

Public Meeting on Ethylene Oxide
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
August 19, 2019
Cobb County Civic Center
548 South Marietta Pkwy SE, Marietta, GA 30060

7:00 PM MEETING START

- Toby Berkman, Facilitator - Consensus Building Institute

7:05 PM MEETING WELCOME

- Cobb County Commissioner Bob Ott

7:10 PM OPENING REMARKS

- USEPA Region 4 Administrator - Mary S. Walker
- Georgia Environmental Protection Division (GA EPD) Director - Richard E. Dunn
- Stop Sterigenics Georgia - Janet Rao

7:20 PM PAST AND CURRENT KNOWLEDGE OF ETHYLENE OXIDE AND THE FACILITY

- NATA Overview - Kelly Rimer, US EPA Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS)
- Monitoring Overview - Ken Mitchell Ph.D., US EPA Region 4 Air and Radiation Division
- Follow-up Refined Analysis for the Sterigenics Facility – Karen Hays, GA EPD Air Protection Branch

7:45 PM Q&A (based on questions submitted via online comment form prior to meeting)

7:55 PM HEALTH

- Overview of health effects of Ethylene Oxide – Mark Johnson, Ph.D. Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry
- Cancer Registry Data Analysis – Cherie Drenzek DVM, Georgia Department of Public Health (GDPH)
- ATSDR and GDPH Collaboration - Chris Rustin, DrPH Georgia Department of Public Health (GDPH)
- Environmental Health - Robert Gellar MD Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit

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8:45 PM AGENCY NEXT STEPS

- EPA: EPA National Rule for Commercial Sterilizers - Ken Mitchell
- GA EPD: Next Steps on the facility – Karen Hays, GEPD Air Protection Branch

8:55 PM WRAP-UP

- Toby Berkman, Facilitator, Consensus Building Institute
- Mary S. Walker, USEPA Region 4 Administrator

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