

Stormwater Work Group Agenda

Wednesday July 16, 2025 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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Agenda

1:00 **Welcome**

1:05 **Overview of Meeting Agenda and Purpose** – Don McQuilliams, SWG Chair

1:10 **SAM Round 5 Study Solicitation Process** – Raghu Namburi, SAM Coordinator and SAM Study Selection Subgroup (“S4”) Chair and members

- Introduce members of the SAM Study Selection Subgroup, aka S4
- Tentative schedule of the Round 5 study selection process
 - September SWG Meeting: Vote to approve the Round 5 research questions
 - Announce Request for Proposals (RFP) following the meeting
 - Receive Letters of Interest (LOI)
 - Hold a workshop to review Round 5 proposals

1:25 **SAM Round 5 Research Questions** – Raghu Namburi, SAM Coordinator and S4

- Preview of study ideas and research questions
- Gathering feedback from the SWG on research questions

2:00 **Break**

2:05 **Continued: SAM Round 5 Research Questions** – Raghu Namburi, SAM Coordinator and S4

2:50 **Meeting Recap and Next Steps** – Raghu Namburi, SAM Coordinator

3:00 **Adjourn**

Future Meeting Dates

The next SWG meetings are on September 10 and November 12, 2025 – Wednesdays, from 9am – 12pm.

At our meeting on Wednesday, September 10 we will:

- Introduce the new SWG Project Manager!
- View SAM presentations, potentially including:
 - [Lower Columbia Urban Streams](#), Clark County
 - [Longevity of biological protection using bioretention](#), Washington State University
- Hear updates from our partners, PRO-C, and SAM studies
- **Vote** to approve a new PRO-C member: Aaron Burkhart, City of Bellingham
- **Vote** to approve SAM Round 5 Research Questions
- **Vote** to approve new SWG voting members, including but not limited to the EPA
- Accept nominations for new SWG Co-Chairs and voting members
- **Vote** to approve 2026 meeting dates and an in-person meeting: February 11, May 13, September 9, November 11

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View the SWG Website

We regularly update the [SWG website](#) with information about upcoming meetings, past meeting materials, and important SWG documents. If you have additional questions about the SWG, contact madison.bristol@ecy.wa.gov.