
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Jun 17th

Phase 1
Phase 2
Phase 3
Phase 4

July 1st 2020: Final PFAS Action Plan Published

WisPAC Members: Do you approve the proposed steps and timeline?
Initial Call for State Agency Ideas

• Organized by four Focus Areas:
  • What is your agency currently doing?
  • What would/should/could your agency be doing?
  • Recommendations for what the state should be doing?

• Online survey (SurveyMonkey) to be used to collect state ideas

• Initial recommendations due by COB Thursday February 6th
What WisPAC members can expect in the survey

1. Identify the primary Focus Area

2. Describe the recommended action (brief overview of issue/recommendation)
   - What is the problem or issue?
   - What is the recommended action and how it will address identified problem?
   - Proposed Lead Agency or Group? Other parties?
   - What type of change?
   - What is the anticipated timeframe?
     - Underway? 3-6 months? 6-12 months? 12+ months?
What you can expect in the survey

1. Identify the primary Focus Area
   
   Focus Area 2: Minimizing Current PFAS Exposures

2. Describe the recommended action:
   
   **What is the problem or issue?** We don’t know the amount of PFAS-containing fire-fighting foam in our local fire department that may not be needed or has expired.

   **What is the recommended action and how it will address identified problem?** Recommend survey of fire departments. The state can collect the information we need to better understand the current level of excess PFAS fire-fighting foam across the entire state. Help determine costs of any state-sponsored clean sweep for AFFF.

   **Proposed Lead Agency or Group? Other parties?** DNR, with local fire associations and UW.

   **What type of change?** Primary changes are Financial and Administrative

   **What is the anticipated timeframe?** Anticipated start June 2020
Citizen Involvement

Two methods to solicit public input in state PFAS action plan and state implementation initiatives.
Developing the Action Plan: Do you agree with opportunities to receive state agency and public input?

• Local Government
• Citizen

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PFAS Action Plan Advisory Groups: Citizen Involvement

DNR is proposing two advisory groups to assist WisPAC:
1. Citizen/Public Policy PFAS advisory group – 2 external co-chairs
2. Local government PFAS advisory group – 2 external co-chairs

• Initial meetings held to facilitate input into the Action Plan
• Ongoing involvement over plan implementation as conduit for public input
• No formal members – open meetings
• Meetings to solicit action plan items in February and March

WisPAC Members: Do you approve the advisory group proposal and co-chairs?
PFAS Action Plan: Other Method for Citizen Involvement

• Development and deployment of on-line input form for citizens

• Organized by four Focus Areas:
  • What is your agency currently doing?
  • What would/should/could your agency be doing?
  • Recommendations for what the state should be doing?

• Online survey (SurveyMonkey) to be used to collect citizen ideas

WisPAC Members: Do you approve the on-line citizen input system as described?
## Purpose

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| January 16th, 2020 | • Approve WisPAC Charter and Ground Rules  
                     • Review and approve PFAS Action Plan Focus Areas  
                     • Review and provide feedback on Action Plan timeline and steps  
                     • Review and approve Advisory Groups incl. leadership and staffing |
| Phase 1            | • WisPAC members work within agencies to gather ideas for Action Plan  
                     • DNR Launches survey to public  
                     • Advisory Groups convene and solicit ideas from public:  
                       → Local Government Advisory Group: 2/XX/2020 – 9:00am to 12:00pm  
                       → Citizen/Policy Advisory Group: 2/XX/2020 – 1:00pm to 4:00pm |
| February 20th, 2020| • WisPAC members’ ideas discussed  
                     • Review ideas from Advisory groups  
                     • Calibration discussion on scope and scale of ideas received to date |
| Phase 2            | • WisPAC and Advisory Group ideas developed into proposals  
                     • Advisory Groups convene and meet to gather/refine ideas for Action Plan:  
                       → Citizen/Policy Advisory Group: 3/X/2020 – 1:00pm to 3:00pm  
                       → Local Government Advisory Group: 3/X/2020 – 10:00 to 12:00pm |
| March 19th, 2020   | • WisPAC members review all proposals  
                     • Review and consider public input for any additional actions |
| Phase 3            | • WisPAC members vote on advancing proposals to plan or not  
                     • Joint Advisory Groups meeting – final revisions to recommendations & priorities:  
                       → 04/XX/2020 – 10:00am to 3:00pm |
| April 16th, 2020   | • WisPAC approves Draft Action Plan for public comment  
                     • Approves Communication and Roll Out Plan |
| Phase 4            | • Final edits made to draft plan (as necessary)  
                     • Initiate public comment period on draft plan (April 27 to May 15)  
                     • WisPAC consideration of public comments (May 15 to June 7)  
                     • Final draft of plan to WisPAC members and public (June 10) |
| June 17th, 2020    | • WisPAC approves final Action Plan  
                     • Confirm assignments for implementation  
                     • Send final plan to Governor and Legislature |
| July 1st 2020      | ✔️ Final PFAS Action Plan Published |
Dept. of Health Services: PFAS and Public Health
(Chuck Warzecha)
State Lab of Hygiene: National PFAS Air Deposition Study (David Webb)
Fire Department Survey & PFAS Rulemaking for Groundwater Drinking Water and Water Quality Standards (DNR)
Public Comment Opportunity

Public welcome to provide suggestions, information or other input to WisPAC

Each person will be limited to 3 minutes to allow others time with WisPAC

Written submissions welcome
Adjourned:
Please join us on February 20, 2020

Check web site for upcoming citizen advisory group meetings:
https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/contaminants/wispac.html