

TRI-CITIES DIOXIN COMMUNITY MEETING
May 7, 2008
6:30 - 9:30 p.m.*
Horizons Center, 6200 State Street, Saginaw

*Presenters (e.g., the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality [MDEQ], U.S. Environmental Protection Agency [U.S. EPA], Michigan Department of Community Health [MDCH], and The Dow Chemical Company [Dow]) will be available for individual discussion starting at 6:00 p.m. and at Open House Stations for a half hour after the formal portion of the meeting.

6:30 p.m.	Welcome, Ground Rules, and Agenda (<i>Chuck Nelson, Facilitator</i>) Opening Remarks and Introductions (<i>MDEQ Deputy Director Jim Sygo</i>)
6:40 p.m.	Summary of Dow's 2007 Sampling Data for Middle Tittabawassee River, Saginaw River, and Saginaw Bay (<i>Dow</i>)
7:10 p.m.	Fish and Wild Game Advisory Development Process (<i>MDCH</i>)
7:20 p.m.	Clarifications and Questions
7:25 p.m.	Residential Assessment Sampling Activities (<i>U.S. EPA/MDEQ</i>)
7:40 p.m.	Clarifications and Questions
7:45 p.m.	Interim Response Activities During the 2008 Field Season (<i>MDEQ</i>)
8:05 p.m.	Clarifications and Questions
8:10 p.m.	Natural Resource Damage Assessment Trustees' Assessment Plan (<i>U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service</i>)
8:15 p.m.	Questions and Discussion (<i>All - Facilitated by Chuck Nelson</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agenda Topics • Other Related Matters • Future Agenda Topics • Next Scheduled Community Meeting: August 7 • Final 2008 Community Meeting: November 6 • Wrap-up/Adjourn Formal Presentations
9:00 – 9:30 p.m.	<u>One-on-One Q&A Using "Open House" Stations Format</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All presenters will have tables available and representatives of the agencies/companies may be circulating to talk with meeting attendees

COMMUNITY MEETING GROUND RULES

1. Community Meetings will start and stop on time. Presenters will be available for one-on-one discussion as indicated before and after the meeting as indicated at the top of the agenda.
2. Presenters are expected to conclude presentations on time, with a two-minute warning given by the facilitator in advance of the presentation end time to allow for wrap up. Provisions are made in the agenda for rebuttal comments following presentations.

A couple clarifying questions from the audience are allowed immediately following the conclusion of presentations and rebuttal comments, depending upon adherence to the agenda schedule. Ample time for additional questions is provided at the end of the meeting.
3. One person speaks at a time after acknowledgment from the facilitator.
4. Respect all attendees.
5. Respect the facilitator's authority.
6. Be honest.
7. Attendee participation is encouraged, but the Community Meeting will follow the agenda and speakers should limit their comments to make sure everyone who wishes to speak has an opportunity to do so.
8. Show sensitivity.
9. Speak up and speak clearly.
10. Community Meetings will be open and transparent.
11. Questions and comments during Community Meetings may be submitted anonymously on an index card to be read by the facilitator.
12. Agendas and information related to Community Meetings will be posted on the MDEQ's Web site (<http://www.michigan.gov/deq/dioxin>; click on the *MDEQ/Dow Community Involvement* Quick Link). Other Web links regarding Midland/Tittabawassee River/Saginaw River and Bay Contamination and Dow Hazardous Waste Facility Operating License and Corrective Action Information:

<http://www.michigan.gov/tittabawassee>

<http://www.deq.state.mi.us/documents/deq-dow-framework-final1-20-05.pdf>

http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,1607,7-135-3312_4118_4240-53424--,00.html