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LSPA September 2023 Membership Meeting:

MassDEP's Bureau of Waste Site Cleanup Annual Program Updates and Year-in-Review

Presenter Biographies

Elizabeth Callahan has over 30 years of experience working in the Massachusetts Department of MassDEP's Waste Site Cleanup Program. In her current role as the Acting Assistant Commissioner for the Bureau of Waste Site Cleanup (BWSC), Liz oversees MassDEP site cleanup programs under the Massachusetts Contingency Plan and those sites regulated in coordination with USEPA, including emergency response, Marine Oil Spill Prevention and Response and Natural Resource Damages programs. Liz previously served as BWSC's Division Director for Policy and Program Development and has held positions in MassDEP's Northeast Regional Office BWSC site management and audit units. Liz has a Bachelor's degree in Biological Sciences from Wellesley College and a Master's degree in Public Policy from Harvard Kennedy School.

Ken Marra is currently the Acting Director of Policy and Program Development for the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Waste Site Cleanup (MassDEP). He joined the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection in 1997 after spending 15 years in private industry, mostly in northern Canada, Brazil and California as a petroleum reservoir engineer, an environmental consultant, and a construction manager. For MassDEP, he formulates environmental regulations and policies, represents Massachusetts on the Interstate Technology & Regulatory Council and sits on the state's Administrative Review Board for the \$500 million Petroleum Product Cleanup Fund. He has engineering degrees from Dartmouth College, Colorado School of Mines and Stanford University, and he is a Professional Civil Engineer.