

Water Engagement Initiative Main Table videoconference Meeting 28

Wednesday, September 21, 2022

9:00 am to 3:00 pm



Draft Agenda

- Updates
- Introduction: Scoping issues to current draft PMs
- Preliminary Bookend Flow Alternatives
- Break
- Assessing the 3 Phase 1 Flow Alternatives:
 - Hydrology
 - Draft PMs
- Lunch

Draft Agenda (2)

- Assessing the 3 Phase 1 Flow Alternatives:
 - Draft PMs (continued)
- Mock Ranking Exercise of three draft Bookend Flow Alternatives
- Next steps
 - What to expect at the next Main Table Meeting 29 (full assessment of all Phase 1 Bookend Flow Alternatives)
 - Upcoming TWG work and ongoing PMs scoping and review
 - Southside Working Group
 - Next meeting dates

Main Table Meeting 27 summary

- One comment
- Donna: “Very comprehensive coverage of a long meeting - thanks Rahul for everyone's hard work.
- Final summary posted on Get Involved Nechako website
- [https://www.getinvolvednechako.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Final WEI Main Table Meeting 27 Videoconference Summary-1.pdf](https://www.getinvolvednechako.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Final_WEI_Main_Table_Meeting_27_Videoconference_Summary-1.pdf)

Meeting 27 Action Items

- **ACTION ITEM:** RR will send a poll in mid-August asking participants if they want to meet in person in September or via videoconference.
- **Update:**
 - Assessed that discussion of the format for the September meeting remotely would be challenging
 - WEI Participants will discuss the preferences for the next meeting today

Update: Rio Tinto activities

- Andrew
- Rio Tinto operations
- Indigenous community engagement

Update: Technical Working Group

- Jayson

Update: Southside Working Group

- Barbeque
- Reservoir buoys received
- Preliminary buoy locations identified
- Locations assessed in-field, depths measured
- Selection of buoys aiming to be installed, and will be removed pre-winter
- Protocol to be developed
- Full placement in spring 2023

Overview of today (Michael)

- Structured Decision Making (SDM) focus
- Partial and illustrative assessment
- Summary of the pre-reading package

Scoping issues to current PMs

- Introduction and goals (Michael)
- Issues to sorting issues to selecting PMs (Jayson/Katie)
- Draft list of PMs for today (Jayson/Katie)
- Illustrative Consequence Table (Jayson/Katie)

Preliminary Bookend Flow Alternatives (for today) (Michael)

- Review of preliminary Bookend Flow Alternatives: Phase 1, Phase 2, Phase 3
- Phase 1-3 Bookend Alternatives (incomplete set)

Assessing the three Phase 1 Bookend Alternatives (Michael/Clayton)

- Review Hydrology/Hydroviz
- Comparison of Bookend Alternatives

Assessing the three Phase 1 Bookend Alternatives (Jayson/Katie)

- Partial preliminary calculated PM results
- Partial comparison between Bookend Alternatives

Assessing the three Phase 1 Bookend Alternatives-Draft PMs

- Summary of draft PMs/Consequence Table (Jayson/Katie)
- Commentary and discussion (Jayson/Michael)

Mock Ranking Exercise of Bookend Flow Alternatives (Michael/Clayton)

- Preference ranking of alternatives
- Review and discuss results

Next Steps

- What expect at Main Table Meeting 29 (full assessment of all Phase 1 Bookend Alternatives)
- Upcoming TWG work and ongoing PMs scoping and review
- Southside Working Group
- Meeting action items
- Proposed next meeting date (*November 16, 2022*)

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