

**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Science Advisory Board
June 5 - 6, 2019
Sphinx on K
1315 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005**

AGENDA

Purpose: To hear remarks from the EPA Administrator, receive briefings from EPA, and discuss: EPA's proposed Science and Transparency Rule; planned actions on EPA's 2018 Spring Regulatory Agenda; actions related to updating EPA guidelines for carcinogen and noncancer assessment; Science Advisory Board self-initiated project; and EPA's Proposed Waters of the U.S. Rule.

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

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| 8:45 a.m. | Convene Meeting | Dr. Thomas Armitage <i>Designated Federal Officer EPA Science Advisory Board</i> |
| 8:50 a.m. | Goals and Agenda for the Meeting | Dr. Michael Honeycutt <i>Chair, EPA Science Advisory Board</i> |
| 9:00 a.m. | Remarks from the Administrator | Mr. Andrew Wheeler <i>EPA Administrator</i> |
| 9:30 a.m. | Public Comments | Registered Speakers |
| 10:30 a.m. | Break | |
| 10:45 a.m. | Discussion of EPA's Proposed Science and Transparency Rule | |
| | - Presentation from EPA | Dr. Maria Doa <i>Senior Science Advisor, EPA Office of Research and Development</i> |
| | - Discussion by Science Advisory Board Members | Dr. Honeycutt and Science Advisory Board Members |
| 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. | Lunch | |
| 1:30 p.m. | Discussion of Planned Actions on the 2018 Spring Regulatory Agenda | |
| | - EPA remarks on the process for engaging the SAB on regulatory science matters | Ms. Lindsey Jones <i>Senior Advisor for Science and Policy, EPA Office of Policy</i> |

- Recommendations from the Science Advisory Board Workgroup
Dr. Alison Cullen,
Chair, Science Advisory Board Workgroup on EPA Planned Actions for Science Advisory Board Consideration of the Underlying Science

 - Discussion by Science Advisory Board Members and Disposition of Workgroup Recommendations
Dr. Honeycutt and Science Advisory Board Members
- 2:45 p.m. **Break**
- 3:00 p.m. **Consultation on Actions Related to Updating EPA Guidelines for Carcinogen and Noncancer Assessment**
- EPA remarks
Dr. Edward Ohanian
Chair, EPA Risk Assessment Forum and Associate Director for Science, EPA Office of Water

 - Discussion of priorities for updating guidelines for cancer and noncancer assessment
Dr. David Bussard
Co-Chair, EPA Risk Assessment Forum and Director, Washington Division, EPA National Center for Environmental Assessment

 - Discussion of priorities for updating guidelines for cancer and noncancer assessment
Dr. Honeycutt and Science Advisory Board Members
- 4:30 p.m. **Discussion of Science Advisory Board Self-Initiated Project**
Dr. Honeycutt and Science Advisory Board Members

5:15 p.m.

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Thursday, June 6, 2019

9:00 a.m.

Reconvene the Meeting

Dr. Thomas Armitage
Designated Federal Officer

9:05 a.m.

Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) Action Plan

Dr. Jennifer McLain
Acting Director, EPA Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water

Dr. Andrew Gillespie
*Associate Director, EPA National
Exposure Research Laboratory*

10:05 a.m.

Break

10:20 a.m.

**Discussion of EPA's Proposed Waters
of the U.S. Rule**

- EPA Remarks

Mr. John Goodin
*Director, EPA Office of Wetlands
Oceans and Watersheds*

- Recommendations from the
Workgroup

Dr. Alison Cullen
*Chair, Science Advisory Board
Waters of the U.S. Workgroup*

- Discussion by Science Advisory
Board Members and Disposition
of Workgroup Recommendations

Dr. Honeycutt and Science Advisory
Board Members

11:45 a.m.

Brief Clarifying Public Comments

Registered Speakers

12:00 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Dr. Michael Honeycutt

12:15 p.m.

Adjourn

Dr. Thomas Armitage
Designated Federal Officer