

September 27, 1999

Dear Liaison Group Member:

The U.S. EPA will hold a meeting of the Steering Committee for the Hudson River PCBs Reassessment project on Tuesday, October 26, 1999 at 7:30 p.m., at the Inn at Saratoga, located on Broadway in Saratoga Springs, New York. The purpose of this meeting is for the officers of each Liaison Group to represent your concerns or questions regarding the Reassessment to the other members of the Steering Committee for response and/or clarification. Since this is a working committee meeting during which agenda discussions are limited to members of the Steering Committee, a question and answer period for the audience will be held at the end of the proceedings.

In order for you to participate fully in this process, the agenda of this committee should be set by the members of the public - you should be the ones telling EPA what it is you wish to discuss and see addressed. This is accomplished by communicating your needs to your respective Liaison Group Chairs or Co-Chairs for inclusion on the Steering Committee's agenda. If you have questions or concerns, please contact your officers and let them know that you want to meet and make them aware your wish for representation. On the back of this page is a listing of the Chairs and Co-Chairs for each Liaison Group - if you have any questions regarding this list or the upcoming meeting, please feel free to contact me at 212/637-3672. Thank you for your continuing participation in the Community Interaction Program and I look forward to seeing you on October 26th.

Sincerely,

Ann C. Rychlenski, Steering Committee Chair
Hudson River PCBs Reassessment Project