# Interagency Committee On Chemical Management ICCM/Technical Team Meeting Minutes: December 8, 2021 Teams Meeting Facilitated by Peter Walke, ANR

## 1. Welcome, Agenda Review

Walke welcomed members of the ICCM and provided brief overview of the agenda.

### 2. Review and approval of October and November meeting minutes

November minutes need to add Patrick McLaughlin, DPS as attendee. Motion to approve both minutes by McLaughlin, seconded by Barth. Minutes approved.

### 3. Prioritization discussion debrief

Prioritization framework presented at CAP/Interested Parties meeting in November. No other feedback from CAP or interested parties has been received. ICCM anticipates utilizing this framework.

## 4. Discussion of launch date for ICCM nomination process

ICCM previously held off launching the nomination process due to State COVID pandemic responses and workloads/capacity. Walke asked members if the ICCM was ready to launch the process. Laughlin asked for an overview of the process. Giguere questioned if it makes sense to wait until the Health Department de-activates – staff currently have increased workloads. Jones identified that ICCM could review, but majority of the work would fall on technical team/staff. Members felt that when HOC is deactivated the ICCM could consider launching the process. Members also had concerns from a user/customer perspective that if the process launches and the ICCM is unable to move forward with nomination review, it could cause dissatisfaction. Consensus among ICCM members that when HOC is deactivated the ICCM can consider launching the process. Walke will discuss for Vose to ensure this is an appropriate approach.

### 5. Agency legislative updates and initiatives

- ANR/DEC: looking at recent private PFAS testing results, evaluating treatment of PFAS at facilities
- DPS: on-line training available for anyone looking for background information/knowledge on firefighting foam. DPS is also looking at firefighting foam alternatives that don't contain PFAS

# Adjourned 10:30 AM.

### **ICCM Members in attendance:**

Peter Walke, Agency of Natural Resources
Shawn Barth, Department of Labor
Kanika Gandhi, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
Carey Giguere, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
Ken Jones, Agency of Commerce and Community Development
PJ Telep, Agency of Digital Services
Patrick McLaughlin, Department of Public Service

# **Agency Staff in attendance:**

John Zaikowski, Agency of Natural Resources Marcella Dent, Agency of Natural Resources Jordan Gonda, Agency of Natural Resources Matt Chapman, Agency of Natural Resources Ellen ParrDoering, Agency of Natural Resources Tami Wuestenberg, Agency of Natural Resources