

# Willamette Basin Mercury TMDL

## Advisory Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 21, 2018, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Linn County Extension

33630 McFarland Road, Tangent, OR

Objective: This meeting features speakers who will give presentations on implementation of the 2006 Willamette Basin Mercury TMDL for different land uses and permitted discharges. The objective of this meeting is to inform advisory committee members of the current practices already underway to reduce mercury.

- 9:45** Gather and Settle
- 10:00** Introductions and Summary of Key Issues from the Feb. 21 Meeting  
*Andrea Matzke, DEQ*
- 10:15** Overview of the 2006 Willamette Basin Mercury TMDL Water Quality Management Plan - *Paula Calvert, DEQ*
- 10:25** Bureau of Land Management - Management of Federal Forest Lands  
*Mike Brown and Steve Wegner, BLM*
- 10:45** Willamette National Forest BMP Implementation Program  
*Johan Hogervorst, U.S. Forest Service*
- 11:05** Forest Practices Act and Water Quality Protection  
*Adam Coble, Oregon Department of Forestry*
- 11:25** Oregon Department of Agriculture - Agricultural Water Quality Program  
*Michael Powers, ODA*
- 11:45** Lunch Break
- 1:00** Abandoned Mine Lands and Mercury in the Willamette Basin  
*Bryn Thoms, DEQ*
- 1:20** Portland District Water Management, Willamette Basin Oregon; Cottage Grove and Dorena Dams  
*Holly Bellringer and Norman Buccola, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers*
- 1:40** History of Mercury Implementation for Point Sources in the Willamette Basin  
*Spencer Bohaboy, DEQ*
- 1:55** NPDES MS4 Permittees and the Willamette River Mercury TMDL  
*Krista Reininga, Brown and Caldwell*
- 2:20** Mercury Minimization & Monitoring at Municipal Treatment Facilities  
*Raj Kapur, Clean Water Services*
- 2:40** Modeling Update - *Kevin Brannan, DEQ*
- 2:50** Wrap-up and Next Steps - *Andrea Matzke, DEQ*
- 3:00** Adjourn

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