



Puget Sound Nutrient Forum

Agenda

September 20, 2018 ~ 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Green River Community College, Auburn
Student Union Building 2nd Floor, Pine/Noble/Willow

The Department of Ecology is hosting this Nutrient Forum meeting with the goal of beginning more in-depth discussions about the Salish Sea Model and how we will use it to test nutrient reduction scenarios.

To Participate:

This public meeting will be held at the Green River Community College campus in Auburn ([12401 SE 320th St, Auburn](https://www.google.com/maps/place/12401+SE+320th+St,+Auburn,+WA+98002)), and will also be conducted as an interactive webinar (WebEx). Participants can attend in person or at a location of their choice using WebEx. **Please RSVP online** to let us know how you will be attending (<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RMDYP25>). To participate by WebEx, you must [register](#) prior to the meeting.

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Note: Times may vary according to questions and discussion during topic presentations.

10:00 a.m.	Introductions & Welcome (Susan Braley)
10:10 a.m.	Recap of Science Forums and how modeling is used in this project (Dustin Bilhimer) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Highlights from what we heard about science in Puget Sound and a transition to more detailed discussion on Ecology's approach to using the Salish Sea Model Q&A
11:00 a.m.	The reference conditions: a detailed look (Teizeen Mohamedali) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is a reference condition? Our current approach to estimating reference conditions & limitations of estimates Ideas for improvement Q&A
12:00 p.m.	Break for Lunch
1:00 p.m.	Discussion from information presented in the morning presentations (Susan Braley) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Q&A
1:45 p.m.	Model updates and bounding scenarios (Anise Ahmed) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of the modeling system and recent updates; model performance How does the model evaluate the DO water quality standard? Bounding scenario model inputs and next steps Q&A
2:45 p.m.	Next Steps (Susan Braley) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ecology's Bounding Scenario Report shared with Forum participants The next meeting (date TBD) will focus on the results from the Bounding Scenario report
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn

Additional Resources

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More Information

Puget Sound Nutrient Source Reduction Project Webpage:
<https://ecology.wa.gov/Water-Shorelines/Puget-Sound/Helping-Puget-Sound/Reducing-Puget-Sound-nutrients>

Nitrogen in Puget Sound Story Map:
www.bit.ly/nitrogenstorymap

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