

Husky Fire

Community Listening Session

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Report of Session Comments

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Participant Comments and Questions

About Participant Comments and Questions

The information in this section includes verbatim recording of participant comments to three structured questions asked in small group discussions, and a fourth “catch all” question for issues that didn’t fit in the first three questions. Responses recorded below were attempted to be typed in a way that fully reflects how the comment was recorded by the participant, including:

- Attempt to punctuate (or lack thereof) as the participant recorded;
- Minimal correction of spelling, unless it was clear what the participant intent was clear;
- In a couple of instances one or more words could not be read, and these are noted in the response;
- Some participant responses were originally recorded under one question, but were either moved to a more appropriate question or it was duplicated to cover two questions; and
- Nothing was omitted.

Question 1

Question: What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about the environment following the fire on April 26?

Responses

- Economic: Were local food establishments using locally grown food in trouble?
- How did the plume of smoke affect soil and gardening opportunities? For how long? When will data be out? What data is being compiled and by who?
- Concerns for health of livestock, particularly those in the plume (esp. bees, chickens that produce things that are immediately consumed)
- Is there a difference between the evacuation zones and the area actually affected by the fire?
- Should there be precipitation concerns and water quality concerns [i.e., waterways] - just because "they" say its safe, there's no public proof. Just political say - feels untrustworthy. Our horse's water (who was in the way of the plume) after the April 25th rainfall.
- Concern about clarity and evidence available in the soil and gardening handout (+ generally available info)
- Concern: soil contamination. We seem to be getting the "all clear" based on the lack of "visual soot" -> wording in document. This reminds me of what we once though of radiation - we can't see it or taste it so it can't hurt us! Really? Will we ever learn? I would like my soil tested by a third party.
- Question: There's a rumor that water fowl, especially near the refinery were highly impacted. True? False? Proof?
- Is there any response regarding wildlife, including tracking down effected wildlife and resolving health issues created by the fire?
- If we can't minimize contact with soil, how do we minimize risk of health issues?
- Question emailed about soil health to Husky did not receive an adequate response.
- Questions about beach safety / WI Point and impact on Lake Superior (Newton Creek).

- How is our drinking water effected?
- Lack of data regarding what air conditions were like during the fire in data released to the public.
- What was burning - both in the tanks and what the tanks were made of?
- What was used to extinguish the fire and how does it effect the environment?
- That the only sure thing is that we don't have enough data or science to be certain about the effects today and going forward. We need to make decisions now that don't affect the future generations.
- Asbestos bearing material in tank insulation: what is being done to address this?
- It dissipates into what
- It breaks into what
- Re Mary's comment about conflicting messages. I agree.
- What about the water, the impacts on the bay, rivers / creeks, Lake Superior?
- Will there be extensive follow-up testing of water and soils?
- It seems to me that there should be sensitive enough testing to be able to track something and how it persists or decreases, rather than just say "it's acceptable"
- Conflicting information given so far from various sources.
- How the animals and wild edibles are affected This affects my diet. I.E., leeks, fish, venison turkey use of 1842 ceded Territory harvest rights.
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- Soil quality and mitigation of contaminants in the evacuation and plume zone not just the city area around the refinery. What test or science can be done.
- What do we do about farm market sales
- Communications
- The responses from WI Health Dept. and MN UMD Prof who studied particular related info. Differs quite a bit. This concerns citizens who wonder which is accurate? Superior / DC Hlth (small) response not concerning MN-UMD Prof. (greater-bigger) very concerning. Mpls, MN concerning (biggest)
- I do not have any concerns about the environment. I am more concerned that good scientific data is used. I suspect that a number of people will choose to ignore the science and choose to blame Husky for all sorts of things in the future.
- Hope to have solid science that can't be doubted.
- Community concerns - address properly and fulsomely
- Ensure the safety of our workers going forward.
- Ensure that our employees and community understand our commitment to them and commitment to listening.
- Ensure we work w/ reg. agencies to protect community.
- Asbestos exposure to citizens south of refinery
- Having read and followed the info. from Dr. B of UMD I question the safety of my lawn (foods and ppl), our H2O source and whether or not I should grow food in our raised bed garden?
- Air quality
- Gardening / soil

- Water contamination
- My childrens long term effects due to exposure of smoke, chemicals
- Animals consuming water & grass
- Concerns safety of all residences, wildlife, land. Continued monitoring of @ past 4-26-18 monthly-yearly
- How much and what kinds of remediation will be needed to clean-up Newton Creek?
- Did any hazardous materials reach the bay or Lake Superior?
- How close did liquid asphalt and other substances come to drink water intakes?
- How much infiltration of liquid runoff went into the water table?
- What is causing current fumes if the refinery is not in operation?
- What effect on pollinators?
- Will rural well water be tested?
- Safe drinking water?
- Are there any reasons to be concerned about pets or kids outside (plume zone)?
- Lake Superior - any contamination?
- Pre-natal concerns as a result?
- How far did any potential runoff travel through groundwater and in what direction?
- What about Nemadji and Amnicon Rivers?
- Are there baselines from when where monitoring by whom
- How long do we need to monitor water and soils?
- Accuracy of safety testing - What are the parameters for choosing what is tested - Who creates list of what is tested
- Will raw data be available for analysis by independent scientists?
- Do the entities responsible for monitoring and mitigating environmental concerns have the money and the authority to get things done.
- What tests exist to identify the possible 100,000 chemicals released by the plume?
- Steve Sternberg made this statement re: 100,000 possible chemicals, is this credible?
- Will an independent agency be given the funding to test for the 100,000 chemicals by Husky. Why or why not?
- Will Husky establish a local cons- education fund to promote environmental stewardship?
- Pre vs prior soil test? Who pays \$
- Garden - is the produce safe - asparagus, rhubarb, blueberries - anything I plant this year
- Wild edibles like blueberries, leeks, mushrooms. Animals - are they safe?
- How long will any gardening be a concern, if it is.
- The safety of food grown - harvested - gathered
- Who's data is accurate?
- Who is responsible "down the road" for any impact?
- How long will agencies continue to monitor soil, water, and ground?
- I am three miles south of refinery and I washed all outside surfaces as per Douglas Cty instructions online. My concerns as I was rinsing are: ground water contamination from this, as well as how it could effect pet and other animals who lie on the ground and eat the grass and bark, etc.
- Does this impact farmers?

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- How did rain help / support or make worse?
- Who to trust? Where do we get accurate information?
- Non-corporate background air monitoring ongoing
- Who is (unreadable) environmental firms and qualifications?
- Will the spill affect our ground water?
- How are waste products - soil, water, product, salvageable material handled? Solid waste haz waste disposal location
- Air, water and soil testing programs please provide summary of scope of sampling and results.
- Background air monitoring is that still required?
- When will soil be completely free of contaminants
- Cancer and other health rates type in Superior current future reporting precautions to take?
- Will there be a study of cancer rates for (unreadable) this event
- What is the environmental impact of the fire suppression foam?
- Was there discharge to Newton Creek, Superior Bay, Lake Superior?
- Breathing dust - raking grass, raking leaves, vacuuming, tracked into homes. Does dust pose a health problem inside and outside. Also vegetation that was exposed
- Is the refinery site stable? Is it secure and stable from environmental and health perspective
- Drinking H2O source for Superior - Lakeside of Park Point - how susceptible is it to actual contamination. How susceptible is the city and private water supplies to contamination from fire
- Air traveled debris not picked up on N 58th St still on street and in yard. Someone pick up his own
- Again why is husky taking samples from already contaminated creek or is this 20 mile stretch that DNR has been cleaning is wear sample came from
- Water is already contaminated - how can sampling detect problems.
- There is an oil sheen 58th Street ditches
- Is there a place I can have my garden soil tested for contaminants?
- Will Husky deliver new organic soil to my garden?
- What is the best resource to use while collecting environmental data about the fire or smoke?
- What isn't safe to eat or drink (some better than others)
- Collection and containment of waste material in private yards? Have neighborhoods been notified? Personal safety? Impact on pets and pet environment interaction
- Health concerns related air quality (headaches)
- Location to register health concerns / data for the public?
- Air quality - present data
- Is there a map of impact area? It has been talked about but not a clear graphic
- Impact of rain - is it bringing down contaminants?
- Fish safety
- Distance of area of concern?
- Reverse osmosis effective @ filtering out contaminants (or distillation)
- Are they altering rules for water disposal to get rid of the waste water used in the Husky facility.
- What about hay / cow feed? This yr and yrs to come hay land

- What are the safety concerns with soil on the school playgrounds... is it contaminated? Is it safe for kids to be digging in the dirt?
- What education will be done on CML (Chronic myeloid leukemia) CLL (Chronic lymphocytic leukemia) Aplastic Anemia all other cancers
- Organic growers spend years and an intensive work effort to be certified as a grower with organic products. If this event has compromised their product integrity what is the state (since they permit the refinery) and Husky Oil prepared to do?
- Is meat safe... chicken meat / eggs, beef, etc. How do the animals take this (the pollution) up?
- Where do PAHs pose their greatest threat. Kids playing on lawn? Just living in the fallout area? Gardening? Ingestion? Breathing? Skin exposure? Contaminating foods?
- My biggest concern is related to the impact on the soil. Info offered by the county and other organizations seems simplistic. There is information from other professionals that we should be more concerned.
- I have compiled a list of academic papers that show that plants do take up PAHs, yet the "official" info says that it isn't common...
- Is there atmospheric data on exactly where the "plume" went?
- Who pays for testing?
- All if these guys are still "suited" up should my 30 family members in a 2 mile radius still be evacuated?
- What about animals (farm)? More info on website about farm animals, hay land.
- I want more comprehensive scientific data and look at previous research in similar accidents. Health related. Environmental. Regulations.
- I would like to see comprehensive health profile study done on employees and nearby residents - both current and past for exposure related health issues.

Question 2

Question: What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about Husky Energy following the fire on April 26?

Responses

- I want to know about the HF tank and what could have happened had it been compromised.
- I want to know how Husky will compensate the "neighbors" for their loss in property value. I would never buy a house near the refinery after what just happened.
- Is there a financial / corporate relationship between Husky and Calumet?
- Why didn't they have automatic foam systems if "they're prepared for these emergencies?"
- How much damage occurred and what was the cost? Who pays for this?
- Has all alternative options been explored in conversion from Hydrofluoric Fluoride \$ Cost, Value, Community Safety.
- Why did Husky not disclose the risk of HF fire during the evacuation?
- Who regulates Husky?
- The refinery has been profiting for decades. We should not now socialize the expense for any clean up. There should be zero costs to citizens.

- Will this be a Superfund site years from now??
- What are the preventative measures Husky will now take? Fires and explosions.
- Are there any legal requirements for Husky moving forward to assist with clean-up, research funding, etc.?
- What ramifications / consequences will there be to ensure this pattern of accidents doesn't continue?
- What exactly happened? No word on how or why there was an explosion. -Feels like something is missing.
- Why isn't Husky investing in cleaner and more sustainable energy? If they already are, how is this occurring?
- Why did Husky require employees injured by the blast to sign non-disclosure forms in order to be reimbursed?
- Is CAP available to the public?
- Will Husky continue operations?
- Any idea of the causes of the explosion?
- Is it time they're having people sign waivers of some sort?
- What kind of financial shape is Husky in? (concerned about bankruptcy).
- Switch from Hydrogen Fluoride process - can they?
- Need for web page that would combine data from different sources.
- How will Husky Energy change its refinery processes going forward?
- How will Husky Energy change its safety processes?
- How can we trust that a company with primary shareholders located in Canada and Hong Kong is considering the best interests of our - community?
- Aging and fire and heat damaged infrastructure. Will they upgrade when rebuilding?
- Will they do what it takes to no longer use Hydrogen Fluoride in the production of asphalt?
- Are they willing to compensate for more than evacuation and medical exp.
- Are they going to fund ongoing testing by and independent source
- Will Husky look at a fund going forward for (unforeseen or unknown effects at this time) environmental damage loss of cultural exercise of rights and use. (possible funds for education and youth going forward)
- How to ensure a major incident at Husky doesn't affect LNG storage.
- Considering this is not the first disaster at a Husky facility and not the first disaster at this refinery this will likely not be the last. What will Husky and Superior do to protect the environment - lake, watershed, and soil, from future disasters.
- What compensation for other than evacuation or immediate health events.
- How much time before Husky changes its method to the safe acid alternative?
- H2SO4 carries it's own risk (increased transportation) I have experience in HF work and would hate to see a hasty decision.
- What did they learn that was handled -correctly -wrong. Communication to officials -residences -community. Lessons that were learned for the future.
- As a community are we okay with allowing Husky to continue business w/out making the change? Is Husky continuing as usual?
- Transparency

- How do you make it safer.
- How long before Husky has the refinery fully operational again?
- Impacts on employment both short term and long term
- Does Husky plan to convert from HF to H₂SO₄ acid catalyst?
- Understand thoroughly what happened.
- Does Husky's terrible safety record at its other facilities trigger any special monitoring by regulators?
- If climate change is almost 100% believed, when will this refinery be shut down?
- If we are nearing the end of the fossil fuel era does that mean refineries will stop investing in the cleanest safest technology?
- Are there funds set aside for employees?
- How long will Husky reimburse people? For what?
- Who has the power to get Hydrogen Fluoride out ASAP?
- Will Husky give me money to work on (my co) - remediation for our soil?
- Will Husky install public air monitoring devices (like California) for the public
- If primary shareholders of Husky are out of Hong Kong - how can we ensure they care about us here?
- Will Husky set up veterinary funding for long-term health impacts for animals (Pets)
- Will Husky make turn-around schedules public?
- Will Husky pay for requested Hazmat team?
- What happened?
- Would be good to hear from a union rep at Husky
- Have employees been tested for health related issues? Ongoing?
- Does the liability waiver release Husky from long term health impacts?
- Does the public have access to information from Husky that can prove or disprove claims made now or in the future?
- How far into the future will Husky take response. For harm to people or env.
- Is Husky required to have a fund \$ set aside for env. Damages?
- Will Husky benefit financially from Enbridge's proposed Line 3 expansion, which endangers wild rice in treaty-ceded territory?
- Will Husky work with the DNR to release field data for indp. Analysis?
- Does the public have access to information about what other substances Husky is storing on site.
- What role (power) will community advisory board have WRT future operation? Periodic updates to them?
- Can Husky and the public agree upon an impartial third party verifier?
- Was this just an accident or was someone negligent
- Will they still be in business 1-2-4 yrs from now in Superior?
- Can an occurrence like this be prevented in the future?
- Please explain the turnover process: what happens to the refinery during a turnover?
- What will Husky do to ensure that nothing at the refinery is dangerous to the local people and area?

- Will Husky ensure that they are using non-toxic or damaging chemicals / components, and keep up-to-date with equipment and processes?
- Will Husky make available assistance years down the road if health, environmental issues crop up and how?
- Concerned with overstated mis-information as to the true danger of HF releases vs. what could have actually happened @ Husky Superior. Provide relevant facts.
- We'd like to have the tank with the Hydrogen Fluoride removed from our community.
- How will the public be notified of Husky's plans for the refinery?
- Process of Hydro/Fluoride - move to remove from community
- Liability to homeowners for land contamination
- Accountability to community for health concerns
- What warning systems are in place and or will be put in place to warn the public when a danger is present or an emergency is taking place?
- How many other Husky facilities experienced similar fire? What was done to prevent similar event in Superior?
- Will the report on the cause of the fire be made public?
- Was the lack of injuries luck or good planning?
- Actions to avoid future incident?
- Hydrogen Fluoride - how serious are they considering changing?
- Is it true that if HF had blown up would it have wiped out the town?
- When will refinery reopen? How will it look?
- Business Resource / Reference? (Business to Business)
- Communication from company ongoing does this need to improve / change? As well as in emergency? Transparent. Timely.
- Access to ongoing data collection
- Assurance that most up to date technology is used to minimize pollution and guarantee safety of all.
- Thank you Husky! We'll all get through this together, you have been a good neighbor.
- Will the community know the cause of the fire?
- Thank you to Husky for spending \$ in Superior during follow-up (not Duluth). :)
- What regulatory agency has the most / final authority to insure the public's safety with regards to Husky Energy's operations?
- Who pays for losses resulting from (contamination) this? If I can't eat my chicken eggs?
- Who will pay for animal loss? Vet bill testing animals?
- Who is responsible for making sure that Husky is actually being a "good neighbor" and not trying to duck responsibility? Or make things seem like they aren't as bad...
- Let us assume that this will happen again. Therefore Husky can be proactive and reduce their threat to our community by changing their cracking process away from Hydrogen Fluoride to a less risky process like a solid acid catalyst system or even better an ionic liquid process. Will they do it? Will Wis. help them do it?
- How do the chemicals get to the facility? What about HF?
- How long will it take to find out what cause the accident? (Timeline)
- Do more of these meetings like this. More meeting not all on website.

Question 3

Question: What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about emergency services and government response to the Husky Energy fire on April 26?

Responses

- How can Superior establish a fossil fuel tax for businesses that participate in the processing and refining of fossil fuels. Would Superior use this money to develop more renewable energy infrastructure?
- Besides asking for Husky to stop using Hydrogen Fluoride, how can Superior stop the use of this hazardous chemical in the community?
- There are five schools within two miles of the refinery. Our children are on the front line for these disasters. What is the city doing to protect these schools during these disasters, and going forward, especially considering the known increased rates of cancer and respiratory illness for those living near refineries?
- Will Superior establish a citizen's review board for the refinery which monitors refinery emissions and is made aware of the turnaround schedule? (Turnaround days are some of the riskiest days for the community)
- Was there ever a question as to who was in charge at the EOC during the fire event?
- Evacuation drills / awareness - there wasn't much before.
- Concerns about process, accurate info - competence? Are the entities involved in disaster response, testing, etc. going to be better coordinated in the future?
- As a gainfully employed member of the community with a master's degree, I love this community, but am considering leaving because I do not want to risk my life or my family's life in the event of future refinery disasters. What is Superior doing to keep people here and keep them safe?
- Not very well coordinated or put together.
- Poor communications could be improved
- Not well developed from a disaster standpoint.
- Need to have up to the minute info on what and how much volatile materials is on site and exactly how much and what suppressant is available.
- Should not be waiting for a refinery fire team to travel from Texas while fire burns.
- If we have this refinery we should have a team or Husky should be available here.
- Citizens review board to monitor refinery and track environmental and emergency response.
- Thorough emergency / evac plans. Proper communication and execution of one at plant and in community
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- Why wasn't there an alarm like tornados?
- Why does Emergency Management consider this disaster over?
- Who is held responsible for inaccurate news? (DNT, WDIO...) Who said fatalities?
- Why doesn't our city educate citizens on long-term emissions impacts?
- Can Em. Mgt. community provide story map? FAQ? Report how Em Mgt Works?

- Who didn't evacuate and why?
- How would a larger, Twin Ports-wide evacuation be organized if less fortunate environmental conditions created the need for one? Where would people go? How?
- Can the city or county join with other like municipalities with refineries, etc?
- If Jim Paine is opening this meeting saying he's not responsible why is he saying everything is safe - knowing there is no data.
- What is the tax burden for Hazmat? Distribution of tax burden?
- Does Superior have a code or set of standards for large companies, in order to do business here? (i.e., "good neighbor" policy)
- Trust / believability, "historical wounds" trauma + what can city / government do to repair trust?
- Can we craft a community good neighbor policy w/ industry?
- Rush to give all clear - why? (Evacuation)
- Does the state have a requirement to provide the basic infrastructure components to keep mo. And rural w/ safe, competitive, and sustainable.
- I was concerned I would not be able to get back to my home in South Superior to get my dog and belongings as I was heading out of town and had to guess. Fortunately I was able to. Hopefully this will always be the case. *What criteria is used to decide who and when can enter an evacuated area?
- Dep. Sharif came by at 5:30 PM Wy so late into it-
- Lack of information on the radio.
- Emergency broadcast system?
- Concern about kids at AMSOil and people went to Duluth to get their kids poorly communicated -> inaccurate information
- Why was there an end time given for the evacuation if they could not concretely confirm the fire would be out and not restart?
- Why was there not a widespread, varied notices via text, robocalls, etc to assist with evacuation? We would like a centralized alert system that alerts everyone simultaneously of the danger?
- Communication with parents from school was not clear when / if it was safe (esp. for nearby schools) to the refinery
- I appreciate the fire dept.!!! Also -> Janet Bewley Tammy Baldwin!! Thank you for coming to Superior. Sean Duffy "tweeted concerns" before tweeting about the NFL draft. He did not seem tuned in to what was happening here.
- What sort of transportation is provided for low income residents to evacuate?
- Concerns about the locations of mustering points - some were within or near evacuation zone, or closer to the refinery (4 Corners, Mariner Mall)
- Why was the Mariner Mall a mustering point when it was within the evacuation zone?
- Evacuation Plan: Why were people evacuated to 4C School - south of town. 4C school is on the north side of County Road B when everyone north of B was supposed to evac. Also, why send people south in the direction of the plume?
- Why wasn't UWS evacuated sooner, if that area was evacuated?
- Communication with school -> community. Evacuation procedures; how to communicate with parents / community; what forms of communication are used.

- Communication with responders / services and community (what forms are used?)
- Is it possible to get a list of all those who helped? (employees, responders, donations, support services)
- Appreciate Duluth/Superior mayors together.
- Evacuation timelines was confused.
- How is correct / appropriate information disseminated?
- How is information labeled to be from "trustworthy" sources?
- Concern for health of responders
- What would the county / state / city change in future response (fire) at refinery?
- City evacuation planning. Warnings What venue for notification? Is there a more effective way to provide info to public? TV-OK. What else is available?
- It was good to hear our mayor speak to reassure the community but I did not feel that we were told the whole truth and that the situation was really minimized. Hydrogen Fluoride not brought up until very late in the process.
- What local expertise training was missing.
- What lessons have been learned about emergency response efforts and resources?
- School response! School close to Husky let kids go sooner.
- Since the state permits the operations of the refinery and since the state provides incentives to industry - think FoxConn. Will the state provide incentives for Husky to change their cracking process away from Hydro Floric acid to a process more environmentally friendly and much safer for our community?

Question 4

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Question: Do you have any other concerns, ideas, or questions about this incident that you haven't had a chance to share yet?

Responses

- How can people learn about what is going on with petroleum industries locally?
- What is Husky and Enbridge transparency policies, and how will local government serve the people by making sure they (Husky / Enbridge) are transparent always... not just during "special events"?
- I would like detailed explanation of how all of the industry near Husky fit together.
- Will this impact summer tourism?
- Many question's many concern's I'll leave the ideas up to those willing to share there knowledge

Appendix A: Agenda for May 14

Community Listening Session – Husky Superior Refinery Fire

Hosted by UW-Extension and The Lake Superior Reserve

Agenda – May 14

- Welcome and Opening Comments
 - James Anderson, PhD – UW-Extension
 - Erika Washburn, PhD – The Lake Superior Reserve and UW-Extension
- Elected Officials and Guests
 - Sen. Janet Bewley (Sen. District 25), and Rep. Milroy (Assembly District 73)
 - Mayor Paine and Douglas County Chairperson Mark Liebaert
- Agency Comments
 - Connie Antonuk, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
 - Public Health:
 - Lindsey Krumrie, Environmental Health Specialist, Douglas County Environmental and Public Health
 - Jessica Maloney, Wisconsin Department Health Services
 - Disa Patel, Wisconsin Department Health Services
- Small Group Discussion
 - We will break into twelve (12) groups, you were assigned a group earlier by a slip of paper. Please look for that group to join.
- Feedback from Groups

Ground Rules

To ensure everyone has an opportunity to speak and is respected.

- Allow one person to speak at a time.
- Share your concern, idea, or question. Avoid detailed explanation or debate unless you need to clarify your point.
- The opinion of everyone matters, please be respectful if you disagree with someone.
- Tonight is about **dialogue, not debate.**

We are not here to assess blame or speculate. Our mission is to give an opportunity for concerned citizens to have a voice and express their ideas in a positive and productive environment.



Appendix B: Process for Facilitated Discussions

Community Listening Session

Husky Superior Refinery Fire

Final: Facilitator Process and Questions

Instructions:

- Welcome everyone and thank them for coming.
- Review process “ground rules”
 - The opinion of everyone matters
 - One person speaks at a time, mutual respect
 - Everyone will have an opportunity to share, because of time – this isn’t a time for debate, and we would ask that sharing not turn to discussion. The facilitator may seek more information for clarity.
 - Tonight is about **dialogue, not debate**. We are not there to assess blame or speculate. Our mission is to give an opportunity for concerned citizens to have a voice and express their ideas in a positive and productive environment.
 - All feedback and questions gathered tonight will be summarized, categorized, and shared with relevant agencies. This does not mean we will be able to get an answer to every question, but we can make Husky Energy, and agencies aware of questions and concerns the community is expressing.
 - The formal gateway to provide feedback to the community will be at:
<http://www.douglascountywi.org/1046/Husky-Fire>
 - UW-Extension will also provide this information at douglas.uwex.edu and on their Facebook page, however, the Douglas County website is considered the central repository for all Husky Refinery fire documents and reports at this time.
- Process
 - We will review 3 questions
 - For each question, you will have a few minutes to write down your ideas, concerns, and questions related to the focus question.
 - Please write on the Post-It notes
 - Write one-idea per note
 - Pens and Post-It’s are at each breakout table
 - Provide 3-5 minutes for brainstorming.
 - Once everyone is done writing, or the time limit has been reached, begin debrief.
 - Debriefing / sharing
 - Working clockwise or counter-clockwise, as someone to share one of their notes.
 - Ask for clarity if needed.
 - Ask for a show of hands if others had this same concern, idea, or question.

- If multiple people did, write the total # and circle on the sticky note.
- Collect the sticky note, and place on the flip chart paper for this focus question
 - If multiple: Collect all *stickies* related to this question, so we can capture any nuances.
 - Move to the next person for sharing. Repeat until everyone has spoken, repeat as necessary.
 - Depending how long initial presentations go, you may only have about 30 minutes per question to work through each of the focus questions. Keep time management in mind.
 - If others are disturbing or talking over others, try to regain group focus on the person sharing, ensuring each person has an opportunity to share.
 - If time runs out before all thoughts are shared for a focus question, **make sure to collect all Post-It's, so those ideas, questions, and concerns are not lost.**

Focus Questions:

Question 1:	What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about the environment following the fire on April 26?
Question 2:	What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about Husky Energy following the fire on April 26?
Question 3:	What outstanding concerns, ideas, or questions do you have about emergency services and government response to the Husky Energy fire on April 26?
Closing:	Do you have any other concerns, ideas, or questions about this incident that you haven't had a chance to share yet?

Appendix C: Data Set

A Microsoft Excel spreadsheet of the data collected is available at no cost by email request to Douglas County Extension, please email cheryl.shockley@ces.uwex.edu.

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