Agenda

Meeting of NCRP Program Area Committee 1
on Basic Criteria, Epidemiology, Radiobiology and Risk
Sunday, March 15, 2015;
Potomac/Patuxent Rooms
Hyatt Regency Bethesda
Bethesda, Maryland

8:30 am Breakfast available
9:00 am Welcoming remarks (Held and Woloschak) and self introductions of participants
9:10 am Minutes from meeting on March 9, 2014 (attached)
9:15 am Update on WARP initiative/CC-2 (Dr. Toohey)
9:30 am Status of reports and commentaries

• Completed since last PAC1 meeting
  o SC 1-22 Radiation Protection for Astronauts (co-Chairs: Dudley Goodhead and Julian Preston) - Commentary published

• Active Committees
  o 9:30 am SC 1-23 Guidance on Radiation Dose Limits for the Lens of the Eye (co-Chairs: Ellie Blakely and Larry Dauer); see http://www.ncrponline.org/Current_Prog/SC_1-23.html
  o 9:45 am SC 1-20 Biological Effectiveness of Photons as a Function of Energy (Chair: S. Simon; P. Chang reporting); see http://www.ncrponline.org/Current_Prog/SC_1-20.html

10:45 am Discussion of other NCRP activities (Held and Woloschak)

• Topic of 2016 NCRP Meeting: “Meeting the needs of the Nation in Radiation Protection”
Feed-back wanted on “trial” initiatives started last year

- Having all Council members become associates/observers to a PAC
- All-PAC joint session after individual PAC meetings at annual meeting

11:15 am Discussion of potential new projects/opportunities for NCRP PAC1 to pursue

- Possible initiatives discussed previously
  - Study of Cardiovascular and Cerebrovascular Risk from Radiation: Risk Assessment and Implications for Radiation Protection (draft white paper by Roy Shore and Gayle Woloschak) - attached
  - Dose and Dose-Rate Effectiveness Factor (DDREF): The Concepts and the Uncertainties (draft white paper by Joel Bedford) – attached

- Other ideas?

11:40 am Drs. Boice, Kase and Cool to discuss Council Committee 1 (CC-1) activities regarding radiation protection guidance for the USA; see http://www.ncrponline.org/Current_Prog/CC_1.html

12:20 pm Lunch provided

1:00 pm Discussion of potential new projects/opportunities - continued

1:30 pm Discussion re PAC1 membership

1:45 pm Summary and Action Items

2:00 pm Adjourn PAC1

2:30 pm Meeting of all PACs for brief presentations on activities of each PAC and remarks by NCRP President, Dr. Boice