Water Planning Legislative and Concept Workshop Agenda

2-4 pm, May 10, 2022
Meeting will be recorded
Location: Zoom
Materials Website

Goals:

Overall engagement goals:
- Provide opportunities to meaningfully engage in WRD legislative and budget development for water planning
- Develop a water planning legislative concept and budget proposal(s) that are responsive to the needs of Oregon’s economy, environment, communities, and cultures

Workshop goals:
- Introduce the Department’s draft of the water planning legislative concept and budget policy option package, including how input from various planning groups, partners, and the place-based planning pilot and evaluation serve as the foundation for both
- Gather feedback on draft legislative concept
- Gather feedback on the draft budget policy option packages related to planning

Agenda:
1. Welcome, introductions, and orientation (10 minutes)
2. Introduction of draft legislative concept and policy option package(s) (30 minutes)
3. Brainwriting (10 minutes)
4. Small group discussion (30 minutes)
5. Large group discussion (30 minutes)
6. Next steps and adjourn (10 minutes)

Discussion questions for brainwriting and small group discussion:

Legislative Concept:
1. Does the LC provide authority for the types of water planning needed in Oregon?
2. What portions of this LC require further refinement and/or discussion?
3. What do you like about the LC? What concerns do you have?

Budget Policy Option Packages:
1. Are requested staffing and fund resources sufficient?
2. What portions of this POP require further refinement and/or discussion with the broader group?
3. What do you like about the POPs? What concerns do you have?

Providing feedback post meeting:
Written feedback should be submitted to bryn.hudson@water.oregon.gov before close of business May 20, 2022, to ensure feedback back can be evaluated before June 3 filing deadline. Please note that conversations on the Legislative Concept will continue later into the year, as the Department anticipates further discussions will be needed and amendments will be required.