

Columbia River Policy Advisory Group



Thursday, July 31, 2025, 8:00am–4:30pm

Community Meeting Room at Station 31, 228 Chumstick Hwy. Leavenworth, WA 98826 + Online Option

DRAFT Agenda

8:00–8:30am	In-Person Welcome, Introductions & Field Tour Overview
8:30–12:30pm	Icicle Creek Integrated Water & Habitat Management Strategy Field Tour
12:30–1:30pm	Lunch
1:30–1:35pm	Hybrid Meeting Orientation & Welcome
	Rob Willis, Facilitator, Ross Strategic
1:35–2:30pm	Field Tour Debrief & Discussion; Icicle Creek Work Group Presentation
2:30–3:00pm	BPA 101 & Irrigation Rates
	Adriana Rasmussen, Bonneville Power Administration (BPA)
3:00–3:30pm	Upper Columbia Salmon Recovery Board (UCSRB)
	Amanda Ward, UCSRB
3:30–3:40pm	Break (10 min)
3:40–3:55pm	Public Comment
3:55–4:20pm	OCR Update
	Melissa Downes, Ecology/OCR
4:20–4:30pm	Wrap Up, Member Announcements, and Adjourn
	Next meeting: October 23, 2025

Join Online Via Zoom

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1603623285?pwd=WPd8ipnGWRGn8WoQabznb9ljPpa1DB.1>

Meeting ID: 160 362 3285

Passcode: 710454

The Zoom meeting will begin at 1:30pm.



DRAFT Icicle Creek Field Tour Itinerary (8:00am–12:30pm)

8:00–8:10am	Welcome & Introductions at Fire District 3 Community Center
	228 Chumstick Hwy, Leavenworth, WA 98826
8:10–8:30am	Field Tour Overview
	Mike Kaputa, Chelan County and Melissa Downes, Ecology/OCR The group will board a shuttle bus at Fire District 3 Community Center.
8:30–8:45am	<i>Travel to Stop 1</i>
8:45–9:15am	Cascade Orchard Irrigation Company (COIC) Improvement Project
	Dan Wilkinson, Cascade Orchard Irrigation Company Mike Kaputa, Chelan County Greg McLaughlin, Washington Water Trust
9:15–9:30am	<i>Travel to Stop 2</i>
9:30–10:00am	Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery Diversion Dam Removal, New Diversion & Fish Screens
	Nicole Ahlem, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Mat Maxey, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
10:00–10:15am	<i>Travel to Stop 3</i>
10:15–10:45am	Icicle Creek Boulder Field Fish Passage Improvement Project & City of Leavenworth Fish Screen
	Theo Burgoon, Trout Unlimited Mayor Carl Florea, City of Leavenworth
10:45–11:15am	Icicle Peshastin Irrigation District (IPID) Diversion Fish Screen
	Levi Jantzer, Icicle Peshastin Irrigation District Jeffrey Dengel, WA Department of Fish & Wildlife
11:15–11:30am	<i>Travel to Stop 4</i>
11:30–12:15pm	Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery
	Mat Maxey, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Charles Brushwood, Colville Confederated Tribes David Blodgett, Yakama Nation Fisheries
12:15–12:30pm	<i>Travel to Fire District 3 Community Center</i>
12:30–1:30pm	Lunch