

## Draft Meeting Notes Technical Track Work Group Meeting March 5, 2012

**ATTENDEES:**

Adriane Borgias, ECY  
Arianne Fernandez, ECY  
Galen Buterbaugh, Lake Spokane Association  
Bart Mihailovich, Spokane Riverkeeper  
Doug Krappas, IEPCO  
Bud Leber, Kaiser (Chair)  
Jon Welge, TetraTech

Bruce Rawls, Spokane County (Co-Chair)  
Diana Washington, ECY

**ON PHONE:**

Mary Lou Socia, EPA R10  
Mike Petersen, Lands Council  
Sarah Hubbard Gray, HG Consulting

- 1) **Discussion about frequency of TTWG Meetings.** Diana Washington mentioned that doing a 2-day workshop within the given timeframe will take some effort, perhaps as much as 20 hours/week and maybe more in the time just preceding the workshop. The purpose of the SRRTTF meeting at this point is to discuss the Rucklehaus proposal and not the workshop. That gives the TTWG four (including this meeting) Mondays to line out what the workshop looks like and get speakers identified in order to present to the “full group.” It was agreed to meet each Monday in March from 1-3 pm.
- 2) **Purpose Statement Updates:** Bud Leber needs to have the notes from the recent SRRTTF Meeting on February 28, 2012 in order to incorporate the Task Force Upgrades into the Purpose statement.

*Action Item: Andy Dunau to provide minutes of the recent SRRTTF meeting.*

- 3) **Processing of Survey Responses:** Bud Leber received approximately 10 responses to the Doodle Survey regarding topics for the workshop. The responses were as follows:

Votes	Topic	Votes	Topic	Votes	Topic
6	Lake Coeur d’Alene Watershed	3	Aquifer Recharge	1	Aquifer Discharge
5	Point Sources	9	Aerial Deposition	0	Sediment Deposition
11	Urban Stormwater Runoff	1	Tributaries	0	Volatilization/Evaporation
4	Non-urban Stormwater Runoff	1	Sediment Resuspension	4	Biological Uptake
3	Urban Seasonal Snowmelt	1	Watercraft	1	Chemical Transformation
2	Non-Urban Snowmelt	0	Biological release		

Other suggested topics: (2) Nonpoint Source; (1) Sampling and Analytical Limitations (1) Fish Consumption.

The Pareto Analysis consisted of a tally and prioritization of the topics based on the ranking of topics from those of the most interest to those of least interest. The topics of most interest were Urban Stormwater Runoff, Aerial Deposition, and Lake Coeur d’Alene Watershed. There was a review of the Conceptual Model and a discussion about “collapsing,” or grouping topics, such as Aquifer Recharge and Aquifer Discharge could be grouped into a topic like Aquifer/River Interface. There was another discussion about combining urban and non-urban stormwater. Also, the snowmelt topics are related to aerial deposition. This would imply that having 2 hour blocks would be appropriate with 3-4 talks/block. Important topics may need longer (45 minute) segments or 2 talks/block. It was mentioned that the workshop concept involves discussion at a number of levels: national, local issues, and activities, and an opportunity to brainstorm and/or discuss other topics.

**Draft Session Sheets:** Bud Leber agreed to prepare Draft Session Sheets for review by the group based on the survey sheet inputs. This consists of a sheet for each topic that contains the Session Focus, Sessions Outcomes, and suggested Session Presenters.

*Action Item: Work Group Members to send input to Bud regarding the session sheets (for topics, see table below), including suggested speakers. (TTWG members may make initial contact with potential speakers but not commitments.)*

*Action Item: Bud Leber to send out drafts to TTWG members before the next meeting for review.*

*Action Item: Include review of the Draft Session Sheets on the agenda for the next TTWG meeting (scheduled for 3/10/12). Identify and assign speakers for each section.*

**Workshop Organization:** The following workshop outline was created by the TTWG. Each speaker is expected to have 30 minutes plus Q&A. This could be expanded to 45 minutes if the topic requires.

Time	Day 1	Day 2
8-10 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Workshop</li> <li>• Ecology Work               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 2003-7</li> <li>○ 2008</li> <li>○ 2009-11</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Lake Coeur d'Alene</li> </ul>	Aerial Deposition, including snowmelt
10-10:15 am	Break	Break
10:15 am-12:15 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Local Source Identification</li> <li>• Kaiser: Internal Source</li> <li>• Spokane County</li> <li>• City of Spokane</li> </ul>	Stormwater (urban and non-urban)
12:15-1:00 pm	Lunch	Lunch
1-3 pm	National Perspective (Sources and Sinks) i.e., Portland Experience and others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aquifer Interchange</li> <li>• Sampling and analytical techniques</li> <li>• Biological Uptake*</li> </ul>
3-3:15 pm	Break	Break
3:15-5:15	Brainstorming Session with Presenters	Brainstorming Session with Presenters

\*Treatment was originally included but removed because it is not relevant to the focus on sources and sinks.

**Report Out to Task Force:** This is scheduled for the next SRRTTF meeting on March 28, 2012 and would include:

- Final Purpose Statements
- Workshop Preparation
  - Pareto Analysis Results
  - Session Sheets for Top 5
  - Workshop Organization