

West Silver Valley Citizens Advisory Committee

The West Silver Valley Citizens Advisory Committee previously met on November, 17, 2016 at Pinehurst City Hall, Pinehurst, Idaho.

December 15, 2016

Panhandle Health Office, Kellogg

1. **Introductions** – In attendance were 4 residents; John Rupert, Andy Helkey, Brian Nansel and Scott Young. DEQ staff included Ralph Paul and Dan Smith.
2. **Committee Business – Targeted Airshed Grant Update** - Dan went over the status of the woodstove change out program. He handed out a preliminary project overview and explained that The Citizen Action partnership (CAP) would be awarded a sub grant to screen income levels and manage the weatherization program.
3. **Action Items - Messaging – dry wood** – Dan explained that CAP would be given another the emergency dry wood program. The grant would run until funds for the emergency wood was used. Dan also explained that they were still working out details on the wood sheds. He was going to talk with the school to see if this could be a project for a shop class.
4. **Topic Discussion – Attainment Plan Control Measures** – Ralph handed out a sheet which showed the different strategies that DEQ was using to show emission reductions for the nonattainment area. Strategy One showed the reductions that had occurred between 2013 – 2015. These numbers had changed slightly from previous projections due when stoves were installed and when the base emission inventory was determined. The second strategy showed reductions occurring in 2017 with replacement of 35 woodstoves in Pinehurst and reductions due to Federal transportation/fuel requirements and the reduction due to voluntary measures. The final table showed the additional reductions that will continue over the next several years due to ongoing woodstove change outs in 2018-2020 along with numerous other programs planned for the area.
5. **Comments** – No additional comments were made.

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