



Agenda

Environment Committee Meeting

**Renaissance Washington, D.C. Downtown Hotel
Mount Vernon A
999 Ninth Street, NW, Washington, D.C.**

Oct. 16 – 17, 2017

Monday, Oct. 16

Opening Session

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Registration & Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Introductions
8:45 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	NMA Review of Priorities and Status
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Networking Break

Speaker Session

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	D. Lee Forsgren U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water, Deputy Assistant Administrator
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch <i>Speaker:</i> The State of Tailings Dam Safety Regulations in the States Charles F. Cobb, P.E., Alaska Department of Natural Resources, State Dam Safety Engineer
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Karen Hanley, Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Council, Senior Environmental Policy Advisor
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Chip Smith, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works, Assistant for Environment, Tribal & Regulatory Affairs
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Break
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Jeff Morris, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Director

David Turk,
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of
Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Toxics Release
Inventory Program Division, Chief of the
Regulatory Development Branch

4:45 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Networking Reception
Penn Quarter Room

Tuesday, Oct. 17

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Breakfast
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8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Katharine MacGregor,
U.S. Department of the Interior, Acting Assistant
Secretary for Lands and Minerals Management

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Congressional Panel

Chris Tomassi
Professional Staff
Senate Committee on Appropriations

Elizabeth Horner
Majority Counsel for Air and Climate
Senate Committee on Environment & Public
Works

Lane Dixon
Professional Staff
Senate Committee on Energy and Natural
Resources

Andrew Vecera
Staff Director
Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources
House Committee on Natural Resources

Joseph Brazauskas
Staff Director and Senior Counsel
Subcommittee on Environment
House Committee on Science, Space and
Technology

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Break

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Richard "Chet" Wayland U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Air Quality Planning & Standards, Director of the Air Quality Assessment Division
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 a.m.	Samantha Dravis U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; Office of Policy; Senior Policy Counsel to the Administrator and Associate Administrator for Policy
12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Wrap-Up Session
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	UES Subcommittee Meeting NMA Office , 101 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, D.C.