Louisiana Operations Community Advisory Panel (CAP) Meeting  
June 16, 2017  
Meeting Summary  

Present CAP Members: 
Riley “Pee Wee” Berthelot 
Wes Watts 
Dr. Arthur Joffrion 
Jason Manola 
Polly Higdon 
Gary Spillman 
Hank Grace  

Dow Members: 
Eduardo Do Val 
Stacey Gautreau 
Larry Rushing 
Fran Comeaux  

The CAP meeting was held at the Dow Plantation House in Plaquemine.  

Eduardo Do Val, LAO Site Director, introduced David Wilson, Louisiana Operation’s Responsible Care Leader to the CAP members. David replaces Mike Albano.  

Do Val gave a business update for Dow. In the first quarter, Dow delivered an all-time record in operating EBITDA. Operating EBITDA rose 20 percent to $2.7 billion. We continue to advance towards startup of our U.S. Gulf Coast projects. The new warehousing facilities, over 1 Million square feet of space that will service the additional polyethylene capacity is complete and ready for business.  

The Dow and DuPont merger transaction is progressing very well with a 3Q expected date of closing.  

David Wilson, LAO’s new Responsible Care Leader, discussed Dow’s .03 Injury/Illness rate YTD. The site recorded one injury in February, a finger injury. LAO is still leading Dow with Zero Process Safety & Containment Incidents.  

Wilson also gave the CAP members a brief update on activities conducted during the 1st quarter pursuant to the cooperative agreement pertaining to implementation of groundwater remediation and reminded the CAP members that they receive copies of the quarterly summary of cooperative agreement activities in the mail.  

Stacey Gautreau, Public Affairs Leader, discussed plans for the Dow Leadership Academy that will be implemented at White Castle High School this Fall. Dow Mentors will be matched with each freshman male. The Apprenticeship Program is in its second year at LAO. This year 17 apprentices were accepted from over 800 applicants. Last year we accepted 10 apprentices.
Dow continues to contribute to Flood of 2016 rebuild efforts. In addition to the $310,000 already invested, Dow recently contributed $50,000 to Habitat for Humanities for a total of $360,000 in flood relief. Also, as part of Dow’s flood relief, we seed funded a mental health counselor at East Iberville School with $40,000. This counselor is now being fully funding with Medicaid dollars. Dow is looking how to expand this model throughout West Baton Rouge and Iberville Parish.