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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7843-6]

### Interagency Project To Clean Up Open Dumps on Tribal Lands: Request for Proposals

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The Tribal Solid Waste Interagency Workgroup (Workgroup) is soliciting proposals for its seventh year of the Tribal Open Dump Cleanup Project (Cleanup Project). Since FY99, the Workgroup has funded approximately \$13.4 million in projects. In FY04, the Interagency Workgroup made approximately \$2.5 million available to fully or partially fund 24 selected projects. A similar amount of funding is projected for FY05. The Cleanup Project is part of a federal effort to help tribes comprehensively address their solid waste needs. The purpose of the Cleanup Project is to assist with closing or upgrading tribal high-threat waste disposal sites and providing alternative disposal and integrated solid waste management.

The Workgroup was established in April 1998 to coordinate federal assistance to tribes in bringing their waste disposal sites into compliance with the municipal solid waste landfill criteria (40 CFR part 258). Current Workgroup members include representatives from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA); the Indian Health Service (IHS); and the Departments of Agriculture and Defense. EPA has issued docket number RCRA-2004-0018 for this Notice.

**Criteria:** Eligible recipients of assistance under the Open Dump Cleanup Project include federally recognized tribes and intertribal consortiums. A full explanation of the submittal process, the qualifying requirements, and the criteria that will be used to evaluate proposals for this project may be found in the Request for Proposals package.

**DATES:** For consideration, proposals must be received by close of business on January 31, 2005. Proposals postmarked on or before but not received by the closing date will not be considered.

Please do not rely solely on overnight mail to meet the deadlines.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** Copies of the Request for Proposals package may be downloaded from the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/tribalmsw> by clicking on the "Grants/Funding" link. Copies may also be obtained by contacting EPA, IHS or BIA regional or area offices or one of the following Workgroup representatives:

EPA—Christopher Dege, 703-308-2392 or Charles Bearfighter Reddoor 703-308-8245.

IHS—Steve Aoyama, 301-443-1046.

BIA—Debbie McBride, 202-208-3606.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPT-2004-0121; FRL-7686-1]

### National Advisory Committee for Acute Exposure Guideline Levels for Hazardous Substances; Notice of Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** A meeting of the National Advisory Committee for Acute Exposure Guideline Levels for Hazardous Substances (NAC/AEGL Committee) will be held on December 13-15, 2004, in Washington, DC. At this meeting, the NAC/AEGL Committee will address, as time permits, the various aspects of the acute toxicity and the development of Acute Exposure Guideline Levels (AEGLs) for the following chemicals: Acetone; acrolein; biphenyl; butadiene; chloroacetaldehyde; chloroform; dimethylamine; epichlorohydrin; ethyl mercaptan; hexafluoroacetone; methyl chlorosilane; methyl dichlorosilane; methylene chloride; N,N,-dimethylformamide; nitric oxide; nitrogen dioxide; nitrogen mustards; peracetic acid; perchloromethyl mercaptan; propionaldehyde; tetrachloroethylene; trichloroethylene; vinyl acetate monomer.

**DATES:** A meeting of the NAC/AEGL Committee will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on December 13, 2004; 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on December 14, 2004 and from 8:00 a.m. to noon on December 15, 2004.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the U.S. Department of Labor, 200

Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210, Room numbers C5515 1A and 1B.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For general information contact: Colby Lintner, Regulatory Coordinator, Environmental Assistance Division (7408M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; telephone number: (202) 554-1404; e-mail address: [TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov](mailto:TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov).

For technical information contact: Paul S. Tobin, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), Economics, Exposure, and Technology Division (7403M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; telephone number: (202) 564-8557; e-mail address: [tobin.paul@epa.gov](mailto:tobin.paul@epa.gov).

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. General Information

#### A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may be of particular interest to anyone who may be affected if the AEGL values are adopted by government agencies for emergency planning, prevention, or response programs, such as EPA's Risk Management Program under the Clean Air Act and Amendments Section 112r. It is possible that other Federal agencies besides EPA, as well as State agencies and private organizations, may adopt the AEGL values for their programs. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the DFO listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

#### B. How Can I Get Copies of this Document and Other Related Information?

1. *Docket.* EPA has established an official public docket for this action under docket identification (ID) number OPPT-2004-0121. The official public docket consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received, and other information related to this action. Although a part of the official docket, the public docket does not include Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. The official public docket is the collection of materials that is available for public viewing at the EPA Docket Center, Rm. B102-Reading Room, EPA West, 1301 Constitution