

Meeting Notes
AMC Implementation Work Group
Conference Call
May 27, 2004

Mike Edwards-ID
Alice Edwards-AK
Rita Trujillo-NM
Rosanne Sanchez-NM, tribal
Trista Glazier-MT
Tom Moore-WRAP
Pricilla Lei-HI
Tina Anderson-UT

Corky Martinkovic-AZ
Bob Lebens-WESTAR
Pat Cummins-WRAP
Don Arkell-WESTAR
Jean-Paul Huys-NV
Doug Latimer-EPA, R8
Brian Mitchell-NPS

EDMS report:

Tom Moore reported on the EDMS training workshop that was held earlier in May. Most states will not have complete EI data sets in July for EPA (CERR) or EDMS. The workshop was helpful in establishing for the contractor (Pechan) what EDMS data substitution and gap-filling would likely be needed to complete the 2002 base-year inventory. It also provided states' preferred approach for substitution and gap-filling. These emissions data will be the 2002 base-year EI used by the Regional Modeling Center to model current base-year impacts for the attribution of haze project. The base-year EI should be completed by October, 2004.

Pechan should make available the 2018 base-year emission projections by April 2005.

Comments on 308 and 309 "Road map"

Corky Martinkovic reported she had received no further comments on the draft document discussed on the April conference call. Corky and Ray Mohr will develop an outline, perhaps with a flowchart of critical steps in state (and tribal) planning processes for discussion and comment. They will need some help on the tribal side. The planning elements on this outline and flowchart will provide reference markers to assist the work group in review of WRAP work products.

EPA role in next round of planning:

Discussion of EPA's role with WRAP, and concern expressed by some EPA staff that the 309 SIPs did not closely follow the STIPII SIP template in a number of areas. Rosanne Sanchez thought that tribes find template format very helpful as example language for those who have not prepared TIPs. General consensus was that the value of a template for states is as an outline for actions under a plan, but EPA should not expect plans to follow word-for-word, the language of the template. Tribes may use the language of a tribal template as they wish for

their TIPs. **This recommendation should be reviewed and confirmed by AMC.**

EPA is reviewing particular points in the 309 SIPs. John Kennedy to let Don Arkell know the status of EPA review of SMPs. Don will set up a June 7 conference call for the 309 states to preview EPA current general thinking on the 309 enhanced smoke management plans prior to the June smoke management workshop.

(Note: this call has been cancelled-da)

Discussion of separating EPA role as participant and as reviewer. This was thought not to be a particular problem.

Proposed dust project for 2005:

Mike Edwards requested input from the work group on an idea that the DEJF add a project to develop a guide on alternative dust control measures for regional haze purposes. The work group thought this would be a useful project. Mike indicated it would appear on the 2005 workplan for the DEJF.

WRAP activity review-2005 workplans:

Don Arkell reported on the WRAP workplan development schedule for 2005. He suggested that the Implementation Work group should, as part of its role, review and provide comment on the draft proposals from the other forums prior to the July 19th meeting of the WRAP Planning Team. First drafts of the workplan proposals are due from the forums on June 25th. In order to have time for work group members to review these and prepare comments, the **next call is scheduled for July 7th at 1:00. PDT.**