

April 2, 2025, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. Virtual Meeting

Location: Harney County Community Center, 478 N Broadway Ave, Burns, OR 97720

To attend virtually (Zoom). Please register: here.

Contact Kelly Meinz for more information or assistance

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8:00 AM (15 min)	Welcome, Introductions, and Agenda Review
8:15 AM (20 min)	Goal of the Rulemaking Jason Spriet will present OWRD's stated goals for the Division 512 rulemaking.
8:35 AM (30 min)	Classification Kelly Meinz and Jason Spriet will gather feedback on the proposed classification rules.
9:05 AM (40 min)	Approaching the Problem Darrick Boschmann and Ben Scandella will present different approaches OWRD has taken to understand the impacts of different groundwater management decisions to address declining groundwater levels.
9:45 AM (60 min)	Fiscal Impacts ECONorthwest and Kelly Meinz will present the fiscal impact analysis of OWRD's proposed management scenario, SWMPA rules, and Classification rules.
10:45 AM (10 min)	Break
10:55 AM (60 min)	Proposed Management Scenario Tim Seymour and Ben Scandella will present the updates to OWRD's proposed management scenario.
11:55 AM (10min)	Public Comment
12:05 PM (45 min)	Lunch
12:50 PM (80 min)	Draft Critical Groundwater Area Rules Tim Seymour and Kelly Meinz will gather input on the draft critical groundwater area rule language.
2:15 PM (30 min)	Draft Racial Equity Impact Statement and Statement of Need Kelly Meinz will gather input on the draft racial equity impact statement and the statement of need.
2:45 PM (10 min)	Public Comment
2:55 PM (10 min)	Next Steps