

Meeting Time and Location

Thursday, December 18, 2014, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Radio KDNA in Granger
121 Sunnyside Ave
Conference rooms 1 & 2
Granger, Washington

Optional GWAC Information Session:

- Hear from the Environmental Protection Agency on data collected associated with dairies

Agenda

Time	Topic	Purpose	Lead
3:00 – 4:45 p.m.	Sampling Data	Presentation on data collected regarding dairies	Tom Eaton, EPA

Regular GWAC Meeting

- Determine facilitation needs for 2015
- Discuss and consider approving the Nutrient Loading Assessment scope of work
- Hear from working groups on progress made on 2014 work plans
- Determine 2015 meeting schedule

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Time	Topic	Purpose	Lead
5:00 – 5:10 p.m.	Welcome & Meeting Overview	Introduction, meeting overview, confirm agenda	Penny Mabie, facilitator
5:10 – 5:20 p.m.	Committee Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approve October 16 meeting summary • Facilitation support for 2015 	Penny Mabie Vern Redifer, Yakima County
5:20 – 5:40 p.m.	Nutrient Loading Assessment scope of work	Discuss and consider approving scope of work and budget <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purpose of assessment • Proposed scope of work and schedule • Proposed budget 	Kirk Cook
5:40 - 6:40 p.m.	Working group reports	Overview of 2014 activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was planned in the 2014 Task List 	Working group chairs



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What has been accomplished • Results of recent meetings 	
6:40 – 6:50 p.m.	Public Comment	Opportunity for members of the public to make comments to the committee	
6:50 – 7:00 p.m.	Next Steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss 2015 meeting needs • Review action items, next steps, and next meeting topics 	Penny Mabie
7:00 p.m.	Adjourn		

Next Meeting: 2015 *tbd*

Committee Members

Stuart Turner, agronomist, Chelsea Durfey (alternate)	Turner and Co.
Bud Rogers, Kathleen Rogers (alternate)	Lower Valley Community Representative Position 1
Patricia Newhouse, Sue Wedam (alternate)	Lower Valley Community Representative Position 2
Doug Simpson	Irrigated Crop Producer
Jean Mendoza, Eric Anderson (alternate)	Friends of Toppenish Creek
Jan Whitefoot, Jim Dyjak (alternate)	Concerned Citizens of the Yakama Reservation
Steve George, Frank Lyall (alternate)	Yakima County Farm Bureau
Jason Sheehan, Dan DeGroot (alternate)	Yakima Dairy Federation
Jim Trull, Ron Cowin (alternate)	Sunnyside-Roza Joint Board of Control
Laurie Crowe, Jim Newhouse (alternate)	South Yakima Conservation District
Robert Farrell, John Van Wingerden (alternate)	Port of Sunnyside
Rand Elliott, Vern Redifer (alternate)	Yakima County Commission
Gordon Kelly	Yakima County Health District
Dr. Troy Peters	WSU Irrigated Agriculture Research and Extension Center
Tom Eaton, Marie Jennings (alternate)	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Elizabeth Sanchez, Tom Ring (alternate)	Yakama Nation
Kirk Cook, Virginia “Ginny” Prest (alternate)	Washington Department of Agriculture

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Andy Cervantes, Ginny Stern (alternate)	Washington Department of Health
Charlie McKinney, Tom Tebb (alternate)	Washington Department of Ecology
Lino Guerra, Rick Perez (alternate)	Hispanic Community Representative

Committee Ground Rules:

- Come to committee meetings prepared
- Treat one another with civility
- Respect each other’s perspectives
- Listen actively
- Participate actively
- Honor time frames
- Silence electronic devices during meetings
- Speak from interests, not positions.

2015 Meeting Dates to Choose from:

January 15 February 19 March 19 April 16	May 21 June 18 July 16 August 20	September 17 October 15 November 19 December 17
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Meeting Materials:

Name	Date Provided	From
2014_1016_mtg 7_DraftMtgSummary_v1.doc	10/27/14	jpan@enviroissues.com
2014_1023_RCIMWorkingGroupReport_FINAL	11/26/14	pmabie@enviroissues.com
EPO meeting summary_2014_1105_FINAL	11/26/14	pmabie@enviroissues.com
Regulatory Framework 11-12-14 Meeting Notes_FINAL	12/3/14	pmabie@enviroissues.com

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Data WorkingGroupReport 11-20-14 FINAL v3	12/3/14	pmabie@enviroissues.com
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