

Watershed Wildfire Protection Group Meeting Agenda

Date: 10 May 2013
Time: 0900-1500 MDT
Location: US Forest Service Regional Office Auditorium; 740 Simms Street; Golden, CO

- 0900-0930: Introductions
Review of Mission & Vision Statements; Rich Edwards, CSFS
Meeting Technology Update; Brad Piehl, JW Associates
- 0930-1015: Transmission & Substation Wildfire Protection. Jim Downie, Director of
Vegetation Management & Ancillary Programs, Xcel Energy
- 1015-1030: Break
- 1030-1045: Overview of recent Wildfire Readiness and Response Workshop; Paul Langowski,
USFS RO Branch Chief – Fuels & Fire
- 1045-1130: Group Update; Moderator: Claire Harper, USFS RO
- 1130-1230: Lunch; bring your own or on your own
- 1230- 1330: Meeting Agenda, Implementation & Funding, and Work Groups Brainstorm;
Moderator: Rusty Collins, CSU Extension Service
- 1330-1430: Potential Effects of Wildfires on Water Quality. Dr. John Stednick, Professor, CSU
Watershed Science
- 1430-1500: Wrap-up & Adjourn

WWPG Mission: We promote healthy watersheds by facilitating education and awareness; and facilitating prioritization, implementation, and monitoring for people and wildlife.

- Fish & Aquatics
- For the West
- Mammals
- Next Generation
- Public
- Recreationists
- Rivers & Streams

WWPG Vision: Our vision is to protect Colorado water supplies and critical infrastructure from catastrophic wildfire and other threats by maintaining healthy, resilient watersheds through collaboration, implementation, leveraging, and education.