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Draft Agenda 319 TAC Meeting
THURSDAY April 7, 2016
8:00 am
USDA Service Center Building
Conference Room

- A. Opening of meeting (Mike Swartz)
- B. Review minutes from the March 3, 2016 meeting
- C. Old Business
 - 1. Robin
 - a. Monitoring dollars for landowners cover crop study
 - 2. RCPP Update—From Farmers Co-Op--CSCD received a thank you letter regarding the approved application on 3/14/16.
 - 2. Dan Steenson
 - a. Treasure Valley Water Users (T.V.W.U.)
 - 3. TMDL Implementation Plan--Delwyne Trefz from ISWCC
- E. Open items for discussion
 - 1. Agency reports
 - a. NRCS—Amie Miller, D.C.
 - b. FYI-WAG meeting April 14, 2016 from 1 – 3 PM at Caldwell Airport.

Set time and date for next meeting

1 Please note the agenda is subject to change. Thank you!



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DRAFT Minutes
319 TAC Meeting
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Sign in sheet for the 319 TAC meeting completed—Lori Kent-CSCD, Robin Hadeler-CSCD, Mike Swartz-CSCD, John Prigge-JRS, Graham Freeman-DEQ, Delwyne Trefz-SWCC, Amie Miller-NRCS, and Curtis Elke, Idaho NRCS State Conservationist

A. Opening of meeting (Mike Swartz)—8:10 AM

B. Reviewed and approved minutes from the February 11, 2016 meeting.

C. Old Business

1. Robin—CSCD

a. Robin has been busy working on both contracts below.

- Permanent Drip Irrigation on Tier 1 field consisting of 108 acres. They will be converting from flood irrigation to Permanent Pump & Filter Station
- Permanent Drip Irrigation on Tier 1 field consisting of 85 acres. They will be converting from flood irrigation to Permanent Pump & Filter Station.

b. Discussion on the proposal for monitoring dollars for 319 project on landowners cover crop study.—Robin is in the process of writing a Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP)

2. RCPP Update—approved and work is in progress. Landowner wants a preliminary design.

3. Dan Steenson—Not present

4. TMDL Implementation Plan—Delwyne reported that Tom Dupuis is one of the lead partners in developing the plan. Fresh Water Trust and Willamette Partnership are key partners. DEQ reviews plan first, sent back to TMDL Committee for corrections before going to

EPA for approval. EPA approves each trade (permit). There will be a certain BMP list to follow. Credits will be sold on annual basis.

D. Open items for discussion

1. Agency reports

a. NRCS—Amie

- Amie is attending the RCPP meeting in April. She is also going to Malheur County and visit the Shoestring Canal (same project as the Farmers Co-Op Canal is planning) and take pictures for the April meeting.
- The office staff has been working on EQIP ranking.
- NRCS is working on filling Mary's position.

b. Mike asked the question "is the LBWC going to apply for 319 grant this year and who is completing the application?" John will ask Tom for the pre application form from last year. The new grant cycle opens April 20th and must be completed in July.

c. Curtis Elke, NRCS Idaho State Conservationist.

- Introductions were made
- Spoke about Best Management Practices
- Spoke about the Total Daily Maximum Loads

NEXT MEETING WILL BE THURSDAY April 7, 2016 at 8:00 AM in the
USDA, Service Center -- Conference Room

Adjourned 9:30 am