

## DWC Stakeholder Meeting Wednesday, July 3, 2024,1:30-3:30pm DRAFT AGENDA

*In person*: Dolores Water Conservancy District – <u>60 Cactus St., Cortez, CO 81321</u> *Virtual*: Zoom login info at the end of agenda

#### Agenda - ZOOM link below

<u>Time</u> <u>Topic</u>

1:30-1:40 Introductions, check-ins, meeting agreements

1:40-1:45 Approve/amend agenda

# 1:45-2:05 CWCB Wildfire Ready Action Plan (WRAP) Grant Application status update and feedback on project scope and RFP submission

Please see this <u>webmap</u> of a possible outline of the planning area for the WRAP project proposal. Chris Sturm has suggested sending an RFP out to consultants currently working on these projects for preliminary bid estimates for the grant proposal.

LOR Foundation has approved a \$30K cash match for this project, pending CWCB grant approval.

## 2:05-2:50 Dolores Ranger District FY 25 Work Plan - Presentation from Nick Mustoe

Discussion in light of DWC input via the CRLRP process. Discuss planning process going forward.

### 2:50-3:05 Mixed Conifer Rx Fire and Dozer Line NEPAs- Pre-Scoping Discussions

The notes from our discussion last month can be found <u>here</u>. Collect any new input or thoughts from stakeholders.

# 3:05-3:15 Forest-Water Working Group Update

The Forest-Water Working Group has met twice now and we are continuing to define specific objectives and action steps in two areas: Knowledge Building and Modeling.

Here is our draft statement of interest/inquiry: Understanding how water availability and timing are changing and being changed by conditions and forest treatments. There is an interest in further understanding how changes in forest structure are impacting the timing and availability of surface water, this includes understanding ET, soil moisture, snowpack, and energy balance shifts. In addition, there is interest in understanding how changes in forest structure impact forest resiliency as it pertains to soil moisture, forest health, soil health, and how forest system functions impact fuels and wildfire.

Here are some relevant papers for folks wanting to dig into this topic:

https://academic.oup.com/iof/article/118/2/172/5734757

https://www.frontiersin.org/journals/water/articles/10.3389/frwa.2024.1374961/full -

https://www.nature.com/articles/s41467-018-03735-6

#### 3:15-3:30 Updates and Field Trips

- July 12/13 Bark Beetle Workshop and Field Tour
- Burro Fire; Mixed Con areas Field Trip look at dates in Aug/Sep
- DWC Program Assistant

#### 3:30 Next steps and adjourn PARKING LOT (Future agenda items)

Nina Williams is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: DWRF Stakeholder Monthly Meeting

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