

About NARPM



National Association of
Remedial Project Managers
Annual Training Program



May 24-28, 2010 • Potomac Yard • Arlington, Virginia

The National Association of Remedial Project Managers (NARPM) promotes the exchange of information between RPMs from all U.S. EPA regional offices, provides a forum where RPMs discuss regional and national issues of concern, and identifies ways that RPMs respond to those issues.

The objectives of the NARPM Annual Training Program are to provide opportunities for RPMs across the country to:

- ◆ Obtain relevant training designed specifically for RPMs.
- ◆ Network and exchange information about policies, technologies, cleanup strategies, and lessons learned.
- ◆ Assist RPMs with their career development.



PROGRAM AGENDA

Great Falls National Park, Virginia

20 Years of Training



NARPM is celebrating its 20th annual training program this year!

There will be special events planned throughout the week and the NARPM Council plans to present a one-time Special Achievement Award during the opening ceremony on Monday, May 24, 2010. In addition, there will be a NARPM Anniversary Poster available in the Resource Area.

Networking Opportunities

One of the primary objectives of the annual training program is to network and exchange information about technologies, cleanup strategies, and lessons learned. Special events are planned to provide opportunities, outside of training times, to support this objective:

- ◆ **Monday, May 24 – Resource Area & Poster Session Open House** offers exhibits and information that RPMs find useful when they complete remedial site activities.
- ◆ **Wednesday, May 26 – Brown Bag in the Ballroom** provides an excellent opportunity to meet the NARPM Co-Chairs, NARPM Council Regional Representatives, and staff from EPA's OSRTI and FFRRO. Attendees gather in one place to network and share experiences with each other. Lunch items will be available for purchase.
- ◆ **Thursday, May 27 – Annual NARPM Picnic**
Join the NARPM attendees to celebrate a week of training at a local area park and one last opportunity to network.

National Priorities of EPA

- ◆ Taking action on climate change
- ◆ Improving air quality
- ◆ Assuring the safety of chemicals
- ◆ Cleaning up our communities
- ◆ Protecting America's waters
- ◆ Expanding the conversation on environmentalism and working for environmental justice
- ◆ Building strong state and tribal partnerships

This year's training program supports several of the national priorities identified by EPA Administrator Lisa P. Jackson. Many sessions integrate and focus on principles of community engagement and environmental justice and provide tools and resources for RPMs to assist at their sites.

Tracks for 2010 Training Program

- Community Engagement and Environmental Justice
- Investigation, Design, Remediation, and Post Construction
- Technology and Contaminant-Specific Topics
- Resources & Tools

	8:00 a.m.	8:15 a.m.	8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:15 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:15 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Monday May 24	Morning Training Courses Advance Negotiation Problem Solving NEW M Advancing the Virtual Connection: Tools and Strategies for RPMs RCRA for RPMs NEW Stand and Deliver Effective Presentations You Mean There is More Than Superfund...? Basics of Environmental Statutes NEW 12											Opening Plenary Session EPA Headquarters Welcome and the 20 th Annual NARPM Training Program Opening Plenary Session											
	TSP and Contaminated Sediment Forum Business Meetings Contaminated Sediment Forum Business Session Federal Facilities Forum Business Meeting											Lunch on Your Own											
Tuesday May 25	Plenary Session	Network	Panel and Information Sessions Federal Facilities Mining Real World Applications of Institutional Controls at Superfund Sites NEW						Panel and Information Sessions Discussion of New Institutional Control Measures, Policies, Enforcement Tools, Guidance, and Best Practices RPMs and the Future of Superfund Information Technology Superfund Radiation Policy and Case Studies Working Together: Getting the Best Results Through Partnerships						Lunch on Your Own		Panel and Information Sessions Draft Recommended Interim Preliminary Remediation Goals for Dioxin in Soil at CERCLA and RCRA Sites NEW Geophysical System Verification NEW The Environmental Response Team Capabilities for RPMs Federal Facilities White Paper and Presentation: Site Characterization for Munitions Constituents NEW Human Health Risk Assessment Tools and Information for RPMs Integrating Water and Waste Programs to Restore Watersheds						
Morning Training Courses ARARs for Protection of Ecological and Historical Resources NEW DNAPL Source Zone Treatment: Assessment and Characterization NEW RPM Case Studies						Afternoon Training Courses DNAPL Superfund Research Program Presentations NEW Remedy Selection: What Have We Learned and Where Do We Go NEW Superfund Redevelopment Initiative: Top 5 Tools to Jumpstart Reuse at Your Superfund Site NEW The Truth about Ecological Revitalization—Case Studies and Tools to Improve Your Cleanups NEW You Mean There is More Than Superfund...? Basics of Environmental Statutes NEW 12																	
Full-Day Training Courses An Introduction to Collaborative Decision-Making NEW Be Prepared: Advanced Spokesperson and Media Training 12																							
Wednesday May 26	Plenary Session	Network	Full-Day Training Courses Applied Environmental Statistics NEW Be Prepared: Advanced Spokesperson and Media Training 12 Contaminated Sediment Forum Training: Issues & Answers for Sediment Sites How to Make Public Participation Work for You Increasing Confidence in Risk Management and Remedy Implementation NEW Interest Based Negotiations for RPMs—You CAN Get What You NEED! M PC3: Post Construction Completion Course Risk Communication NEW The As to Zs of Vapor Intrusion NEW Your Role in Green Remediation Implementation and Case Studies in Green Remediation—This Year’s Models and Tools NEW						Brown Bag in the Ballroom Join NARPM Co-Chairs, Council Representatives, & EPA OSRTI and FFRO for lunch-time networking!		Lunch on Your Own												
TSP Business Meeting Ground Water Forum Business Meeting																							
Panel and Information Sessions Chemical Oxidation NEW What the Tweet? Social Networking and Ways to Get the Word Out NEW						Panel and Information Sessions Containment Remedies and Life Cycle Costs NEW Cutting Edge Technologies NEW						Lunch on Your Own		Panel and Information Sessions Environmental Justice for RPMs NEW Five-Year Review Best Management Practices Technical Assistance Services for Communities and The Superfund Job Training Initiative									
Thursday May 27	Plenary Session	Network	Morning Training Courses Community Engagement Initiative: Moving Into the Future NEW Contaminated Sediments: New Tools and Approaches for In Situ Remediation Using Amendments NEW Ground Water Restoration: Expectations Versus Reality NEW Radiation Safety—Practical Applications NEW Superfund Redevelopment Initiative Flash Mentoring NEW						Lunch on Your Own		Afternoon Training Courses Incremental Soil Sampling NEW Optimization, It’s Just Not for Pump and Treat Anymore! NEW Site Budget Planning, Contract Acquisitions, and National Contract Utilization NEW M The Use of Molecular Techniques at Hazardous Waste Sites NEW												
Full-Day Training Course Leadership for RPMs						Moderator Hot Wash		TSP Business Meeting Engineering Forum Business Meeting						Afternoon Training Courses Ask the Engineering Forum Flash Mentoring NEW									
Closing Plenary and Technical Site Tours NARPM Council Business Meeting (8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.) NARPM Technical Site Tours (9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.)						Break 10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.		Break 3:00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.															

NEW New Course

12 Course scheduled twice

M Course can be applied to contract training requirement of the Clinger-Cohen Act (Maloney Bill)

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 Investigation, Design, Remediation, & Post Construction

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