

### **SECRETARIAT REPORTS AND UPDATES**

Report by the Secretariat

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#### Secretariat Reports and Updates

- ✓ Update on Registration of the CSLF Logo
- ✓ Report on Feasibility of a "Blog"

CSLF-P-2006-05 CSLF-P-2006-07

- ✓ Update on Changes to the CSLF Website CSLF-P-200
- ✓ Report on Website Links
- ✓ Update on Stakeholder Registry
- ✓ CSLF Project Data Sheet Template

CSLF-P-2006-06 CSLF-P-2006-08 CSLF-P-2006-09



## Changes to the CSLF Website (CSLF-P-2006-06)

- ✓ Entire website is now open to the public.
- Member energy summary pages have been updated or added.
- ✓ Stakeholder registry page has been added.
- ✓ Other changes are mostly updates.



#### Website Links (CSLF-P-2006-08)

- ✓ Background
  - Secretariat has received requests by outside organizations for the CSLF website to link to their sites.
  - CSLF website already contains links to Member and recognized project websites as well as some reports.
- ✓ Questions:
  - 1. How should external requests for links be handled?
  - 2. How should the issue of commercial links be handled?
  - 3. How should the CSLF protect itself against potential liabilities arising from the links?

#### **Recommendations for Links**

- 1. External links. <u>These should be included</u>, but in <u>only</u> the information repository part of the website and <u>only</u> if they are relevant, substantive, and credible.
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## Stakeholder Registry Implementation

- ✓ The "CSLF Stakeholders" section of the website was updated to explain the Stakeholder Registry.
- ✓ A Stakeholders Registry Form was added to the website.
- Registrants are asked whether they would allow public release of their information.
- ✓ Administrative procedures have been adapted to check accuracy, completeness and consistency of each submission.

Process is running smoothly and the registry is available for use, but only 10 stakeholders are currently registered.

# Project Template: An outreach tool to describe projects

- ✓ Location
- ✓ Project Type
- ✓ Technologies
- ✓ Project Goal
- ✓ Project Objectives
- ✓ Project Timeline
- ✓ Team Members
- ✓ Key Contacts/Website
- ✓ Project Description
- ✓ Press Release

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**Project Title** 

The Weyburn Carbon Sequestration Project

Project Location Country State/Region Province City

**CSLF** Project Title

Terrestrial sequestration for enhanced oil recovery

**Project Technologies** 

- 1. Long distance CO<sub>2</sub> transport
- 2. Sequestration with EOR

#### **Project Goal**

The goal of the Weyburn CO<sub>2</sub> Sequestration Project is to enhance the knowledge base and understanding of the underground sequestration of CO<sub>2</sub> associated with EOR. The Weyburn site provides a unique and cost effective opportunity to obtain data to model and predict the impact of long-term storage of CO<sub>2</sub> in a geologic formation.

**Project Objectives** 

- To show that sequestration into geologic formations can provide long-term storage of CO2
- To determine how much CO<sub>2</sub> is actually stored during EOR operations
- ✓ To monitor and verify the amount of CO₂ that is sequestered
- ✓ To study the dependence of CO₂ storage on geology
- To find ways to increase CO<sub>2</sub> sequestration without compromising EOR operations

**Project Timeline** 

Start date:

Milestone events: (list chronologically)

End date:



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Team Members Principal Team Members

1.

2.

3.

**Affiliated Team Members** 

1.

2.

3.



**Key Contacts** 

**Project Point of Contact** 

Name Telephone Number Fax Number E-mail Address -

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Key Contacts - cont.

**CSLF** Point of Contact

Name Telephone Number Fax Number E-mail Address



Key Contacts - cont.

**Government Point of Contact** 

Name Telephone Number Fax Number E-mail Address -

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Website

Include any project related to private or public sites as well



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#### **Project Description**

The Weyburn carbon dioxide (CO2) sequestration project is intended to expand the knowledge base on formation capacity, transport, fate, and storage integrity of CO2 injected into geologic formations. Use of new reservoir mapping and predictive tools (surface seismic and tracer injection) to develop a better understanding of the behavior of CO2 in a geologic formation in conjunction with the Weyburn unit is being addressed by EnCana and Dakota Gasification Company. Weyburn field, in southwestern Saskatchewan, Canada, was discovered......etc.

#### Project Template – Press Release

## Successful Sequestration Project Could Mean More Oil and Less Carbon Dioxide Emissions

#### Weyburn Project Breaks New Ground in Enhanced Oil Recovery Efforts

**Washington, DC** – Secretary Samuel Bodman today announced that the Department of Energy (DOE)-funded "Weyburn Project" successfully sequestered five million tons of carbon dioxide (CO2) into the Weyburn Oilfield in Saskatchewan, Canada, while doubling the field's oil recovery rate. If the methodology used in the Weyburn Project was successfully applied on a worldwide scale, one-third to one-half of CO2 emissions could be eliminated in the next 100 years and billions of barrels of oil could be recovered. "The success of the Weyburn Project could have incredible implications......etc.