

Brian Abbott Fish Barrier Removal Board Meeting

Proposed Agenda

Tuesday, March 18, 2025 – Remote
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Purpose of Meeting:	The intent of this monthly meeting is to provide the Board with general updates around fish barrier removal topics and funding, hear recommendations from the Policy Subcommittee on possible project funding line requirements, receive a status update on the WDFW Fish Passage Prioritization Strategy, and decide on five cost increase requests.		
Time	Agenda Topic	Materials	
9:00-9:15 a.m. (15 mins)	Welcome and Introductions –Kate Galambos, Facilitator, Triangle Associates; and Chair Tom Jameson, WDFW ■ Board and staff introductions ■ Review agenda and meeting purpose ■ Public Comments: Submit public comments via e-mail to FBRB@dfw.wa.gov for inclusion in the record ■ Review January 2025 Summary □ Decision: Approval of January 2025 Summary	Agenda FBRB January Summary Notes	
9:15-10:00 a.m. (45 minutes)	Policy Subcommittee Update: Minimum Project Score – Kaylee Kautz, WDFW; John Foltz, RCO; Policy Subcommittee Overview of Policy Subcommittee meetings (2/5, 2/18) Recommended Path Forward Board Discussion	2/5 Policy Subcommittee Notes 2/18 Policy Subcommittee Notes	
10:00- 10:15 a.m. (15 min)	Update: Relevant Legislative Topics – Board Members Upcoming legislation & funding initiatives Priorities for the Board Questions from Board & staff		
10:15-10:30 a.m. (15 min)	 Funding Status Update – John Foltz, RCO Climate Commitment Act (CCA) funding available as of Jan. 1, 2025 		

	 Contact with 23-25 sponsors regarding CCA funds Status of 25-27 list 	
10:30-10:40 a.m. (10 min)	Break	
11:00-11:30 a.m. (30 mins)	Decision: Cost Increase Requests – Cost Increase Subcommittee; and John Foltz, RCO ■ Review Cost Increase Requests: Five requests □ 21-1553 Derby Canyon Orchards □ 21-1511 Derby Creek BNSF Crossing □ 21-1530 Whiskey Creek Barriers RM 1.5- 1.7, Ellensburg □ 21-1502 Gilliam Creek Fish Passage Prelim Design □ 20-1692 CID at Coleman Creek Fish Screening & Passage ■ Review and discuss the recommendations from the Cost Increase Subcommittee. □ Decision: Action Required (A)	3/12 Cost Increase Subcommittee Notes 21-1553 Derby Canyon Orchards Amendment Form 21-1511 Derby Creek BNSF Crossing Amendment Form 21-1530 Whiskey Creek Barriers Amendment Form 21-1502 Gilliam Creek Amendment Form 20-1692 CID at Coleman Creek Fish
11:30-11:40 a.m. (10 min)	Fish Passage Strategy Update – Chair Tom Jameson, WDFW Staff update Status of Strategy Status of optimization model development	Screening & Passage WDFW Fish Passage Prioritization website
11:40 – 11:55 a.m. (15 mins)	Discuss Upcoming Opportunities for Engagement – Chair Tom Jameson, WDFW & Board Members Update: Puget Sound Partnership Action Agenda Workshop State of Salmon Input from Board members Additional items upon request	
11:55- 12:00 p.m. (5 mins)	Action Items & Next Steps – Triangle Associates Review action items / paths forward	
12:00	Adjourn	