

Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) New England Community Engagement

AGENDA

Location: Exeter High School, Exeter, New Hampshire

Monday, June 25th, 2018

4:30PM – 5:00PM Meet and Greet/Registration

5:00PM – 6:30PM Welcome and Community Presentations

5:00PM

Welcome and Opening Remarks

*Alexandra Dunn, Regional Administrator
U.S. EPA, Region 1*

Peter Grevatt, Director

U.S. EPA, Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water

Program Overview

*Jim Murphy, Community Involvement Coordinator
U.S. EPA, Region 1*

5:30PM

Community Presentations

This session will provide an opportunity for organized community groups to share experiences with PFAS. Each presentation will feature communities from a different New England state

- *Alayna Davis, Dover, NH*
- *Stephen Seymour, Barnstable, MA*
- *Jillian Lane, Greenland, NH*
- *Kristen Mello, Westfield, MA*
- *Laurene Allen, Merrimack, NH*
- *Presenter from VT*

6:30PM – 6:45PM Break (transition to Listening Session)

6:45PM – 10:00PM Listening Session

6:45PM

Listening Session

This period of time is open to the public to provide input

10:00PM Adjourn

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Tuesday, June 26th, 2018

8:00AM – 8:30AM Welcome and Recap of PFAS Summit

8:00AM	Welcome and Introduction <i>Alexandra Dunn, Regional Administrator</i> <i>U.S. EPA, Region 1</i>
8:15AM	Overview of EPA’s National Leadership PFAS Summit <i>Peter Grevatt, Director</i> <i>U.S. EPA, Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water</i>

8:30AM – 10:00AM EPA New England and State Panel

8:30AM	EPA New England PFAS Activity This session will provide an overview of work in EPA New England around PFAS as well as an update on EPA research in this area <i>Meghan Cassidy, Chief, Superfund Technical & Enforcement Support Section</i> <i>U.S. EPA, Region 1</i>
9:00AM	State Panel This conversation will provide an opportunity for state officials to highlight activities and initiatives within the New England states around PFAS <i>Moderator: Deb Szaro, Deputy Regional Administrator, U.S. EPA, Region 1</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Robert Kaliszewski, Deputy Commissioner, CT Department of Energy and Environmental Protection</i> ▪ <i>Gary Moran, Deputy Commissioner, MA Department of Environmental Protection</i> ▪ <i>Melanie Loyzim, Deputy Commissioner, ME Department of Environmental Protection</i> ▪ <i>Clark Freise, Assistant Commissioner, NH Department of Environmental Services</i> ▪ <i>Nick Noons, Project Manager, RI Department of Environmental Management</i> ▪ <i>Peter Walke, Deputy Secretary, VT Agency of Natural Resources</i>

10:00AM – 10:30AM Break

10:30AM – 11:00AM Community Panel

10:30AM	Community Panel <i>Moderator: Jim Murphy, Community Involvement Coordinator, U.S. EPA, Region 1</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Andrea Amico, Portsmouth, NH and Michelle Dalton, Portsmouth, NH</i>
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11:00AM – 12:30PM Lunch on Your Own/ Networking

Attendees are encouraged to bring lunch to maximize interaction with other attendees

12:30PM – 3:00PM Identifying, Communicating, and Addressing PFAS

12:30PM	Identifying PFAS in Your Community – Lesson Learned This discussion will highlight experiences in New England as PFAS sources are identified and sourced <i>Moderator: Alexandra Dunn, Regional Administrator, U.S. EPA, Region 1</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Brian Goetz, Deputy Director of Public Works, City of Portsmouth, NH</i> ▪ <i>Tom Cambareri, Water Resources Technical Services Director, Cape Cod Commission, MA</i> ▪ <i>Nick Noons, Project Manager, RI Department of Environmental Management</i>
1:15PM	Communicating Around PFAS This discussion will focus on experiences of New England state officials in discussing PFAS issues in a variety of settings <i>Moderator: Deb Szaro, Deputy Regional Administrator, U.S. EPA, Region 1</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Lori Mathieu, Public Health Section Chief, CT Department of Public Health</i> ▪ <i>John Schmeltzer, Hazardous Site Manager, VT Department of Environmental Conservation</i> ▪ <i>Karen Craver, Epidemiologist, NH Department of Health & Human Services</i>

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Identifying Solutions for PFAS – Lessons Learned

This session will provide an opportunity to discuss the event's conversations and summarize key suggestions from participants. Discussion will end in time for final networking among attendees and speakers

- *Peter Grevatt, Director, U.S. EPA, EPA Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water*
- *Alexandra Dunn, Regional Administrator, U.S. EPA, Region 1*
- *Sean Dixon, Senior Policy Advisor, U.S. EPA, Region 1*

3:00PM Adjourn