

Revised: December 4, 2025

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FIFTH MEETING
of the
RADIOACTIVE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS COMMITTEE**

**December 8, 2025
State Capitol, Room 309
Santa Fe**

Monday, December 8

- 9:00 a.m. **Call to Order and Introductions**
—Senator Jeff Steinborn, Chair, Radioactive and Hazardous Materials
Committee (RHMC)
- 9:10 a.m. **Approval of the Minutes of the September 2, 2025 RHMC Meeting**
- 9:15 a.m. (1) **Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Issues in Santa Fe County**
—Jonas Armstrong, Director, Water Protection Division, Department of
Environment (NMED)
—Andrew Hautzinger, Special Projects Coordinator, Water Protection
Division, NMED
- 9:45 a.m. (2) **Abandoned Uranium Mine Cleanup**
—Miori Harms, Uranium Mine Reclamation Coordinator, NMED
—Abimbola Ojekanmi, Uranium Mine Reclamation Coordinator,
Environment, Minerals and Natural Resources Department (EMNRD)
- 10:15 a.m. (3) **Class VI Carbon Dioxide Sequestration**
—Benjamin Shelton, Deputy Secretary, EMNRD
- 11:15 a.m. (4) **Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Task Force Update**
—Carrie DeAgüero, Chief, Hazardous Waste Planning Bureau, EMNRD
- 11:45 a.m. (5) **Homeland Security and Emergency Management Department
(DHSEM)**
—Tessa Snyder, Hazardous Materials Coordinator, DHSEM
- 12:15 p.m. **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. (6) **Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Update**
—Frances Chadwick, Staff Director, LANL
—Kathy Keith, Director, Community Partnerships Office, LANL

- 2:00 p.m. (7) [Los Alamos Legacy Cleanup and Hexavalent Chromium Plume Update](#)
—Jessica Kunkle, Manager, Environmental Management-Los Alamos Field
Office, United States Department of Energy
- 3:00 p.m. (8) [Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board \(DNFSB\) Report](#)
—Jonathan Plaue, Technical Director, DNFSB
- 4:00 p.m. (9) [Discussion of Proposed Legislation](#)
- 4:30 p.m. **Public Comment***
- 5:00 p.m. **Adjourn**

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