AGENDA

WA State Department of Transportation (WSDOT)

SR 20 Skagit River O'Brian Reach Floodplain Feasibility Study

Stakeholder Workshop #2

Thursday, June 1, 2023

5:30-7:30 PM

Register <u>here</u> to participate in the Zoom meeting

OR

RSVP here by May 21 to attend the Zoom meeting via a hosted in-person option at the Upper Skagit Library in Concrete.

Workshop Purpose

- 1. Provide an overview and update of the SR 20 Skagit O'Brian Reach Feasibility Study.
- 2. Present the results of the alternatives analysis.
- 3. Get input on a feasible alternative concept, which will be incorporated into the final study report.

Agenda

5:30 Welcome and Introductions

- Welcome Jenni Dykstra, WSDOT
- Introduce study team
- Review workshop purpose and agenda Hilary Wilkinson, Triangle Associates (Triangle)

5:40 Study Background and Context

- Study context and purpose Jenni *Dykstra, WSDOT*
- Study approach and review of work completed Jen O'Neal, Natural Systems Design (NSD)
- Integration of Stakeholder Input Jenni Dykstra, WSDOT
- Q&A

6:00 Results of Alternatives Analysis – Jen O'Neal and Shawn Higgins, NSD

- Review of existing conditions assessment
- Development of alternatives
- Modeling results
- Q&A

6:30 Discussion of Alternatives Evaluation

7:10 Next Steps and study completion

7:30 Adjourn

Project Team

Jenni Dykstra, *Chronic Environmental Deficiencies Coordinator and Fish Biologist*, WSDOT Environmental Services Office. Project Role: Project Manager.

Jen O'Neal, Senior Fisheries Biologist, NSD. Project Role: Study Lead.

Tim Abbe, PhD, PEG, PHG, *Science Lead*, Natural Systems Design, Inc. (NSD), Project Role: Principal in Charge.

Shawn Higgins, Senior Scientist, NSD. Project Role: Technical lead for geomorphic analysis.

Cygnia Rapp, LG, Geomorphologist, WSDOT Hydraulics. Project Role: Technical Lead

Hilary Wilkinson, Senior Associate, Triangle Associates. Project Role: Stakeholder Engagement Lead.

Workshop Handouts

- 1. Workshop Agenda
- 2. Study Goals and Evaluation Criteria
- 3. Summary of Alternatives, with pros and cons