

Oak Ridge Reservation Communities Alliance  
FY 2020 Quarterly Report for the Period  
January 1 thru March 31, 2020

A number of activities in support of the ORRCA grant scope of work took place during this **third quarter** of the FY20 grant period.

**Q3 Activities in Support of the Scope of Services:**

- (1) ORRCA members participated in detailed follow up from DOE's annual Intergovernmental Meeting held in Nashville.
- (2) Members attended annual meeting of Energy Communities Alliance, with focus on environmental management and monitoring activities.
- (3) Members continued to meet with the State of Tennessee's grant management team to discuss a new grant application process for FY21-23. Briefings for ORRCA members were held.
- (4) Members held ORRCA's quarterly meeting, where FY21-21 grant application was approved, along with revised scopes of work pertaining to the Federal Facilities Agreement (FFA) and Environmental Surveillance and Oversight Agreement (ESOA).
- (5) Members participated in meetings with the National Park Service and member communities to discuss Manhattan Project National Historical Park status and plans.
- (6) Members worked with education and outreach partners on planning and implementation efforts for ORRCA scope.
- (7) Members participated in the quarterly meeting among DOE/TEMA/TDEC/Contractors and Local Governments regarding emergency planning and response activities for the Oak Ridge Reservation.
- (8) Members reviewed reports and participated in Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act compliance meetings related to the K-25/East Tennessee Technology Park.
- (9) Members participated in the final planning and grand opening of the K-25 History Center, located in the Oak Ridge Fire Station at ETPP.

- (10) Members continued to monitor studies and activities related to DOE's on the agency's proposed plan for the Environmental Management Disposal Facility (EMDF).
- (11) Members reviewed appropriations bills for FY2020, which contained funding for Oak Ridge DOE programs.
- (12) Member jurisdictions continued to monitor information pertaining to DOE's proposed interpretation of the high-level radioactive waste definition. This issue could have implications for waste disposal across the DOE complex.
- (13) Members prepared grant reports and financial statements to submit to the State of Tennessee in support of the ORRCA mission.
- (14) Members reviewed progress and issues related to the State's monitoring of DOE activities, including environmental sampling and progress toward FFA milestones.
- (15) Members participated in communications with parties regarding the COVID-19 pandemic.