

WA Chemical Policy Forum

Meeting #23: Mega Toxics RFP &
Legislative Update
November 14, 2024



MEETING #23 AGENDA

Meeting Desired Outcomes:

- Share overview and engage discussion around the Mega Toxics RFP and legislative update

2:30-2:35 Welcome, review meeting agenda

2:35-2:40 Introductions

2:40-3:00 Mega Toxics RFP

- Dustin Bilhimer, Toxics In Fish Implementation Lead, Washington State Department of Ecology

3:00-3:10 Discussion & Q&A

3:10-3:20 Legislative Update

- Dave Ward, Hazardous Waste Management Program

3:20-3:25 Other announcements

- Vapes subgroup meeting

3:25-3:30 Wrap-up

Housekeeping

- Please mute your lines if not speaking
- If you are having technical difficulties, chat Sam Kwok
- Presentation portion of today's meeting is being recorded
- All our presenters will present and then we will have time for Q&A after
- For the Q&A, you can speak up, raise your hand or put questions in the chat at anytime and we will answer them during the Q&A portion

Forum Structure

Purpose: Stimulate action and development of chemical and hazardous waste policy, research, and policy implementation through information sharing, networking, and collaborative problem solving.

Goals: To strengthen chemical policy and research in Washington State to meet the demands of the changing chemical policy landscape (such as passage of the Safer Products for Washington Act in 2019 and the Lautenberg Act amendments to the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) in 2016, and the growing need for succession planning and information exchange).

Forum Structure

- Made up of public sector staff from across WA that work on chemical and household hazardous waste policy and research as well as those that plan or develop policy implementation
- One meeting per month through end of year
- Meeting content will include:
 - Presentations of background information
 - Break out groups for deeper discussion
 - Discussion of topics
- Copies of the charter and information from each meeting will be posted at: WAChemicalPolicyWorkgroup.org

Planning Committee Members

- Dave Ward, King County Hazardous Waste Management Program
- Nathan Lubliner, Ecology
- Myles Perkins, King County Hazardous Waste Management Program
- Trevor Peckham, King County Hazardous Waste Management Program
- Holly Davies, Washington State Department of Health
- Pam Johnson, Seattle Public Utilities

Wrap-Up

- Workgroup website: WAChemicalPolicyWorkgroup.org
- Share any feedback on meetings or topic areas
- Share meeting information with anyone interested **OR** direct them to WAChemicalPolicyWorkgroup.org/contact
- Thank you!