

CFAC Community Liaison Panel

As a tool for communicating with the local and regional community residents and leaders, CFAC has organized a community group that will be meeting on a regular basis. The CFAC Community Liaison Panel (CLP) is intended to provide a forum for the discussion and exchange of ideas and opinions about the project.

“The panel gives us a direct link to the community,” said Steve Wright, Environmental Manager. “CFAC understands the community is very interested in the plans for the project. The panel will be one tool to help share and gather information as we move forward.”

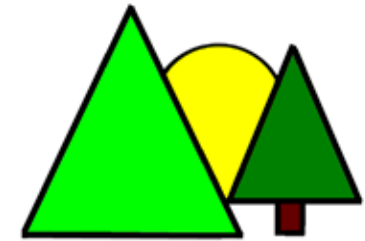
Members represent various interests and serve as a cross-section of the Columbia Falls and Flathead County community. Those serving include neighbors; business leaders; health care; education; religion; environmental advocates; and local, state and federal elected officials. Company representatives will participate for both CFAC and Glencore.

During the organizational meeting in May, members were asked to commit to the meetings and to attend regularly. Each was encouraged to share information outside of the meetings and to bring community input to the discussions.

The next meeting of the group is Thursday, June 11, at Freedom Bank. The evening begins with dinner at 5:30 p.m. The meeting portion begins at 6 p.m. Guests are welcomed but encouraged to contact the facilitator, Mary Green, at **1-800-784-4343** to help with planning purposes.



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Project Update

Project Information

Calbag Resources was retained for decommissioning and removal of certain structures, machinery, equipment and waste materials at CFAC. These activities commenced in early May 2015 and are expected to take 2 years. Calbag is widely recognized for its leadership in decommissioning closed industrial sites. The company is headquartered in Portland, Oregon.

Calbag successfully decommissioned and repurposed other aluminum smelters, several in the Northwest, including the Dalles Aluminum Smelter in Dalles, Oregon and the Columbia Gorge Aluminum Smelter in Goldendale, Washington.

CFAC has retained Roux Associates, Inc. (Roux), an environmental consulting firm, to produce a Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study Work Plan (RI/FS Work Plan) for investigating the CFAC site. The RI/FS Work Plan is the roadmap to determine if environmental remediation work is needed at the site.

Through these efforts, CFAC's contractors will remove waste and salvageable materials from the site and begin to characterize historic contamination to be able to address it appropriately.

CFAC is committed to complying with all applicable laws, rules and regulations during the closure and decommissioning process, especially those relating to health, safety and the environment.

The current schedule requires Calbag to complete its contracted scope of work within two to three years.

Notice to Proceed..... 5/8/15
Group Mobilization & Permitting.....6/30/15
Demolition & Scrap Removal..... 5/11/17
Backfilling and Landscaping.....11/23/17
Demobilization from the Site.....12/21/17



Contact Information

CFAC and its team are committed to answering your questions. For more information about the project or the community panel, contact Mary Green at 1-877-384-7036.



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