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LOOW RAB MEETING ANNOUNCED for Nov. 10th

The Steering Committee of the Lake Ontario Ordnance Works Restoration Advisory Board, more commonly known as the “LOOW RAB,” will meet at 6:30p.m., on Thursday, November 10th, 2011 in the Alumni Room at the Community Resource Center, which is located at the northern end of the Lew-Port School campus.

Members are encouraged to attend and the public is welcome. Please contact Bill Choboy at: billc313@yahoo.com or call 745-7790 to reserve seating.

The mission of the Lake Ontario Ordnance Works (LOOW) Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) is to influence the investigation and promote the satisfactory remediation of the entire LOOW site, including all publicly and privately owned parcels. Convened in 1999, the RAB is a forum for the public and all stakeholders for the exchange of information as well as open and independent dialog concerning Army Corps of Engineers environmental investigations and remediation activities at the LOOW site.

The LOOW site consists of approximately 7,500 acres of publicly and privately owned parcels located in the Towns of Lewiston and Porter that were once owned by the federal government and used for military weapons production-related operations started during WWII. It includes the 191-acre Niagara Falls Storage Site, which still houses radioactive waste material from atomic weapons production in the 1940’s and 1950’s.