

PTPEC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee
Proficiency Testing Program Executive Committee

Meeting Summary
February 5, 2025

Welcome and Roll Call

Subcommittee Chair Amy DeMarco welcomed participants to the call. The meeting was conducted utilizing Microsoft Teams. Participants were advised that the call was being recorded and that the recording would be deleted after approval of the meeting minutes.

Roll Call

Amy DeMarco	Present
Stephen Arpie	Absent
Kathryn Chang	Present
Kevin Thompson	Present
Rachel Ellis	Present
Charles Faulk	Absent
Matt Graves	Present
Svetlana Izosimova	Absent
Carl Kircher	Present
Patrick Selig	Absent
Aaron Bindel	Present
Bob Wyeth-Program Administrator	Present

A quorum was present and the meeting proceeded.

Approval of the Agenda

The agenda, attached below, was previously presented to all members of the subcommittee. No additions, deletions or changes were proposed, and the agenda was approved by unanimous consent.

Review of Past Meeting Minutes

The December 4, 2025 minutes were presented and following a motion by Matt and a second by Aaron were unanimously approved and will be forwarded to William.

November minutes were approved by email ballot following a motion by Aaron and second by Svetlana and will be forwarded to William for posting.

FoPT 10-year review -Drinking Water

Amy presented her review of a number of drinking water analytes relative to whether or not they met the criteria presented in SOP 4-101 (table attached below). After discussion, which included the fact that not meeting these criteria does not mean that the acceptance limits in the FoPT tables could not change after evaluation. However, a motion was made by Carl and seconded by Rachel that for those analytes that did not meet the evaluation criteria in SOP 4-101, acceptance criteria in the FoPT tables will not be evaluated during this review cycle.



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Amy and Carl both reported on progress in evaluating drinking water analytes. Completion of the evaluations was believed to be progressing at an acceptable rate.

Next Meeting Goals

While evaluations of additional drinking water analytes will continue, a focus of investigation will be to determine the failure rates of the analytes where segmented criteria have been previously established. Based upon these findings, the approach to further evaluation of these analytes may be required.

Open Discussion; New/Old business

The requirement for the One Year review of PFAS FoPTs was also discussed. PTPs in attendance suggested that each only had 4 studies worth of data. The subcommittee felt that there was insufficient data to provide a proper evaluation. A request will be presented to the PTPEC to change the requirement to an evaluation after 3 years.

The February 5, 2025 meeting of the PTPEC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee adjourned at 12:04 PM ET. The next meeting of the subcommittee will be Thursday March 5, 2026.

AGENDA

PTPEC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee

Thursday February 5, 2026; 11:00 AM ET

- Welcome and Roll Call
- Approval of the Agenda
- Review of December 4, 2025 minutes

- Status of FoPT 10-year review -Drinking Water
 - Discuss Analytes
 - Review and take action on analytes that have been sent via email on 01/15/2026 (Start with those that do not meet 4-101 Criteria for evaluation: 1,2,3-Trichloropropane low level, Aldrin, Trifluralin (Treflan), Aldicarb (Temik), Aldicarb Sulfone, Aldicarb Sulfoxide, Carbaryl (Sevin), 3-Hydroxycarbofuran, Methomyl (Lannate), Acifluorfen, 2,4-DB, Dicamba, 2,4,5-T)
 - Discuss next meeting goals.
 - Open Discussion
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