**NSC Technical Subcommittee Call Minutes – January 21, 2020**

**Participation [by regions]:**

3: Jeremy Hancher, Lee Ann Briggs & Carrie Wintersteen **– PA**

4: Donovan Grimwood, Daniel Chuquin – **TN**; Tony Pendola – **NC**; Sherry Waldron - **GA** and Trayce Moore-Thomas - **MS**

5: Lisa Ashenbrenner-Hunt – **WI**; Jenifer Dixon – **MI**; Mike Nelson - **MN** and Mark Stoddard & Karen Teliha - **IN**

7: Allison Crowther, Nancy Larson & Lynelle Ladd – **KS**

10: Belinda Breidenbach - **ID**

**Other (?):** Luke Hershey & Brittany Strobel

**December minutes:** approved as is

**Tech-Subcommittee:** <https://nationalsbeap.org/sbeap/resources/subcommittees/technical>

***This presentation was recorded and the power point from this presentation will be posted to the SBEAP Technical Subcommittee web page***

**Prioritizing Outreach using RSEI (Risk-Screening Environmental Indicators) including Examples**

Jean Waters, business sustainability consultant

Toxic chemicals are legally released by many businesses. Those that exceed specific thresholds report releases under EPA’s Toxic Release Inventory (**TRI**).

The chemical’s level of toxicity, its fate and transport through the environment and potential human exposure vary by location. EPA developed the **RSEI** tool to help establish priorities for further investigation.

This webinar will cover some basic information about **RSEI** and show examples of its usefulness to the SBEAP technical assistance professional.

**Bio:**

Jean Waters is a business sustainability consultant working with small to medium-sized businesses on sustainable business processes and strategies to analyze their triple bottom line, balancing impacts on People, Profit, and Planet.

She was Deputy State Director for the Nebraska Business Development Center (**NBDC**), where she supervised and worked with **NBDC** consultants in the small business development centers, the Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (**PTAC**), the Pollution Prevention Regional Information Center (**P2RIC**), the Technology Commercialization Program, and the Export Program.

She previously served as program manager for the Pollution Prevention Resource Exchange (**P2Rx**) national network and was Director of the Pollution Prevention Institute at Kansas State University.

**Future topics:**

* **February 18:** Perchloroethylene drycleaning located in a building where a person also resides, alternative solvents and dispelling myths, Jon Meijer, Drycleaning & Laundry Institute
* **March 17:** TBD

**Next Call: February 18, 2020**

1 pm CST (2 pm EST) (3rd Tuesday of month)