Paducah Gaseous Diffusion (Uranium Enrichment) Plant Future Visioning Community Preference Modeling Results

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Process Satisfaction



Age Demographics

Data collected to date have a gap in the 30s and 40s, which is the largest demographic In both McCracken and Ballard Counties.



Missing segment In which jobs and kids are especially Important.

Harder for this demographic to attend meetings.



Ballard County Age Distribution



Women/Men?



Prepared Draft Report Early 2011

- Pointed Out Data Issues
- Large Standard Deviations
- Bi-Modal Scores
- Difficult to Draw Defensible Conclusion
- SO..
- Prepared Online Polling System
- Made Presentations/Appeals to CAB, Rotary Club
- Scheduled Piggyback Meeting Onto Neighborhood Planning Mtg.
- Began Conversations with School District

Result

- Gathered A Bit More Data at Neighborhood Meeting, but Demographic Especially Elderly
- CAB and Rotary only produced modest numbers
- Went to Middle Schools
 - Encouraged students to involve their parents
 - Resulted in spike in participation online





















Cluster Analysis

- Minimizes Within-Group Variance
- Maximizes Between-Group Variance
- Resulted in Three Distinct Groups of Scores



Group 2. All Decommissioning Waste Shipped Offsite (No WDA Onsite) and Legacy Waste Fully Excavated.

ln:

- 1. LU: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 2. WMA: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 3. DEC: 834 No Units
- 4. LEG: 250 No Units

Out:

SUIT: 0 to 1000 No Units



Group 2. All Decommissioning Waste Kept Onsite (Full WDA Onsite) and Legacy Waste Minimum In: Excavation.

- 1. LU: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 2. WMA: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 3. DEC: 167 No Units
- 4. LEG: 750 No Units
- Out:
- SUIT: 0 to 1000 No Units







Group 1. Scenario 3. Heavy Industry with Added Recreation Facilities.

ln:

- 1. LU: 250 No Units
- 2. WMA: 250 No Units
- 3. DEC: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 4. LEG: 0 to 1000 No Units Out:
- SUIT: 0 to 1000 No Units



Group 1. Scenarios 1-2. Nuclear Industry. All WMA.

- ln:
- 1. LU: 83 No Units
- 2. WMA: 750 No Units
- 3. DEC: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 4. LEG: 0 to 1000 No Units Out:
- SUIT: 0 to 1000 No Units



Group 1. Scenario 11. Institutional Controls. All WMA.

ln:

- 1. LU: 918 No Units
- 2. WMA: 750 No Units
- 3. DEC: 0 to 1000 No Units
- 4. LEG: 0 to 1000 No Units Out:
- SUIT: 0 to 1000 No Units





Conclusions

- There are three significant perspectives on the land use/cleanup question in Paducah.
- Two perspectives are fundamentally different and largely single-issue: Economic Development vs. Risk/Exposure Minimization
- A third group considers balancing benefits and risks. This group may be most productive area to focus attention.
- Process Matters: Distributive justice and procedural justice are not the same. A process can have options with low distributive justice but high procedural justice i.e. people don't have to like the options to approve of the decision process, which improves the likelihood of agreement.