

**PTPEC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee
Proficiency Testing Program Executive Committee**

**Meeting Summary
May 7, 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	Absent
Kevin Thompson	Present
Rachel Ellis	Present
Charles Faulk	Absent
Matt Graves	Present
Svetlana Izosimova	Absent
Carl Kircher	Absent
Patrick Selig	Absent
Aaron Bindel	Present
Bob Wyeth-Program Administrator	Present

A quorum was not present, but discussion proceeded on an informational basis only.

The Subcommittee continues to have difficulties in attaining a quorum at our regularly scheduled meetings. At the request of the Chair, alternative days and/or times will be solicited from all members. The potential for a different meeting schedule will be proposed if consensus can be reached.

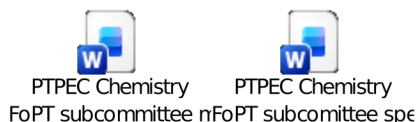
More specifically, each Subcommittee member will be requested to the possibility of rescheduling the June 4 meeting until June 12 at 11:00 AM ET due to the unavailability of the Chair.

Approval of the Agenda

The agenda, attached below, was previously presented but in the absence of a quorum could not be approved. o all members of the subcommittee. Agenda item will carry forward to future meetings.

Review of April Meeting Minutes

April 2, 2026 and April 16, 2026 minutes were presented. but in the absence of a quorum, an attempt to obtain approval will be conducted by email ballot.



ARA Uranium (mass)

After meetings with interested parties including EPA representatives, the ARA has been withdrawn, with the approval of the PTP EC. The revised ARA will be presented by Amy with sponsorship again by NJ and MN to include the U(mass) criteria within the Drinking Water FoPT table.

FoPT 10-year review -Drinking Water

The chair asked the PTPs present to prepare for a formal request from the PTP EC for data collection of summary PT data for 40 CFR 141.24 analytes presented on the agenda. Those present stated that they would be able to provide the requested data.

Next Meeting Goals

The Subcommittee will return to agenda as presented.

Open Discussion; New/Old business

No new or old business was presented.

The meeting of the PTP EC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee adjourned at 11:20 A M ET. The next meeting of the subcommittee Is currently scheduled for Thursday June 4,2026 but will be rescheduled for a yet to be determined date/time due to the unavailability of the Subcommittee Chair.

Agenda

PTP EC Chemistry FoPT Subcommittee

May 7, 2026

11:00 AM ET

Amy DeMarco, Chair

Invitation: [Microsoft Teams](#)

- Welcome and Roll Call
- Approval of Agenda
- Review and approval of April 2 and April 16, 2026 Meeting Minutes
- ARA for Uranium (mass) status
- FoPT 10-year review -Drinking Water
 - o Carl - Recommendation to get summary PT data for 40 CFR 141.24 analytes: Hexachlorobenzene, Hexachlorocyclopentadiene, Simazine, Oxamyl, Dalapon, Dinoseb, Picloram, Diquat, Endothall, Glyphosate, bis(2-Ethylhexyl)adipate, Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate, Benzo (a) pyrene, and 2378-Tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin.
 - o Carl - **volatile organic analytes (only)** recommendations for criteria-attached in spreadsheet "TNI Chem DW Evaluation 2025.xls" in RED font- under column BH; and data reviewed in "Fail rates VOA segmented_02.20.2026.xls"
- Discuss next meeting goals.
- Open Discussion
- Next meeting scheduled for 6/4/2026 at 11:00 AM ET

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