

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING #12 MINUTES



North Fork Payette River Watershed Coalition – A VSWCD Initiative
USBR WaterSMART Cooperative Watershed Management Grant

“To mobilize a diverse group of North Fork Payette River Watershed stakeholders to identify watershed challenges, develop Watershed Restoration Plan and identify funding sources for plan implementation.”

Date/Time: February 29, 2024 | 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Location: Zoom & VSWCD Office

Purpose: Move date for NFPRWC workshop 1, plan layout and outreach for upcoming workshops

Steering Committee:

-Art Troutner – VSWCD Chairman	-Maureen Pepper - FPAC-NRCS	-Melissa D Jayo – USBR
-John Lillehaug – VSWCD Treasurer	-Danielle Terhaar – ID DEQ	-Thomas Tidwell - BPLWQC
-Bill Leaf – VSWCD Supervisor	-David Nichols – SISU Facilitator BFC	-Dave Bingaman – VC Rec. Planner
-Colt Brown – VSWCD Supervisor	-Kara Utter -- Dynamic Visions GIS	-Judy Nissula – Cascade Mayor
-Judy Anderson – VSWCD Supervisor	-Ken Roberts – VC Planning & Zoning, Ag producer	-Daina Aguas – NFPRWC Admin
-Lenard Long – VSWCD Assoc. Supervisor	-Maureen Pepper - FPAC-NRCS	-Julie Manning - Sawtooth Law Group
-Durena Fall - FPAC-NRCS VSWCD District Manager	McKenzie Kraemer -- Micael McKenzie Inc Creative	-Cynda Herrick – Valley P & Z -Jordan Messner – IDFG

Agenda:

1. Discussion Items

- a. NFPRWC Workshop 1
 - location - Donnelly Bible Church (Durena will confirm with church)
 - possible dates: Thursday April 25, backup date is Tuesday April 30
 - Durena will confirm that Ken Roberts, Dani T, Lance Holloway can speak at workshop
 - Lenard will be gone until April 16
 - Durena will be gone April 16-20
 - David gone the first week of April
 - Planning and Zoning conflict on April 4
 - Agenda Tweaks
 - ii. add town mayors/representatives for community welcome
 - Judy Nissula will reach out to Mayor Doris to see if she can give a welcome
 - iii. SC members need to make personal invite calls to agency representatives
 - iv. zoom recording may be improved with help from IT (Durena and/or Daina will contact)
- b. Direct outreach goals
 - Contact big landowners
 - Judy N. suggested that Cynda may be willing to reach out through planning and zoning
 - The Shaws and McGreggors are major landowners to contact
 - Forest Service needs a special invitation from Durena
 - Art Troutner will report back from his circles
 - Ken Roberts is an important connection for ag outreach (Durena will contact Ken)
 - Judy Anderson will do direct outreach with City of McCall, Major Giles
 - Lenard and Judy N. will organize participation from Cascade (special invite/reminders)
- c. Future workshops topics
 - SC will meet on March 14 from 1-3 to plan the layout and goals of upcoming workshops
 - Insight from Jordan Messner, Ken Roberts, Maureen Pepper, Melissa Jayo will be important for this process
 - Avoid planning on March 25-29 (local spring break)
- d. Upcoming presenters - when? what content/messaging?
 - Ryan Hendricks Water Operations presentation
 - Jaap Vos University of Idaho: can speak on balancing communities and development