

The Wood River Watershed Advisory Group

Meeting Minutes

Big Wood Canal Company
409 North Apple Street, Shoshone, Idaho
Wednesday, August 25, 2010
Time: 7:00 PM

Attendees:

Bob Simpson – City of Carey
Mark Toone – Livestock
Leslie Moore – Friends of the Cottonwoods
Sue Switzer – DEQ-TFRO
Lynn Harmon – BWCC
Jerry Nance – Lincoln County
Carol Blackburn - Conservation

I. Welcome and Introductions

The meeting was called to order by Bob Simpson, vice-chairman, and everyone was welcomed.

II. WAG Business

- Bob read a letter from Clint Krahn, which was received August 23, 2010. Clint has resigned from the WAG and his position as chairman.
- The minutes for the previous meeting on July 26 were reviewed and approved as written.
- Because of the work being done on the Little Wood River 5-Year Review, we would like to have regularly scheduled meetings once a month at least until December. WAG meetings will be held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Big Wood Canal Company in Shoshone.
- The Wood River WAG By-Laws were presented for review and update. The By-Laws will be cleaned up and changes made in edit format and presented to the WAG at the next meeting. If you have any changes you would like to see in the By-Laws, please call or e-mail Sue; she will have them put in prior to the next meeting.
- The list of members from the 2004 time period was reviewed. There are several board member positions that need to be filled: livestock, logging-timber industry, hydro-power, irrigated agriculture, and environmental/preservation.

Everyone will try to come up with names of individuals that might be interested, and next meeting we will put together a list that we can present to the BAG.

III. Little Wood River 5-Year Review

This project was started previously and then put on hold for a while. It is now in the forefront and scheduled to be completed in December. Sue presented a draft of Section 2 for review and comment (handout). It was suggested that the map be broken out into section on separated pages, so it is more visible and easier to read: either separate into subbasins or separate at to north and south of Picabo. Sue will be working on the empty bullets in this section and Section 3. The WAG was asked to take it home, review it and bring back any comments or concerns.

The Meeting concluded at 8:00 pm.



WAG Vice-Chairman

9-28-10

Date