



RSWG September 4th, 2025, Meeting Minutes

DATE: Thursday, September 4th, 2025 @ 1:00 – 2:00 PM

LOCATION: Sunnyside Fire Station

ATTENDEES: Jeff Morrow (Yakima Valley College)
Jesus Adame (City of Union Gap)
Randy Meloy (Yakima)
Alex A. & Fred C. (City of Sunnyside)
Jack W. & Mary Jo (Yakima County)

Guest: None

Items Discussed:

- Event(s) Update:
 - National Night Out: Several municipalities participated with Public Education and Outreach materials.
- Upcoming Events:
 - Central Washington State Fair: Signup sheet has been distributed to all members of the RSWG. Planning a full roll out Adopt a Drain program and continue to feature the Shut the Lid campaign. Discussed schedule and hand out plan.
- Permit Requirement Due Dates:
 - Reviewed due date spreadsheet from Ecology staff.
 - Sent Health Disparity link to group.
 - Will continue to review throughout permit cycle.
- Dumpster PE&O program:
 - Multiple jurisdictions are looking to take part in the Dumpster Awareness Program.
- EWSG PE&O workgroup:
 - WSC is nearing completion of a Stormwater 101 training series
 - Discussed video training library.
- Mid-Yakima Basin TMDL:
 - Yakima County may amend repat sample locations to better accommodate periods of flow in the QAPP.
 - City of Yakima has EIM template approved. Yakima County's was approved in April.
 - Union Gap has one area that comes from a private parcel that is testing positive for e-coli.
- Regional Stormwater Manual:
 - RSWG has agreed not to pursue an update to the regional manual, agrees addendum to SWMMEW is the preferred route.

Next Meeting:

The next RSWG meeting will be scheduled for Thursday December 4th, 2025. Location: Yakima County