

Planning Transportation for Adaptive Phased Management

DISCUSSION
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To get the conversation started, we suggest beginning with the following five questions. We can add to these questions along the way as we reflect and discuss together.

1

Basic requirements of any plan – Requirements have already been identified by regulatory bodies. Best practice and experience also suggest some requirements.

What basic requirements or factors should form the starting foundation for the Adaptive Phased Management (APM) transportation plan?

2

Principles, objectives and key questions – Safety is paramount. Other principles, objectives and key questions for guiding decision-making may also be important.

Which objectives, principles and key questions should guide development of an APM transportation plan?

3

Ensuring we are inclusive – It will be important to be inclusive in designing and implementing the transportation plan. The best knowledge and expertise should be taken into account, and a broad and inclusive approach to understanding citizen values and priorities should be used to guide design and implementation.

How can we ensure the design and implementation of the APM transportation plan is sufficiently inclusive to ensure good decisions are made?

4

Technical research, technology development and demonstration – The APM transportation plan will need to be informed and supported by a robust program of technical research, technology development and demonstration.

What information will we need from technical specialists to develop the plan and support decision-making?

5

Modes and routes – In the future, decisions will need to be made about modes, such as road and rail, and routes in developing the plan. Early discussion will help identify some initial considerations to prepare for these future decisions.

What factors should be considered in future decisions about modes and routes?

Other comments?

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- » [Safe and Secure Transportation of Canada’s Used Nuclear Fuel – Brochure](#)
- » [Safe and Secure Transportation of Canada’s Used Nuclear Fuel – Questions and Answers](#)
- » [NWMO website \(www.nwmo.ca/en/A-safe-approach/Transportation\)](http://www.nwmo.ca/en/A-safe-approach/Transportation)