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Guys – I’d like to discuss this concept with you all on the next “3SDW Operations meeting/call”, scheduled for ?

I’d like to scope out the concept below with you all, for the [Western Air Quality Data Warehouse](#) to host this repository page. This is a chance to extend EPA participation beyond EPA Region 8’s key contributor/sponsor/user status in terms of the DW, and to acquaint other states with the DW. I’d like to mock something up and a small group could review, before “rolling out version 1” to the National O&G WG.

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Concept for National O&G Workgroup repository page on the Data Warehouse

- 1) Create a special web page specifically for the national oil & gas workgroup. It would be designated as a space for the national workgroup. It would not appear to be a WRAP-only, Western DW-only, or 3SAQS-only page.
- 2) EPA could have a disclaimer on the website, if needed (so that it was clear that EPA’s participation in the workgroup doesn’t constitute endorsement of the materials on it). This would address the likely issue of workgroup members posting things that EPA doesn’t necessarily support.
- 3) All “EPA trainings” would be hosted on the official EPA training website and the WRAP-managed page could link to it.
- 4) Any EPA draft materials (not ready for public release) being shared with the workgroup would be shared via Sharepoint or other EPA-managed password-protected site. It would not be posted on the workgroup site because we shouldn’t put the security of our sensitive materials in the hands of outside groups.
- 5) Any public EPA materials would be posted on an EPA server or webpage and the WRAP page could link to those materials as needed.

The national workgroup might want to post things on the website that EPA would not want to post on an EPA website.

We do want EPA’s participation to be represented, but also make it clear that it’s not an EPA page and we don’t control what gets posted on it.