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**TO:** Flood Authority Members  
**FROM:** Scott Boettcher, Staff  
**SUBJECT:** Flood Authority Looking Ahead

The following will be discussed at today's Flood Authority meeting. Please feel free to contact me with questions (360/480-6600, [scottb@sbgh-partners.com](mailto:scottb@sbgh-partners.com)).

### **Flood Authority Matters Requiring Significant Staff Attention Over Remainder of 2021-23 Biennium**

#### **1. November Flood Authority Meeting**

- Approval of 2023 Flood Warning System annual O&M costs.
- Approval of 2023-25 Local Projects list.
- Update on Basin Gage Plan, including analysis of USGS cost-share gages.

#### **2. January Flood Authority Meeting**

- Approval of 2023 Flood Authority positions.
- Approval of final Basin Gage Plan.

#### **3. Significant Individual Local Projects**

- Port of Grays Harbor "Haul Road" erosion project and GHCD "Reach Analysis & Investment Planning" project.
- City of Chehalis forward looking "Reach Planning, Visioning, Priority Setting" project.
- Port of Chehalis forward looking "Regional Planning, Priority-Setting" project.
- Pumps (lower-basin, mid-basin).

#### **4. Flood Warning System (FWS)**

- *Ongoing* -- Ensure FWS is optimally configured, funded, maintained, and publicly relevant.

#### **5. Succession Planning**

- Currently Scott is sole staff member, without a successor.