

SRRTTF Tech Track Work Group

DRAFT AGENDA: August 5, 2015 | 10:00am – 12:00pm
Department of Ecology | N. 4601 Monroe St. | Spokane, WA 99205

OBJECTIVES: *determine recommended next steps for:*

- *Upcoming technical work*
 - *Biennial work plan*
 - *Fish samples for testing*
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DISCUSSION TOPICS:

- 2015 dry-weather sampling (Barker to Spokane): anything to discuss?
 - Clarifying groundwater contribution: Ecology-County aquifer monitoring; revised QAPP
 - Trout Lodge/Avista fish for testing: Update from EAP on timing/likelihood of this getting funded; if so, input to EAP for QAPP on objectives of study—what data do we need to achieve those objectives?
 - Comprehensive Plan (five bullets from EPA response to judge):
 - a) A summary of the available data for PCBs in Spokane River water, fish tissue, and sediments.
 - b) A list of the identified sources of PCBs in the Spokane River with estimates of current loadings.
 - c) A range of BMPs expected to reduce or eliminate PCBs for each source or category of sources.
 - d) Recommendations for BMP implementation.
 - e) Recommendations for future studies to address remaining data gaps.
 - Deliverables for Ecology \$375,000 contract: *1) Sampling Event Report specified under Task 2-2 “Field Monitoring.” (2) Electronic Data Deliverables for lab analyses specified under Task 2-3 “Lab Analyses.” (3) Project Report specified in Task 2-4 including data validation, data entered into a database compatible with EIM, documentation of sampling methods, problems encountered, analytical results, and data validation methods as well as mass balances, identification and quantification of potential sources of PCB. (4) Progress meeting presentation specified under Task 2 5-2 “Progress meeting” (5) Approved QAPPs/QAPP amendments, reports & data, including EDDs from studies initiated under the “Implement Cleanup Actions - Source ID Studies” Task, specifically: hydroseed and decant (stormwater and sediment) facility studies.*
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For reference & any relevant updates:

SWAT team projects: Hydroseed (Doug); Vactor waste / catch basin bio-char filtration (Jeff Donovan); Hatchery fish meal (Galen); Data management (Adriane)

- Tracking list of ongoing and proposed EAP Projects:
 - Trout Lodge (Avista) fish sampling
 - Little Spokane listing verification
 - LSR Hatchery case study (sampling/analysis of hatchery fish, underway)
 - Lake Spokane carp
 - Groundwater data review project
 - High volume sampling/long Tem Monitoring Station at Spokane Tribal Reservation boundary
 - Atmospheric deposition
 - Technical support for SRRTTF

Next full Task Force meeting is **September 3, 2015, 9:00am-12:30pm**, at Liberty Lake Water & Sewer District
Next scheduled Tech Work Group meeting is September 2, 2015 from 10am-12pm at Dept. of Ecology

Conference call-in number is (800) 704-9804. Participant Code is 34863442#

*The conference call-in number will remain open until 15 minutes after the meeting begins. It will remain open as long as there are callers on the line. If you wish to join the meeting late, please notify Adriane Borgias (ABOR461@ecy.wa.gov) ahead of time.