

Watershed Wildfire Protection Group



Welcome to the 3rd Quarterly Meeting

Friday 10 May 2013; 0900-1500
USDA Forest Service Regional Office Auditorium
Golden, Colorado

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Meeting Agenda



- 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 qr 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

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Review of Mission & Vision Statements

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.