

Interagency Committee On Chemical Management  
ICCM/Technical Team  
Meeting Minutes: January 13, 2021  
Teams Meeting  
Facilitated by Peter Walke, DEC Commissioner

**1. Welcome, Agenda Review**

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

**2. Review and approval of December meeting minutes**

No edits or changes. Barth moved to approve December minutes. Seconded by Shively. December minutes approved.

**3. Discussion on conducting ICCM's review of TCE**

The ICCM discussed whether to conduct a review of TCE, and whether to engage in review of nominated chemicals generally, given the resources allocated to Covid-related issues. Walke concerned with setting expectations that can't be met given the resources and capacity issues. Gandhi concerned with needing additional staff to assist in the reviews and agrees it would be appropriate to hold off. Shively agreed, and asked at what point it might be helpful to reassess capacity issues. Wuestenberg advised Vose was a big driver of TCE, and her capacity is limited due to Covid issues. Walke suggested July 1 to re-evaluate capacity issues. Jones moved that the ICCM not undertake analysis of nominated chemicals until at least July 1 give Agency resources are constrained due to the Covid emergency. Seconded by Barth. Unanimous approval.

**4. Agency updates and Wrap up**

DOL: No current updates. With the incoming Biden administration, there may be updates at the next meeting

AAFPM: Changes to the VT Pesticide Advisory Council being discussed.

ACCD: No updates

AOT: Proposed ban on certain pesticides being monitored

ADS: No updates

ANR: Updates of OSHA's review of chemicals under TSCA. Updated tool for cancer/chemical exposure concerns circulated prior to the meeting and could be added to the ICCM website as a resource link. ICCM will look at the different kinds of notifications received to determine whether to bring those to the ICCM meetings for discussion. ANR not currently introducing any bills. PCBs in schools, medical monitoring, PFAS, biosolids, surface water, landfill leachate legislation being monitored.

Motion to adjourn by Jones, seconded by Shively. The ICCM adjourned.

**ICCM Members in attendance or on conference line:**

Peter Walke, Agency of Natural Resources

Ken Jones, Agency of Commerce and Community Development

Shawn Barth, Department of Labor

Kanika Gandhi, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Andy Shively, Agency of Transportation

PJ Telep, Agency of Digital Services

**Agency Staff in attendance or on conference line:**

John Zaikowski, Agency of Natural Resources

Jordan Gonda, Agency of Natural Resources

Tami Wuestenberg, Agency of Natural Resources

Chuck Schwer, Agency of Natural Resources

Eamon Twohig, Agency of Natural Resources

Rosa Mastrocola, Agency of Transportation