

# Summary

## Lead Rule Stakeholder Meeting-Tukwila

10/21/2015 , 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

All handout materials from the meeting can be found at

<http://www.lni.wa.gov/Safety/Rules/WhatsNew/LeadSafety/default.asp>

### Attendees

#### L&I

Anne Soiza, **DOSH**

Jeff Killip, **DOSH**

Lezlie Perrin, **DOSH**

Devin Proctor, **DOSH**

Cheryl Christian, **DOSH**

Veda Moline, **DOSH**

Kevin Walder, **DOSH**

Dave Bonauto, **SHARP**

Todd Schoonover, **SHARP**

#### WSDOT, Department of Transportation

Steve Rockwell,

#### WA State Department of Commerce

*Lead Based Paint Program*

Dano Simmers

Bob Angeline

Cynthia Sanderson

#### WA State Department of Health

Elisabeth Long

#### Amec Foster Wheeler

Susan Kimball

#### Association of General Contractors of

#### WA

Mandi Kime

#### INND/The Institute of Neurotoxicology and Neurological

Steven Gilbert

#### Public Health, Seattle King County

Steve Whittaker

Karmen Schuemann **Forum Consulting**

#### Andersen Construction

Chad Sproule

Matt Rolf

#### NW Laborers Employers Training

Kevin McDonald

#### University of WA

Marty Cohon

Esi Nkyekyer, MD

#### WFSE 1488

Jay Herzmark

#### EPA

Kim Farnham

#### ITR

Kerry Summers

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## **Argus Pacific, Inc**

Conor Foley

## **AWB**

Bob Battles

## **National Rifle Association**

Brian Judy

## **City of Tacoma**

Rick Cole

## **NICA**

Kris Albert

## **Phillip 66**

Dale Thonjon

Thomas Lisk

## **WA Association Sheriffs and Police**

**Chiefs** James McMahan,

## **Sharp Shooting**

Robin Ball

## **Background/Goals-** Anne Soiza/Jeff Killip

In her opening remarks Ms. Soiza welcomed everyone to the meeting and described that the Lead Rule Stakeholder Meeting was the result of a petition filed with the department in 2013. She also described how the Division of Occupational Safety and Health wants to hear what changes to the lead requirements stakeholders would like to see. The rulemaking process may be quite lengthy but the results are always better as a result of public participation.

## **Lead 101 - Cheryl Christian**

Ms. Christian completed a presentation explaining DOSH's lead safety requirements for both general industry and construction.

## **Comments**

Question regarding lead in construction: Is there a requirement to submit their blood levels?

Childhood lead levels are recorded with the Washington State Department of Health. When a lab takes a blood level of a patient it is reported to the DOH. The adult blood levels are reported to DOH and to the SHARP ABLES program for follow-up. Currently, elevated blood leads over 25 ug/dl are considered for referral to DOSH Compliance. Rules must be easy to use and understand.

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## **Rulemaking 101 - Devin Proctor**

Mr. Proctor completed a presentation explaining the rulemaking process.

### **Ideas for future meetings**

- What is the “state of the state” regarding the science for occupational lead exposure? What do we know now about occupational lead exposure?
- Presentations from outside experts including Michael Kosnett, MD, MPH from the University of Colorado, Denver. Kosnett is working on the CalOSHA project to update their lead safety requirements.
- Comparison of current DOSH and OSHA lead requirements.

### **Group discussion**

A group discussion ended regarding lead resulting in the action items below.

### **Action Items:**

- SHARP data of employees exposed to lead. Two threshold levels discussed: 10ug/m<sup>3</sup> (CDC level) and 25 ug/m<sup>3</sup>.
- DOSH inspection data involving lead
  - % lead inspections vs total inspections
  - Five year summary of the lead standard exposure findings
  - include IH lab air exposure test results
- Lead Chemical Action Plan (CAP) from DOE – make available
- Seattle King County Public Health petition – make available

### **Next meeting 12/14/15 @ Tukwila from 9-noon**

Call in information to be provided via listserv / website