



**REG CON  
2016**



DECEMBER 7-8, 2016

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ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

# **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

**Mark Lombard**

**Director, Division of Spent Fuel  
Management**

**December 7, 2016**

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## Welcome

- Emergency exits and restrooms
- Category 3 Meeting
- Presentations will be posted on public site
- Proprietary information not discussed
- Regulatory commitments not made
- Please sign in





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## What we hope to accomplish

- **Opportunity for stakeholders to share experiences, ask questions, and provide insights on improving regulatory processes – more time for open discussion in this year's agenda**
- **Achieve constructive dialogue and obtain input while we communicate NRC understanding of technical and regulatory issues**
- **Promote openness as well as regulatory effectiveness, predictability, and stability**



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## Conference messages

- **NRC focus on maintaining effectiveness while improving efficiency**
- **Collaboration not collusion**
- **Appropriate thresholds for change control**

# **Keynote Speaker**

**Michael F. Weber – NRC Acting Deputy Executive  
Director for Materials, Waste, Research, State, Tribal,  
Compliance, Administration, and Human Capital  
Programs**

