

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

[EPA-HQ-OW-2015-0056; FRL-9934-08-OW]

**National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology: Assumable Waters Subcommittee; Notice of Public Meetings****AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Notice of Federal Advisory Subcommittee Meetings.

**SUMMARY:** Consistent with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, EPA is giving notice of two upcoming public meetings of the Assumable Waters Subcommittee convened under the National Advisory Council for Environmental Policy and Technology (NACEPT). The Assumable Waters Subcommittee will provide advice and recommendations as to how the EPA can best clarify assumable waters for dredge and fill permit programs pursuant to Clean Water Act section 404(g)(1). The EPA is undertaking this effort to support states and tribes that wish to assume the program. Similar to the parent NACEPT, the subcommittee represents a diversity of interests from academia, industry, non-governmental organizations, and local, State, and tribal governments. Meeting agendas and materials will be posted at [www2.epa.gov/cwa-404/assumable-waters-sub-committee](http://www2.epa.gov/cwa-404/assumable-waters-sub-committee).

**DATES:** The Assumable Waters Subcommittee will hold two-day public meetings on:

- October 6–7, 2015, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., in the William Jefferson Clinton Building in Washington, DC.
- December 1–2, 2015, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., in the One Potomac Yard Building in Arlington, VA.

**ADDRESSES:**

- William Jefferson Clinton Building, Room B305 North, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460.
- One Potomac Yard, Ground Floor, 2777 Crystal Dr. Arlington, VA 22202.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Laura Bachle, Designated Federal Officer, via Email at: Assumable, by phone: (202) 566-2468, via postal service at: U.S. EPA, Office of Wetlands Oceans and Watersheds, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Requests to make oral comments or to provide written comments to the Assumable Waters Subcommittee should be sent to Laura Bachle via Email at: [assumablewaters@epa.gov](mailto:assumablewaters@epa.gov) by

September 25, 2015, for the October meeting and by November 16, 2015, for the December meeting. The meetings are open to the public, with limited seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. Members of the public wishing to attend should contact Laura Bachle via Email at: [assumablewaters@epa.gov](mailto:assumablewaters@epa.gov) or by phone at: (202) 566-2468 by September 25, 2015, for the October meeting and by November 16, 2015, for the December meeting. Public comments will heard from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on October 7, 2015, and December 2, 2015.

**Meeting Access:** Information regarding accessibility and/or accommodations for individuals with disabilities should be directed to Laura Bachle at the email address or phone number listed above. To ensure adequate time for processing, please make requests for accommodations at least 10 days prior to the meeting.

Dated: September 9, 2015.

**Benita Best-Wong,**

Director, Office of Wetlands, Oceans, and Watersheds.

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[EPA-HQ-OECA-2015-0628; FRL-9933-77-OECA]

**Public Comment on EPA's National Enforcement Initiatives for Fiscal Years 2017-2019****AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Notice of public comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is soliciting public comment and recommendations on national enforcement initiatives (NEI) for fiscal years 2017-2019. EPA selects these initiatives every three years in order to focus federal resources on the most important environmental problems where noncompliance is a significant contributing factor and where federal enforcement attention can make a difference. The current initiatives as well as potential new initiatives under consideration are described in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section, with additional descriptions and data on current initiatives available on our Web site: <http://www2.epa.gov/enforcement/national-enforcement-initiatives>.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before October 14, 2015.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments via [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), identified by Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OECA-2015-0628; FRL-9933-77-OECA. Follow the on-line instructions for submitting comments.

**Instructions:** Direct your comments to Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OECA-2015-0628. EPA's policy is that all comments received will be included in the public docket without change and may be made available online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), including any personal information provided, unless the comment includes information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

Do not submit information that you consider to be CBI or otherwise protected through [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). The [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) Web site is an "anonymous access" system, which means EPA will not know your identity or contact information unless you provide it in the body of your comment. If you send an email comment directly to EPA without going through [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), your email address will be automatically captured and included as part of the comment that is placed in the public docket and made available on the Internet. If you submit an electronic comment, EPA recommends that you include your name and other contact information in the body of your comment and with any disk or CD-ROM you submit. If EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, EPA may not be able to consider your comment.

Electronic files should avoid the use of special characters, any form of encryption, and be free of any defects or viruses.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Daniel Palmer, Deputy Director, Planning Measures and Oversight Division, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, Mail Code: M2221A, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: 202-564-5034; fax number: 202-564-0027; email address: [Palmer.Daniel@epa.gov](mailto:Palmer.Daniel@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. What are EPA enforcement and compliance national initiatives?**

EPA is soliciting public comment and recommendations on national enforcement initiatives to be undertaken in fiscal years 2017-2019. EPA selects these initiatives every three years in order to focus federal resources on the most important environmental problems