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Subject: GPT MAP - Input on Sub-groups
Attachments: Pending Studies and Reports.docx

Team,

We would like to keep moving on relevant review of project aspects and documents as they are ready. We've discussed this at the last MAP team meeting, and it seems that development of sub-groups would be an appropriate direction to take.

The project proponent is working on a 'Table of Studies and Documentation Concordance' which will become an organizing tool. To ensure we have appropriate representation on sub-groups that will be involved in various document reviews, I've developed the attached table.

I'd like your input on the following:

1. Do the topics in Table 1 encompass and accurately describe sub-committees?
 - a. Who/what agency should chair committee(s)?
 - b. Who from agencies and others on MAP team should be included?
2. For Table 2 (this includes the reports that will be developed):
 - a. Who from team should review these?

Please provide your input and ideas by Friday, June 10. The information will be incorporated into the larger table. When you respond, please attach your comments or embed in e-mail, and copy both Scott and me.

Also, I will be on vacation June 6-10 and again June 15-17 (in Bellevue office June 13-14). Scott or Faith will address questions in my absence.

Thanks, Jane

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Table 1: Suggested MAP Team Sub-committees (June 2, 2011)

Topic	Chair	Primary Parties	Individuals
Hydrology (stormwater, wetlands, streams, fish)		WDFW, Ecology, Corps, Whatcom County	
Wetland & Stream Impact Mitigation		WDFW, Ecology, Corps, EPA, Whatcom County	
Marine Environment		WDNR, WDFW, Ecology, Corps, Whatcom County	
Traffic (land, roads, trains)		NWCAA, who else?	
Vessel Traffic (marine)		Ecology, who else?	
Air Issues (permits, green house gas)		NWCAA, Ecology	

Table 2: Pending Studies and Reports (Revised May 17, 2011) – from Table 5-1 posted 5/17

Report	Notes	Draft Available (Quarter)	Primary parties	Individuals
Traffic Discipline Report	Models project effects and adds new intersection	Q2		
Marine Water Quality	Includes marine sediment chemistry	Q3		
Noise Impact Analysis	Includes background, potential construction, and operations	Q3		
Stormwater Technical Information Report	Technical details on proposed management of stormwater	Q3		
Birds & Fish Report	Adds 2011 survey data	Q3		
Air Quality Impact Analysis	Modeling of construction and operations	Q3		
Biological Evaluation	Includes Essential Fish Habitat Evaluation	Q3		
Vessel Traffic Study	Routing, moorage, risk minimization, etc.	Q4		
Hydrography (Marine Wave and Currents)	Includes wave, current, scour, etc.	Q4		
Marine Geotechnical	Seismic analysis, stratigraphy, grain size	Q4		

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Upland Geotechnical	Seismic analysis, stratigraphy, grain size	Q3		
Hydrology	Includes surface water, groundwater, fresh water quality	Q4		
Marine Biology	Includes benthic, epibenthic, geoduck, macroalgae, eelgrass, forage fish, and nearshore and benthic video mapping	Q3		