

Our CAC

The Cincinnati facility of Rohm and Haas formed a Community Advisory Council (CAC) in January 2001 as part of its **Responsible Care** commitment. There are more than 20 members on the CAC representing a cross section of the local community. Members include fence line neighbors, emergency responders, plant management, representatives from the city of Reading and Reading Community Schools, religious organizations, local business owners and healthcare fields.

CAC members voluntarily meet with Rohm and Haas on a monthly basis to discuss issues of mutual interest. The meetings provide a forum for open and honest dialogue between the citizens of Reading and plant management. Members can convey their questions, comments or concerns directly to the facility, and the facility can respond to the needs of the community.

The meetings are held from 6-7 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the city of Reading Municipal Building.

CAC Objectives

- Address the health, environmental, safety and emergency preparedness concerns of Reading.
- Develop and maintain effective, open and truthful lines of communication.
- Review and discuss the operations of the Rohm and Haas Cincinnati plant.
- Develop ideas on how the CAC can improve and support local programs and activities in the community.
- Work together to be good neighbors.
- Monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of the CAC on an ongoing basis.