# Field Activities Committee (FAC) Meeting Summary

### March 15, 2016

#### 1. Roll call and Minutes:

Chair, Kevin Holbrooks called the FAC meeting to order on March 15, 2016 at 11:06am Eastern by teleconference. Attendance is recorded in Attachment A – there were 6 members present. Associate Members: None.

Committee minutes will continue to be reviewed and approved by email.

#### 2. Scope Guidance Subcommittee

Larry has agreed to Chair the subcommittee. Larry, Troy, Scott, Maggie and Justin are the other members of the subcommittee. The goal is to have a solid draft for the August meeting.

#### 3. ANSI

Work on the ANSI approval will begin in May.

#### 4. Implementation Tools Subcommittee

The subcommittee hasn't met in a year. Ilona will take a look at what the subcommittee was working on and send this to the Committee before the next meeting.

#### 5. Summer Meeting in Orange County, CA

The committee will meet on Tuesday afternoon. Ilona reminded everyone about the FSMO workshop. Justin Brown and Kim Watson (Chair of NEFAP EC) will lead the workshop. There will also be a webinar in May lead by Marlene and possibly John Moore.

#### 6. New Business

• None.

#### 7. Action Items

The table in Attachment C summarizes all action items. See notes on table.

## 8. Next Meeting

The next meeting will be on April 19<sup>th</sup>, third Tuesday of the month – 11am EST. (Addition: April meeting canceled. Next meeting May 17, 2016.)

Attachment B summarizes Advocacy. Action Items are included in Attachment C and Attachment D includes a listing of reminders.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 am Eastern. (Motion: Mike Second: Shannon Unanimously approved.)

# Attachment A Participants TNI Field Activities Committee

Members	Affiliation	Balance	Contact Information		
Kevin Holbrooks (Chair) <b>Present</b>	Jacksonville Electric Authority	Other	904-537-6948	holbke@jea.com	
Troy Burrows  Absent	STAC (Golden Specialty)	AB	(800) 429-8445	tburrows@goldenspecialty.com	
Maggie Cangro  Absent	Catalyst Air Management, Inc.	FSMO	(813)994-5880	maggie.cangro@catalystair.com	
Andora Nguyen  Present	Eurofins Eaton Analytical	Other	(626) 386- 1159	AndoraNguyen@eurofinsUS.com	
Larry Duty (Vice-Chair) Absent	E-Lab Consultants	Other	(832)364-0173	lduty@e-labdc.com	
Craig Forbes  Absent	HRSD-Pretreatment & Pollution Prevention Division	FSMO	(757)460-7043	CFORBES@HRSD.COM	
Tom Martins  Present	NYCEP	FSMO	(914) 397-7935	martinst@dep.nyc.gov	
Harry O'Neill  Absent	Beacon Environmental Services, Inc.	FSMO	(410) 838-8780 Ext. 113	Harry.ONeill@Beacon-usa.com	
Scott Haas  Present	Environmental Testing, Inc.	FSMO	405-488-2400	SHaas@etilab.com	
Mike Shepherd  Present	L-A-B (Shepherd Technical Services)	AB	512-970-6789	mike@sheptechserv.com	
Shannon Swantek  Present	Oregon Public Health Division	AB	(503) 693-4130	shannon.swantek@state.or.us	
Angela Zevely  Absent	LG&E and KU Energy, LLC	Other	(502) 347-4196	angela.zevely@lge-ku.com	
Ilona Taunton (Program Administrator) Present	The NELAC Institute		(828)712-9242	Ilona.taunton@nelac- institute.org	

# **Attachment B**

# NEFAP ADVOCACY SCHEDULE

Organization	Event	Type of Presentation	<b>Event Dates</b>	Presenter	
Past Events					
Midwest Groundwater 2009 Annual Midwest Groundwater Conference		Poster	October 15, 2009	Justin Brown	
National Groundwater Association	2010 National Groundwater Summit	Speaking	April 13, 2010	Justin Brown	
US Department of Defense	2010 EDQW	Speaking	April 15, 2010	Justin Brown	
AEHS Foundation, Inc	26th Annual International Conference on Soils, Sediments, Water, and Energy	Poster	October 18, 2010	Declined Invitation (nobody to present)	
US Environmental Protection Agency	20 <sup>th</sup> Annual Quality Assurance Conference	Speaking	October 20, 2010	Jo Ann Boyd	
Pacific Northwest Clean Water Association	2010 Annual Conference	Speaking	October 26, 2010	Keith Champman	
NWEC	2010 Northwest Environmental Conference	Speaking	December 6, 2010	Scott Hoatson	
Midwest Water Analysts Association	2011 Winter Expo	Speaking	January 28, 2011	Justin Brown	
Battelle	Battelle for the International Conference on Remediation of Contaminated Sediments	Poster	February 7, 2011	Declined Invitation (nobody to present)	
SSAAP	Stationary Source Sampling and Analysis for Air Pollutants XXXV Conference	Speaking	March 20, 2011	Scott Evans	
American Water Works Association	2011 Watercon	Speaking	March 20, 2011	Justin Brown	
US Department of Defense	2011 EDQW	Speaking	March 28, 2011	Justin Brown	
ASQ	2011 ASQ Energy and Environment Conference	Speaking		Randy Querry	
US Environmental Protection Agency	2011 Annual EPA Quality Assurance Conference	Speaking	October 18, 2011	Jo Ann Boyd	
Midwest Environmental Laboratory Stakeholders	2011 MELSS Annual Meeting	Speaking	December 2, 2011	Justin Brown	
·	2012 Environmental Regulatory and Compliance Conference	Speaking		Calista Daigle	
US Environmental Protection Agency	2012 On-site testing conference	Speaking	January 23, 2012	Lauren Smith	
US Department of Defense	2012 EDQW	Speaking	March 2012	Justin Brown/ Marlene Moore	

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Stack Testing Accreditation Council	Accreditation Council Society Annual Conference		March 7, 2012	Maggie Cangro
Texas Commission for Environmental Quality  2012 TCEQ Environmental Trade Fair and Conference		Speaking	May 1, 2012	Mike Shepard
US Environmental Protection Agency	2012 Annual EPA Quality Assurance Conference	Speaking	October 15, 2012	Jo Ann Boyd
PIANC USA/ COPRI ASCE	2012 Dredging PIANC/ COPRI ASCE	Speaking	October 22, 2012	Declined Invitation (nobody to present)
Environmental Protection Agency / Dept. of Homeland Security	2013 On-site Analysis Conference	Speaking	January 23, 2013	Lauren Smith
Louisiana Water Environment Association	21st Annual Technical Exhibition and Conference Louisiana Water Environment Association Conference	Speaking	April 18, 2013	Tracy Szerszen
Oregon Environmental Laboratory Association	OELA/ORELAP Annual Environmental Lab Workshop	Speaking	May 16, 2013	Kim Watson
Florida Society of Environmental Analysts	2013 FSEA Annual Spring Meeting and Technical Session	Speaking/ Technical Seminar	May 22, 2013	John Moorman
State Assessor Forum	Conference Call	Speaking / Q&A	July 22, 2013	Justin Brown Marlene Moore
US Army Corp of Engineers	Regional Workshop	Speaking	September 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2013	John Moorman
US Environmental Protection Agency	2013 Annual EPA Quality Assurance Conference Conference	Speaking	October 14, 2013	Jo Ann Boyd
Florida Society of Environmental Analysts	Field Quality Systems Workshop	Speaking	October 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2013	John Moorman
Illinois Association of Environmental Testing Labs	Midwest Environmental Stakeholder Summit	Speaking	December 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2013  Jerry Parr	
TWUA	??	Speaking	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2015	JoAnn Boyd
US Environmental Protection Agency	2014 Annual EPA Quality Assurance Conference	Speaking	October 24, 2014	Jo Ann Boyd
TCEQ	TCQ Trade Fair	Speaking	May 5, 2015	Marlene Moore
NEMC/TNI	NEMC Conference – Full Day Training: Sample Collection Design and Accreditation – Is Your Sample Data Defensibile?	Speaking		
<b>Upcoming Events</b>				

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# **Attachment C**

# **Action Items – FAC**

			Expected	Actual
	Action Item	Who	Completion	Completion
47	Update Presentation Summary and distribute before meetings. (Prepare table of speaking engagements. This will be added to minutes and website. Follow-up with Scott Hoatson, Jan and other committee members to find out about other speaking engagements to add to the summary table being prepared.)	JoAnn Justin	Each Meeting	Ongoing  1-15-13: Ilona meeting with William to set this up to add to website.  4/20/13: Ilona requested status update from William.
61	Update presentation and distribute for review. (General presentation people can use when attending conferences.)	Justin JoAnn	March 5, 2012  Needs to be updated by 3/31/13.	Presentation was done, but not reviewed yet. Probably needs more updating at this point. 2/20: Update from John. He is adding some info from the white paper and will then get back to Justin and Marlene. Justin will have it back from John first week of March. Need to work on speaker notes. 5/23/13: John sending FL presentation. 7/29/13: Presentation not received.

			Expected	Actual
	Action Item	Who	Completion	Completion
				10/23/14:
				Justin will
				distribute to
				Ilona for
				finalization
				and then action
				item will be
				moved to Back
				Burner to
				remember to
				periodically
				update.
				Move to Tools
				Subcommittee.
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# **Attachment D**

# Backburner / Reminders – FAC

	Item	Meeting Reference	Comments
3	Update charter in October 2015  Analyze container issue and present initial plan to committee. Started in 2014 and summarized 4/24/15 and at the Chicago meeting in July 2015.  Subcommittee: Justin, Terrence, Kevin, Scott	2/2/11 2014	
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