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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE
GROUNDWATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
May 2, 2023
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
OREGON WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OWRD 3rd Floor Rogue Conference Room, Salem, Oregon
with Online Video/Phone Conference Option
Instructions for Zoom, phone, and YouTube access below (page 2)

AGENDA

(Order subject to change)

- A. **Call to Order and introductions (9:00)**

- B. **Proposed Rule Change Review: Critical Groundwater Area Designation**
Tim Seymour, Assistant Groundwater Manager, and Kelly Mainz, Water Policy Analyst, will provide a brief presentation of proposed rule modifications to Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 690, Division 10 for Appropriation and Use of Groundwater. These rule changes are needed to align the rules with updated statute regarding the Critical Groundwater Area designation process in ORS 537.730 through 537.742. GWAC discussion to follow.

- C. **Proposed Rule Change Review: Well Construction**
Kris Byrd, Well Construction Section Manager, and Laura Hartt, Water Policy Analyst, will provide a brief presentation and discussion of proposed rule modifications to Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 690, Divisions 190, 200, 205, 210, 215, 225, 240, and 260, pertaining to well construction. These rule changes are needed to implement 2019, 2021, and 2022 legislation as well as to restore a rule deleted previously through clerical error. GWAC discussion to follow.

- D. **Rulemaking Updates: Groundwater Allocation (Multiple Divisions) and Harney Basin Program (Division 512)**
Justin Iverson, Groundwater Section Manager, Laura Hartt, and Kelly Mainz will provide an updated of recent rules advisory committee meetings.

- E. **Public Comment**

Adjourn (12:00 PM or earlier, after public comments received)

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Public Comments: All public participants will be in listen-only mode unless you want to make a public comment. Public participants can join the Zoom meeting online or by phone. If you know in advance that you intend to make public comment, please provide ***your name and the phone number from which you will be calling*** to Kristi.J.SEYFRIED@water.oregon.gov. Having your name and phone number beforehand helps to run a more efficient meeting and prevents the need to call on participants by announcing their phone number.

The meeting is open to the public and all interested parties; if physical, language or other accommodations are needed for this meeting, please advise Kristi Seyfried (Kristi.J.SEYFRIED@water.oregon.gov ; 971-375-5412) as soon as possible but at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

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