

December 7, 2023

Hybrid Meeting

This meeting is being held in-person and virtually.

Physical Location: Room 172, Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, WA 98501.

[Facility information and visitor parking.](#)

Online Participation: If you wish to participate online, please click the link below to register and follow the instructions in advance of the meeting. You will be emailed specific instructions upon registering. Technical support for the meeting will be provided by the Recreation and Conservation Office (RCO) board liaison, Julia McNamara, who can be reached at Julia.McNamara@rco.wa.gov.

Online Registration Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jXuHPBGCRE246w9yUL98gA

Phone Option: You may also access the webinar using a phone only. This can be completed by calling (669) 900-6833 at or shortly before the start of meeting. You will then be prompted for a meeting ID. The meeting ID is 872 1552 7263.

Time: Opening session will begin as shown; all other times are approximate.

Public Comment: General public comment is encouraged to be submitted in advance to the meeting in written form. If you wish to comment, you may e-mail your request or written comments to Julia.McNamara@rco.wa.gov.

COVID Precautions: Masks and hand sanitizer will be made available.

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Thursday, December 7

OPENING AND WELCOME

9:00 a.m.

Welcome and Call to Order

- Hybrid Meeting Ground Rules
- Roll Call and Determination of Quorum
- Review and Approval of Agenda (**Decision**)
- Approval of September 2023 Minutes (**Decision**)

Chair Blain Reeves

Julia McNamara

HOT TOPIC AND STAFF REPORTS

9:10 a.m.

1. Council Staff Report

Stephanie Helms

9:40 a.m.	2. Update on Idaho Quagga Mussel Response and Washington's Preparedness Activities	<i>Member Justin Bush Jesse Schultz</i>
10:10 a.m.	Break	
10:25 a.m.	3. American Bullfrog Removal on Kalispel Tribal Lands	<i>Megan Turnock</i>
DISCUSSIONS, DECISIONS, AND UPDATES		
10:55 a.m.	4. Update on Vessel Incidental Discharge Act and Introduction of new Ballast Water and Biofouling Program	<i>Member Justin Bush</i>
11:05 a.m.	5. Volunteer Recognition Category and Criteria Overview and Discussion	<i>Past-Chair Joe Maroney</i>
11:25 a.m.	Lunch	
12:25 p.m.	6. Washington and British Columbia Feral Swine Transboundary Exercise	<i>Erin Coyle Josh Dise</i>
12:55 p.m.	7. Washington Department of Transportation's Roadside Landscape Asset Management System for Addressing Invasive Species	<i>Member Ray Willard</i>
1:25 p.m.	Break	
1:40 p.m.	8. Chronic Wasting Disease Overview	<i>Dr. Melia DeVivo and Hunter Westacott</i>
2:10 p.m.	9. Prioritization Assessment Tool Update Exercise	<i>Vice Chair Todd Murray Stephanie Helms</i>
2:30 p.m.	10. Future Meeting Planning Roundtable Discussion • March 21, 2024, Meeting Topics	<i>Chair Blain Reeves</i>
2:50 p.m.	General Public Comment <i>Please limit comment to three minutes</i>	
3:00 p.m.	ADJOURN	

Next regular meeting: March 21, 2024, Room 172, Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington St SE, Olympia, WA 98501.