

Fermilab Community Advisory Board
September 22, 2022 meeting

Members attending: Larry Brenner, Chris Faber, Jim Gebhardt, Leah Goodman, Ellen Huxtable, Ewa Jodlowska, Britta McKenna, Crystal Porter, Arnolfo Santoro

Fermilab/DOE personnel attending: Leo Bellantoni, Valerie Higgins, Kim Mazur, Kurt Riesselmann, Becky Thompson

Welcome and Introductions

Rebecca Thompson

Bonnie Fleming, recently named Deputy Director and Chief Research Officer is very excited to meet the CAB and will be at the next meeting. Lia and Bonnie are sorry they are not able to be here today. Chris Mossey will give a DUNE update in January.

News from the Lab

Kurt Riesselmann

Presentation is linked in the agenda.

Comment – We would like to hear about Snowmass results once the conclusions are ready, exactly the sort of things we like to hear about.

Becky – we will make sure to have a Snowmass update at an appropriately timed meeting

Helen Edwards, a History

Valerie Higgins, Fermilab Archivist and Historian

Comments:

- A video of the presentation about Helen and other women would be beneficial to inspire girls and influence them in science
- Thanks for the presentation, learned a lot about her I didn't know.
- I have seen that picture of Leon many times and never knew who that was next to him or how important she was to the science at Fermilab.

IERC Starting Science Initiative

Leo Bellantoni

Presentation in agenda.

Q – When will the IERC construction be complete?

A – The last punch list is being formulated now. Some issues are due to items being backordered. Construction should be complete this fall. No specific date for ribbon cutting but CAB will be invited.

Q – Will engineers be hired for this new space?

A – The engineers will mostly be relocated from various parts of the lab with their current space getting repurposed and, in some cases, providing relief from pressure on existing facilities.