



Columbia Gorge CWMA Steering Meeting

April 22nd, 2026; 11:00 AM-11:50 PM

Teleconference (via GoToMeeting):

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11:00 Welcome

All

- **Attendance:**

- Courtney Comer (Facilitator)
- Emily Stevenson (Fiscal Admin.)
- Brendan Fordyce (At-Large Rep./Ed. & Out Chair)
- Nathan Goodman (Washington Rep.)
- Brad Mead (At-Large Rep./Steering Co-Chair)
- Ethan Coggins (Washington Rep.)
- John Cowan (Oregon Rep.)

11:05 Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes

Ethan Coggins, Brad Mead, All

March Meeting Minutes approved by Ethan C., seconded by Emily S.

11:10 Annual Report Update

All

- **Fix grammatical errors**
 - Parentheses on Letter of Support
- **Emily S. and Courtney C. to work on list of contributors**
 - Send request for funding to everyone
 - Contact CEDR and send MOU with support letter
- **Courtney C. to add MOU and Letter for Support as a packet on the website**
- **Financial Report**
 - East Multnomah and Parks have contributed



11:20 ISEP early discussion

All

- **Do we want to serve lunch?**
 - Could the cook at the senior center serve lunch?
 - Could Wilbur-Ellis sponsor a lunch hour?
 - Table at lunch or talk specifically about what products are coming or leaving
 - John C.: Could we do box lunches at registration? John will ask Leeanne at Parks who they use
 - Brad M.: Blue Door in Vancouver could cater
 - Nathan G.: Bickleton sandwich bar?
- **Location:**
 - Have not seen a drop in attendance
- **Fun activities:**
 - Do we want something like a dunk tank?
 - Use that to fund lunch catering/etc.?
- **Speaker Ideas:**
 - Indigenous perspectives on the use of herbicides
 - Yellow Star Thistle Control

11:39 Field day

All

May 20th

- **Bull Run:**
 - 8am start time at Bull Run/Dodge Park
 - Possible sites:
 - Walker Prairie
 - Herb Robert control on roadside
 - Dam Visit
 - Southside Bridge
- **East Multnomah:**
 - Will have a site, but still working out details
 - May be at Latourell



11:50 Adjourn

All

Ethan C. called to adjourn. Brad M. seconded at 11:50am.