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PRESS RELEASE

DNFSB Announces Public Hearing on Aging Infrastructure

Washington, DC— The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB) is pleased to announce that it will be holding a public hearing focused on the critical topic of safely managing aging infrastructure.

The purpose of this public hearing is to engage with government agencies, and industry experts to discuss the challenges and solutions related to maintaining the safety and integrity of aging infrastructure in high-risk applications. Topics will include the assessment of current infrastructure, risk management, regulatory frameworks, and innovative solutions for modernization and maintenance. DNFSB aims to foster an open dialogue that will lead to improved policies and practices for safeguarding national security and public health.

Hearing witnesses will include officials from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Government Accountability Office, and American Nuclear Society.

You can view DNFSB's webpage dedicated to benchmarking best practices in the management of aging infrastructure at: <https://www.dnfsb.gov/aging-infrastructure-management>.

Event Details:

Date: August 14, 2024
Time: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Location: 625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, DC
Website: www.dnfsb.gov

You can listen or view the live stream of the hearing on our website at www.dnfsb.gov. In addition, a recording of the hearing will be available on the DNFSB's YouTube page for those who are unable to attend or wish to revisit the discussions.

To attend in person, please RSVP before August 9, 2024, to rsvp@dnfsb.gov.

While there will not be an opportunity for public comments during the hearing, members of the public may submit comments and questions in advance of the hearing. To submit questions or comments in advance, send an email to hearing@dnfsb.gov.