

Subject: Where should the U.S. program drill after WAIS Divide

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Please see the message below from Eric Stieg and Eric Saltzman

Dear Ice Core community,

At the WAIS Divide meeting this fall, Eric Steig and Eric Saltzman are planning a short pre-meeting (on September 30th) to initiate discussion of an important question:

Where do we want to drill the next deep U.S. ice core? Put another way: Where do we want to take the DISC drill after we are done with WAIS Divide?

They would very much appreciate input on this, and volunteers to give brief talks making the case for their favorite location to drill next.

So far, suggestions include Hercules Dome and South Pole but there are obviously many other places that might be considered.

Now is the time to start planning, if we don't want a long hiatus between completion of WAIS Divide and the next deep drilling site.

Please contact the organizers with input and ideas.

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