

Rubbertown Community Advisory Council ***September 2015***

August 2015 meeting minutes attached

Please direct questions or comments to **rcac_facilitator@outlook.com**

RCAC next meeting:

Date: Thursday, September 10, 2015

Place: Dow Chemical Company
4300 Campground Road, Louisville 40216

Time: Buffet Dinner Served at 5:30 p.m.
Meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Agenda

6:00 – 6:10 Welcome/Introductions/Approve Minutes
Brenda Kelting, President

6:10 – 6:15 Open Mic – Community Related

6:15 – 6:20 Open Mic – Plant Related

6:20 – 6:35 Committee Reports
Membership Committee
Program Committee
Projects Committee

6:35 – 6:55 Dow Chemical Plant Update
Jana Zigrye, Regulatory Services Leader

6:55 – 7:00 Announcements/Adjournment

7:00 – 7:45 **Dow Chemical Plant Tour**

<p>NEXT MEETING: OCTOBER 8, 2015 CANE RUN ELEMENTARY • 3951 CANE RUN ROAD</p>

Meeting Minutes – Rubbertown Community Advisory Council

Date: August 13, 2015 **Scheduled Time:** 6:00 – 7:20 p.m.

Place: MSD Maintenance Facility, 3050 Commerce Center Place, Louisville, KY 40211

<p><u>Community Members</u> <u>Present</u> Gerald Gammons Martha Gammons Paul Graf Earl Hartlage Brenda Kelting Kenneth Madison Richard Springston Gordon Welker Ed White Mary Jo Wimsatt Jerry Woolridge Jean Zappa</p>	<p><u>Community Members</u> <u>Absent</u> Phillip Ball Peggy Bolton Freddie George Beverly Jones Barbara Paulin Joyce Korfhage Rhea Matt Rhodes Diane Vogel Joe Wagner</p>	<p><u>Guests</u> David Wright, LFPL – Shively Rachel Smith, LFPL Kelby Price, Lou. Mini-Maker Faire Vince Pinnick, Reynold Consumer Products</p> <p><u>Facilitation and Minutes</u> Cheryl Fisher, Facilitator</p>
<p><u>Companies</u> ASRC Arkema Carbide Industries Chemours Dow Chemical DuPont Hexion Lubrizol MSD PolyOne Zeon</p>	<p><u>Company Reps</u> Rich Robinson, Kathy Cameron ----- Corinne Greenberg Richard Jarowski Jana Zigrye ----- Todd Trowbridge Alice Simpson Adraine Ritman, Gary Kohler ----- Lori Carson, Tom Herman</p>	<p><u>Key Managers</u> Guillaume Coiraton Nathan Clark Dan Wharton ----- Brian Callahan ----- ----- ----- ----- ----- -----</p>

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6:20 – 6:35	LFPL Resources - David Wright, Manager, LFPL - Shively/Newman
6:35 – 6:50	Plant SARA Summaries - Corinne Greenberg, Carbide Industries
6:50 – 7:10	Brief Committee Meetings <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Membership Committee• Program Committee• Projects Committee
7:10 – 7:20	Announcements/Adjournment - Brenda Kelting, President

Welcome/Introductions

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Brenda Kelting, RCAC President. Introductions were made by all present. The RCAC mission, vision, and ground rules were read.

Open Mic – Community-Related

Facilitator announcements:

- Dave French, longtime RCAC member and past president, has passed away. A copy of the obituary was brought to the meeting.
- Thank you to all of the volunteers for the EMA Safety Fair.
- The Park DuValle Health Fair will be next Saturday from 11:00 am-3:00 pm. Please stop by the RCAC booth if you come to the fair.
- The Charlie Hunton award nomination forms will be available next month.

Brian Callahan announced that Dow Chemical is a proud sponsor of the Louisville Mini-Maker Faire®. He introduced Kelby Price, who gave details of the 3rd annual fair, which will be held on Saturday, September 19, from 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. on the street in the 700 and 800 blocks of West Main Street. The event is free. They are seeking volunteers and sponsors. (<http://makerfairelou.org/>)

Jana Zigrye discussed details for the September RCAC meeting, which will be held at the Dow Chemical. Upon arrival, park in the visitor parking and proceed to the gatehouse. The meeting will be held in the fire station on site, which is a short half block walk from the gatehouse. If you are unable to make the walk, a shuttle will be available to transport you to the meeting location. Tours of the plant will be conducted by van.

Jean Zappa thanked American Synthetic Rubber Company, Arkema, Hexion, and Chemours for sponsoring the annual fundraising banquet for the Shively Area Ministries to be held on September 24 at the Crowne Plaza. She also thanked Hexion for providing 500 backpacks for their backpack program.

Open Mic – Plant-Related

Mike O'Donnell stated that John Yarmuth, US Senator, will visit the Arkema plant on Friday, September 4.

Todd Trowbridge announced that Jeff Anderson has left his position as Hexion plant manager. Hexion is currently searching for a new plant manager. Peter Raymond, former Environmental Manager, has left Hexion as well. Contact Todd Trowbridge for any questions regarding environmental, safety, and health matters at the Hexion plant.

Guillaume Coiraton announced that ASRC will have a planned shutdown for maintenance work starting on August 14. By August 20, the site will have at least fifteen cranes on site performing work. Evacuation drills are also planned during the shutdown. Start-up is scheduled for August 30 or 31. Normal operation will resume in September.

LFPL Resources - David Wright, Manager, LFPL - Shively/Newman

David Wright, LFPL Shively Branch, discussed free services offered through the public library such as health resources and databases, including subscriptions to Health Source and MedLine. The library can also help community members set up emergency response services, such as Code Red registration. He invited the group to participate in hands-only CPR classes offered on September 2 and September 23 from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. at the Shively branch through a partnership with the American Heart Association. Call (502) 574-1730 to register.

Rachel Smith introduced the group to LYNDIA.com, a database of more than 3200 online tutorials. This service is available through the library website with membership.

Plant SARA Summaries - Corinne Greenberg, Carbide Industries

Corinne Greenberg distributed the annual SARA 313 Toxic Release Inventory from each RCAC company and gave a brief history on the reports. She discussed the various categories of releases on each report. There was discussion on the variability of the numbers from previous years and a suggestion was made to include footnotes in future reports to explain why the numbers changed from year to year.

Announcements

Earl Hartlage spoke about a literacy project headed by a retired GE executive that is underway that will change the way that English is learned. The group leading the project is considering starting the project in Lake Dreamland. He will keep the group informed on any updates that he learns.

August meeting minutes were approved. The meeting was adjourned at 6:53 p.m. to committee meetings.