



Greater Harney Valley – Groundwater Study Advisory Committee Meeting



Wednesday, May 29, 2019 / 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Thursday, May 30, 2019 / 9:00am – 4:00pm

Harney County Community Center – 484 N Broadway Ave, Burns, OR

Advisory Committee Members

Angie Ketscher, Resident/Landowner
 Brandon Haslick, Burns Paiute Tribe
 Brenda Smith, High Desert Partnership
 Charlotte Roderique, Numu Allottee Association
 Fred Otley, Resident/Landowner
 Carey Goss, US Fish and Wildlife Services
 Herb Vloedman, Resident/Landowner
 JR Johnson, OWRD
 Karen Moon, Harney County Watershed Council
 Lorissa Singhose, Resident/Landowner
 Mark Owens, County Commission and Landowner
 Steve Rickman, Landowner/Business Owner
 Tony Hackett, Downright Drilling
 Wayne Evans, Resident/Landowner
 Zach Freed, The Nature Conservancy

Groundwater Study Team

Amanda Garcia, USGS
 Darrick Boschmann, OWRD
 Hank Johnson, USGS
 Jerry Grondin, OWRD
 Jordan Beamer, OWRD
 Justin Iverson, OWRD
 Mellony Hoskinson, OWRD
 Nick Corson-Dosch, USGS
 Steve Gingerich, USGS

Others

Harmony Burreight, OWRD
 Jason Spriet, OWRD

Wednesday, May 29 from 1-5pm

Timing	Agenda Topic	Description	Supporting Materials
1:00-1:15	Introductions and Announcements	Allow everyone in the room to introduce themselves and make announcements of interest to the group	
1:15-1:30	GWSAC Membership and Charter Updates	Briefly discuss new GWSAC member and charter updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charter
1:30-2:00	Setting the Stage for Phase 2	Group discussion to revisit the purpose of the Groundwater Study and the Advisory Committee as well as previous discussions/agreements and develop a common framework for analysis/interpretation	
2:00-2:30	Questions Raised So Far	Review questions raised by the sub-group, add additional questions, clarify where necessary and lay out questions we hope to answer as a group	
2:30-3:00	Contour Map Update	Steve, Jerry, and Hank will provide a recap of what was shared at the March meeting as well as a high level overview of how it was created.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contour Map
3:00-3:15	Break		

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3:15-3:45	Contour Map Reenactment	Steve, Jerry, and Hank will reenact what data and discussion went into a few key points on the contour map and the lines between them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contour Map
3:45-4:45	Contour Map Discussion	Enter the Center - GWSAC and study team members are invited to enter the center with members of the study team to ask questions and share observations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contour Map
3:45 – 4:00	Wrap-up		

-----DINNER AT ANGIE KETSCHER'S-----

Thursday, May 30, 2019 from 9-4pm

Timing	Agenda Topic	Description	Supporting Materials
9:00-9:15	Welcome and Introductions	Allow everyone in the room to introduce themselves	
9:15-10:15	Presentation on Water Chemistry	Hank Johnson will present results and analysis from water chemistry data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power Point
10:15-10:30	Break		
10:30-11:00	Group Discussion	Enter the Center - GWSAC and study team members are invited to enter the center with members of the study team to ask questions and share observations	
11:00-12:00	Working Lunch (Lunch provided for those on the agenda)	Check in on progress made answering questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandwiches and sweets
1:00-2:00	What's the Big Picture?	Chance to discuss the conceptual model that is forming and how information is tied together	
2:00-2:15	Break		
2:15-3:30	Presentation on Water Budget	Amanda Garcia will present water budget results and analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power Point
3:30-4:00	Recap and Next Steps	Wrap-up discussion and plan next meeting	