



MEETING AGENDA

KELSO STORMWATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

DATE: April 25, 2012

TIME: 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

LOCATION: Kelso City Hall, Suite 203

Old Business

- 1) January 25, 2012 Meeting minutes

New Business

- 1) KSAC vice president
- 2) City of Kelso comment letters to Ecology on Permit and Manual
- 3) Habitat Status and Trends Monitoring for Lower Columbia Region
- 4) Citywide catch basin cleaning project
- 5) Draft Stormwater Management Plan and geodatabase



Kelso Stormwater Advisory Committee Meeting
April 25, 2012 @ 4:00 p.m.
City Hall Conference Room 203
203 S. Pacific Ave.

Attendees:

1. *[Signature]*
2. *Gloria Nichols*
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Public Works Department
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Stormwater Advisory Committee Meeting

January 25, 2012

Call to Order:

Dan Howell called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m., at City of Kelso City Hall, 203 S. Pacific Ave., Conference Room 203.

Those present were as follows:

Advisory Committee Members:

Gloria Nichols
Steffanie Taylor
Don Lemmons
Michael Dyer
Tim Wines
Dan Howell

Staff:

Van McKay, City of Kelso
Nina Caulfield, City of Kelso

Excused Absence: Gary Fredricks

Approval of Minutes:

Steffanie Taylor made the motion, seconded by Gloria Nichols to approve the minutes of September 28, 2011. Motion carried, all in favor.

New Business:

1. KSAC Officer Terms of Office

Member terms ending: Gary Fredricks, Dan Howell and student member Mike Dyer. Dan Howell and Mike Dyer both agreed to another 2 year term. Dan Howells term as President is now over. Don Lemmons nominated Michael Dyer. Hearing no other nominations Gloria Nichols called for the nominations to be closed, seconded by Tim Wines. All voted yes for Michael Dyer.

2. Draft Phase II Municipal Stormwater Permit

Van McKay provided the committee a draft version of the "Western Washington Phase II Municipal Stormwater Permit" document. A brief overview of some of the items that Van commented on was reviewed and the following items discussed:

- A. The permit we are under right now has been extended a year. All of the conditions in our current permit hold. We have until February 3rd to make any official comments.
- B. Page 10, Line 27 - A few cities and counties are listed that because of their increase in population that have bumped into the phase II requirements.
- C. Page 14, Item D – Text that is already in our current permit. States that we should do everything possible to reduce stormwater pollution as according to ACART.
 - i. This prescriptive permit should meet ACART definitions.
- D. Page 17, Stormwater Master Plan. The permit has to be updated every year and it has to be publicized. We already comply with this as we post it on our website. The report has to now include our plans for public education.
- E. Both the permit and the 2005 Stormwater Manual documents are out for public comment. Van asked for all written comments to be submitted to him for inclusion in his final document.
- F. Illicit Discharge Section – Moved text around, looks like more changes than there really is.
- G. Page 29, Development and Redevelopment – Local requirements and state requirements for stormwater. State requirements kick in when you have an acre or more of land disturbances. They are proposing to remove that one acre threshold and replace with a 2000 and 7000 square foot threshold. The use of the terms Impervious and Pervious are now changed to hard surface (both impervious and pervious). Tim proposed that any area exempt from detention right now be exempt from LID. Van went on to explain the requirements and how they will increase the workload of Public Works. Up to one more staff member may be required but we do not have the resources to fund a position. He will include both comments in his letter.
- H. Dan made the comment how he understands that the education requirements will also increase the workload. Tim asked if a solution could be a city group to help share in the responsibilities. Van knows that Jeff Cameron from the City of Longview is looking into it. Van thinks it would be a good thing to do.

Next Meeting:

Committee discussed and agreed the next meeting shall be held April 25, 2012.

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 pm.

Approved:



Michael Dyer, Chairperson



Nina Caulfield, Recording Secretary