



LSRPA Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

January 14, 2025

via Zoom Meeting 4:00 to 5:00 pm

ATTENDANCE:	
Board of Trustees (BOT)	Candace Baker, Rebecca Hollender, Michael Poland, Rakesh (Rocky). Ganta, Alex Saltzman, Brandi Gray, Sonya Ward, Kassidy Klink, Anita Locke, Patrick Mottola Absent: John Scagnelli, Chris Dailey, Marlene Lindhardt,
Steering Committee/Guests	John Oberer, Rose DeLorenzo, Bill Daddano, Dave Miller, Jeff Powley, Mark Fisher, Rodger Ferguson, Michael Morris, Jim Carey, Ted Toskos, Kerry Rapp, Dudley Warner, Michael Pague, Joe Galley, Charlene Drake, Marianne Leone, Charles Metzger, Julia Ryan, Randy Shuler, Nick DiVincent, Matthew Lev, Julian Davies, Dick Katz, Rick Shoyer, Laura Antonow, Jeff Magdon, Michelle Tomaszewski, William Call, Kevin Long, Mark Pietrucha, Erin Palko, Kim Skibo, Jeffrey Moore, Richard Britton, Ken Haduch, Kathi Stetser, Robert Schwarzkopf, Joe Postorino, Stephanie Virgin, Rayna Laiosa, Ed Claypoole MSSIA Coordinator, Two Unknown Participants via phone,
LSRPA Staff	J. Brogle, B. Entin, D. Sweeney, J. Lunski, T. Greene

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION ITEMS
WELCOME AND PRESIDENT'S UPDATE - C. Baker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome to Patrick Mottola, new BOT member taking over Jaan Haus' vacant seat. NJDEP filed new GWQS and the GWQS will be promulgated in early February NJ Register (PFAS, decreases in benzene, VC) LSRPA has first quarterly meeting with NJDEP on 1/15/2025. We will report accomplishment and goals NJDEP has previously stated that they will not be putting out a policy statement or listserv on how acutely toxic lead concentrations in soil (21,000 mg/kg) should be handled. The expectation is that LSRPs schedule a tech consultation and not simply cap lead at these concentrations. 	
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S UPDATE - J. Brogle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual meeting is January 30. You need to be a current member to vote at the annual meeting We encourage the use of EChecks - it saves you and the Association money! 	
VICE PRESIDENT – INTERNAL'S UPDATE - R. Hollender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funding from 2024 events still coming in. Will be giving out scholarships on receipt of golf proceeds. Looking at ways to generate direct donations to the Foundation. 	
VICE PRESIDENT – EXTERNAL'S UPDATE -C. Baker for M. Lindhardt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NJDEP OPRA requests/in person events are not available between January 13 and January 31 due to construction at NJDEP offices 	



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TREASURER'S REPORT - M. Poland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LSRPA checking: \$108,824 • Foundation: \$32,658 • Money Market: \$205,630 • 2024 Taxes are under way 	
GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE – J. Oberer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BOT has voted to approve updated bylaws. These bylaws will be up for vote at the January annual meeting. 	
REGULATORY OUTREACH – M. Fisher and K. Stetser	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remedial Action Permits – traditional RAP applications are still awaiting assignment. • Supplemental Certification Process/Expedited Permit Review – NJDEP still asking why they are not getting more applications. They feel it has been a success. They have received over 100 soil and 45 for groundwater. • ISRA RIP Waivers –seeing some improvement in the review. • Guidance documents: Draft Technical Impracticability (Q2), Soil SI/RI/RA al shortly), Historic Fill (just starting) , Analytical Methods (still meeting), Landfill Guidance (meeting soon) • GWQS proposed last January – probably will be in February NJ Register • Dirty Dirt rule from Solid Waste expected January 20. • SRRA 2.0 Rule Package – Due end of January. Goal to get comments to BOT for their review week of 1/20. 	
CONTINUING EDUCATION – K. Klink and J. Ryan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Close to roll out of on-demand courses – plan for roll out soon • Course planning for 2025. Looking for volunteers for presentations and ideas. 	
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE – C. Metzger and R. DeLorenzo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration is open! • There will be an Aspiring Professionals track of courses in the afternoon. • Day 1 - Welcome and opening remarks by NJDEP • Day 2 – Panel discussion on the proposed rules 	
MEMBERSHIP – B. Gray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 494 members (356 are LSRPs). Look for email to encourage people to renew membership. • Aspiring Professionals Special – You will receive an email after you renew to sign up an AP for membership for \$25. • Planning a baseball event again in 2025 • New member / AP training event with SGS 	



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ASPIRING PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEE – A. Saltzman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership change: Stephanie Virgin will be Chair, and Andrew Wadden will be Vice Chair • 2024 events: 3 in person (Sandy Hook Beach cleanup, drilling demo, AP networking event) and 7 online training • Outreach to pre-college schools. 	
RISK MANAGEMENT AND LOSS PREVENTION – B. Call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group is helping with comments on ARRCs and regs. • Candace Baker will take on as committee chair next month. 	
CONTAMINANTS OF EMERGING CONCERN/ ECOLOGICAL RISK– B. Gray for C. Barnes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PFAS Committee is still meeting – looking for new experienced PFAS professionals who are interested in serving on the committee 	
FUNDRAISING – J. Postorino	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Battle of the Bands (April 24) with NJSWEP and BCONE. Registration opening 2/1 • Cornhole – would like to hold in August – are there any conflicts? • Planning Golf Event with NJSWEP 	
SOUNDING BOARD – D. Warner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sounding Board will be announcing opportunity for younger LSRPs (3-6 years) to serve on the board. 	
OPEN DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is Candace Baker's last Steering Committee as LSRPA President. Thank you to Candace for her wonderful leadership!! 	
COMMITTEES NOT REPORTING	Finance, Legal & Legislative, Risk Management & Loss Prevention, College Outreach, Communication, Nominating, and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion	
Next Meeting	Next 2025 Steering Committee is March 25, 2025	

Respectfully Submitted,

Sonya Ward, LSRP, Secretary