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Air Force and NMED to host public information meeting July 14

KIRTLAND AFB, N.M. –The Air Force and the New Mexico Environment Department will host a quarterly public information meeting Thursday, July 14, at Albuquerque’s African American Performing Arts Center, to provide an update about the Kirtland Bulk Fuels Facility leak cleanup activities.

The main meeting runs from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Prior to the meeting, from 5 to 6 p.m., interested community members have an opportunity to participate in a technical deep-dive exploring how groundwater modeling is used to evaluate how effectively the extraction wells are working to take control of the contamination plume. Beginning at 5:30 p.m., community members will have an additional opportunity to discuss the project with Air Force and NMED technical experts and project leaders during a poster session.

The performing arts center is located at 310 San Pedro Drive NE in Albuquerque.

Representatives from the Air Force, NMED, Albuquerque Bernalillo County Water Utility Authority and the City of Albuquerque will be available to respond to community questions and provide current status on soil and groundwater contamination cleanup.

For more information on the meeting, contact Kirtland Public Affairs at 846-5991. For more information on the BFF cleanup overall, visit <http://kirtlandjetfuelremediation.com>.

