

Groundwater Management Area (GWMA):

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Meeting Time and Location

Thursday, June 18, 2015, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Radio KDNA
121 Sunnyside Ave.
Granger, WA 98932

Regular GWAC Meeting**Agenda – REVISED 6/15/15**

Time	Topic
5:00 – 5:10 p.m.	Welcome & Meeting Overview
5:10 – 6:25 p.m.	<p>Working Group Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data Collection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Nitrogen Loading Assessment • EPO • Livestock/CAFO • IAWG • RCIM • Regulatory Framework
6:25 – 6:40 p.m.	Lower Yakima Valley Groundwater Management Program Jim Davenport
6:40 – 6:50 p.m.	Committee Business Approve April 16 meeting summary
6:50 – 6:55 p.m.	GWAC Member Comments
6:55 – 7:00 p.m.	Public Comment
7:00 p.m.	Adjourn

Next Meeting: Thursday, August 20, 2015

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
Dr. Jessica Black	Heritage University
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
Ryan Ibach	Yakima Health District
Dr. Troy Peters	WSU Irrigated Agriculture Research and Extension Center
Bill Dunbar, 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
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

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- Participate actively
- Honor time frames
- Silence electronic devices during meetings
- Speak from interests, not positions.

2015 Meeting Dates:

February 19
April 16

June 18
August 20

October 15
December 17 (TBD)

Meeting Materials:

Name	Date Provided	From
2015_0416_GWAC_DraftMeetingSummary_v3.docx	5/1/2015	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
2015_0618_Mtg3_Agenda.docx	6/11/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Revised Agenda - 6/15/15	6/15/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Data Collection Working Group Reports of April 9 & May 19, 2015	6/11 & 6/15/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
EPO Working Group Reports of May 6 & June 3, 2015	6/11/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Livestock/CAFO Working Group Report of April 9, 2015	6/15/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
IAWG Working Group Reports of April 6 and June 8, 2015	6/15/15 & 6/17/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
RCIM Working Group Report of April 30, 2015	6/11/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Regulatory Framework Reports of April 2, April 23, and May 13; June 10, 2015 [at table]	6/11 & 6/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Lower Yakima Valley Groundwater Management Program	6/15/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us
Preliminary Evaluation of Livestock Facility Contribution to Nitrate Levels in Groundwater	6/15/15	lisa.freund@co.yakima.wa.us