DRAFT WALLA WALLA BASIN ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA

Wednesday, October 28, 2026 | 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Room 2023-24 | Water & Environmental Center at WWCC | 640 Water Center Drive
Hybrid Meeting *(Zoom instructions below)*

Time*	Agenda Item (Action items are marked with "**!**")	Reference Materials	Presenter(s)
1:00 *(10 mins)*	**Welcome, Introductions, Review Agenda** • Welcome and introductions • Review agenda • Opening remarks	Agenda	• Chris Kowitz, OWRD, on behalf of the Tri-Sovereigns • Alexandra Doty, Facilitator
1:10 *(10 mins)*	**BAC Caucus Approval (!)** • **BAC Decision Item**: Discuss and consider approval of proposed BAC caucus representation changes: Agriculture Caucus and temporary change within the State Caucus	WWBAC Caucus Roles Discussion Guide	• Alexandra Doty, Facilitator • BAC members
1:20 *(60 mins)*	**2050 Project Recommendation for Legislative Funding (!)** • Review and discuss the draft project lists for OR and WA legislative funding. • **BAC Decision Item**: Determine a recommendation of projects for OR and WA legislative funding for the Tri-Sovs.	WWBAC Project Funding Discussion Guide	• Sarah Dymecki, Ecology • Chris Kowitz, OWRD • Amanda Cronin, Project Manager
There will be a 10-minute break around 2:20			
2:30 *(35 mins)*	**Walla Walla Basin Fish Returns Overview** • Overview of the 2026 fish returns for spring Chinook, forecast for steelhead, and updates on the ʔImtwaha Hatchery production efforts. • BAC member questions		• Jerimiah Bonifer, CTUIR
3:05 *(20 mins)*	**Debrief the 2026 Open House** • Recap and debrief the 2026 Open House (October 27, 2026) • BAC member reflections: Any highlights? What went well? Any improvements for future open houses? Reflections on the new venue?		• Alexandra Doty, Facilitator • BAC members
3:25 *(25 mins)*	**Updates** • Update on Túuši Wána restoration project • Update on the 2025 OR legislative funding • Recap from the BAC and Tri-Sov check ins and key takeaways • Working Group updates • 2027 BAC meeting schedule • Upcoming and recent events (as time allows) • Project and funding updates (as time allows) • Agenda and field trip suggestions (as time allows)	Summary from BAC and Tri-Sov check ins	• Jerry Middel, CTUIR • Chris Kowitz, OWRD • Amanda Cronin, Project Manager • Alexandra Doty, Facilitator • BAC members
3:50 *(5 mins)*	**Public Comment**		• Alexandra Doty, Facilitator
3:55 *(5 mins)*	**Closing** • Rotating BAC Member closing remarks • Next steps		• BAC Member to be determined for closing remarks • Alexandra Doty, Facilitator

Optional 4:30pm – 6:00pm	**Optional Happy Hour at the Green Lantern Tavern** • Join us for a no-host happy hour to connect!		• All Welcome

*All times are approximate and may change.

Zoom Instructions

Join online
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87664937315?pwd=2IzabomfZz2bTcb5B1yvpDZAosZmiU.1
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