

Keep it Clean Partnership

January 5, 2016

Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

4049 75th Street

Boulder, CO

2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Attendees:

Janice Lopitz, KICP Project Coordinator

Erin Dodge, Boulder County Public Health/Water Quality

Candice Owen, City of Boulder/Public Works/Water Quality

Mick Forrester, City of Lafayette/Public Works

Jessica Lewand, City of Lafayette/Public Works

Abby Goranson, City of Lafayette/Public Works

Carrie Powers, City of Lafayette/Public Works

Cal Youngberg, City of Longmont/Natural Resources

Judah Gaioni, City of Longmont/Natural Resources

Jim Widner, Town of Superior/Public Works

Rebecca Wertz, City of Louisville/Public Works

I. Approval of Minutes

All

The November Steering Committee minutes were approved. The December meeting was cancelled and an electronic vote on the 2016 budget was conducted.

II. Coordinator and Partner Updates

General updates:

- Introductions of new members: Judah Gaioni, Jessica Lewand and Abby Goranson
- March 10 annual CDPHE MS4 report due
- MS4 Permit – waiting for final, no date
- CSU Trust survey is on hold as CDPHE requested waiting until after the MS4 permit is released.
- Watershed Plan was awarded after January 5 to Jane Clary of Wright Water.
Additional deliverables added to the contract:
 - Provide an executive summary of the overall monitoring effort and the critical information of the individual pollutant findings to be used to develop outreach materials.
 - Provide recommendations and conclusions considering current and future regulatory issues, modifications to the Monitoring Plan and potential future studies.
 - Focus for 2016 should be E. coli and selenium
- March 15, 2016 Watershed data due. Jane Clary will send a reminder on January 15, 2016 as required by the contract.
- 2015 close out/ fiscal agent update – Contracts are underway.
- EPA/CDPHE/MS4 exchange – Erin. Erin is involved in a leadership institute and one of the attendees is interested in coordinating an exchange/dialogue. The Partners indicated they would be willing to participate.
- Colorado Stormwater Council Construction Workgroup – Longmont's Jon Allen will be chairing and holding meetings on the second Tuesdays at 12pm in Broomfield.

- Surface Water Discharge Associated with Residential and Landscape Irrigation – reclaimed water was not fully covered previously nor the residual chlorine resulting from the discharges. CDPHE included a 10,000 gallon limit.
- Low Risk Discharge Guidance for Discharges of Potable Water – does not include a gallon limit but does include a limit for chlorine 0.011 mg/L that is based on the water quality limit.
- Statewide LLYLI/CSC campaign
 - Colorado Basin Roundtable - \$10,000!
 - Metro Basin Roundtable - \$5,000!
 - North Platte Basin Roundtable - \$2,500!
 - South Platte Basin Roundtable - \$5,000?
 - Yampa Basin Roundtable - \$10,000?
 - Statewide Funds - \$200,000?
 - In-Kind - \$357,500
 - Colorado Stormwater Council - \$10,000!
- Focus groups 14 within the state – sponsored by Colorado Water Congress. Janice Lopitz shared the highlights.
- November Water Quality Forum highlights –
 - Jane Clary of Wright Water and Jill Piatt-Kemper of the Colorado Stormwater Council presented the Reg 85 data gap analysis for MS4s
 - CDPHE files are now online
 - December the Forum will host an E. coli panel
- Design Standards – as space allows the following should be included.
 - Website address
 - Logo
 - Logo with Partners listed
 - Tributary look for adults (need to discuss white background. Tributary brand always appears to be familiar to people)
 - H2O Jo for children
 - Fonts should mirror Keep it Clean font in tributary sign
 - Tagline *Keep it Clean 'cause we are all downstream*
 - QR codes and Twitter were briefly discussed as possible outlets
- E. coli discussion –
 - The City of Boulder updated the group on the efforts they have taken along the TMDL section of Boulder Creek. The discussion focused around inlet and outlet controls for raccoons and furthering the outfall survey.
 - Both Lafayette and Louisville will be moving forward on E. coli studies.
 - Erin Dodge committed to providing the Onsite Wastewater System GIS layer to Lafayette for their community.
 - Janice Lopitz will attend the E. coli panel at the Water Quality Forum and welcomes individuals who want to carpool.

MCM 1/2

MCM 3/6

PACE training – about 12 individuals attended
 PACE newsletter has gone out and had a 30% open rate.

MCM 4/5

LID training – 27 individuals attended. Training was well received.
 Construction Trainings for 2016 – posted on the website and will go out to distribution list in January.

2016 Screenings – Cal Youngberg discussed stop work orders.

Annual/Budget/Permit Workgroup

**Closing/Next Steps
2016 meetings**

All

DATE	Steering	TOPIC
January 5	2-4	Design Standards and E. coli discussion
February 2	2-4	End of Year report outs
March 1	2-4	Neonics and N and P modeling and BOCO Open Space Monitoring
April 5	2-4	
May 3	2-4	
May 10	2-4	KICP Monitoring Annual meeting to discuss draft
June 7	2-4	
July 5	2-4	
August 2	2-4	
September 6	2-4	
October 4	2-4	
November 1	2-4	
December 6	2-4	