

Wind, Klickitat, Hood and Fifteen Mile Habitat Site Visits

April 17-19th, 2013

ISRP Review Team (4 members): Bob Bilby, Pete Bisson, Jack Griffith, Tom Poe (*meet in Carson and will be driving own vehicle*)

Council Staff: Lynn Palensky

BPA/Others: Mary Todd Haight - meet at Hemlock (BPA), Rick Golden (BPA)- *15 and HR only*

Three -day Overview

Van/Driver: (1) Lynn Palensky (cell: 503-432-6477)

(Lynn picks up van on 16th downtown with laptop, conf phone and (2) Infocus in tow)

Wednesday April 17:

P/U ISRP members at the Sheraton Airport at 7:15 a.m.

Site Visits: Depart airport and head east: Wind, Klickitat, White Salmon and Hood River.

(p/u box lunches in Hood River at Boda's)

Overnight at The Dalles Inn

Thursday, April 18th:

Presentations: Meet up with the Deschutes and John Day tour group in The Dalles for full day of presentations. *Columbia Gorge Discovery Center & Museum* <http://www.gorgediscovery.org/>
Phone – 541-296-8600 (*café open 11-3*)

Overnight in The Dalles (ISRP only)

Friday, April 19th

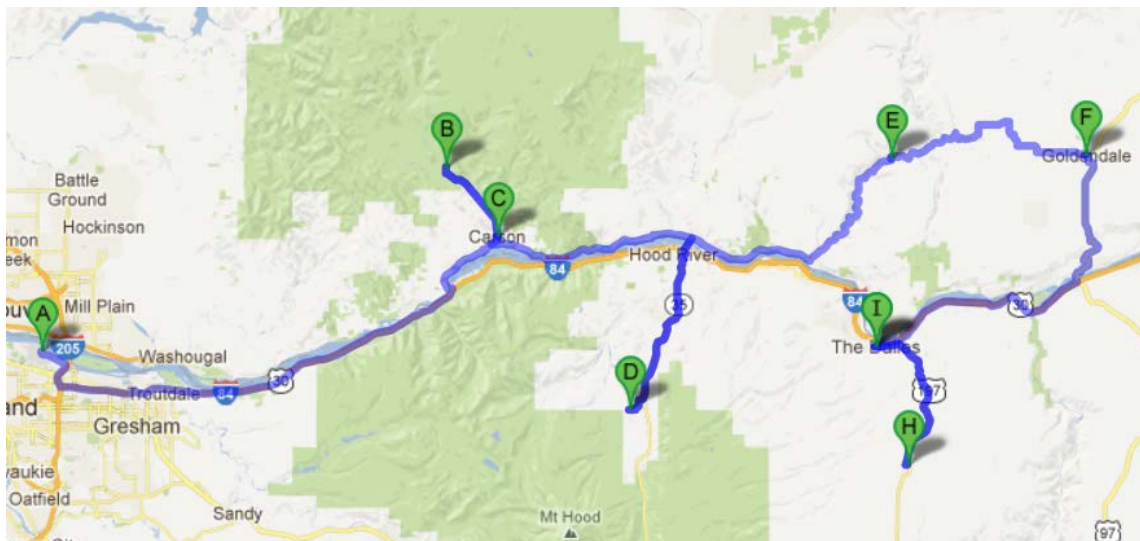
ISRP- only meeting

Six projects included in this review:

1998-019-00	Wind River Watershed	Underwood Conservation District (UCD), US Forest Service (USFS), US Geological Survey (USGS), (WDFW)
1993-040-00	Fifteenmile Creek Habitat Improvement	Oregon Department Of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)
2001-021-00	15 Mile Creek Riparian Buffers	Wasco County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD)
1998-021-00	Hood River Fish Habitat	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
1997-056-00	Klickitat Watershed Enhancement	Yakama Confederated Tribes
2007-156-00	Rock Creek Fish and Habitat Assessment	Yakama Confederated Tribes

April 17th

- 0700 – 0830 Drive from Portland to Hemlock restoration site
- 0830 – 0840 Bathroom break
- 0840 – 0920 Hemlock site review including habitat work and PIT tag interrogation setup
- 0920 – 0940 Drive to Little Wind restoration site
- 0940 – 1000 Little Wind Restoration site review
- 1000- 10:30 Cross back over to Oregon @ Hood River (p/u lunches)
- 2 hours Drive to project site Hood River TBD ~ 2 hrs (Sack lunches in the car)
Cross back over to WA @ Hood River to Klickitat/
- 12:45 Meet at Klickitat-Columbia Confluence at USFS trailhead to meet KWEP Staff (restrooms)
- 1250- 1:45 Drive to Overlook along Glenwood Hwy
- 1:45- 2:15 Haul Road Project@ Overlook
- 2:15 - 3:25 Drive back to Dalles: Cross the over to OR @ Dalles to Hwy 197 to meet Sponsors (park n ride)
- 3:25-3:40 Drive to Project sites on 15 mile -
- 3:40 -5:30 Close proximity project sites Company Hollow Junction Markman Bioengineering Project & ODFW
- 5:30 - 6:00 Drive back to The Dalles



April 17th

0700 – 0830 Drive from Portland to Hemlock restoration site

From Portland:

- Take I-84 east to Cascade Locks. Cross Bridge of the Gods and turn right on SR 14 to the town of Stevenson. Then follow instructions below

From Stevenson:

- Follow SR 14 east for about 3 miles to the turnoff for Carson. Turn left off SR-14 and head north on the Wind River Highway.
- Continue north through the town of Carson, continuing straight through the 3-way stop sign intersection. You should be on the Wind River Highway. **P/U Tom Poe here @ t-intersection silver p/u truck**
- Follow the Wind River Highway for about 8 miles to the community of Stabler.
- In Stabler, just past the old store/gas station (now closed), turn left on Hemlock Rd.
- Follow Hemlock Rd for about 1.5 miles and you'll see the old Wind River Ranger District office on your right. The office is now called the Wind River Work Center.
- Just past the Work Center, take an immediate right turn on Forest Road 43.
- Entrance to the Hemlock picnic site and restoration area is to your left a couple hundred feet down the road.

0830 – 0840 Bathroom break

0840 – 0920 Hemlock site review including habitat work and PIT tag interrogation setup

0920 – 0940 Drive to Little Wind restoration site

Directions to the Little Wind River Habitat Project:

Since the group will be coming from Hemlock, you will drive south on Wind River Road to Carson. At the four-way stop sign in Carson, Turn Left (East) onto Hot Springs Ave. Follow Hot Springs Ave down the hill to Highway 14 and Turn Left (East) onto SR14. After crossing the Wind River, Turn Left (North) onto Berge Road. Go up the hill, and in less than 1 mile, Turn Left onto Indian Cabin Road. Follow Indian Cabin Road down the hill to a sharp hairpin turn at a cable gate. Drive straight, through the gate (instead of taking the sharp left turn). Cross the Little Wind River bridge and park in open space on other side.

(LITTLE WIND DIRECTIONS

From Washington State Route 14, coming back from the Hemlock site. Drive east on SR14, crossing the mouth of the Wind River via a bridge at the confluence of Wind-Columbia Rivers. One quarter-mile east (past) the bridge, turn left onto Berge Road. Berge Road winds around and up-hill. Follow for 0.8 miles, turning left onto Indian Cabin Road. Indian Cabin Road is paved but narrow. Drive with care down to the base of a hill. Turns to gravel in 0.8 miles, at a corner intersection with a wire gate straight ahead. UCD will open the wire gate. Parking is 0.1 mile ahead, through the gate and just past the bridge over the Little Wind, in an obvious field. The tour site is immediately adjacent.)

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After crossing the Columbia on the Hood River Bridge continue to Hwy. 35. Turn left at the intersection of Hwy 35 and Hwy 30 (between Tum-A-Lum and the China Gorge Restaurant). Turn into the parking lot across from China Gorge (see attached map).

10:00 Meet in parking area across from China Gorge Restaurant (intersection of Hwy. 35, Hwy. 30, and Old Columbia River Drive).

10:00 - 10:05 Drive to overlook of Lower Hood River Rivermile 1 project (Sheppards Orchard pullout off of Hwy. 35).

10:05 – 10:25 Description of Lower Hood River Rivermile 1 project.

10:25 – 10:55 Drive to Dee Irrigation District Pipeline Project Camp Creek restoration site.

10:55 – 11:20 Meet with DID manager, Doug Hart, and visit newly completed pipeline project and describe future irrigation distribution project.

11:20 – 11:50 Drive to East Fork Irrigation District Headgate Project.

11:50 – 12:20 Meet with EFID Manager, John Buckley, and visit current headgate replacement project site and describe future water conservation plan and other upcoming projects.



12:45 Meet at Klickitat-Columbia Confluence at USFS trailhead to meet KWEP Staff (restrooms)

KWEP staff will meet at the USFS trailhead at the intersection of Hwy 14 and Hwy 142 at approx. 12:45 and depart from the Glenwood Hwy overlook around 2:15.

Directions from HR Toll Bridge to USFS trailhead at Mouth of Klickitat River:

- Turn right onto WA State HWY 14 - proceed 10.9 miles East
- Turn left onto WA State HWY 142 - proceed approx. 250 ft
- Turn left into marked USFS trailhead and parking area for Klickitat Trail

1250- 1:45 Drive to Overlook along Glenwood Hwy

Directions from USFS trailhead to Glenwood Hwy Overlook:

- Exit USFS trailhead by turning left onto WA State HWY 142 - proceed for 23.5 miles NE
- Turn left onto Glenwood Hwy - proceed 6.4 miles
- Park on left side of Glenwood Hwy in large overlook parking

1:45- 2:15 Haul Road Project@ Overlook

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Presentation Schedule: Wind, Fifteen, Klickitat, Hood, Deschutes, John Day

TIME	Project #	Title	Sponsor
8:00 AM		INTRO	
8:10 AM	1998-019-00	Wind River Watershed	Underwood CD, USFS, USGS, WDFW
8:30 AM	1997-056-00	Klickitat Watershed Enhancement	Yakama Confederated Tribes
8:50 AM	2007-156-00	Rock Creek Fish and Habitat Assessment	Yakama Confederated Tribes
9:10 AM	1993-040-00	Fifteenmile Creek Habitat Improvement	Oregon Department Of Fish and Wildlife
9:30 AM		BREAK	
9:40 AM	1998-021-00	Hood River Fish Habitat	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
10:00 AM	1998-028-00	Trout Creek Watershed Restoration	Jefferson County SWCD
10:20 AM	2001-021-00	15 Mile Creek Riparian Buffers	Wasco County SWCD
10:40 AM	2002-019-00	Develop Riparian Buffer Systems in Lower Wasco County	Wasco County SWCD
11:00 AM		BREAK	
11:10 AM	2002-035-00	Riparian Buffers in Gilliam County	Gilliam County SWCD
11:30 AM	2002-034-00	Riparian Buffers in Wheeler County	Wheeler County SWCD
11:50 AM	2002-015-00	Coordination and Technical Assistance to Watershed Councils and Individuals in Sherman County, Oregon	Sherman SWCD
12:10 PM		LUNCH	
1:20 PM	2007-397-00	John Day Passage, Flow and Habitat Enhancement	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
1:40 PM	2001-041-01	Forrest Conservation Area	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
2:00 PM	2000-015-00	Oxbow Conservation Area	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
2:20 PM		Break	
2:40 PM	1984-021-00	John Day Habitat Enhancement	Oregon Department Of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)
3:00 PM	1993-066-00	Oregon Fish Screens Project	Oregon Department Of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)
3:20 PM		BREAK	
3:30 PM	2000-031-00	Enhance Habitat in the North Fork John Day River	Umatilla Confederated Tribes (CTUIR)
3:50 PM	1994-042-00	Trout Creek Operations and Maintenance (O&M)	Oregon Department Of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)
4:10 PM	2008-301-00	Habitat Restoration Planning/Design/Implementation within boundaries of Warm Springs Reservation, lower Deschutes River,	Confederated Tribes Of Warm Springs
4:30 PM		Wrap up	

Tuesday, April 16th

Sheraton Portland Airport
8235 Northeast Airport Way
Portland, OR 97220

<http://www.starwoodhotels.com/sheraton/property/overview/index.html?propertyID=881>

Phone – 503-281-2500

**Government rates were available as of Feb 13, 2013. Please call and make reservations as soon as possible, govt. rates go quickly.

Wednesday, Thursday April 17th & 18th

The Dalles Inn
112 West 2nd Street
The Dalles, OR 97058

<http://www.thedallesinn.com/>

Phone – 541-296-9107

**Holding a block of rooms under Northwest Power and Conservation Council. Please call and give your credit card information and book your room. Govt. rate \$77 + tax.

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Thursday's Presentations will be held at - Columbia Gorge Discovery Center
Classroom 5000 Discovery Drive The Dalles, OR 97058

<http://www.gorgediscovery.org/>

Phone – 541-296-8600

Friday's ISRP Meeting will be held at-
The Dalles Inn **Conference Room**