

Human Health Risk Assessment (HHRA) - Flin Flon / Creighton Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)

March 28, 2011

Attendance

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| MB Conservation: | Dave Bezak, Dean Kasur, Ines Hiraoka |
| MB Health: | Lawrence Elliott, Susan Roberecki |
| MB IEM: | Doina Priscu |
| MB Water Stewardship: | Kevin Jacobs |
| SK MOE: | George Bihun |
| SK Health: | James Irvine, David Sampson, Dr. Moliehi Khaketla |
| Health Canada: | Paul Partridge |
| HBMS: | Ian Cooper, Alan Hair, Shirley Neault |
| Intrinsic Environmental: | Elliot Sigal, Adam Safruk |
| Facilitator: | Sheldon McLeod |
| Observers: | Dave Price |
| AECOM: | Joanna Miller, Mary-Kate Gilbertson |

Introduction

- The agenda was reviewed and accepted.
- The notes from the October 25th meeting were reviewed and approved.

Risk Management Documents / Activities

- The process for commenting on the various risk management documents was confirmed. The process is for the reviewers to provide comments to the applicable writer(s) (see action #2011-01). These comments will be incorporated in the next version of the document where possible.
- The comments received to date were discussed.
 - The standard limitation and confidentiality section of the Education Outreach Campaign document should be removed from the final publicly available document (see action #2011-02).
 - The comments received regarding blood seem to be more research-oriented rather than study-oriented and, in either case, is exposure study re-evaluation detail that is not necessary for incorporation in to the risk management plan. Nonetheless, a few things can be checked on now (see action #2011-03 & 2011-04).
 - Although target activities have been chosen to focus the education campaign, all of the strategies originally identified will be covered in a general fact sheet that is currently being prepared by AECOM personnel. The fact sheets being worked on by AECOM personnel will be circulated for comment before being issued to the general public (see action #2011-05 and 2011-06)
 - The target activities in the education campaign should be implemented by September and are intended to carry on until 2012 and beyond.
- A web-page concept document was circulated prior to the meeting. The concept is to establish an information and resource centre for the education outreach campaign. The benefits of a separate website are that the information will be easier to find and that there would be more ownership by the community. The focus groups (which included members of the CAC) have already indicated that it should be focused on building a healthy community. At some point in the future, the site could be taken over by others to promote healthy attitudes in the community.

CAC

- A short update has been prepared by Sheldon for circulation to the CAC.
- Representative input into the education outreach campaign has occurred and is continuing.
- A meeting in early May should be held to review the risk management plan (see action #2011-07)

**NEXT MEETING: Teleconference
April 18, 2011
11:30 a.m.**

| # | Action | Responsibility | Target Date | Status |
|---------|--|----------------|--------------------------|---|
| 182 | Amend timeline document re lead study to "date to be determined" | George | 2010-11-08 | 2010-09-27, new 2010-10-25, ongoing 2011-03-28, Complete |
| 184 | Finalize the Health Dept Q&A | Susan | 2010-11-08 2011-04-30 | 2010-09-27, new 2010-10-25, ongoing 2011-03-28, ongoing |
| 186 | Provide exposure study fact sheet | Intrinsik | 2010-10-29 | 2010-09-27, new 2010-10-25, ongoing 2011-03-28, Complete |
| 187 | Prepare introductory slides for the Oct 28 CAC meeting | Intrinsik | 2010-10-28 | 2010-10-25, new 2011-03-28, Complete |
| 188 | Notify Sheldon if the need for a TAC meeting arises | TAC Members | As needed | 2010-10-25, new 2011-03-28, Complete |
| 2011-01 | Provide comments on the RMP to Elliot (copy all others on TAC) | TAC Members | 2011-04-08 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-02 | Confirm that the standard limitation and confidentiality language can be removed from the final education outreach campaign report | AECOM | 2011-04-01 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-03 | Check if the original blood samples are still being held by the lab and what type of analysis was completed | Intrinsik | 2011-03-30 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-04 | Pursue with Health Canada the potential to use capillary blood test results in future analyses | Intrinsik | 2011-05-20 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-05 | Circulate education campaign fact sheets to TAC (via Shirley or Sheldon if necessary) | AECOM | 2011-04-08 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-06 | Comment on fact sheets supplied by AECOM | TAC Members | 2011-04-15 | 2011-03-28, new |
| 2011-07 | Determine date in early May for a CAC meeting | Sheldon | 2011-04-15 | 2011-03-28, new |