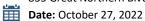




Location: Great Northern Best Western Hotel 835 Great Northern Blvd. Helena, MT



Time: 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM



Upper Columbia Conservation Commission (UC³)

10/27/22 Meeting Agenda

| TIME | TOPIC | PRESENTER(S) |
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| 8:30 AM | Welcome & Agenda Overview: meeting rules and participant introductions (roll call) | Stacey Schnebel , Chair; Tom Woolf , Vice Chair; Kate Wilson , UC ³ Administrator |
| 8:45 AM | Public Comment | Stacey Schnebel |
| 8:50 AM | Commission Consolidation Concept: Presentation & Discussion | Lieutenant Governor Kristen Juras; Kerry Davant, DNRC Deputy Director; Mark Bostrom, DNRC CARD Division Administrator; Kate Wilson, Commission Administrator |
| 10:15 AM | Staff & Committee Reports: FY23 Budget, Grants & contracts: BOR, Upper Columbia Lakes Network, Conservation Media, project/committee updates, legislative session 2023, etc. Actions: Approve minutes, FY23 budget, & South Dakota letter. | Kate Wilson; Cassidy Bender, Commission Coordinator; Josh Abrahamson, Big Sky Watershed Corps |
| 11:15 AM | Partner Updates: status of partner programs and discussion of collaboration opportunities | All partners: Avista; Blackfeet Nation; Conservation Districts; CSKT; Glacier National Park; Flathead Lake Biological Station; Missoula-County Weed & AIS District; Montana Invasive Species Council; NRCS; Swan Lakers; Trout Unlimited; USFS; USFWS; Whitefish Lake Institute; Yaak Valley Forest Council, etc. |
| 12:00 PM | FWP AIS Program: 2022 season summary, South Dakota mussel detection, Looking forward to 2023 Action: Approve concept/process for South Dakota letter from Montana | Tom Woolf, AIS Bureau Chief (FWP) |
| 12:30 PM | Adjourn Meeting | |
| | Bagged lunch (provided for in-person attendees) | |

