



Columbia Gorge CWMA Education & Outreach Meeting

April 22nd, 2026; 11:55 AM – 12:45 PM

In Person

Hood River Extension Office

Teleconference (via GoToMeeting):

Computer, tablet, or smartphone: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/684807461>

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11:55 Welcome

12:00 Field Day

- Portland Water Bureau and East Multnomah are on board, lets discuss details!
 - Is an 8 am start in Dodge Park too early for folks coming from the east?
 - Do we need to pay for parking at Dodge Park? Nope!
 - How much does Angie need to know about attendees?
 - Special attention about leaving vehicles at Dodge Park
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12:20 Agency Event Cross Reference

- (This was kicked from last meeting's agenda)
- There was some interesting discussion at the last meeting about having some CWMA outreach, and deciding on events based on what events partner organizations already go to.
 - Ethan goes to a lot of events? He did it at Trout Lake Fair
 - Friends does a ton of events, and already has a bunch of space available for tables
 - Sara could maybe just leave materials out in unison?
- Do we want to give this a go?
 - Maybe just a google doc that people can add events to and sign up
 - QR code stanchion?
 - Minikit?
 - What do we want the message to be and what are the potential audiences?
- What do we think it would take, in effort and hours?
 - Maybe just assembly of minikits, and can be tacked on to people's other outreach efforts



- Letter to the CWMA for increasing printing budget for Washington State Weed Board?
- What organizations should we ask, and can we divide and conquer?
 - Sara might have a ton of Worst Weeds of the Gorge, need to follow up.

12:40 Boot Brushes

- Skamania has a bunch of boot brush replacements that agencies were supposed to repair trailhead boot brushes with
- Skamania still has many of these, and presumably agencies haven't been replacing them
- Everyone needs to check their sign storage as TNC needs an Oregon specific one (Brendan and Brad to check)

12:45 Next Meeting

- Do we need another, or can everything be sorted between Courtney, Brendan, and Field Day hosts?

Next CWMA Education & Outreach Meeting

August 26th, 2026

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