

# South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control Update

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Governor's Nuclear Advisory  
Council Meeting

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# Savannah River Site Updates

- Draft Plutonium Environmental Impact Statement
- Saltstone Disposal Facility
- High Level Waste Tank Closure

# Plutonium

- Draft Surplus Plutonium Disposition Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement
- Attended Public Hearing on September 4, 2012
- SCDHEC is not planning to submit comments

# Saltstone Disposal Facility

- Regulated by SC DHEC
- Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) raised questions in 4-30-12 Technical Evaluation Report
- SC DHEC will cooperate with DOE and NRC as concerns are resolved
- SC DHEC permit requires monitoring into future
- Startup date for SWPF by 10-31-15

# High Level Waste Tank Closure

- Tanks 18 and 19 filled
  - Closure milestone is 12-31-12
- H Tank Farm General Closure Plan approved on 8-2-12
- Working on Tanks 5 and 6