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Agenda

Yakima River Basin Water Enhancement Project Workgroup

March 9, 2011, 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM Yakima Arboretum, 1401 Arboretum Dr., Yakima WA

- 9:30 – 9:35 Welcome/Introductions and Agenda Overview
- 9:35 – 9:55 Targeted Watershed Protections and Enhancements
 - *Dan Silver, Ecology Consultant*
- 9:55 – 10:25 Yakima River Basin Study Report Overview, Review Schedule/Workgroup Q&A
(Volume 1 - Proposed Integrated Plan and Volume 2 - Technical Memoranda)
 - *Ben Floyd , Anchor QEA and Andrew Graham, HDR*
- Integrated Plan Summary Support Document and YRBS Vol. 1 – Proposed Integrated Plan
Adjustments
 - *Ben Floyd , Anchor QEA*
- 10:25 – 10:50 Implementation Subcommittee Update
 - *Dan Silver, Ecology Consultant*
- Coordination Request from Ecology/Kittitas County on Developing Domestic Well Water
Reserve or In-Lieu Mitigation Fund
 - *Paul Jewell, Kittitas County and Tom Tebb, Ecology*
- 10:50 – 11:20 Information Updates and Next Steps
- Recent communications with US Forest Service
 - Planning Report and Programmatic EIS
 - Workgroup Meeting Schedule for 2011/2012 – Targeting quarterly¹
 - *Wendy Christensen, Reclamation and Derek Sandison, Ecology*
- 11:20 – 11:30 Public Comment

Adjourn

Yakima River Basin Study Report Review Schedule

Integrated Plan (Volume 1) - Comments due March 18

Technical Memoranda (Volume 2) – Technical corrections due March 31

¹ Quarterly YRBWEP Workgroup meetings planned for information updates (e.g., March, June, September and December of each year) but with flexibility built in based upon status of Planning Report/EIS work products and Implementation Subcommittee activities. Advance meeting notice will be provided.

*Work Group facilitation by Ben Floyd, Anchor QEA as a subconsultant to HDR, under contract to US Bureau of Reclamation