

LRC Water Use Conflict – STAKEHOLDER BI-WEEKLY MEETING AGENDA

Date: February 17, 2026 8:00 AM

Location: Microsoft Teams

Attendees:

1. Modeling Discussions

- Update on progress (Glen)
- Discussion on preparedness for March 12 meeting

2. Impoundment Areas and Contact with Stakeholders (Emily/Uma)

- Continued investigation of potential impoundment areas, including compiling data on specific locations to be evaluated using the model once ready
- Conducting outreach to landowners to gain buy-in before designing any impoundment on their property
 - Many landowners have been contacted, and outreach continues for those we have been unable to reach as of yet. A summary of outreach efforts is in the appendix.
 - Contacts:
 - Total number of people we want to contact: 23
 - Total number we have been able to reach: 13
 - Total number who may be interested: 10
 - Total number who are not interested at all: 2

3. Beaver Dam Analogue Pilot Project

- Draft pilot protocol is in development
 - Continuing to add more details and fill in outline of protocol
 - Consulting experts, including Dr. Emily Fairfax and others, on protocol inputs
 - Current draft is nearing the complete draft stage. Next step is to review with Dr. Fairfax and update based on her feedback, before opening to stakeholder comments.
 - Preparation for pilot must include outreach to stakeholders who could potentially be impacted, including neighbors surrounding the Klaphake's property. See table in the appendix.
- Contacts:
 - Total number of people we want to contact: 10
 - Total number we have been able to reach: 2
 - Total number who may be interested: 2
 - Total number who are not interested at all: N/A
- KH Next Steps:
 - Set up next call with Emily Fairfax regarding success criteria
 - Meeting with Randy and Donna to discuss outreach to neighbors
- Our ask to stakeholders:
 - Site/property visits to LRC area to view creek layout – looking for interested property owners and confirmation from a list of stakeholders we have already discussed this with.
 - Asking Randy to conduct outreach to neighbors regarding pilot

4. March 12 Meeting Agenda

- Model updates
- Trout stream designation review
- MPCA water quality parameters discussion
- Update on investigation of potential impoundment areas and BDAs
- Discussion of BDA pilot project protocol

5. Action Items / Next Steps

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6. Next Bi-weekly Stakeholder Virtual Meeting

- March 5, 2026

7. Potential Next Workshop Meetings

- March 12, 2026