



Lean Action Board (LAB) Charter

Administrator's Charge

- Pursue the best opportunities for the transference of learning and successful results from Lean projects conducted at EPA and in the states;
- Direct the agency's Lean resources toward best opportunities; and
- Gain and share insights into the strategies that best support a culture of Lean thinking and continuous process improvement.

Goal

- Advance the practice of Lean to ensure continuous improvement at EPA and with State partners

Governance

- Eight members: six SES-level EPA officials and two Directors of state environmental agencies
- Membership revised using a staggered approach with 2 year terms
- Quarterly reporting to the Administrator and Deputy Administrator
- Annual strategy identifies specific activities to accomplish charge

2016 LAB Members

SES Members:

- Beverly Banister, Region 4
- Robin Gonzalez, OEI
- Chris Robbins, ORD
- Chet Wayland, OAR
- Becky Weber, Region 7
- Dr. Anahita Williamson, Region 2

State Partners:

- John Mitchell - Director, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Division of Environment
- Misael Cabrera – Director, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

Facilitator: Shannon Kenny, OA