



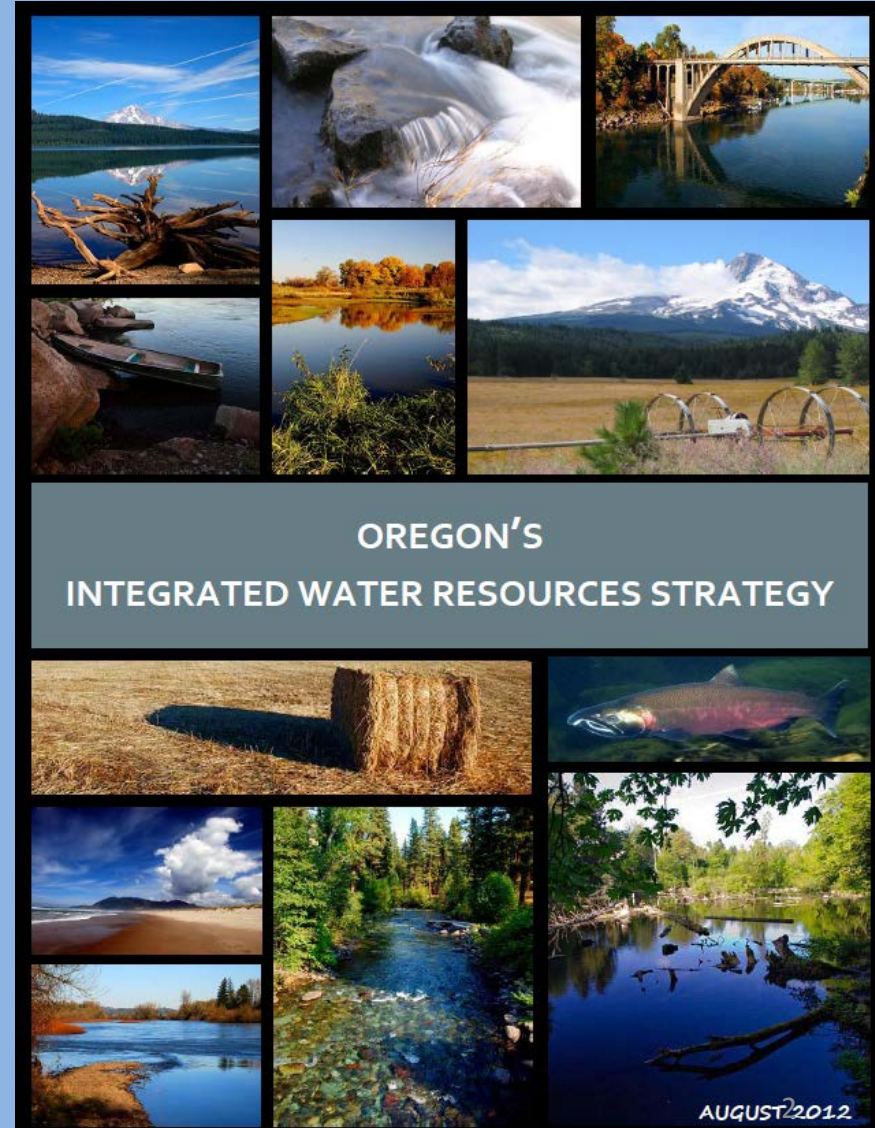
# **Rules Governing Water Supply Development Account**

**Water Resources Commission Meeting  
June 19, 2015**

**Tracy Loudon, Administrative Services Administrator  
Jon Unger, Water Supply Development Coordinator**

# BACKGROUND

- Water Supply Development in the Integrated Water Resources Strategy
- SB 839 (2013)
- Division 93 Rules
- HB 2400
  - Adjust Timelines
  - SVF Applicability



# EFFORTS TO DATE

**Economic  
Subgroup**

**Science  
Subgroup**



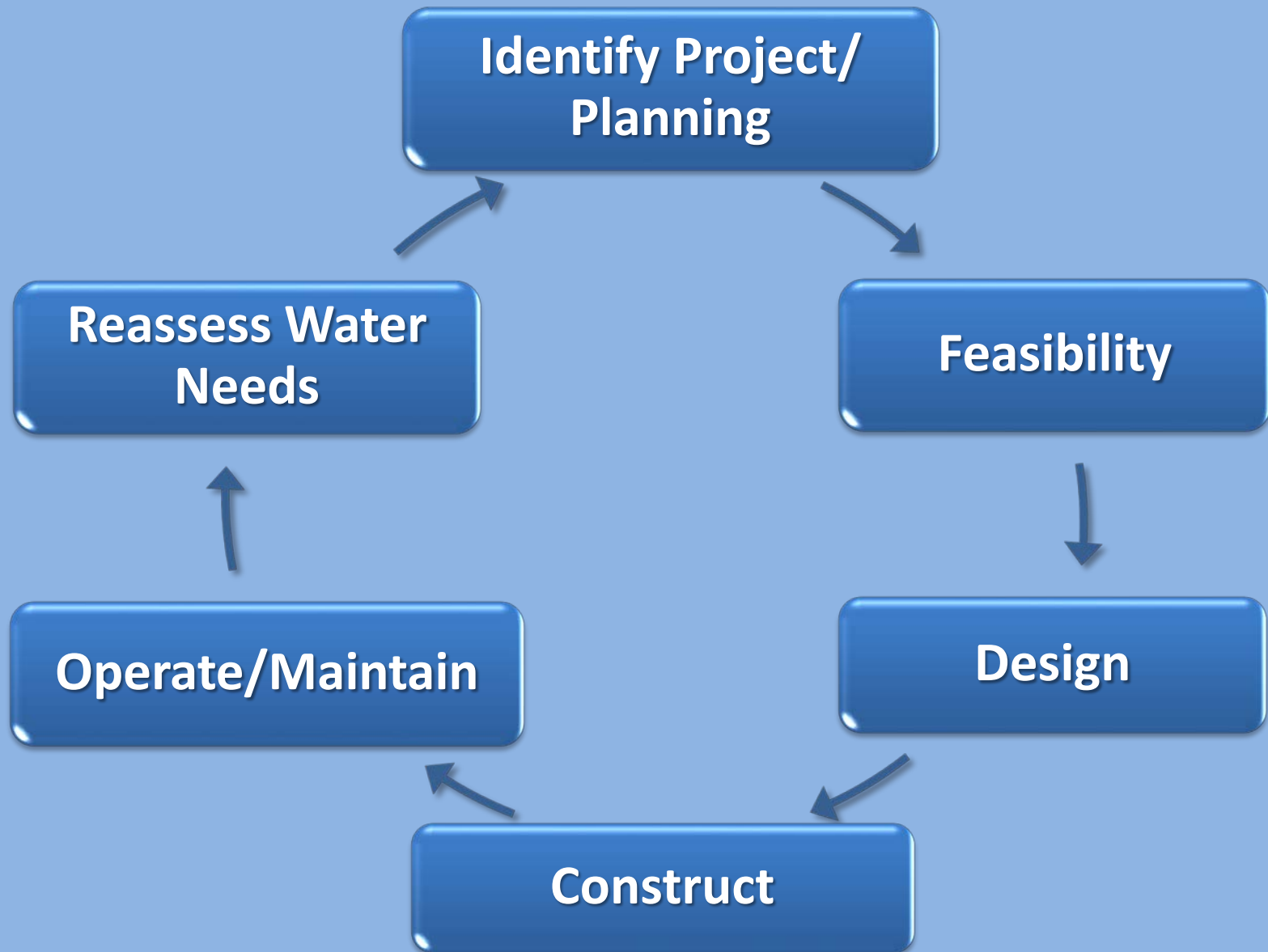
**Seasonally  
Varying Flow  
Task Force**

**Governance  
Task Force**

**Rules Advisory  
Committee**

**Public  
Hearings**

# WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT



# PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION - PRE-APPLICATION

**Project concept  
development**

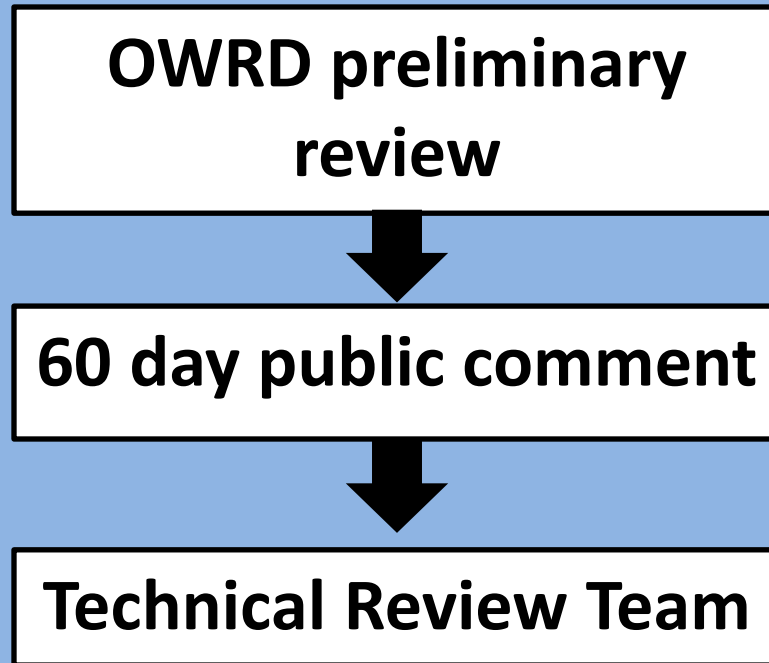
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meeting**

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held**

**Application submittal**

# PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION - REVIEW



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**OWRD preliminary review**



**60 day public comment**



**Technical Review Team**

**Economic Public Benefits (6 criteria)**

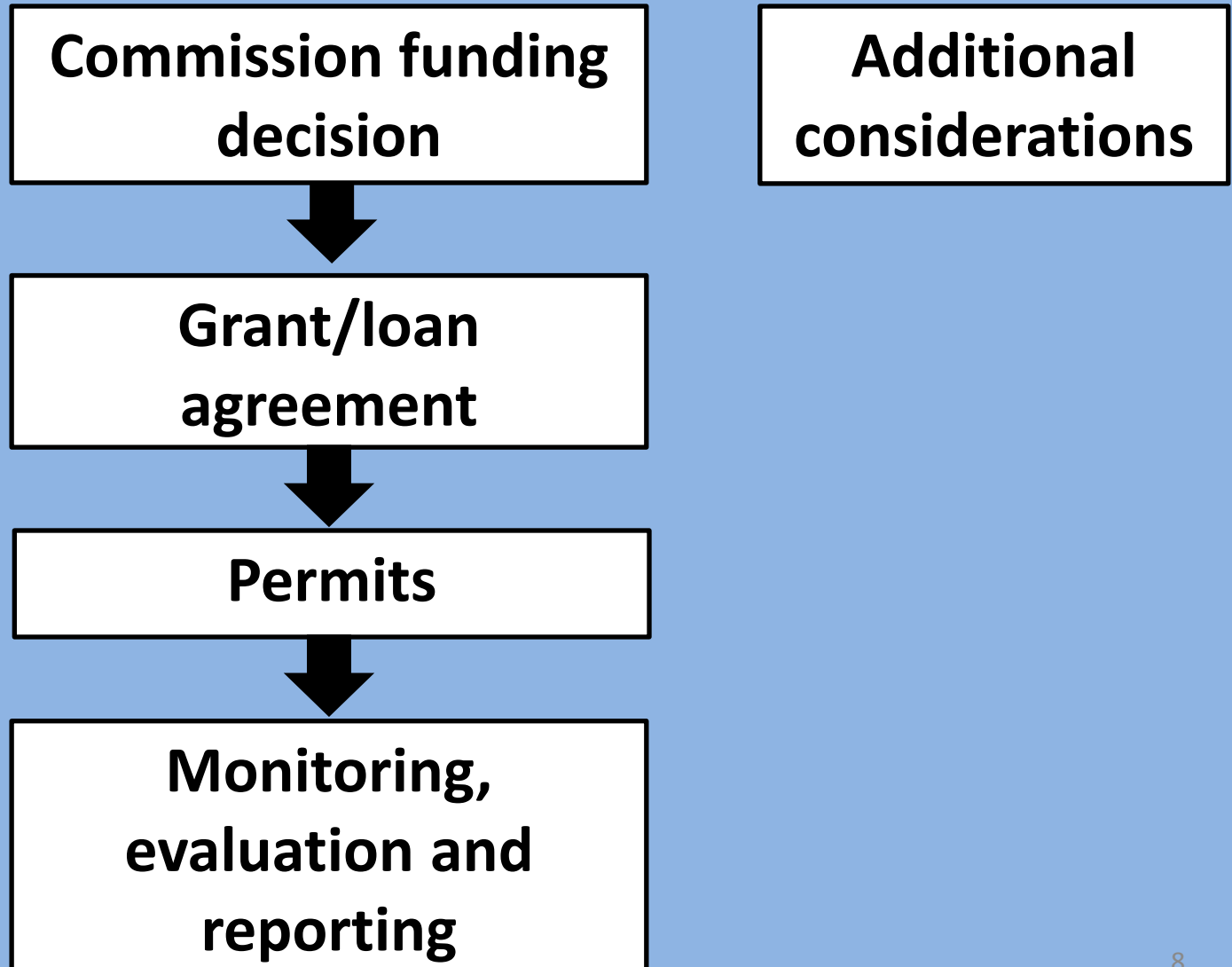
**Environmental Public Benefits (6 criteria)**

**Social/Cultural Public Benefits (6 criteria)**



**Preferences**

# PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION - DECISION





# **PUBLIC COMMENTS RECEIVED**

## **Verbal Comments (2)**

- **Three Sisters Irrigation District**
- **Interested citizen**

## **Written Comments (5)**

- **Mosier Watershed Council, City of Mosier, and Wasco County**
- **Janet Neuman, Tonkin Torp**
- **Deschutes River Conservancy**

## **General Council Review**

# SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Proposed rules describe provisions of the grant and loan program, including:

- Allowable projects and applicant eligibility;
- Process description
  - solicit and accept applications;
  - review, score, and rank projects;
  - provide for public process;
- Biennial review of program

# NEXT STEPS

## Programmatic Development

- Application
- Application Guidance
- Public Benefit and Evaluation Guidance
- Webpage

## Coordination with OWEB

- Programmatic Elements
- Project Specific

# CLOSING AND RECOMMENDATION

The Commission may consider the following options:

1. Adopt the proposed final OAR 690, Division 93 rules governing grants and loans for water supply development.
2. Adopt final OAR 690 Division 93 rules, as modified by the Commission.
3. Not adopt the rules and direct staff to reassess proposed final OAR Chapter 690, Division 93.

**Recommendation: The Director recommends Option 1**

# THANK YOU

