

Water Resources Department Anticipated Rulemakings in 2006

Rule Division	Topic	Rules Advisory Committee Anticipated?	GWAC Input Anticipated?	Target WRC Date
1, 2, and 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update procedural rules for rulemaking and for contested cases • Create procedural rules for requesting public records 	Yes	—	May 2006
77	<p>Instream Water Rights:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consistency with Division 380 transfer rules • Defining reaches and other associated standards • Minimum application requirements for state agencies 	Yes	—	August 2006
217	Streamline pump test program consistent staff resources	No	Yes	May 2006
200 - 240	<p>Implement SB 579 (2001 session): Implement single well constructor license with endorsements</p> <p>(As necessary, eliminate any references to requirement to record well ID in deed records to implement HB 2083, 2005 session)</p>	No	Yes	May 2006
310	Implement HB 2178 (2005 session): Provide for expedited process for permit to use stored water	Yes	—	By November 2006
340	Implement HB 2083 – Delete references to water use registration process	No	—	By November 2006

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380	Implement HB 2123 (2005 session): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create rules for processing requests to modify ground water registrations • Delete references to “unconfined” aquifer for surface water to ground water transfers 	Yes	Yes	August 2006
385	Implement HB 2875 (2005 session): Temporary emergency point of diversion changes for irrigation districts	Yes	—	August 2006
507	Umatilla Basin Program: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modifications to address advice from Department of Justice regarding review of applications for new wells within five mile radius of certain municipal wells • Potential modifications to the Walla Walla River Subbasin rules to provide for flow restoration and ground water recharge projects 	Yes	Yes	August 2006
518	Process Lincoln City request to establish reservations in the Mid Coast Basin (assuming Commission initiates rulemaking in response to the City’s request)	No	—	August 2006
501,515, 516, 517, 518,	North Coast, Rogue, Umpqua, South Coast, Mid Coast Basin Programs – Review rules for consistency with water right processing statutes regarding certain storage applications	To be determined	—	November 2006

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