



West Sound Watersheds Council Meeting

May 21, 2014

9:00 am – 11:30 am

Council Chambers, Poulsbo City Hall

Poulsbo

Meeting Summary

Introductions:

Introductions made.

Review agenda:

New Lead Entity Coordinator should be starting soon.
Kathy will be able to represent Kitsap County at meetings next month.
Eco-net is hiring coordinator, if you are interested contact Deb Nagel.
Joleen requested a list of members or directory for LIO, PSP, WSWC, ECO Net.

Update on SRFB grant round:

Most projects got pulled at the last minute. West Sound Nearshore Integration & Synthesis is early action PSAR. Review comments are back – not a POC (Project of Condition); allocated in 2013 – 2015 biennium.

Keta Park – part of funds are early action. Tom needs get a complete a report soon. We have \$295,000 in SRFB funds for projects.

PSAR Large Cap – two great projects, Evergreen Park Nearshore Restoration and Purdy Creek Estuary Restoration Feasibility Design.

SRFB – Curley Creek Acquisition Feasibility, Springbrook Creek Feasibility and Design, E. Kitsap Steelhead Habitat Evaluation, and Filucy Bay Estuary Shoreline Acquisition.

Steelhead – NOAA (definitions). [Critical habitat exclusions policy](#). Now open until July 11, 2014 for public comments.

3 Year Workplan:

Must submit workplan project list and draft Chinook Monitoring and Adaptive Management Framework by May 31, 2014. Requires a narrative and the Suquamish Tribe will write a letter. If you have projects to

add, please inform Kathy Peters. If you are going to 2014 funding, you must have a plan noted or supported by treaty tribe.

BMP (Best Management Practices)

Joleen and Theresa Sjostrom will help rank list.

Lake Management in Kitsap County

Long Lake – County is proposing toxin distribution for weed management control. Proposal should check in with Salmon Recovery. Pierce County is dipping “toe” in Lake Management and would like to be kept informed of the progress.

Salish Sea Conference

All Kitsap presentations – thinking of doing a series of brown bags to see presentations. Two presentations, maybe compile abstracts.

Round the table announcements and information sharing:

- Joleen – coming up with Stillwaters Eco-Fest on May 31, 2014 11:00am – 3:00pm. Possibly bring presentation/results regarding vegetation and link to Chinook Monitoring and Adaptive Management chain to add to framework. (Possible future agenda item.)
- Request for proposal coming from DNR and WDFW for Marine nearshore social marketing and shoreline armoring.
- Troy – Gorst project is moving along. Needs maintenance before final site visits.
- Tom – getting ready to award bid for Chico. Sea level bulkhead; DNR will be picking up concrete at Chico and Tribe is paying for that. There is continued work on the Eelgrass project. Currently working on developing plan for sampling East Kitsap.
- Teresa – Bremerton Public Works is working on Evergreen Park proposal.
- Paul – the contract for Doe-Kag-Wats is in legal.

Future Meeting Dates:

- June 18 – outdoor meeting at Conservation District?
- July 16
- August 13
- September 17
- October 15
- November 19