### **Proposed Agenda**

# DUPONT POMPTON LAKES WORKS SITE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP MEETING

7:00 – 9:30 PM; March 2, 2011 Carnevale Center 10 Lenox Avenue Pompton Lakes, New Jersey

6:30 **Availability Session** – EPA and NJDEP staff will be available informally to answer questions.

#### **Environmental Community Advisory Group Meeting**

7:00	Welcome & Administrative UpdatesBill Logue/Melinda Holland
7:10	Overview of Ground Water Pilot Project*NJDEP/EPA
	<ul> <li>Presentation 20 minutes</li> <li>CAG Questions 10 minutes</li> <li>Public Questions 15 minutes</li> </ul>
7:55	Response to CAG Resolution on unannounced audits EPA/NJDEP
3:10	BREAK
8:20	Administrative Committee
	CAG Discussion on additional members and stakeholder interests
9:00	Technical Work Group – Technical Advisor Draft Resolution
9:10	Public comment
9:30	Adjourn

<sup>\*</sup> This presentation is Part One, an overview of the ground water cleanup pilot. It will be an opportunity for CAG members and the public to identify specific questions to be answered in Part Two, which will be a presentation at the April meeting on bioremediation and chemical oxidation by national experts from EPA's ground water research center.

#### **Conduct at Meetings**

The following is expected of all present at CAG meetings:

- ✓ Be concise and speak to the issue under discussion.
- ✓ Listen to others in order to understand their perspective.
- ✓ No interruptions; treat people with respect.
- ✓ Avoid dominating; do not attack or accuse.
- ✓ Honor time limits.
- ✓ Observers will be recognized at the time allocated on the agenda.
- ✓ Turn off all beepers and cell phones; take or make all calls outside the room.
- ✓ Adhere to the Operating Procedures.

## Roles and Responsibilities - Overview Pompton Lakes DuPont Works Site Environmental Community Advisory Group

**The CAG.** The Pompton Lakes DuPont Works Site Environmental Community Advisory Group (CAG) is convened to represent the interests of the communities and stakeholders, to receive and share information, and to provide input regarding the remediation of the DuPont Pompton Lakes Works Site to NJDEP and DEP. The CAG's role is advisory only. While the CAG may make recommendations and/or requests, those recommendations are not binding. It is designed as an ongoing mechanism to constructively and openly share information, engage in discussion and strive for consensus regarding decision making related to the site. Members were invited by EPA to serve on the CAG based on the recommendations of the facilitators. Members represent a cross-section of stakeholder interests including affected property owners, concerned residents, local governments, community groups, environmental groups, health experts, the business community, and others as appropriate. Members are expected to keep their constituent community apprised of the work of the CAG. The group will operate according to agreed upon procedures.

**EPA & NJDEP.** EPA convened the CAG and both EPA and NJDEP will assist it in accessing information to provide informed input into site decisions. The agencies retain the responsibility to make decision regarding site cleanup; however, they will consider CAG input along with public comments while making site decisions. They will continue to hold agency-organized public meetings to share information concerning the site.

**The Public.** The meetings of the CAG are working sessions open to the public to observe. As time allows at regular meetings and as designated on the meeting agenda, or as specified for special meetings for that purpose, members of the public may speak to offer comments or suggestions. Observers must adhere to the Operating Procedures and conduct themselves in a civil manner. Members of the public may submit written comments to the CAG through the facilitators and are encouraged to seek out CAG members with similar interests to ensure that their viewpoint is articulated in CAG discussions.

**The Facilitators.** The facilitators, if any, will lead and coordinate meetings and assist the CAG in upholding the Operating Procedures, identifying and prioritizing tasks, conducting discussions, reaching agreement where possible, and crafting summaries of meetings, decisions and formal comments of the CAG.

**E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Company.** DuPont is the responsible party conducting the site related cleanup activities. DuPont and/or their representatives are willing to attend CAG meetings upon request from the CAG, to provide information and answer questions.