



# ITRC Board of Directors Update to State POCs – Nov. 2002

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# Goals for Session

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- Provide opportunity for POCs to exchange information with Board of Directors
- Review of ITRC FYPP Process and Status
  - ✓ Where we have been – 2002 Process to Date
  - ✓ Results of Board Proposal Prioritization
  - ✓ Funding projections for 2003
  - ✓ What does 2003 look like for ITRC
  - ✓ Questions and Answers
- Provide status of ITRC / ECOS Interactions
  - ✓ Current status
  - ✓ Suggestions for future interactions



# Where we have been – 2002 Process to Date

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- Jan. – June: Open Season for proposal development
- June 1<sup>st</sup> – 28 proposal received
  - ✓ 19 proposals from existing teams
    - Including 3 classroom training proposals
  - ✓ 9 new proposal areas
    - 6 from POCs network
- June – State prioritization of proposals
- June – Federal prioritization of proposals
- Aug. – ITRC Mid-Year Review
- Aug. – ITRC Board of Directors Prioritization of Proposals



# Board Prioritization Process

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- Input received from:
  - ✓ ITRC States input via POC network
  - ✓ Mid-year Review – meeting with team leaders of current teams
  - ✓ Federal input via FRTR (Federal Remediation Technology Roundtable)
- Prioritization made based on input above and sponsor expectations

# Funding Scenarios for 2003

<b>FUNDING SCENARIO</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>\$\$\$</b>	<b>1,800,000</b>	<b>3,650,000</b>	<b>4,800,000</b>

Base 2002 funding = \$3,143,000

State in-kind contributions: states are contributing approximately an additional \$2,000,000.



# ITRC Board Proposal Prioritization

1. Landfill Technologies	15. MTBE - Contaminated Groundwater
2. Radionuclides - Cleanup & Characterization	16. Permeable Reactive Barriers
3. Unexploded Ordnance - Guidance	17. InSitu Bioremediation
4. Radionuclides - Long-Term Stewardship	18. Unexploded Ordnance Training Course
5. Diffusion Sampler Technology	19. Contaminated Sediments
6. Remedial Process Optimization	20. InSitu Chemical Oxidation
7. Mitigation wetlands	21. Indoor Air Investigation, Char., & Remed.
8. Phytotechnologies Training Course	22. International Technology Acceptance
9. Brownfields	23. Perchlorate
10. Small Arms Firing Ranges	24. Arsenic in groundwater
11. Dense Nonaqueous Phase Liquids	25. Mercury
12. Sampling, Characterization & Monitoring	26. Mining Wastes
13. Accelerated InSitu Bio Training Course	27. Confined Animal Feeding Operations
14. Risk Assessment Resources	28. DOE Gate 6 Technologies



# ITRC 2003 Team Outlook –

Scenario 1
Scenario 2
Scenario 3

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*Note: Projects not fully funded in scenario 1*

# Q & A

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- If a proposal is important to my state but it likely will not be funded in 2003 does that mean it will never be funded by ITRC?

# Q & A

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- If a proposal is important to my state but it will not be funded in 2003 can my state assist the ITRC in finding funding for the project. If so, what is the process for state people to assist with ITRC funding?

# Q & A

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- If this is a multi-year plan will we still have the opportunity to submit new proposals in 2003?
- What will next year's ITRC FYPP process be?

# Q & A

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- Other Questions???



# ITRC / ECOS Interactions

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- Implementation of ECOS Resolution (01-8)
  - ✓ ECOS Resolution (01-8): “Encouraging Federal support for Interstate Technology and Regulatory Cooperation”
  - ✓ Several states have communicated value of ITRC to Congressional representatives to reinforce federal agency support of ITRC activities.



# ITRC / ECOS Interactions – ECOS Annual Meeting – San Antonio, TX

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- Requested support of Commissioners/Directors/Secretaries
  - ✓ State Leadership – we need your support for state staff to travel to the ITRC Fall meeting
    - Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> – Washington, DC
    - State ITRC team member travel is reimbursed by ITRC
  - ✓ In support of this request we provided the State POC list individually to each Commissioner/Director/Secretary



# ITRC / ECOS Interactions

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- What else can we do to strengthen ITRC in your state through the ECOS Connection?

- ✓ Example

- Letter from ITRC to State Leadership to reinforce the role of the State POC and other ITRC members.
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